

# Sweetwater Daily Reporter

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## ODD FELLOWS IN CONVENTION HERE

Approximately 200 Delegates and Members Gather For Annual Meeting—More Coming Tonight.

### WELCOMED BY LOCAL MEMBERS

J. P. Majors and Miss Minnie Fowler Give Welcoming Addresses—Supper At The City Lake Tonight.

Approximately two hundred delegates and members of the West Texas I. O. O. F. Association, composed of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs gathered here today for the opening of the annual convention of the body.

The organization was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning in open session at the Court House auditorium, Brother J. C. Moore offering the opening prayer.

J. P. Majors of Sweetwater welcomed the visitors and delegates of the association to Sweetwater in a short address, which was responded to by J. D. Sherwin of Colorado. A welcoming address to the visiting Rebekahs was given by Miss Minnie Fowler of Sweetwater and the response to the welcome was given by Mrs. J. T. Fulkerson of Colorado.

The meeting adjourned promptly at 12 o'clock and re-convened at 1:30. A short musical program opened the way to the business session, when various committees reported and writing reports were read by the secretary, under the direction of W. A. Prescott of Big Spring. The presentation of credentials occupied some time during the afternoon.

Following the presentation of the credentials of the various members and delegates, the open session closed at 4 o'clock.

Contests on the Past Grand Charges and Subordinate Lodge Unwritten work was scheduled from 4 to 6 o'clock this afternoon.

The delegates and visitors will be entertained with a supper at the City Lake from 6 to 8 o'clock this evening. Free transportation given to Odd Fellows and their families. Contests in initiatory degree work will be held at the I. O. O. F. hall at 8 o'clock tonight.

The following members and delegates from nearby:

Several more delegates, chiefly Rebekahs are expected in from the East on the Sunshine Special tonight. Representatives from towns as far east as Baird were scheduled to arrive, in time for the contest work in the Rebekah lodge, which will be held at 8 o'clock Thursday night.

The following members and delegates had registered at 2 o'clock this afternoon: Colorado—J. D. Sherwin, Mrs. J. T. Fulkerson, Mrs. J. M. Calaway, Mrs. Nellie Schider, Mrs. Nellie Delaney, Mrs. Clara Smith, Mrs. J. F. Mommis, G. E. Quinney, J. N. Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cooper and W. C. Harris.

Big Springs—Allen, W. C. Harris, Clyde—W. A. Bauch.

Merkel—C. P. Simmons and W. E. Adams.

Palava—T. A. Lee.

Hamlin—J. D. Martin, Hermeligh—D. W. Ponder, J. W. Adams, W. A. Cammon, D. J. Nelmyer, W. B. Thrash, and W. A. Bowen.

Lorraine—Mrs. J. D. Ledbetter, Mrs. C. H. Manly, Mrs. A. Phillips, Miss Nella Pearl Clement and Alonso Phillips.

Ablene—J. J. Allen and Byron—J. L. Patterson, J. V. Timmons and W. A. Hess.

## ROTARIANS' CONVENTION.

By The United Press. GALVESTON, Aug. 9.—Officials of the Texas Rotary Club for the most part presidents and secretaries, will gather here September 6 and 7th for their annual convention, according to information received from John V. Ringleton, District Rotary Governor.

Between 150 and 200 Rotarians are expected to be present. Galveston Rotarians are making plans to entertain the visitors in a royal style. Galveston was selected as a meeting place from a number of Texas cities.

## CIRCLE DEPUTIES WON TRIP

On the front cover of the August number of "Glad Tidings," Woodmen Circle Magazine, will be found a group picture of State and District Managers who won trips to Omaha by winning the largest amount of Circle Life Insurance in their respective districts. Among those who won in Texas were Tessie Goldstickler of Stamford, the popular Deputy of this District and Mrs. Whitten of Brownwood, who visited the local circle last month with Mrs. Goldstickler. The two deputies made the trip together and told all about the Omaha meeting when they were here.

## HARDING MAN WINS

By United Press. COLUMBUS, O. Aug. 9.—Carmel A. Thompson, Harding administration candidate was nominated Republican candidate for governor in yesterday's primary, with 69,000 votes over Congressman C. L. Ketch, his nearest opponent. Vic Donhey received more than 12,000 votes over both opponents T. J. Duffy and Judge James Johnson, democratic candidates for governor.

