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THREE LIARS IS RAYBURN TOPIC

Thirteen Respond to Evangelists First Invitation—Tabernacle is Packed To Hear Sermon

MANY MEETINGS TODAY

Individual Services at Sunday School—Each Congregation With Union Services Balance of Day

The Rayburn revival meeting reached its turning point Friday night when thirteen people responded to the call and came down the aisle after Rayburn had preached a stirring sermon on God's call and the excuses of men.

The choir was composed of over 90 voices and rendered exceptional music. The tabernacle was filled to capacity. Among those present were the members of the Sweetwater Company of the National Guard, who attended in a body.

Friday's Bible study class was attended by 151 people. There were 202 present at the Friday prayer meeting. One hundred seventy-five prayers being offered.

For his text Friday Rayburn took the following text from the Bible: "And He said come for all things are ready, and they all began to make excuses." Then he followed with reading the "Three excuses of the Three Liars." The first saying that he had just bought land and had to attend to it; the second, that he had bought five yoke of oxen and had to try them out; the last, that he had married a wife and could not come. Then Rayburn gave the various excuses of the present time for excusing God's call. "The first," he said, "is, 'I am not ready.' That is speaking as though you had all the say so. God has His part and there is no greater insult offered him than that one excuse. Then there are the boos who say, 'I can't.' They couldn't use that excuse anywhere else; they are no such fools there. There are those who would make God a liar by saying that the way is too hard, for God said that the way of the sinner is harder. Look at the sinners' lot in the pen and in the gutter, then look into some peaceful Christian home and draw your own conclusions."

Continuing, Rayburn gave the other excuses, friendships, business, and the church's hypocrites. "Some say friends keep them from the decision," he said, "but there is no friend worthy of that distinction who would place anything in the way of a friend's life even tho he be a drunkard and criminal."

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HEATED DEBATES ON TAX PROBLEM

Tax Bill Ripped Asunder in Partisan Squabbles Between Republicans and Democrats

MELLON DENOUNCED

Senator Simms Charges "Political Favors" to Big Business

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 2.—The Senate went to the heart of the tax bill today taking up the surtax rates with heated partisan debates.

With Republicans staunchly defending the Mellon rate the Democrats launched a drive favoring their own schedule. When the debates closed for the day indications were that a vote will be taken on this section of the bill next Tuesday.

Senator Simms, North Carolina, Democratic leader, started the fireworks by denouncing Mellon and the Republican leaders whom he charged were endeavoring to "render political favors to big business."

Senator McLean, Connecticut, Republican member of the Finance Committee, answered Simms with a strong defense of Mellon rates which he contended would result in increased prosperity all over the country.

GROCER DIES

By The United Press. CHICAGO, Ill., May 3.—Frank C. Letts, 63, reputed to be the world's largest wholesale grocer, died today. Letts is survived by his widow, one son, three daughters, one brother and two sisters, the latter being Mrs. H. E. Keys of Temple, Texas, and Mrs. J. R. Ream of Center, Kansas.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

9:30 a. m.—Sunday School at all churches.

10:30 a. m.—Rayburn preaches at tabernacle on "The Missing Disciple."

2:30 p. m.—Rayburn talks at tabernacle to men and boys on "Manhood."

3 p. m.—Woman's prayer-meeting at Methodist Church, led by O. A. Cheek.

6:15 p. m.—Union Young People's meeting at First Baptist Church.

7:30 p. m.—Rayburn preaches tabernacle on "Hell."

Weather

Sunday—Partly cloudy.

SATURDAY BLAZE CAUSES BIG LOSS

Fire Originating in Central Hotel—Early Saturday Extinguished After Gallant Fight

FIREMEN COMPLIMENTED

Loss on Buildings, Hotel Furnishings and Hubbard Dry Goods Stock Estimated at \$6,000

Excellent work on the part of the local fire department early Saturday morning prevented the spreading of what threatened to develop into a disastrous conflagration when fire broke out in the Central Hotel, in the Archer building, at 5 a. m.

The fire originated in a cook stove in the Central Hotel, operated by Mrs. J. W. Wright, causing an estimated damage of \$300. Damage to the Archer building, it was said, would not exceed \$500 while the stock of goods of the Hubbard Dry Goods Store, occupying the ground floor, was damaged by water to the extent of \$5,000. Mr. Hubbard was unable to accurately estimate the damage to his stock by smoke.

The fire, which had gained considerable headway when the alarm was turned in, was quickly extinguished after a gallant fight by the local fire department. John Hubbard, in speaking of the fire, said:

"Ultra conservative yet superb work by the fire boys abruptly stopped what looked for a few minutes like a very bad blaze. In the vernacular of slang, those boys certainly 'know their okra.' Instead of shooting a stream of water in all directions, those boys first found the fire and then proceeded to extinguish it in a business-like manner. But for excellent work on their part I believe my entire stock would have been ruined by water. Mrs. Archer also was much impressed and well pleased with efforts of the Sweetwater Fire Department."

REFER TO JURY

Congressman Wurzbach Advises Rangers to Take Liquor Complaints to Federal Grand Jury

By The United Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 3.—Congressman Wurzbach representing this district today advised Captain Baldwin of the Texas Rangers stationed here to go before the Federal grand jury with his complaint against the United States District Attorney office for refusing to accept complaints in liquor cases where the Rangers had made arrests on residential property without search warrants. Members of local W. C. T. U. are also conferring with Congressman Wurzbach about the liquor complaints.

RETURN TO WORK

Forty Thousand Missouri Coal Miners Reach Salary Agreement

By The United Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 3.—Forty thousand coal miners of the southwest returned to work Monday, a joint committee of miners and operators announced tonight. Old wage scale agreement which expired April 1, is reported to have been renewed. The decision comes after three weeks negotiating wrought with dissent. Both mine officials and operators refused to discuss the decision.

LOST IN BLEAK ARCTIC WASTES

Major Martin of United States Round the World Flyers Missing 75 Hours—Was Without Food

FRENCHMAN MAKES TIME

Lieutenant Pelletier D'Oisy Flies From Karachi to Agra, India, Making Fast Time to Japan

By The United Press. CORDOVIA, Alaska, May 3.—Searchers for Major Frederick L. Martin, missing leader of the American round-the-world flight, tonight seemed resolved to do battle against cruel Arctic wastes and with fading hopes. With a wonderful courage the searchers refused to accept defeat and merely pressed on harder at each set-back.

At 2 o'clock Major Martin and Sergeant Alva Harvey, his mechanic, had been missing 75 hours. They practically had no food when they roared away from Ghignik, hoping to reach Dutch Harbor in a few hours. They faced chill winds in an almost uncharted country so forbidding that even the wildest Indians refuse to inhabit it.

Frenchman Ahead

By The United Press. PARIS, France, May 3.—French efforts to win long distance aerial supremacy advanced another lap today when Lieut. Pelletier D'Oisy arrived at Agra, British India, from Karachi at 1:30 p. m., according to advices to the Air Ministry here. D'Oisy is making the flight from France to Japan in record time.

BATTLE FLOODS

Missouri River Threatens Bridges and Rich Farm Lands Value \$2,000,000 at Harmony, Mo.

HARMONY, Mo., May 3.—Crews of workmen battled tonight to prevent the Missouri River overflowing. Two bridges and rich farm lands, valued at two millions of dollars, were endangered. Should the river overflow its banks it would threaten the Chicago & Alton right-of-way.

Glasgow, Missouri, a river town will be isolated if the river overflows.

Late reports said the river was receding but added that swift currents were undermining the improvised dikes.

LET CONTRACT

First Baptist Church Lets Contract to Cisco Firm—Work to Get Under Way Next Week

The Johnson Construction Company of Cisco has been awarded the contract for completing the new First Baptist Church. Work will begin Monday morning and the building rushed to completion.

The American Seating Company was the successful bidder in the competition for pews. A handsome golden oak pew with ends of classic design was bought.

The Dallas Art Glass Company was awarded the contract for windows which will be of elegant design.

At an early date the representatives of this company will be in Sweetwater to meet all those who care to place a memorial window in the church. Five of these have already been taken. When finished the new church will be one of the handsomest and most complete in West Texas.

CANDIDATE COMING

Joe Burkett of Eastland to be in Sweetwater Wednesday

Joe Burkett of Eastland, former Senator of this district and candidate for Governor of Texas will speak in Sweetwater Wednesday night at 8 o'clock according to announcement mailed The Reporter.

His itinerary for the week will include Anson, Stamford and Haskell Monday; Rule, Aspermont and Jayton Tuesday; Clairmont, Rotan and Roby Wednesday morning and afternoon; and Sweetwater in the evening; Merkel, Lawn, Ovalo and Tuscola Thursday, Cross Plains, Putnam and Moran Friday with Baird and Abilene Saturday.

