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100 Howard County Folks to San Angelo May 21-22-23

DRM SWEEPS JOINING CONUTY

Are Dead and One Hundred

of the worst storms in the his- West Texas plowed its way the southern portion of Mitchell early Monday morning leav- with and desolation in its wake. storm originating southwest of County in a northeasterly leaving a plainly marked Fences, trees, windmills, poles, etc. were torn and into splinters where this passed along.

Mitchell County the home S. Shelton, seven miles south. Westbrook was completely. Mrs. Shelton was killed her members of the family injured. The storm continued way thru the thickly settled country south of Colorado until near Lorraine when it the T. & P. railway in a direction, destroying every- its path.

storm hit about 5 a. m. Monday but it was several hours the citizens of Colorado or any points nearby learned that a death toll had been exacted; citizenship of Colorado was when it was learned that the of dead might be from 20 to the number of injured ap- one hundred.

for doctors and nurses were all nearby towns. highway officials attached a car to a fast fruit train at a. m. to convey physicians, and others from Big Spring to the rescue work. Those going city took large supplies of bandages, splints, plaster of and were prepared to do in their power to aid. Ar- Colorado they were taken to St. Church where the bulk injured had been brought and G. T. Hall in charge, opera- immediately started and the afternoon wounds were and suffering alleviated. The of Colorado had their all attending to the wounded sanitarium and private resi- well as answering calls to

thru which the storm later in the afternoon phys- nurses from many towns to assist in the work. who sent to Colorado to as- the rescue work state that inadequate to describe the of this storm. In some in- an entire family wiped out, a little child was the only in some instances a woman wounded would go almost when unable to locate her who wounded would be cry- for a mother claimed by father near death trying to the son who would not be because the mother was the little girl had a nail driv- thru her head; splinters thru others. One man from a broken neck; a broken back, faces torn recognition, an ear torn off others with crushed skulls, and twisted limbs, discolored and children found to claim them. These of the horrible things the encountered. Bodies broken and human suffering is seldom called upon to

owing went to Colorado to assistance: Dr. G. T. Hall, Mrs. Dr. T. M. Collins, S. Watkins, Mrs. J. J. Hair, Nell Hatch, Miss Mary Mor- James Currie, K. E. Fabrice, Mrs. M. D. Stover, John O. H. Morris, Tom Bly, L. Lester Fisher, Chas. Shoite, Mrs. Raymond Nell. who had a mighty close call storm as it passed just five miles south of town, its path marked by uprooted trees, and phone lines. Roots were related as by a giant brought to the Chamber of Commerce to show what force

Mrs. I. C. Sheffield; Joe Richburg, and daughter, aged 17 years and 11-year-old son; Mrs. S. W. Shelton; Eleven year old daughter of Henry Tidwell; Oscar Hamby; Sherman Shelton, age 10 years; Baby son of Joe Anderson; Baby daughter of Jim Walker; Cosmo Rios, 12 1/2 years; Jesus Briones and 2 year old daughter.

The seriously injured include: Bessie N. Hines, Mrs. Emma Brindle, S. W. Shelton, Gertrude Shelton, Charles Shelton, Bennie Shelton, Marc- cut Gilliam, Gertrude Embury, Mrs. Oscar Hamby, Henry Graham and wife, Luther Gilliam, Tidwell Gracy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conway, Gertrude Hamby, Delbert Hamby, Alfred Hernandez and wife and three sons, Joe and Orrell Tidwell, Henry Tidwell, Cayetano Garcia, Della Pappin, Marlo and Franquella Lopez, Lucas Luzon, Teresa Martinez, Solomon Hernandez and two babies, Anita and Rosa Lopez, A. Delegado, Louis Segobia, Refugio Morales, Angel Deigado, Pedro Pelocio and child, Catronia Lara, Maria Grado, Juana Contreras, Callstro Rios, Martina Rios, Antonio Alvarez, Louisa Rocha, Ricardo Sante- steban, Antonio Santeestaban, Esther Santeestaban, Ricardo Santeestaban, Antonio and Juana Rios, Catrina Alvarez, Teresa Rocha, a boy identified as "Hobbs boy," Mrs. H. J. Standifer and two daughters, Grady Standifer and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Anderson daughter and two sons, Mrs. Jim Walker, two sons of W. E. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carlock, Margaret and Edwin Carlock and Miss Hoffman

Twelve of the storm victims were buried at Colorado Tuesday after- noon, the public schools, banks, stores and offices closing for the funeral services and there was never a sudden funeral rite observed in that little city.

Following the funeral services, a mass meeting was held to raise funds to assist in caring for the storm vic- tims and \$6000 was speedily raised to meet urgent needs. From \$50,000 to \$100,000 will be needed to handle the situation and every community in Texas should contribute to a relief fund and do so immediately.

The Howard County Chapter of Red Cross forwarded \$200. The American Legion \$150 and the Elks Lodge \$100 Wednesday, and a general relief fund is now being raised in our county and everyone is urged to donate liberally.

Bert Belcher Claimed by Death
Bert Belcher, prominent Gaines County cattleman, and perhaps one of the most widely known men on the Plains of Texas, died at a sanitarium in Lubbock Thursday, May 10. Mr. Belcher was a pioneer of note, not only in Texas, but throughout the United States, being one of the first to settle in the western part of Texas. In his younger days he was possessed of an adventurous spirit, and made several trips into the heart of Africa, where he learned animal nature in its original form, and was conceded at one time as one of the best judges of livestock in the United States.

During the last few years he has been engaged in the cattle business in West Texas, sustaining heavy losses both financially and physically, especially during the past two years when his health began to fail him. He has been connected and in intimate touch with the development of West Texas since his early youth. His wife and children and his mother were at his bedside when the end came—Lubbock Avalanche.

CHAUTAUQUA OPENS MAY 26

Big Seven Day Program of Lectures, Music and Entertainments to be Best Ever

Everything is being arranged for the Redpath-Horner Chautauqua which is to hold a seven-day enter- tainment program under canvas in Big Spring beginning Saturday, May 26th. Entertainments will be held each afternoon at 8 o'clock and each night at 8 o'clock, every day except Sunday. A union service will be held at the tent Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. No program Sunday night. The famous comedy-drama, "Potash and Perlmutter" will be presented Monday morning, May 28th at 10 o'clock. On Saturday afternoon May 26th at 3 o'clock everyone reading outside the city limits of Big Spring will be the guests of the Chautauqua com- mittee. Tickets of admission may be secured at any store in Big Spring or any of the banks. You can secure one for every member of your family without charge or without any strings attached. For this occasion an extra fine program has been arranged. There will be a concert by the Mont- rose Entertainers and a lecture by Homer C. Boblett. He lectures on "Is Farming a Business?" and his lecture is one you will appreciate. Come and bring the folks.

May 26th, Saturday night's pro- gram—Concert by Moutrose Entertainers and entertainment by Jess Pugh, humorist. Sunday morning—Union Services; Prelude, Mildred Mahan; Lecture, Oney Fred Sweet—great newspaper reporter. Sunday night—no program. Sunday afternoon—Union services; Comedy-Drama, Potash and Perlmutter, a tremendously funny comedy you can't help but enjoy. Monday afternoon—Concert, Irene Stolofsky, and supporting artists. Monday night—Concert, Irene Stolofsky and company and lecture by Chester M. Sanford, educator and author. Tuesday afternoon—Concert, Marion Male Quartette. Tuesday night—Concert, Marion Male Quartette and Wonders of Elec- tricity and Radio by that great wizard Glenn Morris. Wednesday afternoon—Entertain- ment by Al Baker, ventriloquist and magician. Wednesday night—Comedy drama, the Prince Chap. A play rich in heart interest; ran for an entire season in blame New York. Thursday afternoon—Music, Kath- erine M. Foster; entertainment, Youna the Juggler; Children's entertainment and demonstration. Thursday night—Recital, Edna Swanson Ver Haar, and lecture, Sen- ator Pat Harrison. Friday afternoon, June 1st—Con- cert, Quartette of Singers selected from cast of "Cousin Mary" and lecture, Count M. T. Yamamoto. Friday night—Comedy opera, "Cousin Mary," with super cast, includ- ing these stars: Ada Roach, Stanley Deacon, Margaret Owen, Ruth Free- man, and Fred Carney. The boys and girls part in Chautau- qua. This year you are to have a time you will never forget. First there is the Junior town. Then we are going into the manufacturing business and at the end of Chautau- qua we will have a big exposition to exhibit our products. Every boy and girl is to manufacture something for this show and the grown-up folks are going to sit up and take notice. Of course there will be story hours and play hours will be held just the same as ever. All young folks are invited to join us.

Help Improve Mt. Olive Cemetery
Every citizen who has a loved one buried in Mt. Olive cemetery should take an active part in the effort that is being put forth to beautify and en- large the last resting place of our dead. It is necessary that all interested pay regular dues to the Cemetery As- sociation if we are to continue to have the services of a sexton. It is absolutely necessary to secure more land. It is essential that a stock- proof fence be built so that rabbits and other livestock cannot destroy the flowers, shrubs and trees that are planted. It requires money to secure these improvements. It would not be a burden if each and everyone would donate a little and pay dues regular- ly. It's not asking too much of any- one to donate as liberally as they feel able to do. Mt. Olive cemetery is much more attractive than in the days gone by and it should be a pleasure for us to continue to make improvements there. If you have been careless about pay- ing dues to the Cemetery Association, make a resolution to be regular in the payment hereafter and aid in the improvement of the cemetery.

McCoy-Mott
At the home of the bride at 10 o'clock Sunday night, May 13th Rev. W. D. Green performed the ceremony which united in the holy bonds of mat- rimony Lawrence McCoy and Miss Theda Mott, two of our well known and popular young people. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mott, has grown to womanhood in this county and is loved and esteemed by a wide circle of warm friends. For a number of years past Miss Mott has been a popular and efficient teacher in the Big Spring High School. The groom is one of our dependable and successful farmers residing four miles north of Big Spring. We join many friends in extending to this worthy couple best wishes for a full measure of happiness, the re- ward of an ideal married life.

Stores to Close Wednesday, May 23rd
All general stores and banks in Big Spring will be closed through all of Wednesday, May 23, in order that we may send a big delegation to represent Big Spring and Howard County in the parade to be staged by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. If you haven't decided to go to San Angelo with the delegation, please take note of the stores being closed, secure all necessary supplies a day or so in advance and avoid any incon- venience. Remember the stores and banks will be closed all day, Wednesday, May 23. V. E. Compton enroute from Eldo- rado, Ark. and Breckenridge, Texas, to El Paso, spent Thursday in this city.

Reserve Seat Sale Saturday
Misses Nell Hatch and Mary John- son who will be in charge of the sale of reserve seats for Chautauqua will remain at the office of the Chamber of Commerce until 8 p. m. Saturday night in order that everyone who de- sires to do so may secure their re- serve seats. Gordon Phillips last week purchas- ed of Floyd Dodson his home place on Johnson street. This is an excep- tionally nice residence and Mr. and Mrs. Phillips expect to take possession of their new home in the next few days.

The Glacier to Gulf Highway

That the Glacier to Gulf Highway may be in the best of condition and contribute its share to the enjoyment of tourists from the Northwest into Texas and return during the summer motoring travel, two Marking Crews, which have been busy for the past thirty days marking and mapping this highway from Brownsville to Glacier National Park, will complete the marking work in Texas during the coming month and will move into Colorado where headquarters will be established in Denver until the entire work is completed. George D. Marshall, former state and federal highway engineer and expert, with the Glacier to Gulf High- way, is now on an inspection trip over the highway from San Antonio to Denver and is compiling data on the exact location of the highway and rendering assistance to the various sections through which it passes in the matter of estimating costs of con- structions, relocation of roadways where necessary, etc. Route maps and a directory of the highway through Texas will be pub- lished during the coming month as E. Reddick has now completed about half the work involved in compiling data to be used and is now working into the Panhandle section and compiling records on that section which he hopes to finish before June 1st. This Highway passes thru Big Spring.

Oil Development SLOW BUT SURE
Expect to Bring in Enders-Cushing Soon—Work on Other Tests Going Forward
Oil Activity in Mitchell County
The Nat Smith well No. 1, six miles west of Colorado is now drilling past 2825 feet. A good showing of oil was encountered in this test at 2817 feet. The California Company is waiting for cement to barrel in Richardson No. 1, at 3805, before resuming drill- ing. This company's second test, the E. Morrison No. 1, in the Westbrook section is drilling below 1817 feet. The Underwriters Company is set- ting a packer in their E. Morrison No. 3 at 2006 feet. The Crawford No. 1 of the Gulf Pro- duction Company is drilling below 2462 feet. The Looney well on the Marcus Snyder ranch is drilling below 2980. A good oil showing was recently en- countered in this well. Steps are being made to begin de- velopment near the Badgett No. 1, the famous salt gusher, which has now blown itself out. The Colorado-Texas Consolidated Co. is fishing for tools in Foster No. 2. The Magnolia Co. is drilling below 3088 feet in their Foster No. 1. The following wells are showing production holding up: E. Smartt, 150 barrels; Le Sure, 60 barrels, and Coleman, 50 barrels, daily.

At the Enders-Cushing
The work at the Enders-Cushing well No. 1, twenty miles south of Big Spring, was held up a couple of days this week awaiting the arrival of a new elevator. But the task of lower- ing the five inch casing is now practi- cally completed. Owing to the Monday's storm de- stroying communications to the Cush- ing district we have been unable to get any late information. It was thought however, that the casing would be all in shape by Thursday evening or this morning so balling could be started. It was necessary to order a new string of tools to use inside the five inch casing and it is thought these will be here in time to start drilling as soon as it is known that the water has been shut-off. This cannot be determined until the balling has been completed. Everyone is interested in this test and eagerly await the outcome as it is believed that it is going to prove to be a good producer.

