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Texas & Pacific Ry. May Ask To Extend Newly Purchased Abilene & Southern Lines

Hold Suspect In Ovalo Bank Robbery, No Charge

A man, under indictment in Eastland county on a charge of theft, is being held in the Callahan county jail as a suspect in the recent robbery of the First State bank at Ovalo, this county. It is learned from local officers.

No charge has been filed against him in connection with the Ovalo job, in which \$3900 was taken.

He has just been transferred from Baird.—Abilene Reporter.

Auction Hat For Fund to Aid Flood Victims, Raise \$40

With R. E. Bacon presiding over the opening exercises, the local Lions club met for their regular semi-monthly luncheon Tuesday in the basement of the Methodist church. Guests present were District Scout Executive Shumway of Abilene, Dr. Axtell of Nebraska who is in Texas in the interest of the Presbyterian's Old Minister's Endowment fund, R. T. Thornton of Kansas City, Joe Lary of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Shepperd and daughters of this city.

Two saxophone trio numbers were rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Shepperd and daughter and two vocal solos by Mr. Shumway which were highly appreciated and liberally applauded.

G. E. Nicholson, as toastmaster, introduced Jno. Q. McAdams who talked on the "Benefits of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce". Enumerating several accomplishments of this organization the speaker stated that he would rather defer his talk on this subject until after the Wichita Falls convention, which he was planning to attend.

A telegram from Lions' National headquarters was read by Mr. Bacon, requesting aid for the Mississippi flood sufferers and a committee consisting of H. W. Lynn, Jno. Q. McAdams and Reverend Bryan was appointed to direct the local campaign for funds and clothing for the thousands upon thousands who have lost everything in this appalling catastrophe.

Appreciated and inspiring talks were made by Dr. Axtell and Mr. Shumway, and just before adjournment of the meeting C. R. Robertson, secretary of the chamber of commerce, secured permission to auction off his hat, which was a last year's straw saylor, each bidder to pay in the amount of his bid and both money and hat to be sent in to Red Cross headquarters for the benefit of flood sufferers. Those bidding on the hat were Dr. Axtell, G. E. Nicholson, J. M. Skaggs, Geo. C. Hill, H. O. Jones, E. A. Shepperd, Carl Davis, H. W. Lynn, Bert E. Low, after which the hat was passed around for a donation, and the donation and auction totalled something over \$40.

Bandmaster Shepperd told the Lions of the progress being made by the Junior High School band and stated that for the trip to Wichita Falls to enter the band in the State Contest, he now has seats for about 35 members, while the band has 56 members and asked for the support of the Lions in providing transportation for the band to enter the State Contest at Wichita Falls.

The committee to arrange the program for the next meeting, B. G. Owens, toastmaster; J. Frank Paxton and I. M. Preston.

But why limit Mothers' Day to one celebration a year?

The daily press of yesterday carried the following dispatch under a Washington date line which will be read with much interest by our people. The article referred to is reproduced below:

The Missouri Pacific railroad is planning a play in West Texas, according to information here today. The first step was taken last week when the Texas & Pacific—a Missouri Pacific subsidiary—acquired control of the Abilene and Southern. Pivoting on Abilene, the A. and S. extends from Ballinger on the South to Hamlin on the North, a total of 96 miles.

According to information here the first activity of the Missouri Pacific in West Texas will take the form of application of the Texas & Pacific to extend the A. & S. south from Ballinger, and north from Hamlin, with the purpose of delivering to the main line of the Texas & Pacific at Abilene freight from a section which is believed to be on the threshold of a great development.

The extension, if permitted by the Interstate Commerce commission would bring the Missouri Pacific into active competition with two of its great rivals, the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe at Ballinger, and the Missouri-Kansas-Texas at Hamlin.

These three great systems have been eyeing one another suspiciously for months, for all are planning moves on the great Lone Star checker board.

The Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe for years has been attempting to get into the West Dallas industrial district, hitherto the exclusive preserve of the Texas & Pacific. Indeed the Santa Fe has already drawn first blood in that direction, the Burnside report having recommended it be allowed to build with certain limitations, a matter which is pending before the commission and on which an early decision is expected. Since Examiner Burnside made his report the commission handed down a decision sustaining the contention of Dallas interests on the distance scale of freight rates, making the entry into the West Dallas industrial district of increasing importance to the Santa Fe.

The Katy, which the Missouri Pacific, through acquisition of the Abilene and Southern, touches at Hamlin, is another potential great rival of the Missouri Pacific. Especially will it become so if the I. C. C. does grant the Loree application for the merger of the Katy-Cotton Belt-Kansas City Southern into one great system.

The probability loomed here today that the Katy and Santa Fe would fight Missouri Pacific extensions south from Ballinger and north from Hamlin.

Business Men Visit Rural Schools

A party of business men, headed by C. R. Robertson, secretary of the chamber of commerce, made a short visit to the schools at Bradshaw, Wingate and Mazeland Wednesday morning. Short talks were made by members of the party encouraging the young people to finish their school work and when they had gone as far as possible in their home school, they were invited and urged to finish their high school work in the Winters schools.

A male quartet composed of Messrs. R. E. Bacon, David Bruton, C. E. Gambill and Fred Bedford rendered a number or two at each school visited. Those in the party besides the quartet were G. E. Nicholson, Buford Owens, Carl Henslee, and C. R. Robertson.

It is the plan of the local chamber of commerce to make as many of these visits to surrounding schools as possible before their terms close.

Lence New Head of A. & S. Road

The new general manager of the Abilene Southern railroad is W. R. Lence. He will come here Monday for a conference with Pery Jones, retiring president and general manager, and likely will make a jaunt over the line.

Mr. Lence has had a career filled with solid achievement. He is the retiring grand commander of the Knights Templar of Oklahoma. All of his adult life has been spent in railroading. An old-time Missouri Pacific man, he went to the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient a few years ago to be assistant to William T. Kemper, president and receiver.

Started S. O. S. Campaign
The Orient at the time was facing ruin, with no business, no money and no prospects. It lived by sufferance of the powerful connecting lines, which granted it a top-heavy share of freight jointly hauled, while the Interstate Commerce Commission had allowed a \$10 per differential per car—it was a straight out bonus—on freight originating on the Orient line and destined to Texas Orient points.

When these special privileges were withdrawn it looked like "30" (as newspaper men say) for the Orient line.

Then Mr. Lence originated his now famous S. O. S. campaign. He called in the Orient personnel, a devoted lot of men and women, explained the road's difficulties, and asked if they could help.

Business Results
The S. O. S. campaign was the result. S. O. S. meant "Satisfy Orient Shippers," but it also had the grimmer meaning "Send Out Succor." Every employee, from the president down to watertank tender, made himself an Orient freight solicitor.

They told the Orient's troubles to the big shippers of the country—the oil men, the steel men, the automobile men, the fruit men—and asked for shipments of freight "via Orient" promising top-notch service.

They gave the service, and they got the business, and Lence was behind the whole project. Then great oil fields were discovered on the Orient lines, more business resulted—and today the Orient is no man's hungry dog. It is a real railroad, on its feet, a going concern.

Returns to M. O. P.
Lately Mr. Lence returned to the Missouri Pacific system to be executive general agent of the Texas and Pacific railway, with headquarters at Dallas. When the Interstate Commerce Commission last week approved the T. & P's purchase of the Abilene Southern for a million dollars, Mr. Lence was asked to take charge of the property. It is not known whether the new manager will make his home in Abilene.

When the transfer of ownership is complete, three pioneers in the life of the Abilene Southern will step out to devote their time to private affairs. These are Percy Jones president and general manager, W. T. Kaufman, secretary and treasurer and Morgan Jones, general superintendent.—Abilene Reporter.

PERRY SMITH

Perry Smith, age about twenty years, died in the State Hospital at San Antonio on April 27th, and his body was shipped here and interred in the Fairview cemetery on the 28th. Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith of Norton. Funeral services were conducted at the Church of Christ by Bro. Colley. Deceased is survived by his parents and several brothers and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Williams visited with Mr. Williams' mother in Ballinger over the weekend.

For Humanity's Sake

Very near 300,000 people—think of it—are in concentration camps up and down the Mississippi river, at the mercy of the generosity of the people of this nation, having lost everything in the greatest flood ever suffered in this country. Everywhere towns are swiftly coming to the rescue with money and clothing to relieve this unprecedented condition. What are we going to do?

Up to date something less than \$150 has been gathered together here to aid in this calamity.

