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MAYFIELD HEARD ON STAND TODAY

Denies That Klan Contributed to Brother's Campaign For Senator In Texas

"MOST EVERYBODY" K. K. K.

So Mayfield Testifies in Regard to Klan Strength in State—Clarke is Due Monday

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—Morris Mayfield, Terrell, Texas, brother of Senator Mayfield, today denied before the Senate committee investigating the Mayfield election that he contributed to his brother's campaign fund, except to furnish a truck and "send a few dollars for posters to the Dallas campaign headquarters."

Mayfield said the salesmen of his wholesale grocery firm had contributed \$25 each for his brother's campaign, but that these contributions were unsolicited. He declared that he had not collected more than \$150, which he personally sent to his brother.

The witness added that Senator Mayfield had said that he spent \$9,000 in his campaign. The Texas legal limit is \$10,000.

Mayfield said that he did not collect any money from the Ku Klux Klan, and that so far as he knew, the "Ku Klux Klan did not give one cent to the campaign."

In reply to a question asked by Senator Neely, West Virginia, as to the strength of the Klan in Texas, Mayfield replied that "nearly everybody" belonged down there.

As there were no more witnesses present, the committee adjourned until Monday, when E. Y. Clark, former Imperial Wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, is expected to testify.

SCORE SECOND HIT

H. S. Seniors Repeat Success of First Play in Presenting "Under Western Skies"

"Under Western Skies" a comedy drama of the west, was presented to a capacity house at the Palace Theater by the members of the Senior Class of the Sweetwater High School Thursday night. "The Hoodoo," the play given by the seniors Wednesday night, was repeated at a special matinee Thursday afternoon.

Filled with thrills of the old west, and plenty of comedy, "Under Western Skies" offered a pleasing combination of mellow drama and comic situations. Some of the action not called for in the manuscript created additional entertainment for the audience, and the play was received as a creditable and well presented performance.

Frank SoRelle played the part of Farley Gannet, the sheriff and hero. Margaret Moore, the owner of the ranch on which the action of the play centered, was played by Frances Fitzgerald. Patsy Pauline Parker and Ralph Farris took the parts of the "heavies" Carolle and Duke Blackshear. They were assisted in their villainy by Wayne Rea as Grizzly Grimm.

Leta Singleton as Youngun, a poor house waif, displayed a great deal of talent in her portrayal of the part. Big Elk and Fawn Afraid, his daughter who sacrificed her love for the hero, played by Clifton Eakin and Zillah Weatherly, were realistic Indians. Paul Quilliam, Ozden Horne, was almost led astray by the female of the villain species, but not quite. Sam Crutcher made a hit in the character part of Yow Kee. The Bugg Family, Hezekiah and Petunia, played by Lissa Carroll and Una H. Sims, furnished comedy throughout the performance.

Miss Ina Ely pleased the audience with several popular numbers between acts. "Under Western Skies" and "The Hoodoo" were declared two of the best local talent productions seen recently in Sweetwater.

DUMMY MIGRATES

Sam Hill, who for the past four years has been dispensing with the elusive popcorn pellet in front of the Queen Theater, has moved to the northwest corner of the square where he hopes to continue serving his may customers.

"Dummy" for obvious reasons, hasn't much to say on the subject but, judging from his well known gesticulations, he aims to carry on.

"FEELING FINE"

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—President Coolidge was back at his desk today, announcing that he was "feeling fine." His cold improved with his recent rest, and he was hard at work today, before any of the White House attaches showed up for duty.

Beer, Not Coal, Is Found In Mine By Okla., Officers

TULSA, Ok., May 23.—A coal mine that yields chock beer instead of coal was discovered this week near Scales, Okla., by county officials. The alleged owner was arrested and charged with possession. He pleaded not guilty.

The "mine" was discovered accidentally. The shaft apparently was producing coal. When the officers arrived a small gasoline engine was pumping water and an old flea-bitten mule furnished the motive power for raising and lowering the buckets into the shaft. But instead of hoisting coal the mule hoisted chock. And the engine was pumping water to be used in the manufacture of the chock. The mine office near the shaft was used as a bar. Nearly 200 gallons of choice chock were seized.

ENTIRE CITY IS LOOKING FOR BOY

Houston Lad, Missing Since Wednesday, Last Seen at School With Sister

MYSTERY IN DISAPPEARANCE OF BOY

By The United Press. HOUSTON, Texas, May 23.—Police and detectives are combing the city today in search of Gordon Blanc, who disappeared after he and his sister started home here Wednesday.

When Gordon did not return home Wednesday, his parents began a search. They appealed to the police Thursday night. The search will be extended over the entire city, the police announced.

Mrs. Frank Baker is in a very critical condition at her home in the West part of the city following the death of her baby girl Wednesday night. It was buried at Lorraine yesterday.

MURDERER DIES

Frank Cadena, Mexican Over Seas Veteran, Pays Penalty Despite Efforts of Relatives

By The United Press. HUNTSVILLE, Texas, May 23.—Frantic efforts of attorneys and relatives who pleaded with Governor Neff for a reprieve failed and Frank Cadena, a Mexican, paid the supreme penalty for the murder of his sister-in-law, Pablo Gimenez, of San Antonio, early this morning.

Cadena was pronounced dead at 12:30 o'clock Friday morning. The former over seas veteran of the world war went to his death calmly. He made no statement except to thank the prison officials for the treatment they accorded him as a prisoner in the penitentiary.

CONCLUDE TRIAL

Case of Doctor Charged With Death of Young Woman Goes to Jury at Victoria

By The United Press. VICTORIA, Texas, May 23.—Without the introduction of evidence, the defense rested in the trial of Dr. O. R. Stewart, charged with murder in connection with the death of Miss Ollie Moore in his office, and the case went to the jury late Thursday.

Witnesses testified that the girl had sought medical aid when she discovered that she was about to become a mother. Testimony concerning an unborn baby three or four months old was introduced.