MC ADOO CARRIES STATE OF TEXAS

Early Returns Indicate That He Was Favorite in Precinct Conventions Held Today

UNDERWOOD RUNS SECOND

And Uninstructed Slate Supported by Governor Neff Runs Poor Third in Proceedings

DALLAS, Texas, May 3.—William Gibbs McAdoo is the popular choice of Texas for the Democratic presidential nomination, according to early returns tonight in the State-wide precinct convention.

McAdoo carried the bulk of the rural precincts which held local primaries this afternoon to select delegates for the county convention next Tuesday.

McAdoo led in Houston with Senator Oscar Underwood second and an uninstructed slate supported by Governor Neff, running a poor third. McAdoo carried Dallas County, including the city, according to early reports.

Cato Sells, Texas' manager for McAdoo early tonight claimed the entire State had gone for his candidate.

Carries Dallas

DALLAS, Texas, May 3.—McAdoo was the favorite in 223 out of 372 precincts which had reported at 9 o'clock Saturday night. Delegates instructed for Underwood carried 31 precincts. Uninstructed delegates won in 118 precincts.

Predict Victory

DALLAS, Texas, May 3.—Saturday's primaries are considered an almost certain barometer in the ultimate outcome of the state convention.

Nolan For McAdoo

With two out of three precincts in Sweetwater and also Roscoe voting for a delegation to the County Democratic Convention to vote for a delegation instructed for W. G. McAdoo as Democratic nominee for president, advance indications are that Nolan County will be safely in the McAdoo column following the formality of holding the County Conventions here in Sweetwater next Tuesday.

The usual scant attention was paid to the primaries in the precincts and there were 30 votes polled in the East Ward, 22 in the West Ward and a similarly small number in the South Ward at the City Hall.

In the East Ward, the only ward in the city to vote for an uninstructed delegation, the vote stood 17 to 13 in favor of uninstructed delegation and in the West Ward the vote was 14 to 8 for an instructed delegation. The South ward was similarly light.

In the East Ward R. C. Crane introduced a resolution endorsing Senator Earle B. Mayfield. A motion to table the resolution was lost by a vote of 13 to 11.

At the convention held in Blackwell Saturday, it was voted to send a delegation to the county convention in favor of an uninstructed delegation to the State Convention.

PENSIONS VETOED

President Coolidge Vetoes Bursum Bill Calling For Increased Pension Payments to Soldiers

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 2.—President Coolidge today vetoed the Bursum Pension bill. The President's action followed reports that had been made to him by pension officers and director of the budget Lord.

The bill called for an expenditure of \$55,000,000 and granted increase of pension to veterans, widows and dependent children and nurses of the Civil War, Mexican War, War of 1812, the Spanish, Philippine and Boxer wars and to maimed soldiers of all wars.

War veterans pensions were increased from \$50 to \$75 a month.

BANK IS CLOSED

By The United Press.

LOCUST GROVE, Ok., May 3.—State bank officials were in charge of the local State bank, whose failure to realize on farm credits caused its doors to be closed today.

The bank was capitalized for \$15,000 with deposits of \$32,000. W. A. Drury was president.

Texas Klansmen Organize Hooded Order For Youths

Klan By The United Press.

DALLAS, Texas, May 3.—Organization of a klan for boy's use between the ages of 12 and 18 years was announced today by M. M. Hinton, state director of the "realm" of Texas. Hinton optimistically announced he expected to have 30,000 boys in the junior hooded order in Texas. He will be the "Klokkan." Objects of the young klan will be to teach American youths the "principles of Americanism," Hinton asserted.

Filial love, including obedience to parents will be stressed, he announced.

FRESH OUTBREAK OF CUBAN RIOTS

President Zayas and Cabinet Leave For Cienfuegos, Province Santa Clara—Takes Charge

ASK U. S. FOR MUNITIONS

State Department Receives Request For \$400,000 Worth of Arms and Ammunition From Cuba

By The United Press.

CIENFUEGOS, Cuba, May 3.—President Zayas on his special train carrying members of the cabinet arrived here late today without incident.

The President stated that his visit was for the purpose of gathering first hand information of the revolution. He probably will not venture outside of the city where the rebels are reported to be mobilizing.

Newspaper Suspended

By The United Press. HAVANA, Cuba, May 3.—The government continues to give reassuring statements tonight on the military situation, denying rumors of fresh rebel outbreaks in the Province of Santa Clara.

President Zayas, Secretary of Agriculture Betancourt and Secretary of the Interior Iturralde, with their families, left today ostensibly for Cienfuegos which has been the center of the troubled zone.

The newspaper El Sol, a Spanish language daily, was suspended today by order of the government for publishing articles considered detrimental to the administration.

Ask Arms.

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 2.—The Cuban Government has asked the United States to sell a large quantity of ammunition for the use of quelling the revolution in the island, it was learned at the State Department today.

The amount asked for was not revealed but it is understood \$400,000 worth is asked for. Secretary of State Hughes has turned the request over to the War Department.

J. W. Turner of Santa Anna came in Saturday for a few days business visit.

Tom Morris announced Saturday that he would motor over to Westbrook to spend the Sabbath with boyhood acquaintances.

Man From Houston Dies in Virginia Hospital From Self-Inflicted Bullet Wound—Leaves Family

By The United Press.

RICHMOND, Va., May 3.—R. F. Skull, 40, who came here from Houston, Texas, in March, died in Memorial hospital today as a result of a bullet wound in his head.

Police said that Skull had shot himself but refused to give further information. There were peculiar circumstances to the shooting in that the bullet entered the head on the lower left side, coming out on the other side.

Skull's wife was with him here, having come from Houston Tuesday. She left a 10-months' old baby in Houston. She told officers she came here upon receipt of a letter from her husband saying he was going to divorce her.

MANY SUBSCRIBE FOR SCHOOL FUND

Committees Have Collected Less Than Half Amount Necessary to Continue Nine Month Term

URGE FULL CO-OPERATION

Unless Everyone Interested in Schools Contribute Campaign Cannot Go Over Top

Subscriptions so far received to continue operation of the schools the full nine months term amount to \$2203.50, with still more to come in. A total of about \$5,000 in addition to the delinquent taxes—or \$3,000 in addition to the amount already subscribed is needed.

The committee named to raise the money by G. E. Bradford, president of the school board at the mass meeting Wednesday is composed of George H. Sheppard, Rev. J. T. McKissick and J. A. McCurdy. This committee visited the schools, and put up the proposition to the scholars—the shape the school finances were in, and asked the boys and girls to take up the matter with their parents. This was done as a matter of saving time, as it is urgent that the money be subscribed quickly. The committee visited as many persons as possible but naturally have been unable to see everyone. People are urged to get their subscriptions in quickly.

Unless everyone interested in the schools, and especially parents of children contribute, it will not be possible to continue the full nine months term.

The school board has promised the Reporter a detailed statement of the year's financial operations, showing receipts and expenditures. This will be published as soon as it is available.

Among those who subscribed are the following:

City National Bank, \$200; West Texas Electric Co., \$100; First National Bank, \$200; Texas Bank and Trust Co., \$200; Sweetwater Laundry, \$50; B. All, Beall & Beall, \$50; Higginbotham-Bartlett, \$50; G. H. Sheppard, \$25; Rufus Wright, \$25; Joe H. Boothe, \$25; John Farmer, \$25; Jack Yarbrough, \$25; A. S. Kendrick, \$25; John Millsap, \$25; S. I. Edwards, \$25.

W. H. Bartlett, \$25; Sweetwater Reporter, \$25; Walter L. Boothe, \$25; H. B. Allen, \$25; T. W. Farris, \$25; W. R. Johnson, \$25; Jim Barnett, \$25; Burton-Lingo, \$50; J. M. Taber, \$5; Mrs. Tom Hughes, \$5; S. W. Browning, \$10; D. A. Clark, \$25; Gotcher,

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ABANDON SEARCH FOR WIFE KILLER

Citizens Possé Trails Alleged Slayer For 24 Hours—Discovers Hat Near River Bank

TO DYNAMITE RIVER

Wife Beaten to Death Friday With Hammer—Five-Year-Old Son is Found Lying By Her Side

By The United Press.

GRAHAM, Texas, May 3.—Search by a citizen posse for W. E. Crick, farmer, accused of slaying his wife and 5-year-old son, was abandoned tonight.

The suspect's hat was found on the banks of the Brazos River, leading authorities to believe he had committed suicide. His footprints leading into the water led searchers to believe that Crick had drowned himself.

The Sheriff's force, which has conducted a 24-hour search for the alleged slayer, made arrangements to dynamite the river, it was stated.

Mrs. Crick was found lying in the chicken yard of the farm home near the body of her son, late Friday. Her skull had been brutally beaten in with a hammer.

Witnesses testified today that Crick left his plow just two hours before the slaying and then suddenly disappeared; a charge of murder was then filed against him.

A posse of more than 200 citizens searched the river low-lands for 24 hours until they trailed the suspect to the banks of the river where they found his hat and footprints leading into the water.

"We feel certain that Crick has drowned himself and that the river will give up his body," the Sheriff said.

