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CHAUTAUQUA IS NOT TO RETURN

Failure to Secure Guarantors Means No Program in Sweetwater in 1925.

WORLD TRAVELER TALKS
Dr. Ellis Finds Address on International Experiences — Pianist Pleases.

The Redpath-Horner Chautauqua closed a week's stay here Wednesday night with their final program featuring Paul Clemens, pianist, and Dr. William T. Ellis, lecturer, and with the announcement that there would be no return engagement of the Chautauqua here next year.

Mr. Clemens delighted the fair-sized audience with his impersonations of musical celebrities, and with his quick changes of make-up. Not only did Mr. Clemens impersonate to perfection the manner and characteristics of great artists, but he played pieces of their own composition, and in their own style. His impersonation of Paderewski and Liszt were especially well received.

Declared to be one of the most sought after head-liners on the American platform, Dr. William T. Ellis, lecturer, writer, and traveler, scored a distinct hit and received bountiful applause last night when he delivered one of the most forcible and informative lectures heard during the entire week. Dr. Ellis is one of the world's greatest feature story writers, and his works have appeared in the leading magazines of the country.

During the war he worked on six battle fronts, went through the submarine zone five times and was under fire from China to France and Egypt. His address last night was uplifting as well as unusually interesting, for besides of telling of his travels, and speaking familiarly of the foreign countries of the world, Dr. Ellis brought a message of patriotism, principles of right living and world peace that received the best of attention and hearty applause from the audience.

According to an announcement made by Mr. White, manager of the Chautauqua here, the guarantors for next year's Chautauqua have not been secured and the organization will therefore have to withdraw from this territory.

"We hate to leave this territory and the people here," Mr. White declared. "I can say for the guarantors for this year's Chautauqua, that they have been a bunch of good scouts. The Chautauqua came here this year at a bad time, the people are worn out with going and many of the people did not use the tickets they had bought. The citizens of the town do not feel like putting up a guarantee for another year, when the people do not attend the programs."

The sixty signers of this year's guarantee paid a deficit of \$13.35 each, or a total of \$801.00.

DEAL IS CLOSED

Snell, Meyers and Morris Buy Scott Property on West Second Street — Consideration \$12,000

Another large realty deal was closed this week whereby a syndicate composed of J. H. Snell, J. H. Meyers, and Guy E. Morris acquired title to the Dr. Scott holding on North West Second and Elm Street. The consideration was \$12,000.

The property is unimproved and has a frontage of 90 feet on Second Street, with 150 feet on Pecan.

Intentions of the new owners regarding improvements for the property have not yet been completely planned, J. H. Snell told The Reporter.

"We have not yet decided what type of building we will place on the property, nor when we will build," Mr. Snell said.

Have a Boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mullins of Oak street, are the parents of an eight- and a half pound son, which was born Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCurdy are in Mineral Wells where Mr. McCurdy is attending a convention of the West Texas Commercial Secretaries. The convention was held Thursday, and Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy will return Thursday night.

Not Aspirant For Presidency, Neff Says In Oregon

By The United Press.
SALEM, Oregon, June 5.—Governor Pat M. Neff of Texas is not an aspirant for the presidency of the United States, he declared here today.

Governor Neff discounted talk in which his name had been mentioned as a possible candidate.

PERU COAST HIT BY TIDAL WAVE

Several Lives Lost As Wall of Water Sweeps Coast, Submerging Many Ships.

DRIVEN ON ROCKS
Captain and Members of Crew on German Vessel Drown When Boat Capsizes.

By The United Press.
LIMA, Peru, June 5.—A number of ships were flooded and several lives lost in tidal wave that swept the coast of Peru today.

The huge wall of water that swept down on the coast drove vessels on the rocks, swamping many of them. The steamer Lempkin Haven of Hamburg, was capsized before the force of the waves at Cerro Azul, and her captain and several members of the crew drowned.

TRIES COMEBACK

Daugherty Attempts to Regain Control of Ohio Republicans — Combines Forces

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 5.—Former Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty will make a desperate fight to recapture the control of the Ohio Republicans, it was seen here today.

It is said that he will combine forces with Frank Willis in an effort to force through the selection of Louis Brush of Salem, Ohio, part owner of the Marion Star, formerly the late President Harding's newspaper, as national committeeman.

RELEASED ON BOND

Men Charged With Rape Will Stand Trial Here.

Sheriff Jack Yarborough, and son, Jack Yarborough Jr., returned Wednesday night from Wichita Falls where they drove Tuesday to bring back two men wanted here on an alleged charge of rape. The men gave their names as Jack Geer and Paul Johnson, and were held at Wichita Falls pending the arrival of Nolan County officers.

Geer and Johnson were released at Wichita Falls upon a bail of \$1,000 and \$500 respectively, and will return here for examining trial.

FREAK CHICKENS

Variety of Extra Feet and Heads in Brood.

TULSA, Ok., June 5.—A story of a flock of prize freak chickens has come trickling into Tulsa daily comment. A chicken farmer living in the city reports he has just been made the proud actual owner of a brood of funny chicks, though having been the potential owner in a setting of high priced eggs.

