

A Thought for Today.
Disagreeable Weather
in West Texas
Means Worse Else-
where.

THE SWEETWATER DAILY REPORTER

Weather
West Texas: Tonight
and Friday, partly
cloudy, unsettled.

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GREAT SOUTHERN LEADER HONORED

Birthday Anniversary Jefferson Davis
Conserved By Daughters of
Confederacy

TO ORGANIZE SONS OF VETS

Sons Confederate Veterans Camp
Planned For Sweetwater—C. E.
Gilbert Is Speaker

Organization of a Sons of Confederate Veterans camp in Sweetwater was initiated at a meeting sponsored by the Daughters of the Confederacy here Wednesday night honoring the anniversary of the birth of Jefferson Davis.

The meeting was in the form of a garden party on the spacious lawn of the J. R. Cox residence on East North Third street and the speaker of the evening was C. E. Gilbert, veteran Texas newspaper man from Houston who is assistant adjutant in chief and national organizer for the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

Daughters of the Confederacy, in costume of the period, welcomed the guests as they passed to the chairs arranged under special lights strung for the occasion.

Judge R. C. Crane introduced the speaker by referring to the history of the war between the states and the right to secede as being justified by the Constitution.

Mr. Gilbert read his address which dwelt at great lengths on Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, his fine character both as man and executive and brilliant leadership during the war. Facts in connection with the epic struggle were brought out in a highly appreciated manner.

Mr. Gilbert was introduced as the first newspaper publisher of Nolan county. He started the Sweetwater Weekly Advance in 1883, after he had started the Abilene Reporter in 1881. He has been active in Texas journalism ever since, until more recently he has taken up organization work for the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

At the close of Mr. Gilbert's address, Mrs. Crane pinned service medals on four Sons of Confederacy who had served in the World war. With appropriate ceremony, R. D. Cox, Raymond Bishop, Robert Withers and John Foelt were thus decorated. Mrs. L. S. Foelt received the medal for John, who is absent in California.

MORE PARDONS

Clifford Simmons, Wichita Falls, Pardoned on Motion J. D. Sandifer of Abilene

AUSTIN, June 4.—On recommendation of J. D. Sandifer, president of Simmons College, Baptist institution at Abilene, Governor Miriam A. Ferguson has granted a full pardon to Clifford Simmons, Wichita Falls, who is serving a two-year sentence for forgery.

Simmons had served time for the amount of 16 months. Seven conditional pardons were also granted by Governor Ferguson today. Twenty-seven pardons, of which 5 are full and 22 conditional, have been granted since June 1.

TO DRILL WELL

Perney Hill Ranch South of Midland Scene of Test

MIDLAND, June 4.—Drilling is scheduled to start about the middle of this month on an 8,000-acre lease on the Perney Hill ranch 30 miles south-east of Midland. The location of the well is 25 miles east of the Reagan county field, and geologists say it is on the same structure as this famous field.

The well must go down 3,300 feet or become a producer before that depth. The hole is being put down by J. B. Zimmerman and associates of Fort Wayne, Ind.

FORM FLYING CLUB

Abilene Organization Planning For Landing Field

ABILENE, June 4.—The Abilene Flying club has been organized.

Organization was effected at a meeting of seven persons interested in aviation matters, six of whom were former pilots in the army or navy. Hyman Harrison was elected president of the club and R. S. Stephens was named as secretary. The names of five others who wish to join, and of at least four more who are possible members were announced at the meeting. Plans for a flying field were discussed.

FUND IS RAISED BY LEGIONAIRES

Believe County's Quota of \$880 In Endowment Drive Was Raised In Campaign Wednesday

COMMITTEES TO REPORT

Expect to Make Final Check-up Tonight—Other Communities Working—Hold Mass Meeting

Although a final checkup had not been completed Thursday, indications were that the Oscar McDonald Post went over the top Wednesday in raising the \$880, the county's quota in the American Legion Five Million Dollar Endowment Fund.

Contributions came in thick and fast during the day Wednesday. Practically all business men, employes, large firms and workers alike did their bit in raising the quota. Legionnaires were busy throughout the day in receiving contributions and distributing poppies to the contributors.

Up to an early Wednesday afternoon, a total of approximately \$600 had been received, with several committees yet to report. Many other contributions were made later in the evening, and a final check-up, which will probably be made tonight, will doubtless show that the sum of \$880 was raised or exceeded.

There are yet other communities to report, as the drive was carried on throughout the county.

Legionnaires at Roscoe were active Wednesday, and it is expected that a large portion of the county's quota was raised there.

Only a small crowd gathered for the mass meeting at 6:30 Wednesday evening at the corner of the square when a celebration of the drive was staged. Splendid music was furnished by the W. O. W. band, a new organization, which shows great and unusual musical ability.

CRAZED BY HEAT MAN KILLS EIGHT

Floyd Russell of Hamilton, Ohio, Shoots 8 Relatives To Death In His Home Today

URNS GUN ON SELF

Attempts Suicide But Will Recover—Financial Reverses and Heat Caused Actions

By United Press.
HAMILTON, O., June 4.—Crazed by the heat and financial reverses, Floyd Russell, 42, today shot and killed eight relatives. Russell then turned the gun on himself, sending a bullet through his chest. Physicians say he will recover.

