

A Thought for Today.
Blessings Are Not Always What They Seem
—Disguised at Times.

THE SWEETWATER DAILY REPORTER

Weather
West Texas tonight
Weather partly cloudy,
cooler, Tuesday fair.

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STATE COLLEGE HEADS ARE HERE

Six Presidents of Various Texas Teachers Colleges Meet in Sweetwater Monday for Business

PLAN FOR FUTURE NEEDS

Discuss Recommendations to Be Made To State Board of Regents in May—Visit School

Six presidents of various State Teachers Colleges from over Texas met in a business session at the Hotel Wright Monday to discuss curriculum requirements and administrative problems in connection with their work as college presidents.

The meeting here is one of a regular series of meetings of the college officials. The meeting today was preliminary to making a report and recommendations to the Board of Regents which will meet in May. Sweetwater was chosen as the meeting place because "the colleges are located in different sections of the country and Sweetwater was centrally and conveniently located to all", H. F. Estill, president of the Sam Houston State Teachers College stated.

Six out of eight State Teachers Colleges in Texas were represented in the meeting here. Those who attended the session were: C. E. Evans, president, Southwestern State Teachers College, San Marcos; W. H. Whitley, president, East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce; H. F. Estill, president, Sul Rose State Teachers College, Alpine; J. A. Hill, president, West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon; and R. L. Marquis, president, North Texas State Teachers College, Denton.

MRS. GRAHAM DIES

Young Roscoe Matron Buried Monday Afternoon Following Her Death

Special to Reporter.

ROSCOE, April 13.—Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Mrs. Elsworth Graham, aged 18 years. She is survived by a month old baby.

Mrs. Graham was well and favorably known and there were a large number of relatives and friends in attendance at the funeral.

Among those of out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pate of Sweetwater.

BURY MRS. RAY

Special to Reporter.

ROSCOE, April 13.—Funeral services were held here Sunday afternoon for Mrs. J. J. Ray. Rev. G. W. Parks was in charge and interment followed in the Roscoe cemetery.

Mrs. Ray was 69 years of age and had an exceptionally large circle of friends and relatives. Nine children and 45 grand-children survive her.

Marriage License

The county clerk issued marriage license Sunday to Roy J. Holdridge, San Angelo and Miss Doris Shay, Big Spring, and to Antonio Silbas and Miss Coueba Forey, both of Roscoe.

CANVASS VOTES

City Commission Formally Installs Newly Elected Officers—Stage Run-off May 14

The city commission met at 10 o'clock Monday to canvass the votes cast in the city election last Tuesday, and the retiring commission formally declared the election of John J. Ford, Mayor; Walter Trammell, street commissioner; Mrs. Mattie Trammell, city secretary; and Gordon Headrick, chief of police.

The run-off election in the water commissioners' race will be held May 14, according to action taken at the Monday morning session. Len Musgrove, present water commissioner, and Roy Bardwell are the two candidates for the office. George Shepard was appointed election judge.

The commission was scheduled to go in session Monday afternoon at which time the newly elected city officials will be installed and the reins of the city government turned over to them.

It isn't a stable government just because its statesmen insist on stalling.—Manila Bulletin.

Fair Weather Is Baseball's Hope For Opening Day

By United Press.
NEW YORK, April 13.—Fair weather was in prospect today for the opening games of the National and American League tomorrow.

Heavy sales of tickets by the business offices of all clubs indicated that large crowds would be on hand at the season's start.

The sale of tickets for the opening game between the Yanks and the Washington Senators here tomorrow was reported to be the heaviest in the history of the club.

TEXAS U FILES WRIT MANDAMUS

Regents Take Question of Use of Oil Royalties To Courts of State For a Decision

HAVE A LARGE INCOME

Many Thousands of Dollars Income From Oil Wells Regan County Field Received

AUSTIN, April 13.—University of Texas regents in special session here today decided to take the initiative in determining the validity of the law authorizing the placing of oil royalties in the available instead of the permanent fund.

Motion for leave to file a petition for a madamus was filed in the supreme court by the Regents, directing the state treasurer to transfer all funds from royalties of university lands that may be delivered to him by the State Land Commissioners.

The university is receiving an income of many thousands of dollars from the Regan County oil field. Heretofore it has only been able to use the income from these royalties, which have been added to the permanent fund of the university.

BUY WACO STORE

Bowen Brothers Purchase Leading Drug Store in Waco for \$100,000

Berry Bowen returned Sunday from Waco following the successful closing of a deal whereby he becomes principle owner and manager of the Old Corner Drug Store, one of Waco's oldest drug stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen will leave for Waco to make that city their home as soon as details in connection with the management of the Sweetwater store can be closed.

Around \$100,000 was involved in the transaction according to the following item from the Waco News Tribune:

The Old Corner Drug Store, one of Waco's oldest retail drug concerns, changed hands Thursday afternoon, with its purchase by three brothers, F. M., R. I. and Berry Bowen of Lubbock, Coleman and Sweetwater, respectively, from Newt Lyle and Mrs. W. B. Morrison, its present chief stockholders. The transaction involved a consideration of approximately \$100,000.

The new stockholders held an informal meeting after the purchase and selected Berry Bowen the chief stockholder, as president and general manager.

The new owners will leave the name as the W. B. Morrison's Old Corner Drug Store and contemplate little change in either personnel or operation. The Bowen brothers are prominent West Texas druggists, operating drug stores in Coleman, Sweetwater Lubbock and Breckenridge.

The new manager, Berry Bowen, will take charge at once. His family will come from Sweetwater in the next day or so to take up residence in Waco. His wife was Miss Annie Roby of Coleman who is a Baylor graduate.

Although the business was organized prior to 1882, it was in that year that Dr. W. B. Morrison took it over, reorganizing the concern.

Services to Continue

The revival services now in progress at the First Christian Church will continue all week. Fine congregations have heard Rev. R. D. Schultz at each service. His subject for this evening at 7:45 will be "Where do the Dead Go?". The congregation invite the public generally to hear him.

My Gosh! Suppose some important question should pop up while King George is away!—Baltimore Sun.



This picture shows Dorothy Ellingson, her father, and her brother at the girl's sanity hearing in San Francisco, was telephoned from San Francisco by NEA Service and mailed from Cleveland. It is the first picture to be handled commercially by the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, which is the first organization in the world to wire photographs on a commercial basis.

EXHUME BODIES IN POISON CASE

Remains Walter Cunningham, Three Sons and One Daughter Taken From Graves

EXAMINE VITAL ORGANS

Attempt to Trace Poison in Vital Organs in Quintet Who Died Mysteriously

By United Press.