At McDowell No. 4
Work on McDowell well No. 4 has been held up this week on account of the illness of Valentine Day, chief driller in charge of operations. Mr. Day has been confined to his bed since last Friday due to a severe at- tack of rheumatism. Just before work was suspended the packer had been caught by the fishing tools and it is almost certain it can be readily recovered. As soon as Mr. Day is able to report the work will be resumed and little trouble is antici- pated in clearing this well. The men at work on this test say it is going to show to be an oil well and further development is assured for the Mc- Dowell section.

Fidelity Oil Company
The task of moving derrick material to location 18 miles southwest of Sterling City is now underway. The Fidelity Oil Co. plan to drill from one to four tests in that section.

Large Graduation Class
The 1923 Graduating Class of the Big Spring High School numbers thirty-nine, and is the largest class in the history of our school. Following is the list of graduates: Helen Hayden, Gladys Lloyd, Ruth Miller, Frances Sullivan, Grace Sulli- van, Miriam Kennedy, Pauline William- son, Laura Roberts, Berdie Shockley, Aline Crowley, Rubye Harwood, Maud Carter, Mildred Rogers, Mamie Padgett, Helen Creath, Loma Smith, Kathleen Pegues, Louise Weeg, Helen Wolcott, Vera Gilmore, Anna Agnell, Thelma O'Keefe, James Davis, Leo Forrest, William Bonner, Albert Allen, Irvin Frost, Rogers Hefley, John Horn, Wesley Line, John Little, Irvin Masters, Louise Mosley, Robert Lee Pike, Charles Stovall, Herbert Whitney, Bennie Willis, Morris Wil- liams, Buell Cardwell.

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Storm's Path South of Big Spring.
If you are unable to visualize the horrors of the storm that left death and desolation in its path thru Mit- chell County early last Monday morn- ing just make a trip five or six miles south of Big Spring; on the mountain road east of the water works prefer- ably. If you want to see a sight that will give you a jolt when you ponder over what a narrow escape we had from being wiped out by that storm. This cyclone which started in the McDowell pasture, near the southwest corner of Howard County traveled en- tirely across our county, destroying everything in its path, and continued on thru Mitchell County covering a distance of nearly seventy miles. Not a single house happened to be in its path thru this county whereas thirty homes were destroyed in Mitchell County. The path of the storm thru our county will be in evidence for years to come, and for stretches of ten miles can be seen as the made for a right- of-way. From a distance it appears that all trees and vegetation in a path of approximately one hundred yards had been burned; but on com- ing closer you can see that the trees etc. have been twisted and torn up by the roots, or twisted until practically all bark and foliage had been re- moved. It's almost impossible to imagine a force sufficient to twist and tear as is evident thruout every foot of the storm's pathway thru this and Mit- chell County. Large rocks sucked out of the ground, fence posts and telephone poles twisted off as though they were matches, livestock carried one half mile or more, were some of the things to be noted. To really appreciate what might have happened had the storm changed its course and swept thru Big Spring you need but make the trip out south of town and try to imagine homes being subjected to the force that tore up the deeply rooted trees and other vegetation. It's worth your while to see this, and many sightseers are being attracted to that point in large numbers. When you see this and realize how thankful we should be that we were fortunate to escape the horrors of such a storm you will not be back- ward in donating liberally to the storm sufferers of Mitchell County.

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AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF FOR HIRE OR SERVICE PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Big Spring, Texas, that the City Secretary shall be and is authorized to issue licenses for hire or public service passenger motor vehicle, or to exhibit on any motor service passenger motor vehicle, a "service car" or "for hire" sign, or any other sign of a like import or meaning, regardless as to whether or not said motor vehicle is hired or rented with or without a driver, without first having obtained from the City Secretary of the City of Big Spring a license as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. The license mentioned in the foregoing section shall be for a period of one year, and shall be obtained by the payment of Five Dollars to the City Secretary of the City of Big Spring, under the terms and conditions as hereinafter stated.

Section 3. Every person desiring to obtain a license to operate within the corporate limits of the City of Big Spring a "for hire" or a public service passenger motor vehicle shall make application therefor, in writing, accompanied with the affidavit of himself and the affidavits of two or more creditable persons, showing that the applicant has never been convicted of an offense involving moral turpitude, and that he or she is of good moral character and has a good reputation for being a peaceful and law abiding citizen, and if the City Council of the City of Big Spring is convinced from such affidavits and from what other evidence they may have, that the statements in said affidavits are true, such applicant shall be granted a license to operate a "for hire" or a public service passenger motor vehicle within the City Limits of the City of Big Spring.

Section 4. If, at any time, the City Council of the City of Big Spring should have what it considers satisfactory evidence that the driver or owner of any "for hire" or Public Service passenger motor vehicle is a careless or reckless driver, or is a person not of good moral character, or if for any reason they should deem the holder of any license as herein provided for to be an unfit person to operate or drive a "for hire" or public service passenger motor vehicle within the corporate limits of the City of Big Spring, they said City Council shall, after giving to the holder of such license notice of their intention, to do so, and by giving him a reasonable time within which to prepare and present contrary evidence, cancel said license, provided they are still convinced that said license should be revoked.

Section 5. No person under the age of eighteen years shall be entitled to and receive a license under this ordinance.

Section 6. Each and every day that a person shall solicit passengers for, maintain, run or operate, or exhibit a sign on a "for hire" or public service passenger motor vehicle within the City of Big Spring without first obtaining a license therefor as is provided for in Sections Nos. 1, 2, and 3 of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 7. In the event that a portion or all of any section of this ordinance shall be declared void for any reason, it shall in no way affect the validity of any other section or portions thereof.

Section 8. Any person convicted of a violation of this Ordinance shall be fined in any sum not less than Five Dollars and not more than One Hundred Dollars.

Section 9. This ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage and publication.

Passed May 8th, 1923.
Approved May 8th, 1923.
W. R. PURSER,
Mayor, City of Big Spring, Texas.
Attest: City Secretary,
E. F. FAHRENKAMP,
(SEAL.)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the welfare of J. I. McDowell, a person of unsound mind, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in the City of Big Spring, Texas, on the first Monday in June A. D. 1923, the same being the 4th day of June A. D. 1923, and contest, if they see proper to do so, the application of J. I. McDowell which has been filed in this Court in cause No. 301, for Guardianship of the estate of J. I. McDowell, a person of unsound mind.

You will cause this citation to be published in some newspaper published in your county, for ten days prior to the return day hereof.

HEREIN fall not, but have you before said court at the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my official name: J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk of the County

Court, Howard County, Texas.
GIVEN under my hand and seal of said court at office in the city of Big Spring, this 8th day of May A. D. 1923.
J. I. PRICHARD,
Clerk of County Court of Howard County, Texas. 35-2
(SEAL.)

NOTICE IN PROBATE THE STATE OF TEXAS

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To all persons interested in the estate of Barbara Hamilton, deceased, Eva Pike has filed an application in the County Court of Howard County, on the 28th day of April, 1923 for the probate of the Will of Barbara Hamilton, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 4th day of June, 1923, at the Court House of said County, in Big Spring, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fall not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Big Spring, this 10th day of May 1923.
J. I. PRICHARD,
Clerk, County Court, Howard County, Texas. 35-2
(SEAL.)

NOTICE IN PROBATE THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To all persons interested in the estate of O. T. Lacey, deceased, Mittie C. Lacey has filed an application in the County Court of Howard County, on the 17th day of May 1923, for probate of last will and testament of said O. T. Lacey, deceased, and for letters testamentary of estate of said deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 4th day of June, 1923 at the Court House of said County, in Big Spring, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fall not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Big Spring, this 17th day of May, 1923.
J. I. PRICHARD,
Clerk County Court, Howard County, Texas. (Seal.) 35-2

NOTICE IN PROBATE THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To all persons interested in the estate of Sam Price, Juanita Price, Lucille Price, Teddy Price, and Jackie Price, Minors, Know ye, that Libbie Price has filed an application in the County Court of Howard County on the 16th day of May A. D. 1923 Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of Sam Price, Lucille Price, Juanita Price, Teddy Price, and Jackie Price, minors, which said application will be heard by said Court on 4th day of June A. D. 1923, at the Court House of said County in Big Spring, Texas, at which time, all persons who are interested in said minors are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fall not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at Big Spring, Texas, this 16th day of May A. D. 1923.
J. I. PRICHARD,
Clerk of County Court, Howard County, Texas. 35-2
(SEAL.)

Mitchell County Needs Aid

County Judge James T. Brooks, W. W. Rix, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and J. F. Hair, chairman of the Howard County Chapter of the American Red Cross made a business trip to Colorado to ascertain just what was needed most in our sister city and to assure them of the assistance of our citizenship in rendering assistance, financial and otherwise. They made an initial donation of \$450 for immediate emergencies—\$200 from the Howard County Chapter of Red Cross; \$150 from the William Frank Martin Post of the American Legion and \$100 from the Elks.

Steps to raise funds for the storm victims are now under way and every citizen in the county is urged to donate as liberally as possible.

Mitchell County needs at least \$50,000 to care for the storm sufferers.

Grammar Grade Summer School.
Those desiring to attend grammar grade summer school, please report at Central building Monday morning, June 5th, at 8 o'clock. For further information phone Mrs. Della K. Agnell or Guion Pool.

"OLD RELIABLE"

Deposit Your Money With a Bank That Has Conducted a Safe, Conservative Business for 33 Years!

BUILD YOUR CREDIT with an institution that is at all times able to extend you accommodations.

The First National Bank OF BIG SPRING

is 33 years old. It is under Government Supervision; Member of the Federal Reserve System; a United States Depository; Depository for the City of Big Spring.

Resources Over \$850,000.00

No officer or director is permitted to borrow any of the bank's money, 4 Per Cent. Interest is Paid on Time Deposits.

STATEMENT APRIL 3, 1923

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$541,288.13	Capital Stock \$ 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds and W. S. S. 51,841.89	Surplus and Profits 141,769.38
Bank House 18,000.00	Circulation 49,300.00
Redemption Fund 2,500.00	DEPOSITS 609,789.99
Federal Reserve Bank Stock 4,500.00	
CASH 232,729.33	
Total \$850,859.35	Total \$ 850,859.35

The Above Statement is Correct. **R. L. PRICE, V.-Pres. and Cashier.**

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS
L. S. McDOWELL, President. **J. W. WARD, Vice President** **NAT SHICK, Asst. Cashier.** **A. E. POOL**
R. C. SANDERSON, Vice President. **E. L. PRICE, Vice Pres. and Cashier.** **H. H. HURT, Asst. Cashier.**

Payment of Victory Notes

All 4% per cent Victory notes bearing the distinguishing letters G, H, I, J, K, or L prefixed to the serial numbers become payable according to their terms on May 20, 1923, and interest thereon stops on that date. Holders of these notes may present them in advance of May 20, either for immediate redemption at par and accrued interest to the date of optional redemption, or for payment on May 20 at par and accrued interest to that date. Holders of registered notes are urged to present them well in advance, in order to avoid delays in the discharge of registration.

All 4% per cent Victory notes bearing the distinguishing letters A, B, C, D, E, or F prefixed to their serial numbers were called for redemption on December 15, 1922, and ceased to bear interest on that date pursuant to the terms of the call for redemption. Holders of called 4 1/2 per cent Victory notes should promptly present them for redemption, in order to avoid further loss of interest.

Tutt's Pills
 The first dose establishes the invalid, giving immediate relief, regulating bowels and digestive organs, inducing
GOOD DIGESTION

Sales Pass 1/2 Million Mark in 120 Days
 More than half a million Ford Cars and Trucks sold in 120 days.

That is the astonishing record just established by the Ford Motor Company, eclipsing all previous sales figures and emphasizing more strongly than ever the right of the Ford to the title "The Universal Car."

From January 1 to May 1 sales of Ford Cars and Trucks in the United States reached the enormous total of 661,544, nearly twice the number sold at retail during the same period a year ago when the total was 283,782.

Even with its huge production facilities, now operating on a schedule in excess of 6,500 cars and trucks a day, the company is unable to keep up with the unprecedented demand.

April set a new sales record for the month, just as has every other month this year, and was the thirteenth consecutive month in which sales have run over the 100,000 mark.

Sales during April totaled 105,582 Ford cars and trucks, 50,000 more than were delivered in the same month last year when 115,282 retail deliveries were made.

New production records were established by the Ford Motor Company for the week ending Tuesday, May 8, during which a total of 39,953 cars and trucks were turned out for domestic use, according to announcement by the Ford News. This exceeds by 192 the previous high record set the week before.

We are in receipt of the Scurry County Times, published by Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith at Snyder, and needless to state the initial issue is a number to be proud of. In Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Snyder and Scurry County will have two real boosters for their community and they should render them the cooperation and support they deserve. A live newspaper is a real asset to any progressive community and Scurry County will profit as a result of the establishment of the Times, for Mr. and Mrs. Smith will issue a newspaper that will be a credit to that county.

Monroe Williams returned last Friday from Tulsa, Okla., where he had been called by the injury of his brother, Jim. Jim was in a trolley accident, when two cars met in a head-on collision, and was painfully but not seriously wounded. Monroe brought Jim to Fort Worth where their mother resides.

Marriage licenses were issued at the county clerk's office here on May 14th to H. P. Hughes and Miss E. M. Yarbrough, both of Fort Worth.

