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ECLIPSE OF SUN COMES ON TIME

Moon Slides Between Sun and Earth Promptly at 2:05 Monday Afternoon While Many Watch

SCIENTIST WATCH PHENOMENON

Many Expeditions From Colleges Gather in Northern Mexico and Southern California For Data

The eclipse of the sun was viewed by everyone with interest for it is one of the great natural phenomena and yet happens seldom enough to make it a rare event.

In southern California where the eclipse was total thousands of scientific men made observations in an attempt to determine with closer exactness the nature of the sun's composition, what its corona is made of and also to study the sky while the sun is obscured for possibly other as yet undiscovered stars. Thousands and thousands of photographs will be taken.

A number of theories have been advanced as to the nature of the corona. The historic view secured in the eclipse of August 7, 1869, led astronomer Harkness to write:

"My conclusion is that the corona is a highly rarified self-luminous atmosphere surrounding the sun composed of the incandescent vapor of iron. The temperature at the summit of the red prominence, at a distance of a hundred thousand miles above the sun's surface, exceeds 4,500 degrees Fahrenheit—a heat more than sufficient to vaporize iron."

Among the instruments which will be used today are:

The Telescope.—Two large lenses in the sky end and two in the eyepiece.

The Spectroscope.—This extreme summit of human greatness consists of a prism or set of prisms of clear glass. A spectrum is a band of gorgeous colors of light entering the slit of the instrument from the sun as white, passing through the prism, emerges as a drawing band of colors crossed by many bright vertical lines. There are as many different kinds of spectra as there are elements of matter in the entire universe. Each set of bright lines turns black if vapor of the same element gets between the bright spectra and view telescope. This only one of the grand basic laws of nature and has brought quadrupled knowledge to man. They are more precious than diamonds, the Fraunhofer lines of the spectra, nature's letters of the alphabet.

The Tele-Spectroscope.—A combination of the telescope and spectroscope the largest being in the Mount Wilson Observatory, near Pasadena, Cal. This combination is that of the gigantic 100-inch reflecting telescope, the largest ever made and of the huge spectroscopic lens, linked as one mighty engine of research into space to analyze light streaming in from colossal suns. Some are known to be a quadrillion miles apart and hydrogen and helium are seen in all.

Tele-Cameras.—The combination of the great telescope and elaborate photographic apparatus with new highly sensitive plates. This is a world record combination. One variation is for photographing the sun, showing giant outbursts, cyclones, twisting sun spots, etc., and is called the spectroheliograph. Another is the celestial photographic combination to photograph the billions of suns sunk in interminable space, 90 per cent being in that congeries of suns, the Milky Way.

The Spectro-Radiograph.—This actually brings suns utterly invisible in any telescope to the knowledge of man by fixing on excessively sensitive plates energy waves that cannot be seen by the human eye, thus revealing countless sun quadrillions of miles away, forever unknown without radio activity.

The Coelostat.—A revolving mirror making one revolution in forty-eight hours, the effect being to keep light from stars reflecting into an instrument as if the earth did not rotate. In daily use in great photographic observatories.

Spectrometers.—Instruments to measure intensity of light in spectra and compare with others. A valuable indicator of light of various kinds of suns.

Interferometer.—The largest and most accurate ever made. An interferometer measures interferences of waves of light. By means of a very recondite mathematical formula, bas-

HOUSE ENTERED

Two Homes Entered At End of Week; Clothing And Money Taken

Authorities are making a vigorous investigation into the robbing of two homes of the city the end of the week. One of the homes entered was that of Mrs. Thompson, whose two sons are operators at the R and B Theatres. Clothing and other articles of value were taken.

The home of Frank Otey near the Santa Fe depot was entered late Saturday night and numerous articles of value taken.

Whether the work was done by home talent, hobo or carnival hangers-on has not yet been determined.

Rev. J. T. McKissick left Sunday night for Lexington, Ky., where he will hold a two weeks revival. It has been Rev. McKissick's custom to hold an annual revival for the Lexington church for the past six years. He was once pastor of this church.