One of the most freakish chicks had four legs, four wings, four feet, two necks, two backs, two tails, one body and a normal sized head.

Others had similar abnormalities but none so complete a set of auxiliary accouterments as this one.

OFF EXCURSIONS

Orient Sells Week-End Round-Trip Half Price.

The Orient railroad is announcing week-end excursions on their lines between all stations in Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas, with one fare for the round trip where the one way fare is not less than one nor more than six dollars.

The date of sales will be June 6, 7, 13, 14, 20, 21, 27 and 28, and the final return limit will be not later than Monday following date of sale.

DEMANDS SENATE PROBE KU KLUX

Peddy's Attorney Files 90-Page Brief Asking Nation Wide Investigation of Order.

NAMES, DATES IN TEXAS
Incrimination and Terrorism Practiced Here, Facts Suppressed, Charge Alleges.

By The United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 5.—Declaring that the credentials of Senator Earle B. Mayfield were "stained with the blood of helpless victims," attorney Luther E. B. Peddy, contestant, demanded today that the Senate committee begin a new probe to investigate the "true nature of the Ku Klux Klan."

In a 90-page brief filed with the committee, Nichols asked the Senate to investigate the acts of the Klan on a nation-wide scale, mentioning famous crimes like that at Mer Rouge, La., Inglewood, Cal., and others which he blames on the Klan. Narrowing down to the charge that the Ku Klux Klan practiced incrimination and terror in Texas, the brief cites 11 specific acts, giving names and dates, alleged to have been perpetrated by the Klan in July, 1921.

Continuing further the brief says that "such an investigation will show that desperate efforts have been made at the Palace to suppress facts and testimony. At that the Imperial Palace sent many thousands of dollars to the defense of McKoin and other Klansmen, although they denied that McKoin was a member."

In support of the claims that the Klan controlled juries, and other charges in the brief, copies of alleged secret Ku Klux Klan correspondence have been filed. It is alleged that "more than \$20,000" was sent to Chicago to fight an anti-klan organization, and that it was nearly put out of business.

The Ku Klux Klan itself practiced boycotts by which it will not trade with non-members, the brief stated. It also asserted that in denying that he was a member of the Klan, Mayfield had either committed perjury, or practiced gross deceit on thousands of Texas Klansmen who voted for him.

Weather.

Tonight and Friday, partly cloudy to unsettled; probable showers in the southeast; cooler in north.

GOOD - BYE JAPAN DIRECTORS MEET

Woods Leaves Tokio Amid Crowd Bidding Him Impressive Farewell.

By The United Press.

TOKIO, Japan, June 5.—Japan gave Cyrus Woods, American Ambassador, an impressive demonstration of affection as the city bade farewell to him at the railroad station today.

Despite the popular irritation over the Japanese exclusion clause in the new immigration law, a crowd of more than 10,000 gathered at the station and cheered as Woods arrived to take the train for Yokohama, from where he will sail for home tomorrow following his resignation.

A prayer meeting will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. S. A. Kelton at 1010 W. N. 5th Street, with Mrs. J. T. Slater leader. All neighbors and friends are invited to be present.

Dr. A. Brann will leave tonight for Lubbock, where he will attend a meeting of the West Texas Dental Association.

Auxiliary to Meet

There will be a special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Board of City Development Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when important business will be discussed.

Miss Edith Moody has returned home from El Paso where she attended the Junior Department of the State University.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCarty and daughter, Beth of Taylor, have returned home after a ten days visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Hubbard on E. N. 4th St.

CALLS OIL LEASES ILLEGAL CORRUPT

Walsh Denounces Transactions in Report to Senate Investigating Committee.

RAPS SINCLAIR, DOHENY
"Flagrant Disregard" of Law Charged—Report Ends Famous Oil "Scandal"

By The United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 5.—Leases made by former Secretary of the Interior Albert Fall, were denounced as illegal and corrupt in the report made today by Senator Thomas J. Walsh to the Senate oil investigation committee.

The report brings to an end the long and sensational "scandal" inquiry which has involved scores of men high in public life and resulted in the resignation of cabinet officers. Indictments are now sought against the principals, and suit for the cancellation of the leases is under way.

The report recommended the tightening of existing government leases, in order that the possibility of similar leases might be lessened. Other points in the report of Senator Walsh, who has been the central figure of the investigation since it was begun by the public lands committee nine months ago, are:

Denunciation of the leases made by Fall, Harry Sinclair, and E. L. Doheny, on the legal ground that they constituted "flagrant disregard" of the law;

A severe arraignment of Fall for "accepting loans" of \$25,000 from Sinclair and \$100,000 from Doheny, with an attack on former Secretary of the Navy Denby for his dereliction of duty in failing to investigate the leases before he affixed his signature to them;

The suggestion that no leases of government lands be made without competitive bids, and then only if they are separated from drainage areas;

Leases should be passed on by the Consular General;

Charges that the leases were "corrupt" without naming the men against whom corruptness is charged, but aiming clearly at the half dozen principals in the "scandal";

Denial that the leases could be justified on the ground that heavy drainage was diminishing the government oil supply;

A denunciation of Harry Sinclair for paying "irresponsible claimants with shadowy claims."