WHEELER, Ind. April 13.—The bodies of Walter Cunningham and his three sons and one daughter were exhumed from the cemetery near here today in the investigation to determine whether or not their death resulted from poisoning.

Workmen first brought to the surface the body of Harry Cunningham. The body of Walter followed it.

Examination of the vital organs was started in the little shack on the ground.

LOCATE HATCHERIES

San Angelo and Del Rio To Have Federal Fish Hatcheries

AUSTIN, April 13.—Five new fish hatcheries, three to be built by the state and two by the federal government, will be constructed in Texas in the near future, according to Turner E. Hubby, state game, fish and oyster commissioner.

Enlargement of the hatchery at San Marcos is also announced.

The state plants will be located where they will serve the tourist public best, and the federal plants are to be located at Del Rio and San Angelo.

WAS STRANGE BIRD

Nobody Could Identify Specimen So Case Thrown Out of Court

BEAUMONT, April 13.—Because neither the court, deputy game warden or bird "expert" about town could identify a certain breed of bird, the trial of M. B. Word, former police chief of Port Arthur, and M. H. Jago, charged with shooting wild game out of season, had to be postponed.

After several lengthy arguments over the bird, said to be a plover, Justice of the Peace R. A. McReynolds ordered the specimen sent to State Fish and Game Commissioner Turner Hubby for the last word in identification.

P. C. Moore and R. H. Wilson have gone to Roswell N. M. on a business

An "Apex"



Mrs. Helen Purdy, of Tulsa, Okla., wife of the Tulsa church deacon, charged with the murder of E. S. Hutchinson, wealthy lumberman. Hutchinson and Mrs. Purdy were found in an apartment together. The Purdy's were divorced and Hutchinson was later shot.

BRIAND FORMING FRENCH CABINET

Seven Times Premier of France Attempts Task of Forming His Eighth Ministry

PAINLEVE REFUSES OFFER

Tells President Domergue Unable to Form Satisfactory Cabinet—Conference Held

By United Press.

PARIS, April 13.—Aristide Briand, seven times premier of France, held conference after conference at his home this morning endeavoring to form his eighth ministry at the request of President Domergue, France.

Paul Painleve, first choice of Domergue to succeed Briand, retiring premier announced that he would be unable to form a satisfactory cabinet.

Briand, who would have preferred a portfolio under Painleve, presumably that of Minister of Foreign Affairs, then took up the task of forming a cabinet.

WHEELER TRIAL TO START SOON

Great Falls Stir With Interest As Trial of Montana Senator Is Drawing Near

FORTY WITNESSES SUMMONED

Government Will Try Prove Wheeler Accepted Fees As Attorney Before Interior Dept.

By United Press.

GREAT FALLS, Montana, April 3.—Great Falls today began to stir with interest over the approaching trial of Senator Burton K. Wheeler which begins in Federal Court Thursday.

Forty witnesses have been summoned by the government in an effort to prove the charges that Wheeler accepted fees for appearing before the Department of Interior as an attorney before he became senator.

Much interest centers in the question whether George B. Lockwood, former secretary of the Republican National Committee and Blair Coan, his employee, will be called to testify. It is rumored, however, that these men will not be called to testify.

Liquor valued at \$50,000 was found in a Charleston graveyard. Wonder how it reached there ahead of its victims?—Houston Post Dispatch.

Ford's New Aerial Freighter Makes Fast Trip Today

CHICAGO, April 13.—The "Dearborn," Henry Ford's all metal air freighter, sailed into the government flying field at Maywood here today at 11:14 a. m. making the trip in two hours and 40 minutes from Detroit, pounds of freight.

The giant airplane carried 1,000

blazes—Firemen Answer Alarm

By United Press.

A huge kettle of tar at the plant of the West Texas Construction Co. on the west side of town caught fire at 2 o'clock Monday morning and the fire department was called out to extinguish the blaze.

Chemicals were used in fighting the blaze and the fire was extinguished with little damage resulting, it was reported. The tar being "cooked" was for use in street paving.

The father of Robert Calvert at Brownwood continues very low, according to the last news received here by Mrs. Calvert's aunt, Mrs. B. F. Archer. Mr. and Mrs. Calvert have been at his bedside since Friday afternoon.

Bandits Try To Loot Methodist Easter Offering

By United Press.
DALLAS, April 13.—"Knobknockers" made an unsuccessful attempt to get away with \$1,500 Easter offerings in the safe of the First Methodist Church here last night.

Officials of the church discovered the attempt this morning when they went to get the money to deposit it in a local bank.

The bandits had forced the safe open but were unable to open the strong box which held the cash.

DALLAS MAN IS KILLED IN CAR

Four Negroes Held for Investigation in Connection With Assault on Man and Woman

ROBBERY IS MOTIVE

Only Small Amount Cash Secured—Adkins Beat To Death With Pistols—Woman Hurt

By United Press.

DALLAS, April 13.—Four negroes are being held here today for investigation in connection with the death of Ryan Adkins, 30, and an attack upon his companion, Mrs. May Speers here last night.

Two negroes accosted the couple as they were driving in the outskirts of the city, grabbed Adkins and beat him over the head with pistols, according to Mrs. Speers' story.

Mrs. Speers was in the rear seat of the car. She was hit several times. The negroes took possession of the car, drove it over an embankment and deserted it.

Only a small amount of cash was secured by the assailants. Mrs. Speers concealed her jewelry in the car during the attack.

NEW RAILROADS

Fort Worth and Denver Asks I. C. C. For Permission To Build South Plains Lines

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Application for the authority to construct a line of railroad east and west from Carey, Texas, to the center of Castro County a distance of 130 miles and north and south from Silverton to Lubbock, a distance of 53 miles, were made to the Interstate Commerce Commission today by the Fort Worth and Denver and South Plains Railway.

AID WIDOW

Mrs. Pete Welk Receives Cash and Other Assistance From Friends

DALLAS, April 13.—Life that held little but worry and privation for Mrs. Pete Welk before her husband was electrocuted at Huntsville a few weeks ago has proved to the widow that it has a bright side.

More than \$2,000 has been donated by persons interested in the frail widow's fight to keep her family of five children intact. Carpenters have offered to construct her a home from material donated by lumber dealers, while clothing stores have offered to outfit the children, ranging from 3 to 12 years in age, in school clothes. The family has been installed in a comfortable home temporarily at Garland, where the children will have advantages that have been denied them heretofore.