CONTRACTS LET BELIEVE SOLDIERS FOR CORPUS PORT LOST IN VOLCANO

City May Realize Dream of Becoming Dominant Factor in Gulf Transportation

WORK STARTS SOON MISSING SINCE SATURDAY

Dredging and Construction of Bridge Across Harbor Entrances Begins in 60 Days

By The United Press. CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., May 23.—With the awarding of all the contracts here today, Corpus Christi's dream of becoming a deep water port neared realization.

The contracts stipulate that work must begin within 60 days. The dredging contract was let to R. A. Perry of Galveston. The Wisconsin Dredging and Iron Company of Kansas City has the contract for the erection of a bridge over the entrance of the port.

Weather Tonight and Saturday, unsettled, probably showers in the north portion. Colder in north portion Saturday.

CANDLER CASE UP BYSTANDER SHOT

Appeal to Higher Court Granted Mrs. Byfield in Suit Against Millionaire's Son

By The United Press. ATLANTA, Ga., May 23.—The appeal to the Supreme Court in the \$100,000 suit filed against Walter T. Candler, son of the Cola Cola magnet, was granted Mrs. C. K. Byfield in the Superior Court today.

On an ocean liner when Mrs. Byfield and her husband were guests in the same party with young Candler. The charge is that Candler attacked Mrs. Byfield in her state room. Mrs. Byfield recently lost her suit at De Kalb.

ON SALE MONDAY DIPLOMAS GIVEN

Ticket Sellers Will Canvass Town For Chautauqua—Premium of Free Ticket For Early Buyers

Every signer of the Sweetwater Chautauqua guarantee, and members of the ticket selling teams, are to meet at the County Court room in the Court House Monday morning at 9 o'clock, when the ticket selling campaign for the Chautauqua, which opens Thursday, will get under way. From the enthusiasm displayed at the meeting of the team captains in the campaign held Friday morning, all the tickets for the Chautauqua drive should be sold before the three day drive ends. The team captains registered 100 per cent attendance Friday, received their quota of tickets, and started out at once lining up their prospects.

A premium has been placed on the early purchase of season tickets, for the Redpath-Horner program. W. R. Slemmons, advance man for the Chautauqua, announced Friday that every person purchasing an adult season ticket before the first program would receive an adult complimentary ticket free, good for the first afternoon's performance.

Mr. Slemmons has also asked that children under 12 years of age meet him on the steps at the Court House Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when he will explain the children's work at the Chautauqua to them.

The prices of the Chautauqua tickets are: Commutation ticket, \$3.50; adult season ticket, \$3; student's season ticket, \$1.50; children's ticket, good for children 12 years old and under \$1.

Poultry Brings the Cash

Special to The Reporter. BALLINGER, Texas, May 23.—Cash from shipments of chickens and eggs from Ballinger will total a quarter of a million dollars, it is estimated here. This does not include the home consumption of eggs and poultry, nor the cash realized from the turkey crop.

Mrs. Mark Haney and Mrs. H. B. Sanders and children of Roscoe are guests at home of their sister, Mrs. Gus Rea on W. N. 3rd Street.

Fear Grows That Americans Met Horrible Death in Kaleau's Seething Cauldron

Volcano is Quiet With Only 3 Explosions After Great Activity Monday

By The United Press. HILO, Hawaii, May 23.—Belief that Howard Simmons and E. J. Hinman, soldiers of Oswego, New York, may have met a terrible death in the cauldron of the volcano Kalaeua was growing today.

The two soldiers have been missing since Saturday. Search for them was abandoned yesterday. If they are alive, they are probably wandering in search of a neighboring village or other habitation. They have not yet been able to communicate with friends in either Hilo or Honolulu.

The volcano continued quiet today. Three explosions have occurred within the last 24 hours, but not with the violence of the demonstration Monday.

DEGENERATES GET BLAME FOR CRIME

Dallas Youth Seriously Wounded By Buck Shot in Negro Gun Battle On Street

By The United Press. DALLAS, Texas, May 23.—Billie Palmer, 18, an innocent bystander, was shot and seriously injured when he was struck by a charge of buck shot in a gun battle between two negroes here today.

Curtis Wilson, another negro, after Walker had hit Wilson over the head with a piece of gas pipe.

C. B. Simmons has gone to Waco on a business trip and will return Sunday night.

FIVE DAY WEEK

Railroads Consider Reduction of Days Work, Rather Than Number of Employees

NEW YORK, N. Y., May 23.—The reduction of the number of working days in the week to five, rather than the reduction of the number of employees, is being considered by the principal railroad companies throughout the United States, according to a statement in the New York Times. The reduction will be accompanied by a corresponding cut in wages.

The Baltimore and Ohio has put 20,000 shop men on a five day basis, and the Reading has adopted a shorter week, the report says. It is stated that a decline in traffic has caused most of the lines to send out general orders cutting down operating expenses. It was said that a recent survey showed 5,000 locomotives and 330,000 freight cars in first class condition, ready for business.

GETS LONG TERM

Misguided Youth Given Long Sentence in Training School

A sixteen-year-old local youth, charged with forgery, was given an indeterminate sentence in Juvenile Court this morning. He was sentenced to a term in the Gatesville Training School. Other boys are being sought in connection with the case.

Gather on West Side Square

The ladies who are going to the County Federation meeting at Dora Saturday are requested to meet on the west side of the square Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. As large a delegation as possible is expected to go. Every club and organization of the city who entered the County Federation is expected to send three delegates and as many members as possible.

SAY DAWES IS OK

Nationalists in Berlin May Accept Plan as Basis For Entering New German Cabinet

BERLIN, Germany, May 23.—Leaders of the Nationalist party claimed temporarily today to have accepted the Dawes plan en toto as the basis of the party's participation in the new cabinet.

The negotiation between the party leaders will continue until Saturday, however.

"ANTI-WAR" DRIVE

By The United Press. SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 23.—Another drive to put over an anti-war resolution at the Methodist general conference started today when such a resolution was presented by Dr. Ralph W. Stickson, of New York.