FLIER IN CHINA

Commander of World Flight Reaches Shanghai.

By The United Press.

SHANGHAI, China, June 5.—Lt. Lowell Smith, commander of the American "round the world" flight, arrived at noon today after a successful flight from Kagoshima, Japan.

Court Will Take Up Ferguson Case Again On Monday

AUSTIN, Texas, June 5.—The special session of the Supreme Court to consider the injunction to keep the name of James E. Ferguson off the Democratic primary ballot met today set the case for Monday at 10 o'clock and adjourned.

It now seems certain that the final decision will be made before June 8, when the present term of court ends.

TWO KILLED IN CRASH OF PLANES

Falling Machine Drops on Boy, 11, Chopping Cotton—Pilot Plunges to Death.

ONE MAN ESCAPES
Jumps in Parachute After Machines Collide 1,300 Feet Above Kelly Field.

By The United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 5.—Struck by a falling airplane that fell when two machines collided 1,300 feet in the air, Jose Ramos, 11, at work chopping cotton in a field, was killed near Kelly Field today.

Lieut. Stewart L. Thompson, who fell from the plane that struck Ramos, was also killed. Lt. Will White leaped to safety in a parachute.

TO HURRY CASE

Will Call Grand Jury Session at Night If Necessary, State's Attorney Says.

By The United Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 5.—A night session of the Cook County grand jury will be called if necessary in order to prevent any delay in the returning of indictments against Nathan Loepold and Richard Loeb, confessed slayers of Robert Franks, state's attorney Crowe announced today.

"We want no delay in the returning of the indictments, and no delay in bringing the murderers to trial," Crowe said.

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POSTMAN GETS BONUS

Citizens Give Pensioned Letter Carrier \$1,000.

By International News.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 5.—In appreciation of more than 35 years of service during which time he had delivered hundreds of thousands of letters to them, a number of citizens living along his route presented John M. Scott, veteran postman, with a check for \$1,000. Scott was recently pensioned.

Carl Kunkle is visiting friends and relatives at Abilene until Saturday.

Miss Herbenia Price left yesterday for Abilene to spend her two weeks' vacation visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Boyce and family.

Dr. A. J. Wimberley will leave tonight or Friday morning for Lubbock to attend a meeting of the West Texas Dental Association, of which he is a member of the executive committee.

The social meeting announced to take place Friday evening at the Christian Church has been changed to next Wednesday evening, immediately following the weekly prayer meeting. At this time the new members and strangers in the church will be specially honored.

Miss Florence McKissick will leave this evening or Friday for Austin, where she will do special work in the summer session of the State University.

HERE TO DISCUSS RAIL CONDITIONS

Members State Railroad Commission to Meet With Officials West Texas C. of C. Today.

RAIL OFFICIALS ENROUTE

Vice-President of T-P Here on Inspection Trip—Also Santa Fe Officials From Amarillo.

A number of railroad officials and two members of the State Railroad Commission visited Sweetwater Thursday. Inspection tours, acquaintance trips into this section, and a conference on railroad conditions brought the men here on the same day.

Walter Splawn, member of the State Railroad Commission arrived in Sweetwater Thursday morning where he will meet with representatives of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, including Porter Whaley and Homer D. Wade, Thursday afternoon in the interest of general transportation conditions in West Texas.

W. A. Nabors, also a member of the State Railroad Commission arrived here Thursday morning and spent the day here before going to Stamford. Mr. Nabors is on an inspection and get-acquainted trip, he said. He left Austin Monday and will make a ten day trip over this part of the State before returning to Austin.

"This is my first trip to this part of the country over the Santa Fe," said Mr. Nabors, "and my first stop in Sweetwater. I am getting acquainted with conditions and industries in this part of the state, and when the trip is completed I will have visited in whole or in part every gas and oil field in West Texas. It is in line with my policy to have a practical working knowledge of things the Commission has to deal with in order to handle problems to the best of our ability. When the trip is completed I will have been over every main line railroad in Texas."

When asked for his opinion of the Orient railroad condition, Mr. Nabors stated that he believed the "Orient" will be organized and made a part of our best systems; it would be tragic for it to be otherwise. I can see no reason why any railroad in Texas should be abandoned. They should be improved rather than discontinued."

J. B. Payne, vice president of the Texas and Pacific railroad, spent a few hours in the city Thursday morning. He is making an inspection tour of this part of the T & P System, and went from Sweetwater to Abilene.

The Santa Fe also added its quota of officials during the day. F. L. Myers, assistant general manager, with headquarters in Amarillo, and J. F. Anton, superintendent of the Slaton division, arrived Wednesday night on a Santa Fe special car and left Thursday morning for the north on an inspection trip.

OPEN CONVENTION

Clergymen Chosen For Three Days of G. O. P. National Gathering Next Week.

By The United Press.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 5.—Bishop William F. Anderson of Cincinnati, Methodist Episcopal Church, has been selected as chaplain for the opening day of the Republican National Convention here next week.