Don't wait for someone to solicit your donation, but go now to either of the local banks and voluntarily do what Winters has always done and always will do—her part.

Emet Huntsman Describes Plight Of New Orleans

Surgical Ward
Marine Hospital, No. 14
New Orleans, La.
May 1, 1927

Winters Enterprise,
Winters, Tex.

Dear Mr. Hill and all the Staff:

While lying here thinking about how long it will be until I will be able to return to my home I just thought that I would write you a line to let you know that I still remembered you all and the many acts of friendship shown me are still fresh on my mind.

First, I hope to get well some day, but it surely does take lots of time.

This hospital is a real good place to study humanity. They have every race and creed here, and very nearly every ailment known to the medical world. The surgeon in charge of operations is very fine and I guess he is one of the best in the South. He has done some very hard operations and has been very successful. He has the record of not losing a case from an operation in three years. He is at this hospital three days each week performing an average of 30 major operations each month at this hospital besides having his private practice and also operates at the Baptist hospital here, and is sure interesting to hear him tell of cases he has operated on.

I have not had time or a chance to visit the many places of interest here but one thing that might interest you is this: I am about one block from the Mississippi river and the level of the water is now about 12 feet over me—the banks of the river are built up to hold the water.

You have been reading of the damage done by high water, but it is impossible to tell of the suffering that has been caused, and it sure does make me appreciate my home town, however the water from the river has not hurt New Orleans but we had a terrible rain here that flooded parts of the city.

This city has no claim on being built at a desirable place to live. One of the patients here made the statement that he would like to know who had little enough sense to go to a frong pond to build a city.

I have met some very fine people since I came here, and have been very lucky in having the best surgeons to look after me but hope that I will not need their services very much longer and that I may be able to return to Winters for it is good enough for me.

Can't think of anything to write that will interest you but may be able to write you later.

I am very truly yours,
EMET HUNTSMAN

W. T. Connally of Sweetwater, was in the city yesterday transacting business. Mr. Connally is very interested in the test for oil on the Hunt place near Drasco, which at present is shut down awaiting the perfecting of some abstracts flaws in drilling block.

Eight Contestants To Interscholastic Meeting in Austin

The eight contestants representing the Winters high school in the Interscholastic League meet at Austin, with their coaches and Superintendent A. H. Smith, left for the Capitol City yesterday morning at 5:36 taking the Santa Fe at Ballinger. Those making the trip besides Supt. Smith and the contestants were Miss Gladys Joseph, debating team coach; C. R. Smith, athletic coach and Mrs. George C. Hill.

Contestants in the party were: girls debating team, Marie Hill and Marie Griffith; boys debating team, Auburn Neely and Perry Barber. Representing the local school in the different athletic events were Jno. G. Key Jr., Mack Dedmon, Geo. Newby and Alton Roberts.

With the party was Sonny Boy Smith, who will leave the party at Killeen for a short visit with his "granmudder."

We're relying on some of these contestants to bring home a state champion to the local school, but we're proud of the fact that Winters always has a good representation at the State Meet, and if by any chance we should fail to "bring home the bacon" this time, we will just buckle our belt up a little tighter and work a little harder for one next year.

Superintendent Smith has promised to wire results of the different events in which our contestants participate to this office and we are expecting the first report to reach us about 2 p. m. today so if you wish news from Austin call phone number 63.

Fire Razes Home of Wesley Compton Wednesday

Wednesday morning about 10 o'clock the fire department answered an alarm sent in from a rent house on the E. H. Sherill farm about a mile and a half east of town, but owing to the headway of the blaze before they could reach the scene and the inability to secure water, the house was burned to the ground. It was occupied by Wesley Compton and family, who lost all their household effects, we understand he carried no insurance. The house was partially covered by insurance.

Takes Over Oil Mills on First

The Anderson-Clayton company took over the Winters and Ballinger Oil Mills on May 1, the deal having been consummated about a month ago.

This is one of the strongest cotton firms in the South and bears the reputation of being progressive and forward pushing business men, and we understand extensive improvements in the local mill are contemplated.

HINDS-DUNCAN

Tuesday morning about 7 o'clock, with only a few intimate friends present, Rev. Hal F. Smith spoke the words that until in holy wedlock W. Ronald Duncan and Miss Opal Hinds, the ceremony taking place at the Presbyterian manse.

Mr. Duncan is a valued employee of the Winters State Bank and is one of the promising young business men of the city, while the bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hinds, who reside some six miles south of town.

The happy young couple left immediately after the ceremony upon a short bridal tour, after which they will make their home in this city.

Scout Watches Orr Pitch No Hit No Run Game at Tyler

The following taken from a Tyler exchange will prove interesting reading to many local people, as Alex Orr has many friends and acquaintances here who will be pleased to learn of his success with the Tyler baseball club.

"Hundreds of Dallas sardotters and numerous sandlot fans were interested in the announcement out of Palestine Saturday that Alex Orr, former Dallas amateur pitcher, had hurled a no-hit and no-run game for Tyler in his debut in the Lone Star league. Orr had a spring try-out with the Steers, but never made the grade. In a letter to Bill Parker of the Times Herald (Dallas) sports staff, Roy Largent, scout for the Chicago White Sox had the following to say about Orr's game in which Alex was credited with a one hit melee by the official scorer:

"Dear Bill—I saw Orr pitch a no-hit game here today (Sunday) against Palestine. They charged one hit against him, and it came this way: In the ninth a runner was on first via the base on balls. Batter attempted to sacrifice and hit rather sharp grounder to Orr. Orr fielded the ball and looked at second to throw the ball there to force the runner, but no one was covering base. He turned to throw to first, but Jackson had come in on the bunt and Harris failed to cover first, and Orr could only hold the ball. Really instead of a hit he had a dead double play. I don't suppose the scorer could do anything else, but would never have given a hit if I had been scorer. Bill, the kid pitched great ball, and there was not even a doubtful hit. He gave a few bases on balls but then they couldn't even sacrifice on him. He looks like a great prospect.

"Brecht also looks fine. The boy is hitting as a pinch hitter. Friday he won the game with a two-bagger, and again today delivered another. I talked with Jackson. He thinks he will make him a good pitcher. Bill, I thought I would just tell you about these boys, as I knew they were your "finds" and that you were interested in them. Yes, Orr pitched a no-hit game, if I know anything about a hit. He is a real prospect, and I certainly am going to watch him this year.

LARGENT"

Two Automobile Accidents Sunday

Sunday morning about 10 o'clock Marvin Pumphrey, while returning from Ballinger, lost control of his Ford "speed wagon" on the first hill out of Ballinger and the car struck the bridge at the foot of the hill and turned over, slightly injuring Mr. Pumphrey and one or two of his friends to whom he was demonstrating the ground-covering ability of his speedster. The accident necessitated the calling out a wrecker to bring in the smashed up car.

Some time after 12 o'clock Monday morning a Ford car driven by Benny Woodrow and Joe Guthrie went into a ditch about three miles south of town on the highway, with slight injuries to Woodrow and injuries the extent of which have not been determined yet by attending physicians of Guthrie, who is in the local sanitarium, his body partially paralyzed. An attending physician stated yesterday that he could not say just now whether Guthrie would recover or not, but that his condition was serious.

Blow Wind! BLOW!

For an amount so small that it is negligible you can carry wind, hail and tornado insurance on your property.

This coverage takes care of the smallest damage by wind, and in case of hail damage to roof we pay water damage also on the insured items.

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Mothers' Day

Affection and reverence sanctify Mothers' Day, May 8, a gold letter day in our country's calendar. It is Mother's day.

There is no voice like the voice of Mother. It whispers through all the years of time. It murmurs the cradle-croons of centuries. It carries tender memory of sweet fragrance of childhood. It sings at twilight. It calls through the night silences. It welcomes the dawning of enhalowed days.

There is no kiss like that bestowed by Mother love. It is the balm that soothes all injuries of the mortal soul, that lessens the hurt of all mortal physical pains. It is the message of spirit dreams born in the Heaven of heavens.

The Mother kiss dries the tears of childish sorrow and woos the heart of maturity to sterner effort along the paths of virtue.

There is no smile like unto that of the Mother smile. It touches us as a benediction, which it truly is.

And what prayer is like unto the mother prayer? Angels smiling, bear it; God receives it. Only God may know, and understand, its selfishness, the richness of its yearning, the pathos of its passion for mother love and God love are akin.

