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RECOGNITION IS GIVEN OREGON

Government Mexico Formally Recognized by U. S. Government in Statement Issued Today

ENDS LONG PERIOD TURMOIL

Diaz Dethroned in 1910 And Long Series of Changes and Dictators Ensnared With Revolutions

By The United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The American and Mexican governments announced today at noon the resumption of diplomatic relations between them. An identical note was issued at noon, stating that "the two governments had decided to resume diplomatic relations."

Recognition of the Oregon government by the United States will bring to at least a temporary end a long period of turmoil in Mexico and of constant difficulties between this country and the republic below the Rio Grande.

Serious political difficulties began to manifest themselves in Mexico during the year 1910. Francisco I. Madero launched a campaign against the reelection of President Diaz, claiming that the policy of allowing a President to offer himself for reelection was detrimental to the best interest of the country.

President Diaz imprisoned Madero, but the latter through the influence of his family, one of the largest and richest in the entire republic, escaped to Texas. Later, Madero returned to Mexico and proclaimed an armed revolution, with himself as provisional president.

Madero assaulted Juarez and captured the city, whereupon emissaries from Diaz asked his terms. Madero demanded resignation of the President and his cabinet. Diaz finally accepted this ultimatum, resigned and left the country for France, where he died four years later.

Madero was elected President by an overwhelming majority and took hold of the reins of government in December, 1911. Madero forgave the adherents of Diaz and attempted to fill his cabinet with representatives of all classes. His enemies, however, took advantage of this situation and plotted to overthrow him. In February, 1913, a group of generals of the army, all belonging to the old regime, started a revolt in Mexico City. There was a bloody fight lasting ten days. Madero was betrayed by the commander of his troops, General Victoriano Huerta, who imprisoned him. Two days later, Madero was killed by his guard.

Huerta assumed the dictatorship of the country. The greater part of the country submitted to Huerta's rule. But the governor of the state of Coahuila, Venustiano Carranza, in which Madero was born, started a revolt, and called on all Mexicans to join his standard for the purpose of restoring constitutional government. This government began in March, 1914 and lasted until August 29, 1914, when Carranza, with his triumphant army, entered the City of Mexico and assumed the executive power.

The result of this revolution was absolute

A new constitution, the so-called "Carranza Constitution," was accepted May 1, 1917, with many radical provisions, notably those contained in Article 27, declaring that the subsoil, formerly belonging to surface owners was the property of the nation, which meant the virtual nationalization of the petroleum industry. This, with certain provisions of the new constitution, which allowed the expropriation of private lands for public use, became the subject of much contention between the Carranza government and the United States.

In 1919, when Carranza's term of office was about to expire, he attempted to impose Ignacio Bonillas, then his ambassador at Washington, as the government candidate for the Presidency, while General Obregon announced himself in opposition. Because of alleged acts of oppression on the part of Carranza, Adolfo de la Huerta, governor of Obregon's state, Sonora, revolted. By the spring of 1920, practically the entire army had gone over to de la Huerta. The City

ESCAPED MAN CAUGHT

Dick German, Held on Rum Running Charge, Captured at Pyron

Thursday night the last of the escaped inmates of the Nolan County jail, Dick German was rounded up at Pyron by Sheriff Yarbrough, Chief Johnson and Mark Musgrove. The latter spotted the fugitive asleep under a tree. He is now behind the bars once more and Sheriff Yarbrough's official record of never failing to recapture an escaped prisoner is once more clear.

German is being held on a rum running charge.

RECITAL PLEASURES

Miss Ruth Payne Appears in Concert Of Vocal and Piano Selections At First Christian Church

The piano-voice recital by Miss Ruth Payne at the First Christian Church Thursday evening was attended by a large and appreciative audience and the affair was one of the best of its kind held in Sweetwater for some time.

There were nine number on the program, five vocal selections and four piano numbers, including Concerto, Operatic 25 G Minor which was played by Miss Payne and Mrs. Ray Ingram and concluded the program.

The selection, Autumn, played by Miss Payne and the songs, At The Well and On The Road to Mandalay, especially brought forth vigorous applause and encores.

The audience was loud in its praise of Miss Payne's voice, and all her songs as well as piano selections met with much favorable comment. Mrs. Ingram's work as accompanist was very pleasing.

PLAN REJECTED

Miners Accept Governor Pinchot Proposal for Peace in Anthracite Industry—Operators Reject It

By The United Press

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 31.—Miners representatives have accepted the Pinchot Plan for Peace in the anthracite coal region with reservations, but the operators flatly turned the proposition down with no opening for the resumption of negotiations.

The operators stated they would accept the 8 hour day in principle. Their chief objection was the 10 per cent wage increase.

AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Choir Plans Unusual Song Services

The members of the choir and orchestra of the First Baptist Church are endeavoring to make the musical programs of the church one of the best in the state.

They have arranged for special music at both the morning and evening services. At the morning service R. S. Embry, director, has arranged for a cornet solo as the opening selection and Mr. Embry will sing "The Holy City." Rev. L. G. Moroney preach from the theme, "The Lord's Day, was the Sabbath ever changed, if so by whom?"