SEVEN WRECKED

United States Destroyer Flotilla Piles Upon Rocks Off Arguella Light—20 or 25 Are Dead

By The United Press. LOS ANGELES, Sept. 10.—The ruthless waves of the Pacific are slowly yielding up the seven navy destroyers which piled up on the savage rocks of Arguella Light and caused the death of between 20 and 25 persons, all members of the crews. The exact number of casualties has not yet been determined.

The sea is running extraordinary heavy, a possible reflection of the earthquake shocks in Japan.

The destroyers were steaming thru an impenetrable fog at 20 knots an hour in fleet formation and crashing upon the rocks like sheep following a leader.

Destroyers wrecked included the Delphi, S. P. Lee, Chauncey, Woodbury, Fuller, Young and Division 33.

FIGHT TO GO ON

By The United Press. NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Supreme Court Justice Hagerity today denied a writ of mandamus which if issued would have prevented the Dempsey-Firpo bout Sept. 14. The writ was sought by Harry Wills, negro heavyweight and his manager.

WINS PRIZE

G. D. Conley, display manager for Hubbards Dry Goods Store has the distinction of being the only Texan to win one of the prizes in the window display contest conducted by the Interwoven Stocking Company.

Several months ago this company offered a series of prizes for the best dressed windows, slogans and newspaper advertising on Interwoven Hosiery.

This contest was conducted throughout the United States.

WORMS DO MUCH DAMAGE

The worm are doing much damage to the cotton. It is remarkable as to the quickness with which they can bring destruction. A half grown boll of cotton was suspended in the store of R. E. Hickman Co., Wednesday morning, with six worms on it. They had just begun eating on it when the boll was suspended, and by noon they had eaten more than half of the boll.

ENTERTAINS FRIENDS

Terese Johnson, had an open house to a number of her friends on Saturday evening at eight o'clock.

After many interesting games and various sorts of music, sandwiches, olives and Orange Julup was served to about fourteen boys and girls.

Misses Maud Rider and Katie Lee Norwood of San Antonio, have spent several days in the city guests of Misses Nita and Aline McDaniel, left Saturday for Baird where she will teach this year.

ed on the laws of nature ruling light, the diameters of vastly remote suns are measured. Thus, the diameter of Betelgeuse has been measured as 270,000,000 miles, and that of Antares nearly 400,000,000 miles, while our modest sun is only 864,392 miles.

NEW SHOCKS ADD TWO MORE SAFES TERROR IN EAST CRACKED NEARBY

Japan Shaken Again Sunday But No Additional Damage Reported—Greatest Since Isles Formed

AMERICA RAISES FIVE MILLION

Red Cross Reports Nearly Amount Asked—Fifty Killed in Earthquake in Calcutta India

(By Clarence Dubose, United Press Staff Correspondent) TOKIO, Japan, Sept. 10.—Japan was shaken today at noon (Sunday) by another sharp earthquake.

While it and a number of smaller shocks that have occurred during the past few days have added much to the terror of the inhabitants, it could do little more damage than what has already been done.

The earthquakes are accepted as proof that the vast volcanic upheaval is continuing and is considered by scientists to be probably the greatest volcanic upheaval since the island of Japan themselves were thrown up in prehistoric ages.

Danger from typhoid and dysentery epidemics is becoming grave among the survivors of the stricken area.

(Editor's note—Clarence Dubose is a brother of G. E. Dubose, engineer in charge of paving work at Colorado City).

QUAKE IN INDIA

By The United Press. CALCUTTA, Ind., Sept. 10.—At least 50 were killed and many houses collapsed in the Mysen Eligh district of Calcutta today when the city was shaken by a severe earthquake at 5:57 a. m. today.

ANY SUBSCRIBE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The American Red Cross has received subscriptions totaling \$4,011,000 for Japanese Relief, it was announced today.

The Washington district subscribed \$2,459,000; New England \$275,400; Southern District \$73,300; Central \$612,000; Southwestern \$250,000; Pacific \$277,000 and Insular and foreign \$150,000.

DEAD 47,000

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—An official estimate of the dead in the Japanese earthquake disaster has been received by the Japanese embassy here. The number of dead is placed at 47,000 in Tokio alone.