The murder orgy took place at the Russell home. His victims were his mother, his brother, and a sister-in-law and their five children, ranging in age from 4 months to 10 years.

"The mortgage was due, I couldn't meet it. I wanted to go and take them all with me so they wouldn't worry," Russell said.

"It was so hot I couldn't think." When police arrived at the house in response to calls sent in by neighbors, they found Russell reeling about the living room.

CAMP SHIFTED

71st and 72nd Infantry Brigades Texas as National Guards to Train At Camp Mabry

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 4.—The encampment of the 71st and 72nd Infantry Brigades, Texas National Guard, originally planned to be held in July at Palacios, will be held at Camp Mabry because of delays in constructing the camp at the seashore town, the Adjutant General department announced today.

Both encampments will last 15 days but that of the 71st Brigade will open July 3.

No changes were made in the Cavalry and Artillery encampments.

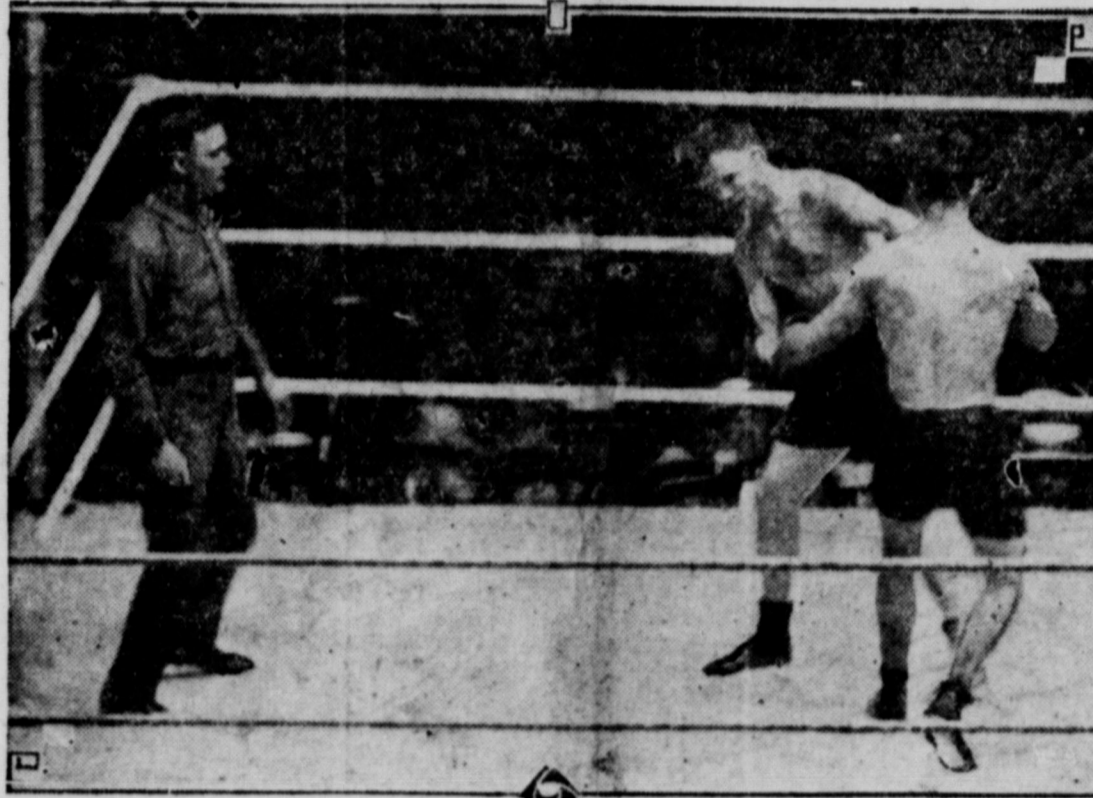
Hospital Notes.

Shirley Mack Knox of Longworth, little fellow kicked by a mule recently, has been discharged from the Sweetwater Sanitarium.

Among the recent operations at the hospital are: Miss Hallie Paulk, Roscoe; Wayne Drury, Dora; Mrs. K. McGeehee; Mrs. J. W. Knox and Jack Boozer.

Mrs. Howard Kirby has gone to Stamford to visit her mother, Mrs. S. L. Fleming and family for a few days.

As McTigue Went Down to Defeat



When the world's title changed hands! Paul Berlenbach is shown sending a stiff left into the bread basket of Mike McTigue, whose light heavyweight title belonged to Berlenbach when the evening was over. The two fought fifteen rounds at the Yankee Stadium, New York.

STATESMAN OF WAR TIME BURIED

Funeral Held Today For Former Vice President Thomas Riley Marshall At Indianapolis

SIMPLICITY MARKS SERVICE

Only Immediate Relatives and Close Personal Friends Witness Masonic Ceremony

By United Press.
INDIANAPOLIS, June 4.—With the same simplicity that marked his life, Thomas Riley Marshall, war time vice-president of the United States and former Governor of Indiana, was borne to his last resting place at Crown Hill cemetery here today while public business was suspended in his honor.