D. F. Painter Realty Co. Bargains.
 640 acres of choicest farm land in Howard County, \$20 per acre; \$500 will secure 100 acres for you, long time on balance.
 1280 acres good grass land \$6.50 per acre.
 320 acres—100 acres tillable—\$7.00 per acre.
 640 acres, 4 miles of Big Spring, well improved, fine water, all good land, \$17.50 per acre.
 160 acres very choicest, close to school and church and on highway; \$40 per acre; good terms.
 See us for choicest town lots and residents. Priced to sell and terms you can meet.
 If its for sale we'll get you an offer D. F. PAINTER REALTY COMPANY, office in Howard County Union Store, in Cole Hotel Bldg. at present.

Wednesday Bridge Club
 The members of the Wednesday Bridge Club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. S. D. Ford last week. Mrs. H. G. Whitney made club high score and Mrs. S. H. Brewer made visitor's high score. Delicious refreshments added to the pleasures of this session.
 The next meeting of the club has been deferred until June 6th, because of the Chantanooga, and Mrs. A. J. Gallimore will be the hostess.

COW EASE WILL KEEP THE FLIES OFF OF YOUR COW.
CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

The "Sanitary" Barber
LESS THOMAS, Prop.
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
WHISKERS RETURNED
 Located in Bauer Block

The Ideal Barber
 is an ideal place at which to get satisfactory Shaves, Haircuts, etc.
 We will appreciate your patronage.
J. L. McWHORTON
 Successor to Sam H. H. H. H.
 In Basement of J. L. Ward

Chas. Eberhart
UNDERTAKING
 Motor Driven Hearse
 Service Day or Night
 Lady Ambulance
 Day Phone 200 : : : Night

JAMES T. BROOKS
Attorney at Law
 Practice in District Court
 Conveyancing
OFFICE IN COURTHOUSE
BIG SPRING, TEXAS.
 Fit yourself with
 Cunningham & Philips

Some people think that style in clothing is all for the young men, but we also have stylish clothing to suit the more conservative man who likes both style & dignity

Hart Schaffner & Marx

make some beautiful models in this class, as well as the "nifty" young men's models that are "full of pep and vinegar"

3 piece Suits \$35 and better
2 piece Suits \$25 and better

In other makes we have all grades from \$15 to \$37.50, lots of them with 2 trousers.



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JUNE IS THE BRIDE'S MONTH

—it is the happy month of springtime that is the choice of many people as the most appropriate for the supreme occasion.

Naturally, the bride's attire must reflect her happiness, and we play our part in providing and planning with her what is needed and wanted to form the setting for the jewel. We have spent much time and thought in getting together the materials for the Trousseau, and it will be a pleasure for us to help in designing the various costumes that are necessary.

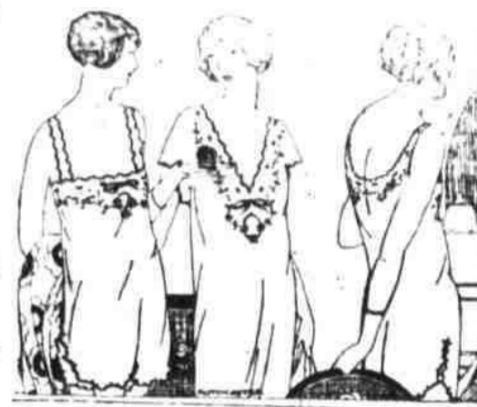
WE'RE SHOWING A BEAUTIFUL LINE

Phillipine Hand Made and Hand Embroidered

Gowns and Teddies

which will be quite an addition to the wardrobe.

Silk, crepe and nainsook gowns; teddies and costume slips in "Dove" underthings that are beautiful and servicable



Next Week Comes Commencement and Graduation
we have some beautiful things for

Gifts for The Sweet Girl Graduate

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| IVORY FANS | VANITIES | HANDKERCHIEFS |
| SILK GLOVES | COMPACTS | HOSIERY |
| KID GLOVES | PERFUMERY | PARASOLS |
| SILK UNDERWEAR | STATIONERY | BEADS |

Come in and let us help you
make your selection



The Proper Straw Hat

for any and all occasions is here for you. No matter where you wear your straw hat—if it comes from here—you can have the satisfaction of knowing that there is no more correct hat among those present.

Panamas, Barkalus, Sennits and Splits have the "call" this season

Soft brims, or stiff brims with "CUSHION" sweat bands.

DO NOT NEGLECT—

to buy a gift also for the young man who has achieved his ambition to graduate this term

Hats
Caps
Shirts

Gloves
Socks
Neckties

Pajamas
Club Bags
Cuff Buttons

are a few things we suggest as suitable

1882

J. & W. FISHER

1923

THE STORE THAT QUALITY BUILT

Mrs. Ben Hardy Entertains
Last Friday afternoon at her parson-home Mrs. Hardy delightfully entertained with a tea for the benefit of Junior Missionary Society.

The most interesting and a unique feature of the occasion was the exhibition of numbers of articles from India brought over by a missionary in India which included idols, jewelry, headbands and ornaments of all kinds, also medicine charms, etc. These were carefully explained and interesting facts told about them by the hostess.

Delightful music throughout the afternoon was given by Misses Nancy Dawes, Iris Kirby, Marion McDonald, Helen Kelly, Lillian and Louise Shive and Miss Chas. Morris.

Upon entering the living room one gets a real breath of spring from the flowers which gave a happy feeling in all the gay colors known to the West Texas hills and prairies. These were banked in profusion in the rooms.

Tea and sandwiches were served about fifty or more guests by Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Cora and Miss Mattie Hefley.

An splendid silver offering was received for the Juniors in their missionary work.

Should want ads get fine results.

Lorraine Buries Four Victims

The saddest event in the history of Lorraine was witnessed Tuesday afternoon when four victims of Monday's tornado were buried in the Lorraine cemetery.

Joe Richburg, son and daughter were buried in the same grave. The fourth was the twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tidwell.

The business houses of Lorraine closed Wednesday that all might assist the unfortunates in rebuilding fences and houses that were destroyed by the fearful storm.

Want to Loan Money

To Ranchers or Farmers at 6 per cent, no red tape, quick action. 34 years time, on or before after the first five years. No eligibility clause. Will loan one-half the value of the market price of land, and in addition 20 per cent of the value of the improvements. Any amounts from \$5,000.00 to \$50,000.00. **BIG SPRING ABSTRACT COMPANY.** Room 4, West Texas National Bank, 35-41. Big Spring, Texas

Paul Carney was here Sunday from Fort Worth for a visit with Mrs. Carney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Prichard.

Herald want ads get fine results.

Grammar Grade Exercises

Following is the program for the Grammar Grade, graduating exercises which are to be held at the High School auditorium, Thursday night, May 24th, at eight o'clock and to which all are cordially invited:

Processional.
Invocation—Rev. Ben Hardy.
Violin Solo—Josephine Winslow.
Salutatorian—Nell Brown.
Address—Mr. Flanken.
Class Wishes—Helen Hardy.
Solo—Mrs. Yates.
Valedictorian—Lillian Shick.
Awarding of Diplomas—Mrs. Stripling.
Benediction—Mr. C. S. Holmes.

A. L. Can Secure Tombstones

The William Frank Martin Post of the American Legion is in position to secure for parent or guardian, without any cost to them, a tombstone to mark the grave of any deceased ex-serviceman. This will be a regular tombstone as supplied by the government. If you wish to secure a tombstone to be erected at the grave of that beloved soldier boy who has answered the last call address or see any officer of the local post American Legion.

Pierrette face powder... Please use them all.....Cunningham & Phillips

High School Notes

The Baccalaureat sermon will be Sunday morning, May 20th, at the First Baptist Church.

The following is the program: Processional of choir.
Song—Gloria Patria.
Invocation—Rev. Ruth.
Processional of Seniors.
Music—Mrs. Harry Hurt.
Song—High School Quartette.
Scripture Reading—J. M. Manuel.
Offering.
Solo—Mrs. J. C. Yates.
Sermon—Rev. E. N. Strother.
Benediction—Rev. Shepherd.

The following program will be rendered at the Commencement exercises Friday, May 25th, at 8 o'clock.

Processional of Seniors — Mrs. Harry Hurt.
Invocation—Rev. Eteson.
Special Music—High School Glee Club.
Salutatory — Frances Sullivan.
Class Prophecy — Allie Crowley.
Valedictory—Louie Mosley.
Song — High School Quartette.
Address—Mr. Edwin A. Kelley.
Delivery of Diplomas and Scholarships—Mr. A. W. Flanken.
Delivery of Typewriting medals and certificates—Mr. J. C. Yates.
Benediction—Rev. Ben Hardy.

Miss Theda Mott surprised the faculty and student body when she married Sunday night. It is our wish that her life will be nothing but happiness, as she has been our true friend and teacher.

SATURDAY SPECIAL

For Saturday we will have fresh English peas, radishes, strawberries, green beans, new potatoes, tomatoes, cabbage. Get your order for berries in ahead. P. & F. COMPANY.

Lawn Party

The losing side in the Federation membership contest entertained the winners with a party on the beautiful lawn at the home of Mrs. L. S. McDowell last Friday from 4:30 to 6.

Tables laden with salads, pickles, and sandwiches were spread in the shade of the trees. Everyone had a jolly good time taking part in the stunts and games. Several of our young people gave delightful readings.

The winners declared the losers such jolly good hostesses that they hoped to beat them again next time.

We handle large quantities of butter and eggs and are always "game" enough to buy or trade for same. Bring up your produce. P. & F. CO.

Teachers Re-elected

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Big Spring Independent School district practically all the former teachers were re-elected. While some have not accepted there will be three or four vacancies to be filled and our new superintendent, P. B. Bittle, is now considering applications for most of these positions and is going to select the very best teachers available.

Superintendent Bittle has announced the appointment of P. P. Brewster of Calvert to be principal of the Big Spring school. Prof. Brewster is a capable instructor, a strong disciplinarian and an all around director of College sport. He is a graduate of Baylor University. Our school is fortunate to secure Mr. Brewster as principal, and we should accord him our hearty cooperation.

Jersey Cow For Sale

A registered Jersey cow, giving four gallons of milk daily—for sale. Phone 426 or see G. E. FLEEMAN. I

After the gentle zephyr last Monday fanned your crops to death you will need more field seed. We have them. P. & F. COMPANY.

Mosquito Dope: Get a bottle and keep it handy...Cunningham & Phillips.

RUMFORD

Makes Breads, Cakes More Delicious!

The full, rich flavor of good butter, eggs, flour, etc., is developed by Rumford in the leavening process. Rumford-raised foods not only taste better—they are also more nourishing because Rumford is pure phosphate baking powder.

THE WHOLESOME
BAKING
POWDER

Brings
Baking
Success to All



Misinformed!

The people may think we only carry Produce and are running a "Green Goods" outfit, but if you will come in and look over our stock you will be readily convinced that we have a real Grocery Store, with a large stock of the very best in Groceries. Produce business here is real good but it is only a side line.

Our business is growing from week to week and we are thankful to our many friends who are making it go for us.

PAY CASH — SAVE MONEY AND TRADE WITH

P. & F. COMPANY

Making Fifty Cents Do a Dollar's Work

If we could just accomplish that little sleight-of-hand with every one of our fifty cent pieces, wouldn't it be great? We could immediately decide to sell the Ford, and open up the usual family debate as to which is really the most economical — a seven passenger that's open or closed.

But while many men still puzzle over how to stretch half dollars, their wives and daughters have turned the trick. Mary not only has prettier clothes today — sport suits, "simple little things for the afternoon," as well as more pretentious outfits — than she ever had, but she's actually paying far less for them.

And the strangest thing about the whole situation is that she

seems to take more genuine pleasure and pride, not only in wearing these becoming dresses, but in displaying them to all her admiring friends.

Whereas stretching the family income may have been the first incentive in the present revival of home dressmaking, apparently it has become a by-product rather than the main object to be accomplished.

Women everywhere are taking solid pleasure in the handwork involved. This is due probably in part to the fact that possibility of failure, as well as the old-fashioned drudgery and uncertainty of making garments without the aid of an expert, have been done away with. Authentic Paris styles are just as available on Main Street as they are on Fifth

Avenue. The great designers furnish with their patterns such detailed, careful instructions that even the amateur need not go astray. While a marvelous range of beautiful materials in weaves and textures never before known, prove a veritable mine of inspiration to the woman who can make effective use of her needle.

At the present writing, this particular method of stretching the American dollar seems to be a favorite National indoor sport.

Americanism and Americans

We Americans are a liberty-loving gang, and we don't like to take orders from anyone; we don't like to be told what we may or may not do, and if someone says we must not do some certain thing, then straightway we have a strong desire to do just that.

Not only do a lot of us feel that way, but we even have a tendency to boast about it, and are a little inclined to feel that we are not quite American unless we do feel thus, and so we talk a great deal more about these independent feelings of our's than they really warrant.

In the first place these so-called traits of independence are not particularly desirable or laudable, neither are they traits by which true Americanism can be distinguished. They are rather deplorable signs that we have not quite grown away from our frontier habits and are signs of waywardness rather than virtues.

True Americanism cannot countenance lawbreaking in any form, and when it takes on some of the forms now quite rampant all about us, it not only is not Americanism, but is even worse and becomes wholly non-American and sometimes criminally so.

Not long ago a Congressional preacher, at a convention in Chicago, is reported to have said that when "the law commanded him not to drink he felt like taking a flask of whiskey and drinking it on his church steps," or words to the same effect. The newspapers made great scare-heads about this statement, and played it up as if it were a wise

SIGNS — SIGNS — SIGNS

I made signs before I could talk... I'm still making them.....

A good sign is a sign of a good business.....

SHORTY KOHANEK
Phone No. 1...or...284-W.

BIG M. W. A. Round-Up Rally

AT 7:30 P. M.