DEMANDS MADE MANY ATTENDING

Greece Gives Albania Five Days Ultimatum—Albania Forbids Greeks to Cross Line Even With Passport

By The United Press.

ATHENS, Sept. 10.—The relations between Greece and Albania are very much strained as the attempt by Greece to fix the blame for the assassination of the five Italian officers on Albania.

The Albanian government has forbidden Greeks to enter Albania even when provided with passports.

Italy has demanded that Albania turn over the assassins of the Italians within five days.

QUAKE TREMORS FELT

Special to The Reporter.

COLEMAN, Sept. 10.—Tremors of the destructive earthquake which visited Japan last week, were felt in Coleman, according to a story in this week's Coleman Democrat-Voice. It says that Bros. W. E. Edgerton is quite sure he noted the earth tremors. He was lying on the bed and taking notice of the unusual sensation he got up and looked about the premises to determine the cause—and didn't find it.

Miss Eunice Langley of Carthage, arrived Saturday night to be in readiness for the opening of the city schools. She will teach in one of the ward schools and make her home with her brother, E. L. Langley and wife.

Yegs Get Over \$200 in Cash And Checks When Grocery Store At Santa Fe Entered and Robbed

TRIA SANTA FE AT HERMLEIGH

Dep't Entered But Robbers Apparently Frightened Away Before Getting Into Safe—Nothing Taken

About \$200 in cash and checks were stolen when the safe in the grocery store of Truitt and Smith at Bronte was blown about 3 o'clock Monday morning.

An attempt was also made to blow open the safe in the Santa Fe depot at Hermleigh Sunday night but the thieves were apparently frightened away before gaining entrance to the safe.

Discovery of the safe blowing at Bronte was made when members of the fire department came down to open up the store Monday morning. They started to put a bay in the lock and there was no lock. The yegs had removed it in order to gain entrance to the store.

The handle of the safe had been pried off with a wrench stolen from a neighboring gin and nitroglycerine poured into the opening. Cotton sacks and three sacks of feed were used to deaden the noise, apparently successful for no one reported hearing it.

Sheriff Hawley Allen of Coke County is in Abilene attending the Ross-Goode trial but deputy Sheriff O. C. Ivey is hard at work on the case. The yegs apparently used an automobile in making their getaway and no clues were left.

Whether or not the same gang perpetrated the Hermleigh attempt is not known. In this instance the yegs were apparently frightened away before securing any loot. When the depot was opened Monday morning, the safe was jammed so that it could not be opened.

This is the third safe to be blown in this vicinity recently, one having been blown at Maryneal some days ago.

THREATEN BRIDGES

Rio Grande Floods Threaten Bridges And Embankments

By The United Press. HARLINGEN, Sept. 10.—Floods augmented by heavy rains are menacing bridges and also embankments on the American side of the Rio Grande river. Workmen have been rushed to the scene and repairs are being made.

The river is still rising due to more than 5 inches of rain received here in the past three days.

DEMANDS MADE MANY ATTENDING

Scurry and Nolan County Teacher-Institute Opens With Program at Court House; Teachers Attend

Teachers of Scurry and Nolan Counties gathered in Sweetwater today to attend the Joint Institute Week here. Peyton Irving, Jr., member of the State Board of Examiners from Austin addressed different groups of the teachers today relative to text books, rural school aid, teachers certificates and other topics.

The teachers were officially welcomed by Mayor Joe H. Boothe after Rev. Mornoy had conducted devotional services. J. M. McCurdy sang and there was music by the Sweetwater orchestra.

This afternoon after numbers by Miss Ruth Payne, R. E. Embry and Leona Ruth Butler, Peyton Irving, Jr., delivered an address.

The program for Tuesday follows: 9 a. m. Music, orchestra; devotional, Rev. B. B. Hestir, Presbyterian Church.

Reading—Miss Mary Ann Rives.

Home Demonstration Work—Miss Georgia Lacey, Colorado and Miss Mabelle Span, Nolan County.