At the evening services, the choir will sing "The Hill, the Cross, The Crown." A mixed quartet composed of Mrs. Bullock, Mrs. Ragland, Mr. Turner and Mr. Embry will sing "Have Thy Own Way Lord." Reverend Moroney will preach on "The Companionship of Jesus." Everybody is cordially invited to attend the services.

of Mexico being in imminent danger of capture by forces in sympathy with Obregon and do la Huerta, Carranza fled with his cabinet, accompanied by Bonillas, and taking with him gold in the treasury. During the flight, Carranza was treacherously slain.

De la Huerta now was named by the Congress as provisional president, subsequent to which elections were held and Obregon elected President of the republic for the period of four years, assuming office on December 1, 1920. Obregon's period of government of the country is fairly well known as recent history. Officials here admit that the administration of Obregon has been throughout singularly free from revolt and disorder.

COTTON ROCKETS ITALIANS ORDER ON CROP REPORTS FLEET TO CORFU

Government Forecast Sends Staple to \$25 Hundred in New York with Buying Heavy

CROP ESTIMATE 10,788,000 BALES

Crop Condition is 64.1 Percent As Compared With 67.2 On July 25 and 63.5 Aug. Last Year

By The United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The condition of the cotton crop on August 25 was 64.1 per cent as compared with 67.22 on July 25 and 63.5 on Aug. 25 last year.

This forecasts a crop yield of 134.8 pounds per acre and a total production of 10,788,000 bales as compared with the yield last year of 999,761 bales.

Jumps 100 Points

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Following the publication of the government crop report showing the condition of the cotton crop to be 64.1 with an estimated yield of only 10,788,000 bales, the price of cotton shot up 40 to 100 points. The market closed at 25.2 cents a lb. General buying and "efforts" covering boomed the market.

ENTERTAINS CLASS

L. G. Morony Union Of First Baptist Honored By Party

Mrs. Newman entertained the L. G. Morony Union of the First Baptist Church at her home Monday evening at 7 o'clock. After many games on the lawn, Mrs. Newman carried them to the Palace Drug Store where they were served refreshments. The following 19 members of the Union were present:

Sallie Imms Eakin, Inez Newman, Virginia Cox, Dorothy Cuthbert, Jean Morony, Bessie Mae Hicks, Bill Yarbrough, Nina Mae Brand, Nanetta Watson, Del Cox, Prebble Brady, Richard Newman, Mattie Bell McCord, Carl Knox, Erma Knox, Constance Brown, Letland Stamps, Oswald Lee, Fern Mitchell, Frances Stamps; and the following visitors:

Rhoda Lee Clark of Lamesa, E. B. and Paul Peters of Duncan, Okla., Virginia Stewart, Mary McKee Blair, Mrs. T. C. Eakin and Mrs. E. S. Cox

OBJECT TO STICKERS

Local Santa Fe Men Get Communication From Headquarters in Connection

When the Governor, members of the Locating Board and others passed through Sweetwater enroute to the Tech Rally at Lubbock, some persons or persons unknown pasted stickers containing the words "I Came Through Sweetwater" on their luggage. Apparently some of the stickers were also stuck on some of the Santa Fe equipment for local employees of the Santa Fe on the line north of Sweetwater had vigorously objected to the stickers.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Judge A. S. Mauley, Superintendent. Preaching both hours Sunday by the pastor, Rev. D. B. Doak. At the morning hour the sermon will be the third in the series on the Articles of Religion. At 8 P. M. the subject will be "A Game Cock."

Prof. Harry LeMaire has been employed to direct the choir and will have charge of it Sunday. A welcome awaits you.

GIVES PARTY

Sweetwater Boy Scouts were the guests of the R & R Theatres Thursday night when a theatre party was given to them at the Queen Theatre. This is an old custom of the R & R Theatres in all cities. Twice each month, Boy Scouts in the cities where the R & R theatres are located are the guests of the management at a theatre party.

MUSSOLINI TELLS ITALIAN CABINET GREEK ANSWER NOT ACCEPTABLE—TO OPEN HOSTILITIES AT ONCE

Conflict Between Italy and Greece Feared—Appeal to League of Nations Sent by Greece

ANOTHER BALKAN WAR FEARED

Conflict Between Italy and Greece Feared—Appeal to League of Nations Sent by Greece

By The United Press

ROME, Italy, Aug. 31.—The Greek reply to the Italian ultimatum is unsatisfactory, the Italian newspaper Messagero declared today.

This newspaper announced that it had reliable information that both the form and substance of the Greek note were unacceptable.

The Greek note is stated to contain a refusal to pay the fifty billion lira indemnity demanded and asks a modification of the salute to the Italian flag and tribute to be paid to the bodies of the five slain Italian commissioners who were assassinated on the Albanian border and which precipitated the argument.

ORDERED TO LEAVE

ROME, Italy, Aug. 31.—All Greek correspondents to newspapers in Greece have been ordered to leave Italy at once.

LEAGUE WILL NOT ACT

GENEVA, Aug. 31.—The League of Nations will not intervene in the Greek Italian imbroglio unless Greece requests such intervention, commissioners state today.

The League has no right to intervene unless it is requested to, it was pointed out.

APPEALS TO LEAGUE

LONDON, Aug. 31.—Martial law has been declared in Greece according to a Central news dispatch here. Greece is reported to have appealed to the League of Nations to intervene.