At Big Spring, May 29

Prominent Head Officers to be Present

Head Director, R. R. Smith, Kansas City, Mo

State Deputy, John E. Swanger, Dallas; Assisted by District Deputy C. L. McNatt, Abilene

Members and candidates from all Modern Woodmen Camps of Howard and surrounding counties will gather in Big Spring for a Big Class Adoption and good time, in honor of our head director. The initiatory will be put on by a special degree team. A splendid program has been arranged to entertain all visiting members and candidates.

LEO NALL.

SEE!



The New Hoosier

HIGH BOY

Car Load Just Arrived

RIX FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING CO.

THE HOUSE OF SATISFACTION
BIG SPRING LUBBOCK

LAMESA

TAHOKA

Business and Pleasure

This Bank Aids You in Both

YOU NEED MONEY IN ORDER TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS.

WITHOUT A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS OR A DEPENDABLE INCOME YOU ARE DENIED MANY OF THE PLEASURES OF LIFE.

THIS BANK HAS MONEY TO LOAN FOR ALL LEGITIMATE PURPOSES.

CONSULT US ON ANY SUBJECT RELATING TO FINANCE. OUR ADVICE IS FREE TO ANY PERSON ANY TIME.

Savings Accounts Encourage the Habit of Saving--- We Pay Four Per Cent on Time Deposits

The Bank Where You Feel at Home

West Texas National Bank

Big Spring, Texas

and timely utterance by a great man, instead of branding it as a gross insult to all decent Congregationalists and other good people, which is what it was.

Any man who will make such a statement is not fit to be a preacher and it should not be tolerated in any decent community, for to subscribe to such a doctrine means to repudiate all law. What difference does it make whether the law says, "thou shalt not steal," or "thou shalt not commit adultery," or "thou shalt not drink whiskey?"

Even the preacher referred to will not say we should have no restrictive laws governing our general conduct. If that is true then why dish up the drivel about our personal liberties, etc., when the 18th amendment is under discussion.

Even so, we could perhaps be excused for having a few individuals among us who don't know any better than to make such statements, but we can hardly be excused for having a general tendency to publicly damn any existing laws and boast about it. That cannot be what we understand by Americanism, although it is a trait that has been quite common in America.

Our newspapers have a great responsibility and to a very large extent they are to blame for much of this undesirable publicity given statements made by irresponsible individuals. The handling of news items about bootleg raids and the finding of stills, etc., can either convey the impression of sympathy with or disgust over the bootlegger without any definite statement either way.

The newspapers offer the alibi that they supply the kind of news wanted by the bulk of their readers, but that too is only an alibi, and that too is a non-American statement, for it practically charges the majority of Americans with a desire for news of lawlessness.

Let us realize that the man who carries hip liquor is as definitely a law-breaker as the thief, and that he is even more dangerous and destructive; let us take a definite stand against him and soon this will become a form of amusement that is not tolerated in decent society anywhere.

Let us remember that the ideals of true Americanism are the ideals of true manhood and womanhood and that these ideals embrace all that is good, sweet, brave, bold and clean, but there is no room for intemperance, drunkenness, or licentiousness.—The Slug.

Recital Pleases Large Audience

The Recital at the First Baptist Church on last Friday night proved one of the most thoroughly enjoyed occasions possible.

Mrs. Harry Hurt presented a part of her class in recital, assisted by Mrs. J. C. Yates and the program was one of especial merit, every number rendered in a manner to win appreciation. A large and appreciative audience expressed their approval by generous applause.

Herald want ads get fine results.

Auto For Sale

A Hupmobile touring car — in first class condition—for sale, or trade. If you need a car, see, phone or write V. F. Roberts, Coahoma, Texas. 1t-pd

Two wrongs never make a right, but some people go on the theory that a dozen will turn the trick.

Clarence Miller and Miss Mason of Amarillo were married at Sweetwater, Wednesday, May 27, and will make their home in this city.

Any car manufacturer will tell you that in using pure Pennsylvania your motor will give better and longer service. Try "Pencil"—pure Pennsylvania. Stokes Motor Company.

Gifts for Boys

—He would like one of these tan English Broadcloth Shirts in neckband or collar attached style; priced \$4.50. Or in grey with collar to match at \$5.

—White, tan and grey Shirts of excellent quality domestic Broadcloth in neckband style at \$3.00 each.

—No man or boy ever has enough Ties, so why not give him a couple of new ones? We've just received a big assortment of pretty new Ties of high grade silks in a variety of pretty patterns and colors. Priced \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

—Also new Knitted Ties in plain black or attractive new fancy patterns. At \$1 and \$1.50 each.

Stationery

—Men's stationery of Crane's Ravelage Vellum in white or Scotch grey with envelopes to match at \$2.45 box.

—Or of Scotch grey deckle edge Highland Linen with envelopes to match at \$1.45 box.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY

GIFTS for THE GRADUATE

—In making your selection of a gift that will always be remembered and appreciated utmost care must be taken in the choice of it. Graduation is the time of all times with the school student. Make it as happy as it can be made.

On Her Graduation Day La Tausca Pearls

—The rare beauty of these wonderful pearls will delight her and in the distant days to come she will cherish them as a happy reminder of her Graduation Day.

—We've just received a beautiful selection of these famous Pearls and the prices are exceptionally low. There are several pretty strings in silk lined gift boxes priced as low as \$6.50, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15; other range upward to \$29.50.

—At \$19 there's a Graduation Set that's very attractive. It consists of a string of pink tint pearls, with white gold diamond clasp; grey velvet jewel case and "Graduation Memories" a Book for recording of school day happenings.

See This Display of Pearls Tomorrow

SHE WILL APPRECIATE A GIFT OF SILK UNDERWEAR

—And here are some very attractive styles to select from. There are Gowns of excellent quality pink crepe de chine with trimmings of tiny tucks, rose buds and dainty laces; priced \$7.50 to \$9.

—Vanity Fair glove silk Vests and Bloomers in plain tailored styles at \$1.95 to \$4.45 garment. Vanity Fair glove silk Step-ins at \$3.19.

Silk Hosiery

—Silk Hosiery are a practical gift that will be appreciated; especially if they are a pair of these sheer Chiffon Hosiery of pure thread silk with extra weight all-silk heel, toe and tops. They are shown in black, white, nude, nut grey and gunmetal. Priced \$5 pair.

—Then there are Gotham Gold Stripe or Phoenix pure thread silk hosiery with reinforced heel, toe and tops at \$1.75 to \$2.25 pair; shown in black, white and colors.

Novelties

—Ear Drops in a variety of new designs and colors at prices that range from \$1.25 to \$1.89.

—Chinese hand-carved Ivory Pendants with silk ribbon; priced \$5 and \$6 each.

—Necklaces of beads or bead and ribbon in black and bright colors at 50c and up to \$1.50.

—You just know she would be delighted with a bottle of Paris or L'Origan de Coty's Perfume. Priced \$4.75.

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The Balance Against Us

It's a queer world we're in. The country elected Mr. Harding to do something or other. Mr. Harding himself interpreted his mandate as that of bringing back normalcy. Normalcy was so slow on the road that by the time it pretty nearly got here nobody was surprised or particularly grateful to Mr. Harding. People got the idea somehow that normalcy was bound to come. Harding or no Harding. And, besides, normalcy came back at the top and not at the bottom. The farmers are at the bottom. And yet big business can't be said altogether delighted with Mr. Harding.

Mr. Harding gave big business the tariff. He gave it pretty nearly all the tariff it asked for. And here we have a balance of trade showing up against the United States. It is not merely unprecedented — it is downright perverse. The protective tariff is built on the theory that it is a good thing to keep foreign goods out of the country. And the foreign goods are coming in right over the tariff wall. And yet domestic producers aren't crying out so much about foreign competition. It is a strange, strange world. The old formulas won't work and the old battle cries rally no stalwarts to speak of. Blokes want what they want and when they want it, and even voting a dollar-a-day pension won't satisfy them any more.

What is to be done? If we vote more tariff our foreign customers will make less profit on their sales to us, and their margin of profit is all they have with which to buy our finished wares. Furthermore, the situation of this country in which the condition is improving at the same time that

we are importing more than we are exporting calls for explanation. To furnish that explanation it is necessary to think. Thinking always upsets pure politics. When we get to thinking about the invisible exports and invisible imports we are undermining the assumptions on which protective tariff is based. Furthermore, such a practical demonstration that our foreign debtors must pay us in goods shipped to us is disturbing to those who hold that the United States ought to get everything and give nothing.

What on earth is to be done in a case when tinkering the tariff up is followed by an adverse balance of trade on which the country seems to thrive? The adverse balance keeps the tariff advocates from ascribing improvement in trade conditions to the tariff, and it will never, never do to admit that the adverse balance itself is helping the United States. In the meantime the excess of imports indicate that the plethora of gold in this country will be relieved and we have the spectacle of financiers rejoicing in the hope that our paper currency will in time have less gold reserve to back it than it now has. When economics get in the state to which it now finds itself the economist, political or scientific, has to rely on his powers of analysis instead of upon rules of thumb. And that, of course, means more thinking and less talk. If the result of it all is to make us pay more attention to sound economics and less to old saws of partisan economics the balance of trade against us will really have been in our favor after all.—Dallas News.

Crowns and Stars

Waxahachie Light: Whether or not there will be any stars in your crown depends very largely upon the manner in which you have conducted yourself during your pilgrimage through this vale of tears.

In other words, you will put the stars in your crown yourself. The thought is a reminder of the man who went to heaven and when he inquired for his mansion in the skies was directed to a shack constructed of tin cans and cast-off lumber. When he remonstrated, he was informed that the mansions there were built of materials sent up from earth, and this party had sent only junk for his house. If that is really the rule—which State Press hopes it isn't—then there are a lot of folks around here who are going to spend eternity in wind and rain. Of course, the expression concerning stars in crowns is only figurative. There is much figurative language in the Bible, although S. P., he being a fundamentalist, does not accept the idea that Adam was figurative and Eve mere romance. It isn't likely that we shall wear actual crowns in heaven. A crown is pretty, but as a rule it is too well

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1922 Bridge Club

The members of the 1922 Bridge Club were the guests of Mrs. Yuell Robb this week and an especially enjoyed meeting was in order. Delicious refreshments served at the close of play added to the pleasures. Mrs. Del Elliott made club high score and Mrs. John Hodges Jr. made visitor's high score.

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Get-to-Gether Meeting

A big Get-to-Gether meeting of the Union people of Big Spring and Howard County will be held in the W. O. W. Hall at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, May 24th.

All union men and their families cordially invited to be present.

A Real Vacuum Cleaner

See the Apex Vacuum Cleaner on display at the furniture store of W. R. Purser and Sons, or phone 304 for demonstration. J. N. COWAN, 35th

Floyd Tiner of Los Angeles, Cal., and Jessy Tiner of Homell, N. Y., sons of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Tiner are home from an extended tour of the U. S. and state that conditions in Big Spring are as good as anywhere in the country. They say they are better satisfied than ever with the old town and expect to stay here.

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STRONG EVIDENCE
In the Statement of This Big Spring Woman

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Profit by the experience of Mrs. M. A. Wooster, 507 Main St. She says: "I can certainly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, as I have used them off and on for several years. Sometimes housework, my kidneys seemed to be weak and I had backache. At such times I was bothered with my kidneys acting irregularly. I found I could depend on Doan's Kidney Pills to give me quick relief and I recommend them to all my friends."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Wooster had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement 5

George J. Gould, aged sixty years, well known financier and sportsman, died at his villa near Mentone, France, Wednesday. Death was due to an attack of pneumonia and he had been ill since March 20th. George Gould was the son of Jay Gould, railroad builder.

Our fountain is now serving a steady stream of satisfied customers..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Herald want ads get fine results.

De Molay Entertainment a Success.

"A Poor Married Man," a farce comedy in three acts presented by the Big Spring Chapter of De Molay at the High School Auditorium last Friday night proved a complete success and the large crowd present thoroughly enjoyed this splendid entertainment.

The following deserve credit for the splendid manner in which they portrayed the roles assigned: Misses Aline Crowley, Marie Boswell, Alice Ann Rix, Grace Sullivan, and Messrs Omar Pittman, Elmo Wasson, Adolphus Gallemore and Bennie Wills. Especial praise is due Miss Mary Johnson who drilled the players and directed the entertainment.

Specialties between acts and special music by the Bob Miller orchestra were other pleasing features of this entertainment.

The members of the De Molay were handed many compliments for staging such a snappy program.

Dog Lost

A small brown, female pup about 2-1/2 months old strayed from my home Sunday. Finder please return to me. O. H. MORRIS.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnett and son, Kinney, left last Tuesday for Fredericksburg, Texas, called there by the serious illness of Adolf Deering, brother of Mrs. Barnett.

Flash lights and supplies..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Albert W. Hite of Del Rio is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Jno. L. Woods.

Flash lights: See what you are doing.....Cunningham & Phillips.

A. D. Neal shipped two carloads of yearlings to the Fort Worth market Tuesday.

Electric Irons..Five Dollars and a half, including stand.....Cunningham & Phillips.

G. E. McNew arrived Monday from Lamesa, being called home by the illness of Mrs. McNew.

Mrs. Jed A. Rix arrived Thursday morning from Lubbock for a visit with relatives in this city.

Insect powder and a good fly swatter are two things you need to keep.....Cunningham & Phillips.

If this chilly weather continues to "butt in," the editor is going to trade his new straw hat for a used overcoat

Chautauque Starts May 26th

Are you ready for the big seven-day Chautauque program which opens in Big Spring Saturday, May 26th? A fine program each afternoon and night and at a price all can afford if you purchase a season ticket.