10 to 11 a. m. Section meetings, High School, District Court Room, L. C. Bakwell, Intermediate, Auditorium; Miss Grace Stone, Primary, County Court Room, Miss Julia Lipscomb.

Address—Dr. J. D. Sandefer, President Simmons College, Abilene. 1:15 p. m. Section Meetings, 2:35 p. m. Solo—Miss Ruby Hemby. Address—Dr. Sandefer, Abilene.

RAISE RATES

Plainview Tax Rate Hiked from \$1.45 To \$1.80

PLAINVIEW, Sept. 10.—The city tax rate was raised from \$1.45 per \$100 valuation which was the rate this year to \$1.80 for the year of 1924, by the city council in regular session, following the report of the board of equalization. The raise in the city tax rate was due to many public improvements this year.

It was announced that Plainview had eight per cent less total valuation than for this year and an increase was inevitable on that account. Citizens valued their property at less than they rendered it for this year.

A new reservoir and system of 8-inch water mains, entirely circling the business district, is among the largest items of cost added this year. An additional fire truck was purchased and the public parks greatly improved. Some money has also been levoted to purifying and protecting the milk and meat supply of the city and a sanitary inspector provided.

COTTON IS SHORT

World Supply Two Million Bales Less Than at This Time Last Year Department of Commerce Says

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The world's cotton supply Aug. 1, 1923 was two million bales less than it was on Aug. 1 last year, the Department of Commerce announced today.

The world supply this year is estimated at 27,558,000 bales as compared with 29,602,000 bales last year.

The consumption of cotton for the year from Aug. 1 to Aug. 1, 1923 was announced at 20,950,000 bales, an increase of 800,000 over the preceding year.

ELECTRIFY MAIL

By The United Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 10.—Uncles Sam, after establishing a coast to coast air mail service in 26 hours and 14 minutes, will next electrify the mails.

Sixteen electric trucks for hauling mail in Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, Boston, Detroit, St. Louis and Washington, soon will be put in commission. Comparative records of cost of operating gasoline and electric trucks will be kept with the object of determining the relative economy and efficiency of the vehicles.

MARTIAL LAW THREATENED

To be Extended to Counties Unable To Prevent Masked Gatherings

By The United Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Sept. 10.—Martial law will be the portion of counties unable to prevent or disperse gatherings of hooded men, it was indicated today. The decision followed scheduled Klan ceremonies in McIntosh Thursday night, Stephenson Tuesday night and another in Cherokee tonight.

Early today Governor Walton issued instructions to County officials to prevent all gatherings of hooded men.

MAN KILLED BY LIGHTNING

During the showers and electrical storm last Friday evening a Mexican man was killed by lightning near a farm. The family was in a wagon drawn by three burros hitched abreast when a bolt of lightning struck the middle burro, killing it instantly, then jumping to the wagon killed the man who was seated in the rear of the wagon. A woman and several children who were also in the wagon escaped injury.—Big Springs Herald.

USE 670 POUNDS OF POISON

L. E. Bankhead probably has made the hardest fight of any farmer in the community against the worms in his cotton. He has used 670 pounds of poison and has worked almost day and night since the worms first came. He has struggled to keep them from destroying his crop, yet he has suffered much damage. At the outset he had the most promising crop of any the writer had seen, but he has suffered loss that will run into thousands.—Bronte Enterprise.

Alex Collins, Orient attorney from San Angelo was in Sweetwater Monday.

MANY TEACHERS FOR THE COUNTY

List Furnished by County Superintendent of Schools Miss Minnie Fowler For Coming Year

MOST ATTENDING INSTITUTE

Begin School Work by Attending Scurry-Nolan County Institute This Week in Sweetwater

The following is the official list of teachers engaged at the various schools of the county with the exception of the teachers in the Sweetwater Independent District, whose names were previously published.

The list is furnished by the County Superintendent of Schools, Miss Minnie Fowler.

Bitter Creek—Miss Viva Strauss, Sweetwater, Texas. Cottonwood—Miss Amy Daniels, Sweetwater, Texas. Blackland—Mrs. L. G. Daniels, Roscoe, Texas. Mrs. Lester Dillon, Roscoe, Texas.