In keeping with his wishes, only the immediate relatives, a group of close personal friends, and members of the Masonic order were present at the brief funeral services at the Marshall home on North Illinois street.

The funeral ceremony of the Scottish Rite was conducted by Dr. William Gaekle of Fort Wayne, Ind.

LIBRARY REPORT

Library Activities For Month of May Reported To Library Committee By Librarian

At the regular monthly meeting of the Library Board, Tuesday afternoon the hearing of the librarian's report was the most important item of business.

The committee in charge of the "Old Maid's Convention" program for the benefit of the library, announce that rehearsals will begin early next week and the entertainment will probably be given the latter part of the week.

Library report for May 2 to June 1, follows: Number of books donated since last report, May 2..... 49 Total number of books listed in library, to date..... 2,618 Magazines donated since May 2..... 274 Magazines distributed during the month..... 229

Besides the regular readers obtaining magazines, others were sent to Rest Room, 35; jail 7, shut-ins, 4; school children, 35; seven for "Life books"; 11 readings were supplied to the program committee of the Busby school committee for their Children's Day program.

TO PLAY TODAY

Rotan to Meet Waxahachie For State Baseball Honors

ROTAN, June 4.—Rotan high school's West Texas champion baseball team will meet the Waxahachie Indian nine at Rotan Thursday and Friday in two games to decide the scholastic championship of Texas. Announcement from Waxahachie states that Coaches Scott and Wilmon left Waxahachie Wednesday with 12 players, accompanied by a number of fans. Rotan's team won the rights to meet Waxahachie, last year's champions, who have moved down all opposition in Central Texas this season, by defeating Cisco's Lobo nine Monday at Rotan.

DROWNS IN TUB

By United Press.
WACO, Tex., June 4.—Less than a week before he was to have graduated from Baylor University here, O. P. Pool, 23, son of a professor of the University, slipped in a bath tub at his home here last night, was rendered unconscious by the fall and drowned. Young Pool's father discovered the body when calls to the young man were unanswered.

DELAY CHAPMAN DEATH PENALTY

Governor Brumhall of Connecticut Grants Reprieve Until December 3 by Request

PROSECUTOR ASKS REPRIEVE

State Attorney Tells Governor That Case Is On Appeal Which Cannot Be Decided Soon

By United Press.
HARTFORD, Conn., June 4.—Gerald Chapman, "Bandit Prince," under sentence to die June 25 for murder of a policeman, was today reprieved until December 3. The reprieve was issued by Governor Brumhall of Connecticut on application of State Attorney Alcorn who prosecuted Chapman.

Alcorn pointed out to the governor that the case was now on appeal and that it would be impossible for the court to pass on the appeal before the date set for Chapman's execution.

Recently a statement was given out by police officers to the effect that one of the witnesses, considered important, withheld information at the trial which would have affected the alibi defense of the bandit.

It is not known that this played a part in granting the reprieve. Chapman is now held in Wethers Field State prison here. He was alleged to have killed James Skelly, a New Britain policeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parker and wife, accompanied by their son, Lex Parker of Georgia, have returned to their home following a visit of several days here with their niece, Mrs. J. D. Dulaney and Mrs. John R. Cox. They attended the Veteran's Reunion at Dallas on their way to Sweetwater. Mr. Parker is 81 years old and his wife is 74, both hale and hearty and fell very much in love with West Texas.

TEST SPEED LAW

El Paso Attorney Maintains No City Has Right to Supersede State Traffic Laws

AUSTIN, June 4.—An original application for habeas corpus was filed today in the Court of Criminal Appeals by C. M. Wilchar, El Paso lawyer, in which an attack is made on the validity of the El Paso city ordinance regulating traffic.

Contentions are being made that no city in Texas has the right to make traffic regulations in conflict to or inconsistent with the speed law by legislature. Wilchar was fined \$100 and costs for violating the ordinance.

HEAT DEATH TOLL INCREASES TODAY

Fourth Consecutive Day In Record Hot Weather Sees Death Toll Increased To 66 Persons

PROSTRATIONS CONTINUE

Reported From Many Cities—Fires Sun Today Indicates Heat Wave Will Continue

By United Press.
CHICAGO, June 4.—For the fourth consecutive day, a fiery sun flamed out of the east this morning and threatened to increase the death toll of the current heat wave which has already killed 66 persons and caused numberless prostrations over a large section of the country.

Twenty-five more deaths attributed to the heat, have occurred in the past 24 hours while the mercury soared to new heights, shattering all records for the date in many cities.

Forty-three persons died as direct or indirect results of the intense heat during the first three days of this week.

FOUND GUILTY

Three Convicted of Gaming In County Court—Alleged Coal Thief Draws 10 Days in Jail

Four cases, appealed to the county court from Justice Court at Roscoe, in which the defendants were charged with gaming, were tried here Wednesday before County Judge A. S. Mautz. The cases were: State of Texas vs. Sausman, Buchanan, Jenkins and Harris, all of Roscoe.