Notice of Application for Guardianship of the Estate of J. I. McDowell, deceased.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Clerk of County—Greene County, Texas:—

You are hereby notified that all persons interested in the estate of J. I. McDowell, deceased, of unsound mind, to appear at the regular term of the County Court of Greene County, Texas, to be held at the Court House in the City of Big Spring, Texas, on Monday in June A. D. 1923, being the 4th day of June, and contest, if they see proper, the application of L. I. Phillips, which has been filed in Cause No. 301, for Guardianship of the estate of J. I. McDowell, of unsound mind.

You will cause this notice to be published in some newspaper published in your county, for the term thereof, this writ with return thereon, showing how you executed the same.

Witness my official hand and seal, Clerk of the County of Howard County, Texas, this 28th day of May, 1923.

J. L. PHILLIPS
Clerk of County Court of Howard County, Texas.

Showery weather though not needed is far preferable of the windy weather we put up with the past few

Richard Lloyd Jones Says

GO AHEAD



THE seed unfolds into the flower. The seed, laid in the soil, finds its way to the light. The short wheat blade of spring becomes the tall golden stalk of summer, crowned by many grains. Truth is like this. Truth is growth; it is progress. Truth cannot serve truth and repose. You must contribute something to the world or you are as the dead laid away. That which is yours to do cannot be held for you. Each man is his own maker. The world permanently recognizes its ability which grows out of usefulness. The purple pride of the Caesars lurks in the veins of the venders today. Do not trust either your place or your place in history to the deeds of your ancestors. That sturdy band of Pilgrims who would distinguish their convictions would find but little rest in your pride in the Mayflower if they realized that you, who boast of their heritage, made no such and were unwilling to endure hardships for the sake of truth and right. The sons and daughters of the American Revolution often boast of our forefathers' frank and fearless love of liberty while we cunningly evade the obligations we might proclaim were we not our slaves of greed. To who boast of fathers who fought to make men should recount what we ourselves have given or

are willing to give in time, labor or money for the freedom of those who are hopelessly chained down. Do we seek truth, do we have freedom so long as we allow men, under our laws, to coin money out of the labor of little children or to abuse women for profit? Greed is a poor gun with which to hunt happiness. Be no parasite. Profess no patriotism that you have not earned. When chided that he had no ancestors, Napoleon replied, "I am an ancestor." It is the first edition of a great book and not the last that brings the big price. Be the pattern not the emulation. "Through the corridors of time," said Victor Hugo, "there ever echoes the sound of the patent boot descending and the wooden shoe ascending." Neither disdain the plowman from whom you come nor rest upon the triumphs your ancestors won. Be yourself, and by your own right a MAN. The thriving family tree never grows upon dead roots. The more you talk about the family from which you came the more will people talk about you; the more will they suspect you need the prop. Don't look back; look ahead. Don't let them find you coming down the steps—let them find you going up. Be not content with either reflection or repose. Seek the truth—and the truth is only found by GOING AHEAD.

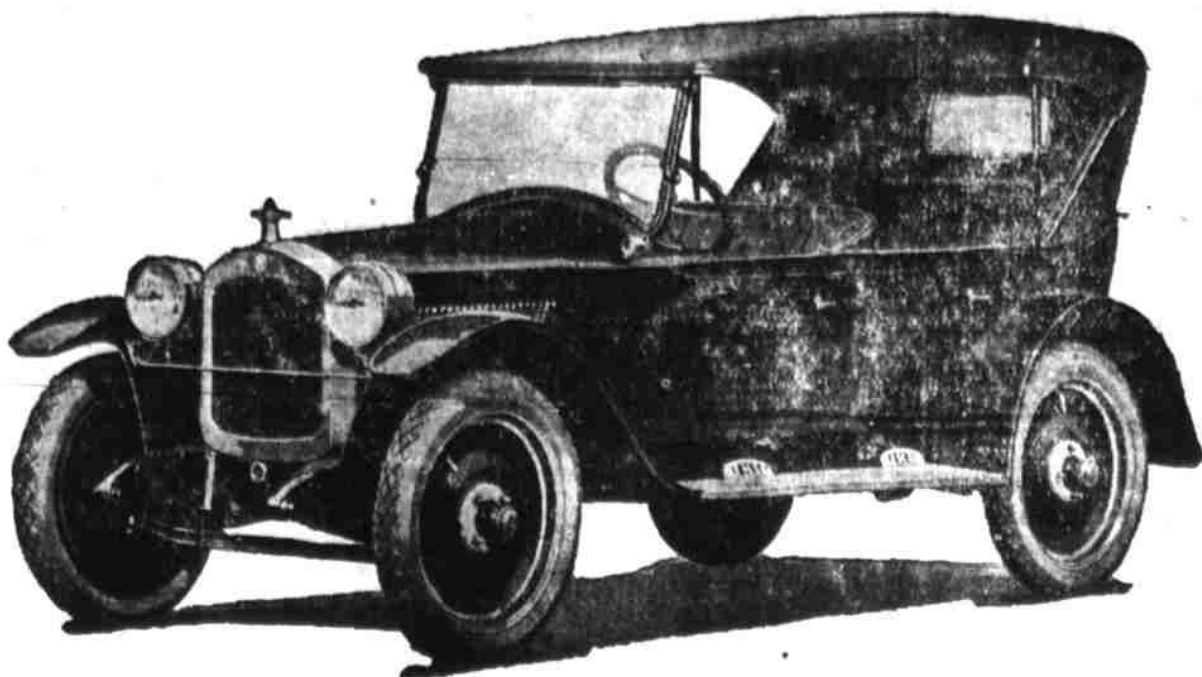
Doem by UNCLE JOHN



In delvin' into the sciences, I have spent a busy term, ferretin' out the residence an' habitat of the germ . . . I've studied the spore an' the protozoan, and the coccus of Spanish flu,—an' paid an' respects to the wiggle-tail, which science is bound to do . . . I've warned my friends—as a feller should—of the blame invisible foe, and distributed facts for the public good, that every one ort to know. But—I clean forgot to trim my lawn, an' cart the litter away; my premises looked like the folks was gone, an' had neglected to stay. . . . The people that passed my hailwink would smile—from ear to ear, an' would mebbe wonder if I was sick—or what poor widdler lived here! So I took the hint in the nick of time, an' cleaned in front of my place,—and you believe this simple rhyme, she's a thing of beauty an' a joy to see. . . . There may be germs in my drinkin' cup, an' my cellar may reek with spawn. . . . But you won't find rags an' tomatto cans, or other trash on my lawn!

HOMIE PHILOSOPHY for 1923

YOU can't put two quarts into a one-quart cup, so fill the cup with water and let the poison drinks run down the sewer. The waking hours of the day are fixed. There's only time for a little thinking. Here are Peace, Contentment, Love, Faith, Truth, Goodness, Harmony, Beauty, Kindness, Health, Gratitude, Success, Achievement, Happiness, Independence, Prosperity all waiting to be taken in. Let's fill the cup with these and let Spite, Revenge, Envy and Chicanery wrestle with themselves on the outside. "No Admission Unless on Business" would be a good sign to pin on the head.



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Let's Try to Do Better

We will hold our regular weekly meeting Sunday at 7:00 o'clock at the Christian Church. Mr. Dunn is leader and has planned an interesting program. Suppose you look it up in the paper and see if you are on it. If you are try to bring up your part better than any one else on the program. It's the busy folks who get things done, so don't come up at the last minute with that worn out excuse "I didn't have time, I've been so busy with other work." Remember there are folks who know that it's the busy folks that get things done. Someone has said that we can always find time to do what we want to. Do you want to be listed on the Lord's side? Then stand by His cause, and do what you are called upon with a smile, and be glad that you can be of some good in this world. For we never know what word of ours will lead some one to the Lord. It should be your pride to do what you do the best that it is in your power to do. You will remember the old verse in our readers or was it our speller. . . . "Work with a will, work with a might. Things done by halves are never done right."

Let's remember and always come up with our part. If we find it will be impossible to help ourselves that much at least tell the leader early enough that he can get some one else to do it. You know nothing is so disheartening or disgusting to a leader as for one on his program to come up at the last minute and say with that sweet little smile "I didn't have time to think about it." I know for I have had people do me that way real often. Surely you can devote a small portion of time from your busy lives to the Lord's work. It is only for the betterment of yourself. Did you know that C. E. is a training school. There you learn to express your thoughts along a certain line in Christian work just as you do in school in English, History, etc. And some day you'll look back and long for the opportunities you threw away. Yes, literally threw away, for you had the opportunity but refused it. I'm not just talking, every word I

say is true. Don't think "I can't do it, I'm afraid when I get before an audience." Just think that perhaps there are others who, when they first started making speeches, were just as afraid as you are. As an example, I myself, used to be so afraid I scared me nearly to death to have to recite before my classmates at school. I'd turn cold when the teacher called on me and I gave the impression that I didn't know it when I did I got over my scare by talking in Christian Endeavor. So can you. Let's think of the disappointment of the leader and we won't be so scared. Think that you have a great truth to deliver and try to do it the best in your power.

There are several old faces I haven't seen at C. E. for quite a while. Let's see you there Sunday. We miss your smile. I'm sure you miss us. Meet me at C. E. Sunday, May 20 at 7:00 o'clock sharp.

There will be no choir practice Friday evening in account of the banquet. But don't forget Sunday service. Let's see you there. Reporter.



Honoring O. H. Morris

A delightful time was in order at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday night at which time the Bible Class of J. M. Manuel and the Sunday School class of Mrs. Morris entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Morris who are to leave during the early part of June to make their home at Lamesa where Mr. Morris will be in charge of a branch office of the Big Spring Insurance Co.

Bart Wilkinson, Harry Leas, W. W. Crenshaw, S. H. Hall, Roy Carter, Butsey Herman and Jim Crenshaw are due to make a trip to Tulla about May 28th to serve as witnesses in the case of the State of Texas vs. Steve Wells.

Razors and razor blades.Cunningham & Phillips.

Methodist Sunday School Notes
We were only six short of our 300 at Mother's Day, our very best attendance this quarter. The school was in gala attire as several boys, under the supervision of Mr. Schull and Martha had gathered wild flowers in addition with which to decorate—cut these little ones took part in the national ceremony, always a beautiful and impressive sight. Mrs. Morris made a most appropriate solo at this time.

Snyder Takes Three From Locals
The members of the Snyder baseball team were not a bit nice to the local team when they gobbled all three games played on the local grounds Sunday and Tuesday. A whopping big crowd was out to see Sunday's contest and it was a real game up to the sixth inning at which

time the score stood one to one. From there out the Snyder players played ball while the home team didn't and the game ended nine to one in favor of Snyder. Monday's game was postponed until Tuesday morning with the Snyder team nosing our a 7 to 6 victory. Tuesday afternoon Snyder made it three straight by winning by a score of 5 to 3.
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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

OFFICIAL CONVENTION UNIFORM

—Of course you are going to the big West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention at Angelo next week.

—Big Spring should make a REAL showing in the parade and to do this everyone should wear the official uniform—white trousers, white hat, white shirt and green sash.

—The Big Spring Chamber of Commerce will furnish the sashes—we have the white trousers and hats in all sizes.

Pants at \$2 and Hats 75c.

We will be closed all day Wednesday — Come

on let's go to the Big Show!

Albert M. Fisher Company

Will Continue In Business

While our entire stock of Groceries was destroyed by fire Monday night, we intend to continue in business.

We open today in the sample room of the Cole Hotel until the Everley building is rebuilt.

We will be able to cater to the grocery needs of all our grocery patrons.

Howard County Union Store

PHONE 131

Quick Response of West Texas Lessens After-storm Effect

In localities where tornadoes are common, there is more or less preparedness born of experience. People know about what to do when a twister comes along. But West Texas is not cyclone territory, and the tornado that tore its way through the country near Colorado City was wholly unexpected. It took heavy toll in lives, persons injured and property destroyed.

Admiration is excited by the manner in which relief agencies got into action immediately afterward. From Colorado, Big Spring, Sweetwater and Abilene people and supplies hurried into the devastated district. Every doctor and nurse in Big Spring was on the way soon after the first report was received. Other towns were as prompt in sending assistance. Searchers were bringing in the dead and injured from farms and ranches soon after the most violent part of the storm had passed. The Red Cross at El Paso offered aid, and army authorities at Fort Bliss made ready a shipment of 300 tents which were on their way to Colorado within 12 hours after the tornado struck.

Every agency was quick to get into action, and early indications were that the injured and homeless would be cared for adequately with less than the usual delay and suffering. Food and shelter, together with medical and hospital care for the injured, were the first requirements. These were being provided within a few hours after the storm.

Speed in sending aid was especially noteworthy because of the wide distances between the stricken district and the towns from which relief workers and supplies were dispatched.

Cyclones are proverbially freakish. There will be no fear, however, of a repetition of the disaster. Destructive storms in any part of the western half of this great state are rare. El Paso may lose a roof or an automobile top occasionally, but we don't have the destructive kind of storms.—El Paso Herald.

Resolutions of Respect

Whereas the Angel of Death has visited Big Spring Review and taken from us a beloved sister, Mrs. Effie Coates, and

Whereas we remember well the loving service, the friendly counsel, and the cheering smile of our sister who has passed beyond; and,

Whereas we do mourn deeply the loss from our fraternal circle of these, our sister's many virtues, while we believe that our Father who has seen fit so to bereave us doeth all things well, be it Resolved that we the members of Big Spring Review No. 45 of the Woman's Benefit Association of Big Spring, do hereby tender to the family of our deceased sister our sincere sympathy in this our common loss and, Resolved that in token of our sorrow and sympathy our charter be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days, and,

Resolved that these resolutions be spread upon the records of our review and a copy sent to the bereaved family.