Barnett—Mrs. Virginia E. Stauffield, Roscoe, Texas. Miss Maude Latham, Roscoe, Texas. Nolan—Mrs. P. B. Wooldridge, Nolan, Texas; Mrs. R. L. Dolby, Nolan, Texas.

Dora—Mr. T. H. McDonald, Mrs. T. H. McDonald, Miss Edith Coward, Dora, Texas; Mrs. Georgia Mae Kendrick, Dora, Texas.

Hylton—Mr. Fred Bagley and Miss Alice Cochran, Miss Sallie Jackson, Hylton, Texas.

Plum Creek—Miss Ruby Mae Norton and Lola Norton, Sweetwater, Texas.

Valley Creek—Miss Daisy Oliver and Miss Anna Clark, Hylton, Texas. Ada—Mrs. Eva L. Stone and L. B. Scott, Sweetwater, Texas. White Flat—W. R. Benson and Mrs. Lola Platt, Trent, Texas.

Brownlee—Miss Irva Williams and C. B. Thomas, Roscoe, Texas. Brooks—Miss Ruth Derrick and Miss Lora Mitchell, Nolan, Texas.

Champion—J. C. Gilliam, Mrs. L. C. Gilliam, Miss Maxine Murphy, Miss Inez Meador, Roscoe, Texas. Goode—Mrs. C. C. Carter and Miss Mabel Worthy, Roscoe, Texas. Cummers—Miss Ruby Russell, Maryneal, Texas.

Stamper—Mrs. E. E. Alexander, Wastella—M. M. Sheffield and Mrs. J. T. Hays, Wastella, Texas. Mesquite—Miss Maude Grace, Roscoe, Texas.

Blackwell—Supt. N. A. Terrell, F. C. Peril, Misses Allene English, Dove Shaw, Emma Gaston, Effie Copeland, Blackwell, Texas.

Maryneal—P. Curry, Misses Edith Waldrop, Margret Wiman, Maryneal, Texas.

Fairview—Mrs. Lafa Hearn, Wastella, Texas. Antelope—

Bolin—Misses Beulah Estelle Davis, Maggie L. Jaines, Martha Jane Gaines, Blackwell, Texas.

Collins—Misses Frances Carter and Elsie Russell, Blackwell, Texas.

Rock Cross 12—Miss Della Campbell, Blackwell, Texas.

Roscoe Ind. District, Roscoe, Texas. M. L. H. Baze, Supt., G. Hubert, Nelson, Prin., Miss Bertha Connell, Eng., Mrs. M. L. H. Baze, 7th Grade; Miss Thula Strafer 6th grade, Miss Maude Williams 5th grade, Miss Lybnie Falkned 4th grade, Miss Olive Chenoweth, 2nd and 3rd grades.

STOCKTON-MARTIN

Mr. Roy Martin of Sweetwater and Miss Katherine Stockton of Robert Lee were quietly married at that place Monday night, Rev. Brumloe officiating. They left immediately after the ceremony for Sweetwater their future home—Bronte Enterprise.

Nolan County held one day last week a good roads meeting with a hundred delegates present from over the county. Nolan county is taking a step forward in building good roads. West Texas towns and counties are going forward. There is ahead of West Texas a period of immense advancement along all lines. West Texas has seen a new vision and is going to do real big things.—Scurry County Times

WEATHER

West Texas tonight and Tuesday fair and cooler.

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Why is it that some of the biggest property owners of a town are sometime its biggest knockers?

Sweetwater is glad indeed to welcome tonight men of the county who are interested in the progress of the county. Men who are interested in making Nolan one of the best counties in West Texas. And there are some big tasks ahead of them. After the roads are built, come the proposition of a fair for Nolan county. Comes the proposition of a bigger and better Poultry Show; a bigger and better Hereford Show and Sale; better schools and other items that make for more money in the county and the making of it a better place wherein to live. And it goes without saying that all of these projects that make for progress that have for their object a better place wherein to live, will have the fullest support from The Reporter.

