

Report of the condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Big Spring in the State of Texas at the close of business on Sept. 14, 1923

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STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, ss: I, R. L. PRICE, Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of September, 1923. REBA ORENBAUN, Notary Public

Report of the Condition of the WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK

at Big Spring in the State of Texas at the close of business on Sept. 14, 1923

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STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, ss: I, Robt. T. Piner, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of September, 1923. R. V. MIDDLETON, Notary Public

W. CARROLL BARNETT JR. Office in County Attorney's Office in Court House

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Be Fair

Some people are so busy criticising their neighbors' children they have no time in which to properly train their own.

other bird dog is as good as ours, and there never was such a pet as our own cat.

Whether it is the children, or the horse, or car, or prize hen, or the dog or the cat, the beam is always there.

And since we plead guilty to the charge you have no reason to feel peeved at our remarks.

An Honest Merchant

Customer—"Do you guarantee these trousers all wool?" Merchant—"Vell, I wouldn't deceive you—the buttons is brass, sir."

Edmund Price spent Saturday and Sunday in Abilene.

EDITORIAL

Every man, woman, and child in the United States has a personal interest in good roads.

The farmer and the motorist have the most immediate and practical interest, but the interest of others is no less vital that it expresses an indirect relation.

The farmer wants good roads because he can make more money with good roads than with poor roads. If the farmer can make more money, he spends more, which means greater prosperity for the whole Nation.

Every one who lives in a rural or suburban location is interested in good roads, because they decrease the time distance which separates the rural or suburban home from the city.

Every one who lives in a city wants at times to get into the country. The good road is the means. If there are no good roads, there is a sharp line drawn between city and country, which makes for the good of neither.

Roads are a part of the foundation of Americanism. Let us all work to make that foundation broad and long and lasting.

Retaining Good Looks in a Car

You are proud of the appearance of your new car, but you are often ashamed of its appearance before it is a year or two old. It often loses its luster or is scratched or marked while mechanically every part is good for several years.

It pays well to refinish your car when it has been scratched, worn bare in spots, lost its luster, etc. There are special paints, varnishes, auto finishes, etc., made by perfectly reliable paint manufacturers for renewing your car, and the work is now simple, quick and economical.

A car often goes dead in color—just simply loses its luster. Wash the surface of the car thoroughly, removing all dirt. Remove all grease and oil with gasoline, wait until the car is perfectly dry and then apply a coat of varnish specially made to use on automobiles, carriages, etc.

Cars are often scratched, marred, and worn bare in spots. After all dirt is removed by the use of gasoline and old rags, the damaged spots should be retouched. If the car is black, for instance, retouch the damaged spots with a black auto finish, using a small, soft brush.

A good plan to follow is to remove all mud, grease, and oil. Allow the surface to thoroughly dry and touch up the worn or scratched parts with the color to be used. Allow the car to dry for about 24 hours, and then sandpaper the entire surface until it is smooth, and dust carefully.

Only one coat is necessary when you refinish with the same or a similar color; however, if there is a distinct change in color, it will be necessary to use two coats. Where two coats are applied, the first coat should be lightly sandpapered with "0" sandpaper. Then dust off thoroughly and apply the second coat.

Buy a Good Lot

and build you a home at a later day. Ideal residence lots in College Heights at reasonable prices. Phone 128. J. F. HAIR. 51-1f.

For Rent

A good four-room house for rent. A 3-room apartment furnished for light housekeeping. for rent. Call at 401 Bell St., or phone 55. 1t

I Want to Rent a Farm

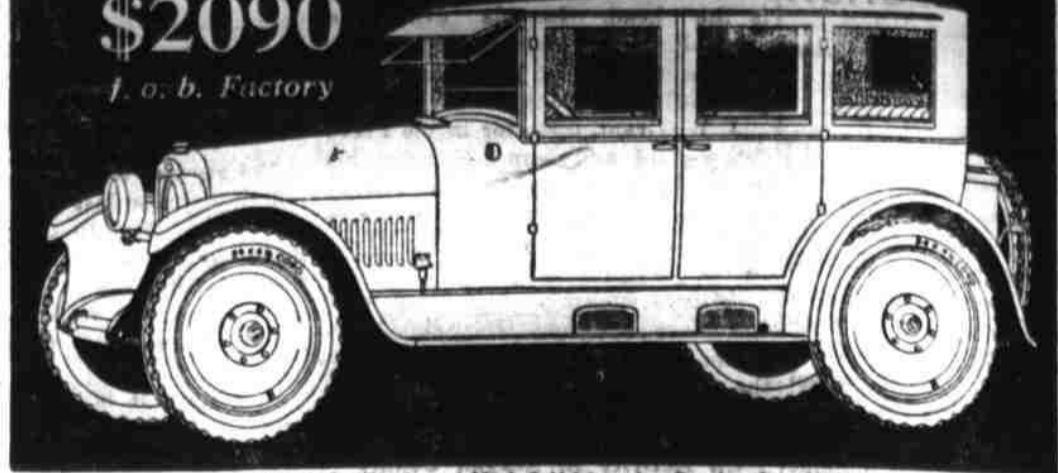
I want to rent a farm of 250 to 350 acres on shares. Address L. F. MAYS, Box 133, Coahoma, Texas. 2-3t-pd.

For that lazy liver—Nyal's Liver Stimulator. Clyde Fox, exclusive agent.

Mrs. Lindsay Marchbanks left Sunday for Abilene to visit Mrs. Wade Meadow.

NASH

New Four-Door Coupe Six Cylinders \$2090 f. o. b. Factory



Five Disc Wheels and Nash Self-Mounting Carrier, Standard

View This New Model! It's the Four-Door Coupe. Examine it carefully. It is an original Nash creation. You'll find nothing else like it. Low-set and shaped with the true symmetry of smoothly curving lines, it presents an impressively attractive appearance.

FOURS and SIXES—PRICES NOT ADVANCED

Models range from \$915 to \$2190, f. o. b. factory

Phone 245

I. J. ROBB DEALER

Big Spring

L. E. COLEMAN ELECTRIC & PLUMBING CO. Housewiring and Supplies First Class Plumbing Work—all kind of supplies. L. E. Coleman, Manager Phone 51 Big Spring, Texas

Watch the Weight You Carry

Bunk and junk are the two great impediments to progress. It is as important to know how to get rid of things as to get things. In running a race he has the advantage who carries the least load.

Sylviculturists tell us that it helps rather than harms a tree to occasionally root up and replant it in its early years. The roots become trained to concentrate. Concentration is the first essential step to success.

The captain who permits the hull of his ship to become barnacle-coated may order just as much power in his engine-room as the ship whose hull is free and clean, but he does not make as much speed.

Despair is the reward of every attempt to carry too heavy a load. The beauty of life is found not in abundance of things we possess, but in the worth of things we hold to—the worth they represent to us in our living.

We are prone to go through life with an unconscious accumulation of barnacles, dragging a worthless weight through the waters we should be eager to traverse with speed that we may know the world and be of use in it.

The will determines our progress; freedom and slavery are both acts of the will. He is free who lives stripped of the barnacles of inertia; he is a slave who falls into that which he would avoid.

Wise men get rid of all impediments. The thoughtless and the foolish spend much good energy in acquiring things they soon wish they were rid of.

That which is true of things is also true of thoughts. You abuse rather than use your years when you carry around a load of ancient principles which, through the wear of time, have been worn to mere prejudices. It is only the free mind like the free hull that can hope to keep pace with progress.

Good Young Mules for Sale Have several mules—aged 3 to 4 years—unbroke, for sale, at right prices.—See F. G. Sholte or O. A. Goodman.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK

at Coahoma, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 14th day of September, 1923 published in the Big Spring Herald, a newspaper published at Big Spring, State of Texas, on the 23rd day of Sept. 1923

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STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, ss: We, J. B. Wheat, as president, and W. B. Hood, as cashier of bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Sept. A. D. 1923. CLAUD WOLF, Notary Public Howard County, Tex.

SOME BIG BARGAINS

160 acres of well improved land, located near Moore school, northeast of Big Spring; 100 acres in cultivation. This land grows the stuff. Price \$35.00 per acre, with good terms.

TO TRADE

Good drug business; fixtures and stock invoice fourteen thousand dollars. Two good residences; will guarantee the residence to rent for forty dollars per month, each. Drug store is located on one of the best corners in Cisco and doing good business. Houses are well built bungalows, well located. Price of the whole thing, clear of all debts—twenty-six thousand dollars. Will trade for good land in West Texas, and pay as much cash as ten thousand dollars. The land we want to trade for must be clear or very near so.

I have some extra good land that I am selling and subdividing—level, good land; good terms, and good titles. What else do you want? R. L. COOK Big Spring, Texas

Sleeping Comfort Let us show you a real mattress—the Haynes. W. R. Pursler & Sons.

The city's auto fire engine being overhauled, all work being replaced with new parts when the work has been completed the faithful old engine will be for many more years of service.

Pitt Gardner resigned his position in the postoffice here and left for Hayden, Arizona, where he will make his future home. We with many friends regret to see Mr. Gardner as a citizen of Big Spring we wish for him a full measure of success in his new home.

The driver of Pool-Reed Co. delivery truck failed to note that car was in reverse when he started it Monday afternoon and as a result the car backed across street, walking into the plate glass front building smashing two large glass windows. In addition several bottles of vinegar in the display were smashed.

RUECKART'S GARAGE FILLING STATION—Free Air and Wash. We sell gasoline, lube, tubes and accessories. Repair of all kinds. All work guaranteed. Your patronage solicited. BERNARD A. RUECKART 1-4t.

QUALITY



STYLE

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STYLE, EXCLUSIVENESS AND HIGH QUALITY

are paramount in our Fall Fashion Display, yet a review of our lines of Ladies Ready-to-Wear reveals the convincing fact that we have provided for one to dress fashionably but at moderate cost.

Through careful buying we have assembled a collection of smart and distinctive apparel at reasonable prices.

We want you to see how much style and quality are in the dresses we are showing at this time in both silks and woollens.



Variety is the Keynote of The Many Beautiful Coats We Are Showing This Season

Each one of them handsomely designed, carefully tailored of beautiful materials, such as Lustrosa, Volverette, Fashona and Kharasan. Some models are plainly tailored, some are embroidered and many are beautifully fur trimmed. A style for every figure and we are anxious to have you come in and see them at the earliest opportunity.

Today, at the Beginning of the Fall Season Give Attention to Quality

To make your Fall Clothing wear longer and look better—keep quality in mind when you buy, choose good clothes, buy clothing of that excellence which pays for itself over and over.

Hart Schaffner & Marx

Quality will serve you well the whole season through, and still look all to the good when next spring's blossoms dot the hills.

In all things, the world over, there is economy in buying the best

KEEP THE QUALITY UP

and you will keep your clothing costs down

The same rule of quality applies to your shoes, and we recommend the purchase of good old EDWIN CLAPP SHOES

for the best style, the best finish and the best service. They are made of only the best materials, by the best workmen in their line, and are the shoes de luxe.

Careful, Smooth Corseting

is an essential factor in attaining the silhouette of the present mode and we recommend



GOSSARD CORSETS

and Brassieres

as the most comfortable, best fitting and the one that will give one that modish appearance required by the present vogue.

1882

J. & W. FISHER

1923

The Store That Quality Built

...bulbs at Clyde Fox's...

...are many ways of killing a...

...Vallis True left Sunday...

...your own eyes for reading...

...Maud Carter left last week...

...hair nets and powders...

...Genevieve Carter who has...

...do not admire the way in...

...F. Rump, president of the...

Gainsborough hair nets... Cunningham & Philips.

If you laugh when the joke is on yourself the hilarity of others will not be so painful.

Yes, there is one consolation in not owning a car. There is less occasion for cursing.

Some successful men are so vain they are only happy when telling others how they did it.

They say some people are born to die at the end of a rope, but the devil isn't particular how they hop off.

If you don't believe that this world is getting worse just compare what you were a few years ago to what you are now.

Brown Hair left Saturday for Austin to reenter the State University. Brown is a member of the Senior class and will complete his studies there at the end of the present term.

Mr. Whittaker in charge of Agricultural Exhibit work for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was here last Friday to arrange for having products from Howard County sent to Fairs at Austin, Waco and Fort Worth.

We fix flash lights... Cunningham & Philips.

We know we sell furniture for less it will pay you to investigate. W. R. Purser & Sons.

Some people are such chronic liars they never tell the truth except when they talk in their sleep.

OUR FOUNTAIN COOLS YOU OFF RIGHT... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Of course, we never know what other people are thinking, and for the sake of our vanity perhaps it is just as well.

Our office devil is of the opinion that a defective is a professional politician who has forsaken his ways in order to run straight.

Don't be stingy in the sending of picture postcards to your friends while you are away on a trip. It keeps them from forgetting you.