Mrs. Allie Cowan
Mrs. Susie Wiesen
Mrs. Lena Koberg
Mrs. Mary Hayden
Mrs. Jossie Larson
Mrs. Sarah Corcoran
Mrs. Margie Bly.

Harry E. Briant of Portland, Oregon arrived this morning from New York City to inspect development work at the Enders-Cushing well No. 1. Mr. Briant states that he recently attended a meeting of the directors of the Cushing Ranch Drilling Association and reports that a number of the directors expect to arrive soon to see the Enders-Cushing well brought in. Among those expecting to come are Arthur Mulvey of New York City, Howard Cutler and C. C. Hyllested of Boston, Mass.

Car 800, private car of J. L. Lancaster, receiver of the Texas and Pacific Ry., was attached to passenger train No. 5 this morning.

Thursday Luncheon Club

Between forty and fifty were present for the weekly meeting of the Thursday Luncheon Club and an interesting and enjoyed session was in order. Carroll Barnett, acting as chairman, stated the list of subjects to be discussed, as well as the number of speakers, would be limited in order that the entire session could be concluded within the time limit of an hour.

J. E. Mundell being the first speaker to be called upon, announced the procuring of an ideal camping site at San Angelo, dandy headquarters in the Angelo Furniture Co. building, and urged our folks to turn out in force and let them know Big Spring is a live number.

E. E. Fahrnkamp also told of the preparations completed at Angelo to take care of Big Spring folks, stating that signs and men would direct our folks, and urged every Big Spring party to go direct to the camping grounds where cars could be left with perfect safety, and necessary information be supplied. All were urged to report at headquarters within an hour after arrival at Angelo. He especially urged that everyone register at the Chamber of Commerce here before starting for San Angelo, and secure advertising for car. He announced that business houses would close all day Wednesday to enable a larger delegation to be secured. He especially pleaded for a large number to secure uniforms and appear in the parade Wednesday. Mr. Fahrnkamp also made some announcements relative to our big Chautauqua program which starts Saturday, May 26. In reference to plans for going to San Angelo, Mr. Fahrnkamp stated that it was deemed best not to try to go in a bunch but for folks to go as they liked, so they arranged to be there for the pageant Tuesday night, and for the big parade Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.—but especially to be there for the parade.

Sam H. Brewer stated that the white trousers and white hats, selected as the official uniform for the men and white hats for the women had been received and could and should be secured at once. In view of the fact that Big Spring was not planning any special stunts he urged that Big Spring make a real showing by turning out in force, properly uniformed for the parade.

W. W. Rix seconded the remarks that had been made by the preceding speakers and pointed out that it would look rather short of Big Spring to have an attractively decorated car, a beautiful sponsor, and just a corporals guard to accompany our sponsor. The event is going to be a big one in the history of West Texas and Big Spring cannot afford to fall down. We would make the best showing if we stick together in the nifty uniforms, and elicit favorable notice for Big Spring. It's worth our going into this in a big way for the good of our town.

Miss Nell Hatch made a few remarks in which she thanked the members of the club for their good attendance at the weekly luncheons and the loyal cooperation accorded all along the line. On account of the San Angelo celebration and the Chautauqua it was deemed best to postpone the next luncheon program until June 7th.

She told of the kindness of A. E. Pistole, superintendent of the Rio Grande division of the T. & P. Ry., in supplying a special car to rush physicians, nurses and others to aid the storm sufferers at Colorado last Monday and asked that a vote of thanks be extended him. She further moved that the members of the City Council be extended a vote of thanks for passing the ordinance forcing drivers of service cars to secure a license, and barring those convicted of crime from securing such license. A rising vote proved that the sentiment was unanimous both as to tendering thanks to Mr. Pistole for his cooperation in the work of mercy, and to the members of the City Council for a needed protective measure.

Schwarzenbach-Barnett

At Deming, N. M. on Thursday of last week was solemnized the marriage of John Schwarzenbach and Miss Mamie Barnett, two of our well known and esteemed young people. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett, was born and reared in this city and is loved by all who know her. The groom is also a Big Spring product and one of our dependable young men.

They will make their home for the present at Hurley, N. M., where Mr. Schwarzenbach holds a position as machinist with a big mining company. We join a host of friends here in extending to these popular young people best wishes for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

Seniors

For your Class Flower Carnations, see GUY TAMSITT for the best, or phone 446.

Miss Jossie Lowe left Thursday night for her home in Memphis, Tenn.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

Louisine
Pound Paper
38c box



SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

Delft Linen
Pound Paper
38c box

Featuring A Special Showing of
EATON, CRANE & PIKE STATIONERY
at very reasonable prices

—Here you will find a big selection of the famous Eaton, Crane & Pike pound paper, envelopes, correspondence cards, plain and novelty boxed stationery at prices that are exceptionally low. There are several numbers included in this special showing that are very appropriate for Graduation Gifts.

—Twenty four sheets Highland Linen paper in white, Scotch grey and chamois with envelopes to match.
—59c box.

—Scotch grey Highland Linen deckle edge paper with envelopes to match.
—\$1.45 box

—Crane's Linen Lawn paper, with envelopes to match, in dresden white with gold or silver bevel edge
—\$1.45 box

—Crane's Linen Lawn paper and envelopes with real Irish linen finish
—95c box

—One pound of Eaton's Highland Linen paper with fifty envelopes to match
—\$1.59 box

—Paget Linen Correspondence Cards in pink, blue, buff and white with envelopes to match
—39c box.

—Fifty boxes of Paget Linen paper in white, blue, pink and buff with envelopes to match
—39c box.

—Crane's Raveledge Vellum paper in white or Scotch grey; envelopes to match
—\$2.45 box.

Pound Paper at 38c

—One hundred and fifty boxes of Louisine Pound Paper, seventy eight sheets to box, priced special this week at 38c box. Envelopes to match this paper at 17c package.

—We're also offering Delft Linen Pound Paper in white, blue pink and grey at 38c box with envelopes to match at 12c package.

Beautiful Stationery at \$4 Box

—What girl graduate would not appreciate a box of this new Crane's Stationery consisting of twenty-four sheets note paper, twenty-four envelopes with beautiful figured floral or novelty design lining and twenty-four outside envelopes.

—The outside envelopes are gummed for sealing and should be used for name and address. The lined envelopes are not gummed. Your letter in this envelope, with fancy lining, will carry an added charm when it is received with the lining intact.

—Shown in old ivory, pearl, grey and dresden white in several different finishes. Priced \$4 box.

Albert M. Fisher Co.

Phone
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WE DELIVER

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Mother Day Program Last Sunday

Sunday afternoon at three o'clock about six hundred of the people of Big Spring and surrounding country gathered at the Lyric Theatre, to pay a tribute of love and honor to our Mothers living and to those who have passed over the great divide.

The program was put on under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. with the Secretary presiding. The first number on the program was, America, sung by the entire audience, followed by a prayer by Rev. Strother of the Baptist Church. No program which pays a tribute of love and honor to Mother would be complete without a message from God's word, which Rev. Ber Hardy read from the thirty first chapter of Proverbs.

Grace Sullivan read so beautifully "Nobody Knows But Mother," which seemed to open the way for the splendid address of Rev. Shepherd, spoke reverently of Mother and Motherhood, calling attention especially, to the Mothers of their splendid opportunities as Mothers, to direct the lives of our Girls and Boys in every thing that goes to make up a life, and character that the world so much needs today.

Floyd Frichard read a selection, the dominant thought of which was, that

no matter how far we go, or how much trouble we get into that Mother will not give us up. After this reading Mrs. Yates sang so beautifully, "Rock Me to Sleep Mother," which carried many of us back over thousands of miles and many years to the time when our own Mothers so tenderly rocked us to sleep and in so many other ways so wonderfully cared for us. In a few well chosen words of Prayer Rev. Ruth closed the program.

Attend Baptist Workers Conference

The following Big Spring folks attended the Baptist Workers Conference of this district at Midland, Texas Thursday: Rev. E. N. Strother, Rev. W. D. Green and wife, Meadames E. H. Morrison, W. W. Fisher, Geo. G. Knight, W. W. Hatcher, T. A. Black, son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Holmes, Miss Ruth Hatcher, J. H. Gregory and D. C. Maupin.

Big Negro Baseball Game

A negro baseball game—next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock—promises as much amusement as a circus. The Big Spring Brown Bears and the Colorado Black Cats expect to tie-up in a real contest. You'll want to see this.

Four More Storm Victims

Four Mexicans as yet unburied were found Thursday afternoon on the open prairie not far from the town of Westbrook. Two of them were entirely nude, every thread of clothing having been torn from their bodies by the effects of the storm. The others had small fragments of clothing entangled about their bodies. These people were in a serious condition, injured more possibly by exposure than by the mauling of the storm.

Book Club Notes

Mrs. J. N. Blue was hostess to members of the Book Club Thursday afternoon and the seven table players thoroughly enjoyed the game of warmly contested games, and delicious refreshments served. Mrs. A. J. Gallimore had the honor of making high club score, while Bob Austin and Mrs. Bernard made visitor's high score. Mrs. J. N. Blue won in the cut.

Decoration Day

Cape Jasmine. Lowest GUY TAMSITT.

Paint in small cans for sale. See GUY TAMSITT.

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By Jordan & Hayden

For Sale or Trade!

Have five well-bred Jacks to sell or trade, worth the money. If you need such an animal it will pay you to call and inspect these. Don't delay.

BREED TO THE BEST!

We will also have two good Jacks here for the season, and those having mares to breed should consider our well-bred Jacks.

PHONE 79 OR SEE

**JOE B. NEEL or
W. E. HARPER**
Big Spring, Texas

Heavy Rains May Cut Crops Short

Serious damage to the cotton and corn belt of Texas has been done by the torrential rains of the past few days, according to W. D. Farris, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

"Big rains throughout the heavy producing counties have not only delayed the planting of cotton," Mr. Farris said today, "but many farmers, particularly those in the bottoms and lowlands, find that they will have to re-plant much of the cotton and corn that had already been planted. This condition is disastrous to many farmers. New seed beds will have to be thrown up after the waters subside and the ground dries off. Then planting will have to be done over altogether in many cases, much to the expense and delay of the farmers."

"Cotton growers may expect their crops, which have already been delayed by the backward spring, to be set back still further by the rains and floods. This condition plays into the hands of the boll weevil as the fruiting time for the cotton will probably come at the time when the weevils are most numerous."

"Corn planters are seriously handicapped by reason of the rains which prevent working wet fields and which will allow the grass to grow in the corn. They will be heavily taxed to work out their corn and re-plant their cotton at the same time. This combination will probably reduce the yield per acre of both cotton and corn."

"Labor is scarce and prices for it are advancing. A delay of three weeks before the farmers can get into their fields will mean that much of the crop will not be worked. The labor situation on the farm is more serious than is generally known, due to the fact that much agricultural labor has been gradually attracted into other and more profitable industry for the laborer. This combination of a late spring, heavy rains and a labor shortage will undoubtedly cause a reduction in the yield which we had hoped for."—Farm Bureau News.

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 200, 23-1f. Mrs. Chas. Eberley.

A Letter From a Ranchwoman

To the City Federation:
Last week while in town I visited the Federation Rest Room at the courthouse. I was tired from my long drive and shopping. Tommy's face a slight frown from too much chocolate and baby was cross and sleepy and of course wanted a drink. A lady kindly asked me if I would not go up to the rest room while waiting for my husband to get the car fixed; I did so and was agreeably surprised to find in the very pleasant rooms—with large curtained windows, a white bed for the baby, a cot where one might rest in comfort, a large mirror and dresser, where one might tidy up their hair and powder their nose, a lavatory, toilet, sanitary towels and drinking cups, comfortable rockers, and tables filled with good magazines.

The walls of one room were lined with cases filled with school books which is used as a public library on Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5, at which time Mrs. M. H. Jones is on duty and you can get a book and keep it until the next Saturday afternoon when someone is sure to be going to town. This fills a long-felt need for out-of-town folks, whose opportunities for good reading matter is often limited. That the new novel by your favorite author will be waiting for you is a pleasant thought.

I was so much pleased and refreshed I felt I must write you a line of appreciation of the work you are doing.
Yours sincerely,
A RANCHWOMAN.

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. Chill and Short Orders always on tap. Bar Chocolate and Candies, Cigars and Tobacco on sale. Come and see us. 29-1f.

It's hard to get Howard County folks to make up their minds. Right now it's difficult to tell whether 100 or 1000 of our folks are going to be at San Angelo May 21, 22 and 23 "whooping up" for the location of the Tech. Of course you're going, so just phone the C. of C. secretary that you're going in your auto and can take two or three or four or five others with you.

MISS SAILORS CANDY...IT'S ALWAYS APPRECIATED...CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

First State Bank

Guaranty Fund Bank
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Statement of the Condition as Reported to the State Bank Commissioner at the Close of Business April 3, 1923

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$415,412.89	Capital	\$ 35,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....	16,219.79	Certified Surplus Earned.....	35,000.00
Other Real Estate.....	14,560.00	Undivided Profits.....	28,600.51
Livestock	6,832.50	Borrowed Money.....	NONE
Banking House and Fixtures....	8,500.00	DEPOSITS	501,772.69
Int. & Assts. in Guaranty Fund...	20,575.21		
CASH	118,272.81		
	\$600,373.20		\$600,373.20

Deposit Your Money Where You Can Get Accommodations When You Need Them. We are prepared at All Times to Grant Our Customers Accommodations.

The confidence of the people in any Bank is shown by their patronage and said confidence is shown in our Bank as we have the largest number of depositors, also largest amount of individual deposits of any Bank in Howard County.

Our Bank is in a very prosperous condition as shown by our nice increase in profits the past three months, while other Banks are losing money.