Rabbi Stephen Wise of New York will open the second day's session, and Bishop Schrimbs of the Cleveland Catholic Diocese the third.

The Republican national committee voted to seat the delegates of the Perry W. Howard faction of Mississippi at the convention. These delegates have been contested by M. J. Mulvihill, national committeeman.

Legion Auxiliary to Meet.

There will be an important meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Jesse Robertson's of the Woman's Auxiliary to the American Legion. All members are urged to be present.

Buys Garage.

J. E. Roberts, who formerly owned a confectionery in Sweetwater, has purchased and is operating the garage at Longworth formerly owned by A. S. Brunson.

Mrs. J. S. Aldridge has returned to her home in Plano after visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Beall Jr.

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WHAT WE WANT

What "We, The People" want ceases to be a mystery when the people have an opportunity to express their desires. Citizens of Sweetwater have decided that they do not want the Chautauqua here next year.

The Chautauqua question, when it is boiled down, becomes one of whether the guarantors are willing to do all the work and assume all the responsibility for the week's entertainment. Included in the responsibility is the important item of digging deep into the well known pocket and making up any deficit that may occur after the program is finished, and after the guarantors have sold all the Chautauqua tickets.

Business men of Sweetwater have done this cheerfully for several years. They have always believed that the program of entertainment offered on the Chautauqua platform has been worth their sacrifice. But there is a time when even the most cheerful giver grows tired of pouring his gifts into the same hole every year.

The men given the responsibility of selling the tickets did not really have time to do the work. A ticket seller found that many prospects he approached also had tickets for sale. Organizations in the city whose members are apart from the regular business routine might have more success.

Chautauqua programs are interesting and entertaining. We hope that some time Sweetwater may be able to bring the Redpath-Horner entertainers here again. But if the people do not want the Chautauqua, let's don't ask them to buy tickets that they will not use.

MUSCLE SHOALS

Shortly Congress will decide whether or not the greatest source of potential power in 13 states immediately adjacent to Muscle Shoals shall be turned over to Henry Ford or retained in the public domain.

This is the age of power. It is the fundamental upon which civilization rests. Today it is derived principally from coal and oil. Deposits of these two are limited. Barring new developments, water power is the only source of energy in sight to replace them.

Muscle Shoals is not producing any electrical energy now. It will not until extensive and expensive development is completed, huge turbine generators installed, miles upon miles of high tension transmission lines built.

The Muscle Shoals question involves points much deeper than merely whether or not Henry Ford shall be given the right to take over the project. What Ford could do with Muscle Shoals is an open question, but no greater problem than what the

United States could do with the power project.

Government ownership has not been a success in the tests it has been put to in America. The expenditures necessary at Muscle Shoals would be another drain on the national treasury. If Ford fails at Muscle Shoals, it would be his own private loss.

The immensity of the project is hard to grasp. Muscle Shoals power could be used advantageously, and yet, in the present wrangle, it is consuming, and not producing.

Muscle Shoals probably means little more than a political football to the average voter, but in its present state of inertia, it is hardly that. Let somebody develop it.

R. I. TRAINS CONCELED

Motor Bus and Car Competition Too Strong.

By International News.
WICHITA, Kas., June 5.—Because of bus and motor car competition two Rock Island passenger trains will be taken off and two through trains to Kansas City will be curtailed, running between Wichita and Salina, only, effective June 1, it has been announced here.

This action was taken following a traffic check, which showed the trains were operated at a loss. Traffic on all roads entering Wichita has fallen off 30 per cent, passenger agents report.

All roads agree cheap gasoline and hard surfaced roads have played havoc with short distance travel.

WICHITA HAS NO CAMP

Only City on Highway With No Tourist Aid.

By International News.
WICHITA, Kas., June 5.—Of the hundreds of towns of more than 500 population along the Meridian Highway from Winnipeg to the Red River, Wichita is the only one that has no tourist camp, according to John C. Nicholson, Newton, Kas., president of the Meridian Highway Association, while here today in an effort to have a camp established here.

A map is being prepared of the Meridian Highway on which is designated the cities where tourist camps are located.

PLAN AUDITORIUM

Mineral Wells Realizes Need of Civic Building.

Special to The Reporter.
MINERAL WELLS, Texas, June 5.—Permanent organization of the auditorium committee here has been effected, a sub-committee has been appointed to investigate probable locations and the cost of erecting a building suitable to the city's needs, and a mass meeting is to be called following the report of the sub-committee, in the development of plans for an auditorium for Mineral Wells.

The importance of building and building quickly was stressed at a recent meeting of the auditorium committee. Mineral Wells entertained more and larger conventions during the life of the chautauqua building here than at any time in the city's history.

Mrs. Sam Morrow left Wednesday morning for the Stamford Sanitarium. Her mother, Mrs. A. J. Hudson of Dallas is here and will remain with the family until her return from Stamford.

Mrs. Ella Barrick, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. James T. Brooks and Mrs. Blanch Richardson of Big Spring, visited her sister, Mrs. W. E. Carr and other relatives here today as they were enroute to Mineral Wells to spend a few days.