PLAN BIG DELEGATION

Many Ex-Service Men to Attend Convention At Stamford Sunday

The Legion committee from the Oscar McDonald Post working on plans for the local Post attending the District Convention at Stamford Sunday, report that a large number of cars have already been pledged by various members to carry the Sweetwater delegation to the Jones County city.

Sweetwater Legionnaires will leave here Sunday morning for Stamford, and it is expected that over a score of local ex-service men will attend the meeting.

An elaborate program has been arranged for the convention by Jones county posts, according to reports from Stamford. The convention will be featured with a banquet at noon Sunday, and a business session in the afternoon. Former National Commander Alvin Owsley, Adjutant General Mark McGee, and Mrs. W. M. Armstrong, president of the State Legion Auxiliary, will be among the speakers

BANKS CONTINUE SHOW MORE CASH

Continued Increase in Deposits Shown in Statements Three Local Banks Over 1923

PER CAPITA CASH \$4,000

Combined Deposits Aggregate \$4,000 For Each Man, Woman and Child in Sweetwater

Continued increase in deposits, cash on hand, total resources as well as loans is reflected in the combined statements of Sweetwater banks on the call of April 6, 1925 as compared with that of March 31, 1924 or the corresponding call of one year ago.

Total deposits this year on April 6 were \$2,776,876.51, representing an increase of \$363,584.18 over one year ago.

Loans increased \$137,008.04, cash on hand was enhanced \$222,073.66 while total resources increased \$221,536.25 during the same period.

Nothing could more realistically indicate the continued growth and prosperity of this section.

Estimating the population of Sweetwater as 7,000, combined deposits of Sweetwater banks represent per capita wealth of nearly \$4,000 for each man woman and child.

Deposits, April 6, 1925

First National Bank — \$ 990,064.72
Texas Bank & Trust Co. — 970,339.69
City National Bank — 816,472.10

Total ————— \$2,776,876.51

Loans, April 6, 1925

First National Bank — \$ 404,813.10
Texas Bank & Trust Co. — 398,247.60
City National Bank — 222,145.03

Total ————— \$1,025,205.73

Cash on hand, April 6, 1925

City National Bank — \$ 670,028.88
First National Bank — 670,590.67
Texas Bank & Trust Co. — 641,825.72

Total ————— \$1,982,445.27

Total Resources, April 6, 1925

Texas Bank & Trust Co. \$1,173,044.35
First National Bank — 1,108,237.96
City National Bank — 954,565.90

Total ————— \$3,236,248.21

Deposits March 31, 1924

Texas Bank & Trust Co. \$935,651.80
First National Bank — 867,682.82
City National Bank — 609,957.71

Total ————— \$2,413,292.33

Loans March 31, 1924

First National Bank — \$383,571.64
Texas Bank & Trust Co. — 339,542.26
City National Bank — 165,183.79

Total ————— \$888,297.69

Resources March 31, 1924

Texas Bank & Trust Co. \$1,156,828.10
First National Bank — 1,007,925.59
City National Bank — 849,957.39

Total ————— \$3,014,711.08

Cash March 31, 1924

Texas Bank & Trust Co. \$ 704,631.92
First National Bank — 539,103.95
City National Bank — 516,635.74

Total ————— \$1,760,371.61

SHOWERS FALL

Big Spring, Bronte and Other Points Receive Nearly An Inch of Rain—78 Here

Rain of nearly an inch at Big Spring, Bronte, Mertzon and Abilene and scattered showers at many other points were reported over the week.

According to the rain gauge at the Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co., the Saturday night rain amounted to .78 of an inch and Sunday afternoon .04.

A gorgeous rainbow was a feature of the Sunday afternoon shower whose exceptionally heavy clouds promised more moisture than was received.

A heavy dew was in evidence Monday morning in Sweetwater.

Two horses were killed when lightning struck stables at Abilene Fair Park according to report.

Revival Services Close

The series of revival services held at the Church of Christ for several days came to a close at Sunday evening's services with an addition of five new members.

Extra Votes for New Subscribers

The workers in the great circulation drive for the Daily and Weekly Reporter are being asked to secure one thousand new subscribers to the Daily Reporter for the week ending Saturday night, April 18.

At first thought the number of new subscribers to the Daily and Weekly Reporter may be seem to the workers and their friends a very high number to set but when it is considered that there are one hundred and fifty or more active workers in this drive and the number of new subscribers to be secured apportioned among the workers according to the prospects and possibilities of securing subscribers in their respective territory, the number is not so large and can be secured by every worker if their friends will cooperate and help them secure their quota.

The quota to each worker goes out by letter in tonight's mail. It is very probable that almost every worker in every district will secure their quota by Saturday night. The ladies who are putting over the drive for the Reporter have not failed in responding to every offer that has been made for votes and it is believed that they will take in this week's offer and request to get the number of subscribers asked for.

In offering three new model Chevrolet Cars and thirty valuable prizes besides the cash awards that will be given to those who do not get a prize, the sole purpose and object of the drive was to secure new subscribers with renewals of old subscribers to the Daily and Weekly Reporter, the plan being an entirely new one, not involving money-spending and with an offer for the prizes to be given for the "most votes."

The drive now narrows down to the securing of subscriptions, and those who succeed will be the winners of the three cars and all of the prizes.

A new subscriber will be a person who is not taking the Reporter at this time, such persons may have taken the paper some weeks past but it would be considered a new subscriber at this time. The subscriber who has paid one payment and was a new subscriber at the time and makes the second payment and moves up the date for the subscription will still be considered a new subscriber for this week and count on the quota for the week.

There is only one more week of the drive after this week. The drive will close on April 25 when three cars and all of the prizes will be awarded to the most successful workers.

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FRIENDS OF THE FRIENDLESS

Books are the friends of the friendless. Horace Greeley tells how, as a boy, he would go reading to the wood pile, reading to the neighbors, reading to the garden. His father was poor and needed the lad's services during the day. But the nights were his own. Then he would lie down by the open fire and, silent, motionless and dead to the world about him, would live in the world to which he was transported by his books.

The ministry of books still goes on. Men in prosperity find in books their greatest pleasure. People who seek refuge from pain and care or who look for a substitute for gloomy thoughts find what they seek in the immersion of reading.

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Where else can one get so great returns from the money invested? The only limit to the dividends we draw from our reading is found in the thoroughness and the thoughtfulness with which we read.

GROWTH OF THE RACE

A loud peated before a radio receiver, is a pretty true picture of this race of ours in the year 1925. The radio is the latest word in scientific discovery. Yet, he who plays with this marvel of marvels is still a boy—unruly, impetuous, green.