NOT ACCEPTABLE

ROME, Aug. 31.—Premier Mussolini told the Italian Cabinet today that the Greek reply to the Italian ultimatum was not acceptable.

It was announced in Rome that the Italian fleet had opened operations in Greek waters on Corfu and Otranto, important island bases of Greece.

According to reports a demand for the surrender of Corfu has already been made by the Italian commander.

Danger of another Balkan war is feared in the event of active hostilities.

HALTS TRAIN

Special to The Reporter. BALLINGER, Aug. 31.—Officers here are still on the look-out for a masked man who Wednesday afternoon stopped the Abilene & Southern train eight miles north of Ballinger at the point of a Winchester. Halting the train seemed to satisfy him and he ordered the engineer to proceed, vanishing in the brush from which he had a moment before emerged with a Winchester pointed at the approaching train.

TO HOLD SHOOT

Brownwood Gun Club Will Have Big Shoot On Labor Day

Special to The Reporter. BROWNWOOD, Aug. 31.—The Brownwood Gun Club has arranged to hold a Shoot here on Labor Day and trap shooters from all over the country are expected to attend. There will be ten events of twenty rocks each on the program and several matches shoots will be shot during the day.

In addition to several hundred dollars worth of merchandise to be given to the shooters attending, there will be a 200 Rock program with a beautiful loving cup for high gun and \$150 added money. Loving cups will be given to each High Gun of the different classes.

Ben Chitwood has returned to San Marcos where he will attend school the coming term.

GETS OPINIONS

William Evans Asks Local Business Men About Rate Matters

Silliman Evans, Staff Correspondent for the Fort Worth Star Telegram, spent Friday in Sweetwater getting expressions of opinion from local business men relative to lower freight rates in effect that includes West Texas.

Opinions were unanimous in opposition to any change in the Texas freight rate structure.

E. C. Reese left Friday for Big Springs on a business trip.

KLAN IS MOBBED

200 Klansmen Removed From Hall in Police Patrol Wagons After an All Night Fight With Mob

By The United Press

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Aug. 31.—Last of a crowd of Ku Klux Klansmen were rescued from a hall here at 5 o'clock this morning in police patrol wagons following an all night battle in which a large crowd attempted to storm the hall.

The fight began shortly after the 200 Klansmen in full regalia assembled for their meeting and lasted all night. Police reserves, firemen and state constabulary used night sticks, tear gas bombs and high pressure water streams from fire hose without avail.

Three men were arrested for carrying weapons and scores were beaten. The battle ended this morning when the crowd thinned out and police were able to throw a cordon around the hall and rescue the beleaguered Klansmen.

USING TRACTORS

Demonstration Given Farmers on Seago Farm Between Sweetwater and Roscoe Thursday

That Nolan county farmers are interested in modern and improved farming methods was shown Thursday by the large number that attended the Fordson Tractor Farming demonstration given by the Dabney Motor Company of Sweetwater under the direction of George Willis and factory representatives of some of the leading farm machinery companies.

The demonstration was held at the Seago farm on the highway between Sweetwater and Roscoe and lasted from 10 to 5 o'clock. There was a large crowd there throughout the day and much interest and appreciation of the practical demonstration was expressed by the farmers.

A big lunch stand had been built and lunch was served on the grounds. There was plenty to eat for every one and the lunch was completed by the serving of numerous watermelons.

The economical and superior grade of work done by the Fordson tractor and advantages and speed it lent to the farm work, were practically demonstrated when the tractors hitched in succession to cultivators, disc plows and harrows, broke a field on the farm.

Four Fordson tractors were used in the work and an Oliver three disc plow, Oliver two-row lister and planter, Oliver disc harrow, Amsco cultivator and a Leitz Feed Mill grinder. The use of the tractor and the various implements was thoroughly demonstrated and all questions concerning their use and work were answered.

The advantages of the Leitz Feed Mill in feeding purposes on the farm was shown. A wagon load of maize heads were fed through the machine and the maize was ground into fine feed. The bundles of stalks were also fed through the machine and converted into good feed.

Factory representatives who were on the grounds adding in the demonstration included Mr. McCracken with the Oliver Plow Company of Waco, Mr. Strawbridge of the Ford factory, Mr. Johnson of the John Deere Plow Company, and Mr. Bullock and Mr. Starkey of the Avery Plow Company.

Mrs. L. N. Hutchinson, who formerly taught expression in Sweetwater is visiting here for a few days. She will teach at Weatherford College this year.

TALK POULTRY TO GROWERS HERE

Experts From A. & M. Show Men and Women From Nolan, Fisher and Mitchell Counties Poultry Points

CULLING IS SHOWN AUDIENCE

How to Make the Hen Pay It's Way Police Patrol Wagons After an And a Profit is Shown

A poultry culling demonstration was held at the county court house Friday under the direction of the county demonstration agent, W. C. Calvert, assisted by members of the A. & M. Extension Service department. A very large crowd was present throughout the day and besides the farmers of Nolan county there were large delegations from Mitchell and Fisher counties in attendance. A large number of women were also in the audience.