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HARVEST HANDS IDLE

Men Arriving in Kansas Too Soon For Work.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 5.—Harvest hands with their blanket rolls and suitcases are beginning to arrive in Kansas City, preparing to take jobs in the Kansas wheat fields, the superintendent of the local Kansas Free Employment Bureau office announced this week.

There is no employment here for the surplus labor coming in, and they will be forced to remain idle for some time. Last year the men were absorbed temporarily by construction work along the Missouri River, but that is completed and many of the big industries are laying off part of their permanent working forces.

ESCAPES DROWNING

Agent's Sedan Washes Off Elm Creek Causeway.

Special to The Reporter.

BALLINGER, Texas, June 5.—Escaping through one of the doors of his Ford sedan, after the car had been washed off the causeway at the second Elm Creek crossing, Herbert O. Yarbrough, insurance agent from San Antonio, swam to safety in the high waters of the creek.

Yarbrough's engine was killed when he drove into the stream, and the car knocked off the causeway and carried down the stream by the current. His machine was turned completely around in the water, but left standing on its wheels.

FIND BABY'S BODY

Week Old Child's Skull Crushed, Body Covered With Brush.

Special to The Reporter.

STAMFORD, Texas, June 5.—The body of a baby boy apparently about one week old was found covered with brush in a pasture about five miles south of here Monday. The infant's skull had been crushed. It had evidently been dead nearly a week.

Verdict of death from a crushed skull was rendered by the Justice of the Peace who held the inquest over the body. Officers have found no clue to the identity of the child or those responsible for the crime.

AFRAID OF WET PLANK

Neither Party Dares Adopt One, Butler Says.

By The United Press.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Neither political party dares adopt a wet plank. Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University declared in a newspaper article here. Such action would be futile, anyhow, Butler believes, suggesting state referendums on repeal of the dry laws.

Dr. Butler called the anti-saloon league "Unchristian" in its tactics and deplors the present "prohibition mania."

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IN GOOD WITH CUPID

Kansas Pastor Has Heavy June Schedule.

By International News.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 5.—The Rev. Frank Neff, pastor of a local Methodist Church, has a "stand in" with Dan Cupid.

How otherwise could so much of the June wedding business be directed Neff-ward?

The Rev. Mr. Neff opened his June wedding schedule last night here, today he will officiate at three weddings in Lawrence, Kas.

He has not issued further bulletins as to future schedules of ceremonies, but it is understood he is fairly well booked up for the current month.

Substitute Busses For Trolleys.

By International News.

EMPORIA, Kas., June 5.—Emporia's street car system was discontinued this week and motor busses were used on the car routes. The city, by a vote at a special election last year, authorized the Kansas Electric Power Company to substitute busses for the trolley cars.

Club Members to Entertain.

Mrs. C. D. Lindley, Mrs. C. W. Bryant, Mrs. John Focht, Mrs. J. T. McKissick and Miss Mable Spann, will be hostesses at a social meeting of the Self Culture Club next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lindley on Pine Street. This meeting will close the activities of the club for this year.

S. M. U. Gets \$20,000.

By The United Press.

DALLAS, Texas, June 5.—The sum of \$20,000 has been left to Southern Methodist University by Mr. and Mrs. Paxis, Los Angeles. The couple gave the amount to the school for a scholarship fund, explaining they had "made their fortune in Texas."

Dan Ritter is spending the remainder of the week at Abilene, visiting his aunt, Mrs. W. E. Smith and family.

Big Balloon Race.

With \$1 bills Saturday, 3 p. m. "Why Not?" at Hubbards. 10822c

New Suit Free

If Our \$30

Serge Don't

Satisfy

M. J. Vaughan

Longfellow

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50c

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"That Man Mayfield" Says—
Have you gotten your \$10 in gold at Hubbards?

—If Not—

"Why Not?"

—ALL You do, is save the duplicate tickets of your purchase and come to Hubbards at 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.— and the one who has the largest amount of tickets in dollars and cents gets—

\$10 IN GOLD

Latest Gold Winners

Ena McQueen, \$10, Wednesday at 4 p. m., with tickets totaling\$72.88

Miss Mable Browning, \$10, Today at 10 a. m., with tickets totaling\$60.97

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RANGE

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PHONE 79

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SILK DRESSES
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HYLTON NOTES
Miss Velma Kinsey returned home Saturday to spend the Summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kinsey. She has been teaching at Valley Creek.
The local Eastern Star chapter held a public installation of officers Saturday. Refreshments were served afterwards to the members and their families.
Miss Myrtle Tewellen is spending

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Phone 233
Aldredge & Allen Candy Kitchen
or H. Smith, 135-J

the week with Miss Alice Cochran of Maryneal.
Mrs. Gaynelle Prince returned home Tuesday from Philadelphia where she attended the University of Pennsylvania the past year.
George Craig of Eastland is visiting his father, M. B. Craig, who has been ill for several weeks.