For man, with all his mastery over the blind forces of Nature, forgets that, as a living sentient creature, he is little more than a boy himself in short pants. The world is old, probably millions of years old. Man is old

in body; nobody knows how old. But his intellect is a new tool, about which he knows as little as the layman knows about radio.

There is not much for man to brag about in the tremendous achievements he has made in the physical sciences. Not until he grows away from his fumbling efforts to subdue the spiritual forces of his own nature, will he have cause for elation.

Man rules supreme everywhere but expressed in chemical equations or the world is not old, but new. The faults of his civilization are not the weaknesses of doddering old age, but of youth. So far its history has been written in terms of sheer materialism expressed in chemical equations or the language of the physical laboratory.

The only hope is that the race of man, like Franklin's famous baby, will some day grow up.

WANTS NO PUBLIC OWNERSHIP

Chicago voters, or such a minority of them as took the trouble to vote the subject, defeated Mayor Dever's plan to buy and operate the street railway system of that city. Private ownership had fallen down on this job, and a decisive majority of those who voted had no wish to have the city assume the burden of a transportation problem daily becoming more acute. The plan that faced the voters of Chicago was the most expensive venture into state socialism of any ever submitted to a large city. It enabled the city to buy the street railway lines upon an installment plan, financing payment from cash paid into the fare boxes, and giving an unlimited term of years for payment. At the same time the city was to have been licensed to engage in the operation of elevated railways and subways, and even to use air transportation if the latter could ever be made to serve the city's needs. The very magnitude of the project, running into hundreds of millions, was the factor that seems to have produced an adverse vote. Taxpayers did not want to subject their property to the risk of a municipal mortgage that in the end might have increased tax rates if the transportation experiment failed to collect sufficient means from trolley car customers.

In addition to this there was an active popular opposition in any far corner of the city. It was felt that the street railway lines which it could demonstrate its ability to run for the operators in City Hall, and that the many citizens who were against the plan. The defeat of the proposition leaves Chicago in much confusion concerning the task of operating its citizens. But it has not contented those who have been fearing that that city was in danger of embarking in an enterprise the result of which was uncertainty.

The fact that prohibition doesn't prohibit is poor consolation to a man in an emergency ward.

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TWO RICH YOUNG MEN

Fowler McCormick, grandson of John D. Rockefeller, starts in to learn the harvester business from the ground up. His first job in that of heating iron in a factory. He will progress from one task to another until he winds up in one of the high places in the industry, as befits an heir to the McCormick millions. Mr. Rockefeller, the rich grandfather is so impressed with this example of youthful industry that he writes the young man a letter, praising him for his earnestness and purpose.

Another rich man's son, disinherited because he had more of an inclination to burn up highways in a motor car than to be about his father's business, tries to conquer fame and fortune in an easier way. He sought to enjoy the sale of the Dodge Brothers motor plant upon the ground that he did not have a rightful share in the proceeds. Perhaps if he had started in to carry pig iron and had gone through all the successive jobs in the Dodge mill, the court would have taken another view of his appeal. As it is, it dismisses his suit, and permits the Dodge plant to be sold over his head without reference to anxiety that in other years was not regarded by him as worth protecting.

In these contrasted examples it looks as if the youth who was willing to start in at a common laborer's job that he might learn his family's business, deserved to get a approving letter from his rich grandfather. And for his unwillingness to apply himself to anything that savored of work the other young man probably deserved to lose his law suit with Wall Street.

Edison says noise is essential to our happiness. This is the first kind word congress has received.

Essentially, man is like a flivver. Desire is the accelerator; will power is the brake; the mouth serves as horn and when he's hurried he's rattled.

Renewed hostilities in Albania confirm a long-standing suspicion that what is needed in the Balkans is a quick reversible sword and plowshare.—Detroit News.

Dr. Brady says cabbage is healthful in any form. Guess Doc doesn't smoke.—Toledo Blade.

BILIOUSNESS

Retired Minister Tells How He Keeps in Good Form With the Assistance of Black-Draught.

West Graham, Va.—The Rev. Lewis Evans, a well-known retired minister, now past 80, living here, has a high opinion of Black-Draught, which he says he has taken when needed, for 25 years. "For years I had been suffering with my liver," he says. "Sometimes the pain would be very intense and my back would hurt all the time. Black-Draught was the first thing I found that would give me any relief."

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News Of Nolan and Adjoining Counties

BARNETT NEWS

Special to Reporter.
John Hall's little girl, Audrey, who has been ill for some time, is now in a rather serious condition. However the last day or so she seems to be a little better.

David Neatherlin, who has been detained from school for some time on account of illness is improving.

A. C. Payne was called to Big Springs Saturday on account of illness of the son of Arthur Payne, a brother to A. C. Payne.

Mrs. Balus Brown of Loraine visited school Friday afternoon.

John H. Savell who has been visiting his son, L. T. Savell, leaves for New Mexico in a few days.

R. B. McIntyre, Jr. turned a Hudson Coach over for his brother, Randolph, the other day. The car was damaged considerably and R. B. received rather severe, though not fatal, injuries.

Mrs. W. F. Terry visited her sister, Mrs. Lena Hall, who lives north of Loraine. Mrs. Hall's baby has been ill.

Mr. W. S. Allbright and Estes Smith were in Colorado Saturday.

The Barnett school had a quite an enjoyable picnic on Barnett creek April 1st. All report that they had a good time and plenty to eat.

The Ussery family of Champion were guests of A. M. Reed and family Sunday.

W. F. Terry and L. C. Gregg were elected trustees last Saturday. W. M. Richey is the other trustee. Mr. Gregg was re-elected and Mr. Terry will take the place of A. G. Woods.

Elder Sidney W. Smith of Abilene preached Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Dinner was served on the ground and all stayed for dinner and got all they wanted. These services were well attended. Elder Smith just happened to drop by and preached. Elder Forhan of Big Springs to preach Sunday, April 19.

Miss Johnnie Lee Graham was the guest of Miss Bettye Keele last Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. M. Richey was at school Friday afternoon.

Some very good work has been done on the road leading south from Barnett. There was a curve at the south west corner of A. M. Reed's pasture where one would have to go a long way around just to get a few yards but the road was fixed this week so that one can go straight.

Plans are being worked on for a road leading east from Barnett. A lane is to be opened up there and it will be grubbed before long so that a road may be opened up.