And Mussolini compares the Italian entry into Grecian territory to the Pershing expedition into Mexico! The comparison is not true. Italy and Greece are both members of the League of Nations, designed purposely to prevent the necessity of such expeditions. The League was not in existence at the time of the Pershing Expedition. Were it France and Italy instead of Greece involved, Mussolini would be glad enough to submit the proposition to the League.

Property owners should be the "pep" spreaders in our community. The more property you own the better the booster you should be. Every time the town does a little expanding the property values increase. Let the town start backward and your property will be a burden rather than a benefit. Be wise, and help those who are trying to help your town.—Big Spring Herald.

J. T. Browning left this morning on a trip to the plains accompanied by his sons Brooks and Hollis.

Work on the large electric turn-table being installed at the T. & P. shops here, has progressed sufficiently so as to permit the use of same, Thursday of last week. The installation of this ninety-foot turn-table was made necessary in order to handle the large locomotives now being used on this division.—Big Spring Herald.

Phillips Bros., are this week erecting a theatre building just east of the Star-Record office. This should be a great improvement over the Airdome occupied at present. Mr. Cooper of Sweetwater, will run the show and we will say this for Mr. Cooper, that he certainly knows how to run a show, and we believe the way he has started out the business men and people will co-operate with him and pull some kind of a trade-getter each Saturday or twice a month or which is decided to be the best advantage.—Roby Star Record.

Snyder's building Association is taking form and the campaign to put it over will soon take place. The association is to be capitalized at \$50,000 and chartered under the laws of Texas. Assessments or paid in capital will be required in sufficient sums to take care of the building program as needed. The management to be under a board of directors. The date for the campaign to put over the organization is to be set for the middle of October. The committee having the organization in hand selected from the Chamber of Commerce is composed of A. J. Cody, J. W. Leftwich and Sam Hamlett.—Scurry County Times.

ENJOYABLE PARTY

Friday afternoon Misses Laura and Elvera Wylie entertained a number of their friends with a play party from four to six thirty at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Wylie on N. W. Street.

Games of every description on the lawn and several merry contests in the living room formed the afternoon diversions. Misses Georgia Sheppard and Estelle Gage won the prizes in the contests.

Enjoyable readings were given by Misses Woodrow Sheridan, Georgia Sheppard, and Laura Wylie. Miss Estelle Gage rendered several piano numbers.

Mrs. E. B. Britton and Miss Estelle Gage assisted Mrs. Wylie in serving the refreshment course to guests.

John McKissick left Saturday night for Johnson City, Tenn., where he will resume his studies in Milligan College.

Miss Nita McDaniel left Saturday night for Baird where she will resume her position in the Baird High School as English teacher.

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TEST MENTALITY

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By The United Press, CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—First thing you know they'll be trying Edison's questionnaire on the babies!

Simple mentality tests, practiced on infants from six to fifteen months old, show that a normal child should be able to do the following:

- Listen to a watch ticking at six months.
- Take a few fallows out of a cup held to it slips, at seven months.
- Pick up a piece of sugar or crumb using the forefinger and thumb, at nine months.
- Tap a bell to hear the ring at twelve months and put a cork in a bottle at fifteen months.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Evanson says so. The local chapter has made public a report of Dr. Bird S. Baldwin, director of the child welfare research station at Iowa state university, which describes mental tests for babies and children.

"When is a child old enough to do things for itself?" asks Doctor Baldwin. "Can a baby of 3 years take off and put on its own wraps? Can it carry its bottle full of milk, and wash and empty the bottle, put away its toys, start a phonograph and play agreeably with other children; in short can it, within its own little world of things itself?"

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become confident, active little personalities, free from the fears of restraint which have led psychologists to say that young children are not sociable beings.

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"Obviously, a person may be highly intelligent and still be a useless or even a dangerous citizen, while a person of only average intelligence may be a valuable citizen, because moved by social enthusiasm and altruism. The problem in which the research station is interested is how to develop altruism and good citizenship in childhood.

Miss Ruth Webster is in Fort Worth on business for the T-P railway with whom she is employed.