Sausman, Buchanan and Harris were each found guilty, and were fined \$10 each and costs. No judgment had been returned Thursday morning in the Jenkins trial.

Hemphill and Williamson, Roscoe officers, were the principal witnesses in the cases. They testified in connection with arresting the three men in a farm house near Roscoe. The men were alleged to have been in a poker game when officers entered the house.

R. D. Cox was prosecuting attorney and W. E. Ponder was attorney for the defense.

In a jury trial, Walter Williams was found guilty of theft and was sentenced to 10 days in jail. He was alleged to have stolen 200 pounds of coal from John Green. B. M. Neblett was defense attorney.

U. S. Films Abroad

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 4.—American exports of motion picture films during 1924 increased more than 32,000,000 linear feet over the previous year. The Department of Commerce announced. Figures issued by the department showed that 170,547,342 linear feet of positives and 8,100,264 linear feet of negatives at a declared value of \$6,081,917 and \$1,319,859, respectively, were sent abroad in 1924.

Miss Melrose Myers left Tuesday for Abilene where she will spend several days visiting friends.

Miss Anna Will Cox has accepted a position in the Hillside Gravel company's office on Oak street, as general office assistant.

TEXAS COLORADO ROW TO COURTS

Texas To File Suit Against Colorado For Equal Division Water of Rio Grande

CONFER WITH GOVERNOR

El Paso Citizens In Austin For Conference—Criticize Attitude Hubert Work

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 4.—Texas will file suit against Colorado for equal division of water of the Rio Grande and will ultimately go to the Supreme Court of the United States for final disposition of the case.

Major Richard H. Burges, El Paso, attorney for the Texans who are protesting against Colorado's attitude, and Roland Harwell, president of the El Paso Water Improvement district, were in conference today with Governor Miriam A. Ferguson and Attorney General Dan Moody, at which the preliminary plans for bringing the suit were discussed.

Burges and Harwell criticized the policy of Hubert Work, Secretary of the Interior, who is a citizen of Colorado. He was charged with showing undue partiality to that state in the water fight controversy.

Commissioner H. Roy Bardwell, water commissioner, is confined to his residence by illness, the nature of which is causing some concern to his many friends.

Flammarion Dies

By United Press.
PARIS, France, June 4.—Camille Flammarion, famous French astronomer, died at the Jovis Observatory today in his 84th year.

SAILORS ARRIVE IN CHINESE CITY

Two British Cruisers Reach Shanghai With 60 Men As Precautionary Measure Against Trouble

MARINES WILL SAIL TODAY

Navy Ship Carrying 300 U. S. Marines To Sail From Manila—Orders From Washington

By United Press.
MANILA, P. I., June 4.—The naval coal carrier, Jason, bearing 300 Marines for patrol duty at Shanghai will sail from Manila this afternoon, acting in accordance with orders from Washington.

British Sailors Land

By United Press.
LONDON, June 4.—The British cruisers Diomedes and Carlyle have arrived at Shanghai with 60 men as a precautionary measure in connection with the situation there.

Sailors from the British gunboat have taken a position in Shanghai according to a binrality advices. The cruiser Dispatch, is scheduled to arrive at Shanghai tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Price and two children left a few days ago for South Texas to spend the summer months, for the benefit of Mr. Price's health.

MAY PROSECUTE

District Attorney Makes Preparations In Kidnaping Case Against Mary Pickford

By United Press.
LOS ANGELES, June 4.—The district attorney made final preparations today to prosecute the alleged conspiracy to kidnap Mary Pickford. A special grand jury will hear the state's case tomorrow to determine whether the men will be indicted or released.

Attorney S. S. Hahn, representing the defendants, believe the men will be set free. He claimed that the police department "framed" the case against the trio to "reflect glory" on itself.

If no indictment is returned, Hahn said today he would bring a suit against the police department charging false arrest.

Mrs. Willis Barbee and children of San Angelo, are here visiting her father, Judge W. W. Beall and sister Mrs. P. G. Dabney for a few days.

Mrs. G. O. Hargrove and son, Herndon, of Dallas are here to spend some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herndon and her brother, D. I. Herndon and wife.

GODS LAW FOR MEN IS PLAIN

Evangelist C. R. L. Vawter Says Language of Bible Is Plain and Not Open to Argument

WILL HAVE WEDDING

Marriage Ceremony Announced For First Christian Church at Tonight's Services

The services at the First Christian church last night were very enjoyable and inspiring. After an unusually fine song service directed by Mrs. Vawter, the evangelist spoke on the subject, "Seeing Things Alike."

"When we begin to preach about about God's people getting together some little two by four pops up and says, 'We can't all see things alike.' I have even heard preachers thank God for the division in the church in order that any one could find what suited him best.

"Nobody will deny the statement that we cannot all see things alike, and if it is true how can God's people get together if we have such divergent views? When we look at a baby, some say it looks like the mother. Some say it looks like the father or the grandfather. When it is a matter of opinion we are free to think and act as we please. Where it is a matter of the law we must obey. It may seem foolish to us but we have to obey the law whatever we think of it."