WALL PAPER... FIGURE WITH US BEFORE YOU SAY ITS TOO HIGH... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

A navy aviator is said to have flown 250 miles an hour, thus establishing a speed rate at which it would be possible for a fellow to escape the average bill collector.

Alarm clocks... We have all standard makes... Cunningham & Philips

Everybody is talking about Mr. Coolidge's chance for the republican nomination, and Mr. Coolidge is wisely allowing them to do the talking.

HIGHLAND LINEN STATIONERY... ONE POUND AND TWO POUND PKs. ENVELOPES AT A BARGAIN... CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS.

Providing for the mining of coal this winter is all right, but what is a poor devil to do when the price remains so high he can only afford a lump a day?

The City Federation Park is going to be known far and wide. A tourist park should be established nearby so tourists could also enjoy this fine park in the summer time. There are few points in West Texas where such fine big shade trees are to be found.

F. P. Bell of Center, Texas, was here the forepart of the week for a visit with his son, H. H. Bell. Mr. Bell is a native Texan and has lived in Shelby County thruout this time. He is now nearing the seventy year milestone of life. This is his first visit to West Texas and he likes both the country and her people.

Sherrod Wells returned last Saturday from Dallas.

O. H. Morris and family of Lamesa were visitors here this week.

Joe Fisher made a business trip to Borden County, Monday.

Paint in small cans for any purpose... Cunningham & Philips.

Guy Tamsitt left Sunday evening for Shreveport, La., where he has accepted a position.

Wall paper... Figure the cost and you will buy the paper now... Cunningham & Philips.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rix and daughter, Miss Alice Ann, spent Saturday at the Colorado Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Ricker and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricker visited the Fair at Colorado last Saturday.

L. J. Geer, R. Barnett and R. Snyder of Sweetwater were here on business connected with the West Texas Electric Co., the forepart of the week.

We have a face powder that we guarantee to be the equal of "Coty's" or Houbagants for the small sum of one dollar... imported... Cunningham & Philips.

Carroll Barnett made a business trip to Midland last week.

Charlie Stovall left Sunday evening for Sherman, where he will attend Austin College.

Mrs. Pete Johnson and father, W. T. Patterson, returned Saturday night from a visit with relatives at Haskell.

L. E. Coleman was here from Sweetwater Sunday and Monday to look after business interests and visit homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Harris and R. F. Harris Jr., left last week for Dallas where R. F. Jr., is having an injured eye treated.

Everyone is so anxious to see fine weather prevail, so the cotton can be harvested, that folks become nervous everytime a cloud makes its appearance.

J. B. Hardin brought in this week some fine samples of corn to be added to the display of agricultural products at the office of the Chamber of Commerce.

See This Walnut Bed-room suites \$80.50 to \$250. No better values. W. R. Purser & Sons.

WRIGLEYS



Take it home to the kids.

Have a packet in your pocket for an over-ready treat.

After Every Meal

A delicious confection and an aid to the teeth, appetite, digestion.



STATE FAIR RODEO TO DETAIL RANCH LIFE IN TEXAS PIONEER DAYS

Recent Story by Eminent Author Might Have Been Scenario for State Fair Show.

The late Emerson Hough, author, just before his death, wrote a magnificent story which he called "North of '36."

It was a tale of old Texas—in the days of late sixties, and of the first cattle drive made up into Kansas and the railroad.

The rodeo to be given at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, during the second week of the fair, Oct. 21 to Oct. 28 inclusive, is to give in detail, the manners and customs of those days—to re-live before the eyes of the spectators, the thrilling experiences of the round-up and ranch.

On each afternoon before the race track grand stand, the rodeo program will be carried out. There will be a whole corral of the wildest horses of the old ranges, and some of the best riders from the range country will take part. There will be roping and branding; cutting-out and rounding-up—all the interesting, skillful work of the range and corral that those hardy sons of Texas were called upon to do, when a ranch was an empire and the owner a king in his domain.

There are many native Texans, who have come into man's and woman's estate during the last two or three decades, to whom such an exhibition will be brand new. There are, too, thousands of loyal Texans by adoption, who will flock to the State Fair for this true-to-nature demonstration of the pioneer life of the Lone Star State.

IMPLEMENT SHOW AT FAIR OF BROADEST INTEREST

Weldon Martin, an eleven-year-old Collin county lad, broke sixty acres of ground this summer with a tractor, establishing a record that many a man might envy.

It may be that young Mr. Martin got his inspiration and suggestion as to what a boy may do with latter-day farm machinery, at the State Fair of Texas.

The implement and tractor show at the State Fair is always of the broadest interest, because Texas is an agricultural commonwealth, and thousands of farmers come to the fair to see the latest in agricultural equipment. There will be no exception at the 1923 State Fair, Oct. 13-28, when the implement exhibit will be of a most comprehensive character.

HUNT COUNTY DAY AT FAIR TO BE OCT. 18

Hundreds of Hunt County citizens will attend the State Fair of Texas at Dallas on Thursday, Oct. 18, according to advices sent State Fair officials by the chambers of commerce of a number of hustling Hunt County towns.

Hunt County Day arrangements were begun by Secretary V. E. Conway of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce, and plans anticipate a general caravan and "trek" to the fair by automobile, on the part of residents of the county which, it is declared, has "the blackest land and the whitest people" in the State.

CATTLE JUDGING BEGINS OCT. 15 AT STATE FAIR

Cattle judging at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 13-28 this year, will begin on Monday, Oct. 15, when beef cattle, hogs and sheep will be passed upon by the judges. Judging continues daily through to Tuesday, Oct. 22, inclusive, with a grand parade of all prize winning animals before the interested crowds on Saturday, Oct. 27.

Well and Cistern Digging
I am prepared to dig wells and cisterns and do concrete work. Blasting and curbing my specialty. All work guaranteed. If you need anything in these lines, see me, or address G. W. MOODY, General Delivery, Big Spring, Texas. 2-17

Herald want ads get good results.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

FOOTBALL GAME WITH MERKEL, FRIDAY—There is to be a football game with Merkel high school Friday, Sept. 28. Of course, we are going to beat them, but to do this it means we must have the loyal support of the high school students, the business men, and the entire citizenship.

It will be our first real game of the season and we urge every one to come. We hope there will be the largest attendance we have ever had. It may be a "walk over" or it may be a long, hard fight but in spite of everything we are out to win.

LAST GAME—Did you go to the game last Friday? If not then you should have been there for it was very interesting. The town team played our H. S. team and the final score was 12 to 0 for the H. S. team. There were twenty-five men in H. S. suits and each of them was given a chance to play. All of the boys played hard and since for some of them it was their first attempt we have reason to be proud of them. Those who played were: Monroe Johnson, center; Jack Nall, left end; Clyde McGinnis, right end; Charles Segall, left tackle; Wesley Line, right tackle; Boyd Carpenter, right guard; William Arnett, left guard; Melvin Pittman, quarter; Huddleston Wright, right half; T. B. Hoover, left half; Earl Ezzell, full back.

Others playing were: Adolphus Gallemore, Wilburt Brown, Marvin Frost, Frank Wright, Zelma Gay, J. T. Johnson, Jess Cauble, Lewis Rix, Moore Jones, Cecil Horton, Max Merrick, Vernon Crawford, Carrol Jones, Lee Porter.

We had some strong opponents and although they were lacking in practice they certainly did some good playing. They made us hold our breath two or three times for fear they would score.

GAME LAST TUESDAY—Another game was played between the H. S. team and the town team. It was a rather mixed up affair but we know the boys got some good practice. The final score was 6 to 0 in favor of H. S.

The High School students would like to thank the business men and all others who have promised their loyal support. It shows they are interested in us and we want to live up to their expectations. We greatly appreciate the sum of money given us for football equipment. We believe that with a great effort on our part and with their loyal support we can win the State Championship in Football for 1923.

MEETINGS—The Home and School club meeting was held Friday, Sept. 21st at Central school. There were about 75 present. It was really a "get to gether" meeting and for the purpose of meeting the new teachers. Some very excellent talks were made. One problem discussed was that of the Grammar School crowding the High School out of needed room. This cannot continue on for more than one term. The sooner it is remedied the better it will be for all concerned.

The Seniors met in Mr. Brewster's office Saturday morning to find out how many credits each had. Some were advised to drop certain subjects and others to take up new ones. This was done so that there would be no mistakes along about graduation time.

The Pep Squad has had two meetings. In the first one Francis Melton was elected president and Lillian Nall vice president. The second meeting was held Monday, Sept. 24; Anna Kate Gilmore was elected secretary and treasurer. A committee was appointed to get up an entertainment for the football boys of our team and Merkel's team for Friday.

ASSEMBLIES—Wednesday, Sept. 19 the High School had an assembly at nine o'clock. Mr. Brewster gave some important announcements. Then Mr. Brewster called on John Quinn, who was present to speak to the assembly. Most every student knew John and each was interested to know what his message would be; none were disappointed. He told a number of good jokes and through these he brought out the points he wanted us to remember. First, always do our own work. Second, let no one fool you. In this he stated that we had the material in the school for a team that would win the State Championship. He said for us to let no one discourage us by saying we couldn't do it. Third, we must have concentrated effort on the part of everyone. We must back our team if we expect them to win. He counted these as minor points to be forgotten after a time but the one thing that we should always remember, the thing that counted most, was: "Not what you are but what you will be."

Friday, Sept. 21. In this assembly it was announced that typewriting under the state rule counted only 1-2 credit.

Monday, Sept. 24th, assembly at 9 o'clock—Morris Williams was pres-

One You Can Bet On!

Monday
October 1



Tuesday
October 2



Laughter List
Harold Lloyd

Harold Lloyd is the Lad!
who made laughter famous. If you don't get your money's worth of Laughs and Thrills it is our treat.

Bring the Entire Family!

for an entertainment that will banish trouble and care—and leave you in a good humor for weeks to come.

WARNING!

Patrons who wear tight clothes will do so at their own risk during the run of the comedy.

The management will not be responsible for ripped seams, or loss of buttons.

ALSO SHOWING

Safety Last

Pathécomedy

A Bull Montana Comedy, "Rob Em Good"

Admission 10c and 35c.

Continuous Show from 3:00 to 10:30 P. M.

ent. He is one of the graduates of last year. He gave a very interesting talk in which he stated that the High School must put up a strong fight for the winning of the Inter-scholastic meet held at Abilene. He told us we should send a representative to enter each contest. We appreciate the good talk made by Morris. We are glad he still thinks of the "old red brick on the hill" even though he doesn't go there any more.

Reporter, Frances Melton.

J. W. Bonner who recently returned from Fort Worth states that there are more vacant business buildings and residences in that city than at any time in its history. The oil promoters boom had Fort Worth prospering for awhile, but high rents and boom prices killed prosperity, and it will be sometime before Fort Worth recovers her normal gait.

If it is a mattress you want, it will pay you to see me and get the best at cost of material and making. J. R. CREATH.

James A. Bradley after a visit with homefolks left Thursday for Miami, Arizona, where he holds a position with the Queen Copper Co. He left via automobile and was accompanied by the following: Mack Earley, bound for El Paso; Horace Reagan, to Lordsburg; Pitt Gardner to Hayden, Ariz.; and Wm. Young to Miami, Ariz.

The Dixie baseball series at Fort Worth Tuesday and Wednesday attracted much interest throughout Texas. Fort Worth won the first game 3 to 1, while New Orleans won the second game. The next two games will be played at New Orleans.

Regular spring showers were in evidence here on the afternoons of Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Only a small territory was covered by said showers and consequently cotton picking was not interfered with to any great extent.

Mrs. T. W. Huddleston has rented the Fisher residence at 105 Scurry street and will conduct a first class boarding house there, beginning October 1st.

Mrs. E. H. House of Coahoma was a visitor in Big Spring Wednesday.

Bridge Club Notes

Mrs. J. D. Biles was hostess to the members of the Pioneer Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon and the usual good time was in order, and delicious refreshments were enjoyed.

Three tables of players participated in the series of games. Mrs. Homer McNew made club high score and Mrs. R. V. Middleton made visitors' high score.

New Boarding House

I have secured the large residence at 105 Scurry street and will conduct an up-to-date boarding house there, beginning October 1st. Those of you who want the best of real home cooked food, and plenty of it can be assured of getting it at my place. Tell your friends to come and secure a real, honest-to-goodness meal. MRS. T. W. HUDDLESTON.

For Rent

Have two nice light housekeeping rooms, also three rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Call at 512 Main street or phone 542. 1t-pd

Your presence is desired at the big Rummage Sale at the Chocolate Shoppe, Saturday, September 29th. The Ladies of the Episcopal Church will conduct this sale.