And have we lightened and brightened her days, this mother of ours? Have we realized something of the splendor of her devotions to the cross, to the cradle? Have we sent her roses in life, or mayhap, lilies to rest upon her folded hands, when she has gone to Motherland, which men call Heaven?

Mother! We greet you! There is no other e're can take your place, from everlasting to everlasting.

TROUBLE APLENTY

Now that we are about to commercialize the television, probably the next thing will be a machine to read and register thought. When that time comes a lot of people are going to get into trouble.

HIGHER AND HIGHER

Two American aviators have set a record for continuous flying by remaining in the air for more than 50 hours. In doing so they drained the fuel tank, which contained 385 gallons of gasoline, and traveled 4,000 miles at an average speed of 80 miles per hour. This feat was a remarkable test of endurance, not only of the two aviators themselves, but of the flying machine and its motor.

This latest flying feat will bring about other tests, with more speed, greater endurance and longer flights. In the meantime those who would

promote safety in the air will be busy, and we may expect in the end that all long-distance travel will be through the air, and will be safe and comfortable as a sea-voyage on an ocean liner.

Higher and faster, stronger and safer, is America's motto in its aviation department.

NOT SO ROSY

It cannot be denied that the farmers as a whole have been in hard lines during recent years. But when compared with the destitution and sufferings of those who live in the city's slums, the hardships of the farmer seem insignificant, only a small percentage of those who remove from the country into the densely populated communities benefit because of the change. Many of them live and die in poverty.

The young man or the young woman who is doing even fairly well on the farm or in the small town should deliberate long and seriously before severing the home ties.

STILL WORKING

Most of the world's store of real gold is in Uncle Sam's vaults at Washington, but its soul goes marching on. It is not idle, though inactive.

ALWAYS HAS

The average man makes no attempt to study out the Chinese problems, content to believe that it will all come out in the wash.

Trade at Home

For more than 20 years the Enterprise has been boosting Winters merchants, the home town men. Why? Because Winters merchants stand by their home town at all times; at all times are willing to lend a helping hand in the support of every home enterprise and because they back every move that is for the best interest of Winters.

But we wonder if the citizens in and about the community realize the worth of the home town merchants—of the many things they do for the town and its people, and how much we, as a people, owe to them.

Back of every movement for good—for progress, development and uplift are the home town merchants, and usually only the home town merchants, while others "pass the buck" except during beneficial showers.

Who contributes most to community welfare—to church, to school, to society, to civic improvements, to charity and improvements? Usually only the merchants of your home town.

Who are the vital forces in every organization having to do with community life and improvement? Usually the home town merchants.

Who are the first to work for needed improvements, for better streets—for a cleaner city, for city beautification—for the very things that make us proud of our home town? Usually only the home merchants.

Who are the first to combat the things that are injurious to our community—to society—to our industrial, commercial, financial and moral

life? Usually, only, the home town merchants.

Who digs deeper into their pocket-books than the home merchants to support the community benefits? "Day by day, in every way," the home merchants are contributing at their time, their energy, and money to make Winters a bigger and better place in which to live.

It is proper and fitting then that we give more than a passing thought to the debt we owe the home town merchant and that we come to the realization that this debt can be repaid by giving to them the trade of the community, a trade well earned and rightfully theirs.

The truth of the matter is, home-town merchants are selling goods at, or less, than prices elsewhere, and if we will be fair and include additional expenses incurred when trading away—we are bound to admit that it is cheaper to trade at home besides showing a spirit of reciprocity.

Keep Business Home

Spend your money elsewhere and the merchants will be forced to go out of business and to seek a new location where more civic pride and community spirit exists. And you may be sure that no other business men will come in to take their place as for nothing scares business away from a town as much as "for rent" signs on a vacant store building.

We shall have more to say on this subject next week.

Miss Faye Woodrow returned to her home here Sunday from a weeks visit in Bryan. She was accompanied home by Mrs. T. E. Maxon of Memphis, Tenn., who is a guest in the Woodrow home.

Big hopes make big men.

AMUSEMENTS

Queen

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RANGER
in FLASHING FANGS
Aesop's Fables Comedy

The June brides are already mobilizing. The fighting will occur later.

Miss Ena Williams, student of Simmons University, spent the past week end with home folks.

100 Times

A DAY YOU ARE AN EYE-FUL FOR SOMEBODY OR OTHER!



On the street—in her house—it matters a lot what people see when they look at you!

Frankly are you easy on the eyes? Has your suit that youthful jauntiness—that spruce freshness that gladdens the glance?

Its our job to keep your clothes "on their toes." Better let us call for your discouraged suits once a month.

The finest silk dresses can be cleaned by us without the least injury to the fabric. Send them to us.

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Phone 212



"Queen of Dixie" Growing Mash

The Growing Mash season is on. There are untold thousands of chicks in every section of Texas that should be fed on Queen of Dixie Growing Mash from the age of six weeks until the pullets reach maturity, at five to six months of age.

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County Agent At Herring

County Farm Demonstrator C. W. Lembery visited the Herring school Friday, April 28 and organized a boys club with 13 members. D. H. Grounds was elected president, S. J. Brevard vice president, Marion Kerby secretary and reporter, Frank Grounds, Arthur Kerby, Oness Feeler and W. A. Hale were appointed on the membership committee. C. H. Grounds was appointed local club leader. Our next meeting will be held at the school house Friday, May 13, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The record books were distributed and instructions were given so the boys could begin their work at once. We are late in getting started but the boys have their livestock and have so much enthusiasm that we expect to make a good showing.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Thornton, Mrs. Eleanor Lea and daughter of Kansas City, Mo., parents and sister of Judge R. T. Thornton, Jr., arrived in the city the first of the week for a visit in the home of their son. This is Mr. and Mrs. Thornton's first visit to Texas and Mr. Thornton says they are enjoying it very much.

Ford certainly gave Sapiro "a-run" for his money.

Newspaper reports show that the boll weevil wintered nicely.

National Egg week, May 1 to 7, Sunshine in sealed packages.

April has lived up to her name of 100 per cent fickleness.

A. Krauss spent a few days in Dallas the first of the week attending to business.

Each year the Mothers' Day observance grows in volume and popularity.

Copeland Tent Show to Play Here All Next Week

The Copeland Brothers tent show, the oldest established and one of the most widely known dramatic and vaudeville tent companies, will play a weeks engagement in Winters starting next Monday, May 9, presenting a repertoire of new Toby comedy dramas that have never been presented here before by any company.

The vaudeville introduced between the acts of the play is a distinct feature of the company and far above the average usually seen in shows of this type and the music offered by Walter Mars and his harmony boys is that snappy jazzy variety that makes your feet tingle.

The opening play next Monday night will be "The Tie That Binds" a story of the little mother, termed the greatest of all home plays. Featured in the leading role of this wonderful stage story is little five-year-old Baby Barbara, America's greatest child actress. This little tot plays the part of the little mother, the role that is the most important of the show, and this little baby plays it like an old seasoned performer.

The ladies will be admitted free on Monday night if accompanied by an escort holding a paid adult ticket.

The tent will be located at Ashley's tourist park, a few blocks south on Main street.

Noel Reed returned home Tuesday from Dallas and Fort Worth. He was accompanied home from Fort Worth by his sister, Mrs. Harry Sattle, who will visit in the home of her parents for a few days.

Never tell a man he can't be elected to office. Let him find out for himself.

W. J. Renneck of Dallas, an employee of the American Exchange National bank, spent a few days the past weekend a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. Grover Davis.

A florist should be able to do a great deal for his mother after Mothers' day.

S. H. Nance returned home Tuesday from a business trip to Dallas.

Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Stephens and daughter, V. Marie, left the first of the week for Louisville, Ky., to attend the Southern Baptist convention. They will be absent some 10 days or two weeks.

As a matter of fact, every day is Mothers' Day. Spend your money in Winters and reap the return.

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**WHAT'S DOING
In West Texas**

Stamford—A plea for chambers of commerce to function as agencies in raising funds for Rocksprings' relief has been issued by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to towns in its territory. Rocksprings now left in wide-spread suffering and destruction with not a bit of tornado insurance, though an inland town, and carried its quota of memberships in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Sister towns in the regional organization are therefore being asked by manager Wade and President Duggan to organize Rocksprings Relief Drives.

Denton—Denton, Queen College City of North Central Texas, has voted to affiliate with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Secretary-Manager G. R. Warren of that place in making announcement of this, pointed out advantages of holding membership one of which was benefit to local educational institutions. The Denton Chamber of Commerce, at the time this action was taken, also voted to take membership

with the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, and to observe Industrial Development week. Denton is home of the College of Industrial Arts, and North Texas State Teachers' College.