"God's law has been proclaimed and it must be obeyed. He has told us to believe on Him, to repent of our sins with all that means, to confess His name before men, and then to be baptized into Christ. These laws must be kept or we cannot claim Heaven.

"Some say the Bible is hard to understand, but no one makes this statement who has studied the Bible." The evangelist asserted that the Bible is like a Primer. Simple language is used. For example the first chapter of John was cited. Almost all the words are of one syllable.

"No matter where we differ from each other, the thing for us to do is to go back to the Book and find out what it teaches and then accept that teaching."

Tonight, Dr. Vawter announced, there would be a wedding ceremony.

HARVARD RICH

University at Cambridge Has More Money Than Any Other Educational Institution

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 4.—Harvard university, with its endowment fund of \$53,031,769, and its buildings, grounds and equipment valued at \$22,800,000 is the wealthiest educational institution in the United States.

A survey just completed by the Department of Interior, Bureau of Education, reveals that 121 American universities possess endowments of a million dollars or more. Most of these institutions are under private control. Only 18 state universities are in the millionaire class, so far as their productive endowments are concerned.

The Columbia University with \$41,300,909, ranks next to Harvard while Yale, Stanford, Chicago, Cornell, Johns Hopkins, Carnegie, Princeton, Rochester and Pennsylvania follow in the order named.

Yale ranks second to Harvard in the value of equipment, buildings and grounds, having a total value of \$21,089,690. Other institutions rank in order: Columbia, Pennsylvania, Chicago, Massachusetts, Tech, and Stanford.

University of Texas is the wealthiest state university with its \$11,013,028 endowments. California follows with \$8,407,775; then Washington, Minnesota and Oklahoma, all of which have comfortable permanent funds. In value of property and equipment, the University of California holds first place among state universities, with \$17,782,539. Minnesota is next, with \$14,789,642 and Michigan, Illinois and Wisconsin follow in close succession.

B. C. D. Auxiliary to Meet

The regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to City Board of Development is announced for Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A member of the State Health department will probably be present and give advice in the present sanitary campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Rogers are enjoying a visit from their mother, Mrs. M. S. Rogers of Cleburne. She is accompanied by her daughter, M. A. Will Crozier and husband. They will visit at Lubbock before returning to their home at Cleburne but Mrs. Rogers will remain here with her sons.

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THE MISSING LINK

It's an ill wind that can't be turned to some use by a good press agent. Dayton, Tenn., is seized upon the impending monkey trial with all the avidity of a northern industrial city as a medium of publicity. The merchants of the community have raised \$5,000 to entertain visitors attracted there by the trial. Loud speakers will be installed on the courthouse lawn to let the overflow meeting hear the debates. The city will put on convention ornaments. Heretofore, the word "Dayton" has meant nothing but a city dedicated to cash registers, floods and an unsuccessful presidential candidate. No matter what the twelve good men and true decide about William Jennings Bryan's anthropoidal ancestry and Cain's wife and the other points that have long awaited a good lawsuit to settle them, Dayton, Tenn., will make itself known in places where she was never heard of before. Just what good this will do is hard to tell. Of course, it will make its chamber of commerce feel pleasant.

ORGANIZE

Sweetwater is fortunate in having an exceptionally active organization of Daughters of the Confederacy who are making a very worthwhile record of activity, especially in keeping alive Southern tradition in the present hasty, heedless generation. It would be a fine thing were a Sons of Confederate Veterans to be organized here also. Lineal descendants of Confederate Veterans are eligible to join and there should be sufficient material for a very worthwhile organization.

All that a wave of prosperity means to most of us is the privilege of watching others buy better cars.

We can't help wondering whether the dead civilizations got their war debts paid before cashing in.

The Ultra Smart Shoe For Street Wear



A one-strap patent leather with Junior Spike heel. Come in and try this one on.

Cowens Shoe Store

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF SHOES IN SWEETWATER

Old Enough to Be New



WHERE do all the different styles come from, we often wonder? On the stage Blanche Yurka wears a shawl wound around her head in the fashion of the Norwegian peasant woman. She decided the same idea would make a chic new style, since the Norse women have been wearing it for centuries, so she wound a shawl around her head and appeared at the Belmont race track the other day. And now a new style has started. It is called the Giza turban, after the character Miss Yurka plays on the stage.

CLEANLINESS AND HEALTH

Cleanliness is closely associated with good health. This has been found out in hundreds of observations of plagues and epidemics.

The greatest step in the eradication of disease is that of cleanliness. Cleaning up the premises is a part of the cooperation that should be given by every Amarillo home during Clean-up Week.

If Amarilloans will clean up their premises, they will prevent the breeding of millions of flies this summer. From the standpoint of convenience around the home, this alone would be worth the price of any effort for cleanliness during the next few months.

A writer, discussing health recently in Physical Culture, said that no progress could be made in the fight for prevention and control of diseases without cleanliness. That statement is one that is worthy of deep consideration by Amarilloans.—Amarillo News.

Correct this sentence: "Let's not picnic here," said he, "until we ask permission up at that house."

It is estimated that it costs about \$5,000 to educate a boy, not counting the lawyers' fees.