Groom Must Buy Suits For Four Angelo Bachelors

Special to The Reporter. SAN ANGELO, Texas, May 23.—Four young San Angelo bachelors are each waiting in joyous anticipation the arrival of a new suit of clothes, which must be supplied by the fifth member of the group when he takes the matrimonial leap.

Gerome Wellington Shield Jr., is the first of the five young men to succumb to the wiles of woman, and regardless of the expense of outfitting his bachelor friends, he is to marry Miss Vernada Payne, May 28. According to an agreement made four years ago, the first of the five men to marry agreed to purchase suits for the other four.

Shield is the son of Rome Shield, early day Tom Green County Sheriff and a well known old settler in this part of the county.

START ROAD SUIT

Eastland County Sues on Three Counts—Defendant's Pleas Total \$200,000

Special to The Reporter. EASTLAND, Texas, May 23.—Testimony in the suit of Eastland County vs. George Davison et al is being heard.

Eastland County, the plaintiff, is suing for three alleged items of indebtedness; \$64,000 alleged to be the balance due for Eastland County road bonds; \$36,388.49 alleged to be the balance due on another batch of Eastland County bonds, and \$11,500 alleged to be the allowance of a bill by the Commissioners' Court to the Fleming-Stitzer road building company for the construction of a railroad switch, it being alleged by the county that the switch was never built or even started.

The county also charges conspiracy between the road building company and the Commissioners' Court, and asks that the orders entered into by the parties be set aside. The defense claims that action taken by the Commissioners' Court was within its lawful jurisdiction.

The defendants, Davidson and several of the commissioners, are asking for something over \$200,000 from the county, in case the orders be set aside and the matters investigated. This includes an item that the county is alleged to have failed to spend appropriated under the contract, another alleged sum covering work and material used on the roads that was never allowed by the Commissioners' Court, the difference in the market value of \$3,000,000 worth of road bonds which bore maturity dates different from that contracted for, and a sum to cover the difference of the money spent by Davison in constructing a railroad switch and the amount appropriated by the county for the construction.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:30 Palace Theater. No morning service; the congregation taking part in union service at Methodist Church in honor of graduating class. Services Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at Palace Theater. At the evening service the church will be open to receive the new members.

JUDGE ELLIS DOUTHIT IN TOWN FROM FORT WORTH ON BUSINESS

Mrs. T. Shipley entertained a few friends Thursday with a "Good Luck" party, honoring Mrs. Howard Combs, however.

CHIEF ADOPTS TWO DOGS

BALLINGER, Texas, May 23.—Chief of Police Pilcher paused in his dog killing program here Thursday long enough to adopt two of the canines that looked unusually friendly. He gave the dogs to persons who left \$1 each with the city tax collector. Chief Pilcher killed 20 dogs during the day in an effort to get rid of the unlicensed dogs, bringing his total to 100.

DEGENERATES GET BLAME FOR CRIME

Coroner Says Evidence of Attack is Seen in Death of Man

Chief of Murder Squad Says Students Released, Must Stand Murder Examination

By The United Press. CHICAGO, Ill., May 23.—Degenerates killed Robert Frank, 14, son of a millionaire manufacturer and real estate man, Dr. Joseph Stinger, coroner, declared today after an all-night investigation of the cause of the boy's death.

Dr. Stinger said that there was ample evidence of attack. Ransom was the primary purpose of the crime, Michael O'Grady, in charge of the police murder squad, stated. Two students who attended the Harvard school, where young Frank was a student, were questioned for several hours. They were turned loose, but O'Grady said that they would be taken into custody again for a murder examination.

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SUPPORT

Every now and then somebody think they can save a nickel by going out of town for their purchases—well knowing that whenever they do so they have placed a nice fat rock in the path of progress for this town. And not many of these impediments are needed to block the said wheels entirely. Curiously enough, the said individuals are usually the first to whine about the lack of progress in said town.

FORD'S MONEY.

It must make Henry Ford dizzy when he rounds up a flock of adding machines and figures out what he is worth.

The Ford Motor Company, in its latest report, is expected to become very popular, and will give the pedestrian a real interest in life, other than the mere saving of it several times a day in crossing the streets.

Along this line, you can do some interesting figuring about yourself. Take your income for a year. Multiply it by 25, and you have the amount you are really "worth."

Income (salary, wages, etc.) is to the individual what interest is to money in the bank or invested in bonds.

For instance, a man able to earn \$4,000 a year is in practically the same boat as the man with a fortune of \$100,000 earning 4 per cent. (Except that one works for his money, while the other has his money work for him).

The Ford Motor Company lists its combined assets as worth over 568 million dollars, compared with about 400 millions two years ago.

Such a sum is beyond the imagination of most of us. It is tremendously large. And yet the elder John D. Rockefeller, according to some estimates, has given away nearly that much for education, science, charity and so on.

Rich men, like Ford and Rockefeller and Mellon, are unable to figure exactly what they are worth. Value based on earning power might shrink a lot, or it might expand, if the properties in which the fortune is invested were liquidated—sold.

You may have furniture that would cost \$1,000 to replace. In selling, you might have to let it go for \$500. Or, if it were old enough, antique collectors might pay \$2000.

Frozen wealth and liquid wealth are different things. The "good will" of the Ford Motor Company is listed in its statement at nearly 21 million dollars. But "good will" includes reputation, prestige and the value of the Ford name as created by advertising and business methods.

Many corporations would pay 10 times 21 millions to be able to duplicate the Ford "good will" for their own businesses.

AID FOR PEDESTRIANS

Aid for the down trodden pedestrian in the form of a three color electric hand flash lamp, containing green, red, and white bulbs, has been suggested by one whose ideas for the betterment of humanity are novel, if not practical.