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McADOO
 Judging by early returns, McAdoo seems to be the popular choice of Texas for the Democratic nomination for President. While final results are not obtainable and probably will not be until the County Conventions on Tuesday, the situation seems to be McAdoo leading, Oscar Underwood second and with those in favor of an uninstruced delegation a rather poor third. Governor Neff's active championship of the latter cause did not apparently have any effect on the situation. The Texas delegation, 40 strong, will aid the cause of McAdoo materially in the Democratic national convention. It will not off-set Al Smith's Tammany Hall aggregation from New York but with Jimmy Cox carrying Ohio, and various and sundry other delegations already in favor of McAdoo, it looks like that Democratic convention is going to run true to form and into a nice deadlock. Much greater uncertainty surrounds the Democratic choice than that of the Republicans, where the Progressives are the only obstacle in the otherwise harmonious path of Coolidge.

INSTRUCTED
 Results in Sweetwater and Roscoe Saturday presage that Nolan County will vote to send a delegation to the State Convention in favor of McAdoo. Nolan County precincts are entitled to a total of 104 delegates to the County Convention held here Tuesday afternoon May 6 to 2 p. m. The South and West Wards each have 16 delegates with 17 from Roscoe, makes a total of 49—all of whom are definitely instructed for McAdoo. The East Ward of Sweetwater is entitled to 20 delegates. These are pledged to vote for an uninstruced delegation. Blackwell voted uninstruced. If all of the 35 delegates in the County outside of the district named were sent to vote for an uninstruced delegation, the anti-instruced forces could theoretically carry the county

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but is hardly likely that the smaller precincts held such meetings.

NEED MONEY
 The school proposition in Sweetwater has come to a show-down. Either our schools continue the balance of the term or they don't. It's up to you. At this report, there has been something like \$2,000 contributed. About \$3,000 more is needed. There is a total deficit of about \$7,000 according to the school board. The other \$2,000 it is believed, can be realized from unpaid delinquent taxes upon which vigorous collection efforts are being made. Suits will be instituted promptly, the school board says. And how about that special election to raise the school taxes to a figure where the schools of the city can be supported without this donation proceedings? In most cases donations are being made based upon the promise that the said special election will be held as soon as legally possible so as to place the schools upon a proper financial basis.

There is no question about the financial needs now. The way to help on that is a check, payable to M. B. Howard, secretary of the school board, and sent to the committee in charge of raising the funds. And the way to dodge this annual donation to the schools is to vote in favor of the increased tax rate. It is up to you.

Ben F. Smith, in the Scurry County Times, advises feed crops and says 1925 and 1926 will be dry. Here's what he says:

Lots of people pay as little attention to weather predictions as they do to other prophesies, but in general way over a period of years these predictions are found correct. So far the predictions that were made a year ago are hitting regularly with evidence that there will be sufficient rainfall to make a crop this year. However all weather forecasters predict that the years 1925 and 1926 will be dry not only for West Texas but for the whole United States, the insufficiency of rainfall will mean a crop shortage causing great hardship.

Rainfall records show that these periods of short rainfall recur at intervals of about seven years and lasts from two to three years; that our last real drouth commenced in 1916 and extended through 1918; the drouth before that commenced in 1909, or seven years beforehand and lasted through the greater part of four years, the drouth before that commenced about seven years previous, lasting two years. History repeats itself and without predictions of weather forecasters our records show us that 1925 and 1926 are due to be dry; with a short feed crop there are going to be untold numbers of West Texas farmers looking for help

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before the end of this time, and if we do not mend our ways there will be demands for drouth relief from the State again.

Histories are written for us that we might heed the successes and the failures of those that have gone before; the history of West Texas has been written in failure of men to build their reserves with years of plenty for years of utmost need. There are a few days for the planting of a greater feed crop, the opportunity is still here but only those of us who can remember backward over a short period of less than four years will avail themselves of this opportunity. Drunk with the success of cotton we are wild in the delerium of anticipation for another bumper crop with a bumper price, but what of 1925 and 1926?

OPEN MIND COLUMN

West A. Street, R 1, Ontario, Cal., April 28.—Editor Reporter: Glad to hear an opinion concerning water mains of Sweetwater. I heartily agree with the item by H. L. Owens (in Open Mind Column of April 25). I have 12 acres in block 22 T-P Survey, within city limits. I was in Sweetwater in September, 1921. I brought my family there, thinking of building a home on my property, but found it would cost too much to get the water to my place. Having lived in California, I came on out. I noticed the towns that grow fast out here have fine water systems. I hope Sweetwater boosters get behind the water system, as there is so much good water there, it would pay well.

Glad to hear of so many improvements in Sweetwater and West Texas in general. I think I will come back there in a year or less time.
 J. C. NICHOLS.

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Miss Laura Robinson a member of the Senior Class is spending the weekend with her parents at Hyiton.

Dalton Moore will return tonight from a business trip to Dallas.

L. A. Ritter returned home from Snyder Saturday, where he spent the week.

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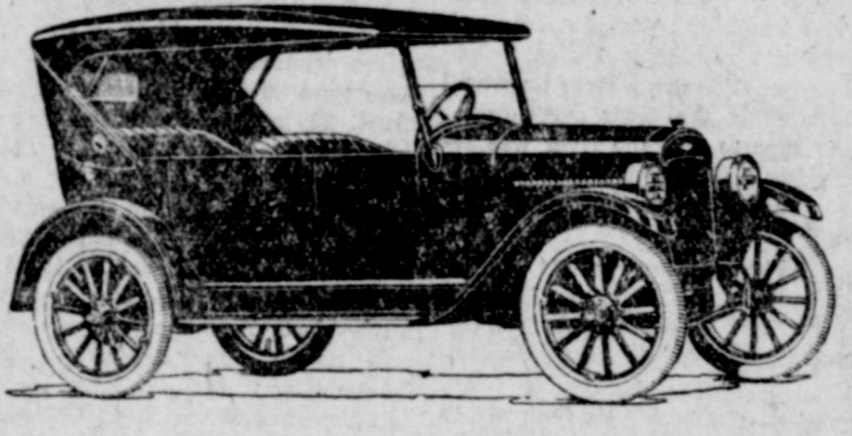
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Hylton Man Has Hen That Breaks Records

A Black Minorca hen, owned by R. E. Burwick of Hylton, set the pace in egg-laying a few days ago by laying a giant egg weighing one-half pound, and measuring 10 inches in circumference length-wise and 8 inches around the center.

As far as is known this smashes all Nolan County records as to the size of eggs. The egg is now at the Sweetwater Hatchery, and its weight was so great that it crushed its own shell.

Go to Rita's Gift Shop for your Mother's Day gift. 80c

Young Peoples' Society

The girls of the Young Peoples' Missionary Society met Friday afternoon at the home of their supervisor, Mrs. M. A. Belcher, who conducted the devotional part of the meeting and

directed an interesting lesson from "Leaven in Japan." Miss Eula May Hemby told the story of "The Daughters of the House-Boat" and of the wonderful missionary work that is being done in China from house-boats. Next Friday's meeting will be held at the tabernacle. Refreshments were served.

SWATTERS LOSE

Half Dozen Infield Boots Give Hamlin Friday Game, 7 to 1

Inability to hit at opportune times, coupled with loose play, gave Hamlin an easy victory over the local high school team Friday, 7 to 1.

The Hamlin maulers, on their own lot, accumulated eight timely swats while the visitors garnered but six.

Pence and Crutcher was the battery for Sweetwater.

May 11th, will be Mother's Day and you will want to send your mother a pretty gift, go to Rita's Gift Shop before you make your selection. 80c

MARRIED AT BEAUMONT

Former Local School Teacher Weds Port Arthur Man

Word has been received here by friends announcing the marriage of Miss Gladys Tingle to Mr. Gordon Atherholt of Port Arthur on April 31 at Beaumont where Miss Tingle has been teaching school.

Miss Tingle formerly taught English in the Sweetwater High School for several years. While here she made numerous friends. The couple are to make their home at Port Arthur where Mr. Atherholt is a prominent business man.

Charlton Moves

J. M. Charlton has accepted a position with the California Oil Co., located at Colorado, and will move his family there as soon as he can dispose of his home here. He was formerly a scout for the Gulf Company with headquarters at Sweetwater.

Rita's Gift Shop will carry all kinds of pretty gifts to send your mother next Sunday. See them before you make your selection.

"BEST YET" BREAD

Has a flavor all its own, with a quality that could not be any higher. Don't worry and stew in a hot kitchen when your family can have the advantage of our tasty products. Ask your dealer for baked goods from

WHITAKER'S BAKERY

Mrs. S. O. Wulfjen of Colorado is spending several days with her father, Rev. J. R. Henson, during the absence of Mrs. Henson, who was called to Clarendon, on account of the illness of one of their little granddaughters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Carter.

RESTORE SERVICE

Telephone Company Makes Quick Repair in Colorado

COLORADO, Texas, May 3.—Telephone service was restored in Colorado this week after a suspension of six days following the fire at the B. F. Dulaney building which completely destroyed the exchange of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here.