## THE COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Op'ng	High	Low	Close	Close	
Oct.	20.10	20.64	20.09	20.18	20.08
Dec.	20.15	20.52	20.05	20.18	20.15

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Op'ng	High	Low	Close	Close	
Oct.	19.65	20.10	19.60	19.81	19.67
Dec.	19.63	19.10	19.61	19.76	19.63

SPOT COTTON, MIDDLING BASIS

Today's	Yest's	
Close	Close	
New York	20.45	20.55
New Orleans	20.50	20.10
Dallas	20.10	20.10
Galveston	20.70	20.70
Sweetwater	19.50	19.50

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Today's	Yest's	
Close	Close	
Wheat—		
Sept.	1.05	1.06
Oct.	1.05	1.06
Corn—		
Sept.	.58	.60
Oct.	.55	.56
Oats—		
Sept.	.33	.32
Oct.	.34	.35

## WILNOT NOMINATED

By The United Press. FT. WORTH, Aug. 9.—Dr. E. P. Wilnot, of Austin National Bank, was nominated today as republican senatorial candidate from Texas, according to Eugene Nolte, chairman of the Republican nominating committee.

## DIVIDE AGAIN

Branches And Swatters Split Another Double-Header At San Angelo 3-9; 4-3.

Special to the Reporter. SAN ANGELO, Aug. 9.—Slamming had very ragged support tonight, the offerings of Earl Fiehart, the big Swatter right-hander, who had very rotten support, San Angelo copped the first half of Tuesday's double-header by a score of 9 to 3. The Broncs lost the second game of the double-header which was played in seven innings by an agreement, by a score of 4 to 3.

The opener of the afternoon spasm was a farcial in every sense of the word, with big Fieharty furnishing most of the fun, but the second tilt was termed a pitchers' battle in which Charlie Gressett shaded Ray. The Swatter tosser contributed a homer, and a two-bagger in three times to help Dean's wild throw to Scoggins in the 6th inning, trying to force Bupp, who had singled, let in the deciding run.

Seiser, a new Swatter player, who worked at first base in the first game, and who played center field in the second, made one of the most sensational catches ever seen in the local park when he speared Alexander's drive, which was labelled for extra bases, with one hand and he ran into the right-center field fence. Both contests were reeled off in fast time before a handful of spectators, the first game being played in one hour and 31 minutes and the second in one hour and 6 minutes. Another double bill will be played today which concluded the series and will be Sweetwater's farewell appearance here this season. The San Angelo Branches will take to the road following today's game.

Score by innings:— R. H. E.

Sweetwater	100	100	010	3	9	4
San Angelo	001	213	113	9	10	1

Summary: 2 base hits G. Robinson, Cliffborne, Greer; sacrifice hits Klindworth, Alexander; double plays Shell to Clairborne to Siasier, Clairborne to Siasier; struck out by Muns 5; hit by pitched ball Clairborne; wild pitch Fiehart; passed balls Pipkin Klindworth, stolen bases Robinson, Scoggins and Dean; left on bases Sweetwater 7, San Angelo 4; time of game 1:31; umpire, Meek.

## BOX SCORE SECOND GAME.

Sweetwater	A. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Seiser, cf.	4 0 0 1 1 0
Shell, 3b.	3 0 2 2 0
Bupp, ss.	3 2 2 0 3 0
G. Robinson, lf.	3 1 2 3 0 1
Pipkin, lb.	3 0 11 1 0
Clairborne, 2b.	2 0 0 2 3 0
Hayes, rf.	3 0 1 1 0 0
Trammell, c.	3 0 1 1 0 0
Gressett, p.	3 1 2 0 1 0

Totals

San Angelo	27	4	6	21	12	1
McBride, lf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Alexander, lb.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Butler, cf.	3	2	2	2	0	0
L. Robinson, rf.	3	2	1	0	0	0
Scoggins, 2b.	2	0	0	2	1	0
Greer, 3b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Dean, ss.	3	0	1	1	1	1
Robertson, c.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Ray, p.	2	0	0	1	0	0

Summary: 2 base hits G. Robinson, Gressett; home run Gressett; sacrifice hits Clairborne, Scoggins; struck out by Ray 5, Gressett 1; wild pitch Ray; left on bases Sweetwater 3, San Angelo 2; time of game 1:04; umpire, Meek.