At the morning meeting, T. B. Wood, district agent of the A. & M. extension service, acted as chairman. Miss Murtie Murray, also A. & M. worker and poultry specialist, gave an interesting talk on poultry production and marketing in California.

Mr. Edson, also poultry specialist of the A. & M. extension service made a speech on feeding and breeding poultry. Mr. Wood completed the morning session with a talk on Texas Poultry Production as a Texas Industry.

During the afternoon session which commenced at 1:30, Mr. Edson gave some practical points and illustrations of poultry culling. Questions concerning culling were asked by members of the audience and were answered and explained by Mr. Edson.

Following his talk, a culling contest was held and hens were judged and marked according to the individual's opinion of the grade of the hen. Mr. Edson then graded the hens, showing where some of the answers had been correct and some wrong. He gave a practical demonstration of judging hens according to their ability to produce eggs.

FORM ASSOCIATION

Poultry Organization at San Angelo Makes Three in West Texas

Special to The Reporter. SAN ANGELO, Aug. 31.—The Co-operative Poultry Association, being formed with San Angelo a the center, officially came into being Thursday with the declaration of the officers elected and the disbanding Thursday morning of the organization committee.

With the formation of this unit here three poultry associations in West Texas, embracing territory from San Angelo to Abilene, control over 400,000 head of chickens and turkeys, indicates Dor Brown, county agent here, pointing out that the co-operative move is assuming gigantic proportions.

NEW LOAN MAN

Judge E. A. Watson To Open Office in Sweetwater Soon

Judge E. A. Watson plans to open an office in Sweetwater soon for the purpose of making Farm and Ranch loans throughout this section. His territory will include several West Texas counties and he will represent several large loan companies as well as private capitalists.

Judge Watson is well known throughout the territory having lived in Rotan and Roby for many years. He left this country in 1921. His family is now at Sulphur Springs with the exception of a son at San Angelo, but they expect to join him at Sweetwater.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible School rally at nine forty-five. Everyone urged to be present at the beginning of the Fall work. Preaching at both hours by the regular minister. The evening service will be a special and devoted to those who expect to go away to College soon. All prospective students are urged to be present. Others will be invited to make talks. Special music at both services.

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GIVE CONCERT

The Sweetwater Booster Band under the direction of Prof. LeMaire gave their second open air concert Thursday evening from the band stand opposite Hotel Wright. A large crowd heard the program which was well delivered and praise for the band was heard on every side.

REVIVE PONY EXPRESS

Days of 1860 Duplicated; Rider Left St. Joseph Enroute to Pacific

By The United Press
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 31.—The famed pony express, after an absence of 62 years, got into action again this morning, when a rider left the Missouri river carrying mail to the Pacific Coast, 2200 miles away.

Robert Lee Shepherd was the first rider and relays of men and horses, with conditions as near those of 1860 as weeks of preparation would permit, will carry one. The mail is supposed to be delivered at the Western terminus September 9.

IS BEST CITY

Mac Murphy who operated a theatre in Sweetwater years ago and now a resident of Ft. Worth, recently passed through Sweetwater enroute to California. "The best town between Ft. Worth and El Paso" is the

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way he characterized Sweetwater.

NOT CONNECTED

The Carpenter's Union is not associated with the movement bringing a Carnival to Sweetwater beginning Labor Day, president W. E. Noah and Secretary T. S. Boyles of that union stated Thursday and they asked the reporter to make the statement on behalf of the Carpenter's Union.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF SWEETWATER.

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT NOTICE BE GIVEN OF THE INTENTION OF THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SWEETWATER, TEXAS, UPON ITS OWNERS, TO SUBMIT TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SAID CITY FOR APPROVAL OR REJECTION CERTAIN AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SWEETWATER, TEXAS.

Whereas, it is the opinion of the Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, that Section 1, of Article XV; Sections 1 and 3 Article XVII; Section 1 of Article XII; Section 14 of Article XIX; and Section 11 of Article IV of the existing Charter of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, are deficient in many respects, and that such Sections should be amended and other provisions added thereto and substituted therefor, so as to meet present conditions and to the end, that said City of Sweetwater may be more efficiently and satisfactorily governed, and to allow the making of necessary improvements; and

Whereas, the Charter of said City has not been altered by amendment within two years next preceding this date:

Therefore, be it resolved by the Commission of Sweetwater, Texas: That in accordance with the provisions and requirements of an Act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, authorizing cities of more than five thousand (5,000) inhabitants to adopt or amend their charters, approved April 7th, 1913, notice is hereby given to all to whom it may concern, that the Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, acting upon its own motion, and by virtue of the powers granted by said Act, intends to pass an ordinance on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1923, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held thereafter for that purpose, substantially the following amendments to the existing Charter of the City of Sweetwater, Texas:

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

To amend Section 1, Article XV of the Charter of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, so as to hereafter read as follows: "Section 1: (a) The City of Sweetwater shall have exclusive domain, control and jurisdiction in, over and under the public streets, avenues, alleys, highways, boulevards, and public places and grounds of said City, and shall have power to provide for the improvements of any public streets, avenues, alleys, highways, boulevards, or places by paving, widening, raising, grading, filling, repaving or re-surfacing, or otherwise improving same, and the construction thereof of sewers, drains, curbing, gutters and sidewalks, including engineering work and supervision and other incidental costs, charges, and expenses in connection therewith. The word "highway" as used herein shall include all streets, alleys, boulevards and public places in the said City. The City of Sweetwater shall have the right and power to assess against the property abutting highways or sections thereof improved, and against the owners thereof, the whole costs of constructing curbs and sidewalks, and not exceeding three-fourths (3/4) of the remaining costs of said improvements. The Commission of said City shall have the power to apportion the cost payable by the respective parcels of abutting property and the owners thereof, and to fix a lien against such abutting property therefor, which lien shall be superior to all other claims, liens or interests, except city, county and state taxes, and to fix a charge and personal liability against the owners of such property. The portion of the cost assessed against abutting property and owners thereof may be payable in deferred installments and the Commission shall have power to fix the time and terms of payment, but the last installment shall mature not later than five years from the date of the completion and acceptance by the city of the improvements for which assessments are levied, and assessments shall bear interest at the rate of eight per cent (8 per cent) per annum. Said assessments shall include reasonable attorney's fees and costs of collection. If incurred, and the city shall have full authority to issue assignable certificates in evidence of the assessments levied.

(b) The City of Sweetwater shall have the power to assess and shall assess against the owners of steam railways and street railways occupying or crossing any highway, or portion thereof improved, the entire cost of making such improvements, including, besides other work, any extra or additional work or improvement necessitated thereby between and under the rails, tracks, switches, or turnouts and for two feet on each side thereof, which, when assessed shall be paid by the owners of steam railways or street railways occupying or crossing any highway or portion thereof improved, and the amount so assessed shall be secured by a lien assessed upon the roadbed, rails, ties, tracks, franchises, and other property, real, personal or mixed, used in the operation of said street railways or steam railways, which lien shall be superior to all other liens, claims or interest in or upon said property, except ad valorem taxes.

The City shall have full power to levy such assessments in accordance with the terms hereof. Said assessments shall include reasonable attorney's fees and the costs of collection, if incurred, and the ordinance making same shall provide for the time and terms of payment and for interest upon deferred payments as herein provided.

(c) No assessment shall be made against any abutting property or owner thereof or against any railway or street railway or owner thereof until after hearing given to said owners and to all others interested before the Commission preceded by notice of the time and place of such

hearing addressed generally to such owners and others interested, without the necessity of specifically including their names or specifically describing their property, which notice shall be published in some newspaper of general circulation in the City of Sweetwater, Texas, at least three times before the date fixed for such hearing, and the first of which publications shall be at least ten days before the date of such hearing.

The Commission shall have power to provide for additional notice in its discretion, but said published notice shall be sufficient and binding upon all interested parties notwithstanding that other and additional notice may be provided for and not given, or if given should be faulty erroneous or defective for any reason.

At said hearing the owners of abutting property and of said railways and street railways, and all other parties interested, shall have the right to contest said assessment either as to the benefits to abutting property or as to the amounts of assessments, or as to any error therein or any error or invalidity in any proceeding with reference thereto, or with reference to the apportionment of the cost of the improvements, and shall have the right to produce testimony and summon witnesses in support of such contest, and the City Commission shall after said hearing determine the amounts, if any, to be assessed, and shall make said assessments by ordinance.

No assessment shall be made against any abutting property or the owner thereof in excess of the special benefits to such property in the enhanced value thereof by means of said improvements as determined at said meeting. Said assessments when levied may be enforced either by suit in any court having jurisdiction brought by the City for the benefit of the owner and holder of any such assessment or of the certificate issued in evidence thereof, or brought by the said owner and holder, or by the sale of the property assessed in the same manner, as near as possible, as is provided for the sale of real estate for municipal ad valorem taxes. The lien of the assessments shall relate back and take effect as of the date of the ordinance or resolution ordering the improvement.

(d) Nothing herein contained shall empower the City to fix an assessment lien against any property except by law from the lien of special assessments for street improvements. But the owners of such exempt property shall nevertheless be liable for the pro rata cost of such improvements which would be a lien upon such property where it is not so exempt, and such costs shall be assessed against such owners and become a personal liability of such owners. The fact that any improvement is omitted in front of any property so exempt or claimed to be so exempt shall not invalidate the lien assessed against other property or the owners of other property.

(e) The City shall have the power to issue in its name assignable certificates in writing declaring the liability of abutting property and the owners thereof for the payment of assessments, and to fix the time and terms of payment and conditions of deferred payments and the maturity thereof. If any such certificate shall recite that all proceedings with reference to the improvement therein referred to have been regularly had in compliance with law, and that all prerequisites to the fixing of the assessment lien against the property therein referred to and the personal liability of its owner have been performed, such recitals shall be prima facie evidence of such facts and of other pertinent facts recited, and no further proof thereof shall be required in any court.

(f) Subject to the terms thereof, the Commission shall apportion on the costs of improvements among the parcels of property, or owners thereof, abutting the highways or sections thereof improved in accordance with the front foot rule, but if in particular cases the application of this rule would, in the opinion of the Commission, result in injustice or inequality, the Commission shall adopt such rule as shall effect substantial justice and equality, having in view the benefits received and burdens imposed.