Sweetwater—Judge R. C. Crane has returned here after attending the third annual session of the West Texas Historical association, held in Stamford, April 21. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, whose headquarters are in that place, has interested itself in that society, especially in respect to securing recognized names for historic and beauty spots over West Texas.

Merkel—Miss Emily Bailey has been selected as sponsor for Lampasas at the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in Wichita Falls, May 16 and 17. Towns throughout West Texas will have sponsors at the meeting. Miss Helen Frossard has been chosen as sponsor for Turkey, and Memphis has selected Miss Luda Travis as their sponsor.

Throckmorton—Throckmorton has been the scene of the annual meet of Texas Fox and Wolf Hunters' association this week. The drive started Tuesday on the Davis Brothers ranch, nine miles west of Throckmorton, and was extended over three days. The Throckmorton Chamber of Commerce and Throckmorton county members of the association were hosts at a big barbecue Wednesday at the ranch.

Brownwood—The Mid-Texas Press association will hold its first semi-annual convention at Brownwood, May 13, which will mark the first meeting since the organization formation last September. Prominent newspaper men from Coleman, Ballinger, Brady, Winters, San Saba, Hico, Brownwood, Stephenville, De Leon, Rising Star, and Santa Anna will appear on the program.

Wichita Falls—United States Secretary of Labor James J. Davis will arrive in Wichita Falls by airplane about 10 o'clock the morning of May 16, to attend the ninth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, according to advertisement by telegram to Manager Homer D. Wade. Manager Wade opened up headquarters in Wichita this week where he will remain until after the convention.

Merkel—Merkel has voted bonds for extension of the water system and to pave 10 blocks of the business section.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has scored again in its work



Governor "Al" Smith of New York has awakened national interest and renewed talk of his candidacy for the presidency by declaring that as a Catholic he held there was no power in the church that could interfere with his duties as an officer of the state. Governor Smith is shown here as he was vacationing recently at Absecon, N. J.

for the interest of its cotton growers, cotton markets, and compresses. According to word from U. S. Pawkett, San Antonio, Traffic manager, the Interstate Commerce commission has sustained West Texas' contention in every part of the so-called Houston case. The Interstate Commerce order in this case, in line with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce contentions, approved the plan for making the same rates apply either at water front or back of water front facilities at the ports, and found that the existing compress concentration arrangements were not discriminatory and therefore legal and lawful.

Childress—Everything is in readiness for the district convention of the Green-Belt Lower-Panhandle section of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here May 5. A constructive program has been arranged which includes prominent speakers from many points over the state.

San Saba—San Saba is looking for individuals or large concerns

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Wichita Falls—Manager Homer D. Wade has established his headquarters in the Hamilton building here until after the ninth annual convention to meet May 16 and 17. He is resorting to air plane transportation in order to fill multiple calls for engagements at diverse points of the state.

Fredricksburg—At a mass meeting of its citizenship, Gillespie county voted and endorsed a co-operative creamery, and subscribed over one half the contemplated \$20,000 stock for its establishment. Campaign is under way to raise the remainder of the stock for the creamery.

Big Lake—The Board of Trustees of the Reagan county independent school district have let contract for a high school building for Big Lake and for a new building for Stile, 29 miles north of here. Architects for the building are the same who drew the plans for Reagan county's \$100,000 courthouse now nearing completion.

Channing—West Texas communities wanting physicians in their communities might well write Tom Colline, county attorney of Hartley county and secretary of the Channings Commercial Club of their wants. Channing recently broadcasted its need of a doctor in a leading state paper, and as a result had applications from 25 physicians in Texas and Oklahoma. Dr. B. B. McGee of Roxana has moved to that place, but there are 25 physicians who may be willing to make changes to other West Texas points.

Wheeler—A modern steam laundry is the newest addition to industries of Wheeler. The plant cost approximately \$4000.

Glen Rose—A highway or "topped" road from Walnut Springs to Glen Rose is the latest project under development in this section.

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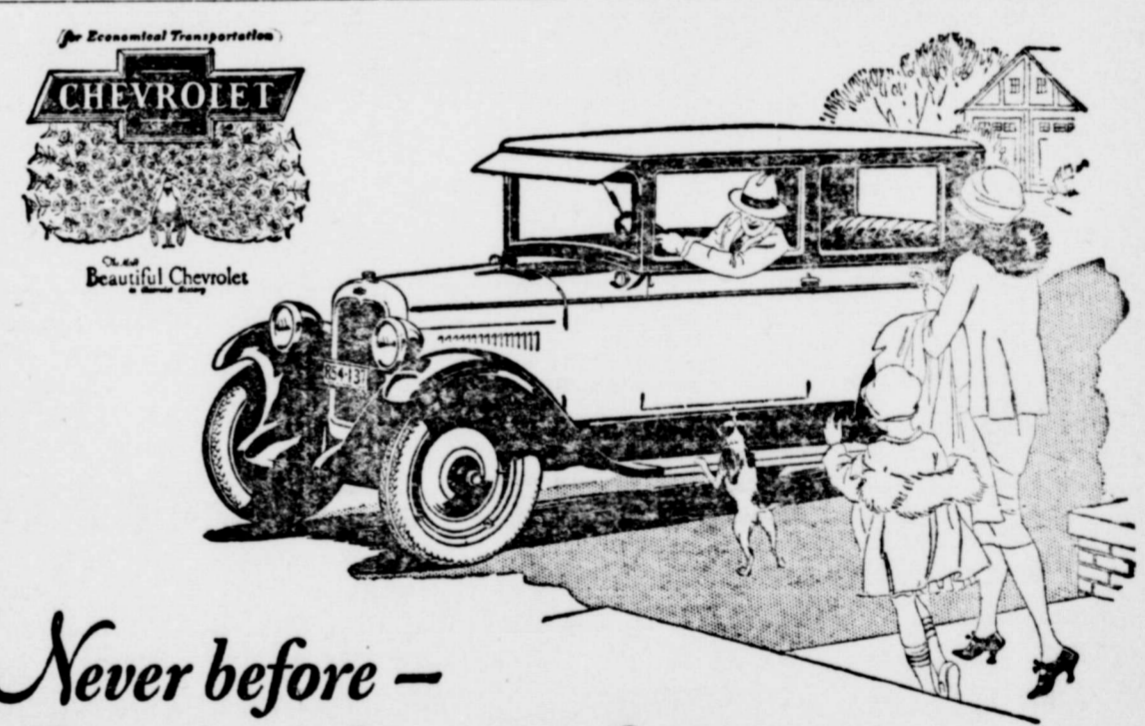
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THIS AND THAT

School is normal except for the unusual number of term themes, note books, and examinations, which are designed.

The senior play was a great success, and the cast demonstrated its dramatic ability.

The debaters and track men will be on their way to Austin to "Keep the Win in Winters" next Thursday.

The seniors received their invitations and cards last Tuesday.

Be sure and see "The Hoodoo" tonight. The Freshmen and Sophomores assure every one that it is good.

The examinations for the third semester and last period of this semester will be given Monday and Tuesday.

The classes had their weekly class meetings Monday and representatives for the May Day program were chosen.

THE HOODOO

The Freshmen and Sophomores "The Hoodoo" present. If you go, you will never be sorry you went. But if you miss it you will always regret. For the things that you see you will never forget. Now here are the characters one and all—From little Angelina to ole' Solomon so tall—

First, we behold Brighton Early

the groom (Howard Mullins) Then comes Billy Jackson a lover of ladies in the moon (Francis Smith.)

The ladies he flirts with are three of the best, Doris Ruffles who is in love with him just like the rest (Karlleen Low.)

Lucille Neely, is a widow. Mrs. Clinger is her name, "Angelina" her daughter, is an angel, and the same as her rich mamma and her fascinating ways (Fairy McCaughn) Then comes Gwendolyn Shine who does as her mamma says. (Edna Lee Wright)

Mrs. Perrington Shine her mamma is haughty and proud, her home is the scene of the gay wedding crowd (Maurine Speer.)

The bride is an heiress and is quiet and shy, and is happy and bright as the wedding draws nigh, (Evelyn Hartzog.)

Don't fail to see Miss Longnecker, a giggling old maid, (Willie Barrier.)