## WILL REDUCE ALL TAXES ON ORIENT

Counties North Of Sweetwater Have Agreed To This Action—Road Is Unable To Pay

### TRYING TO KEEP ROAD MOVING

Texas Chamber Of Commerce In Session Recommends It With Other Relief.

According to the Dallas News, a meeting of the Texas Chamber of Commerce held at Austin yesterday, passed resolutions endorsing that all taxes for the Orient be remitted for a period of five years and that other items of relief, such as special differentials in rates, no absorption of switching charges, and be relieved of all per diem charges.

J. M. Rutherford, traveling freight and passenger representative of the Orient, is in Sweetwater in the interest of having Nolan County and Sweetwater reduced assessments on the line. All counties north of Nolan with the exception of Fisher, and Jones County, have agreed to do this and Mr. Rutherford is to appear before the commissioners of these counties this week. The city of Hamlin, in Jones County, has already agreed to this with school taxes, so has Pecos County and Fort Stockton.

In San Angelo, a committee of prominent citizens were appointed and included W. C. Blanks, Judge Harris and others. This committee will not only appear before the Tom Green County Commissioners, but will also appeal to the Counties west to remit Orient taxes, accompanying Mr. Rutherford to the Commissioners Courts of the counties.

The condition of the Orient financially is such that the road is in no condition to pay these taxes, it is pointed out, and this action will be a form of contribution that counties can make to help it continue operation. The importance of the Orient is such that officials will not hesitate to take this action, he says so as other counties action. The more so as other counties.

### Special to the Reporter.

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 9.—The great hope of saving the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad from suspension is in differential rail rates to the Gulf, Clyde M. Reed, chairman of the Kansas Public Utilities Commission, declared here on his return from a five-day inspection trip of the Orient lines with officials of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Oklahoma and Texas commissions.

Such a differential, Chairman Reed said, would divert considerable grain traffic to the Orient.

Chairman Reed announced he would recommend to the State Tax Commission that the valuation of the Orient properties in Kansas be reduced to about \$100 a mile if possible under the present tax laws. A similar reduction has been agreed upon by the Texas counties traversed by the Orient.

"We pointed out to the Texas communities that the sole purpose of the railroad now is to continue in operation, that there is no investors' interest whatever," Reed said. "We found the Texas people along the route intensely interested in keeping the road going."

Some of the charges of poor management were shown to be groundless, Reed said, "but the full results of the present survey will not be known for some time."

Mrs. K. M. Hodges has gone to Colorado to spend the remainder of August visiting the famous beauty spots of that famous section.

## "BIG FOUR" WALKS OUT UP IN ILLINOIS

Over 1,300 Go Out On Elgin, Joliet And Eastern Railroad—Protest Guards.

### STONE SOUNDS WARNING SIGNAL

Condition As Serious In Fifty Other Places—Dallas Liable To Go Out Soon.

By The United Press. CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—More than 1300 members of the Big Four Brotherhood on the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern railroad at Joliet were on strike today in protest against the presence of troops who are guarding the right of way.

The walkout included engineers, firemen, conductors, trainmen. The switchmen are expected to join later.

### STONE WARNS PUBLIC

CLEVELAND, Aug. 9.—Warren S. Stone, president of the Locomotive Engineers Union, today sounded a warning that "conditions are as serious in fifty other places," when he was informed that members of the brotherhood employed on the Joliet, Elgin and Eastern had walked out.

### MAY GO OUT IN TEXAS

By The United Press. DALLAS, Aug. 9.—Members of the Big Four Brotherhood in Dallas are likely to go out in a sympathy strike soon, it was learned today, following a meeting held last night at the Labor Temple.

### KLAN WINS ARKANSAS

By The United Press. LITTLE ROCK, Aug. 8.—Governor T. C. McRae is leading Judge E. P. Toney by a three to one vote for the Democratic nomination for Governor in the face of partial returns today. McRae was considered a Klux candidate, while Toney represented the anti-klan faction. Returns from half of the vote precincts early this morning show McRae leading eight to one.