The poor pedestrian carries his groceries and other purchases under one arm, and operates the lamp with his free hand. On approaching a pedestrian going the other direction, he

SONNET: THE LESSONS OF NATURE



Of this fair volume which we World do name
If we the sheets and leaves could turn with care,
Of him who it corrects, and did it frame,
We clear might read the art and wisdom rare:
Find out his power which wildest powers doth tame,
His providence extending everywhere,
His justice which proud rebels doth not spare,
In every page, no period of the same.
But silly we, like foolish children, rest
Well pleased with colour'd vellum, leaves of gold,
Fair dangling ribbands, leaving what is best,
On the great writer's sense ne'er taking hold;
Or if by chance we stay our minds on aught,
It is some picture on the margin wrought.
—William Drummond.

flashes on the green light, indicating that the coast is clear. When he comes to a street intersection, he flashes the red light, meaning that he is to stop and look up and down the streets as a precaution against sudden death. When he decides to cross he turns on the white light and progress is continued.

In case the pedestrian gets in a jam and does not see how he can get home with the groceries without taking desperate measures, he can elevate the lamp and turn on all three lights at once. Some will stop for the red light, others will go-ahead for the green, and those who do not know what to do will go into a sidling for further orders. It will then be an easy matter for the pedestrian to sneak out of the crowd and go on his way chuckling over the neat subterfuge he employed.

The lamp will also be handy for the pedestrian who is waiting for a taxi cab that may carry him to the Pearly Gates. He may turn on all three lights, and while the driver is trying to stop for one, go for another, and make his car sit up for the third, Mr. Pedestrian may board a street car and lamp, it is expected to become very popular, and will give the pedestrian a real interest in life, other than the mere saving of it several times a day in crossing the streets.

The more we think of the flapper, confesses the bachelor editor of the Hastings, Neb., Tribune, the more we think of her.

A great many women never marry, thinks the Lawton, Okla., News-Review, because they can hardly support themselves.

The fondest illusion of man is that he will be able to wear his last summer's straw hat again this season, says the Iola, Kas., Register.

New Suit Free
If Our \$30
Serge Don't
Satisfy
M. J. Vaughan

An anonymous contributor to the Tulsa World suggests that if Uncle Sam has an aviator who can't miss a mountain he ought to be sent back to the farm.

The first essential in training a child is to have more sense than the child.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
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Wilchester's Diamond Brand
Pills in Red and Gold metallic
boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbons.
Take no other. Buy of your
Druggist. Ask for WILCHESTER'S
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Sweetwater Mattress Factory
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Rates Low
Best Protection
D. A. CLARK
INSURANCE & BONDS
"BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY"
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Swift fingers, keen mind, and nourishing Kellogg's Corn Flakes just naturally go together.
To get that flavor be sure to say always, "Kellogg's Corn Flakes."
Kellogg's CORN FLAKES
Inner-sealed waxlike wrapper—exclusive Kellogg feature.

"PUT and TAKE"
SALE

DID you ever hear of one? All you have to do to "Put" down just a small part of the regular price of any article in the store and "Take" it with you. Simple, isn't it?

Beginning - Saturday
May 24
Ending - Saturday
May 31

For Only Four Hours Each Day, From 2 to 6 P. M.
And here's some samples of "Put and Take" prices:

"Put Down" \$8.50 and "Take" a \$13.50 Sweater
"Put Down" \$29.75 and "Take" a \$45.00 Dress
"Put Down" \$4.50 and "Take" a \$6.50 Blouse
"Put Down" \$10.50 and "Take" a \$22.50 hat.

"PUT AND TAKE" PRICES WILL BE FOUND ON ALL GOODS IN THIS STORE

FOR FOUR HOURS ONLY, EACH DAY
From 2 P. M. to 6 P. M.

All Goods will be Sold at Regular Prices the Balance of the Day
No Goods on Approval This Sale.
No Refunds During This Sale.
Put Down Cash and Take Up Bargains During These Four Hours This Week

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Pepsinated Calomel Is Better than the Old-Time Sickening Kind

It is gentle, imported English Calomel, combined with Pepsin and other helpful ingredients. It is mild but certain, causing no harshness or unpleasantness and will absolutely relieve indigestion, biliousness, bad colds, constipation and sick headaches. And best of all it does it at once—quickly and pleasantly. Take one small tablet at bed-time and you will get up hungry and feeling fine. Recommended by

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ITCHINGS

See your doctor. Vicks, however, will allay the irritation.

VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

TO BLOSSOMS

Fair pledges of a fruitful tree,
Why do ye fall so fast?
Your date is not so past
But you may stay yet here a while
To blush and gently smile,
And go at last.

What! were ye born to be
An hour or half's delight,
And so to bid good-night?
Tis pity Nature brought ye forth,
Merely to show your worth,
And lose you quite.

But you are lovely leaves, where we
May read how soon things have
Their end, though ne'er so brave;
And, after they have shown their pride
Like you a while, they glide
Into the grave.

—Robert Herrick.

One Man Was The Whole Show At This Convention

Something unique in the way of political conventions is reported from the Crews precinct of Runnels County, held Saturday May 3. R. M. Davis, an old-timer in that community, waited several hours at the convention for the chairman to show up, and when it appeared that Davis was to be the only voter present, he elected himself, according to the law, chairman of the convention.

Mr. Davis then called himself together, and elected himself secretary of the gathering. The vote was unanimous. Following that, the election of delegates was held, at which Davis was again chosen. He adopted this unit rule and will be at Ballinger at the county convention, representing the five votes from Crews precinct.

Before he adjourned, Mr. Davis passed a resolution endorsing William Gibbs McAdoo for president, and another assuring Earle B. Mayfield of his support.

BASEBALL CHATTER

Former Swatters figured prominently in Thursday's dispatches from the outside baseball world and in only one instance did the echo of razz jarr the local fans.

Homer Ezzell, subbing for the \$50,000 Dudley Lee, Red Sox short-stopper de luxe, spilled the beans all over Boston and was directly responsible for a ninth-inning defeat by Ty Cobb's Tygers. Homer kicked no less than four chances.

Down in the Texas Association the inimitable Fleharty covered himself with glory and the Marlin Batthers with a coat of calcimine. "Flea" held the opposition to three measly and widely scattered hits and finished on the long end of a 7 to 0 score. All of which means that Old Sol is on duty and the rotund auctioneer has his tarball working.