See the "little parlor flirt" of Lulu the maid. She sees everything and is never afraid (Clara Geistman)

Old Malachi Meek an old man of sixty nine, he is still fond of ladies and sparkling red wine (Alfred Bishop)

Dods de Graft, the dazzling daisy, on a blackmailing quest, appears at the wedding an uninvited guest (Louise Burton)

Mr. Dun, her husband is a thief in the house, is very mystifying and is as sly as a mouse (Clifton Wyatt)

Old Aunt Paradise is the old colored cook, is afraid of the burglar and chases the crook. The burglar steals her supper and scares her to death. The things she relates gets her all out of breath. Her imagination grows 'till nobody knows, how it comes about. Then ole' aunt Paradise decides to have her imagination took out (Leta Rountree)

Old Professor Solomon Spriggot from very far away, of the things he gets into "what would Semiramis say?" He appears as a Mormon in truth, a deceiver in fiction, and he knows he is in for much contradiction (Ted Williams)

Semiramis Spiggott, his wife, is the mother of seven, when she arrives old Solomon decides that Heaven,

is too far away for him to enter in (Annie B. Faulkner)

Little Homanchus, their son, is a model child, he interefers by sending a telegram that brings Semiramis to tears, and brings her to Egypt in spite of her fears (Stuart Williams)

Poor Solomon is accused of having two wives and is slightly disturbed by his seven kid's cries. At last but not least, the seven little Spiggots we see, you better come—for who can they be? They are dressed so old fashioned, modest and plain, that you'll wish we could wear the old styles again. Never again will you have a chance to see such a play for this is the last time we'll bring it your way. Don't miss the chance to laugh and cry, at the sad misfortunes you're sure to sigh. Miss Bond and Miss White have worked days and nights, to bring before you these heartaches, scares and delights. You better come or you will miss some fun. If you want a good seat, come on the run. Be ready to laugh—be ready to cry, when you see our real gun, get ready to die. The Hoodoo on Friday night. High school We thank you—Leta Rountree.

Senior Class Honor Roll

The time will soon be here when the seniors will have to leave dear old Winters high. To many this will be a sad time and to others it will be a day of gladness. But even at that some of the seniors are proud to know that they are on the honor roll of the class. The honor roll was announced in the early part of last week. The following are the names and the respective averages of those on the roll:

Jack Callan, 94 1-2, Valedictorian.
Nestella Branaman, 92, Salutatorian.

Gladys Geistman, 91.
Lela Pruser, 88.
Brooksie Justice, 87.

See "The Hoodoo" tonight at the high school auditorium.

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen

The greatest treat in the line of entertainment of this school year was the senior play which was presented Tuesday evening, May 3. It was a success in more ways than one. There was a large crowd and all enjoyed themselves and the characters proved to have real ability. On Friday night, May 6, the

sophomores and freshmen are to present their play, "The Hoodoo".

Mother



Among the daily hopes of every Mother, the big, outstanding one is that the years will bring her children greater happiness and success.

LIKE a glorious crown, the love of Mother is an inspiration for each one of us to do his or her best in life. Mother's Day is an occasion that grows in importance each year, as Time's passage emphasizes the blessing of Mother in life!

The Winters State Bank



Blue Bonnets

Bluebonnets are blooming in West Texas. Out across the smiling prairies, up the hill slopes and into the valleys, against the green mantle of fresh Spring grasses is spread a magic carpet. Royal purple of wild verberna; crimson and gold of Indian Heads; pale yellow of the buttercups; jet and orange fire of Black-eyed Suzans; lavender of the flowering thistles—a land gone mad with color and perfume.

Springtime is like that in West Texas.

But Springtime passes and the wild flowers fade. Old Dame Nature, for all her Spring madness, is a serious minded lady. And soon she will have doffed her Easter finery for her work-a-day clothes and turned her attention to the less spectacular if more useful business of raising cotton and ripening grain.

Springtime passes and the flowers fade—but not all the flowers. Here and there, where careful hands pluck out the weeds and tend the soil and carry the water, new blossoms will burst to perfume summer days.

In West Texas wherever you find a building that houses the working tools of this company you will find a flower garden. A soft green lawn, a leafy tree, a clinging vine, a climbing rose, a bed of blazing canna lilies—these things will not enhance the value of the electric service that our lines bring to answer the touch of your fingers on the switch. But they will add to the beauty of this West Texas of ours and to your joy in living therein.

And that, too, as we see it, is somewhat of the job with which we, as a public service institution have been entrusted and are charged to do in fulfilling a public trust.

West Texas Utilities Company

This promises to be a real interesting play and we are sure that you will not regret going.

Monday evening, May 9, the Junior band will give a free concert at the auditorium. This is the first program they have given to the public but they have been working hard. Let's boost them as they leave for Wichita Falls in about a week.

Thursday evening a group of magicians are going to be at the high school auditorium. Mr. Childer's advice to the boys is not to wear their Sunday hats as they may want to burst the bottoms out. This program will be comical but it will turn your mind from the daily routine and cause you to think along a new line.

Thursday evening, May 12, the juniors are giving the seniors a banquet. The seniors have heard talk of the banquet and are getting very hungry.

Friday evening, May 13, the Glee club will present their program at the high school. We are proud of our Glee club and of the fact that they won second place at San Angelo.

Sunday, May 15, the baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Reverend Colley of the Church of Christ. This will be in the high school auditorium this year as we have a much nicer place than any of the churches.

Thursday evening, May 19, at the high school the commencement exercises will be held. Everyone wants to see this and give the "dignified seniors" a farewell look.

Friday night, May 20, Mrs. L. F. Smith will give her music recital at the high school. Every lover of music will be present that night.

Friday Chapel Program

The student body enjoyed a very interesting program at chapel Friday morning. The students are always glad to have something different, something aside from the usual order or programs. The junior class had planned on giving a short play but on account of the crowded schedule at the high school they were not able to practice. The program given was splendid and everyone enjoyed it immensely. The program was as follows:

Piano solo Marjorie McAdams

Songs Junior girls
Reading Mildred Spill
..... Gladys Geistman.

Brighten the Day

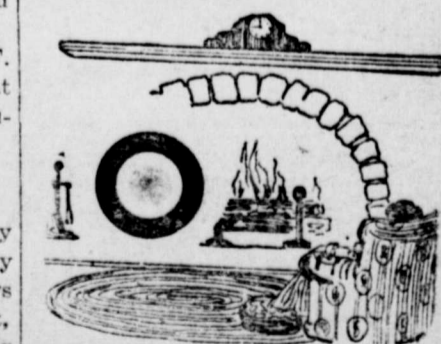
If you will brighten the day
By smiling along the way;
If you will only nod and smile,
And be cheerful all the while,
If you will give a cheerful word—
Not tell what you have heard;
Friends you'll meet everywhere,
Because you seem of such good cheer.

If you will only try and try,
Not to pass the unhappy by,
You will certainly find happiness,
And a supply of true success.
If your'e eager to succeed,
Kindness is all you need,
To be well known to all the nation
When you've got a reputation.—
Erlene Brown.

Messrs. Grover and Pete Davis, Oma Robertson and J. T. Riddle spent Monday in San Angelo inspecting poultry plants and transacting business.

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"YOUTH" IS TRIUMPH OF STYLE

MODES WITH GAITY AND CHARM DESIGNED THIS SEASON FOR THE "OLDER WOMAN" AND THE "MATURE FIGURE"

BY HARRIET

EVERYONE admits that there are no "old women" any more. Youth has been the achievement of everybody and fashion experts have bent their talents designing only modes that express its gaiety and its charm.

This season an innovation appears. Of course Fashion does not admit that there are "old women." But a variety of styles are being shown for "the older woman"—"the woman with mature figure." Prints are especially good for the "woman of mature figure." The small printed georgettes and crepes lend themselves admirably to the type of feminine frock that sets her lines off best.

Much Depends on Cut

The cut of the dress is everything for the woman who has curves yet would simulate the slender, straight silhouette. A skirt that has its flare just right, a long pointed vestee, a circular flounce over a straight drop skirt, or a full waist and tight skirt—these are some of the touches that give tone to the latest models for the woman of maturer mold.

Black and white is always good for a woman of somewhat large proportions. But soft browns, grays, any of the pastel shades are good, too. The woman who would look smaller than she is should avoid startlingly bright colors.

Contrary to belief, plain colors often are not best for big women. A small, neat pattern, or a dainty flower break up the dimensions. Used with plain material for trimming, figured goods lead this spring for this type of dress.

Two Fashionable Types

Shown today are two current types of costume that enhance the beauty of women who are mature, and lovely so.