MARYNEAL NOTES
The Alexandria swimming pool is popular with the young folks now. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Keel of Mineral Wells, with their grand-daughter, spent the week-end in Maryneal with their children.
Mrs. D. N. Hodges is very ill. Miss Edna Guffee has returned from school at Abilene.
Mrs. Hartgraves chaperoned a group of Junior girls on a picnic Wednesday afternoon.

AMUSEMENTS
Another Grade Crossing Wreck!
During the filming of "Our Hospitality," Buster Keaton's Metro feature comedy, which will be seen at the Palace Theater Friday and Saturday, an accident happened on the narrow gauge railway near Truckee, California. Buster's duplicate of America's first railway train ran wild down the road and at a grade crossing crashed into a flivver.
The latter gave a low moan and bounced off into the weeds. Joe Keaton, the star's father, the al fresco engineer of the "Rocket" engine, greatly feared his 1820 type of engine was wrecked. However, no one was hurt, and neither "The Rocket" nor the flivver were even dented.

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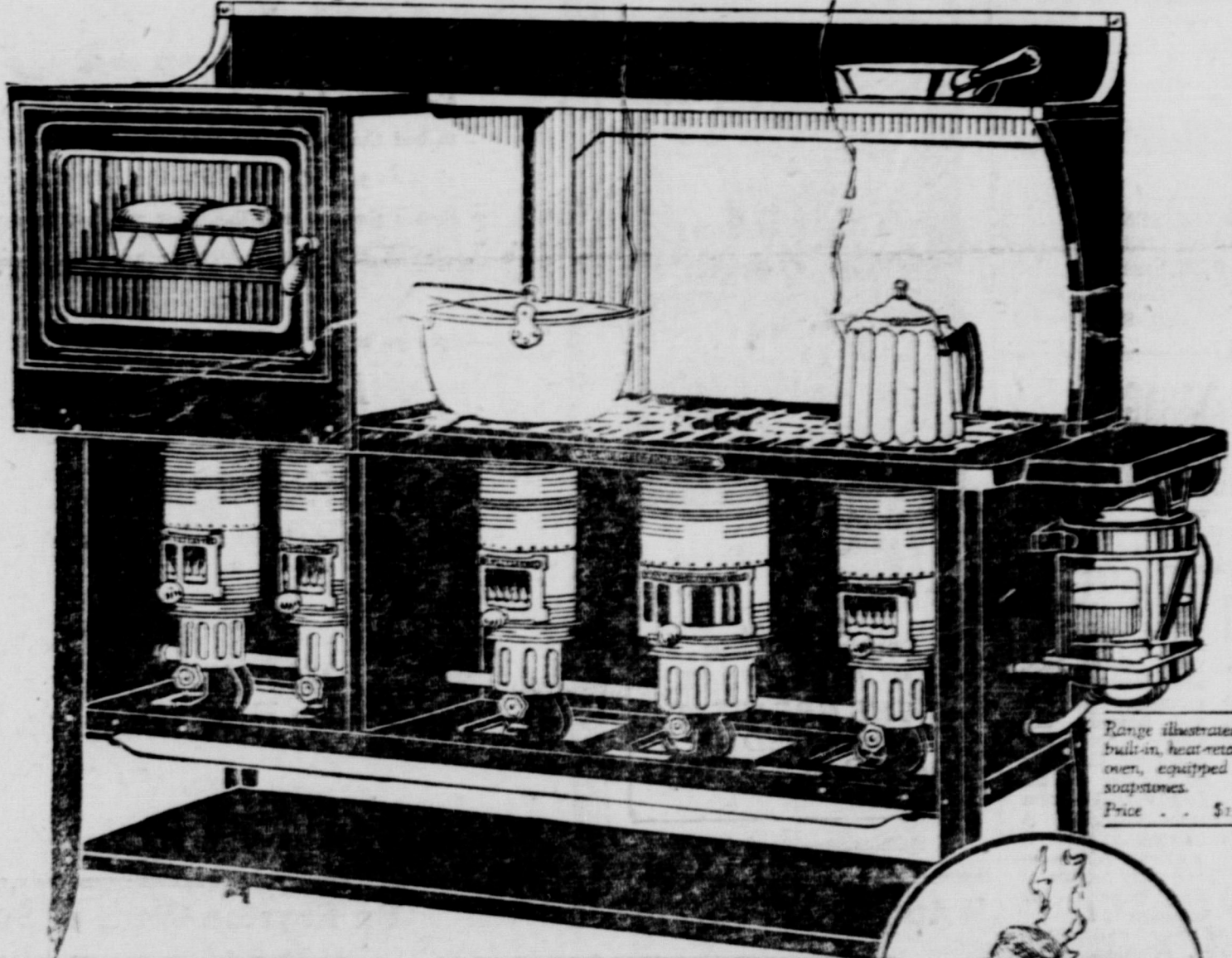
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Recital
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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 6, AT 8 O'CLOCK