And then from the wilds of Oklahoma comes the news that Hubert (Brick) Mason has again shifted scenery. Starting the season with glowing prospects at Syracuse, Brick, returned to the scene in the Texas Association. He busted in there with a couple of circuit smashes and was all set, so to speak, when the news came that he was sold to Binghampton in the Eastern League. Mac is getting lots of choo-choo rides anyway.

Freddie Pipkin accumulated one solid whack off Fleharty's delivery and swiped a couple of perfectly good sacks.

Over at Mobile Murray "Ace" Richburg, who made West Texas White Ways famous—or, was it infamous?—pitched in rare form with the result that Little Rock annexed a 5-2 victory. And, remember, Rich is pitching class A baseball—just a wee step from the big top.

LARGEST CLASS

Simmons College Graduation Exercises On June 5

ABILENE, Texas, May 23.—Commencement exercises of Simmons College will be observed June 5, and Dr. Harold Majors, pastor of the Gaston Avenue Baptist Church of Dallas, will deliver the thirty-third annual commencement address of that institution. Exactly one hundred students are enrolled in the senior class of Simmons and will receive the A. B. degree this year. The number of graduates was announced some weeks ago as 94; but since the announcement six more have qualified in the matter of credits, and one hundred men and women will be graduated from Simmons for 1924, by far the largest graduating class the college has ever had. About three-fourths of the number will complete their work and receive their diplomas at the June commencement, and the other fourth will take their degrees at the end of the summer session.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given by the commission of the City of Sweetwater, that on the 26th day of May, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m., it will consider bids for the digging of ditch and laying a line of water pipe on Crane Street from North 5th street to North 12th street in said city.

There will be 1650 feet of four inch cast iron pipe, class "B;" four 4-inch "T's"; two 4-inch valves; two 4-inch fire hydrants. The pipe to be covered to a depth of 26 inches.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved by the commission.

JOE H. BOOTHE, Mayor. 88110dc

"sure fit" even after a hair cut



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This fragrant nut-brown brew the West claims as its own

QUAFF the quality cup and know why Hills Bros. Red Can is the favored coffee of a coffee-critical West. Realize why it outsells all other brands and why it earned the title of The Recognized Standard!

The instant you break the vacuum seal and inhale that unique aroma, you know why homes of wealth and discernment adopted "Red Can" as their very own—thereby establishing the coffee tradition of the West. Taste the flavor and be doubly sure that here, indeed, is wonderful coffee.

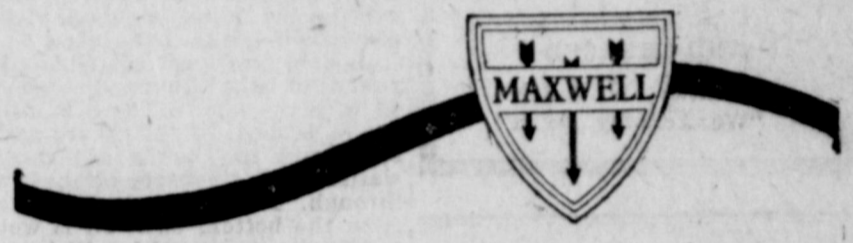
Hills Bros. originated the vacuum-pack for coffee to protect that flavor—and the coffee tradition. If you didn't see the label, you couldn't tell what the can contained until you punctured the seal that keeps Red Can fresh permanently! For none of the aroma can escape before the can is opened.

With all its high quality, Hills Bros. Coffee is not high-priced. It is economical to buy—and economical to use. Hills Bros., San Francisco.



In the original Vacuum-Pack which keeps the coffee fresh.

HILLS BROS COFFEE



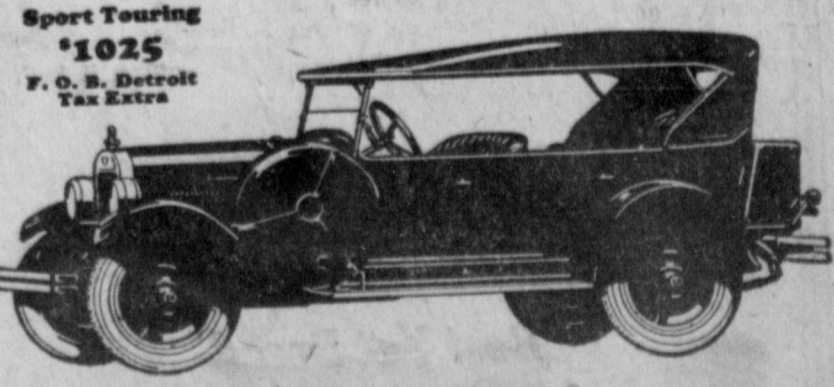
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"I had had female trouble for years and once, for six months, I was flat on my back. I am glad to recommend to other women a medicine which has helped me."

If you are nervous and run-down in health, suffering as Mrs. Hawks describes above, it is probable that Cardui will greatly help you. Try it.
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THIS POISON WILL STOP HOPPER PEST

Reppert Recommends Formula to Halt Inroads of Destructive Pest in Tom Green County.

FARMERS SHOULD SAVE THIS
All Producers Are Urging in War to Save Crops This Year From Maruding Jumbos.

A poison mixture for the grasshopper tribe in Nolan County, which, it is urged that farmers keep in mind in view of the concentrated effort to eliminate this pest, is here-with passed on by R. R. Reppert of the extension service of A & M College. It is recommended by Charles H. Grable of the Bureau of Entomology.

What To Use.
Bran 25 pounds.
Banana Oil (Amyl Acetate, Tech. No. 1) 1 ounce.
White Arsenic 1 pound.
Stock Molasses 2 quarts.
Water 3 or 4 gallons.
Ordinary wheat bran without the shorts is best.

The Banana oil should be what is known as amyl acetate. Technical No. 1, cheaper grades should not be used as they are apt to repel the hoppers instead of attract them.

If the amyl acetate cannot be purchased use instead six fruits of lemons or oranges, being careful to grind up hull and all and mix well.