What could be more charming than the printed georgette for street wear on a lovely summer day? This Le Conte model takes for its material a yellow print with white daisies with black centers. It is worn over a soft blue crepe skirt. All of its fullness centers in the almost circular front. The long, turned-back jabot revers gives a slenderizing front effect. Its vestee is of blue, as are the handings on the cuffs. Blue edges the jabot revers and the bottom of the overskirt.

The other costume is an ensemble, always good but just "right" this spring. Browns and bois de rose tones make up the ensemble. The coat is kasha will



The printed georgette (left) is good for summer street wear. It is a yellow print, with white daisies and black centers. The other costume, an ensemble, introduces coat lining to match the dress.

and its lining of the same printed crepe de chine that fashions the frock. It is a delicately traced flower pattern of browns and bois de rose on beige.

The dress has a full skirt which cascades up the left side, with all its fullness in front and the back straight and plain.

Its collarless neckline is outlined with a tie of self-material which ties in a nonchalant bow forming a V. The waistline, just missing the regulation waist, gives a much more slender effect than if it were a bit higher. The sleeves of this frock are long and moderately tight.

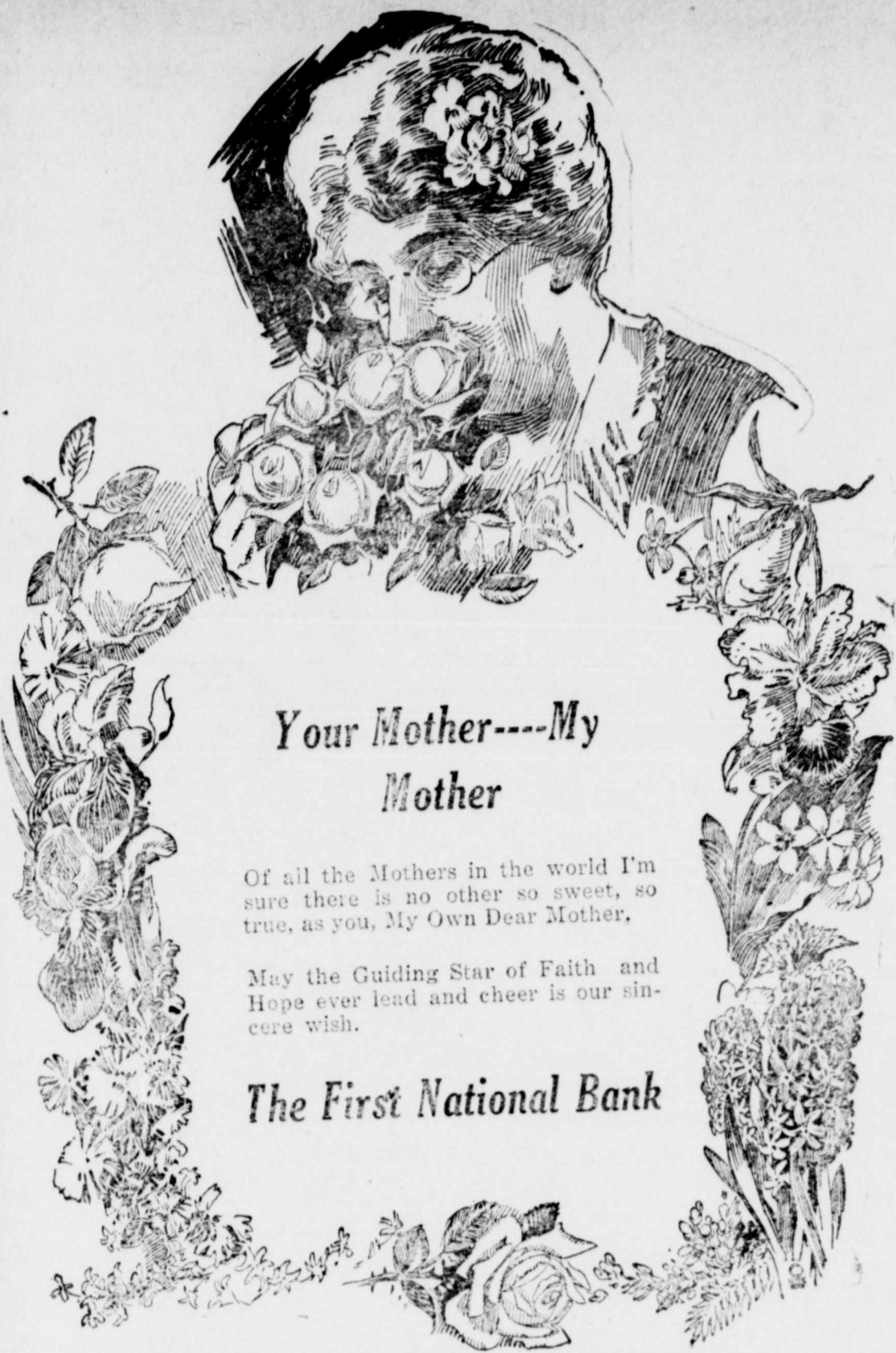
The Face and the Hat

With this dress a grosgrain ribbon hat in matching shades has been chosen. If the wearer's face

tends to be round, perhaps a hat with a brim might be better. The shape of the face should always decide the hat.

Some sports models this season are designed to fit the fuller figured woman also. An ensemble of cinnamon kasha has matching jacket and plaited skirt which begin on the frock below a fitted skirt yoke. The yoke, the swathed hipline, the circular skirt all compliment the fuller figured woman.

It really seems as if now, when practically all women have reduced to the slenderizing point, Dame Fashion has taken it into her head to make allowances for the natural fullness that comes with added years. However it may be, the "older woman" has come into her own again this season.



Your Mother---My Mother

Of all the Mothers in the world I'm sure there is no other so sweet, so true, as you, My Own Dear Mother.

May the Guiding Star of Faith and Hope ever lead and cheer is our sincere wish.

The First National Bank

Mrs. O. J. Duncan (nee Carrie Flynt), of McKinney, Texas, arrived in the city the first of the week for a visit with relatives and friends.



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Band Concert At School Auditorium Monday Night

Next Monday evening, May 9, at 8:30 o'clock the Junior Band, under the leadership of E. M. Shepperd, will make its initial appearance at the High School auditorium. There will be no admission charge of any kind and the public is cordially invited to attend this concert, when the following program will be rendered:

- America Emil Asher
- Auld Lang Syne Auld Lang Syne
- Clarinet duet, "Love and Flowers" Albert Keifer and Francis Smith
- Twilight Thought (Serenade) Arr. Ribble
- Cornet Solo, "Only a Year Ago," Abers
- Nearer My God To Thee S. E. Hunt
- Arr. Mason
- Saxophone Trio, "I'm Glad I Can Make You Cry," Briegel
- E. M. Shepperd, Mrs. E. M. Shepperd, Gladys Shepperd.
- Reading, "I'm Going Down In Texas" Mildred Spill
- Saxophone Octette (Nocturno) Asher
- Lura Lee Tinkle, Annie Lee Cobb, J. S. Tinkle, Ruth Woodrow, Newby Pratt, Morris Chapman, Burney Robertson, Ernest McNeill.
- Activity March Bennett
- Coronet Solo, "One Fleeting Hour" Bennett
- Mildred Shepperd
- Star Spangled Banner Key

Wm. A. Mitchell of Slaton is spending a few days in the city on business, arriving yesterday. When asked how he liked the plains country, Mr. Mitchell said he liked the people fine, but he had about all he wanted of their high winds and sand storms. He readily admitted that there was no country like the Winters country and we shouldn't be surprised to see him come on back home.

New A. & S. Official Here Yes'day

W. R. Lence, the new general manager of the Abilene & Southern railway, was in the city yesterday making an inspection of the newly acquired line and meeting with the local business men. Mr. Lence was accompanied by Morgan Jones.

The new official was on an inspection tour which will cover the entire line. Mr. Lence was met at the station by the writer and carried over the city and introduced to a few of our business men. He was very complimentary to Winters and after inspecting the new school building and other institutions of the town he stated that our people had a right to be proud of the progress being made here.

Mr. Lence stated "I am now on the Abilene & Southern railroad making an inspection of its physical property. Recognizing it as a public utility built to serve the communities through which it passes, it shays be my ambition to enlarge the sphere of its usefulness whenever possible to do so."

Messrs. Lence and Jones left shortly after noon for Ballinger.

County Agent Visits Dietz

C. W. Lehmbery, county agent of Rannels county visited the Dietz school April 28, finding a bunch of lively boys and girls ready for work. He immediately set to work and organized 22 of these youngsters in a real live 4-H club.