Anderson Lands for Sale

I have been appointed receiver of the Anderson heirs by the district court and will sell at private sale once, their land holdings, consisting of 1920 acres of agricultural land. This is as fine land as there is in the county and is located just west of Big Spring. See me at once if you want a fine farm. I will divide and sell in 160-acre tracts. L. S. PATTERSON, Receiver, Big Spring, Texas.

Stove Pipe

If you want a sure enough stove pipe I have them. If you want a cheap job you can count stove pipe you will have to get them elsewhere as I do not sell them. H. B. ARNOLD.

WANTED—3 or 4 nice rooms for High School for light housekeeping either furnished or unfurnished. Will pay good price for rooms. Phone High School 8-10. Edwards.

Did you know that our \$21.00 mattress is as good as the Sealy \$35.00 bed, for we use the best in the any of the owners of the several dred mattresses that I have since starting. J. R. CREATH.

Bankhead Restaurant!

(Across the Street from Lyric Theatre)
 Remodeled. Regular
 Short Orders. Home Made
 Chili, Good Coffee.
GIVE US A TRIAL

Lloyd's Latest Comedy
 will be able to question
 Harold Lloyd performs
 stunts in the seven-
 episode Pathe-comedy,
 which comes to the
 Monday and Tuesday,
 and 2nd, for in practi-
 scene in the picture
 shows on the screen.
 with frills and chills are
 the spectacular come-
 the difficult task of
 side of a twelve story
 reaching the roof after
 the most hilarious and
 And, although suf-
 of the time from a dis-
 Harold declined to
 at any stage of the
 Indeed, it will not re-
 inspection to disclose

has been heard so many
 a picture star that it is
 but this time it is an
 Even the closest ob-
 picture productions will
 single double-exposure, or
 scene in the entire
 of "Safety Last" that
 to question the reality of
 Last, however, is not all
 the first part contains the
 and amusing comedy
 incidents that Harold
 ever put on the screen.
 of a department store
 spectacular comedian is
 at his best. He is the
 youth of "A Sailor Made
 Harold Lloyd, "himself"
 tion contains one of the
 lightful love stories ever
 with Mildred Davis, of
 the young lady in the
 the worshipping young
 Lloyd puts all the fa-
 lovers to shame and
 ment with comedy in a

most charming manner. "Safety
 Last" can be truly said to be the
 greatest comedy ever produced.
B. Y. P. U. Program for Sunday.
 Topic—Two Chinas.
 Memory Verse—
 "He said unto her, Talitha, cumi;
 which is, being interpreted, Damsel,
 I say unto thee arise." Mark 5:41.
 "Receiving Line"—Hazel Under-
 wood.
 Song—"The Fight is On."
 Prayer—by the leader, W. D.
 Green.
 Bible drill.
 Song.
 Two Chinas—Pearl Mason.
 China Hopeless and China Help-
 ful—Inez G.
 China inert and China invigorat-
 ed—Buddy Angle.
 China Napping and China New
 born—Hurschel R.
 China Alone and China Anchored
 —Leon R.

Rook Club Notes
 The members of the Rook Club
 were the guests of Mrs. J. R. Cope-
 land on Thursday of last week and
 an especially delightful afternoon
 was in order. Mrs. A. J. Gallemore
 made club high score at this meeting
 and Mrs. J. H. Baggett made visitors
 high score. Delicious refreshments
 were served at the close of the games

The office of T. & P. passenger
 and freight agent at Big Spring is
 now up to be "bid in" and an agent
 will be selected within the next week
 or so. An auditor of the company is
 now checking in E. W. Brown who
 will hold this position until the agent
 has been named.
 Just received a lot of nice, new
 mattress ticking and am ready to
 make new, that old mattress. J. R.
 CREATH.

Social Meeting of M. E. Auxiliary.
 Having postponed the social meet-
 ing last Monday the Auxiliary of the
 Methodist Church will meet in a
 short business session combined
 with the circle meeting next Monday
 afternoon at the City Park, where a
 very interesting program will be
 given; after which a social hour will
 be held.
 Mrs. True and her helpers will be
 hostesses. All members meet promp-
 tly at 3 o'clock at the church and cars
 will be provided for all who have not
 a way to go out.

Notice to All Concerned
 We have received from time to
 time both oral and written requests
 from persons asking us to punish
 people, and this is to notify every-
 body that we are a law-abiding peo-
 ple and do not sanction or counte-
 nance any act of violence or any-
 thing that is contrary to the laws of
 our country.
 Knight of the Ku Klux Klan.
 Big Spring Klan, 226.
 Realm of Texas.
 —advertisement-11-pd.

Episcopal Church
 Sept. 30th, Eighteenth Sunday
 after Trinity.
 11:00 a. m. Holy Communion.
 7:30 p. m. Evening Prayer.
 Monday, October 1st. Woman's
 Study Class meets at Rectory, at
 4 p. m. Rev. F. B. Eteson, Rector.

In the death of their infant
 Thursday morning at their home in
 the Elbow community Mr. and Mrs.
 B. J. Petty have the heartfelt sym-
 pathy of many friends. The remains
 of the little one were laid to rest in
 Mt. Olive cemetery at 11:30 o'clock
 Thursday morning.

5-room Cottage Wanted
 I desire to rent a five-room cottage
 by October 1st. Phone 28.

Dr. Campbell
 of Abilene
 will be in Big Spring Saturday,
 October 6th, to treat the Eye,
 Ear, Nose and Throat, and fit
 glasses.

New Goods Greater Values

**SATISFIED SHOPPERS FIND PLEASURE AND SATISFACTION BY SECURING
 THEIR DRY GOODS, FURNISHINGS, SHOES, ETC. AT THE GRAND LEADER.
 NEW GOODS, BEST VALUES AND SATISFACTION COMBINED WITH LOWEST
 PRICES ARE ASSURED OUR PATRONS.**

We want you to see and Price our line of Ladies Ready to Wear.
 A special line of Misses Dresses in wools and crepes is now offered. Be sure to see
 these.

If it is clothing for men, women, boys or girls we can give you better goods for less
 money. Shoes, Hats, Sweaters, Clothing—especially for School Children is our hobby.
 Better see these lines and learn our prices—save time, worry and money.

No use waiting longer—for prices of goods must advance on account of the short
 cotton crop. Better make a saving by purchasing anything and everything needed for
 fall and winter—now. Do your shopping before the fall rush—it's more satisfactory
 in every way.

**REMEMBER WE SELL FOR CASH AND CAN THEREFORE SELL FOR LESS.
 IF YOU REALLY WANT TO SAVE MONEY—CALL AND INSPECT OUR DEPEND-
 ABLE LINES AND LEARN OUR PRICES BEFORE PURCHASING CLOTHING,
 DRY GOODS, SHOES, ETC. WE KNOW WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY. LET US
 PROVE TO YOU WE CAN.**

WE APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE



Remember you Can Buy for Less at Our Store

Tripling Brothers

ANNOUNCE

The Opening of their Grocery Store

For Business on and After

Friday, September 28th

Our stock is a complete assortment of Staple and
 Fancy Groceries, Fresh Fruit and Produce. We
 also roast Imported Green Coffee. You will like
 the fresh taste of this Coffee—so different from
 the "aged in cans" varieties.

Come in and Let Us Give
 You Our Prices!

"Feeling Fine!"

"I was pale and thin, hardly
 able to go," says Mrs. Bessie
 Bearden, of Central, S. C. "I
 would suffer, when I stood on
 my feet, with bearing-down
 pains in my sides and the lower
 part of my body. I did not rest
 well and didn't want anything
 to eat. My color was bad and
 I felt miserable. A friend of
 mine told me of

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic
 and I then remembered my
 mother used to take it. . . After
 the first bottle I was better. I
 began to fatten up and I re-
 gained my strength and good,
 healthy color. I am feeling fine.
 I took twelve bottles (of Cardui)
 and haven't had a bit of trouble
 since."
 Thousands of other women
 have had similar experiences in
 the use of Cardui, which has
 brought relief where other
 medicines had failed.
 If you suffer from female ail-
 ments, take Cardui. It is a
 woman's medicine. It may be
 just what you need.
 At your druggist's or dealer's.

Married in California

R. P. Ricker returned to Big
 Spring last Friday from a visit in
 California, accompanied by his bride.
 The wedding ceremony was per-
 formed at the home of the bride's
 sister in Los Angeles, California,
 September 16.

The bride is a former Big Spring
 young lady, Marybelle G.iffin, and
 has many friends in this city.

After a brief visit here with rela-
 tives and friends they left Monday
 for Luling, Texas, to make their
 home as Mr. Ricker has extensive
 holdings in the Luling oil field.

Harold Robb of Dallas was a
 visitor in Big Spring Thursday.

Paint in small cans for any pur-
 pose. Cunningham & Philips.

First Baptist Missionary Meeting.

The ladies of the First Baptist
 Church held their regular missionary
 meeting Monday afternoon at the
 home of Mrs. Homer McNew, Run-
 nels street.

A very interesting program was
 rendered with Mrs. R. T. Piner as
 leader. The subject was "Evangel-
 ism in the Local Church." Follow-
 ing is the program:

Opening Hymn.
 Prayer Mrs. F. F. Gary.
 Bible Study Mrs. Piner.

A prayer for the "Growth of
 Sunday in the Church" Mrs.
 Beckett.
 The local church—Mrs. Tucker.
 The golden hour—Mrs. Beckett.

How to keep silent in the churches
 Mrs. Travis Reed.
 A prayer for church, pastor and
 officers Mrs. Dano.

Church Courtesy Mrs. Wynn.
 Witness of the saints Mrs.
 Buchanan.
 Fellowship Mrs. Stokes.
 Closing prayer Mrs. Grant.

At the close of the program a
 short business session was held. It
 was decided that a reception for the
 new members received during the re-
 ception and the Baptist teachers who
 are with us for the school year, be
 given on Tuesday evening, October
 2nd at 7:30 p. m. at the church.

All church members and their fam-
 ilies are cordially invited to be pres-
 ent, also the teachers.

Mrs. Hatcher, Beckett and
 McNew served delicious refreshments
 during the social hour. Mrs. Shick
 who expected to serve on this com-
 mittee received a message stating
 that her mother, Mrs. Covert, who
 now resides in California, was to
 undergo an operation on that day.

The ladies were greatly distressed to
 receive this news, as Mrs. Covert
 used to be a faithful member of this
 church. Special prayers were offer-
 ed for her.

Sewing Wanted

I am prepared to do all kind of
 sewing and guarantee all work. If
 you need any sewing done phone 212
 or call at 411 Eighth and Bell streets
 MRS. ROSS WYNN.

When they tell you those just as
 good a mattress for less money or
 better for the same, just ask to see
 the filling cotton of both before you
 buy. I will open mine up for you to
 see.
 J. R. CREATH.

Wednesday Bridge Club

The members of the Wednesday
 Bridge Club met this week with Mrs.
 T. W. Ashley and three tables of
 players thoroughly enjoyed the oc-
 casion. After the series of games,
 with Mrs. S. D. Ford making high
 score, a delicious salad course was
 served. The hostess being assisted
 by Mrs. J. J. Hair Sr. and Mrs. J. J.
 Hair Jr.

This being the beginning of a new
 club year the election of officers
 was in order and the following were
 selected: Mrs. W. F. Cushing, presi-
 dent; Mrs. J. J. Hair Sr., vice presi-
 dent; Mrs. T. C. Cory, secretary and
 reporter.

At Creaht's

I have four phonographs this week
 some nice ones, a good organ, a
 few sewing machines.

Some nice new cabinets and lots
 of old ones, both new and old dress-
 ers, bedsteads, chairs and almost any
 old thing you want. J. R. CREATH

Receiver Asked for Cox Oil Interests

Receivership proceedings against
 S. E. Cox and two of his oil com-
 panies were filed Tuesday in Dis-
 trict Court by H. Danielson of Tar-
 rant County. Danielson alleges Cox
 owes him \$7,000, of which only \$351
 has been paid.

Companies named defendants with
 Cox are the Amalgamated Petroleum
 Company and the Cox Consolidated
 Companies. Cox is under mail fraud
 indictments in Federal Court here
 and Houston, Fort Worth Star
 Telegram.

To Welcome New Members.

At the First Baptist Church on
 Tuesday evening, October 2nd, a
 reception will be tendered to the
 new members of the church.

All members of the congregation
 and Sunday school are cordially in-
 vited to attend this reception and
 add to the cordial welcome which is
 to be accorded those who have re-
 cently been admitted to membership
 in the First Baptist Church.

B. S. Transfer Office Change

On Saturday, Sept. 29th, the office
 of the Big Spring Transfer Co. will
 be moved from the Estes Meat Mar-
 ket building to the White & Herring
 Barber shop. Same phone—633—
 same prompt and satisfactory ser-
 vice. Note new location of our office
 at BIG SPRING TRANSFER CO.



Don't get fooled into buying cheap shoes believing it's economy. Economy comes through quality and Nettletons will outwear any less carefully made shoe.