Common white arsenic is satisfactory. It is essential to have "stock" or "black-strap" molasses. It is cheaper and other grades of syrup will not do.

How To Mix It.
If a large amount is to be used, the mixing can most conveniently be done in a tight wagon box or a concrete floor, using shovels and shoveling it over as the liquid is added, much as concrete is mixed. Bran must be wet.

A good size wash tub will hold 25 pounds of bran nicely and can be mixed with the hands. There is no danger in doing this if there are no open sores and the hands are carefully washed and fingernails cleaned when through. The bran must be dug up from the bottom until all is wet.

Mix the arsenic with a little water, perhaps a cupful and work into a paste as you would flour. If more water is sneezed to start with, it is impossible to get all of the arsenic wet and secure a good mixture.

When the paste is smooth, it may be stirred into the three gallons of water until all lumps disappear, and then stir in the molasses.

The amyl acetate can be added to the water. One ounce is equivalent to two tablespoonfuls. Arsenic is heavier than water and will settle to the bottom of the pail. Each time you dip the hoppers as you expect. An excellent way to mix thoroughly is to solution from one pail to the other each time before taking any out.

Sprinkle over the bran the well stirred solution a quart or two at a time and mix until the entire mass is uniformly wet.

The bran should contain enough water so that when some is squeezed in the hand a few drops will ooze through the fingers. Add water if necessary until this condition is obtained.

How To Apply It.
The mash is broadcasted as you would sow grain by hand. The bran crumbles readily so that it can be sown thinly. The mash made by 5 or 6 lbs of bran is plenty for an acre. More is waste of material.

The mash may be carried through the field or garden in a bucket, sowing with one hand, but it is much more convenient when large fields are to be treated to make up several batches at a time, put them back in the sacks and load in the front end of a wagon. Put a tub in the rear end and fill with mash. A box between tub and sacks allows the man who sows to sit facing the tub and the rear of the wagon so he can sow with both hands, covering ten to twelve rows of cotton at a time. By carefully noticing how much mash is used going once across the field an idea can be gained as to how thick it is being sown and the rate estimated with sufficient accuracy.

The mash should be scattered all over the field, along the fence rows, and out into the pasture for a distance of 100 to 200 yards all around the field.

A strip 2 or 3 rods wide, clear around the outside of the field should be treated once a week, and the entire field whenever hoppers get thick enough to cause injury. Probably the best time of day to scatter the mash is late in the evening, but if your fields are large put it out when you can.

Don'ts.
DON'T leave tubs or sacks of this mixture exposed where stock or poultry can get to them—this will poison other things besides grasshoppers if they can get it in quantity.
Don't make a sloppy mash.

DON'T leave chunks on the ground where spilled during mixing, or pails wagon boxes, tubs, boxes or sacks that have not been cleaned.

DON'T wash hands and tubs and then dump water where it will stand on the ground for the chickens to drink—the chickens should not be made to suffer for such carelessness.

DON'T expect the grasshoppers to disappear immediately. It usually takes two or three days for them to die in numbers and they continue to sicken and die for week or ten days.

DON'T put the mash out in the field in lumps; piles, rows or thicker than recommended. This is the biggest "DON'T" of all the "DON'TS." Failure to observe it has caused the poisoning of the little poultry and stock that has been lost and heard so much about. If this mash is put out as directed there is no danger to poultry or stock. One of the Entomologists at the San Antonio Laboratory makes this statement because he has personally sowed this mash in yards where the chickens were all about and the hoppers were plentiful. "The hoppers were killed but the chickens were not hurt. He supervised the putting out of 50,000 pounds of this mash one season. It was scattered in pastures right among the stock around the houses where chickens and turkeys ran every day in alfalfa just ready to cut, and in no instance was there any loss. Thousands of tons of this mash have been used, but there is no record of losses where it has been distributed according to instructions. Once in awhile a foolish farmer disregards the above don'ts and pays the penalty."

Dor Brown, county agent, expects to give several demonstrations of mixing the poison in the infested

communities, and farmers who are not sure of how to mix the poison are requested to attend these instruction gatherings. Announcements of the various demonstrations will be made in The Daily and Weekly Standard.

MARYNEAL ITEMS

Joe West Englewood of Kansas City was here buying cattle Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Martin was able to be up after three weeks' confinement to her bed.

Four pupils were graduated from the high school and eight from the grade school at the closing exercises Friday. The high school graduates were Lillian Rogge, Jewel Hartgrave, Amon Morris, and Elmo Alexander. Those graduated from grammar school were Edna Burrus, Guy Guffee, Jim Dan Maddox, Rankin Russell, Helen Wheeler, Raymond Wheeler, Ennis Hartgrave and B. O. Harris.

The program was very enjoyable. A number of persons from Sweetwater and Roscoe attended the commencement. The parents of the graduates prepared a lunch and everybody went to the creek for a picnic.

Mrs. J. P. Maddox is at home after a month's vacation.

Mrs. Lem Herrin united with the Baptist Church Sunday.

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BLACKWELL GRADUATION

Nine in Class at Close of Successful Session

Special to The Reporter.

BLACKWELL, Texas, May 22.—Blackwell High School closed a very successful session this week with an unusually large graduating class. Those receiving diplomas are: Audra Lee Humphries, Esther May Gaston, Virginia Ida McClendon, Nora Lee English, Maurine Elizabeth Whiteside, John Lewis, Eveline Elizabeth Crawford, Ruby Agnes Wimberley, and James William Nelson.

Rev. N. M. Weldon of Abilene delivered the commencement sermon Sunday.

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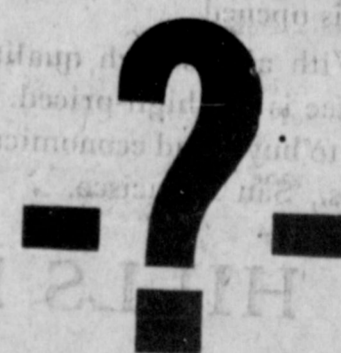


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WALKED OUT CROOKED

But He Might Have Gone in Crooked Judge Says.