- a. The Pixies Prize Song..... A. L. Brown
b. The Pixies in the Indian Village..... A. L. Brown
Betty Simmons
- Shepherds All and Maidens Fair..... Nevin
Lena Shaffer
- In June..... Loth
Marion Bray
- Dora Belle..... Shief
Shirley Mae Leach
- Reading, "He Let Her Know"..... Mary Bennett
- a. Valse Caprice..... Rathbun
b. The Rosary..... Nevin
Pauline Weatherby
- Little Classic Dance..... Derwald
Harold Barnett
- Violin Solo, Dream Waltz..... Carl Bogt
Emily Aline Gray
- Celeste Kleib..... Mary Emma Simmons
- a. A Spring Song..... Krogmann
b. Shepherds Tale..... Nevin
Bernice Sheridan
- Reading, "Shadow March"..... Louise Toler
- Dance of the Brownies..... Marguerite Herndon
- Amourette..... Klemm
Mary Bennett
- Ring Around the Rosy..... Rogers
Louise Toler
- Sunrise Mazurka..... Caprice, Pattison
Vera Elliott

Other pupils of Mrs. Gray will appear in recital next week.

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Range illustrated has built-in heat-retaining oven, equipped with soapstones.
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A RANGE of beautiful design and finish—yet its striking appearance is eclipsed by a superlative performance that is unapproached by any oil stove and unsurpassed by any stove. The big, roomy built-in oven is of unique construction. Equipped with soapstones and heavy heat-retaining walls it stays at baking heat for fully two hours after the fires have been turned off.
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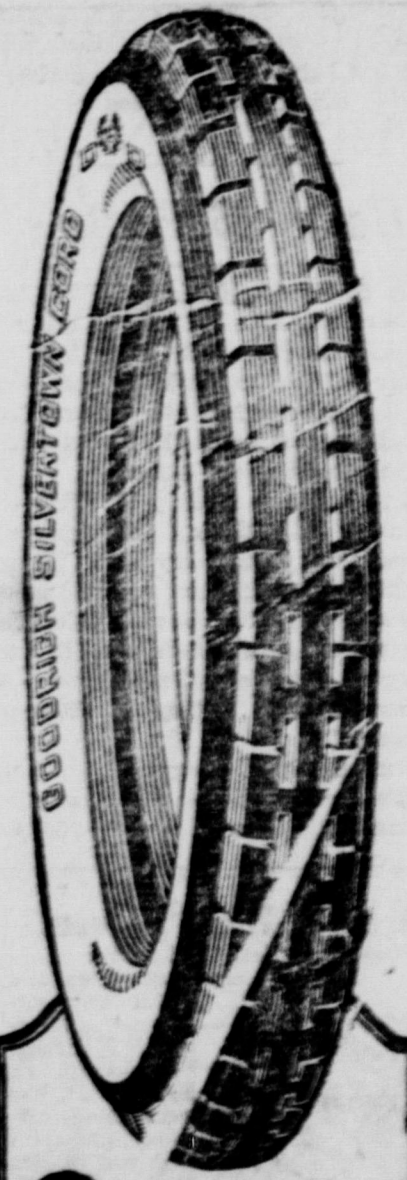
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A suggestion for
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USE Mrs. Tucker's Shortening! Potatoes fried in Mrs. Tucker's Shortening have the same goodness as when you use the best butter. They brown evenly and delicately, without a trace of greasiness.
Mrs. Tucker's Shortening is made exclusively of choice cotton seed oil. It is rich and wholesome and lacks entirely the indigestibility of an animal fat.
Whether you use it for baking hot breads or pastries or for all cooking purposes, you will be delighted with the result. Mrs. Tucker's is economical, too. It costs no more than ordinary shortening and goes much further.
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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Cottage, also furnished room, for information call at 1002 Walnut Street. 10516

FOR RENT—Store building on North Oak Street. See Rufus Wight. 137fc

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FOR SALE—Two beds complete, \$15 each, one 12x14 tent \$10.00. Mrs. B. F. Young, Gyp Plant Boarding House. 10713p

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WANTED—Men or women to take orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children. Eliminating darning. Salary \$75 a week full time, \$1.50 an hour spare time. Beautiful Spring line. International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa. W110

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If Back Hurts Begin on Salts

Flush Your Kidneys Occasionally by Drinking Quarts of Good Water

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin to drink soft water in quantities; also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to help neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone can take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby often preventing serious kidney complications. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

Big Balloon Race.

With \$1 bills Saturday, 3 p. m. "Why Not?" at Hubbards. 10812c

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BUSINESS MEETING

Friday Night

JUNE 6th, 1924

BIG FEED—BE THERE

—Secretary.

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. McGinley, 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.
Will H. Scott

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. Farria.

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

FOR SALE—\$5,000 in Vendor lien notes; denominations of \$500; secured by Roscoe Divide Black Land farms. See, write or phone A. J. Parker Realty Co., Roscoe, phone 60. 10714c

LOST—New saxophone, taken from side walk in front of old Robertson Grocery Store, Monday night. Finder please see Jack Robertson at Glass Grocery or Phone 351. 10712c

FOR SALE—One year old White Leg horn hens, full blooded Ferris strain, at 75 cents each or less if taken in large numbers. See L. C. Vinson, on north Walnut Street. 1071f

GOOD CREEK GRAVEL—And sand delivered. Phone 304. Dad Morris. 1031fc

FOR SALE—Three Spitz puppies. See Homer Bradford in the Bradford Addition or phone 540. 10613

FOR SALE—Choice lots Bradford Addition; another good home; 200 acre cotton farm. G. E. Ramsey, 714 Bowie Street. 1061fc

WARNING

Traffic ordinances of the city of Sweetwater relative to speeding, reck less driving, cutting corners, and other regulations controlling operation of automobiles within the city limits will be strictly enforced. Cooperation of drivers in the observance of these regulations will prevent accidents and is urgently requested. Drivers who fail to observe traffic regulations may expect prosecution.