We'll gladly show you why.

Nettleton
SHOES OF WORTH

A. P. McDonald & Co.
Shoes and Mens Wear

"Walk and Be Healthy"

Think It Over

"If you can toss a match into a clearing,
And never give a thought to put it out,
Or drop your cigarette butt without fearing
That flames may kindle in the leaves about;
If you can knock the ashes from your briar,
Without a glance to see where they may fall,
And later find the forest all afire
Where you have passed — with no one near to call;
If you can drive your auto through the working,
And cast your stogie stub into the slash
Unmindful of the danger therein lurking,
Or homes of happiness that you may smash;
If you can leave your campfire while 'tis glowing,
No thought of industries that it may blight,
Or of the billion saplings in the growing,
Turned into charcoal ere the coming night,
If you can start a fire beneath a brush pile
When the wind is roaring like a distant gun—
You surely should be jailed without a trial;
Or confined in some lunatic asylum.
—Fire Control.

Magnetic Mabel's Mail

If you don't know anything, ask Mabel. She'll tell you.

Dear Mabel:

If I should drop my glove in the street and a strange gentleman should pick it up for me, what should I do and say? On the other hand, if a strange gentleman should save me from being killed by a speeding automobile, how should I conduct myself?

Timid.

Dear Timid:

In the first case a simple girlish smile is all that is necessary. You could say, Oh, sir, if you think best. Try, of course, to convey the idea that the gloves are your own and not the ones you borrowed from your room mate. But if, on the other hand, a strange gentleman drags you out from under the very hoofs of a maddened automobile, first glance into the mirror at the back of your vanity case to assure yourself that your complexion is on straight, and then smile pleasantly and say—right there in the middle of the traffic—"May I have the pleasure of knowing to whom I am indebted?" Don't forget the whom—it's so class.

This speech is recommended to every one, because one never knows when one may be called upon to speak extemporaneously like, and it's so embarrassing to get gummed up in one's lines on such an occasion.
Mabel.

Your Eyes

Have you had your eyes tested? If you need glasses we will tell you so, and if you don't we will tell you so. Don't monkey with your eyes by trying to fit yourself—it's the best way to ruin your eyes! We employ an expert Registered Optician. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Company.

The Chamber of Commerce is the most democratic organization in our county. Everyone can become a member. The annual dues run from \$2 per year to any amount you wish to pay; so no one may be barred from membership. Every member has one vote regardless of the amount he pays. More of our citizens should be members of this organization.

This Week

A Giant Airfish.
Mr. Eel-Worm is Here.
The Devil's Ink Stain.
You Eye and Auto.

BY ARTHUR BRISBANE

The United States built a giant dirigible, in ENGLAND. It fell, killed 62. Another, built in ITALY, fell, killed 34. Last week, the United States Zeppelin, ZR-1, built HERE, by the American Government, flew over New York and started for Philadelphia, having first travelled 100 miles over New Jersey. Those who think the Government can't do anything and must always hire private assistance, take notice.

That great machine, looking like a silver coated fish, slowly traveling through the air above New York, was a warning to the six millions of that city, and the whole country.

In the morning, with the sun obscured by clouds, the air giant was barely visible. Had the captain chosen to go a few thousand feet higher, it would have been absolutely invisible.

Such a traveler coming out of the misty dawn, above the edge of the ocean, would first make itself known by dropping enough bombs to destroy New York, enough deadly gas to kill three-quarters of the inhabitants.

Important. Bad news for farmers in rapid spreading of the eel-worm disease, imported from South Africa. The eel-worm, fatal to alfalfa and other plants, in two years has spread from Eastern Oregon to California and Colorado.

Kansas, great alfalfa State, Colorado and other States, should fight this enemy as they would Asiatic cholera. The tiny deadly pest might cost farmers hundreds of millions yearly.

Yesterday you could buy a thousand million marks for \$100. In 1914, one thousand million marks were worth \$250,000,000. German money, then worth two and one-half million dollars, is worth \$1 now. That's what war does when you lose. But that won't discourage the next war-like nation.

The castle of Wartburg is closed for lack of money to keep it in repair. The public can no longer see the room in which Luther translated the Bible, nor the big black spot on the wall made by him when he threw the inkwell at the devil.

American Lutherans perhaps will contribute to repairing the old castle and supply ink to freshen up the ink-stains, which have doubtless been made fresh many a time in the past. It is a pity to let old stories die.

American school children saved \$9,500,000 in the last school year. The money is nothing, the saving habit is everything.

To teach children that poverty is slavery, and can be avoided by reasonable saving, is the first duty of parents. The second duty is to teach children that after they have saved, they must help others.

Exercise your eye muscles, and avoid automobile accidents. That's the advice given by Dr. Needles. When you are in a car going forty miles an hour, you go about fifty-eight feet every second. Unless your eye can roll from one side to the other least twice in a second, you can't keep track of both sides of the road and travel safely at that speed. Prizefighters, fliers, automobile drivers, all require eye exercises to strengthen the eye muscles. At best, they get weak with old age. And a closed car requires better eyes than an open car.

The Prince of Wales, under the name of Baron Renfrew, is in Canada resting. In spite of his disguise a crowd met him when he arrived. The English know the value of Canada now, and in future. The real England may be Canada some time, with the British Isles maintained as a central business office in Europe.

As that great Roman Empire saw the seat of power change from Italy to Constantinople, so Britons of another century may see their imperial Parliament and whatever left of the royal family transplanted in Montreal or Australia.

If you don't think it pays to advertise you are in the wrong business. Take your own case. Are you not on the lookout for bargains and are you not willing to go out of your way to pick up a bargain. Other folks are just like you. If you haven't any bargains to offer they will go to the stores which have the gumption to invite them and offer bargains as inducements to insure their coming.

Do you know
how much better
cooking fat is
when it's fresh?



SNOWDRIFT is sweet and fresh—Sweet as you use the word to describe sweet cream—Fresh as you use the word to describe a new laid egg.

Many and many a good cook tells us that she has used shortening of one kind or another all her life and never realized, until she tried Snowdrift, how sweet and fresh and good a cooking fat *could be*.

Snowdrift is pure and rich and creamy and white and fresh when we make it, because we make it that way. It is pure and rich and creamy and white and fresh when you open it in your kitchen, because it has been packed in an airtight tin.

Only a truly airtight tin will keep a cooking fat as fresh as the day it was made. All shortening is fat. If it is pure fat, like Snowdrift, it will grow old and stale, even if not actually rancid, in the course of time if it is packed in an open tub or ordinary tin. A cover, even if it is on pretty

tight, can't keep fat really fresh.

If you have ever put up fruits or vegetables yourself, you know that *only a truly airtight jar* will keep things from spoiling.

So Snowdrift is put up in truly airtight tins.

At first the only airtight tin we could find was the sanitary tin can that is used for vegetables, soups, milk, and such things. This tin can had to be opened with a knife or can-opener, as usual. It was a bother, of course, but the *freshness* of Snowdrift made it worth the trifling extra trouble.

Now a bucket has been invented—we had a share in the inventing—that is still truly airtight but opens easily.

Now we can offer you Snowdrift—pure, rich, creamy, white and as *fresh* as the day it was made—in such a convenient bucket that there is no need for anyone to ever use an old or stale fat again.

fresh
Snowdrift
in a **new blue** bucket



a handy handle
no rough edges

A cover that goes back on

still absolutely airtight *but now*

as easy to open
as winding
the clock



Enroll NOW

Starts You Toward the Ownership of a Ford

and in a short time you will have a car of your own. Then all "out-of-doors" will be yours to enjoy with your family.

Think of the comfort, the pleasure and happiness which will be yours.

Buy your car under the terms of the **Ford Weekly Purchase Plan**

For as little as \$5, you can select the Ford you want and place your order at once. We will put this money in a local bank for you—at interest. Each week you add a little more. This also draws interest. Soon your payments, plus the interest earned, makes the car your own. Come in! Let us give you full particulars about this new plan.

Stokes Motor Co.

Phone 636

Cor. 4th and Main Sts., Big Spring



THE TRUE HELP MATE

THE WIFE!

be thrifty and help save her husband's money.

If **He** hasn't done it, **She** should start the savings account and see that portion of the income gets there each week.

We Offer This Opportunity

Establish the real bulwark of the home. Co-operation makes the partnership complete.

Resources More Than \$640,000.00 Under Federal Supervision U. S. Depository

First Nat'l. Bank

The Old Reliable

Important Detail

the actor.

"Yes, and no more than that—understand?"

The hero nodded. "Yes, I understand, but does the lion?"

Herald want ads get fine results.

FOR SALE

Farm and ranch, 585 acres; 600 yards from corporation line, Big Spring, Texas; houses, barns, 120 acres in cultivation, 180 more suitable farming land.

Ranch in last four years produced grass sufficient to keep fat 20 milk cows; barn 50x75 feet, stalls for cows, cement house, running water for preparation of mercantile milk, cement tank holding 90,000 gallons of water, troughs for stock. Thirty acres can be sold separately. This 30 acres has house and barn, 3 irrigated acres, 2 acres more can be irrigated—producing now six crops a year. Cement tank in summer use has paid \$26 per day. 2 running water wells; also an unused well which has produced 100 barrels or 4200 pipe line gallons per day. This last statement is verified by one of our most prominent citizens who is a witness to the same. Prices and terms. Address J. D. CUNNINGHAM, box 417, phone 191, Big Spring, Texas. 1t-pd

The Goodness in Man

The quick response of all the world to Japan's cry of distress revealed the golden good in human nature.

The unparalleled disaster of earthquake, fire and flood stirred the sympathy of all human beings. The picture of death and terror suffering painted itself in such colossal proportions before the mind's eye of all individuals who could read newspapers that all prejudice and all selfishness were immediately forgotten.

The unexpected revelation of the stupendous power of nature brought a feeling of helplessness to the human imagination. And, almost in obedience to an instinct, all were willing to give, in order to alleviate the suffering of others.

A fine trait. One of the finest in human nature. A pity that it takes a cataclysm to bring it to light. —Fort Worth Record.

Notice

Big Spring, Texas, Sept. 7, 1923.

On this day the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, passed an order that hereafter the County will not pay any claim against the County, unless an order be signed by one of the Commissioners or County Judge, authorizing said claim or indebtedness has been given.—Advertisement.—1-2t-

Pays \$265,000 for Plains Tract

W. McCarty Moore of Dallas has purchased 17,440 acres of land in Lynn County; paying \$265,000 for this tract.

This is fine agricultural land and Mr. Moore plans to develop same. He will keep 5,000 acres for a cotton plantation and sell the balance in 160-acre tracts to farmers.

New Grocery and Market

We have opened a new grocery and market on the northside, on the Highway. We deliver groceries and fresh meats any hour of the day. Give us a trial. We will appreciate your business. Phone 269. BUGG & DAVIS.

Several owners of farms in our county have recently refused fifty dollars per acre for their farms. And you can't blame them when you know this land will produce from a quarter to a half bale of cotton most any old year.

Railroad Men—Let's talk Railroad watches—we'll save you money. Clyde Fox Jewelry and Drug Co.

Howard County lands that will produce as much cotton as the black land section are going to be in demand from now on and the price of land is due to advance.

"Home Town". The stationery with the heading... See it... Cunningham & Philips.

L. M. Arthur of Burkburnett has been here this week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Lou Arthur.

Nydenta Tooth-paste for Pyorrhea Delightful, antiseptic. Clyde Fox, exclusive agent.

Wanted

I desire to trade a good milch cow and young heifer for a second hand piano. Will pay difference. Address, Box 362. 1t-pd

WANTED Nineteen MEN and six WOMEN to take, by Mail or at College, specialized training under contract for \$1,000 to \$1,200-a-year positions as book-keepers, bank clerks, and stenographers. Write today for Guarantee Contract, finest catalog in the South, and SPECIAL OFFER 19. Address Draughon's College at either place below. 1-2t-pd



It Pays to Advertise

It wasn't many years ago that one could drive along the country road and read advertisements of every description. Now days the advertiser uses the county newspaper and the subscriber sits on his front porch and reads every ad just as religiously as he reads the news. In fact it is news—good news—news that brings results to the customer because it has proven hundreds of times that the well advertised product can be sold more cheaply than the non-advertised product. The store that advertises generously can also sell more cheaply because of the increased business that is attracted to a live store.

If you have any bargains to offer why not let the folks know it thru the columns of The Herald.

New Grocery and Market

We have opened a new grocery and market on the northside, on the Highway. We deliver groceries and fresh meats any hour of the day. Give us a trial. We will appreciate your business. Phone 269. BUGG & DAVIS.