The toll taken by the fire, which is supposed to have originated between the ceiling and roof of the building, is now estimated at \$27,000.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bryant of Stamford are spending the week-end here with Mrs. W. W. Hudson.

The funniest thing about politics, we know, is the fellow who thinks he did it all.—Tulsa Daily World.

For Utmost Kitchen Comfort

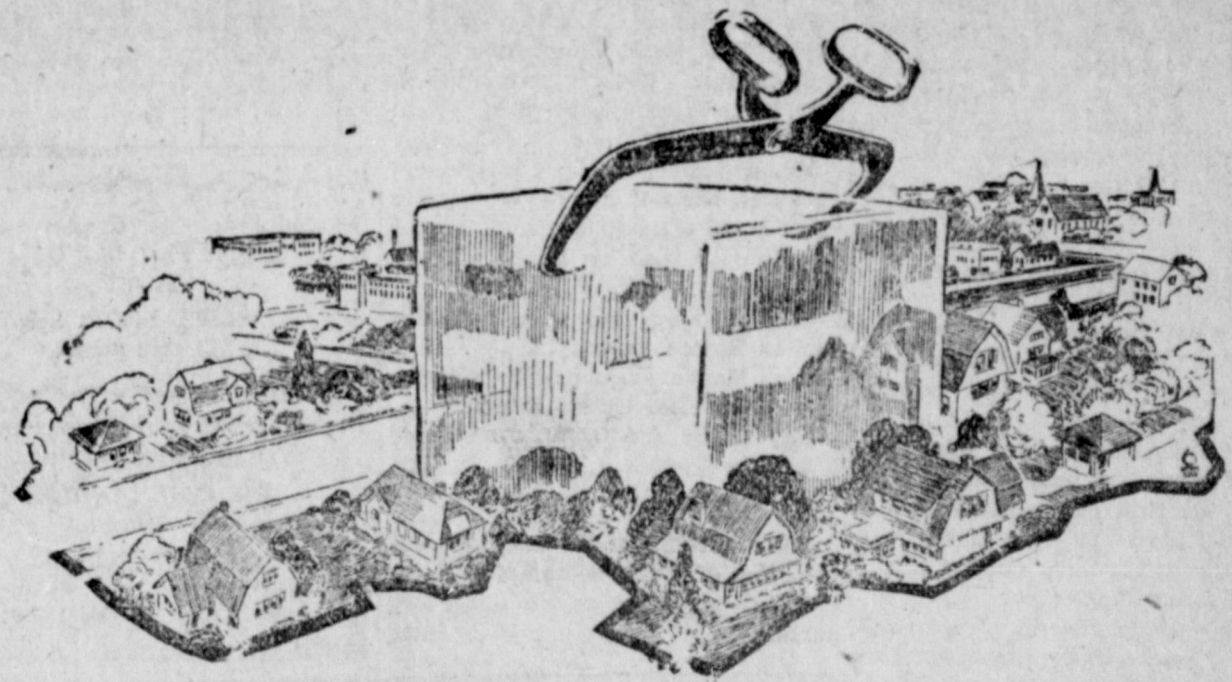


This New Sellers Kitchen Cabinet

Excelling in convenience, durability, and vermin proof construction, this new SELLERS is indeed one that every woman will instinctively want in her kitchen. It is attractive in appearance, to begin with. And then further examination discloses everything that is needed for the days work in the kitchen, right at hand. Not a single unnecessary step is taken in preparation of a meal. The flour bin comes down where it can be filled easily. There is a tiny sand glass to time eggs so they will be done "just right." The porcelain top replaces the kitchen table and is so easily kept clean. There are handy little contrivances just above the casters to keep inquisitive ants out of the eatables. Mice cannot get in. There is a place for everything—a joy for the housewife who prides herself upon neatness

WE WOULD VERY MUCH APPRECIATE AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHOW YOU THE VARIOUS MODELS, VARIOUSLY PRICED, NOW IN OUR STORE

WRIGHT FURNITURE CO.



Our Ice Plant At Your Service

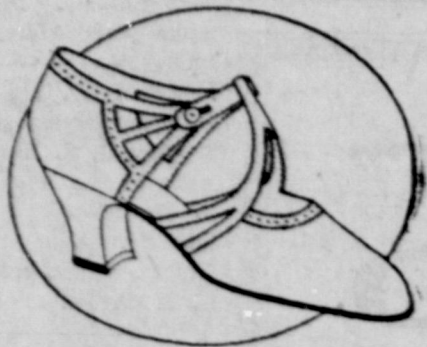
During the coming months when ice becomes a real necessity, we want you to remember that our plant and our organization are at your service. It is our intention to put the correct amount of ice into your home every day that you want it. It is the intention of our drivers and ourselves to be courteous to everyone of our customers.

Be sure that your ice card is placed in a convenient place where our driver can see it. Do this early in the morning so that by no chance can he get by. Or phone 204 if without ice card or ice book.

And if the weight is incorrect, or anyone is discourteous, please phone 283. We will appreciate it if you will let us know.

Sweetwater Ice and Cold Storage Company

TILLIE THE TOILER By Russ Westover



Dainty White Kids

For ideally completing the summer costume and especially for the girl who

GRADUATES

HERNDON'S SHOE STORE

Specializing in \$6.25 Shoes

George Sheppard cannot understand why the mornings are so bright after considering how dark it was the night before.

WEATHER FORECAST

WASHINGTON, May 3.—April has been the drouth breaker and the drouth, that has occurred in spots in many parts of North America, is fading away. A more even climate may be expected for North America for balance of 1924 as an average of the whole continent, or the cultivated part of it. Storms of May will be very moderate, therefore spots that remain dry first of May can have but little hope for relief during that month. Moderate storms will occur during the week centering on May 8. Sea water evaporation will be so far away that it can not be relied upon to give sufficient moisture in May, as an average for this continent, to relieve its necessities. Temperatures for May are expected to average about normal for section 1; highest near 11, 17, 29; lowest near 5, 20, 25. For sec. 2: highest 13, lowest 10, 16, 22. Sec. 3: highest 7, lowest 21. Sec. 4: highest 16, lowest 9, 22. Sec. 5: lowest 13, 19. Sec. 6: highest 13, 17, lowest 6, 28. Secs. 7 and 8 unusually cool.

The causes of the great variations of sun spot numbers have much to do with our weather, but the sun spots have no effect of any kind on the earth. Jupiter is nearing his perihelion and the sun spots are fading; there is the cause, I propose to publish this in the newspapers I published it in pamphlet ten years ago. Several years ago the English astronomer royal of India declared that the yield of India wheat varied in accord with the variations of sun-spot numbers. The astronomer of Australia, later, published a similar

statement. Dr. Abbot, of the Smithsonian Institution, is working on a similar idea, trying to find the cause in the fluctuations in the change of the energy coming from the sun. I have known the cause for thirty years but I have too much other work to permit my completing the sun spot problem. The crops of the great plains, an empire of the richest lands on earth, lying within 500 miles east of Rockies' crest, are largely controlled in the 12-year climatic change. Hog cholera varies with the sun spot variations. When Jupiter, Saturn, and Uranus are at their perihelions, the atmosphere of the earth is expanded and that lifts the moisture to higher elevations and increases its amount. When they are at aphelion—farthest from the sun—the reverse occurs. That is the whole secret of the variations together of sun spot numbers, moisture and crops. The great drouths and flood come from other causes and occur within their own cycles, regardless of sun spots. I am willing to give away these important facts for the welfare of all concerned and would do likewise with many other facts that I have discovered if I was financially able to do so.

DAIRY REPORT ALLEN'S SANITARY DAIRY

I have just inspected Allen's Sanitary Dairy and tested his cows for tuberculosis and I find the cows all in good shape and free from any contagious disease.

They have good water and a sanitary place to drink.

The barn and milk house are absolutely clean and sanitary.

His method of sterilizing is endorsed by all leading dairies everywhere and I can heartily recommend his dairy to those who are particular and want the very best. He is to be commended for the work he is doing for the health of the city.

Dr. O. STEPHENSON.



Bathing Time

Anticipating the bathing season, we have stocked an unusually large assortment of

BATHING SUITS BATHING SHOES BATHING CAPS Get Yours Now!

PALACE DRUG STORE

Need Expert Nose To Be Successful As Pro Enforcer

AUSTIN, Texas, May 3.—Prohibition enforcement agents, county officials and all other liquor sleuths in Texas are developing a keen sense of smell in regard to the alcoholic and non-alcoholic character of the various "home-made" beverages they come in contact with, if the decline in number of alcohol analysis cases made by the pure food and drugs department of Texas is to be taken as a true indicator.

Last year the number of samples submitted to the department ran as high as 400 to 500 each month. "Specimens" from all over Texas literally flooded the office and the chemists were kept busy making tests. During the first four months of this year less than 100 tests have been made, one month the number of analyses falling below ten.