(g) No error, mistake or invalidity in the ordinance levying assessments or in any proceeding prerequisite thereto shall invalidate the same, but it shall be the duty of the Commission to correct the same at any time. No error in describing any parcel of abutting property or in giving the name of the owner thereof shall invalidate any assessment, but such assessment shall have full force and be in effect against the premises and the real and true owners thereof.

The Commission shall at any time by ordinance make correction of any error or mistake in the description of property owners in any preceding ordinance. The fact that more than one parcel or property may be included in one assessment, or that property assessed may be jointly owned, shall not affect or impair the validity of the assessment levied.

Whenever, in the opinion of the Commission, any error, mistake or invalidity exists in any proceeding with reference to said improvement or assessment, it shall correct the same and shall have power to make a re-assessment against said property and the owners thereof with reference to which such invalidity exists, and it shall be its duty to do so when requested by the person or persons entitled to compensation for making said improvements or by the holder of any assignable certificate issued therefor. Such re-assessment shall be made after notice of hearing in the manner and for the length of time herein provided for original assessments and not in excess of the benefits in enhanced value to the property assessed, and otherwise as near as possible in accordance with the provisions hereof with reference to original assessments, and the Commission shall have the power by ordinance to fully provide any and all rules and regulations necessary to carry into effect the provisions hereof relative to assessments

and re-assessments. After such re-assessments, the City shall have the power to issue assignable certificates evidencing the same as hereinbefore provided, and the conditions of said certificates and the recitals thereof shall, as near as possible comply with the provisions hereof relating to, and have the same force and effect as certificates in evidence of valid original assessments.

No re-assessment shall be made unless proceedings therefor are begun within three years from the date of the completion of the improvements and acceptance thereof by the City for which the original assessment had been levied, but if the validity of any assessment shall be involved in litigation, the period of litigation shall not be considered in computing said three years.

(h) Any property owner, or railway or street railway, or anyone else interested or affected and against whom or whose property an assessment has been made, shall have the right within twenty days thereafter to bring suit in any court having jurisdiction, to set aside or correct the same either in whole or in part for or on account of any error, irregularity or invalidity in the amount thereof or in any proceeding with reference thereto, but thereafter such owner and all others in anywise interested or affected shall be barred and estopped from any such action and from in anywise contesting the validity or enforcement of any such assessment or re-assessment in any action in which the same may be brought in question. If such suit be brought, the construction of the improvements may be suspended until the final determination thereof.

(i) The Commission shall have the right to determine the nature and extent of the improvements to be made, and the materials, methods, plans and specifications under which the same shall be constructed and shall have the right to let the work in making same by contract, and shall have the right to specify different or alternative materials, methods or plans.

(j) Except as herein expressly provided the powers hereby granted shall not repeal any power or right of the City given by general law, or other provisions of this Charter, but the powers hereby granted shall be cumulative and in addition to such other powers and rights.

AMENDMENT NO. 2.

To amend paragraph 2 of Section 1 of Article XVII of the Charter of Sweetwater, Texas, so that said paragraph No. 2 shall, in future, read as follows:

To buy, own, construct or lease, maintain and operate, within or without the City limits, a system or systems of water works, sewer plants, hospitals, parks, gas plants, electric lighting plants, telephones, street railways, and such other public utilities as may be proposed by the Commission and submitted to a vote of the people under this charter, and to demand and receive compensation for services furnished for private purposes, or otherwise, and to exercise the right of eminent domain as hereinafter provided for the appropriation of lands for rights of way that may be proper and necessary to efficiently carry out said objects; and after any such system or systems of water works or sewer plants shall have once been installed and in operation then the Commission, upon its own motion, may extend the same in or outside the City limits and provide for the sale of water or the privileges of such sewer system, inside or outside the City limits; and provided, further, that in the event of a lack of sufficient funds in the city treasury to pay for such extensions, the City Secretary shall, when so directed by the Commission, issue treasury warrants to pay for such extension or extensions.

AMENDMENT NO. 3.

To amend Section No. 3, of Article XVII of the Charter of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, so that said Section shall, in future, read as follows:

Municipal Service.—The rates charged for service furnished by any of the municipal utility plants shall be just and equitable, and there shall not be allowed to any person, firm or corporation, or to any officer or employe of said City, any service free of charge, except it may provide free service for buildings owned or operated by the City. That in determining the rates to be charged and collected for such service, the cost of operation, maintenance, depreciations, replacements, betterments, interest charges, and the creation of a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal and interest of any bonds issued for the acquisition, construction or improvement of any such public utility, shall be taken into consideration. That the revenues derived from the operation of any such public utility plants shall, first, be appropriated and used for the payment of operating expenses, for maintenance, interest and depreciation accounts, for replacements and betterments and the payment of interest and providing a sinking fund for any outstanding bonds or indebtedness created or assumed for the purpose of the purchase, construction or improvement of any such plant, together with at least three per cent (3 per cent) on its gross earnings to be applied to an emergency fund for the sole use and benefit of said utility plant; and after such application of the revenues of such utility plant, if there be any surplus, the City Commission may then, in its discretion, apply any part or all of such surplus or revenues to the payment of the current expenses of the City, or to the improvement of the streets in the City.

That the rates of service may be so regulated so to produce sufficient revenue to pay, when due, the charges required herein.