To Auto Owners

The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce has issued seven "Cautions" to the motoring public—

1. Would you willingly injure a child?
2. Drive reasonably.
3. Put your city on the Safety Honor Roll.
4. Remember you are at times a pedestrian.
5. "After you" is courtesy on the road, as well as in the doorway.
6. Keep the brakes in perfect condition.
7. Haste makes havoc.

If we all keep these cautions in mind our streets would be much safer and our Monday morning papers less filled with accident accounts.

New Ivory Bed Rooms Suites

A select line of Ivory bed room suites just arrived. Also the newest overstuffed living room suites. Prices are right. W. R. Purser & Sons.

At First Christian Church

At the First Christian Church two very interesting and important subjects will be discussed next Sunday morning and night. At the eleven o'clock service the subject will be: "What constitutes a true church of Christ," and at seven-thirty the subject will be: "On what creed can the churches unite, or the Creed that needs no revision."

Come to our growing bible school at 9:45 a. m.

We again call your attention to the above subjects for Sunday, as they are subjects that are being discussed all over the world by all church leaders. Come and you will be interested.

More New Furniture

Another car of new furniture just arrived. Come and see it. W. R. Purser & Sons. 50-tf

Missionary Society Meeting

The Missionary Society of the First Christian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. A. B. Maxfield, 502 Johnson St., Monday, October 1. All members are urged to be present. Devotional and business period will be conducted by the president, after which the leader, Mrs. Parks, will take charge of the following program:

Hymn.
Prayer—Bro. Ruth.
Bible Lesson—Mrs. E. W. Brown.
Third Chapter of "Shelton of Tibet"—Mrs. Ruth.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Sam Hall, accompanied by Mrs. Roy Carter.
Quiz—Mrs. Russell.
Benediction.

Furniture Priced Right

We invite you to call, see our furniture and learn our prices before you buy. W. R. Purser & Sons.

Cemetery Association Meeting

A meeting of the Cemetery Association is to be held Friday afternoon, September 28th at 3:30 o'clock. Several important matters, including the election of officers is to come up for consideration.

Every citizen of Big Spring is extended a cordial invitation to be present.

This meeting will be held at the office of the Chamber of Commerce. Come and bring someone with you.

OPEN ALL THE TIME

Night service at the Bankhead Garage.—advertisement. 21-tf-

Christian Ladies Plan Bazaar

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church at a business meeting held last Monday decided to have a Christmas bazaar to be held December 14th and 15th.

A supper will be held in connection with the bazaar Saturday, December 15th.

Adolphus Chocolates, fresh shipment just arrived—they are Oh-so-good—try 'em. Clyde Fox Jewelry and Drug Company.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Upshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Upshaw were here Monday enroute to Los Angeles where they expect to make their future home.

We have secured the services of a first-class automobile mechanic and are prepared to give you first-class work. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 23-tf.

Ivory, Ivory, Ivory—the most beautiful stock ever shown in Big Spring. Come in, let us show you. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.



They're Wonderful!

Beauties from Michigan—nestling in rich tomato sauce—with just the right amount of pork. Cooked in our sanitary kitchens at Fort Worth, they have a tempting flavor all their own.

Taste them cold as they come from the can. That's the test that tells. Served cold or hot, White Swan hits the spot. Like fifty other White Swan food products—these beans are "better than the law requires."

When it costs no more, why not enjoy the best you can get? Ask your grocer for White Swan Pork and Beans in the 10c or 15c size.

WAPLES-PLATTER GROCER COMPANY

White Swan

Pork and Beans

with Tomato Sauce

"BETTER THAN THE LAW REQUIRES"

Our folks seem great on starting things but we generally fall short when it comes to successfully completing what we set out to do. On the program of unfinished enterprises may be cited: The American Legion Memorial Hall and auditorium, a swimming pool, a band, a sewer system. Why is it necessary to delay action on these important propositions?

Too many varied interests have divided our folk until it is now difficult to secure whole hearted cooperation even though the proposition is one of great benefit to the citizenship of the entire county. Let's lay aside some of these interests until we arrange for a fine agricultural exhibit at the Dallas Fair and everybody will benefit.

We sometimes are inclined to think that folks are without a sense of appreciation but are glad to find such is not the case. We know because every once in a while some of our subscribers will come in to pay their subscription, and thank us for letting their subscription run for more than a year without dunning them.

J. W. Bonner presented the Herald force with a lot of fine peaches Monday. These were grown at his home in this city, and were of an exceptionally fine flavor, good size and perfect color. Needless to state the force thoroughly appreciated this treat. Mr. Bonner also brought some fine peaches to the office of the Chamber of Commerce to be placed on display.

Miss Anna Agnell left Saturday evening for a brief stay in Waco, where she will be the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. C. C. Russell. On September 26th Miss Anna will enroll as a student in Baylor Female College at Belton, Texas.

J. T. McNew brought in Monday some cotton planted three months ago which was producing cotton—a number of bolls on the stalk being ready for picking. This is quick time for cotton to mature.

Adolphus Chocolates, fresh shipment just arrived—they are Oh-so-good—try 'em. Clyde Fox Jewelry and Drug Company.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Upshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Upshaw were here Monday enroute to Los Angeles where they expect to make their future home.

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Coahoma News Notes

Olle Williams is driving a new Buick. Miss Irene Mullikin led prayer meeting Wednesday night. We are so glad to see the young people doing such work and doing it well. My! but won't we be glad when the Main street in our town is completed. The loose dirt and sand newly graded makes a very unpleasant ride. Mrs. Martin, daughter of Mrs. F. B. Blaylock of Big Spring, spent several days last week with her mother. Mrs. Helen Warren and sons have been in Merkel visiting. Many Coahoma cars were in Big Spring Saturday. Miss Jessie Coffman is to lead the prayer meeting Wednesday night. Glad to say that not many of the pupils have had to miss school to pick cotton. Mrs. Melford Lay and Mrs. J. L. Collins spent Thursday in Colorado. They report a pleasant trip and enjoyed the fair. Mr. Coffman, familiarly known as "father," preached at the eleven o'clock hour at the Baptist Church Sunday. Several of the Birkhead children have been sick, pleased to report them about well again. J. W. Ford of Clyde, father of Mrs. Duke Madison, spent the week end with his daughter. Jim McKinney does have the most excellent barbecue and delicious chilli in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Henderson. Bama Hale stuck a nail in her foot Monday of last week. She is feeling fine now. Charter Hale is the possessor of a new roadster. Mrs. Geo. McGregor entertained some young people in her home Saturday evening. Those who enjoyed her hospitality were: Misses Louise Graham, Edna Graham, Ruby Elliott, Ruby Wilson of Colorado, Jessie Coffman, Ida May Echols, Annie Bell Roberts, Irene Millikin and Ernestine Westfall, Messrs Dave Sessler, Howard Massey, Truett Devaney, Raymon Cramer, Glen Guthrie, Putman Cramer, and Leonard Akers; Mesdames Robt. Guthrie, Fred Mullikin, Price Echols, and B. B. Liles were present as well. Senior C. E. had the largest attendance Sunday evening that has been present for eight or ten Sundays. We realize that it was difficult for the young people to attend during the protracted meeting. There were more than fifty present, and more than half the number gave their names for registration for the C. E. convention, to be held in Big Spring in October. It was unanimously voted to order 40 individual pennants and some large pennants. On the large ones, "Coahoma" to be placed; on the small ones "C. E." As the recording secretary has moved away, Putman Cramer was elected secretary. Leroy Echols was the leader for the hour. A. N. Hart's brother, T. W. Hart of Bedice, Texas, accompanied Mr. Hart home from Oklahoma, where Mr. Hart was last week. T. W. Hart returned home the first of this week. Tom Sullivan went to Dallas Sunday night. Born to Mr. and Mrs. McGintis, a little daughter, Friday, Sept. 21st. Mrs. McGintis is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smith and Mrs. Bill Mays motored thru to Graham, Texas. They went with Mrs. Mays brother, Mr. Logan, whose home is in Graham. Mr. Logan spent one week of his honeymoon with Mr. and Mrs. Mays. The bride and Mrs. Mays are and have been chums since babyhood. Mr. Logan and Mr. Mays were chums even longer than their wives were. Mr. Smith's parents live in Graham. Mr. and Mrs. Barsey Thomason had a most delicious dinner Sunday. Even were words lacking, actions spoke so loud, that the host and hostess knew that that dinner was enjoyed by all the guests. The fortunate ones to be invited were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hood and son, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Birkhead and Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Liles. All there were sorry that Mr. Birkhead could not accept the invitation. Atlas (Nick) Carter is at home with his parents. He was accompanied by his wife and children. He was pitcher for the team at Joplin, Mo., this year. The Presbyterian Conference of Missionary ladies met in Coahoma, Thursday, Sept. 20th. The conference district includes Midland, Big Spring, Colorado, and Coahoma. The Presbyterian ladies of Coahoma want to use this means of thanking the ladies of the other churches for their assistance, in donation of food as well as their timely assistance in entertaining the out of town guests. The program was certainly enjoyed by all present, and was as follows: MORNING SESSION—Mrs. W. C. Barnett, presiding. 10 a. m. Opening Hymn.

Devotional—Rev. W. L. Shepherd. 10:30. Greeting—Mrs. Lyle. Response—Mrs. T. P. Hollifield. 11. Purpose of Meeting—Mrs. Fairly. 11:30. Foreign Missions Study Book—White Fields of Japan—Mrs. Elliott. Home Mission Study Book—The Child and America's Future—Mrs. Caylor. 12:00. Appointment of Committees. Recess—Picnic Luncheon. AFTERNON SESSION— 1:30 p. m. Prayer. Open Discussion, Leader, Mrs. J. I. McDowell. Best methods of Conducting— Business Meetings. Circle Meetings. Inspirational Program Meetings. Rural Auxiliary Meetings. 2:30. Solo—Mrs. J. B. Littler. Open Discussion—S. P. C., H. M., and C. E., M. R.—Leader, Mrs. J. Riordan. S. S. Extension and Y. P. and Literary— Development of Spiritual Life— Mrs. Van Tuyl. Reports of Committees. 3:45. Offering. Quiet Hour—Mrs. Fairly. The ladies were served a buffet luncheon by Misses Ida May Echols, Lenora Spears, Ruby Elliott, Louise Graham, Jessie Coffman, Olga Wolfe, Opal Shives, Dorris Wolfe. The lady teachers, Misses Lawrence, Farrar, Hathcock and Sparks were down for lunch. As Mr. Hood could not leave the ground, some of his pupils prepared him a plate and sent him. There were other plates sent to the sick. The ladies, on entering, registered. Each was given a number, and went into the lunch room as their numbers were called. Mrs. Stover, the most elderly lady present was given the honor of leading the ladies. The following were in attendance: COLORADO—W. M. Elliott, pastor; Mrs. Jerold Riordan, Mrs. W. M. Elliott, Mrs. R. E. Dolman. BIG SPRING—Mesdames Homer Markham, J. I. McDowell, T. S. Currie and son, W. L. Shepherd, Noble Read, C. D. Read, L. S. McDowell, E. O. Ellington, T. N. Rutherford, W. C. Barnett, C. W. Cunningham, Jno. B. Littler, Ida E. Mann, Robt. C. Strain, H. G. Whitney, S. A. Hathcock; Mrs. W. M. Fairly, El Paso. MIDLAND—Mesdames J. M. DeArmond, T. R. Wilson, J. M. Caldwell. COAHOMA—Mesdames M. B. Stover, DeShazo, J. C. Neel, H. C. Wolfe, Omie Shive, P. N. Shive, A. C. Bass R. V. Guthrie, G. W. Graham, Le Roy Echols, J. B. Wheat, S. P. Echols, Ellie Elliott, Cook; Misses Lola Sparks, Swan Farrar, Gilla Lawrence, Helen Hathcock, Almira Hale, Lenora Spears, Jessie Coffman, Irene Mullican, Ida Mae Echols, Louise Graham, Ruby Elliott, Doris Wolf, Susie Brown. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Williams are in Ranger this week. They were called there by Mr. Williams' sister to see her husband, Mr. Herring, who is very ill. We are glad to report that Mrs. Smithers, daughter of Mrs. John Sullivan, who was operated on Saturday is doing nicely. Church schedule was full here Sunday. S. S. at 10 a. m. at Presbyterian and Baptist Churches. Preaching at 11 a. m. at Baptist Church. Junior C. E. at Presbyterian Church at 2 p. m. S. S. at M. E. Church at 3 p. m. Singing at Baptist Church at 4 p. m. and Senior C. E. at the Presbyterian Church at 7:30 p. m. The singing was made more enjoyable by the presence of many of the East Side Baptists of Big Spring being present. As there were several leaders no one tired. Those from Big Spring were: Messrs C. C. Nance, Errot Nance and Algine Smith. Coahoma: Messrs D. C. Riley, Frank Logan and Nando Henderson; and T. W. Hart of Bedice, Texas. The organists for the afternoon were Mrs. Pearl Boyce, Misses Eula Woods and Verla Dowdy. The quartette by Miss Lula Cardwell and Messrs C. C. Nance, Errot Nance and Algine Smith was indeed good. Rev. Green gave a short address and Algine Smith talked on the advantage of young people's societies. Junior Christian Endeavor met September 23, with 14 present, all of whom answered roll call with scripture. Six visits reports. The Circles chose the pins for the year. Circle No. 1, the forget-me-not; Circle No. 2, pond lily; Circle No. 3, buttercup; Circle No. 4, daisy. It was a pleasure to hear the Juniors sing, "Out Shine the Sun." The catechism quiz showed great improvement. The program for Sunday, Sept. 30 consist of explanation of verses given by the members. The explanation is to be rendered by the member quoting the verse. The yells to be practiced and the convention songs are to be practiced. Several original yells to be submitted to the Juniors. Test for the string of

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Sizes 8½ to 11 at.....\$2.35
Sizes 11½ to 2 at.....\$2.95
—Black patent shoe with beaver nubuck tops; complete range of sizes. Priced \$2.25 to \$4.65 pair, according to size.
—Black patent shoe with white kid tops; priced \$1.95, \$2.75 and \$3.35 pair.
—One of the newest styles we're showing is of black patent with beaver kid tops. Tops have cut-out clock effect with black patent underlay. Priced \$4 to \$5.75 pair.
—See our shoes before buying; a pleasure to show you whether you're ready to purchase or not.