### ARIZONA STORMY SESSION.

Mexican Congress To Convene—Parties To Fight For Control.

By The United Press. MEXICO CITY, Aug. 9.—Indications here are that the opening of the new Mexican congress will be a stormy one. Duplicate credentials have been issued in many states and reports are that nearly half of the members of the Chamber of Deputies will have to fight for their seats.

Reports have even gone so far as to predict the establishment of two congresses, unless matters are straightened out before the formal opening on September.

### WILL BUILD GAS LINE.

DALLAS, Aug. 9.—A twelve inch gas line twenty-five miles long is under construction by the Lone Star Gas Company from Dixie Junction, Okla., to the Robertson field to supplement the gas supply on the line of that company. The cost of the new line will be in the neighborhood of approximately \$200,000.

## CONFERENCE FAILS

By The United Press. INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 9.—Failure of the Cleveland conference to end the coal strike will result in a call for an interstate meeting of the union chiefs and operators with the governors of six coal producing states, Governor McCray announced.

## PLANS BARBECUE

Boys Of The City To Be Luncheon Club Guests August 24—To Be Entertained.

Plans for the Barbecue for boys of the city will be the main item of business before the Luncheon Club at its regular session at the Hotel Wright Thursday.

This barbecue, at which all boys will be guests of the Luncheon Club and at which members of the club itself will be present as hosts, is one of the most important tasks of the many good things the Club has ever undertaken. At the barbecue, the organization of several troops of Boy Scouts who are interested in the welfare of said boys, and citizens generally who are interested in the welfare of the city, will be present.

Mrs. Carl Ragland will sing and Miss Mary Douthitt will play, sufficient assurance of the entertainment feature.

A large attendance is expected.

## WILL INSPECT GUARD

Texas National Guard At Camp Mabury, 3,000 Strong—Will Be Reviewed By Neff This Week.

By The United Press. AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 9.—The entire strength of the Texas National Guard attending the annual encampment at Camp Mabury here, over 3,000 strong, will pass in review before Governor James Hines, commander of eighth army corps area, some time this week, it has been announced here.

The review will be the crowning event of the encampment and it is expected that visitors from all over the state will be here to witness it. National guardsmen are being instructed in every phase of modern warfare. Schools of chemical war fare, for the use of poison gas, have been established.

The physical condition of the guardsmen is receiving particular attention. Few cases of sickness have been reported since the opening of the encampment.

### REVIVAL CONTINUES

Largest Crowd Of Services At First Christian Church

One of the largest crowds of the meeting was present last night and heard Mr. McKissick in his lecture on church history. The speaker traced the history of the church according to the best light of history but admitted that the records were dim and indistinct during the ages past.

Mr. Haley drew a sketch of the Sea of Galilee and sang "Sweet Galilee." The subject for this evening will be "Onesence Blessed." Mr. Haley directs the music and gives the chalk sketches. His work has called forth much kindly comment.

### EX-SERVICE MAN HERE

Sgt. J. C. Portivent, whose father lives at Pecos is here visiting his grandmother, Mrs. E. V. Grogan and aunt Mrs. Manse Wood. Mr. Portivent has just received his honorable discharge from service in the U. S. Army for the past three years. He saw service in France during the latter half of the World War and received his discharge. He has been spending some time in the Philippine Islands and will return there when he re-enters the service about the middle of September.

Sgt. Portivent is the son of Mrs. Grogan's oldest daughter, who will be remembered by many of the older Sweetwater people as Miss Minnie Grogan. She was accidentally killed near her home at Pecos about four years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Q. Daniels and daughter, Miss Doris and son, E. Q. Jr., returned Monday from a months auto trip to Colorado.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Jackson left Monday for Fort Worth where they will both enter South western Theological Seminary in September. Rev. Jackson has been pastor of Lamar St. Baptist Church since Oct. 1920 and many saw him resign with regret.

Mrs. C. E. Halle entertained a party of young people Monday evening very pleasantly at her home on Cedar Street. The young folks had planned a swimming party at Santa Fe Lake, but the threatening clouds caused the crowd to decide a forty two party indoors would be more enjoyable.