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Jim Bartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bartley, was very seriously injured just afternoon Wednesday when a section of the big incubator in the City Hall fell on him. He was working on it, dissembling it by himself when it fell on him and the weight was so great that he could not extricate himself. He was taken to a drug store and a physician attended him and pronounced his back probably broken.—Rotan Advance.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ozment of Crawford are guests of her sister, Mrs. Walter Bennett. They were married

at their home city last Wednesday and are here on their bridal tour.

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"I was so run-down in health I could hardly go. I was thin. I had no appetite. Could not rest or sleep well. I was so weak, and so very nervous, I was no pleasure to myself.

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"I have never found anything better for a run-down condition."

If you suffer as this Louisiana lady did, you, too, should find Cardui helpful for your troubles.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

STATE OF TEXAS:

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Nolan County: Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon J. C. Brumley and the unknown heirs of J. C. Brumley, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Nolan County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Sweetwater on the 1st Monday in October, A. D. 1923, the same being the 1st day of October, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1923, in a suit

numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2099, where I, Lee Lusk, plaintiff and J. C. Brumley and the unknown heirs of J. C. Brumley are defendants and the cause of action being alleged as follows: That on or about the 25th day of March, 1922, plaintiff lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lots, land and premises situated in Nolan County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit: Lots Nos. Twenty-Three (23) and Twenty-Four (24) in Block No. Seventy-Three (73) in the Orient Addition to the town of Sweetwater, Nolan County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said Addition on file in the County Clerk's office of Nolan County, Texas, reference to which is hereby made for a more perfect description. Wherefore, plaintiff asks judgment for title and possession of the said above described lots, land and premises and that he have

his writ or restitution therefor, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on said day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Sweetwater, Texas, this 24th day of August, A. D., 1923.

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HEAVY REDUCTION

The substantial reduction in Chevrolet prices announced September 1st, caused a great surprise in the automobile world, in view of the common opinion that good grounds existed for expecting higher prices.

C. S. Boyles Motor Co., local Chevrolet dealers state that they had no intimation that a reduction was coming, as they knew that for more than six months the Chevrolet Company has been unable to fill half the volume of orders received. Three new assembly plants at Janesville, Wis.; Buffalo, N. Y. and Cincinnati, Ohio and six new body plants adjoining assembly plants are rapidly building up production so that it is believed the Company will shortly be in position to fill a much larger proportion of its orders as it is the fixed policy of the Chevrolet Motor Company to price its products as low as production costs permit. The greatly increased production now possible with seven assembly and six body plants and four parts plants insures construction and overhead savings reflected in the new list prices and which constitute an important step towards still more economical transportation.

There is no change in the models. The following are comparisons of the old and new prices:

	Old Price	New Price
Roadster	\$510.00	\$490.00
Touring	\$525.00	\$495.00
Utility Coupe	\$480.00	\$640.00
Sedan	\$860.00	\$795.00
Com. Chassis	\$425.00	\$395.00
Light delivery	\$510.00	\$495.00
Utility Express Truck	\$575.00	\$550.00

(Adv.)

The little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buttrill died at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the effects of a rattlesnake bite received that morning at about 9 o'clock. The family recently came here from Lamesa and were picking cotton for J. A. Barker, in the Dorras community, where she was bitten. It was said to be a very large snake. The remains were laid to rest in the Dowell cemetery Thursday afternoon.—Rotan Advance.

R. Chitwood has returned from Austin where he attended a meeting of the State Educational Survey Committee.

Miss Loraine Martin has returned to her home at Post after visiting L. A. Eberle and family here.

Calgary, Alb.—Alberta is third among the provinces of Canada in the quantity and value of butter produced.

Sheriff Hawley Allen of Coke County passed through Sweetwater Monday afternoon enroute to Bronte from Abilene.

Miss Lucille Barnes of Sylvester is visiting Miss Gaylon Orr.

Sheriff Jack Yarbrough is in Abilene attending the Ross-Goode trial.

Mrs. W. S. Killebrew has returned from a two months visit at Houston with her daughter.