By International News.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—Just because a man may stagger out of a building, is no sign that he walked straight, Federal Judge Faris ruled here when he sustained a demurrer of Joseph Sisk, proprietor of Riverview Inn, against an information charging him with illegal possession of liquor. Faris ruled that there was insufficient ground for a search warrant issued to Gus Nations, chief of the prohibition agents, on Nations' affidavit that he saw a man stagger out of Sisk's place. The affidavit did not state that Nations saw the man enter sober.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCurdy returned late Thursday from Wichita Falls via Amarillo.

USE SULPHUR TO HEAL YOUR SKIN

Broken Out Skin and Itching Eczema Helped Over Night

For unsightly skin eruptions, rashes, blotches on face, neck, arms or body you do not have to wait for relief from torture or embarrassment, declares a noted skin specialist. Apply a little Mentho-Sulphur and improvement shows next day.

Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation. The moment you apply it healing begins. Only those who have had unsightly skin troubles can know the delight this Mentho-Sulphur brings. Even fiery, itching eczema is dried right up.

Get a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

food, without the aid of a stimulant. Cloy Taylor, young son of L. H. Taylor, 809 Avenue A, recently killed a rattle snake at the corner of Austin avenue and Avenue A. The young snake hunter killed the rattler, which had six rattles and a button, with a piece of two-by-four scantling. He is now on the lookout for the dead rattler's mate.

Has 'Em!



in the wilds of Africa. They're not though. Here is a typical policeman part of his family out for a little ride.

BANK GROWS RAPIDLY

Telegrapher's Institution Trebled Deposits in Nine Months

By International News.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—The telegraphers' National Bank, a St. Louis labor institution was founded less than a year ago but in its last report to the comptroller of currency, March 31, it was revealed that its deposits had almost trebled in nine months.

The bank was opened June 9, 1923 with a capital of \$500,000. Today the bank's deposits totalled \$4,008,029.51 and its total resources were \$4,984,000.09. The bank was formed by the Order of Railroad Telegraphers.

Billy Sunday Improved.

By The United Press.
ROCHESTER, Minn., May 23.—The condition of the Rev. "Billy" Sunday, famous evangelist who is suffering from kidney trouble, is improved and an operation probably will not be necessary, according to Dr. H. C. Bumpos of the Mayo clinic.

House Moved

The Ben Roberts home has been moved to an adjoining lot and a new house will be erected on the old site. Mr. and Mrs. Kaiser are occupying the Roberts house and were not discommoded during the process of moving the house.

\$5.00 REWARD

For any information leading to recovery of my bicycle, which was taken from my home on the night of May 15th. D. L. Childress Jr. 9713p

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murchison and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Cockrell have gone to housekeeping in the new R. D. Cox duplex bungalow on Oak Street.

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Lift up the seat and we'll get busy
Our Laughing Gas is sure some fuel;
It smiles at miles and kicks like a mule.

Your tank's half full—what will it be?
Shall we fill her up or only three?
How about water and a little oil?
Better take some and see the engine boil

What about tubes? Don't you need a tire?
Farther on ahead they'll charge you higher.

If there's anything else you need today
Buy it now before you drive away.
If you don't want to buy, just say "Hello!"
And give us a smile before you go.
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So long, Old Man! Hurry Back!

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Political Announcements

The following announce their candidacy for the various offices named below, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Tax Collector:

JIM BUTLER
MISS WILLIE ELLIOTT Re-election

FOR TAX ASSESSOR
H. P. HARKINS re-election

For Public Weigher
Precinct One
LLOYD ROGERS, re-election

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
A. S. Mauzey re-election
Jno. H. Cochran Jr.

FOR COMMISSIONER-Precinct 1
W. H. Thompson, re-election.
A. J. Roy.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2
G. W. Koerth
Sy Dennis

FOR COMMISSIONER, Precinct 3
G. O. McGifley, Hylton.

FOR COMMISSIONER, Precinct 4
Geo. Eatwell, Maryneal

COUNTY CLERK
Gus Farrar, re-election.

FOR SHERIFF
Jack Yarbrough re-election.
Jesse Lambert.

SUPERINTENDENT
Public Instruction.
Miss Minnie Fowler, re-election.
J. C. Gilliam.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
R. D. Cox, Jr., re-election.

For District Clerk
DAN CHILDRESS, Re-Election

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE,
Precinct 1
I. W. Brashear, re-election.
John Bryan.

For County Treasurer
W. T. HIGHTOWER, Re-Election
G. C. Farris.

FOR STATE SENATE
Harry Tom King, Abilene, Texas.
Jesse R Smith
(Stephens County)
Judge B. L. Russell, Baird.

Jackson—"I have a Ford; what car have you?"

Everett—"A Packard."
Jackson—"Well, that's a good car, too."

Wife (in back seat)—"Henry, dear! You mustn't drive so fast!"
Husband—"Why not?"

Wife—"The motor policeman who has been following us won't like it."

She—"If wishes came true, what would be your first wish?"
He—"I would wish—Ah, if only I dared tell you."

She—"Go on, go on. What do you think I brought up wishing for?"

A woman made a purchase from one of the flower girls in Picadilly Circus and said: "I suppose you will be here Wednesday! I shall want a lot of flowers for my daughter; she is coming out on that day."

"She shall have the best on the market, mum," replied the flower seller sympathetically. "What's she been in for?"