Attractive Styles in Fall Frocks, Suits and Coats
THE FROCKS—Satin and crepes in the popular straight line styles; navy and black are the leading colors. All are attractively trimmed with braid, embroidery, beads or maybe a touch of fur. Priced \$19.75 and upward to \$79.75.
WOOL FROCKS of fine serges and twills in navy and black; straight line models or coat styles. Some plain tailored while others are embroidered or braided in bright colors. Priced \$15 to \$65.
THE SUITS—Navy twills or soft pile fabrics in black and new shades of brown. Plain tailored styles or dressy costume suits with fur and embroidery trimmings. Priced \$29.75 to \$167.50.
THE COATS—Here you will find a wonderful selection of new coats and wraps. There are rich pile fabrics, velours and other high grade all-wool materials in almost any color you could, possibly wish for. Many of them feature luxurious collars or collars and cuffs of fur. There are at least fifty coats to select from at \$14.75 to \$29.75; others range upward to \$185.
CHILDREN'S COATS of excellent quality all-wool fabrics in new shades of high grade blue; smart belted models, many with fur collars. Priced \$6.50 to \$13.25.

New Fall Gingham
—In our piece goods department you will find thousands of high grade Gingham, reasonable prices, too.
—At 25c yard there's a lot of standard quality Gingham pretty plaid, striped, checked and solid color, full 32 inches wide.
—At 35c yard there are K&L and other fine qualities in five patterns and colors.
—Other Gingham priced to 50c yard.
OUTING
—One lot of twenty-seven Outing in light and dark striped and solid color priced special at 12½c yard.
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—Thirty-six inch Outing in white and light colored patterns at 24c and 32½c yard.
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pearls will be given. Mrs. Mc Price who has been ill is improving some, but not yet at her post of duty, that of telephone operator. Real Estate for Sale I have two good houses and three lots that will pay on the investment 20 per cent, besides these houses are located where they will always rent, and they will make good homes for some one that is wanting to buy a home. The price is right. Terms, if desired. I also have some fine lands for sale, located northwest of Knott, and the prices are right on the lands. If you want to own your own farm I would like to talk with you about these lands. R. L. COOK, Big Spring, Texas. Some Cotton Stalk W. S. Wingo, residing two miles west of Big Spring, brought to the office of the Chamber of Commerce a cotton stalk containing 103 bolls. This was indeed a well loaded stalk, and it has attracted much favorable notice. Truck for Sale Extra good high speed one-ton Ford truck at a bargain. See CHAS. M. DUBLIN, Magnolia Petroleum Co. Phone 367. The fire department was called to the home of J. H. Coats last Sunday morning. The blaze was discovered before much damage resulted and was extinguished before the fire department arrived.

East Third B. Y. P. U. Program. Introduction—Eva Cardwell. 1. At London and Philadelphia—Verla Dowdy. 2. Five of our fields in Europe—Algie Smith. 3. A great need—Errot Nance. 4. World's congress to cheer European Baptists—Eva Rudd. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this program. There will be some distinguished speakers present who will give out valuable information. The Baptists World Alliance at Stockholm will be discussed in full. Football Game Today Be sure to attend the big football game at the baseball park in this city, this, Friday, afternoon. The Big Spring Hi will battle with the Merkel High school team. Be there and make a big noise for the home team. Game starts at four o'clock. Farmers and ranchmen resent the practice of hunters killing quail out of season and are going to report those guilty of this violation. Quite a few hunters are said to be violating this law at present; and as a result hunters who obey the law are going to find scant welcome when the season opens. Try the Badger tire—cream of production—made by the Federal people. Give it a trial. THE BANKHEAD GARAGE. 52-4t "Big Ben"—The standard alarm Cunningham & Phillips.

Call it an "Investment for Education" I have often thought that if our lawmakers could call this "an investment for education," instead of "a tax for education," that it might aid the friends of education in their efforts to improve existing conditions along these lines. A local tax for schools is always an investment that pays larger dividends than any investment in stocks or bonds, for it is an investment in the brains and in the lives of the young people of the community. It is an investment that does not impoverish as taxes sometimes do, but one that is expended, every dollar of it, in the community where it is raised, and expended, too, for the uplift and betterment of that particular community. The teacher very often holds the key to the situation, and the district is indeed fortunate that has secured a teacher who can see something in the profession besides the pittance of dollars and cents which he ekes out of it.—C. C. Wright, in the Progressive Farmer. Light Housekeeping Rooms for Rent Three rooms furnished for light housekeeping, for rent. Call at 511 West 4th Street, or phone 137. The members of Mrs. Ben Hardy's Sunday school class were treated to a picnic Thursday night and a thoroughly delightful time was the report of everyone of the fortunate members who attended. Safety razors and blades..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mayor W. R. Purser, son, L. F. Nall, Jno. Hefley and Bob Austin Wednesday from a day's fishing on the Concho and brought only the champion fish of the season but the fish as well caught 75 or 80 pounds of addition to oodles of which fishermen such as would be tickled to death when we go fishing. The catch consisted of the catfish, the smallest weighing pound dressed and the largest weighing sixteen pounds. It is mighty fine for us to be so busy, but it is hurtful to get so busy that they are big opportunity. It begins to our folks are going to be to secure a real exhibit for the Las Fair and if they do we the finest opportunity ever vertise our county at a time are on West Texas. Can we to pass it up? Germany has surrendered least a proclamation has been issued by the president of Germany passive resistance in the abandoned. The proclamation German people states that they are to support the financial holding out in the Ruhr was and must be abandoned. What you want may be the Rummage Sale which was held at the Chocolate Shop, 20th, by the Ladies of the Church.

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By Jordan & Hayden

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An Editor's Paradise
 J. A. (Ruby E.) Livingston,
 the Arkansas Writer.
 was a man of the editor clan
 lived in a town of average
 size;
 sometimes, when hard-pressed for
 news,
 he forced to print, perhaps—
 well, he!
 came and passed—the poor
 man died,
 up to heaven's gate he went
 before the Judgment Bar,
 to his destiny be sent.
 He scanned the record book,
 he solved the problem in this
 case:
 "Thou knowest well 'tis
 here in Paradise."
 Some good deeds are re-
 corded here;
 he has right nobly toiled each
 day—
 generous, considerate, kind—
 thou ought for thyself to
 say!"
 He wight cast down his
 head
 and awhile with low-bowed
 head;
 trembling with temerity,
 reached the throne and hum-
 bly said:
 August Judge of all mankind,
 mercy I would plainly seek;
 though my sins are manifold,
 my virtues fain would speak.
 say it myself I have been kind
 often has there been a bore,
 agent or time-killer
 forth in anger from my door.
 given much of time and space
 many a worthless cause, I
 know,
 helped because it seemed worth
 while
 some poor mortal, there below,
 women I have written up,
 called them 'fair,' for all to
 see;
 if I had told the truth,
 my husbands would have mur-
 dered me.
 men have died, and I wrote
 much
 their good deeds throughout
 the years;
 to show them as they were
 had have increased their
 widows' tears.
 others I have whitewashed over
 made them men of prominent
 name;
 all of their guilty lives,
 or children would have blushed
 with shame.
 hence for this thou mayest
 show
 me mercy to my guilty soul,
 don't consign me into hell,
 say while countless ages roll!"
 pondered, then replied:
 neither merciful nor fair;

To purgatory shalt thou go
 And for thy sins do penance there.
 "Perchance some day I may recall
 Thee to the realms above,
 If thou dost still show that thou hast
 Within thy soul this brother love,
 "Which made thee kind and gen-
 erous,
 And book-agents to forbear.
 Perchance e'en Satan soon may find
 Some task to pay thy penance
 there."
 Down to the smoking realms below
 He slowly groped his weary way—
 Down where the brimestones' sul-
 phurous fumes
 Shut out for aye the light of day.
 Then Satan sat him on the wall
 There in great penitence to dwell,
 And fitted out a printing-plant
 To chronicle the things of Hell.
 The man soon gathered quite a force
 Of luckless souls, and marshaled
 them
 Into his service on the daily sheet,
 To tell whom Peter should con-
 demn.
 He chuckled gaily as he wrote,
 "Old Grandma Jones, we're glad
 to state,
 Who gossiped loud and gossiped
 long,
 Is sizzling well on Grid-iron eight!"
 And "Gov'nor Blank, from our own
 State,
 Who robbed the people left and
 right,
 Despite his membership in church
 And preachers' prayers—arrived
 last night."
 And "Mrs. Thompson, hypocrite,
 Whom friends thought was bound
 straight for Heaven,
 Arrived on Monday and is found
 At home on Grid-iron No. seven."
 The years rolled by—then came a
 call
 Across the awful, Great Divide.
 "Send forth ye scribe! He's earned
 the right
 To dwell in happiness outside."
 The editor looked up askance,
 And shouted, "No! At last I'm
 free
 To write the TRUTH, and this
 Oh, Judge, is Heaven for me!"
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Vaporings—That's All
 One scientist says 96 per cent of
 the American people are below nor-
 mal. Another says we do not use
 our brains within one-half of their
 capacity. Still another says we are
 not taught to nor do we think.
 Tommyrot—all tommyrot.
 It is astounding that these brain-
 er-than-thou fellows find platforms,
 newspapers and magazines which
 will aid them in getting away with
 their silly vaporings.
 There isn't a sign in the heavens,
 the waters or the earth that does not
 shout "thought" in loud tones. Ev-
 erywhere, on every side, in big and
 little things, in every activity of
 life, there is evidence of big think-
 ing. More than ever in the history
 of the world is thought employed at
 the present moment, and it is not the
 thought of a few but of all.
 Brains are given mankind and
 they are employed to full capacity,
 or in proportion. Under-thought is
 little known. Over-thought means
 the mad-house.
 Life is and always has been filled
 with emergencies. In 99 cases out
 of the hundred, and due to thought,
 those emergencies have been met
 successfully. In all cases wherein
 they were not met, elements beyond
 human control prevented.
 It is the prattling fool who, look-
 ing about him at the wonders of the
 present that are due to human
 brains and thought, still insists that
 men are mentally inadequate and
 deficient.—Fort Worth Press.
 The government's final crop esti-
 mate for September 25 will be is-
 sued October 2 and it may show a
 condition under 50 per cent with an
 indicated yield below 10,500,000
 bales, or a total including the carry-
 over, of 13,000,000 bales or even
 less, of American cotton to last until
 the next crop is ready for market.
 The outlook is for a cotton famine
 before late summer 1924 unless all
 signs fail, and a forecast of 30 cents
 for December cotton before it be-
 comes the spot month—does not now
 seem out of the range of probability.
 Note the specimens of farm, gar-
 den and orchard products wanted for
 the exhibit we are to send to the Dal-
 last Fair and help make Howard
 County's exhibit a winner by bring-
 ing in the best products raised on
 your farm. Everyone must assist if
 Howard County has a prize winning
 exhibit to send to the fair.
 The fathers used to burn midnight
 oil and the sons and daughters are
 now burning midnight gasoline.
 Goggles: Protect your eyes
 against the glare.....
 Cunningham & Philips.
 J. F. Hair left Monday night for
 a business trip to El Paso.