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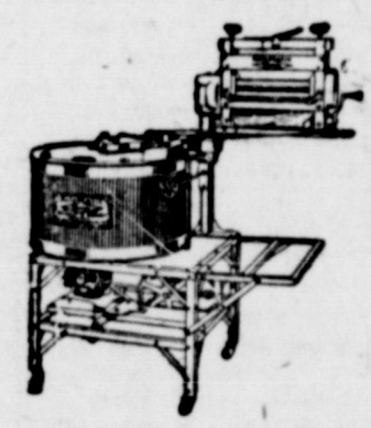
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FOR RENT—Modern six room house.—Phone 80. 189tfc

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MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Gray wicker baby carriage, good condition, phone 554-J. 186tfc

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WANTED—Clean cotton rags, no strings or stockings, 5c per lb.—Reporter office.

WANTED—To buy small house in town; have Ford as part deal.—M. M. Aldredge. 187-16p.

FOR SALE—Piano, cheap for cash.—20 Ash St. 186tfdp

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WANTED—Girl for general house work, phone 455. 188tfc

POSTED—My ranch on Bitter Creek is posted and all hunting and shooting is prohibited. I have the Gardner Ranch under lease and this is also posted. Keep out and avoid trouble.—John D. Childers. 188130p

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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.

R. L. Cook reports the sale of 2709 acres of land out of the C. C. Slaughter pastures in the northwest corner of Howard County the past two weeks, at the prevailing price of approximately \$16 per acre.

Among the purchasers were: T. F. Stokes of Lamesa, 640 acres; C. S.

Carwile of Lamesa, 420 acres; Tom Phillips, Big Spring, 320 acres; Moore Bros., Lamesa, 320 acres; Lauderdale & Son, Lamesa, 320 acres; Jim and Same Hale, Colorado, 480 acres; Harry Graham, Big Spring, 160 acres; C. S. Sabell, Gorman, 160 acres. In addition to the above Mr. Cook and J. B. Shockley sold in that same section of the country, 640 acres to Reece N. Adams, Big Spring; and 160 acres to Mr. Moller of Big Spring.—Big Spring Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison of Oklahoma City, have located in the city and are living on Lamar St. Mr. Harrison is connected with the Gypsum Company. Miss Kemble Roy left Sunday night for Chickasha, Okla., where she will resume her studies in the Oklahoma College of Industrial Arts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Trammell and family have returned to their home on E. 3rd street after spending the summer in their ranch near Loraine.

CONSUMERS ENTITLED TO PROTECTION.

From Farm and Ranch. State Senator John Davis of Dallas, in a recent after dinner speech, characterized the "Truth in Fabric" bill introduced in the Legislature as class legislation for the benefit of the wool growers only. While Senator Davis has earned a reputation for conservative ideas as a member of the Texas law making body, Farm and Ranch has no hesitancy in taking issue with him in his view of this bill. Senator Davis, we believe, has not given the subject as careful study as he should, and when he does, no

one would be surprised to see him reverse his opinion.

The "Truth in Fabric" bill would protect the consumers of wool products just as does the pure food laws of the nation. Very few consumers of wool products know whether or not they are buying virgin wool or just plain shoddy. Not many merchants can tell, from the appearance of a suit of clothes, whether or not it is shoddy. The one sure way to tell is in the wearing, and while manufacturers often say that shoddy cloth wears as well as cloth made of virgin wool, the experience of most consumers disproves that statement. At any rate, the buyer of a suit of clothes has a right to know of what material it is made, and the statement that it is "all wool" is calculated to deceive him. An article may be all wool and yet be shoddy, which is made up of old rags, old army uniforms and trash.

Farm and Ranch is for the "Truth in Fabric" bill, both state and national. It would be for it if it was

only to protect the growers of wool against competition of the rag pickers, but Farm and Ranch takes the broader view which it commends to Senator Davis and others. The public is entitled to protection against deception. If shoddy is as good as virgin wool, let the manufacturers brand it "Shoddy" and demonstrate to the consuming public. If shoddy cloth and shoddy clothes can be made cheaper than virgin wool cloth and clothes, let it be sold for less. Why permit the manufacturers and merchants to deceive the consumers? Why not sell an article under a true label?

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