That no person shall be employed in the service of the City with reference to the public utility plants, in any position requiring skill and technical knowledge peculiar to the operation and conducting of any utility plant, who is not competent and who has not had practical and actual experience in a same line of work.

The Commission shall have the

governing the furnishing of service by such utility plants to patrons thereof, and for payment for such service, and to provide for a penalty for failure to pay for such service, when due, and to provide a penalty for violation of the rules and regulations, for the use of the service of such utility plant without the consent and knowledge of the proper City authorities, and to provide for penalties for all interference, trespassing or injury to any municipal plants, appliances or premises.

AMENDMENT NO. 4.

To amend Section No. 1 of Article XII, of the Charter of the said City of Sweetwater, so that the same shall, in future, read as follows:

Section 1.—Power to Levy.—The City Commission shall have the power, by ordinance, to levy and collect, within the City, an annual tax of not exceeding one dollar and thirty cents on each one hundred dollar's (\$100.00) worth of property as assessed for taxes, for general revenue, streets, and bridges, and to pay the annual interest and provide for a sinking fund for all outstanding bond issues by the City at the time of the adoption of this Charter. The Commission shall also have the power to levy and collect such additional amount of annual taxes as may be necessary to pay interest and provide for bonds for such additional issues of bonds for City purposes, authorized by the laws of the State of Texas and by this Charter or any amendment thereto under Sections of this Charter, when said proposed bond issues and tax levies shall have first been submitted to a vote of the people and shall be approved by the people, and shall be in addition to any other taxes for city purposes, which shall first be authorized by a vote of the people.

AMENDMENT NO. 5.

To amend Section No. 14 of Article XIX, of the Charter of Sweetwater, Texas, so that the same shall, in future, read as follows:

Section 14.—Compensation.—The Mayor shall receive as compensation an amount to be fixed by the Commission which shall not exceed the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars per annum. Commissioner No. 1 shall receive, as compensation for his services as such Commissioner, the sum of Twenty-five Dollars per month, to be paid from the City Treasury; and said Commissioner No. 1 shall, in addition to his duties as Commissioner, be in charge of the construction and operation of all water works systems and sewer systems owned and operated by the city, and shall receive, as compensation for such additional services, such compensation as may be provided by the Commission, not to exceed One Hundred and Fifty Dollars per month. Commissioner No. Two (2) shall be in charge of all street construction and improvements, and shall devote his whole time to such services, and shall receive, as compensation for such services, the sum of One Hundred Dollars per month, to be paid out of the city treasury.

AMENDMENT NO. 6.

To amend Section 11, of Article IV of the Charter of Sweetwater, Texas, so that in future, the same shall read as follows:

Section 11—Auditing Committee.—The Commission may, upon the first regular meeting in August of each year, appoint a committee of three persons, which shall be styled, "Auditing Committee," to examine and audit all expenditures and funds paid by the Commission or any of its officers, Adopted by a unanimous vote of the Commission, this, August 16th, 1923.

Approved, JOE H. BOOTHE, Mayor.

The State of Texas, County of Nolan, City of Sweetwater: I, W. H. Bartlett, City Secretary of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, do hereby certify that the

above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original, as now on file in my office.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, this August 17th, A. D. 1923.

(Seal) W. H. BARTLETT, City Secretary, City of Sweetwater, Texas.

Almost half of the lots in the Bradford Addition are sold. Some of the best lots are still on the market. Better get yours while they are selling below their worth. McCall & Gordon.



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Stetson and Dunlap hats for fall in all colors and newest shapes. Felts and Velours, Sport Hats and Dress Hats, Hats for all occasions, a complete stock. Priced from \$2.00 to \$15.00. Boy's and children's hats in Tweeds, Felts and Two Tone, all colors and newest shapes. We have the most complete stock of children's hats that we have ever carried. A hat for every need, a style for every taste. Priced from 75c to \$2.00.

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May God bless each of you.
W. R. Ralston and Children.
Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McMullan.
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Tryon Lewis, Ft. Stockton ranchman and son of the late J. R. Lewis of Sweetwater spent Friday in Sweetwater on business. Mr. Lewis reports a good rain last Sunday and considerable oil activity. Shallow wells have already made good oil showings with much gas in the vicinity of Ft. Stockton and now three deep tests are being put down.