We Do Not Borrow Money Nor Do We Owe Any Other Bank

For Safety and Service Do Your Banking Business With Us.

We Pay 4 Per Cent Interest on Time Deposits

Homes Without Flowers

At a meeting of the Texas florists held in Waco one of the A. & M. College professors made the statement that there are 100,000 homes in Texas that have neither trees, shrubs nor flowers to make the home beautiful and the yard restful and pleasing to the eye.

There is no place a dollar will give as much value and produce as much satisfaction as to spend it for flowers, plants, shrubs, trees, etc. to beautify the yard and grounds of your home. And no money or labor spent in other ways will add as much real value to your home if you should want to dispose of it.

A yard full of flowers in summer and potted plants by the windows in winter add so much to the cheerfulness of the home. The housework can never become so exacting but that a few minutes each day spent among the flowers will make the day shorter and add a bit of sunshine to the most cheerless day.

If you have never had a flower garden write for a few seed catalogues and read them. Most catalogues contain helpful information about when to plant and how to care for flowers.—Southland Farmer.

Mosquito Dope: Get a bottle and keep it handy. Cunningham & Phillips.

Plans to Develop Potash Deposits

Extensive explorations of the subterranean deposits of potash near Stiles, Texas, are being made by the Pennsylvania Drilling Company, preparatory to beginning mining operations. The extent of the deposit is to be determined by the drilling of a number of wells by the diamond core method. The second well is now being drilled and work will start soon on another three miles east of the discovery well. The potash underlies the surface at a depth of 800 to 1000 feet. It is stated, and the strata has a thickness of 200 to 600 feet.—Texas Commercial News.

Home For Sale

My home place at 204 Johnson street is for sale. If you want a most desirable home or a close-in place where you can accommodate roomers and boarders, see me at once, or phone 79 or 97. **JOE B. NEEL.** 32-1f

Did you ever notice that when a good thing is put over in our town there are a hundred people ready to take the credit; when something falls flat you can't find anyone who will take the blame.

24-Hour Service

Night, as well as day service at the Bankhead Garage 91-1f

Chautauqua Reserve Seat Sale

Reserve seats for Chautauqua will be the same price as usual, 55 cents for the entire seven days. The reserve seats will be placed on sale at nine o'clock Saturday morning, May 19th, at the office of the Chamber of Commerce. You must have a season ticket for every reserve seat you desire to purchase, and present season ticket when making reservation.

No reservations will be accepted by phone or otherwise than by personal appearance. Don't ask or expect to be shown any preference because of friendship. Buy your season tickets and be on hand Saturday morning to secure your reserved seats.

Your compliance with these rules will be appreciated by those selling tickets and the Chautauqua committee.

Cattlemen Attention

Wanted—five thousand dry cattle hides; two thousand green hides. Bring them to Williams Dry Goods Co., and get the highest market price. Williams Dry Goods Company, Big Spring, Texas.

An Invitation To You

When in Fort Worth visit the "LUCIE BEAUTY SHOPPE." Lucie D. Connelley, Prop. L-4825, 285-7 Worth Bldg. 33-8-9-10

What a Surprise!

A box of the Elite's delicious candies and bonbons on your dresser, and you will find the candies them a great surprise. In fact, each candy is a surprise in goodness, flavor and richness—confections hard to find in quality anywhere.



Elite Confectionery
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Does an Education Pay?

Question "Does an education pay?" is not debatable. It is the only life that does pay, that has value.

Does an education can be had—different matter.

An educated man is self-educated.

Education can not be bought; it can be sold.

A man converts his knowledge into cash, but he still has the knowledge, and he can transfer it to another man.

Education inspires others to obtain it, but no more. He may inspire others, but that is all.

Colleges do not educate; they merely make it possible and set men to educate themselves.

Some have become educated without going to a school or a college, and have gone through all kinds of schools and colleges, making it the passing of the examinations, receiving the diplomas and degrees, becoming educated.

Let us face up to the fact. Let us face up to the fact of history, and it means school, or college, is opportunity, and no more. It is not a grind-out-perfected human.

Convert never-do-wells into men, but it is the door, the practical way, to enter the world.

Learn all that a school or college offers on the outside, but it is harder, much harder, and it costs 100 out of every thousand.

Go to school, or college, and learn, but that, too, is exceptional.

Education and college are here, not education is barred to the masses, but because it is barred to the many.

Education is a matter of practical time-saving, as an investment for which there is no substitute for the masses.

Those singular men who win without education, be careful of their education.

Education and unlettered they may be formal, but not in the sense, and besides, what they may have achieved for themselves, they owe much to those who came before them, who paved the way for education.

Education, for instance, does he educate and erect his gigantic empire.

Education perfect the processes of re-education, without which the auto would be impossible, or the airplane would be a mere plug?

Education, merely added an engine, and a thought there, but

the bulk of it he drew from educated men, not only in this generation, but in past generations.

He has made millions, while Milton, Socrates and Moses made nothing, while Columbus died in chains, but which of them all is most successful?

What is this success that every boy and girl worries about?

Is it so much money to spend on pleasures, so much more income for luxury, so much social climbing by which to lord it over one's neighbors, or is it made of finer stuff, of that substance we call service that the world remembers with gratitude?

Don't confuse education with formal knowledge, or success with the dollar, though both form a necessary part of conventionalized society.

Put education and success on this basis—first, to become healthy, helpful human beings; second, to become good citizens; third, to become useful workers in the field of trade and profession; then the question of whether education pays, or whether it insures success, becomes easier to answer.—Houston Chronicle.

No Precaution is Equal to the Protection of Insurance

Some people think that INSURANCE is money wasted. After the fire they bemoan the fact that they were not insured.

Precaution against fire is always commendable, but INSURANCE is the essence of wisdom.

The cost of insurance is so small as to be negligible. Its value is only fully realized by those who have been burned out and had no insurance to make good the loss.

When shall we talk to you?
A. J. GALLEMORE
23-4f
Big Spring, Texas

Seminole Has \$50,000 Blaze

The town of Seminole in Gaines County was almost wiped out by fire on Wednesday morning of last week. The entire western section of the business district was destroyed; the loss being estimated at \$50,000. A partial list of the losses is as follows: W. M. Richards grocery, \$10,000; City Drug Store \$8,000; Barber Shop, \$1,000; Starks Hardware, \$15,000; Lone Star Hotel, \$15,000; Dr. Richard's office, \$1,500; dentist office \$1,500, and several other buildings damaged.

Six yearlings were carried about one half mile from J. & W. Fisher's ranch on the Elbow last Monday by the destructive storm that wrought death and devastation in Mitchell County. Five of these were found dead in an adjoining pasture at least one half mile from the dividing fence.

Pigs and Shoats for Sale

Have some fine Big Type Poland China Pigs and Shoats for sale for killing purposes. See me or phone 9015-F11. **SAM LITTLE.** 35-2f

Come on Folks!

Our store is loaded down with the best of Summer Clothing for men, women and children. You can mark it down in plain figures that you can buy Clothing and Furnishings at a less price now than later. **WATCH OUR PREDICTION!** The unfavorable crop conditions is sure to boost the price of cotton and that soon. Wool prices continue to climb. This means increased prices for Clothing. Be wise, and purchase needed Clothing at once.

We especially wish you to call and inspect our Ladies Organdy and Gingham Dresses and our immense line of dress goods.

For men—we are featuring Style-Plus Spring and Summer Suits in Greys and Mixtures—that are winners at only \$25.00. See them.

Straw hats, light weight underwear, shirts, ties for spring wear are here for your selection.

Boys' Suits, Red Goose Shoes and the best of everything needed for any member of the family.

Goods continue to advance in price and you can secure articles at less now than you can for some time unless a bumper cotton crop is made this fall.

We purchased our goods when prices were lowest and we are giving our customers the benefit of our good fortune.

We make the statement that we sell good merchandise for less. We want you to make us prove it. Go to any dry goods store in West Texas—get their prices and then visit our store. We stand behind our statement that we can save you money.

Pay us a visit. You are welcome at our store whether you buy or not.

Grand Leader

Remember you Can Buy for Less at Our Store

Brown Items

We have been thinking lately that we must have been mistaken in our calendar. It is so wintry. We have been trying to put our winter delectables away in the moth balls for two months but haven't succeeded any better than you have.

Quite a crowd of home-folks and visitors from Big Spring and outside communities were guests at the ice cream supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown last Saturday night. The evening was real cool but we could not eat ice cream on Christmas day.

The ball game between Knott and Brown was somewhat of a walkover for Knott. Sunday afternoon was real cool, an ideal day for the players, and the Brown boys were game sports until the last inning; and we are surely proud of our one-year team and the showing they made against a picked team from the Knott many-year players. We don't know the score but they are going to allow us to make it back and more next Sunday afternoon on the home grounds.

J. H. Helms, of Dimmitt, Texas, visited the past week at the home of Mr. P. E. Forester. Mr. Helms became right enthusiastic over this country.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Epps was the gathering place of a song and music-hungry crowd Sunday night. Mrs. Epps is a most delightful hostess and everybody enjoyed the singing in spite of sore throats contracted at the ball game that afternoon.

Albert Shortes and family spent the afternoon Saturday in Big Spring and got so busy bragging about the good weather that he missed the ice cream that evening.

Several Brownites witnessed the wallopin' that Knott gave Auto in the baseball game Saturday afternoon at Knott. We like to see Knott put it over other community teams. XX.

Tomato Plants For Sale

Can supply you with fine tomato plants immediately—10c per dozen. Phone 458. MRS. R. SCHWARZENBACH.

Bring your auto work to the BANK-HEAD GARAGE, where only first class workmen will work on your car. All work guaranteed. Try us. 23-17

Two wrongs never make a right, but some people go on the theory that a dozen will turn the trick.

PHONE 389 FOR PURE MILK

We can now supply you with pure milk from tested cows. To further insure absolute purity we have installed a Clarifier which removes all foreign matter from the milk. Get pure milk. From now on our price is 7 cents per pint and 12 1/2 cents per quart.

THE BIG SPRING DAIRY COMPANY
J. T. Parrish, Proprietor. 12

Registered Bulls for Sale

39 registered Hereford yearling bulls, Fairfax and Anxiety breeding. My ranch is on Gall road, twenty miles northeast of Big Spring. See these animals at my ranch, on address me at Luther, Texas. J. H. SIMPSON. 33-37pd.

MANAGER WANTED

In this country for the Unexcelled Telephone Intensifier Baryphone; a whisper-carried clearly; must have small capital for office and handling of salesmen; demonstration makes a sale.

S. & S. MANUFACTURING CO.
3325 Seminary Avenue
Chicago, Ill.
26-10t.

Robert Eberley returned Monday from a three weeks' visit in Detroit, Battle Creek and Chicago and reports a fine time. He had an opportunity to visit the Ford automobile factory at Detroit and the Kellogg Co.'s plant at Battle Creek, Mich., and a visit to either factory is worth while.

Purchase of approximately 250,000 acres of the great Panhandle gas field north of Amarillo has been completed by the Producers and Refiners Corporation. Development plans for the area include the building of a gas line from the field into Amarillo.

Somehow or other March winds seem to be butting into the May program and naturally they are not appreciated. These winds are making it necessary to replant crops in some portions of the sandy land sections.

BATHING SUITS THAT SUIT YOUR SHAPE AND YOUR POCKET BOOK.....CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS

Herald want ads get fine results.

"Cousin Mary" Coming to Chautauqua

"Charles F. Horner presents" has been the introduction for many successes. In fact dramatic and musical attractions in Chautauqua have been taken on those words for years. Record after record has been established.

Those four words are used three times this season. Four great dramatic and musical numbers are ushered in that way. Most Chautauqua circuits have one; some have two. Redpath-Horner this year has three in addition to a host of other features.

One of those three is "Cousin Mary," written for the Premier Circuit and produced this summer for the first time. Cousin Mary has years of future ahead—but you are getting it first—as you deserve it.

The plot has considerably more to it than the average musical comedy. It was written with certain stars in mind who are actually appearing in it. There is fun, sometimes uproarious, always delicious.

The music is superb, catchy—the kind you hum and whistle, and buy later for your phonograph. Much of it will be nationally known for it was written by Lucien Denin, the great composer of numberless successes.

The cast includes Ada Roach and Ruth Freeman, former Premier favorites and now among New York's most popular entertainers. There is Margaret Owen, star of "The Blue Kitten" and "Katinka." Another principal role is sung by Stanley Deacon, baritone, star of many grand and light operas, formerly with the Century Opera Company.

Carnival Committee Carrying On

The big carnival scheduled for June 15th is rapidly taking shape. It will be the biggest and best, the finest and funniest carnival you ever saw. The proceeds are for one purpose, to help build an auditorium. This has been an objective in the minds of the women of the City Federation since they organized. Now to build an auditorium and make of it a community house and a memorial to our Howard County soldier boys fulfills their dream.

Don't forget the big Carnival.

Never say "this is so sudden" to a man when he proposes. He might coincide with your views and take a few more years for thinking it over.

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

Would Pipe Water From Canadian to Dallas

Who ever heard of a city that amounted to much relying on pond water for a supply of the indispensable fluid? The authorities in considering how to supply Dallas with water seems not to envisage any other source than dammed ponds. Travelers familiar with the Staked Plains and some other parts of Texas may have observed, as I have, that whole sections of land formerly covered with water have filled, dried up and are now cultivated.

Millions may be spent in building dams to conserve rainfall, but from the inception of the work elements of destruction and decay march steadily alongside until the monument of folly becomes a byword and a curse to taxpayers of later years. Possibly it was a coincidence, possibly a prophecy that Maj. Scovell, a noted English engineer, who had supervised irrigation and other hydraulic works for the British Government in Egypt, in talking with me in Mexico City, predicted six months before the collapse of the Austin dam that such would be its end.