The following officers were elected by the members of the club. Allie Little, president; Sybil Stacy, secretary; Dan Blalack, vice-president; Stella Martin, reporter.

A membership committee was elected consisting of Aubrey Morrison, Netha Stovall, Cleo Morrison and Cody Stacy. Mrs. Stovall was elected leader of the local club. The club decided to meet on the second Monday in May (9th) for their first business session. At this time they will choose a name for the club.

Mr. Williams, president of the county board of trustees, was present, and a very welcome visitor. Watch the paper for the progress of the club.—Reporter.

Vacation is just around the corner.

Friendly Class Gives Shower To Member

The Presbyterian Sunday School class known as the Friendly class, taught by Mrs. Hal F. Smith, met again last Monday in its regular monthly business and social meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson.

The meeting was opened by the song "Others" followed by the scripture reading, 1 Cor., 10 chapter by the president, Mrs. C. T. Rives, and prayer led by Mrs. Johnson.

The business meeting was trans-

acted with one new officer elected and the revealing of "Pals."

A surprise shower was given Miss Haynes, one of the members who is moving away this week. The class is very sorry to give up Miss Haynes as she has been one of our faithful members and regular in attendance.

At the close of the meeting the hostess, Mrs. Johnson, served delightful refreshments of Angel food cake and salad topped with whipped cream to the following Mesdames C. T. Rives, W. H. Clift, John Dry, John Swatschue, R. L. Labenske, W. R. Gannaway, Wm. Parramore, Hal F. Smith, L. F. Wilson, V. Vanzandt, and Miss Haynes.—Reporter.

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Drasco Items

Bert Low and C. R. Robinson, secretary of the Winters Chamber of Commerce and Professor Smith, superintendent of the Winters schools, visited the Drasco school this week. Their talks were enjoyed very much.

Mrs. J. C. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander and children, Marguerite and Billy were in Winters this week.

S. H. Puckett loaded a car of fine maize in Winters this week.

Mrs. Ed Belew and daughter Mrs. Roy Blessings visited Mrs. L. C. Bibbs in Winters.

Mrs. Walter Smith visited the dentist in Winters.

The Womans' Missionary society of the Baptist church enjoyed a lesson in W. M. U. manual with Mrs. J. C. Watts as teacher Wednesday afternoon.

Prayer meeting at the Methodist church Wednesday night.

The King's Messenger Class and the Adult Mens' clas of the Baptist church are raising funds to put another partition in the church basement.

Mrs. Swain, mother of Mrs. Trotter, former resident of Drasco, died at the home of Mrs. Trotter at Moro Thursday. Interment in the Bluff Creek cemetery with services conducted by Reverend Allen of Shep. The floral offerings were beautiful. Mrs. Swain was a member of the Christian church. She wore a pleasant smile, though an invalid for years. Sincere sympathy is extended the bereaved.

Mr. Hood of Stamford is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. S. H. Puckett.

Mrs. Scroggins of Abilene has been visiting her brother, Mr. Henry Mitchell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Nix of Wingo visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Daniels Sunday.

Mrs. Kaufman of Shep is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Foster.

The Ladies club will meet with

Helps Save 18



Hector McNeil, 26-year-old cager at the Wise mine near Okmulgee, Okla., risked his life when he entered the flooded mine to warn and lead 18 miners to safety. The men were imprisoned after a swollen creek caused a cave-in of the mine roof.

Mrs. Zach West Monday afternoon.

The first Saturday in May there will be a cemetery working at Bluff creek, a few miles north of Drasco.

Rev. E. D. Dunlap of Abilene filled his appointment at the Baptist church Saturday night. Reverend King of Abilene preached at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

County Agent Lemberg visited the Drasco school recently.

Very sorry to report that Mrs. Ira Tandy is in a very serious condition and was taken to the Winters sanitarium Sunday.

The Raleigh salesman was in this community this week.

Frank Yates has returned to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Yates visited Mr. and Mrs. George Yates at Guion Sunday.

The Gulf of Mexico apparently is not the only gulf between the United States and Mexico.

Drasco 4-H Club

See Demonstration

Drasco club met on May 2 at the home of Mrs. J. J. West. Mrs. Lura Hallingsworth gave a demonstration on yeast bread using lemon bread for foundation. From this she made raisin rolls, plain rolls, cinnamon rolls, orange and nut rolls.

Recipe for making lemon bread:

1 cup sweet milk, 1 cup sugar, grated rind of 2 lemons, yolk of 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 to 6 cakes yeast, 3 or 4 cups flour.

Guests were Mesdames J. A. Iden, A. P. Currington, J. M. Hickson, H. E. White, Jim Eoff of Victory, T. A. Coffman, Shep, Fred McCasland of Bradshaw.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Viron Woods, May 16.—Reporter.

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| 4 lbs Raisins | 44 ^c |
| 3 lbs Figs | 38 ^c |
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BEGIN HERE TODAY
PAULINE MALLINGATE has been strangely absent from her home in London for 18 months. Her mother and sister, Lorna, have communicated with her through a forwarding address in Paris.

HENRY EMERSON, wealthy stepfather of the two girls, has now vanished mysteriously from a summer resort where he was staying with Lorna and her mother.

DR. JULIAN EMERSON, claiming to be related to the missing man, persuades Lorna and her mother to leave the resort with him, after telling Lorna that her stepfather had no right to marry her mother. Lorna, however, has told her mother that her husband was taken to London because of a sudden illness. Dr. Emerson has broken faith with the two women by taking them to a strange house in the country instead of to London as agreed. They are being held virtually prisoners in a strange country house near the metropolis.

GERALD CRAVEN, Lorna's lover, has joined forces with Mrs. Bertha Northwood, a mutual friend, in attempting to find some trace of the missing family.

Through revelations made to them by

ELLEN STOREY, a maid at "The Moat". Through her gossiping they have found a telegram sent by Mrs. Creswold. Gerald starts for London to hunt up an address in the telegram.

He meets Noel Shannon former buddy and aviator, and tells him the story of all that has happened. They are investigating two addresses given in the telegram. At a flat in the Old Kent Road they find a dope fiend and a trail that points to Paxton Common, some 20 miles from the metropolis. In discussing the situation Noel asks Gerald whether he knows if either Henry Emerson or his wife and stepdaughter left the resort in the family car.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"Well, now Noel, I really can't answer that! Of course, Mr. Emerson had a car, a Rolls Royce—a beautiful one, but whether Lorna and her mother traveled in that, I don't know.

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The flight from London was a short one. When they alighted at the aerodrome the two young men walked about.

They came upon the young man Shannon was looking for after a time.

His face lit up as he saluted Noel Shannon, but he could not stand very straight, and when he moved one saw that he was very much crippled.

"Well, Leonard, how's how?" asked Shannon.

The young man gave a little shrug of his shoulders.

"Pretty fair, sir," he answered, "I



"This is signed 'Emerson,' and undoubtedly he wants to go to The Moat."

don't complain. But I've got some news, sir—a lady over yonder," he nodded with his head in the direction of a scattering of houses which they had noticed in their flight. "She saw me the other day walking from my digging and spoke to me—and she were very kind."

"A lady down here? Well, she sounds a good sort! What kind of people are living around here?"

"Don't know much about no one, sir. Quiet sort of people—plenty of dubs I should say. They all keep their cars. You see it ain't a town its only a bit of a village, so they have to get their things from London."

And then the man called Leonard broke off suddenly in his speech. He was looking ahead, and he was staring hard.

"Say, see what's here. It's the first time I've seen that guy up here!"

"An Indian," said Noel Shannon swiftly. "He has been a soldier—at least he walks like one. What can he want?"

The man in eastern dress was advancing rapidly as if he knew exactly where he was going. And when he reached the group of three men he saluted and stood very erect. And then he held out a piece of paper.

"Can't speak English, I suppose," said Leonard.

It was Shannon who took the paper from the Indian's hand.

"This is nothing to do with me, you know," he said, and then he added: "He has evidently come on a message, and you had better pass it on Leonard."

There's the boss coming, sir," said Leonard eagerly. "I'll guess you'll know him."

As a matter of fact Noel Shannon at once recognized the advancing officer as a man he did know though they were mere acquaintances.

The newcomer took the piece of

paper after he had exchanged a few words with Noel Shannon and Craven.

"This is a queer request," he said as he glanced at the note. "We are asked if we can let the writer be taken by air to Yorkshire as soon as possible?"