This decrease is due in part, according to officials of the department to the fact that the sleuths are getting more and more proficient in the gentle art of "sniffing." They are now able to ascertain the alcoholic content by smelling the liquor.

"In most cases" one of the officials remarked, "the agents can, by merely smelling the liquid tell whether or not it contains an illegal amount of alcohol. Another test used is the burning test where a match is applied to the liquid, which, if it burns, is usually of large alcoholic content. For these reasons the number of tests to be made have decreased remarkably."

At present the samples sent into the department to be tested consist largely of sour mash and similar materials which can not be smelled accurately and which do not burn upon application of the flame test.

The pure food and drug department is also conducting tests as to the concentration of the flavor in the various flavoring extracts which are on the market. Under the law, the flavoring shall be double strength in order to prevent it being drunk as a beverage. In some of the recent tests it has been found that certain "tinctures of ginger" were not highly enough concentrated to prevent the use of the liquid in an anti-Volstead way.

BARNETT NEWS

H. E. Cox of Lamesa returned to his home Sunday after several days visit with his uncle, S. H. Stanfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ussery were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Richey Sunday.

Misses Bertha and Gussie Reed were guests of Miss Maude Latham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cook and

daughter, Kathryn, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haulstead, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard May Sunday.

Roy Cavitt returned from a visit to relatives at Blair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cavitt and family visited their daughter at Blair Saturday and Sunday.

H. J. Stanfield and wife, and mother Mrs. M. E. Stanfield of Leaday, Coleman County, returned to their home Monday after visit with S. H. Stanfield and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richey and daughter, Nora of Roscoe, returned to their home Monday after a visit of several days with his brother, W. M. Richey and family.

Homer Ussery was a business visitor to Roscoe Tuesday.

Miss Maude Latham spent Sunday night with Miss Gussie Reed.

Roy Cavitt and O. W. Curb made a trip to Lamesa and back Sunday.

Rita's Gift Shop will carry a beautiful line of gifts suitable for Mothers' Day gifts. Prices to suit every purse.

Good People get Good Work at a Good Shop in a Good Town! QUALITY SHOE SHOP 314 Oak Street

DR. C. D. LINDLEY Obstetrics—Prenatal Care Internal Medicine Aycock Bldg. Phone 318 Residence Phone 429-M



I SPEAK NO LANGUAGE yet my tongue is universal. I HAVE NO CREED no religion, yet the world worships me, and I am no God. I have no flag—no country, yet patriots call for me and cheer me to the echo. I PLAY UPON THE SOUL STRINGS of humanity and my voice is echoed and re-echoed in the corridors of my heart. I was born in the creation and will go into eternity. I have no beginning, no end. I WAS WITH YOU AT YOUR BIRTH soothing you and crooning over you with sweet lullabies. IN THE PRIME OF YOUR LIFE I am with you. You need me more than than at any other time. AS THE SUN GOES DOWN and the silver threads begin to intermingle with the gold—I am there, comforting you, giving you courage to face your Creator—throwing about your life a halo of love and golden deeds, and when at last, THE SUN HAS SET and the stars begin to come out, one by one, I will be with you though you do not know it—and above your last resting place will I sing of the Great Creator—His needs and wonders—for I am Music.

May 4th to 10th Will Be Nationally Observed as Music Week "MUSIC FOR THE PEOPLE—BY THE PEOPLE" Enjoy it.

Contributed by GEO. ALLEN MUSIC HOUSE PHONE 546 316 OAK STREET



Pretty Summer Dresses

For Afternoon—For Sport—For Travel

Very intriguing are the new French Prints, Tripoli, Georgette and the Roshanaras in dainty combinations of white, green, tan, brown, open. Some are made up in the straight line effect and others so daintily trimmed. We would be pleased to show you these newest expressions of Summertime Wear.

THE LADIES STORE

Northeast Corner of Square

GENE MORRIS
ONE DAY
AUTO PAINTING SYSTEM
 TRADE MARK REGISTERED
GRADUALLY COVERING THE CONTINENT

Operated in Sweetwater by
Miller & Hollowell

Down the street a-wizzin
 In an old Tin Liz
 Rusty fenders floppin'
 Good night—Gee whiz—
 Awfullest lookin' auto that I ever seen
 Bleary lookin', skeery lookin', old machine.
 Same car a-comin'
 Down the street next day
 Holy Jumpin' Tom Cats, what a difference—SAY!
 It sure is mighty funny,
 Don't you think so, too?
 What a little bit of money
 And some PAINT can do?



Are You Building a Home—or a House?

TO BUILD A REAL HOME, NOT JUST A HOUSE, TAKES SKILLED CARPENTERS PLUS GOOD DEPENDABLE LUMBER

Leave one or the other out and you will not have a home that will last for a life time.

Inferior labor or poor lumber builds a house that very shortly becomes a liability—skilled labor and good lumber erects a home—not a house—that is truly an asset on any man's books. Lumber is the backbone of every dwell

ing—good lumber must be used to secure a substantial home.

Build your home with lumber—weather seasoned—sun dried—nature treated—free from knots. Then winter's snowy winds—spring rains will leave no visible tell-tale marks.

It is no wonder that discriminating architects—well known builders—recommend our lumber every time to home builders—it's good lumber.

We have just received the first carload of Oak flooring ever shipped to Nolan County. Relay it over your old floors. Be sure to insist upon it in your new home. Buy it now. The sheer beauty of Oak Floors will so appeal to home lovers that this carload will move quickly.

Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company
 HOME BUILDERS

AID SCHOOLS

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\$10; G. W. Ely, \$10; J. A. McCurdy, \$10.
 R. A. Ragland, \$10; Mrs. Rhodes, \$10; J. T. McKissick, \$10; Mrs. D. L. Childress, \$10; Clint Scott, \$10; Mrs. Whittenburg, \$10; J. C. Holland, \$10; T. G. Elliott, \$10; Earl Louder, \$1; John McLean, \$2; Gus W. Rea, \$5; Sweetwater Candy Kitchen, \$5; F. Gensburg, \$5; E. E. Roy, \$5; John M. Pate, \$5.
 C. D. Kunkle, \$1; Will Pence, \$1; John H. Patterson, \$5; E. E. Shaw, \$5 R. S. Calvert, \$5; Mrs. R. I. Harris, \$5; C. J. Chesney, \$5; H. Freedman, \$3; Albert Eidson, \$5; W.-E. Otey, \$1; Mrs. Frank Murchison, \$1; Ola Brashear, \$1; Katherine Edwards, \$1; L. S. Polk, \$5; E. E. Stephens, \$5; R. Andrews, \$5.
 Annie Duncan, \$1; H. E. Polk, \$5; C. B. McIntyre, \$1; Perline Electric Co., \$2; R. E. Withers, \$5; Mrs. J. L. Robinson, \$10; H. B. Allen, \$25; H. P. Whitten, \$10; Bullock Electric Co., \$10; R. L. Witt, \$10; C. H. Alston, \$10; Richard Cockrill, \$10; J. B. Hawkins, \$5; Ed Herridon, \$25.
 Watson-Focht, \$15; Ney Sheridan, \$25; Wade Bros., \$25; L. D. Terry, \$10; C. E. Mays, \$10; C. S. Perkins Jr., \$10; Lone Star Candy Kitchen, \$10; C. L. Freeman, \$10; Whitaker's Baker, \$10; L. D. Galbraith, \$15; Mart Hotel, \$10; Lee Lusk, \$5; J. P. Bishop, \$5; Roy Bardwell, \$5; Pollard & Brown, \$5.
 Glenn Bardwell, \$5; A. E. Horst, \$5; J. T. Box, \$10; J. F. Humphries, \$5; H. L. Roberts, \$5; S. E. Pullen, \$1; M. E. Brown, \$5; J. C. Browning, \$1; E. H. Harkives, \$2.50; A. S. Brantley, \$1; W. M. Fomby, \$1; T. M. Marsh, \$1; C. R. Kendrick, \$5; Mrs. Mary Bowen, \$1.50; Mrs. E. V. Glass, \$10.
 Fanny Levy, \$2; Mrs. E. S. Jones, \$5; T. Shipley, \$5; John H. Holt, \$2; Glendelle Trammell, \$5; C. C. Rogers, \$5; Louise Rathjens, \$2; Beatrice Carson, \$1; Ethel Hope, \$3; Mante Caine, \$2.50; Lowell Taylor, \$1; May Pence, \$2; Hazel Greer, \$2; Keith Trammell, \$2; Wretha Greer, \$2.
 Jack Beakley, \$1; Ray Farris, \$2; Claude Hope, \$3; Mildred Samms, \$1; Luther Pence, \$2; Doris Samms, \$1; Banta Farris, \$2; R. C. Crane, \$10; P. T. Quast, \$10; W. W. Davis, \$10; Roy C. Scudday, \$10; Ben Stamps, \$10; R. A. Stewart, \$10; Jesse Robertson, \$10.
 E. S. Gordan, \$10; R. L. Shaffer, \$10; B. B. Hestir, \$10; R. A. Farris, \$10; Otto Carter, \$10; J. R. Henson, \$10; G. E. Bradford, \$10; M. B. Howard, \$10; S. W. Browning, \$10; C. R. Simmons, \$10; Mrs. N. F. McAdams, \$10; Mrs. W. H. Bartlett, \$5; Mrs. B. C. Dulin, \$5.
 Mrs. Joyce Cain, \$5; Mrs. Parkhill, \$5; Mrs. N. C. Davis, \$5; Mack Collins, \$5; W. G. Moseley, \$5; T. H. Raines, \$5; Mrs. A. J. Walker, \$5; A. C. Watson, \$5; Parent-Teacher Association, \$10; Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co., \$50.