It is estimated that there is enough oil in the earth yet to corrupt 3,672 public officials.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP

WASHINGTON.—Attorney General Sargent has attempted to do what most people consider impossible—stop reports and rumors emanating from the Department of Justice.

Since assuming office, Sargent has been besieged with queries from newspaper correspondents on the significance of visits here of various U. S. Attorneys and other officials of the Department. With the queries come reports that certain officials called in "are to be asked to resign."

Showing resentment inferences being drawn when Justice officials are so summoned from the field, Sargent appealed to newspapermen to refrain from discussing their visits "until the Department is ready to make an announcement.

"United States Attorneys," said Sargent, "come to Washington frequently, sometimes by request, at other times, voluntarily, in order that the government's business may be discussed at close range. This is a very satisfactory procedure.

"I would like you gentlemen not to feel that there is always something wrong; usually things are right and the wrong condition is only, occasional.

"Every time a United States Attorney visits Washington it should not, in fairness to that official, be inferred

that he has been summoned for discipline. A short time ago a United States Attorney from one of the Southwestern states came to Washington to discuss business in his district. A report preceded him, apparently, to the effect that his resignation had been demanded, and so forth. This was unfair."

When Department officials in various states come to Washington, newspapers in that state wire their representatives and press services here to closely watch that official's visit. Accompanying the wire usually comes the report that this official is to resign or be asked to relinquish his post.

During his tenure in office, Sargent said he planned to follow the policy of calling in various officials for conference. He believes he can become better acquainted with the Department's work and effect more efficient administration by "personal contact."

Coincident with his appeal to newspapermen to discontinue forecasting, the outcome of visit here of various Department officials, Sargent ordered all Department heads to submit him weekly reports on the progress of pending business.

Another Capital landmark and haven for a score of Senators and Representatives has closed shop.

Mades hotel and restaurant, on Pennsylvania avenue in the shadow of the Capitol building, has gone out of business after nearly four decades.

Since 1884, Mades had been noted for its excellent cuisine, but due to its location on lower Pennsylvania avenue, business recently, and especially since Congress adjourned, has been on the downward trend.

Before the advent of prohibition, when the lower section of the Avenue was a part of Washington's social center, Mades had a patronage made up largely of prominent political figures and other distinguished in public life, but since then the city has grown to the northwest and the rapid decline in patronage caused a cessation of operations.

In the rear of the old place a fountain played, from which were taken live sea food and frogs, to be killed on the premises and served.

When Congress held night sessions, many members from both Houses came to Mades for dinner. When either body found itself without quorum in the balmy days, Mades was the first place the sergeant-at-arms visited when ordered to corral absentees.

The late Senator Ollie James, Ky., and Senator Heilin, Alabama, were probably Mades two best patrons.

It is reported that Frank Mades, son of the founder of the "institution" may reopen the place when Congress convenes.

Another of America's troubles is inability to stay excited until the spell of virtue gets results.

Faces Trial as Slayer



Bozo, pet monkey owned by Mr. and Mrs. Bartholemew Burke of Cleveland, may go on trial for his life in connection with the death of their 3-months-old baby, Barelay. It is believed Bozo tried to care for the baby when it was restless at night, and in doing so smothered it under the covers.

GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE

Percy Howard Convicted on Charge Killing N. V. Dixon

EL PASO, June 4.—The jury which for the past 10 days has been hearing the case of Percy Howard charged with the murder of N. V. Dixon, in September, 1920, has returned a verdict of guilty and gave him a sentence of life imprisonment.

This is the second trial and conviction of Howard. His former trial resulted in conviction and a life term.

So strong did the state feel that Howard should be required to pay the extreme penalty, that the district at-

torneys in asking the court to grant a new trial, which was granted by the local court.

The crime for which Howard stands convicted was one of the most brutal and heartless in the annals of Western Texas. The main witness for the state testified that Howard after shooting down Dixon, near Monahans took a spade and literally hacked him to death as he begged for his life.

A. E. Pistole, superintendent of the Rio Grande division of the T. & P. railway, Big Spring, was in Sweetwater late Wednesday on an inspection trip.



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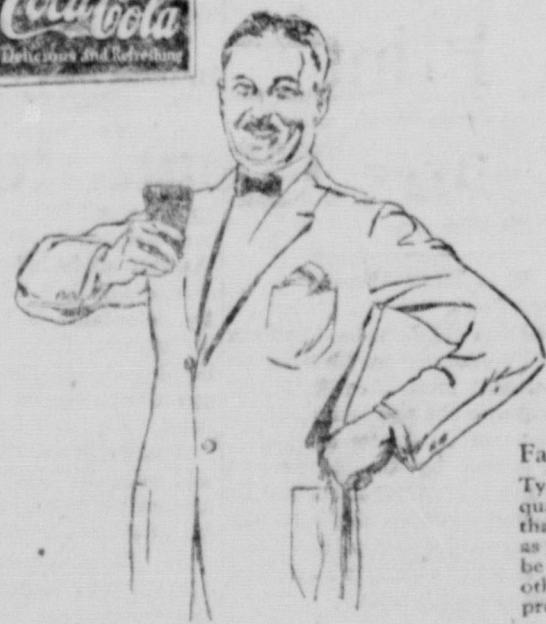
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DISCUSS MORALS

Speaker at Women's Clubs Council Lays Blame For Morals of Youth On Older People

By United Press.