"To Yorkshire!" Craven repeated quickly.

Noel Shannon gripped him by the arm, expressing caution.

"Is that an unusual request?" he asked.

The other man nodded his head.

"Yes, you see we don't do this sort of job. As you know this is practically nothing more than an instruction camp. Of course there is always accommodation for flying men, and we are perfectly ready to do any temporary repairs, but we don't convey passengers from here. I am afraid we cannot oblige this gentleman, although he says ask what charge we like."

As he spoke the officer was about to give back the note to the Indian and to refuse the request, when Shannon interrupted.

"I say, I've a mind to take on this job. I want all the money I can get to put forward the stunt I am going to do; anything that comes in handy like this would be useful."

"What's your machine?" asked the other man.

They went into a certain amount of technical detail. Then the head of the aerodrome nodded his head. "Well if you care to take it on, you can, but you had better tell them that you have nothing to do with this camp, that you are a freelance."

"Of course," said Shannon quickly.

At that moment the commander was summoned to answer the telephone, and as he went, he put the note into Shannon's hand.

"Come this way a minute, Jerry," Shannon said.

As they stood apart, he spoke under his breath very quietly.

"This is signed 'Emerson,' and undoubtedly he wants to go to the

Moat. Its a rare bit of luck, isn't it? Now, I'll take him there, and you remain here. Leonard will look after you, and if I am not very much mistaken I will be in easy reach of Miss Mallingate. But be careful Jerry! We are taking risks, as you know. I daresay this Indian can understand English, if he can not speak it, so don't open your mouth—leave everything to me."

Then he called Leonard to him.

"I want you to look after my friend, Mr. Craven," he said. "He will probably want to stay down here tonight; perhaps you can put him on the right road to get a room."

"Leave it to me, sir!" said Leonard and then he added: "I wish I could come up with you, sir! My heart it fair bursts to get up there now and then."

"I know—I know, Leonard. It is jolly hard lines." Then he added: "I am going to take on a job to go to Yorkshire and I particularly don't want Mr. Craven to be seen by my passenger. Can you keep him in the background until I have gone? I'll take my machine over yonder." He pointed to some fields in the distance. "It's a good place for taking off, I imagine."

As he turned away, he held out his hands to Craven, and the other young man gripped it.

"Keep up your tail, Jerry! I shall communicate with you as soon as I possibly can. In all probability I'll come back here tomorrow."

It was a queer experience for Gerald Craven to find himself as a lodger, if only for one night, in such a small and humble abode.

After supper Leonard and he sat by the open window that looked out on to the street. And they talked about the war, exchanging experiences, and the summer dusk gave way little by little to the coming of night. Quite close to them on the opposite side of the road was the inn Leonard has spoken about. It would be open until 10 o'clock, and there was a constant coming and going of men, and even of some women to the public bar. And all at once Leonard leaned forward.

"There goes our eastern gentleman!" he said. "Look sir, he's with that big rough looking fellow, and he 'pears as if he'd had a drop too much already! It won't do to be

seen reeling about this place, or he'll be locked up for sure."

Gerald followed the direction in which Leonard pointed, and his heart began to beat quickly. It certainly was the Indian servant, and with him was a rough looking man, a kind of bully. Instantly Craven's mind jumped to the conclusion that this must have been the man sent away from the Moat the morning before, and as swiftly he began to see in this an opportunity for making a personal inspection of the Mulberry House. He waited until he saw the Indian and the other man disappear into the public house, and then he got up.

"I think I'll take a little stroll," he said, and he put his seigaret case on the table by Leonard. "Help yourself whenever you feel inclined."

Leonard thanked him. He slipped out of the cottage without being observed by the landlady and then walked as quickly as possible away from the village in the direction of the Mulberry House.

He soon came upon it and then he realized how shut away it was from the outer world. It was evi-

dently a fairly big property, for the high wall which kept it hidden ran for some distance along the road and by the wide stretch of fields. It stood a little way apart from the other houses.

NEXT CHAPTER. Gerald finds Lorna at Mulberry House.

Miss Willie Perry, student of Texas Tech at Lubock, was a visitor here the first of the week.

Miss Leon Campbell spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Campbell. She had as her guest, Misses Vivian Kelly and Adelaide Hicks, students of Simmons University.

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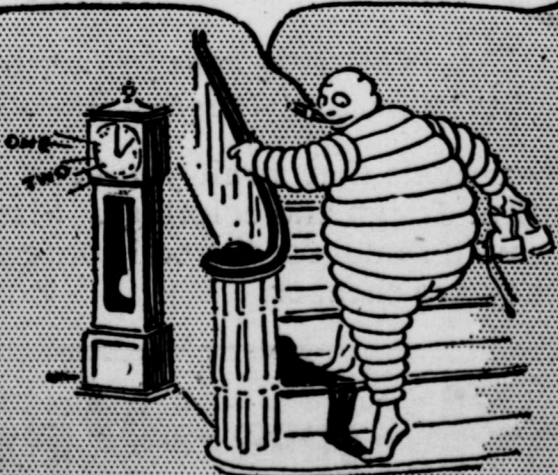
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We're not going to comment upon the ball playing ability of the Flivers, for to tell the truth we did not watch that part of the game very much; what interested us was the beautiful display of the new spring and summer millinery and feminine wearing apparel modeled by the Nance-Brown team. The circulars advertising the game stated that those not getting their money's worth may ask for it back, but after viewing the wonderful array of "lower extremities" (commonly called legs) displayed by the Flivers, no one had the nerve to ask for their money back.

The final score was Females 9, Flivers 3.

DIES AT HYLTON

Mrs. O. J. Swain, age 57 years, died at her home in Hylton April 28th, and was buried the following day in the Bluff Creek cemetery.

Mrs. E. Barton, who underwent an appendicitis operation in Abilene Tuesday morning, friends will be pleased to learn, is reported to be doing nicely.

Mesdames J. M. Skaggs, J. W. Dixon, C. S. Jackson and G. E. Nicholson attended the district meeting

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Save all your skim milk, for some day it may come in handy for a new dress. Miss Edythe Casselman, pictured here, is wearing a dress made entirely of milk, the silk, buttons and other articles of her attire being made from casein, a by-product of skim milk. The gown was shown at a recent Los Angeles dairy products exposition.

of the Woman's Federated clubs at Ozona which convened May 3, 4 and 5.

Frank Flynt Now At Winters Motor

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Frank has many friends here who are glad to know that he has returned to Winters to make his home and be connected with the local Chevrolet dealers.

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Miss Faye Woodrow and guest, Mrs. T. E. Maxon of Memphis, Tenn., visited Mesdames J. W. Boehme and Herbert West at San Angelo a few days the last of the week.

Mrs. Mary Ella Bradley, student in Simmons at Abilene, spent the week end at home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Seagler left Tuesday for a two weeks vacation which they will spend traveling in South Texas.

If you want your business to succeed, mix a little printers ink with it.

The Chinese seem to be a pretty well-Red nation.

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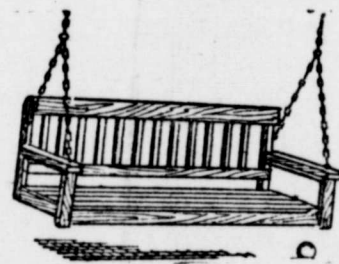
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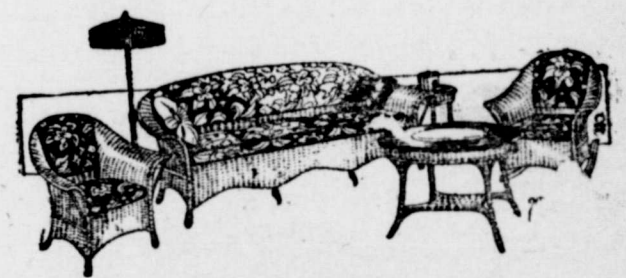
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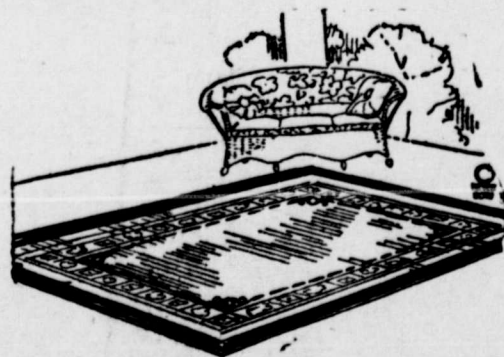


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