THREE LIARS

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inal of the worst kind. Then comes the excuse that business interferes, but there is no legitimate business that the presence of Christ would not magnify and aid. If your business interferes, you had better get a new business. The darling excuse of the age is that most given, 'there are too many hypocrites in the church.' Yet because there are hypocrites in the Masons, the Odd Fellows, and the other orders does not keep people from wanting to be there. People have too much sense to put up that excuse for anything else, but they will stick it on religion. There is counterfeiters' money going about but it does not ruin the bank. The reason that money is worth anything is because of the genuine nature of Uncle Sam's coin. And the reason the devil is able to pass his counterfeits in the church is because of the genuine nature of the majority of members. The last excuse, though not so universal, is the most tragic of all. It is 'I don't have time.' You'll have time some day. When death calls, no matter how busy, you will have the time."
 "Keep on excusing yourself and God will excuse you. Every man has a free will and if he excuses himself

it can't be helped. God gave the invitation and when refused said, 'I say unto you that not one of these shall taste of my meat.'

The first one to respond when the call to come down the aisle was given was a railroad man, the third a marine, others among those responding being three members of the National Guard. After the service Rayburn spoke to the men separately in the interest of Sunday's services.

Sunday night Rayburn will begin a series of sermons on the after life, what comes beyond the grave, preaching Sunday night on "Hell, what it is and what it is not."

Saturday Night

Saturday night the kids reigned supreme. They filled the choir to capacity and rendered a most entertaining program for their parents and others present. They gave songs, yells, and at one time sang the chorus of "Brighten the Corner" backward. Master Edward McDaniels accompanied by his sister, Neal rendered a violin solo. Among other stunts, the junior choir in singing "Brighten the Corner" had all lights turned off while they with search lights searched the corners.

Moreover, Mr. Farnum conducted the junior Bible class, in which the children showed more skill in the knowledge of the Bible than some of the older people would dare attempt.

Following the children's program Rayburn spoke from the text Gen. 5:14, "And Enoch walked with God and was not, for God took him." He

first presented the requisites of being able to walk with God; they being, first, a nearness to God; second, in harmony with God; third, humility; fourth, the proper spiritual clothing.

Then Rayburn explaining what it meant to walk with God. "First," he said, "it means safety. And safety not only in this life but in death. And at last it means falling heir to heaven and to eternal life."

A prayer-meeting for women was announced for the Methodist Church at 3 o'clock. O. A. Cheek will conduct it.

FIND BIG SNAKE

Colorado Grocery Co., Gets Reptile in Crate of Bananas

COLORADO, Texas, May 3.—A largesnake, peacefully nestling in the packing of a banana crate, was found here at the H. B. Broadus & Sons Grocery Monday when employes at the store opened a new shipment of this tropical fruit. The reptile, claimed to have been a native of South America, had no doubt gone through the process of cold storage, and apparently was none the worst for his long and eventful journey to Colorado.

Buy your Mother's gift for next Sunday at Rita's Gift Shop, before the stock is broken. Something to suit all tastes and purses.

Make Life Happier

Send your laundry to us and forget about Blue Monday and the drugery that comes from bending over the tubs and washboard. The moderate charge for doing the family washing is well repaid in the retaining of your strength and health. Your daintiest pieces will come back clean and spotless. Phone for our driver to call.



Sweetwater Laundry Co.
 "THE NICEST LAUNDRY IN TEXAS"

Telephone 42

Ask for cards good for valuable Premiums

TILLIE THE TOILER
 By Russ Westover





Security and Solid Comfort

YOU'RE sitting on "top of the world" when you have an established Savings Account in this powerful Bank. To know that you have a moderate sum here drawing interest certainly gives you that comfortable feeling. THERE'S only one way to get there—and that is to start that account NOW.

First National Bank
"OLDEST BANK IN NOLAN COUNTY"

Aloha Club

Mrs. R. C. Ledford returned Friday night from Abilene where she has been the guest of Mrs. D. D. Paramore and attended the annual May Breakfast of the Aloha Club of which she is an honorary member. H. R. Geer of the Dallas News staff was a guest and gave an address on "Poets of Texas."

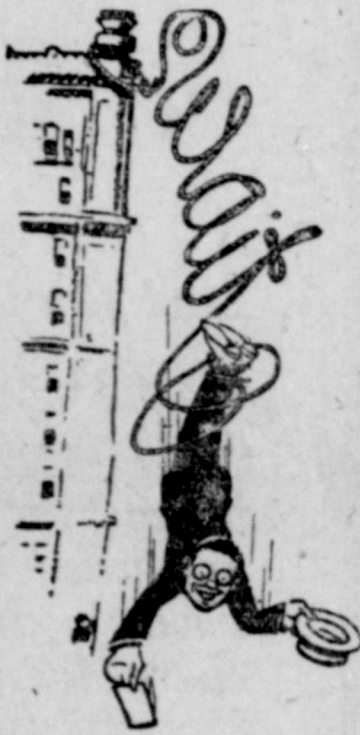
Attend Music Recital

Miss Marshline Stowe of Abilene was present in a piano recital at the Christian Church, Wednesday evening, by her teacher Miss Alle-Dyer. Miss Stowe is a niece of Mrs. Hubert Toler and Mrs. Ney Sheridan and is well known in Sweetwater as a talented young lady. Relatives and friends attending from here were: Mrs. Hubert Toler, Mrs. Ney Sheridan, Misses Francis Lou Payne, Elizabeth McKisick, Bernice Sheridan, Mary Louise Toler, Woodrow Sheridan, Elizabeth Leaverton; Merlyn and Holly Toler and Bill Sheridan.

Send your mother an enduring gift next Sunday. Rita's Gift Shop will carry a nice line of suitable gifts. 8011dc

Judge W. P. Leslie of Colorado is in Dallas under the care of a specialist. He was taken ill while holding District Court in Sweetwater some weeks ago.

WANT ADS PULL, PULL



Yellow Cabs will be in operation here about May 15th

Yellow Cabs are recommended by people who know—

Over charges are unheard of when in Yellow Cabs—

Cool in summer—Warm in Winter.

YELLOW CABS Phone 30

Auxiliary to B. C. D. Meets

The ladies of the Auxiliary to the Board of City Development met Friday afternoon in the auditorium of the courthouse and held one of the most interesting meetings of the year. It was largely attended and everybody was interested. The reports given by committee chairmen showed the interest the ladies are taking in their respective tasks.

Mrs. Wimberley's report on the work done and the work planned for the next two months at the City Park, was significant of the efficiency of the park committee, of which she is chairman. Other workers added to that committee were Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Gus Farrar and Mrs. M. C. Manroe, who will divide the strenuous work with their chairman. They voted to hire a reliable man to plant out grass, trim trees, and do other work in beautification at the park for the next two or three months.

Miss Stella Watson, from the Board of City Development, met with the ladies and asked them to decide on a uniform for the Sweetwater ladies to wear to Brownwood next week.

After much discussion the following costume was decided upon: khaki tan shirts, with any kind of shirts, red bandanna handkerchiefs for neck scarfs, and wide brim Mexican hats. "Sweetwater" bands to be worn on the hats. The bands may be obtained in time for the trip, either at the Board of City Development office, or at the Public Library.

It was decided to ask all the ladies and girls who expect to go to Brownwood for the three days to provide themselves with the necessary uniform before leaving home, as it is hoped that everyone will try to make this part of the Sweetwater division as large and attractive as possible.

Mrs. George Parker was appointed assistant secretary, by the chair. It

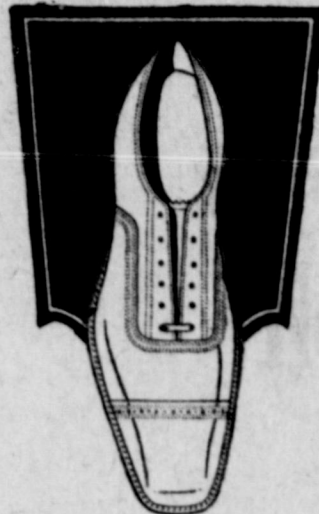
was decided to meet twice a month until warm weather and the first and third Saturday afternoons of each month was selected for meeting times.