W. R. (Buck) Johnson, City Marshal. 10513c

Texaco gasoline, the volatile gas, gives more mileage; costs no more. Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co. 10116c

You will find me at the Palace Barber Shop, 310 Oak Street. Your patronage appreciated. Milton Pate. 10417dc

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For a full half block on graded street and water and light lines, one and one-half blocks from graveled street, Orient addition, see Ragland at Texas Bank. 1061fc

Gains 56 Pounds

E. S. Hardy of Marshall, Texas, writes: "I had a bad case of Bright's Disease and was told that I would never be able to work. I lost flesh till I only weighed 140 pounds, my blood pressure was so high that I had to be careful of my exercise."

I took Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy and I think I am entirely cured; the doctors say I am. I am running a locomotive engine every day and weigh 196 pounds. I feel for the suffering of others, and it does me good to inform others of the faith I have in Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy."

For sale by all druggists. Prepared by Hobo Medicine Co., Beaumont, Texas. (Adv.)

Are You Weak, Nervous?

Houston, Texas—"I have used some of Dr. Pierce's remedies and found them perfectly satisfactory. I became run down in health and had weak and nervous spells. I took the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and the 'Favorite Prescription' and it was surprising how quickly and rapidly I improved. Just a few bottles of each put me in good health. I can recommend the 'Golden Medical Discovery' as a general tonic and the 'Favorite Prescription' for feminine troubles."—Mrs. W. H. Jackson, Route 1, Box 264, N. All dealers. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg. tablets.



OUCH! LUMBAGO! RUB BACKACHE AWAY

Kidneys cause backache! No! Your backache is caused by lumbago, rheumatism or a strain and the quickest relief is soothing, penetrating St. Jacobs Oil. Rub it right on your painful back, and instantly the soreness, stiffness and lameness disappears. Don't stay crippled! Get a 35 cent bottle of St. Jacobs Oil from your druggist. A moment after it is applied you'll wonder what became of the backache or lumbago pain.

In use for 65 years for lumbago, backache, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism or sprains. Absolutely harmless. Doesn't burn the skin.

Have Kidneys Examined By Your Doctor

Take Salts to Wash Kidneys if Back Pains You or Bladder Bothers

Flush your kidneys by drinking a quart of water each day, also take salts occasionally, says a noted authority, who tells us that too much rich food forms acids which almost paralyze the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaker; then you may suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To help neutralize these irritating acids, to help cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste, get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kelsey are on an auto trip east will go as far as Baird and return Saturday.

RED PEPPER HEAT ENDS RHEUMATISM

Red Pepper Rub takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It cannot hurt you, and it certainly stops that old rheumatism torture at once. When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone. Ask any good druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

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in "HORSESHOES"

Which was built for laughing purposes only

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Loges 10c Extra
Children 10c

"We are Expecting You"

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HO-HO-HA! YOU WANT THE DAY OFF SO YOU CAN MEET A MOVIE STAR—HAW HAW! THAT'S TOO THIN! BUT I GIVE YOU CREDIT, KID, YOU DON'T SPRING NO OLD STORIES ABOUT A GRANDMOTHER'S FUNERAL—WHY YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW ON WHAT TRAIN ARRIVES THE FAIR GAL, WHO SO BOUTIFULLY BESTOWS HER AFFECTION ON YOUR NOBLE SHOULDERS! HA-HA!

I TELL YOU—IT'S THE TRUTH!

SHED BETTER NOT DRAG YOU OUT TO HOLLYWOOD—YOU'D MAKE THEM SHEIKS LOOK LIKE A TISSUE PAPER ADONIS IN A RAINSTORM—LIKE A RHEUMATIC POODLE IN A DOG FIGHT. HOT ZIGGETY!—TO THINK THAT MY HUMBLE COUNTER-HOPPER IS SHEIKING UP TO MOVIELAND'S MOST VIVACIOUS VAMP! WOWN!

THAT'S JUST IT! YOU CAN'T EXPECT ME TO LAVISH HOSPITALITY ON DOTIE DIMPLE ON 15 BUCKS A WEEK. CAN YOU? NOW, IF YOU'D JUST GIVE ME A RAISE

GWAN! BEAT IT, ROMEO, BEFORE I FIRE YOU.

PHARO'S DAUGHTER AIN'T NOBODY!—YOU DON'T NEED MONEY, WASH—YOU GOT ENOUGH NERVE TO COURT A HAREM OF WILD CATS!!!

O WELL—I GOT THE DAY OFF, ANYWAY.