First State Bank

Big Spring, Texas

Statement of the Condition as Reported to the State Bank Commissioner at
 the Close of Business Sept. 14, 1923

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$492,973.19	Capital.....\$ 35,000.00
Cotton Acceptances.....10,190.25	Certified Surplus Earned.....35,000.00
Other Real Estate.....5,385.60	Undivided Profits.....32,305.13
Livestock.....5,970.69	Due to Banks and Bankers.....NONE
Banking House and Fixtures.....10,269.00	Borrowed Money.....NONE
Int. & Ass'ts. in Guaranty Fund.....19,736.26	DEPOSITS.....544,363.31
CASH.....103,103.54	
\$646,668.44	\$646,668.44

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Wisconsin Farms Make Most Money
 Shall the land owners of Our
 Country be made objects of political
 sympathy, and be patronized and
 pampered and pauperized into crea-
 tures that are the objects of soli-
 tude by state and nation along
 paternalistic lines? Aided by state
 and federal loans, state and federal
 marketing of their crops, and bene-
 ficiaries of special class legislation—
 all the dreams of socialism and com-
 munist leading them like will-of-the-
 wisp into quagmires of dependency,
 will they remain the proud tillers of
 the soil and the economic backbone
 of the nation?
 That seems to be the issue before
 them. When the calls came for
 liberty loans to finance our part in
 the world war the farmers carried
 the credit of their class high on the
 subscribers lists—were the lending
 class—and now within a few years
 after the war we are told they are
 almost in the dependent class, with
 no profit in their occupation, gradu-
 ally being ground into the earth by
 the middlemen and the victims of
 banking conspiracies that are to rob
 them of their homes and send them
 all into pauper's graves. Who can
 believe the picture drawn by the
 peddlers of political pessimism en-
 gendered by the world war? The
 sturdy land owners get half their
 living off the land, pay no house
 rent, and buy more motorcars than
 any other class? The entire picture
 of gloom drawn about the wheat
 growers and others is knocked in the
 head by the report of farm conditions
 in Wisconsin, where political agita-
 tion reaches the high water mark.
 A Chicago Tribune special from
 Janesville, August 11, says:
 In Wisconsin, the premier dairy
 state, the "economic status" of the
 average farmer is perhaps the best
 of all the farming states of the
 Mississippi valley. Milk prices are
 accounted the barometer of prosper-
 ity in these parts, and so far this
 year milk has been bringing the
 dairymen 49 cents a hundredweight
 more than it did last year. In June,
 1922, it was running \$1.44 a hun-

dredweight, while this last June the
 latest available figures show the av-
 erage farm price was \$1.93, an in-
 crease of about one-third.
 If prices keep up, the milk produc-
 ed in Wisconsin will bring the far-
 mer at least \$70,000,000 more this
 year than in 1921. The cows are
 producing ten tons every minute, day
 and night, throughout the year. In
 Wisconsin, which has been the leader
 in diversified farming, about 80 per
 cent of the gross farm income comes
 from livestock products, and the
 farm value of milk continues 55 to
 60 per cent of the total livestock
 production, so the reports of the de-
 partment of agriculture show. Among
 the crops, wheat has lapsed into an
 almost negligible factor. Its farm
 value in this state last year was only
 about \$3,000,000 as contrasted with
 \$62,000,000 for corn and \$39,000,-
 000 for oats and \$69,000,000 for all
 tame hay. The tobacco crop was
 worth three times as much as the
 wheat yield; potatoes brought in
 four times as much as wheat, pota-
 toes being a leading cash crop; bar-
 ley and rye have outstripped wheat,
 and so has alfalfa. Canning peas
 alone brought in a million dollars
 more than wheat. Wisconsin grows
 nearly half the nation's canning
 peas. Output has such a wide vari-
 ety that the ups and downs of
 prices leave Wisconsin agriculture on
 an improved basis over last year.
 Similar conditions prevail in the
 dairy sections of Iowa and Kansas.
 —Industrial News Bureau.
 As we stated before—all kind of
 fakirs knowing that a good cotton
 crop is being made in Howard Coun-
 ty will be here to take money from
 the unwary. Be slow to take in the
 bunk of these fakirs. They are not
 here to give you something for noth-
 ing but rather to get your hard ear-
 ned coin and give you nothing in re-
 turn. Look out for them.

Our Country Not Doing So Bad
 Here are ten production records
 that have been established in indus-
 try during the last few months:
 The largest pig iron production;
 The largest cotton production;
 The largest steel ingot production;
 The largest crude oil production;
 The largest automobile and truck
 production;
 The largest residential construc-
 tion;
 The largest construction of loco-
 motives;
 The largest volume of mail-order
 sales;
 The largest volume of retail sales;
 The largest volume of railroad
 car loadings;
 Important changes that have taken
 place in the United States since the
 pre-war year of 1913 are:
 The population of the United
 States has increased fourteen mil-
 lions of people, with their enlarged
 requirements.
 The annual national income has in-
 creased from thirty-four billion, to
 fifty billion.
 The aggregate savings deposits
 have increased from six billion to
 fourteen billion dollars. Industrial
 News Bureau.
Don't Take a Chance
 Is your property protected from
 loss by fire? If not you are assum-
 ing a heavy risk. You know what
 an uphill task it was to save the
 money to build a home or invest in
 business. It would be an even hard-
 er task to save enough to rebuild or
 recoup your losses if fire should de-
 stroy your property and you had no
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 year. Until the boll weevil made its
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McNew made a business
Brownfield, Monday.
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visitor here last Friday.
Mrs. Greenbaum and R. W.
were the guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Brannon at Lamesa last
Friday.
Mrs. Frank Wynn returned last
Sunday morning from a visit in Fort
Worth. Her granddaughter, Clara
Lee Jones, accompanied her to this
city for a visit.

Texas Weekly Industrial Review

Houston — Houston Compress Company opens new \$1,500,000 warehouse on ship channel.
Eastland — Erection of casing-head gasoline plant on Miller lease planned.
Dallas — Guiberson Corporation plants to have additions and improvements costing \$500,000.
San Benita — \$40,000 dredging contract let for ditch through Wilson tract.
Dallas — Lone Star Gas Company running \$1,300,000 line into Ranger-Eastland field.
Luling — Cora Malone No. 1 well brought in with initial flow of 3000 barrels.
Franklin — Western Service Corporation takes over control of municipal electric light plant.
Alvin — Texas Orchards Company to spend \$1,200,000 developing 6000-acre fig tract.
Dallas — Texas Power & Light Company to build 150-mile transmission line costing \$750,000.
Palestine — \$3,000,000 now available for construction of paved highways throughout county.
Sherman — Improvements costing \$25,000 under way at Kidd-Key College and Conservatory.
El Paso — Twelve local business men underwrite cotton mill project for \$500,000.

Cotton will go to 30 cents. The crop is short, the mills are running, the carry-over from last year is low. Mills now operate successfully and profitably at Austin, Belton, Bonham, Brenham, Beaumont, Channel, Corsicana, Cuero, Dallas, Denison, El Paso, Fort Worth, Gonzales, Hillsboro, Houston, Itasca, Kingsville, McKinney, New Braunfels, Paris, Pittsburg, Post, San Antonio, Southton, Sugarland, Taylor, Waco, and Waxahachie. (Sherman Chronicle.)

Bowie — Local poultry farm ships \$600,000 worth of chicks to world's markets in year.

Wylie — Modern street lighting system installed.

Laredo — 1,350 bales cotton ginned to date.

Lufkin — Extensive improvements made in electric light and water plants.

Denton — Telephone company completes extensive improvements.

Ballinger — Capacity of water system practically doubled.

Wichita Falls — New \$4,500,000 water system completed and in operation.

Aspermont — New light and power plant under construction to be completed by October 1st.

Sherman — Municipal Gas Company completes improvements costing \$43,000.

Greenville — Plans underway to increase capacity of city water plant.

Austin — 30,000,000 gals. gasoline used in July netted state \$300,000.00.

West Columbus — Rice crop making excellent showing.

Beaumont — New office building nearly completion.

Galveston — One-man street cars added to equipment of electric railway.

Houston Heights — Ornamental street lighting system to be installed.

San Antonio — Ten new street cars ordered for use in this city.

Galveston — Gas company increases facilities.

Fort Worth — Strong cooperation by counties in Southwest Texas has gone long way toward ultimate tick eradication.

Thorndale — Texas Power & Light Company establishes local office.

Brenham — More than 10,000 bales of cotton ginned in Washington County this season.

New Braunfels — New 10,000-spindle cotton mill begins operations.

Waco — Construction of \$250,000 dyeing and finishing mill soon to be under way.

Notice—Auto Owners
Gasoline, lube, spark plugs, globes for headlights, cement and patches for inner tubes, blowout boots and other auto accessories—always ready for you. LLOYD'S GARAGE on West Third street. 49-tf

Cotton farmers, just now, are very anxious to have sunshine and fine weather so they can gather their cotton crop. We have had two rains the past week and threatening weather has been hovering about all week. It rained last Saturday morning from 1 to 6 a. m. and early Sunday morning more rain fell in many parts of the county. These were slow, steady rains and occasioned no damage to cotton.

STOP THAT ITCHING
Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburns, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by

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In biliousness, constipation, headaches and indigestion, and in a great variety of liver, stomach and kidney troubles calomel was the most successful remedy, but its use was often neglected on account of its sickening qualities. Now it is the easiest and most pleasant of medicines to take. One Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No taste, no griping, no nausea, no salts. A good night's sleep and the next morning you are feeling fine, with a clean liver, a purified system and a big appetite. Eat what you please. No danger.

Calotabs are sold only in original, sealed packages, price thirty-five cents for the large, family package; ten cents for the small, trial size. Your druggist is authorized to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be thoroughly delighted with Calotabs. (Advertisement 41-13t).

Safe Road Lighting of Next Decade

"Legislate against the glaring headlight fiend," says the motorist. But legislation doesn't cure the evils of glare, mainly because the law which cuts down the glare so it is "safe" also cuts down the light so much that its use is unsafe.

Comparatively speaking, glareless lights can be, and are made, but their use requires a scientific adjustment of the lens, reflector and lamp, each to each and the whole to the running, plane of the car. Such an adjustment does not remain permanent; variations in tire pressure alter it, and jars, jolts and looseness of parts alter the relations of the lamp and reflector.

For the present, better designs of lenses, greater strictness in regulations as to tilt of headlights, and newer and better designs of headlights must be depended upon to minimize, if not to cure the evil. But in the future, the complete cure will come in lighted highways.

A hundred years ago cities were unlighted, or, if lighted at all, were very poorly illuminated. In thousands of small towns today the street lamps are so few and far between that the neighbor pays his evening visit equipped with a lantern. Yet our cities are well lighted; so well lighted that the "glare" trouble of headlights is easily solved by forbidding, in cities, any but signal headlights.

Exactly as the Post Office Department maintains beacons to guide its mail fliers at night, so will the National Government eventually light its national highways at night. With the volume of traffic which will inevitably flow over national highways between great centers, it will be more economical to light them from the side, than to permit the motorist to light his own section of the road with an illumination which causes accidents.

Hemstitching 7 1-2 Cents Per Yard.

Am prepared to do hemstitching for 7 1-2 cents per yard and guarantee work to be satisfactory in every way. Workroom opposite postoffice—open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Phone 209. Mrs. Chas. Eberley. 40-tf.

Howard County land is now in demand and most anyone who wishes to dispose of his agricultural land can sell it this fall if he will put anything like a reasonable price on same. West Texas is going to be the dependable cotton section of Texas and Howard County is one of the best cotton producing counties in West Texas. Ask the men who came here from East Texas and who have been raising cotton here for a number of years. They wouldn't trade their farms here for Central, East or North Texas farms under any circumstances if they expected to continue raising cotton. Just watch the number of new settlers who purchased farms in the Big Spring country during the coming months.

Eat at the Best Place

Shorty Baird's is the best place to get what you want to eat, prepared the way you like it. Chili and Short Orders always on tap. Bar Chocolate and Candies, Cigars and Tobacco on sale. Come and see us. 29-tf

Snyder had a costly fire last week. A large frame building occupied by a produce and poultry house was destroyed by fire and a building occupied by a feed store was damaged.

Plumbing and Stove Repairing
Johnson will do your plumbing and repair work—will do it right and do it for less. Phone 350. 44-tf. J. S. JOHNSON.

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OCTOBER 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13

SAN ANGELO

MONSTER SPEED PROGRAM
HORSE RACING—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday. 20 evening races for \$3,000 purses.
AUTOMOBILE RACES—Thursday and Saturday. Fastest drivers in West. \$2,000 in purses.
GREAT SPORT EVENTS
POLO—Three game series, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.
CALF ROPING—Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
FOOTBALL—Saturday morning.
WORLD SERIES baseball games to be played on giant board in front of grandstand.
BRILLIANT SHOWS
 Every night, Monday.—Vanity Fair Hotel, Real Wedding, Vaudeville.
 Tuesday.—Horse Show, Vaudeville, Wrestling, "Fitz Nite", Wrestling, Box Boxing bouts, Battle Royal, Vaudeville.
 Thursday.—Beautiful Style Show, Vaudeville.
 Friday.—Daring Cowboy Sports, Vaudeville.
 Saturday.—Extravaganza, "Tut! Tut! King Tut!" and Vaudeville.
 John T. Wortham Shows on the new midway at Fair Grounds every night. 7 big rides, 22 high class shows, myriads of attractions.