WEST HADEN, Ind., June 4—In discussing "The American Home and World Peace," in her annual address to the Council of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. John D. Sherman of Estes Park, Colo., referred to the morals of the nation's youth.

The address was one of the high lights of the Council session and was delivered last night. She said:

"When we think of war and the Home, we are apt to think of the immediate effect only—we all remember about that. But war does something to the Home that is not obvious or even apparent at first.

"It is impossible to hand out medals

Veil Popular For Summer



A LONG black lace veil which just hangs over the edge of the hat and then drops down to the shoulders is being sponsored by Paris for summer wear.

for skill in breaking one commandment and keep the other nine intact. The mental unrest, the rebellion

against restrictions, reasonable and universal, in dealing with young people, the difficulty in settling down to a life of normal employments and enjoyments, the waywardness of boys and the wilfulness of girls, are symptoms of a moral shell-shock more far-reaching in its effects than we can any of us know. We are not asking these young people to go back. In the very nature of things we know none of us can ever go back. But we are asking them to go on, and to go on in an orderly, straightforward manner. We are asking them not to balk not to back up, not to sidestep; it may not be pleasant or easy, but there is no other way to advance than by going forward.

"This is a big thing we are asking our young people; meantime, we criticize and make all sorts of charges against the youth of the land. I wonder sometimes why they don't rise up and demand an accounting of the older generation. And I also wonder why we ourselves so seldom pause to sum up some of our own offenses. Don't think for a moment our young folks are all blind to the deplorable state of their own affairs. They admit that the morals of the young people of today are on the down grade. Where does the responsibility lie? The youthful editors of a college paper tell us, and the telling places the responsibility where it belongs—at the door of the older generation. They say:

"Who runs the resorts where the shameless parties take place. Who is in charge of the booze smugglers who get into this country the liquor which graces the hip-pockets of the modern youth? Who controls the indecent amusements and publication of obscene literature? Who writes the books and stories depicting life so luridly that upon reading them the younger generation goes out of its way to imitate their voices? Why, it is the older generation. If we are going to condemn, let us get down to fundamental causes.

"In short, present conditions mean no less than this: The American people need all the wisdom, all the perseverance, all the loyalty that we have inherited from the makers of the republic, if that republic is not to perish from the earth.

"Our Home Survey is already bringing out facts that reveal the possibility of conditions which may be of little to our credit as a people. Nevertheless, to better the American Home we must have the facts."

Star Student



Miss Evelyn Boone, 19, of Wichita, Kan., has just finished her final year's work in high school and her first year's work in college, doing both together for the past nine months. She has just been given a high school diploma; next year she enrolls as a sophomore in Fairmount College, Kansas.

ONLY ONE PUPIL

By United Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 4.—There is "some class" to Ray Ward, aged 9, of the Fletcher school district Macon county. In fact, Ray is in a class all by himself, and Miss Virginia Morrow, gets \$50 a month for teaching it. More than that—Ray constitutes a school which taxes, building and a school exist.

That has been the condition since early last December, when the removal of a family from Fletcher to another district reduced attendance from five to one. But regular routine of the Fletcher school prevails; the bell rings at 9 o'clock; then comes study hour, class recitation, black-board exercises and recess—when Ray is teacher's pet, star pupil and King of Boyville, three-in-one.

FOLKS SHUDDER AT "BROKEN OUT" FACES

Folks simply can't help showing that pimply, blotchy or rough faces are unpleasant for them to look at much less associate and become intimate with people who are so careless about their appearance as to let these skin blemishes rule their destiny. No wonder it seems like "cold chills" run down their back as they pass you by.

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Lv. Roscoe	8:29 a. m.	12:50 p. m.	3:30 p. m.
Lv. Lorraine	8:50 a. m.	1:20 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
Ar. Colorado	9:10 a. m.	1:40 p. m.	4:50 p. m.
Lv. Colorado		2:30 p. m.	6:30 p. m.
Lv. Westbrook		2:55 p. m.	6:55 p. m.
Lv. Coahoma		3:10 p. m.	7:10 p. m.
Ar. Big Spring		4:00 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
EAST BOUND			
Lv. Big Spring		12:45 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
Lv. Coahoma		1:05 p. m.	4:50 p. m.
Lv. Westbrook		1:50 p. m.	5:35 p. m.
Ar. Colorado		2:15 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
Lv. Colorado	1:00 p. m.	2:15 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
Lv. Lorraine	1:20 p. m.	2:35 p. m.	6:20 p. m.
Lv. Roscoe	1:50 p. m.	3:05 p. m.	6:50 p. m.
Ar. Sweetwater	2:10 p. m.	3:25 p. m.	7:10 p. m.