The Barnett school had an Easter egg hunt Friday afternoon. All seemed to enjoy it, though some of them were unlucky and some were very lucky.

Will H. Scott, county superintendent and W. C. Calvert, county agent, visited the Barnett school Friday. Mr. Calvert spoke in the interest of the boys' club and what he could not say Mr. Scott did. Several of the boys were interested and took cards to sign.

Mr. Scott also visited the primary room and made a talk. Their presence was enjoyed by all.

W. M. Richey, and son, Walter, John Reeves and several others enjoyed a two day fishing trip on the Colorado river this past week. It seems that they caught all they could eat while here and one more.

TO THE LADIES

See Mrs. Hudson's Red Hats for summer. 611c.

DECKER NEWS

Special to Reporter.
Frank Dequiere has just returned from a business trip to Lubbock.

W. C. George returned Sunday from a week's trip to Austin, Jackboro, Fort Worth and other points.

Miss Parr met with the club ladies Wednesday afternoon, April 1, at the home of Mrs. W. C. George. The next meeting will be April 15 at the home of Mrs. T. V. George. The demonstration was on button holes and spring finishing.

Mrs. J. H. Cochran and daughter, Margaret of Sweetwater have been the guest of Mrs. G. W. Cochran and family.

Among the Sweetwater visitors Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sedberry, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cochran and son, G. W. Jr., Abe and Hub Lanier, John Sedberry and Jess Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sanders entertained with a party Saturday night.

Mrs. J. W. Leech and daughter, Miss Ruth of Blackwell, were visitors here Thursday afternoon.

Everyone enjoyed a musical at the home of Mrs. A. R. Sedberry Thursday night.

Mrs. P. M. Harris and son, Dahner, spent the week end with relatives at Port Chadbourne.

P. M. Harris made a business trip to Snyder this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Carey of Sweetwater were the guests of their cousins Mr. and Mrs. Carey Whittington Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Lowe and son, Jack, of Merkel, spent Sunday here. Mrs. Mike Sedberry and daughter, Margie, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McReory of Wilson came in Thursday to visit Mrs. McReory's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lanier and other relatives.

Charlie Ragsdale of Wingate has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Sutton.

Miss Ruth Derriek of Brooks spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Derriek.

Rev. King, a Baptist minister, who lives near Blackwell, will conduct services here Sunday at eleven.

BLACKLAND TIDINGS

Special to Reporter.

Mrs. Will Keeling and son, Jason, returned Wednesday from an extended visit with relatives at Tyler, Texas. They made the trip and return by auto.

The trustee election held here Saturday resulted in the election of Henry Leonard and the re-election of Mark Dawson and T. E. Autery.

Blackland school was well represented at the Interscholastic League Meet at Sweetwater, Friday and Saturday. Among those bringing home ribbons were: Jewell Hibbert, Dee Anderson, Raymond Nance, Troy Morgan, John Scott, Cecil Campbell and Eddie Tatom.

Many Blacklanders attended the Nolan County meet at Sweetwater, Saturday and report an enjoyable time in spite of north wind and sand blowing.

The second regular meeting of the Blackland Literary society was held at the school house Friday evening. The program proved a success. The next meeting will be held the evening of May 1st, and the program committee is planning to present a still better program.

Messrs. Wade and Lawrence Ray and Mrs. Agnes Thompson and Miss Annie Ray visited Miss Winnie D. Sumrall Sunday afternoon.

Among those who attended the singing at Roscoe Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Autery, Mrs. Ida Mathews, Mrs. Chester Holt, Miss Emily Howe, Miss Norma Graves, Miss Jewell Mathew, Dave, Clyde and Robert Mathews Harvey Staton and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davis and children spent Friday and Saturday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Hibbert and attended the track meet Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Anderson and family spent Saturday and Sunday with some old acquaintances near Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leonard and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rayburn and family.

GOODE NEWS

Special to Reporter

An election was held at the Goode school house for the purpose of electing new school trustees. A. E. Keaton, re-elected, Mr. I. J. Paxton and Mr. C. Boyd were elected for the coming year.

Messrs. Harvey and Cecil Crain, and Azell Younger, called on Mr. Alexander Monday afternoon.

Miss Mae and Johnny and C. B. Stiefel attended the B. Y. P. U. Champion Sunday night.

J. A. Young and family motored to Slaton the later part of last week, returning Monday. They reported it being very dry up there.

George Younger entertained the young people with a singing last Sunday night.

Cleve Clark and family spent the day, Tuesday with J. A. Younger and family.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Williams has gone to S. A. Angelo on a business trip.

Clarence Colbert and Miss Eva Young were visiting in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. Windham and family were shopping in Sweetwater Saturday.

Several people from this community have been attending court at Sweetwater the past week.

Mrs. Williams is having a new barn built on her farm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richey, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Richey and families were visiting in the Stiefel home Sunday evening.

Harvey Crain was in Roscoe Sunday.