NEW SERVICE CARS

Gus Rea Opens Office in Hotel Wright Building For Cars

Gus Rea has established headquarters in the Hotel Wright in an office adjacent to the Coffee Shop for a new service car line. He is operating four cars at present and says he intends to add two closed cars later.

The
FLORSHEIM SHOE



FOR the city's grinding wear—the scuff of many miles—The FLORSHEIM SHOE easily survives, giving long, reliable service with comfort at every step.

We assure a perfect fit in your style

\$10

STILES & ALLEN
Men's and Boys' Store



Mothers Day

EVERYBODY LOVES MOTHER AND MOTHER LOVES

Hoffman Chocolates

We have already reserved 76 pound-boxes for next Sunday—MOTHERS DAY. May we not have your order. Give us a ring. Telephone 494.

Lone Star Candy Kitchen

GUESS!

—and you will guess **RIGHT** only half the time. Get the facts and you'll **KNOW** exactly where to go when health is a question.

The proof—(a thousand more for the asking):

Nolan, Texas, April, 15, 1924.

Dr. A. W. Canfil,
Grogan Wells Sanatorium,
Sweetwater, Texas.

Dear Mr. Canfil:

I am writing this of my own accord, and you may use it any way you see fit, for I am anxious that those who are in ill health may find the quickest and best way to get well.

I have been in ill health practically all my life. In March, 1923, I began suffering with my right side. I got from bad to worse. I was taken to Haskell County and consulted with one of the best doctors in the West. He treated me for two weeks and I felt better for a few days, and began suffering again. I got so nervous I could not hardly get up. On the 7th of February I got so bad I fell on the floor and was unable to help myself. My husband found me and assisted me to bed. My neighbors all felt that I could not live.

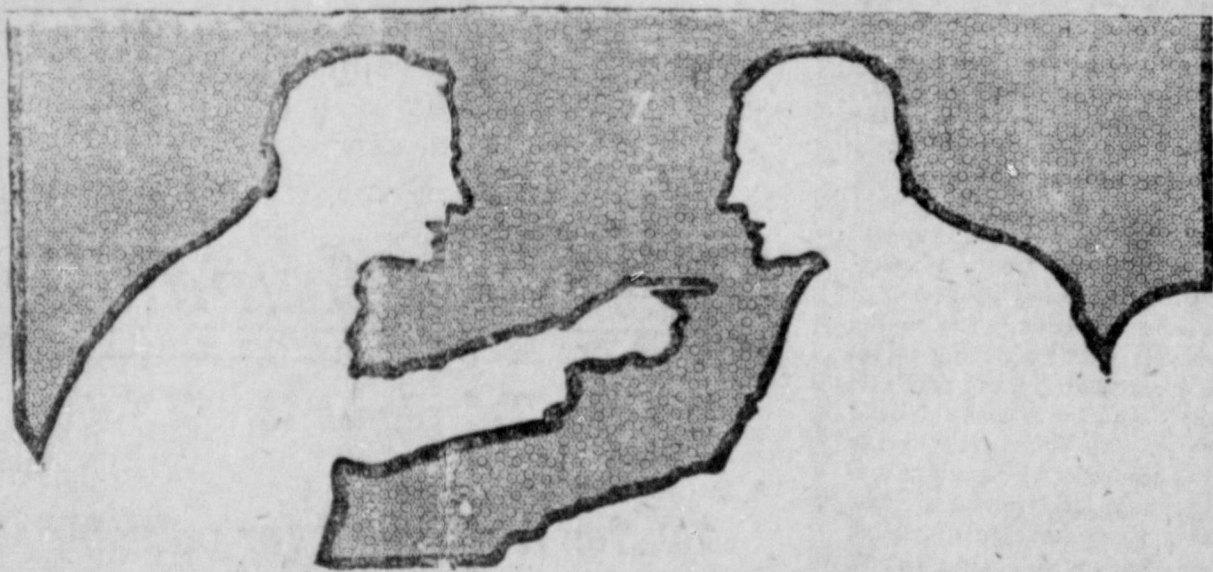
My son called Mr. Canfil, and he relieved me in a few moments. I went to Grogan Wells Sanatorium on the 9th of February. It makes one feel good when they are sick to be given the courteous attention that Dr. Canfil and his associates extend to those who are under their care. I improved from the first and today feel that I am in better health than I have been for years. I shall never cease telling those who are in need of better health of my wonderful restoration and the best place to get well. While I was at GROGAN WELLS SANATORIUM it seemed that everyone who was under treatment were getting well.

Trusting that your institution may continue to prosper and enjoy continued success, I am

Your friend,
MRS. R. M. DUNLAP.

You are cordially invited to visit our institution, talk with our patients and see our work. We are treating fifty people each day and they are all getting well. Why delay—Come Today.

GROGAN WELLS SANATORIUM
Free Service Car Phone 581



DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THAT BLACK EYE?

A man met a friend the other day in front of the Globe. The friend was sporting a fine black eye. It prompted the following conversation: "Who gave you that black eye?" "Nobody." "Then where did you get it?" "I had to fight for it."

That's us. We are fighting for your business with first quality service. Our service hasn't any "black eyes," either, for every job must be done right before it leaves our place. Just Phone 33.



"The Stamp of the Glove is the Stamp of Good Work"

CARS WASHED
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HAVE SMALLPOX

Lubbock Fears Epidemic of Dreaded Disease

LUBBOCK, Texas, May 3.—Lubbock is threatened with an epidemic of small pox which already has made

such progress as to cause much concern to local doctors.

Two cases were reported this week and before night this number had been increased to nearly a half dozen. The first cases a short while ago were handled so well, and the quarantine rules adhered to so closely that

the epidemic was entirely abolished, and the recent developments have caused no little uneasiness especially as concerns the schools.

Sorositis Club Meets

Mrs. L. L. Armour was hostess Friday afternoon at a pleasant meeting of the Sorositis Club, when they enjoyed a program on "Hamlin Garland," who has been called the "Dean of Authors" and whose stories of the west are considered almost a classic.

Mrs. Harry R. Bondies directed the program. Roll call responses were: "The strongest appeal in the Garland Epic." Mrs. A. S. Kendrick gave an interesting review of the life and character of the "middle border" as Garland depicts it. Mrs. Frank Morgan gave a review of "Bibliography of Hamlin Garland localized," which proved interesting. Mrs. F. M. Poffenbach closed the program with a talk on "Personalities" from "A Daughter of the Middle Border."

The president, Mrs. Tom Hughes presided over a short business session and disposed of all accumulated business in routine order. The meeting closed with an enjoyable social hour

during which Mrs. Armour served an ice course with angel food cake. The next club meeting will be May 23.

To Hear Delegates Report

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Methodist Church for an important meeting. The main feature of the afternoon will be to hear Mrs. W. L. Kinsey's report of the Missionary Conference held last week at Vernon, which she attended as a delegate from the local society.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Henry Beall Jr. with Mrs. William Wight leading the Bible study from Mathew.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Moore and son, John Dalton Jr., will leave the city Monday morning on a ten-days' trip to Fort Stockton.

Miss Anna Beth Gray of Hamlin is spending the week-end with her niece, Miss Aline Gray. She is Alvin and George Gray's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Lange of Somerville and Mrs. Lange's mother, Mrs. Gribble of Austin arrived Saturday to spend the week-end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Wight. Mr. Lange is a nephew of Mrs. Wight's.

Mrs. Murphy left Saturday on her return to Chicago, following a visit here with her mother, Mrs. A. Large, on Walnut Street, and daughter, Mrs. Fred Boozer.

Judge Ellis Douthit left Saturday night for his home at Fort Worth, after a visit of several days in the city on business.

Picnic Party For Guest

Aline Gray entertained six of her girl friends Saturday afternoon with a picnic party at the City Park, naming her aunt, Anna Beth Gray of

Hamlin her honor guest. Mrs. Gray accompanied the party and took them for a car ride after lunch.

Besides the hostess and her guest others of the party were: Betty Simmons, Esther and Helen Levy, Pauline and Evelyn Sorenson, and Mavis and Anne Clymer.

SHOWER FALLS

Moisture Received in Sweetwater .11 of an Inch

A refreshing shower fell in Sweetwater late Friday night. The resulting moisture registered .11 of an inch in the Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co., rain gauge. The total for the year, now stands at 5.01 inches.

First Christian Church

Bible school meets at 9:30 sharp. Communion services and dismissal for the tabernacle services. Officers meeting at 1:30. No afternoon service. J. T. McKISSICK, Minister.

There will be a very important meeting of the Scouts of Troop No. 1 Monday night at seven o'clock at the regular meeting place. All the boys of the troop are urged to be there.

J. W. Oates went to Waco Saturday morning where he was called by the illness of his mother.

A. B. Spencer, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, passed through Sweetwater Saturday morning enroute to his home at Crosbyton.

Robert Withers left Saturday afternoon for Wichita Falls to spend the week-end with Mrs. Withers, who has spent the past six weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. R. A. Faver.