## MAKE PLANS FOR SCOUT BARBECUE

Approximately 125 Boys Have Signed Up For Entertainment At The City Lake August 24th.

### FUND IS NOW HALF COLLECTED

Active Collection To Start—Committees Are Appointed For The Various Phases Of Work.

A general discussion of plans and the appointment of several committees to crystallize the proposed barbecue and entertainment for the Boy Scouts and boys between 10 and 16 years old at the City Lake August 24, constituted the main features of the meeting of Executive Committee at the Mayor's office Wednesday night.

This event is being held for the purpose of encouraging the boys along the lines of great work. It is being promoted under the auspices of the Sweetwater Luncheon Club and E. C. Brand, acting commissary, has succeeded in raising approximately \$200, which is estimated to be about half the amount necessary to put the affair over in correct style.

Approximately one hundred and twenty-five boys have signed up for the dinner, according to Mr. Brand and several have written in from Colorado Snyder and other places, asking for information concerning the occasion and desiring to become eligible. The great question before the committee at present is to determine the strength of the membership of the Scout organizations in the nearby towns with a view in mind of having them in Sweetwater as guests upon that day. Mr. Brand will get in communication with the Scout Masters in the various towns and determine in a short time the number of out-of-town guests that may be counted upon.

In order to more accurately estimate the crowd for the occasion, it has been decided that the attendance at the barbecue on August 24 will be restricted to the following groups: Luncheon Club, Boy Scouts, boys between 10 and 16 years old who are not Scouts and who have registered with Mr. Brand, and the members of the local American Legion post, who have done much to promote the Scout idea in Sweetwater.

Committees were appointed to serve for various purposes in distributing the work of arranging the barbecue. Mr. Brand stated that as yet the barbecue fund and necessary funds for other incidentals was short, but that he had not been actively soliciting contributions, getting the greater part of the amount collected from visitors at the bank and through the donations at the Luncheon Club. Mr. Brand was instructed to make a selection of two helpers, one from each of the other two local banks who should co-operate with him in collecting the necessary amount.

Will Wade was appointed by the committee, which was presided over by D. A. Clark in the absence of Joe Boothe, as purchasing agent and empowered him to select a helper. Mr. Wade will superintend the buying of all supplies in his line and will furnish the material at cost which will result in a considerable saving to the Committee.

A program committee, composed of the Reverend E. H. McLaurin, representing the American Legion, J. A. McCurdy, the Board of City Development and Arnold Dressler, the Boy Scouts, was appointed for the purpose of working up entertainment stunts and a short program for the day.

The Grounds Committee composed of J. H. Snell, Paul Sorenson and Walter Boothe will attend to the location of the barbecue and take care of the erection of tables, benches, etc. Buck Johnson was appointed marshal of the Day.

Rufus Wright and John Millspaw were named as a committee to oversee the occasion with power to draft helpers necessary to put the cats in a favorable location. Further developments will be forthcoming as the committees get in their good work. Their progress will probably be reported upon at the next meeting of the Luncheon Club Thursday.

"It is essential that each member of the committees appointed and all members of the Luncheon Club make himself a committee of one to see that this affair is the best of its kind. If one man shirks his duty it will cause a hitch in the plans," said Mr. Clark.

### DEAD MAN DEFEATED

By The United Press. NASHVILLE, Aug. 9.—Lemuel Padgett, democratic candidate for Congress, who died on the eve of the Tennessee primary has been defeated by 16 votes.

### STEAMER WRECKED

By The United Press. HALIFAX, Aug. 9.—The light cruiser, Raleigh, flagship of the British Atlantic squadron, was totally wrecked when it struck a rock in the straits of Belle Isle during a fog. All of the crew were saved.

The Elk's Dance and Reception at their Club home last night has been reported to be a great social success. Visitors were here from Snyder and Colorado. Music was furnished by the Manville Brothers Show Co. Orchestra.

## Odd Fellow's Program Thursday

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10TH, 1922.

Call to order at 9 A. M. by the President.

Song.

Prayer by Bro. J. C. Moore.

Regular order of business.

Reading Little Miss Frankie Elliott

Address on Oddfellowship by Bro. Doak, Pastor M. E. Church.

Song.

Election of Officers.

Music.