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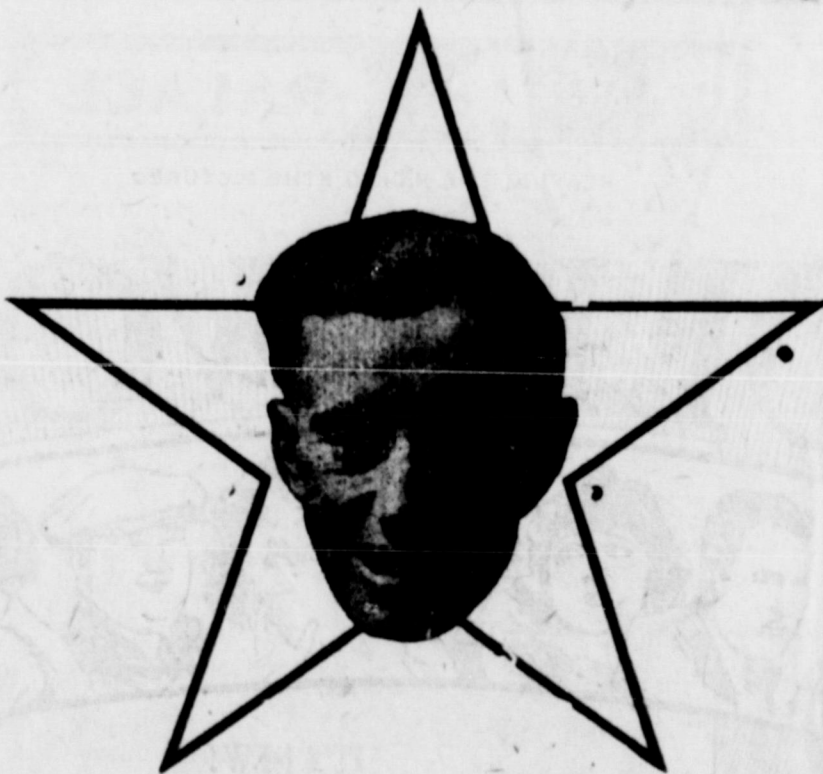
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FOR SALE—10 shares capital stock of the Texas Bank & Trust Co., book value \$2,000. Will sell for \$1,500 cash. Dr. P. T. Quast. Address Box 248, Sweetwater, Texas, or 704 Main street, Fort Worth, Texas. 137tfc

FOR SALE—Golden Yellow and Perfection Red Meat watermelons, and Rockyford cantaloupes. H. L. Owens, Route No. 2, Sweetwater. 155t26c

FOR SALE—One of the best homes in town for sale; easy terms, and worth the money. Phone 375. J. T. Brown, Inc. 167tfc

FOR SALE—4 room frame house, modern in Orient addition, lot 56x140. \$400 cash, balance, terms to suit buyer. See me quick; will sell worth the money. J. C. Gray, Roscoe, Texas, phone 15. 178t6dp

WANTED—Fresh Jersey Milk cow at once. Marva Allen, Phone 292. 1785tdp

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FOR SALE—20 acres 2 1/2 miles east of town, one quarter mile from United States Gypsum Company plant; the entire block or in lots or few acres. Call at Palace Drug Store. 180t1p

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

State of Texas,
County of Nolan.

Whereas a petition duly signed by the proper number of qualified voters and freeholders residing within the territory hereinafter described, was presented to the Commissioners Court of Nolan County, asking for an election to be held to determine whether or not a majority of the voters in said district desired the adoption of the stock law prohibiting the running at large of cattle, horses, mules, jacks and jennets;

And whereas said petition was in all things regular and conformed to the law;

And whereas said Commissioners Court, at its regular term on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1923, duly entered an order accepting said petition and ordering an election to be held said district on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1923, to determine whether or not the voters qualified to vote favored such proposition;

Therefore I, A. S. Mauzey, County Judge of Nolan County, Texas, pursuant to said petition and order of said Court, hereby order an to be held in

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the following described territory, which territory is also duly defined, said petition and order above mentioned to wit: Beginning at the N. E. Cor. of Nolan County, thence S. with

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the East Boundary line of Nolan County to the S. Boundary line of Sec. 292, Blk. 64, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Sur.

Thence West with the S. B. Line of Section 292, 291, 290, 289, 288, 287, 286 and 285, to the S. E. Cor. of Sec. 285, Blk. 64.

Thence N. with the W. lines of Secs. 285, 311, Blk. 64, to the S. line of Sec. 110 Blk "X".

Thence E. with the S. line of Sec. 110 to the S. E. Cor. thereof;

Thence N. with the E. line of Sec. 110, 65 and 58 to the N. E. Cor. of 58, Blk. "X."

Thence W. with the N. line of Secs. 58, 57, 56, 55, and 54, to the N. W. Cor. of Sec. 54, Blk "X"

Thence N. with the W. lines of Sections 45, 40 and 9 to the N. W. Cor. of Sec. 9 Blk "X."

Thence North with the W. B. line of Blk. No. 21 to the S. W. Cor. of Sec. 4, Blk 21.

Thence E. with the S. line of Sec. 43 to the S. E. Cor. thereof;

Thence N. with the E. line of Sec. 43 to the S. line of the Sweetwater and Abilene Public Road;

Thence E. and N. with the S. and E. line of said Sweetwater and Abilene Road to where said Road crosses the W. line of the J. W. Barns Sur. No. 301;

Thence North with the W. line of said J. W. Barns Sur. 301 and the John J. King Sur. No. 239 to the N. Boundary line of Nolan County;

Thence E. with the N. B. line of Nolan County to the place of beginning and being all of Commissioners Precinct No. 2.

Said Election to be held on the 29th day of September, 1923, at the following voting places, to-wit: Dora, Brooks, Bitter Creek, Graham and Mulberry Canyon and the regular elections officers for said voting boxes are hereby directed to hold said election in accordance with the generals

governing elections and make due returns thereof, only freeholders qualified to vote shall vote at such election.

Given under my hand this 223rd day of August, 1923.

A. S. MAUZEY,
County Judge of Nolan County, Texas.

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