Clean Kidneys By Drinking Lots of Water

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys if Bladder Bothers or Back Hurts

Eating too much rich food may produce kidney trouble in some form, says a well-known authority, because the acids created excite the kidneys. Then they become overworked, get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region, rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, begin drinking lots of good water and also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity; also to neutralize the acids in the system so that they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts can not injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to help keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus often avoiding serious kidney disorders. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

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FOR RENT—Store building on North Oak Street. See Rufus Wight. 13tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—One mouse colored mule, weighing 8 or 9 hundred pounds—one mare sheared closely, no brand, 8 years old. T. H. Hampton. 93t6p

WANTED—Married man wishes permanent job on farm and ranch with good reliable people. Am reliable with best of references C. Watts, Big Spring, Texas. 93tfc

FOR SALE—Four room cottage on two lots on Cedar street. Easy installment plan. Phone 516. 94t6p

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FOR SALE—Good four-burner oil stove also refrigerator cheap. Phone 573. 97t1dc

NOTICE OF SALE OF IMPOUNDED LIVE STOCK

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of May, 1924, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the City Hall in the town of Sweetwater, Nolan County, Texas, the following described impounded animal, to-wit: One smooth-mouthed black horse, about 14 hands high, branded half circle in half circle bar on left hip and 4L Bar on left thigh. Taken up and impounded by me on April 1, 1924.

T. H. HAMPTON,
 Pound Keeper, for the city of Sweetwater, Texas.
 97t1p

Miss Venie Roberts was called to Amarillo last night to the bedside of

her brother, W. A. Roberts, who is critically ill.

We, the undersigned agree to close our places of business at 6:30 o'clock, except Saturdays.

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WANTED—One hundred men in Business Men's Class Sunday morning 9:30. FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH. 97t2p

Mrs. Lane Hardy is resting better today but is still critically ill.

Prominent Women Reveal Facts About Karnak



Left:
 Mrs. Martin
 Chellev

Right:
 Mrs. Jennie Reeves

Of the many grateful statements given in praise of Karnak for the wonderful benefits obtained through its use probably none are more interesting than those of Mrs. Martin Chellev and Mrs. Jennie Reeves.

Mrs. Chellev, who is a highly esteemed resident at 530 Cleveland Avenue, Wichita, Kas., says: "Most all my life I have suffered from stomach trouble and for the past five or six years my condition has been so deplorable I could hardly eat enough to keep body and soul together. Gas, from my undigested food, would press around my heart until I felt as if I would smother, and I was in misery for hours after every meal. I was nervous and sleepless and so weak and rundown I never felt like turning my hands to do a thing about the house. But Karnak helped me from the very start and now I am no longer bothered with any of my old troubles. I feel so strong and healthy I can do my housework with ease. I think Karnak is the grandest medicine on earth."

Exemplifying the many other statements from prominent Kansas City residents, Mrs. Jennie Reeves,

814 Harrison Avenue, Kansas City, Mo., states: "For four years I suffered from such a bad case of stomach trouble, weak spells and nervousness that I had about lost hope of ever being well again. Everything I ate caused me agony, and my nerves were strained near the breaking point every minute of the day. I had spent hundreds of dollars trying to get my health back and was about the most discouraged woman in Kansas City. Well, Karnak has restored me to perfect health, and I always feel eager for the day's work and pleasures now, just like I used to years ago. My gratitude to Karnak is simply unbounded."

Karnak sets the stomach right, aids digestion, increases nutrition, and strength, helps purify the blood and co-operates with Nature to restore the body to a condition of health, strength and vitality. Its phenomenal success has become the sensation of the drug trade.

If you are not surprised and delighted with the substantial and lasting benefits received your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Karnak is sold in Sweetwater at the Sweetwater Drug Store.

Who First Turns On Auto Lights? Burning Question

A real "burning" question, one probably more baffling than what the wild waves are saying, has been brought to light. "Who is the first motorist to light his automobile lamps on any particular evening?"

The average automobile owner, if he stops to think about it, will realize that he usually waits until he sees the lights burning on another car before he puts his own on. Perhaps he never wonders who it is that starts the thing every night. If he asks his friends who own cars, he will find that they also wait until they see some one else on the road with his lights turned on.

Obviously this thing of waiting for the other fellow to start can't be carried on forever. Just as obviously, there is always some car on the road that has its lights on at the proper moment. But who is this obliging fellow, and what motive leads him to turn on his lights without waiting for guidance.

One answer sounds unreasonable enough. The only man who could be so methodical evening after evening is the one who reads the little notice, "sun sets at 7:15" and takes it seriously. There must be such a man, or otherwise the highways would be filled after dark with colliding vehicles, running without head lights, guided by the imitative tribe who wait for the official starter to turn on his lights.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Tucker of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. Julia Tucker this week, and attended the last of the Rayburn meetings.

Mrs. J. T. Derrick and daughter, Ruth, of Decker were in town Friday.

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys

Eat less meat if you feel Back-achy or have Bladder trouble.

Too much meat may form uric acid, which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Big meat eaters can flush the kidneys occasionally to relieve them like they relieve the bowels, removing all the acids, waste and poison, also they may feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, the stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad they have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get irritated, obliging one to get up two or three times during the night.

To help neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to help clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to help prevent serious kidney and bladder disorders.

Initiation tonight. Dad Morris Special. Grand Arch Warden installed. Regular meeting. All Elks urged to attend. Visitors welcome. George Tucker, E. R. T. E. Crutcher, Secretary.

First Christian Church.

Preaching every night this week at 7:45 p. m. Arthur L. Haley of Abilene directs the music. He also does free-hand crayon work. Tonight he will sing, "Home, Sweet Home." Bible school at 9:30 Lord's Day; after communion dismissal for High School services. Preaching at night. J. T. McKissick, Minister.

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 I hold his dear, and mine he cannot miss,
 There never was a better bargain driven.
 My true-love hath my heart, and I have his

His heart in me keeps him and me in one,
 My heart in him his thoughts and senses guides:
 He loves my heart, for once it was his own,
 I cherish his because in me it bides:
 My true-love hath my heart, and I have his.
 —Sir Philip Sidney.

Oh! Boy!

Walker's Cafe Is OPEN!

Right next to Pior Tire Service and across from the Mart Hotel. Let's drop around and get a bite to eat. You know him. He's been cooking in Sweetwater since Heck was a pup and if there's anybody that can set out a better piece of pie—you'll have to show me, that's all. And it just seems as if nobody knows how to make coffee like he does. That's the place I'm going to hang my dogs under from here on out.

"Me, too!"

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Meeting Friday Night

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By SECRETARY.

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