Adjournment.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Call to order at 1:30 P. M. by the President.

Song.

Address on the W. and O. Home by Bro. Mauzey.

Music.

Report of committees.

General Discussions.

Installation of Officers.

Selecting the next place of meeting.

Awarding of prizes.

Song.

Adjournment.

S. P. M. Contest by Degree Staffs in the Rebekah Degree, also in the Past-Grand and Chaplain's Charges, also the Unwritten work.

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**THE FIFTH COMMANDMENT**  
Honor thy father and thy mother; that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.—Exodus 20: 12.

**WELCOME I. O. O. F.**  
The city of Sweetwater is glad indeed to welcome members of the Odd Fellows to their convention in this city. As guests of the city we want them to feel at home here, to feel free to avail themselves of any of the facilities and privileges Sweetwater affords, fully and freely.

The city is honored by your presence, Odd Fellows and Rebekahs! For no fraternal organization stands higher in public esteem than yours. The high principles that you advocate and so consistently practice make of the I. O. O. F. exceptionally desirable guests.

Come Back!

**BARBECUE FOR BOYS**  
The barbecue planned for the boys of this community which is planned for the last Thursday in August, is the first step in the organization of several Boy Scout Troops in Sweetwater and is the most forward step men of this community have taken in some time. Adequate education of the boys not only means a better citizenship in the future, but strange as it may seem this work among the boys will also result in great benefit for the men of this community who undertake it. For the more one does for the other fellow, and especially for the boys, or young folks, the more it benefits oneself.

**CLASSIFIED ADS**  
**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—Nice 5-room house, modern conveniences, garage and cow lot. See Gus Farrar, Telephone 73. 158tc

FOR RENT—Two five-room apartments on paved street, all modern conveniences, phone 24. 100 tlc

WANTED TO RENT—Two unfurnished rooms in north part of city. Phone 46. 159tf

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

WANTED—To store new piano with reliable party with view of purchase. Address C. H. care Reporter. 157tfd

FOR SALE—On easy terms or trade for city property, 160 acres with 75 acres of growing crops. Balance in front. Three surface tanks full of water. Improvements fair. Address Rufus Wright, Sweetwater, Texas. 117tf

WANTED—To hear from some one who has a good cow they'd like to have taken care of for its feed. Good barn and plenty of water. Phone 46. x

WILL BUY Vendors Lien notes for local clients on acceptable security. No delay. T. Vard Woodruff. 136lm

FOR BLUE BUGS and all blood sucking insects on Poultry simply feed "Martins Blue Bug Remedy" to your chickens Kill Bugs in home and hen house with "Martins Liquid Bug Spray" money back guaranteed by Sweetwater Drug Co. 143 1 mo

Competent Stenographer desires permanent position. Salary reasonable. Miss C. Vaughan, care Reporter 160t

BOOKS FOR SALE—At a bargain full sets of Dr. McClaren's Exposition of the Scriptures, Mark Twain, James Whitcomb Riley. Comparatively new. Call 35. 158 tld

**NOTICE**  
The Sweetwater Real Estate Exchange has real bargains in farms, ranches houses and residences. Because they charge no commission. Come and see and get our plan. First floor east of Nolan Hotel. 162 tld

FOUND—Pair of spectacles, on the streets. They are in gold plated frames and came from P. T. Quast's. Owner may have same by paying for this. 143 2td

FOUND—Watch, owner prove property and pay for advertising. Telephone 521. 161 2td

FOR SALE—New Fords, Used Buick at Dodge Service Station, W. M. 161 6tdp

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 500 Locust. Telephone 516. 162 7tdp

WANTED—Light housekeeping rooms Convenient. Call 158. 163 2tdp

**RAID REVEL HOTEL**  
Sheriff Bardwell and Deputy Willis Barbee raided the Hotel Revel and T. J. Caldwell is being held under \$200 bond on a charge of running a disorderly house. Mammie Hunter, an inmate, paid a fine in justice court on a charge of vagrancy. Officers have had this hotel under observation for some time and have staged repeated raids. This time they say, securing sufficient evidence upon which to base charges.

**STRANGE WEDDING**  
The herbiboned and tagged automobile in which they were to start on their honeymoon journey was sent away without them. He took her to his home—and there they spent their honeymoon with the specter of tragedy hovering over them at every moment.