The ladies of the Lamar Street Baptist Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the church, when Rev. Skaggs will lead their Bible study from 11th Chapter of Romans.

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FOR TRADE—Will trade nearly new Chalmers Sedan for city property or notes. Rufus Wright. 44tf

FOR SALE—Two residences, one new, both good condition, located on north side and south side—leaving town. See Wade H. Bartlett. Phone 7. 76tf

FOR SALE—McGee and Bonny Best tomato plants, sweet pepper. 10c per dozen, 300 El Paso Street. 792p

FOR SALE—Practically new Chalmers Sport Model car, will take Ford as part payment, balance terms. See J. Boyd Jr. 793de

FOR SALE—a bargain in business lots in Roscoe, Texas, one hundred twenty-five feet by one hundred and fourteen feet with half interest in a wall, on Main street, for \$1,000. One twenty-five by one hundred sixty-two feet on Cypress, across from postoffice for \$900. A bargain for quick sale. M. E. Smith, Roscoe, Texas. 794dp

LOST—17-jewel Elgin watch, open face model. Probably near I. S. Foelt home. Finder please return to Thomas Cole. 783dp

DO YOU want a good ware-house, well located on Railroad? I have two for sale at bargain prices and easy terms. Phone 269. I. Lee Lusk.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—100 acre farm, Uvalde County, good improvements. Black waxy land, 3-4 miles from town. Phone 658. 805dp

FOR SALE—Modern bungalow, five rooms, bath, sleeping porch, 3 1-2 blocks from square. Paved street. J. M. Charlton, 509 East North Second Street. 64tf

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\$250.00 CASH will be paid to anyone building (within certain restrictions) a home upon one of my attractive lots by the East Ward School. See me before the other fellow does. Harry R. Bondies. 783c

STORAGE SPACE—On both Santa Fe and T-P tracks, reasonable rents. Phone 41 or see F. R. Robertson. 786dc

WORK WANTED—In private family, by young lady. P. O. Box 276. 792ip

WANTED—Name and address of man and woman who, while driving Ford car and trailer from California to Texas, witnessed wreck of Chevrolet car on December 14th between Superior and Miami, Arizona. J. G. Gillespie, P. O. Box 482, Phoenix, Arizona. 802pd

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NO. 450. THE STATE OF TEXAS

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the welfare of Alice Frances Jones, a minor: You are hereby notified that Mrs. Ethel Hamill of the County of Johnson and State of Kansas has filed in the County Court of Nolan County, Texas, an application for letters of guardianship upon the estate of said minor, together with a full and complete transcript from the records of the probate Court for the County of Johnson and State of Kansas, showing that she has been duly appointed in that State guardian of the estate of said minor and praying that she be appointed guardian of the estate of said minor in Texas, in accordance with the provisions of Article 4256 of the Revised Civil Statutes of this State, said application to be heard at the next regular term of said court commencing on the third Monday in May, A. D. 1924, the same being the 19th day of May, A. D. 1924 in the Courthouse thereof in Sweetwater, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor may and are hereby cited to appear and contest such application if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with

your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office in Sweetwater, Texas, this the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1924. (Seal) GUS FARRAR, Clerk, County Court, Nolan County, Texas. Apr 25 My 2

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MARRIED—SUICIDES

Three Days Wedded Life Ended in Slaton Drug Store

SLATON, Texas, May 3.—John Blume, about 24 years of age, and married only three days, died here a few moments after he was found in convulsions in the rear of a local drug store. Self-afflicted poison is given as the cause of his death, yet no reason for the suicide has been ascertained. Blume entered the drug store, and after calling for a box of cough drops went into the rear of the store. A few moments later he was found in convulsions, lying on the floor. Nearby lay an empty one-ounce carbolic acid bottle, and another partly empty. Blume was married at St. Joseph's Catholic Church here Tuesday morning to Miss Veercamp, who says that nothing has come between them in their three days of wedded life to

cause such action. He lived at St. Francis, north of Amarillo.

and gave battle to what he thought was another rooster. After a thirty-minute fight that befuddled old rooster was completely out and my car looked like it had been stored away in barbed wire." Yep, Rowland wins the tub without a struggle.

Texas League Shreveport 7, Dallas 6; Fort Worth 4, Wichita Falls 1; Galveston 4, Beaumont 3; Houston 4, San Antonio 1.

National League Boston 2, New York 1; Brooklyn 7, Philadelphia 2; Pittsburgh 6, St. Louis 5; Cincinnati 7, Chicago 3.

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Misguided Cock Loses Hard Scrap With Automobile

Following the usual custom of presenting unique prizes to the individual coming across with the best story, fish or otherwise, John Rowland, celebrated Lake Trammell boss, was Saturday presented with a perfectly beautiful crocheted bath tub. He also gets the dog, a speckled pup. John's yarn smacks of truth, especially when he mentions a battle-scarred old rooster—but, let him tell the story.

"You see, it was like this, I have an old domineer rooster that craves battle; he's always hunting a fight and he is so adept with his dukes that all the other fowls give him a wide berth. Well, I had my car painted the other day—one of those Gene Morriss one-day paint jobs. Took the old bus out home, and, boy, she was shining; looked just like new. Set her in the back yard. Directly, this old domineer rooster, struttin' his stuff generally, happened to pass the car and spied himself.

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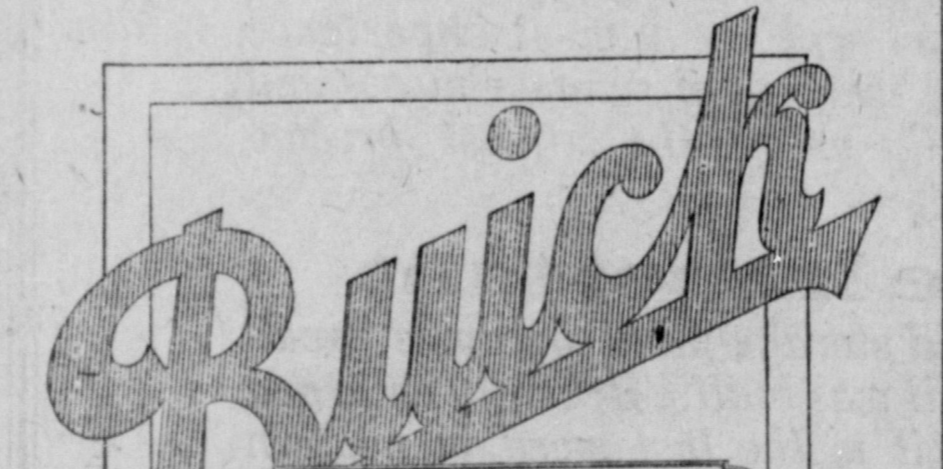
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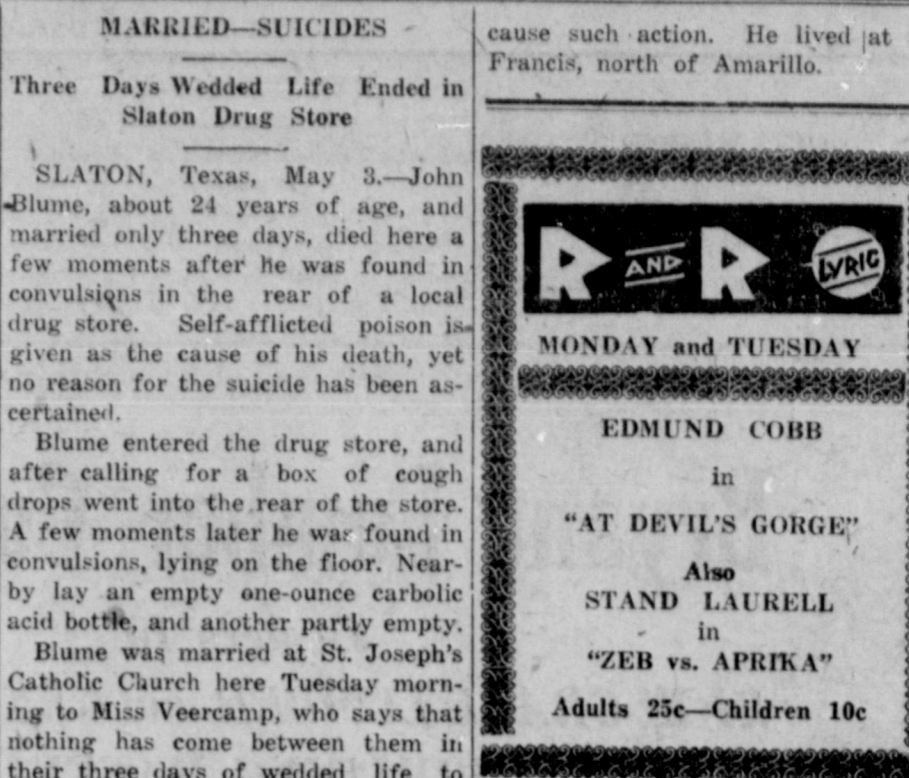
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