W. M. Crain was in Sweetwater Saturday.

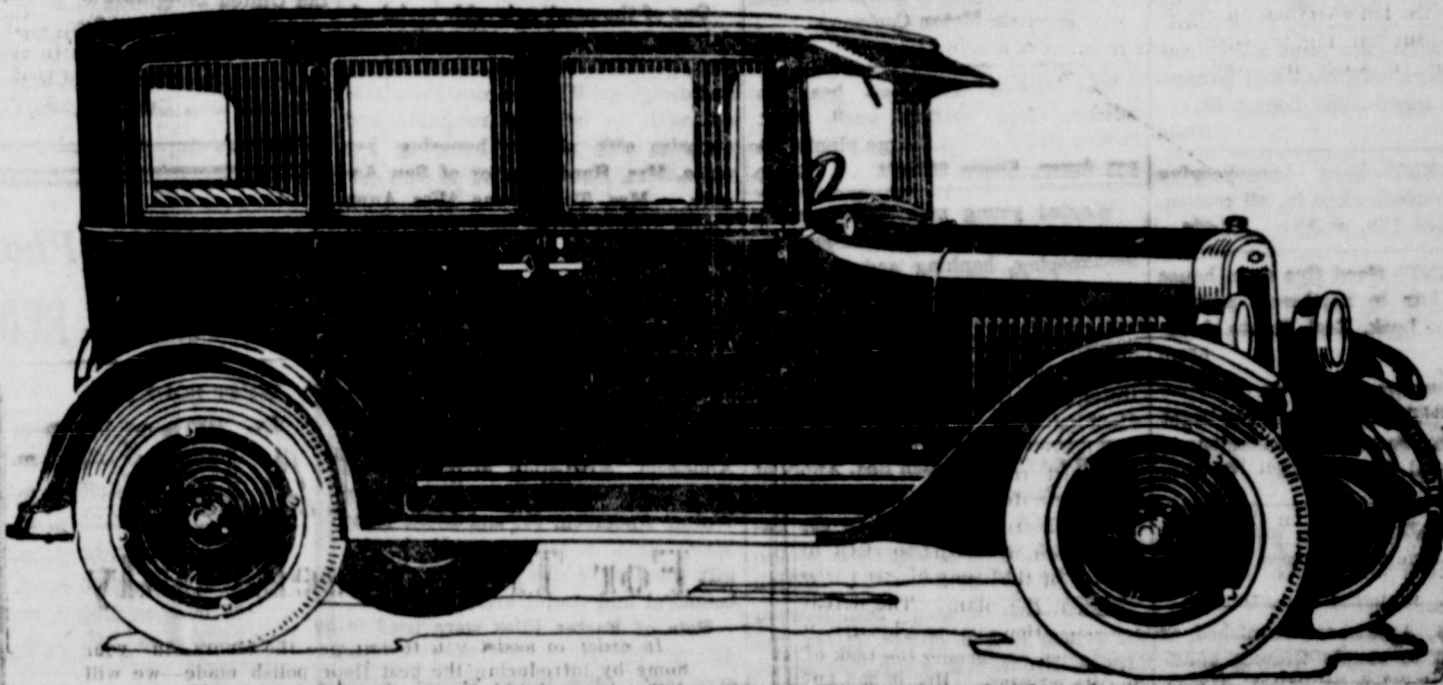
Mr. and Mrs. Gemmie Robin and son, Orlus from Brown Lee spent Monday with Mr. Cleve Clark and family.

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DISTRICT ONE

The City of Sweetwater is District One
FIRST PRIZE—Chevrolet Sedan or Touring Car. The highest vote polled in any district to receive the sedan.

SECOND PRIZE—Highest class kitchen cabinet, latest Sellers type, with ten piece cutlery and 11 piece glassware set. Sold and on display by Wright Furniture Co.

THIRD PRIZE—Electric Universal Coffee Urn Set, urn, cream, sugar and tray, \$65 value. On display at West Texas Electric Co.

FOURTH PRIZE—Wrist Watch, high grade Swiss movement, choice of several designs. Sold and on display by Majors Jewelry Co. Value \$18.

FIFTH PRIZE—Fine set silver plate knives and forks with 20 year guarantee, value \$12. On display at Costephens Hardware.

SIXTH PRIZE—Highest quality electric percolator, an ornament to any dining table as well as a great convenience. Sold by and on display at Carter Hardware Co.

SEVENTH PRIZE—Choice and ladies hat, Mrs. Lindley's Millinery Store.

EIGHTH PRIZE—Fine manicure set, sold by and on display at Davis Drug Co.

NINTH PRIZE—Fine casserole. Sold and on display by Costephens Hardware Co.

TENTH PRIZE—High grade kodak. Sold by and on display by Bowen Drug Store.

DISTRICT TWO

District Two is made up of the towns of Roscoe, Roby, Blackwell, Hylton, Rotan, Hermligh and other surrounding towns. The district with the highest vote will win the Chevrolet Sedan. Other districts to receive new Chevrolet touring cars as first prize.

SECOND PRIZE—New Style Columbia Console. The very latest in phonographs. Sold and on display at Dr. Quast Music Store.

THIRD PRIZE—Complete bookkeeping course or shorthand and typing course in the San Angelo business college, noted for the thorough training given and positions given students after graduating.

FOURTH PRIZE—Wrist Watch, high grade Swiss movement, choice of several designs. Sold and guaranteed by J. P. Majors Jewelry Store, value \$18.00.

FIFTH PRIZE—Fine Bavarian China Tea Set, highest grade ware, an ornament to any table. Value \$15. Sold and displayed by Carter Hardware.

SIXTH PRIZE—Large nickel plated vacuum bottle, unusually large capacity and strongly made, will keep liquids hot 24 hours and cold 72 hours. On display at Costephens Hardware Co.

SEVENTH PRIZE—Choice any hat in stock Mrs. Lindley's Millinery. Unusually large assortment choice designs to select from.

EIGHTH PRIZE—Fine manicure set, sold and on display by Davis Drug Co., The Careful Druggists.

NINTH PRIZE—Fine high grade casserole, sold and on display by Costephens Hardware Co.

TENTH PRIZE—High grade kodak. Sold by and on display at Bowen's Drug Store.

DISTRICT THREE

District Three is made up of the rural routes and the country in general outside of the other two districts.

FIRST PRIZE—Highest vote polled will receive Chevrolet Sedan, whether in this or one of the other two districts. Chevrolet touring cars will be awarded in the districts where the sedan is not awarded.

SECOND PRIZE—Singer Sewing Machine, five drawer 66, latest model round bobbin machine. The \$100 class. On display at Singer Sewing Machine Co.

THIRD PRIZE—Complete bookkeeping or typewriting and shorthand course in San Angelo Business College. This college is noted for the thorough training given and for fine positions secured by graduates.

FOURTH PRIZE—Wrist watch, high grade Swiss movement choice of several designs, the \$18 class. Sold and guaranteed by Majors Jewelry Co.

FIFTH PRIZE—Fine Coleman Quick-lite reading lamp, more powerful than electricity and fine for homes without electric current. Sold by Carter Hardware Co.

SIXTH PRIZE—Fine Bavarian China dinner set of six plates, six cups and six saucers. Will grace any table. Sold and displayed by Carter Hardware Co.

SEVENTH PRIZE—Choice any hat in Mrs. Lindley's Millinery with many choices; hats of latest design.

EIGHTH PRIZE—Fine manicure set, on display and sold by Davis Drug Co., The Careful Druggists.

NINTH PRIZE—Fine high grade casserole. Sold and on display by Costephens Hardware Co.

TENTH PRIZE—High grade kodak. On display and sold by Bowen's Drug Store.

Classified Section

All Classified Ads must be in the Reporter office not later than 11 A. M. on the day of publication. Rates 1c per word per insertion, minimum charge 30c for first insertion.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms, modern conveniences, to couple without children. Phone 689-J. 7-tfc

FOR RENT—Building now occupied by Dabney Motor Co., possession June 1. Rufus Wright. 5tfc

FOR RENT—1 nicely furnished bedroom. Phone 688. 30tfdtc

FOR RENT—Four room unfurnished house, all modern conveniences, apply 500 NW 2nd St.