It was a house divided; love had flown ere the wedding bells had ceased ringing. There were no lover's kisses; no endearing words—only suspicion and distrust.

For on their wedding night the husband had made a discovery which had

shattered his dreams—the discovery that his bride had a son. He kept the world in ignorance by adopting the boy and taking him to his home, but there was a purpose for it.

So the man laid his plans. He invited others to his home, including his bride's former sweethearts, and watched them surreptitiously. He was trying to find one whom he swore to kill—and he left no stone unturned in his search for that one.

Came the day when he was sure, and his revolver barked. But suddenly came enlightenment. He had shot the wrong man. The man he was seeking was—

This, in part, is the story of "The Child Thou Gavest Me," which will be run a two day run at the Queen Theatre Thursday. It would be unfair to tell the ending of the plot—one of the most unusual and extraordinary ever seen on the screen.

**RETURNED FROM OUTING**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lagow and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams and daughter, Cecil Biggs and Ward Yeager of Dallas have returned from a most delightful fishing and camping trip, south of Christoval, on the Concho River. They report lots of fine fish, good swimming and a delightfully shady spot for camps.

**WELCOME**  
**Odd Fellows and Rebekahs**  
are in Sweetwater. Glad to see members of the Three Links, this time, or any time.  
Make this store your headquarters while you are in Sweetwater

**Cowen & Tidwell**  
"Where The Price Is Right"

**WELCOME ODD FELLOWS**



**What Kind of A Washing Machine Have You In Your Home?**  
**THE NEW AUTOMATIC WITH COPPER TUB IS BEST**

**West Texas Electric Co.**

**Visiting Odd Fellows and Rebekahs—**  
are welcome at this store. Make use of our organization in anyway that you see fit. Lots of Free Ice Water for you and other conveniences. Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are welcome at this store any time

**SAVE YOUR SALES TICKETS**

**Sweetwater Dry Goods Co.**  
**THE PRICE IS THE THING**

**THE PRINCIPLES OF THE**  
**Knights**  
**OF THE**  
**Ku KLUX Klan**

**WILL BE THE SUBJECT OF AN ADDRESS BY**  
**W. A. HAMLETT, D. D.**  
**ON SOUTH SIDE OF SQUARE**  
**SWEETWATER, TEXAS**  
**ON THE NIGHT OF AUGUST 10, 1922, 8:15 O'CLOCK.**  
**THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED**  
**ESPECIALLY WOMEN AND CHILDREN**

**Greeting I. O. O. F.**

The Wright Furniture Company extends to the visiting Odd Fellows as well as to the members of that organization who live in Sweetwater, cordial greetings and esteem.

**"Fine Furniture"**

**WELCOME ODD FELLOWS**

**The S. D. Myres Saddle Shop**

takes this means of expressing is cordial and sincere welcome to the Odd Fellows who are visiting Sweetwater and the esteem with which it holds the principles of Odd Fellowship.


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To an audience that came near to filling every available seat at the Manville Bros. big tent theatre last evening, "The Brand of Love," presented by this excellent company met with solid satisfaction. The Brand of Love was not a long, tiresome love story, but it was filled with a Western atmosphere of love that meant more than the 1922 love. The wife in the play was "branded" all right, for her husband didn't do nothing else but put his brand upon her right shoulder with the same kind of a branding iron that is used out on the Dulaney, Booth, Childress and other ranches near to Sweetwater. This brand would not wash off and naturally the husband in the case had a brand upon his who that made her finally come to her senses. Although she went a little wild up in New York City, and became familiar with another man, and her hus-

band returned to his ranch, she grew lonesome for him and in the last act the wife had returned to the Western country to her husband and to his big ranch where she and he were reunited with a new brand of love that brought to a close a splendid drama. The play throughout contained a fine stream of rushing comedy that kept the big audience in high spirits. New vaudeville numbers were given that were good and up-to-date, and last but not least, that wonderful mysterious mind-reader and prophet, "Zella," gave some big surprises by answering lots of good, common-sense questions, together with some silly questions.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Whitworth returned Sunday night from an extended visit with relatives at Mason, Austin, Smithville and other points.