\$6,000 IN LIVESTOCK PREMIUMS
 The Sheep and Goat Division has been made the official 1923 show of the Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association of Texas. \$2,100 in Sheep and Goat premiums.
 Best Beef Cattle in Texas will be at San Angelo.
 Annual Feeder Calf Sale of Concho Hereford Association, 2 days.
 Annual Sale of Texas Hereford Breeders Association, Friday, Oct. 12. Horse Show featuring Cow, Polo and Cavalry type horses.
COMMUNITY & COUNTY EXHIBITS
 Larger premiums, more entries. A truly wonderful display of West Texas products.
POULTRY PREMIUMS NEARLY DOUBLED
 The premier Poultry Show of West Texas.
TEXTILE, ART, CULINARY, FLOWERS
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ALL-WEST-TEXAS EXPOSITION

SPRING HERALD BY JORDAN & HAYDEN

ONE YEAR IN COUNTY ONE YEAR OUTSIDE COUNTY

and as second class matter at Postoffice, Big Spring, Texas, Act of Congress, Mar. 8, 1897.

Spring, Friday, Sept. 28, 1923

Folks, No Use Talking

No use talking about it any more. We have simply gone crazy about the thing of having folks salaam to folks and sign on the dotted line.

Here comes one to be heard, though, that "covered" Nelson, the comman, who affirms and only three classes of people in the country are required to take an oath to support the constitution, and they are officers, lawyers and those seeking citizenship.

They are proposing that every man shall be required to periodically swear before some one (Pray, whom?) his allegiance to the constitution, and to be dealt with as if he passes the flag without saluting his hat or saluting it.

Do not forget that the least loyalty to the constitution today is lived by those who "swear they will support the constitution!"

Not the most loyal and devoted citizen in your asking him if he is for his heart that the mere intimation that you doubt it cuts him to the heart, and he feels a hurt which often heals, only to leave a canker spot on his loyalty.

Like love and pleasure, you must have each loyalty as loyalty: it is a product of associations which are above board and characterized by self-respecting service.

A nation goes to finding its loyalty of its people in class with another—only suffering tolerance baptized in the spirit of Master would rather die on his own than suffer one of these to be an injustice, will ever destroy and distrust, and renew a love for their government, that can serve people into loyalty; that has never secured loyalty.

Initiative

Initiative is knowing what to do and being told," says Eibert.

Initiative is the highest-paid human virtue, and the rarest.

Initiative is the lowest-paid human effort, and is the com-

monest.

We observed four men at work recently. One, who draws four dollars a day, was standing with his hands folded as three others leisurely shoveled the dirt in around concrete foundations.

The man with folded arms was there to tell the other three where to shovel the dirt. He had a degree of initiative. The other three were seemingly without initiative. They were getting about \$1.50 a day. Their lack of initiative cost them at least \$1.33 a piece a day, for the manager could have afforded to pay those three shovelers of dirt the additional \$4.00 a day, which would have increased each's wages to \$2.83 per day, if they had possessed sufficient initiative to go out and do the right thing without being constantly directed.

If all men would cultivate initiative, these men who must stand with folded arms and watch a few laborers work would not be out of a job; they would have a higher and better and more remunerative job.

Labor, like business, begets labor, and the begotten is largely true to type—if it is common and unskilled labor, it begets common and unskilled labor; if it is skilled labor, it begets skilled labor.

Then as I build the man under me into a better and more skillful laborer, I automatically elevate my own and improve its quality. — Texas Commercial News.

East Texas Won't Be Fair About Taxation Unless Compelled To

County assessor Frank D. Scotten, Jr., and the assessors of three other West Texas counties are to meet as a tax equalization commission at Wichita Falls, October 3 to 5. The commission's purpose will be to work out a plan which may result in a law to equalize taxes over the state.

West Texas counties pay into the state treasury a great deal more money than they get back. Ninety-three counties in thickly settled east Texas keep reducing their own assessments and drawing larger sums from the state treasury to cover their school and other deficits.

Ninety-nine counties in east Texas received \$9,733,000 more than they paid into the state treasury. In justice, their own taxes should have been high enough to make that unnecessary. Meanwhile West Texas counties pay out 50 per cent more than they get back.

This is an evil condition that has occasioned long and loud complaint from West Texas, but complaint has never done any good.

East Texas counties which are getting fat by milking West Texas regularly will not let go of a good thing if they can help it. Just so long as we continue to stand for this treatment they will make us stand for it.

They have the voting strength and the legislative strength so much in excess of that of West Texas that they have defeated every move that has been made for an equitable distribution of the tax burden.

Point out to them the injustice of the thing, and they are not interested. Show them that it is an economic error to place the larger burden of taxes on the younger portion of the State, more sparsely settled, more undeveloped, less able to bear such a burden, and they are not impressed.

East Texas counties enjoy their sinecure and intend to keep on enjoying it. Every East Texas legislator will vote against tax equalization until doomsday—unless he is scared out of it.

If West Texas counties flatly refused to be gouged any further, if they followed the East Texas example and cut their assessments and tax rates down to ground level (something which new counties with much development work can hardly do) or if they convinced East Texas they were about to take action on their oft-made threat to withdraw and set up a new state, there might be some chance of obtaining justice. Not otherwise.

And, as things are at present, every time we build a road, erect a public building, or make any kind of an improvement that reflects itself in a higher county tax rate, we are gouged just that much more on state taxation for the benefit of an older and less progressive county in East Texas.

We can expect fair play from East Texas when we go after it with a legal club. — El Paso Herald

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Ivory Furniture

Ivory bed-room suites—\$104.50 to \$225.
 W. R. Purser & Sons.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricker left Wednesday for a visit in Lamesa and Lubbock.

Editorial

The Measure of Greatness is the Capacity to Guide with Gentleness

Jack Drunk on a Little Temporary Power

America used to be a democracy, with certain rights guaranteed under the Constitution. Of late the people have sat supinely by, in State after State, and permitted the demagogue to grasp the reins of power. The result has been an abuse of authority to a point where the business of the country has been undermined, and now the very liberties of the people seem to be involved.

Perhaps the most striking example of the dangers in this growing tendency to dictatorship in place of government by law, is found in the brazen Russianizing of Oklahoma under the rule of Governor Jack Walton, who, drunk with a little temporary power, rides roughshod over the rights of the people, rules one county by Martial Law, suspends the writ of habeas corpus, and, finally, brings his blustering rule to a climax by condescending to say he will withdraw his troops from Tulsa, providing the city and county officials resign their offices and presumably let Jack appoint their successors. The officials, of course, were elected by the people, and they can be removed by the people, if the people wish. Governor Walton should be brought sharply to book, and made to realize that he is the servant and not the master of the populace.

History tells the same story wherever self-proclaimed "champions of the people" get into the saddle. They ride over liberty almost as soon as they feel their power. Napoleon was the greatest example of the popular hero gone mad. Mussolini, of more recent date, rides with the same high hand, in a more restricted field. Walton crushes the constitution under his iron heel and shows the same despotic tendency in the smaller unit of a State. The people of Oklahoma will not remain hypnotized or cowed by any official bully. There are reports of a movement of the legislature to convene spontaneously with a view to impeaching the Governor. The sooner the better. What happens in Oklahoma within the next month or two, will prove whether the American people, particularly in some of the Western States, have surrendered their right to freedom and liberty of expression through their paid and chosen servants, or whether the spirit of the Fathers still courses through their veins. Eternal vigilance is still the price of peace. Unless the American people awaken to their danger, the grip of the despot will be hard to throw off.

With the present Governor of Oklahoma it's a case of Jack getting drunk on a little temporary power.

Prohibition has stomped some sin. Old age will take care of the rest—entirely indy, so let us be hopeful of the world.

Industrial workers and others incur innumerable loss and discomfort to the farmers when they go on strike. We wonder what would happen if the farmers were to put the shoe on the other foot. The world would be on its head in forty days. What would the coal workers say if they did that? What if they put the shoe on the...

Punchettes



IDLENESS

No man has the right to be idle. Six days thou shalt work. It is a direct command resting upon every individual. There are no conditions, circumstances or positions in life which authorize one to spend his time in idleness.

The fact that an individual is rich does not excuse him from labor. Every man, regardless of his wealth, his position, his possessions or his power, should be made to labor every day in the week. For one to fold his hands in idleness and leave his brain unoccupied is to make of himself a nuisance and an incubator of evil.

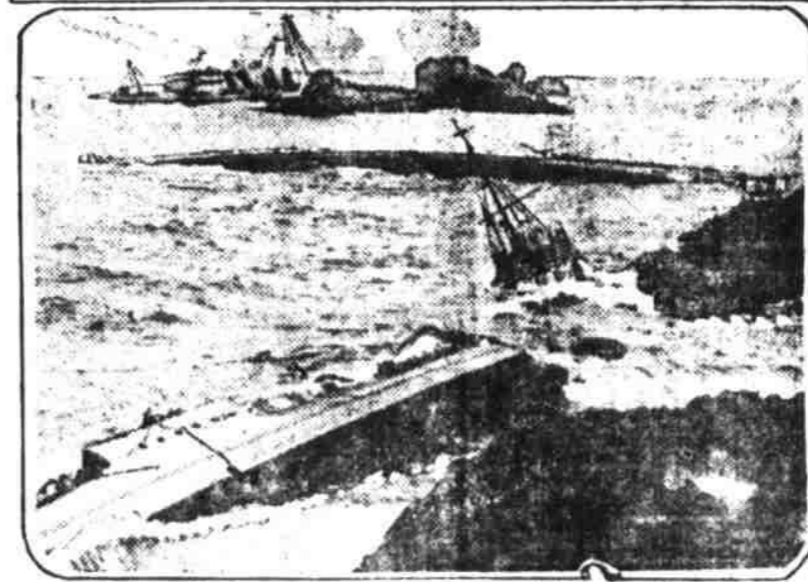
The amusement craze of today is the direct evolution of idleness. There are so many idle men and idle women that it has been possible to build up great amusement enterprises. The idleness of people is being exploited by the avaricious.

The breaking down of society is another evolution of idleness. Idle women, no home duties, no children to care for, no domestic labor to perform, transforms them into dangerous social factors. They become the agents, or they become the objects of every vicious design and device.

Take the young boys and the young girls with idle hands. Idle brains, and unoccupied time. They become the agents of the Devil, and expensive nuisances to society. The aged men and women with nothing to occupy their time or employ their hands become a burden to themselves and a sorrow to all around them.

Idleness curses youth, damns the middle aged and brings sorrow and premature death to the aged. Idleness fills the dens of dissipation, crowds the pool rooms, occupies the parks, litters up the streets, and brings the venues of traffic. Idleness is the worst enemy the world has.

Wrecked U. S. Destroyers on Rocks



This remarkable photograph shows four of the seven U. S. destroyers smashing to pieces on the rocks off Point Honda, Cal., where they ran aground in a fog in one of the most unusual catastrophes of the sea. Twenty-three lives were lost—while more than seven hundred gobs and officers were being saved through heroic efforts.

First Arrivals from Japanese Quake



Mrs. Don Tintling, wife of the agent of the Admiral Oriental Line at Yokohama, grabbed her daughter Yvonne from the cradle in Yokohama as the first quake was felt and fled to the S.S. President Jefferson in the harbor. They arrived at Seattle September 15.

Ordered Martial Law in Oklahoma



Gov. J.O. (Jack) Walton of Oklahoma, who placed his entire state under martial law to suppress dogging, also forbade a special and extraordinary session of the State legislature which would impeach him. He has been severely criticized by newspapers.

Crosses Atlantic in 30 ft. Boat



Alain J. Gerbault, French tennis star, left France April 5, alone in a 30-foot boat. For 142 days, battling storms, fever, thirst and hunger, he sailed West, arriving at New York September 17. His feat is history in ocean sailing. He was often without sleep three and four days at a time. Now he says he will sail the Pacific.

Gus E. Swanson, a geologist for the Texas Company, was a business visitor here last Friday.

H. Stanley of Dallas, a representative of the Dallas Times Herald, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Wilbur Matthews left last week for Austin where he attends the University of Texas.

John Quinn leaves this week to resume his course at Leland Stanford University.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Dunway of Carlsbad, N. M., spent Sunday in Big Spring.

Living-room suites, \$125 to \$225— you will be delighted with these. W. R. Purser & Sons.

Mrs. W. B. Hardy returned Tuesday from a visit at Haskell, Seymour and other points in that section of Texas.

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