East bound Car No. 92, leaves Big Spring 12:45 p. m. on arrival of Lamesa and Midland cars. Connecting at Sweetwater with Busses for Abilene, Rotan, San Angelo, Lubbock, and Santa Fe south bound train No. 92, North bound Wichita Valley at Abilene, and Katy east at Rotan.

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TERMINAL STATIONS:—Sweetwater, Hotel Wright, Phones 615 and 700; Colorado, Hotel Barcroft; Big Spring, Hotel Cole.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Five-room house with bath, sleeping porch, garage. Bud Hall, 1102 East North Second. 102-61p

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MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE sold at auction brings best prices; what have you to sell? Phone 501, Earl Fleharty, Auctioneer. 104-21c

WANTED TO LET—Good pasturage for 20 head of cattle, 10 miles south of city. See P. G. Dabney or Phone 421. 107-11c

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Methodist Missionary Society
The members of the Methodist Missionary society held their monthly business session Monday and a very interesting social service program, under the leadership of Mrs. M. A. Belcher. Mrs. S. Z. Williams led the devotional. Mrs. J. I. Payne gave an interesting talk and Mrs. W. L. Kinsey gave a good report of the Woman's Missionary conference held at Loraine last week.
Mrs. J. T. Hughes occupied the chair during a short business session.

Max Berman has joined his wife and little daughter at Dallas, where they are visiting her parents and relatives.

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: Merril 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.

Freckles And His Friends

By Blosser



HYLTON NEWS

(By Special Correspondent.)
The Girls' and Women's Home Demonstration club met at the schoolhouse Friday and lunch was served by the girls.
John McGinley, Roland Kinsey, Aulton Rogers and D. C. Chastain went rabbit hunting Saturday night and reported a good catch.
Jack Kinsey who resides in California has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kinsey of Hylton. He and his sister, Velma, have gone to Fort Worth.
Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family of Nolan, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, Sunday.
An entertainment was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rogers last Monday night and an enjoyable time was reported by all who went.
Miss Ruby Wimberly of Chillicothe, has been visiting relatives here the last week.
Everyone is rejoicing over the big rain that fell Friday night and as soon as it gets dry enough to work in the fields, every one will have a job.
Mr. and Mrs. McEntire of Hylton are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Thomas of Blackwell.
Mrs. C. E. Mitchell of Littlefield, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, is rejoicing over the arrival of an 11-pound boy. Both are doing nicely.
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Childers and family are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. J. P. Hutchens of Hylton.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of June, 1925, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the City Hall, in the City of Sweetwater, Texas, the Commission of said City will receive and consider bids from any banking corporation, association or individual banker desiring to act as depository for said City for the ensuing two years. All bidders shall state the rate of interest offered upon daily balances, and what rate of interest will be charged said City by such bidder upon loans and overdrafts. Such depository will be selected for a term of two years, or until the selection and qualification of a successor. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the Commission.
MATTIE L. TRAMMELL,
City Secretary.
City of Sweetwater, Texas. 96-21c

NEW TREATMENT FOR VARICOSE OR SWOLLEN VEINS

Swollen veins are dangerous and often burst. Sufferers are advised to get a two-ounce, original bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength), and start to reduce the veins and bunches at once.
Physicians recommend Emerald Oil; it is used in hospital practice and a small bottle will last a long time, because it is very concentrated and a little goes a long way. Apply night and morning with a soft brush as directed until the swelling is reduced to normal. It is guaranteed.
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With the object of becoming a citizen of the United States, one Jacob Provinsky filled in a naturalization form. Three of the questions he answered thus:
Name: Jacob Provinsky.
Born: Yes.
Business: Rotten.—London Til-Bits.

DECKER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent.)
Rev. A. D. Jameson, the Methodist pastor at Blackwell, preached here Sunday afternoon.
Miss Bernice Chapman of Blackwell, spent Sunday here with home folks.
Mrs. Mike Seiberry has been very sick but is reported better.
Miss Gladys Parish of Weatherford, was the guest of Miss Jewell George the first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Derrick and daughter, Miss Ruth and Miss Velma Hargerton, were shopping in Sweetwater, Monday.
L. Stokes and D. W. Henry went to Abilene, Sunday to attend the program at Simmons college.
J. S. Seiberry has sold his farm to Oswald Everett.
Will Russell of Mitchell county, was here Monday.
Foster Everett has purchased a new Ford coupe.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roquemore and Mr. and Mrs. M. Mauey of Sweetwater, spent Sunday here.
Another nice rain fell here Saturday morning. Everyone has plenty of weeds.

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Two cases were scheduled for trial in county court today. The case of State of Texas vs. Mack Lake, charged with unlawfully carrying a pistol, was slated for hearing, as was also the case, State of Texas vs. R. L. Saulsman, charged with vagrancy.

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Mrs. J. W. Clayton of Clinton, Oklahoma, arrived last night to visit her brother, Ed. Wilkinson and family on Elm street. They had not seen each other for 20 years.

Dr. R. R. Allen is attending business in Brownwood this week.

Mrs. Kansas Duncan of Fairy, Hamilton county, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Kincannon and family.

Tom Crutcher is confined to his home following a fall Tuesday night in which he sustained slight injuries.

The Woman Who Knows

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