FOR SALE—Four room house, well built, all modern conveniences, corner lot, trees, good buy. Kendrick-Thompson Agency. 109 North West Third. 43tfdh

FOR RENT—bedroom with a golden bed. Apply at Palace Theatre. If Paul Bertram will bring this ad to the Palace Theatre today or Tuesday, April 13-14, he will be admitted free. 62tldh

FOR RENT—One large front bedroom, in modern home. Breakfast if desired. 307 East South 4th St. 60-ttfc

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms, close in, at 211, W. S. 3rd St. Phone 200. 59-3c

FOR RENT—Four room partly furnished cottage with bath and garage. \$35.00 per month. 903 Locust St. 57t3c

FOR RENT—light housekeeping rooms, furnished, close in, all conveniences, phone 178, or 134. 61-tfc

FOR RENT—Good five room house with two lots in northwest part of town. I Lee Lusk, Real Estate & Insurance. 55tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished, two light housekeeping rooms, all conveniences, newly papered. 310 Pine St. 60-3t3p

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, modern conveniences. 905 Locust St. 58tfc

FOR RENT, Apartment furnished or unfurnished to couple without children, at 208 1-2 Locust Street. 61-3t3c

FOR RENT—five room house on Walnut St. Phone 480-J. 61t3p

For Rent, Apartment, furnished or unfurnished to couple without children, at 208 Locust st. 61-3t3c

TO THE LADIES

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MERKEL NEWS

Special to Reporter
The Parent Teachers association at a recent meeting elected the following officers for ensuing term: they will be installed at next meeting.

Mrs. A. R. Booth, president; Mrs. McSpadden, vice-president and chairman; program committee, Mrs. Ray Miller, vice-president and chairman; membership committee; Mrs. R. O. Anderson, vice-president and chairman finance committee Miss Eunice Russell reporter.

Mrs. B. H. Howard is here on an indefinite visit with her son from Crosbyton.

Sam Swann was attending to business matters in Dallas the latter part of last week.

School trustees elected in Merkel district are:

Cross Roads, A. W. Ely, M. G. King; Mr. Hammond goes out.

Union Ridge, A. J. Parnell, W. M. Cary, Clark holds over, Bynum and Shelton goes out.

Salt Branch: Roy Harral elected; Robertson and Higgins hold over. Mubbery C. Carter elected; W. B. Moore, H. Arwine hold over; I. M. Wash goes out.

Blair, J. H. Huges elected; E. J. Osborne, Z. V. Moore hold over; J. W. Moore goes out.

Castle Peak, G. W. Cox elected; Mark Malone, W. P. Moore hold over. Tye, M. R. Street, J. D. Spinks, W. P. Cagle, C. W. Rister elected, (Independent district; 7 trustees) Snow, A. W. Wilson hold over; R. F. Demere goes out.

R. J. Anderson is back from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Heyet Blair, who has been visiting relatives here for some time, has returned to his home at Center, Alabama.

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MISCELLANEOUS

REAL ESTATE LOANS—To buy or to build a home or to pay off indebtedness. Also farm loans. Investigate our plan. Kendrick-Thompson Agency, 109 W. North Third St. 24tfc

SODA FOUNTAINS, carbonators, drug confectionery and restaurant fixtures, showcases, candy refrigerators cases, new and second hand; low prices and easy terms. Southern Fountain and Fixture Manufacturing Company, Dallas Texas.

WANTED TO TRADE—Rooming house for good car. See Harry Kress at Texas Cafe. 58-30t3c

FOR SALE—Iron clad 260 egg incubator, two sets plow harness and a 22 Winchester Target. G. F. Harper, 11th and Orange sts. 58tfc

LOST—An Eastern Star pin with insert with pearls. Lost between Palace Theatre and the Mart Hotel. Finder please return to Mart Hotel where a reasonable reward awaits the finder.—Mrs. T. A. Ezelle 59-3t3c

1924 FORD COUPE—For Sale. Equipment tires are still good. Has double Hasslers, bumpers, motorometer cut-out, seat covers, and new paint. Looks and runs like a brand new one. Western Motor Company 59-tfc

May Queen Tomatoes, bear two months from setting until frost; twelve make gallon. Large plants, 10c per dozen. Phone 9020F2 61t2p

Wanted young man or woman to work in office half day while learning bookkeeping, banking and shorthand—work to be applied on tuition. Splendid opportunity to prepare for good position at small cost. First come, first served. Call, phone or write Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas. 61-2t3p

FOR SALE—Golden Bed. Apply at R & R Palace. If Mr. and Mrs. Max Bertram will bring this ad to the Palace ticket window, they will be admitted free 13 or 14. 62tldh

LOST—One Golden Bed. Reward for return R & R Palace. If Dr. and Mrs. A. Braun will present this ad at the Palace ticket window, they will be admitted free, April 13 or 14. 62tldh

Will sub rent 80 acre farm two miles from Roscoe on Snyder Highway and will sell all feed, stock and tools; bargain. J. T. Gresham, Roscoe, Route B 61t2p

Joe Holmes is visiting relatives and friends in old Tennessee. He was called there a few days ago to attend the bedside of a sick brother.

Judge Wheeler, recently made a business trip to Big Springs and Coahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buford left Thursday for Haskell on a week's visit.

Elder W. G. Cybert and family attended the burial of their relative John Owen at Nugent Thursday; Mr. Owen died in Sweetwater Wednesday evening and his body was shipped to Nugent for interment.

Mrs. George Coker of Dallas, is the guest of her father and mother, Judge and Mrs. N. D. Cobb.

Mrs. J. R. Barrett is visiting relatives in Midlothian.

Miss Mary Kathrine Campbell visited in Canyon City Saturday and Sunday.

RED BALL LINE SCHEDULE

SWEETWATER—LUBBOCK

NORTHBOUND:
Leave Wright Hotel 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.
Leave Snyder 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.
Leave Post 10:45 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.
Arrive Lubbock 12:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND:
Leave Lubbock 8 a. m. and 3 p. m.
Leave Post 9:45 a. m. and 4:45 p. m.
Arrive Snyder 12 m.
Leave Snyder 1 p. m. and 7 p. m.
Arrive Sweetwater 2:30 p. m. and 8:30 p. m.

HEADQUARTERS:

Sweetwater: Motor Inn, Phone 700.
Snyder: Manhattan Hotel
Post: Algireta Hotel
Lubbock: Marrell Hotel

Stage meets T. & P. No. 5 (westbound) at 5:45 a. m. Sweetwater and leaves for Lubbock 7 a. m., so buy your ticket to Sweetwater and take stage to Lubbock and intermediate points to save time.