Ward Yeager left for his home at Dallas last night following a weeks vacation visit here with the family of his father-in-law, J. H. R. Lagow.

Mrs. N. E. Hatcher, the mother of A. Hatcher from Breckenridge will remain at the home of her son and care for his children.

Mrs. Frank Wallis has gone to Abilene to visit her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson are the happy parents of a son, born Sunday.

The 1922 Bridge Club has followed the example of the other clubs of the city and declared a vacation for August.

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From a baseball standpoint, there is something technically wrong with the plays and figures featured in each of these cartoons. Can you guess what it is?

Sit down and try to figure it out today. Write the number of each cartoon as it is numbered here on a separate sheet of paper. Then, after each number, write what you think the corresponding answer should be.

All answers should be sent to the "Baseball Contest Editor" of The Reporter not later than Saturday, August 12 at 12 o'clock. Winners will be announced. So get busy and try your luck.

A pass good for every game the rest of the season will be given to the person sending in the first entirely correct list; \$2.50 in cash will be given to the second person; a pass good for each game of the Clovis-Sweetwater series Aug. 13, 14, 15, 16 is the third prize; and a pass good for any one game will be fourth prize.

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**NEGRO HOME BURNS**  
The Fire department answered a call early this afternoon in the vicinity of the Grogan Wells sanatorium. A small house belonging to Dr. A. W. Caniff, occupied by Buck Dunn, negro, was destroyed, the occupants losing the major part of their possessions. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Miss Myra Germany and brother, E. B. Germany of Grand Saline and Miss Francis Miller of Mineral Wells were guests of Wanda and Wilda Drago on Bowie Street last week and left Monday morning for Midland where they will visit a week or more before returning home.

**FOR SCHOOL BENEFIT**  
A box supper is being held tonight at the Cottonwood School for the benefit of the school. A large attendance is expected.

Mrs. John Hubbard and Mrs. Mose Newman were joint hostesses this morning at a Bridge Party at the home of Mrs. Newman given complimentary to Mrs. George Couley, a recent June bride.

**BASEBALL RESULTS**

Yesterday's Games.

**WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.**

Lubbock 11; Abilene 4.  
San Angelo 9.3; Sweetwater 3.4.  
Amarillo 8; Orphans 5.  
Clovis 6; Ranger 0.

**TEXAS LEAGUE**

Dallas 6; Fort Worth 5.  
Houston 2; San Antonio 7.  
Galveston 7; Beaumont 5.  
Wichita Falls 12.6; Shreveport 4.1.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

Chicago 6; Philadelphia 4.  
Cleveland 6; Boston 15.  
Detroit 3; New York 1.  
St. Louis 1; Washington 3.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

Baton St. Louis, wet grounds.  
New York 7; Cincinnati 7.  
Brooklyn 1; Chicago 4.  
Philadelphia 8; Pittsburgh 19.  
Pittsburgh 7; Philadelphia 3.

**CLUB YEAR OPENS SEPT 15**

The Year Book and Study Course committee of the Self Culture Club have about finished their work. The Club year will open with an evening of music at the home of Mrs. Rufus Wright, Friday, September 15.

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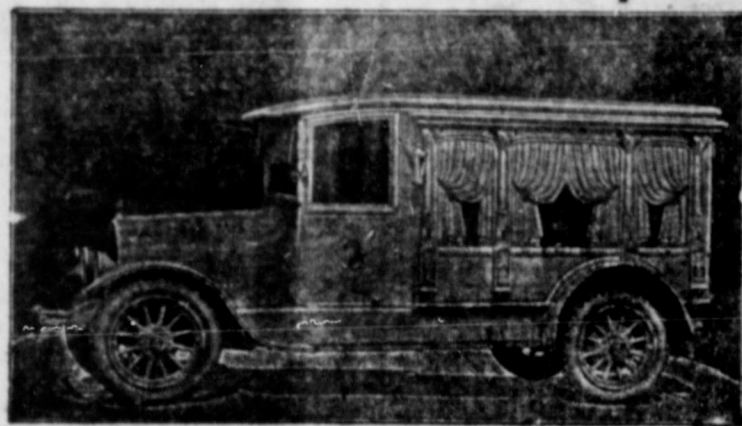
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