3:30 p. m. car to Lubbock makes connection at Sweetwater with Stages from Rotan, Hamlin, Colorado and Abilene.

E. G. ABBOT—Phone residence Snyder, 443.

W. M. Elliott, Ted Lasater and Mrs. F. A. Polley returned Wednesday from San Antonio where he had been in attendance on the state meeting of the W. O. W. and Circle.

Max Mellinger is in the eastern markets purchasing goods to reopen his store which was burned a short time ago.

B. C. D. Auxiliary to Meet

There is a special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to Board of City Development called for Tuesday morning at 9:45 at the Court House. Every member is urged to be present as delegates are to be elected to attend the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting to be held early in May at Mineral Wells.

Mrs. C. M. Webb and son Gordon, were week end guests at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Pollard. They returned to their home at Sylvester Sunday morning.

Mrs. R. C. Crane will go to Abilene Wednesday to attend a district meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union.

Miss Ethel Harkins came home from Lorraine, where she is teaching, and spent Easter Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Harkins.

Elder A. D. Black preached at Weatherford Sunday for the congregation of the Church of Christ, whose pastor Elder McClung, has been conducting a meeting here.

Surprise Shower for Bride

One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the week took place Saturday afternoon when Mrs. D. A. Myers and daughter, Miss Melrose, entertained, with an informal reception and surprise gift shower, honoring her niece, Mrs. Harly Taylor of San Angelo. Mrs. Taylor was Miss Anna Laura Rogers before her marriage and this was her first visit home since her wedding.

The honor guest was detained until the other guests had arrived. When she came upon the scene, she met a receiving line in which stood her mother, Mrs. C. C. Rogers, Mrs. T. H. Taylor, Mrs. D. A. Myers, Mrs. Walter Anderson, Mrs. Mike Rogers and a bevy of the old school mates, Master Walter Anderson, Jr. and Little Miss Mary Julia Roberts brought in the gift shower, which contained many beautiful and useful articles.

Pots of Easter lilies were used in decorations and on the plates of ice cream and cake, pretty Easter cards were found for each guest, on which later the bride wrote her new name.

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AMUSEMENTS

LYRIC

The James Cruze Paramount picture of the stage success "To the Ladies", which opened a two days run at the Lyric Theater today, is the most delightfully human picture we have ever had the pleasure of seeing. The unromantic locale of "To the Ladies" is the Kincaid Piano Factory. The theme of the story is in keeping with the title and has been acclaimed by critics everywhere as an unexaggerated slice of life. It tells of a young wife's interest in her husband's affairs and her struggle to obtain his promotion to the position of manager of the plant. The scene of the salesman's banquet in the production is one of the most humorous ever shown on the screen as is the episode in the Beebe home when men come to remove their piano in front of the Kincaid's for non-payment of interest due on the loan since invested in a fake farm proposition.

Edward Norton is a riot in the role of Leonard Beebee, while Theodore Roberts runs him a mighty close race for individual acting honors. Misses Eddy and Dressler also give superb characterizations.

TO THE LADIES

See Mrs. Hudson's Red Hats for summer. 61t1c

U. D. C. To Meet

Mrs. J. O. Aikens and Mrs. H. C. Scott will be hostesses Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at a meeting of the United Daughters of Confederacy at the home of Mrs. Aikens on Walnut street. Every member is urged to be present by Mrs. R. C. Crane, president and Mrs. Gus Rea, secretary.

"Don't worry" makes a better motto when you add "others".—Columbia Record.

Some persons brag about their ancestors as if they had invented them. And as a matter of fact, we suppose many of them have.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Sunday School Attendance Easter

Easter Sunday congregations, who attended Sunday School in Sweetwater were divided among the various churches as follows: Methodist church 350, collection, \$96; First Baptist church, 353, collection, \$21.98; First Christian Church, 225, collection, \$30; Presbyterian church, 135, collection, \$15.70.

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ITCHING ECZEMA GOES QUICK WITH USE OF THIS

People who have endured tortures from itching eczema will be happy to learn that a means of relief has been perfected and is already enjoying unheard of popularity on account of the quick way it gets rid of the awful disease of the skin which nobody seemed able to figure out before. It is called Black and White Ointment. Most all dealers have Black and White Ointment, and Soap, on account of the tremendous demand which has already reached the rate of more than two million packages a year in its sales, because it relieves eczema so quickly. They are economical, too. The big 50c package of Ointment contains 3 times as much as the liberal 25c size. (adv)

Phone 615--700

REA'S RED BALL BUS LINE

WEST BOUND	EAST BOUND
7:30 a. m.	Sweetwater, Ar. 2:25 p. m.
7:55 a. m.	Roscoe 2:00 p. m.
8:55 a. m.	Lorraine 1:25 p. m.
Ar. 8:45 a. m.	Colorado, Wv. 1:00 p. m.
Lv. 11:00 a. m.	Colorado 10:30 a. m.
11:30 a. m.	Westbrook 9:30 a. m.
12:00 noon	Coahoma 10:00 a. m.
Ar. 12:30 p. m.	Big Spring, Lv. 9:00 a. m.

Arrival at Sweetwater 2:25 p. m. from the west gives six connections: Abilene, Rotan, San Angelo, Snyder, Lubbock, the Sahita Fe southbound and the Orient northbound.

Abilene Stage connects with Northbound Wichita, Valley, Rotan Stage connects with eastbound Katy.

Miller's Stage Line

Sweetwater - Abilene

LEAVES SWEETWATER	LEAVES ABILENE
3:30 o'clock p. m.	7:15 o'clock a. m.
(Two Cars)	9:30 o'clock a. m.
6 o'clock p. m.	1:00 o'clock p. m.

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There will not be a meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club this week. It has been postponed until the next regular date, April 29, when Mrs. Hubert Toler will be hostess.

Wayne Rea is improving from his recent attack of flu at A. & M. college where he is a student, according to the last news received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rea.

The following members of the local Episcopal congregation attended Easter services at Abilene and heard Dr. W. P. Gerhart deliver a fine sermon on the Resurrection: Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morris and son Carlos, Mrs. R. C. Ledford, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dressler, Misses Edna Yonge, Lorena Kelsey, Melrose Myers, Colita Darst, Geneva Hearne, Mrs. N. C. Zumwalt, Charles Beall and Jack Yonge. They were dinner guests of friends at the Grace Hotel.

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