Do not geologists say that this immediate section is underlaid with a faulty rock stratum that renders heavy seepage almost impossible of prevention. Such a condition, together with the evaporation incident to long seasons of drought and torrid heat certainly renders the water supply from ponds uncertain. Drainage supply sometimes is plentiful and at other times extremely scarce. I have crossed the Trinity at Dallas in a steamboat when it was a mile wide and I have crossed it on a ferryboat thirty feet long that touched either bank and was stuck in the mud. Some of us have known two years' to pass without rain enough to run in the road to make a rivulet. We have with our present water supply and rate of consumption and a two years' drought a situation could exist that would be much worse, as the city is comparatively much larger. The cycle of years and statistics of meteorology warrant a recurrence of such conditions.

The possibility and the thought of such a calamity now and its consequences are enough to make Dallas hold its breath, and the only way to provide against it is to secure a supply of water from an unending, permanent and abundant source.

This source is the Rocky Mountain range. The nearest point to tap it is in the vicinity of Purcell on the Canadian River at an altitude of 700 feet above the city and about 125 miles distant.

The cost is not to be counted, but estimated, and the ways and means found to accomplish it if the city is to avoid a fate equal to that of Sodom and Gomorrah. The values to be preserved are here, a few of the skyscrapers have cost as much as would be required, and these edifices might become bats' nests in a possible situation that human effort would be powerless to evade or overcome. And give us of the living water—not pond water and potash.—S. H. Milliken in Dallas News.

Delegations for San Angelo

San Angelo, May 13.—Accompanied by a 42-piece brass band, a minstrel band and a 7-piece orchestra the Plainview delegation to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention here May 21, 22 and 23, numbering not less than 200, will reach San Angelo late in the evening of May 20, according to a telegram from John Boswell, secretary of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce, today.

Boswell estimates that 100 to 200 additional will journey to the convention from Plainview by automobile. A sleeper loaded with Amarillo, Floydada and Lockney delegates will accompany the train.

"We are coming to contribute to the fullest extent our attendance to make this convention the greatest ever held by the organization," wired Boswell. "We have no axe to grind."

BATHING SUITS FROM TWO YEARS OLD UP TO THREE HUNDRED POUNDS.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Services at Catholic Church

Mass will be at the Catholic Church on every 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sunday at 10 a. m. Rev. S. Kistner, Pastor.

J. B. Harding in Monday from his farm twelve miles south of Big Spring states that he had about a four inch rain on his place early Monday morning.

Rubbing Alcohol: It's a good tonic after a hard day. Take a rub and you are ready for more work.....Cunningham & Philips.

Murder by hazing is murder merely by another name. There is a punishment to fit the crime, but it never fits.

COW EASE WILL KEEP THE FLIES OFF OF YOUR COW.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

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Millions of Baby Chicks are Killed!



—Every year because of improper feeding, Superior Chick Starter is a scientifically prepared feed for Baby Chicks. It contains Dried Buttermilk and Ground Bone, both of which are of known value in preventing bowel trouble and reduce the mortality among baby chicks to a minimum. Insist on Superior Feeds—You'll recognize them in their red chain bags. UNIVERSAL MILLS, FORT WORTH, TEXAS

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Phone 271 FUEL AND FEEDS Big Spring, Texas

What Do You Need IN JEWELRY ?

—Whatever it need may be your need can be supplied our jewelry department.

—We have secured a select line of new Jewelry and will please to have you call and inspect same.

—We propose to sell you jewelry of value at prices you can afford.

WE WILL APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE

Phone 87 J. D. BILES Big Spring, Texas

Phone 87 DRUGS & JEWELRY Big Spring, Texas

Corner Main and West Third Streets

Mr. Motorist

When did you have your battery tested and filled, is my attention; bring it around and let us do it for you, it will do you anything.

If your battery needs charging or repairs, we are experts that line, we run an exclusive battery station and give all our attention to the battery needs of our customers.

We carry a full line of new batteries to fit all makes of 134 car manufacturers use WILLARD batteries as equipment for their cars.

Come around and let's talk batteries and get acquainted.

West Texas Battery Co.

Phone 229 Willard Service Station Big Spring, Texas

PEP !

IT INCREASES MILEAGE — IT DECREASES EXPENSE IT DOUBLES PLEASURE — IT BANISHES WORRY.

The pep in your car depends upon the mechanic who keeps it repair. If he is lacking in knowledge he is a bungler. If he is a bungler your car will soon become junk.

Have your work done the better way. It is the most satisfactory and the least expensive.

BLANCK'S GARAGE

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FOR Kerosene—Gasoline—Lubricating Oil Deliver in any quantity to any part of city

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HERB LEES, Agent

Big Spring, Texas

Editorial

Liberty is the Battle-Cry of Brotherhood

The Man Behind the Carburetor

Sydney Anderson, of Minnesota, Chairman of the Joint Committee of Agricultural Enquiry, which recently made an investigation of the various factors entering into the marketing of farm products, makes it clear that the fads of the city folk and their demand for constant change and variety play quite a part in the seemingly low prices paid to farmers for original products.

In the case of a package of rolled oats retailing for 20 cents which the original producer sold for 32 cents a bushel, the following proportions appear: The retailer got 4.2 cents, of which 2 cents represented expenses of doing business and 1 cent profit. The wholesaler received 1.8 cents of which .3 was profit. The manufacturer got 9.6 cents of which 2 cents were profit. The manufacturer got 1.6 cents transportation, 1.7 cents advertising, 1.2 cents selling cost, and 1.8 cents cost of manufacture. The elevator which handled the oats got .4 cents and the railroad .5 and the farmer 3.5.

Pair-minded men will see injustice in this price to the farmer, yet no one seems to have made extortionate profit at his expense.

It is well, too, to consider the effect on prices of the great variety of goods of a like kind demanded by the public. There are countless thousands of brands of all kinds of goods multiplied by the consumer to the point of absurdity. This means large stocks must be carried by retailers, and capital tied up, of which the consumer has to pay.

The farmer may be exploited by the trader, but the people mainly are exploiting themselves.

People Are Exploiting Themselves

Conservative estimates place the number of motor vehicles on the farms as 3,500,000, not counting motor driven farm machinery. There are at least 300,000 trucks and not less than 200,000 automobiles, used by the farmers.

Considered in the light of general production, these figures present a startling picture. In the background we can see in addition to the farmers' use of the car the millions of automobiles absorbed by the residents of the small towns where practically every one owns a car. Obviously, the market for the motor lies in the country, and, obviously, too, the astounding growth of motor car absorption is a lasting tribute to the usefulness of the home town newspaper which has been the only means of contact—except the sporadic scattering of a few magazines—between the motor car manufacturers and the great American population living in country America.

No industry in history has shown the rapid and enormous growth shown by the motor car industry, all of which has been largely due to the vision of the industrial geniuses who have thought about this transformation of our travel system. They were all born in the country. They knew what contact with country folk meant, and they have made persistent and consistent use of the home town newspapers to carry their message to the buyers.

Punchettes



MAN IS TO BLAME

If our women are unbalanced or unseated or out of place, what is the cause? Who is to blame? Who brought about this change? There is but one answer. Her God-decreed protector is to blame. Man is wholly responsible.

Woman's place is home. Her throne is the domestic circle. She didn't leave it of her own volition. She didn't sacrifice her place voluntarily. Man is wholly responsible for the unbalanced condition of woman. It is his business to provide and protect. And it is his business to exercise the righteous discipline necessary to a perfect home.

He has utterly failed. He has failed through indulgence, because of a lack of courage, a sense of responsibility, and a willingness to face his plain duty. He has practiced indulgence until he has made the woman extremely extravagant.

The average girl hates work, despises domestic responsibility, and is criminally conspiring to avoid those high duties.

The man has neglected to build the home, to make it attractive and magnetic. Consequently, the woman has gone out into the world. Many of them because of necessity have been forced into the trades to live. Many of them have come out into the world because the head of the family did not perform his duty, did not make the home happy, did not regulate it.

Women have been thrown into the nerve-racking conditions of the outer world and the strain is so great, her nervousness unsettled; she is unbalanced. Her unbalanced condition has produced a state of extravagance, which is jeopardizing the whole domestic life of America.

If fathers do not go back to their homes, and husbands do not perform their duties as heads of their families, the domestic life of America will suffer irreparably.

Resolutions of Respect

Whereas the Angel of Death has visited Big Spring Review and taken from us a beloved sister, Mrs. Nettie Lindner, and

Whereas we remember well the loving service, the friendly counsel, and the cheering smile of our sister who has passed beyond; and,

Whereas we do mourn deeply the loss from the fraternal circle of these, our sister's many virtues, while we believe that our Father who has seen fit so to bereave us doeth all things well, be it Resolved that we the members of Big Spring Review No. 45 of the Woman's Benefit Association of Big Spring, do hereby tender to the family of our deceased sister our sincere sympathy in this our common loss, and Resolved that in token of our sorrow and sympathy our charter be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days, and,

Resolved that these resolutions be spread upon the records of our review and a copy sent to the bereaved family.

- Mrs. Allie Cowan
- Mrs. Susie Wiesen
- Mrs. Lena Koberg
- Mrs. Mary Hayden
- Mrs. Jossie Larmon
- Mrs. Sarah Coreoran
- Mrs. Margie Bly.

Pioneer Bridge Club

The members of the Pioneer Bridge Club enjoyed an especially jolly session Wednesday at which time they were the guests of Mrs. H. D. Hilliard.

The three tables of players thoroughly enjoyed the absorbing games and the delicious refreshments served in two courses. Mrs. J. D. Biles made club high score at this meeting and Mrs. Julius Eckhaus made visitor's high score.

Card of Thanks

I desire to thank the members of the Volunteer Fire Department and others who worked so untiringly and faithfully to save my building from destruction by fire Tuesday night. Your good work not only prevented my loss from being much heavier but also saved adjoining property and your fine work is deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Jennie Everley.

Prayer Circle 4C

The members of prayer circle 4C met with Mrs. James Campbell on Wednesday. Eight were present and Mrs. Gay was leader. The members of this circle will meet with Mrs. Capps next Wednesday and Mrs. Barnett will be the leader.

R. A. May of Sweetwater, salesman for the Buick automobile, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Does It Save?

The first loan we made was to a man south of Town, for \$2,000.00, November 1, 1917. It cost him, appraisal and recording fees, and Title Ex. Fee..... \$12.50
He has paid, principal and interest..... \$760.00
\$772.50
He has been paid, as dividends..... \$30.00
Total paid out less dividends..... \$742.50
He still owes now, estimated amount of..... \$1,780.00

This man was paying 10 per cent per annum, and had he paid such amount during these years, his account would stand as follows:
Amount paid out as interest (estimated)..... \$1,100.00
He would still owe the sum of..... \$2,000.00
Saved \$557.50 — is it worth while?

We have \$500,000.00 loaned to this Farming and Ranching Community. It costs you \$10.00 per Thousand Dollars to get the loan, and you pay for having the Title Examined, and papers recorded. If you are paying interest, why not make this "pick up." It is better to be a good manager than to slave for the other fellow. We can loan up to \$25,000.00 to one person now. Next week we will print the table of amortization payments, showing how you pay the principal and interest as you go. No trouble to explain; come in and get full information.

Big Spring N. F. L. Asso.

ROOM 4, WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING.

Wanted

We desire to purchase a limited amount of large, clean, white cotton rags. Phone 28.

Piano for Sale

A Burges upright piano for sale worth the money. Call at 201 W. Travis street. It-pd

Miss Willie Saunders has purchased a residence lot at the corner of Runnels and Eighth streets and expects to let the contract for a handsome bungalow home.

Our Coca Cola: Everybody that drinks it is a regular customer..... Cunningham & Phillips.



No better guide, as to the food qualities in milk, is needed than a child's demand for milk — and more milk.

Our milk is rich and creamy — and comes to you through the most careful and sanitary handling.

Quart 15c — — Pint 8c
TWO DELIVERIES DAILY
Phone 267
JACK WILLCOX

Economy to Purchase Season Tickets.

You can secure a season ticket to our big seven-day Chautauqua which opens in Big Spring, Saturday, May 26th for \$2.50, if you are an adult, or a child's ticket for \$1.00. A ticket will entitle you to attend the fourteen fine entertainments, at a cost of less than 18 cents for each.

A single admission fee of seventy-five cents each will be charged for three of the attractions—almost the price of a season ticket for the three—fifty cents a single admission will be charged for four other entertainments. There will be six entertainments for which the single admission will be 25 cents each.

If you attended all the entertainments and paid single admissions to each the cost would be \$5.75. It therefore means a saving to buy a season ticket if you expect to attend more than three evening entertainments.

A limited number of commutation tickets will be sold. These enable you to attend ten entertainments for \$3.00 or take ten persons to one entertainment at the same price.

Tickets are now on sale. Solicitors will visit you or you can call or write the Chamber of Commerce and secure them.

Everybody Invited to Chautauqua.

Every man, woman, boy and girl in the Big Spring country, not residents of this city, will be the guests of the Chautauqua Committee on Saturday afternoon May 26th at 3 o'clock. A concert by the Montrose entertainers and a splendid lecture on "Is Farming a Business?" by Homer C. Bollitt, will be arranged for this occasion. You can secure tickets of admission at any business house or bank in Big Spring.

We want you to know what splendid numbers are to be enjoyed during Chautauqua week and to encourage by your attendance higher standards of thinking and living, faith in our churches, schools and in our neighbors a greater confidence in the citizenship to awaken a greater spirit of patriotism, a renewed faith in our institutions and a greater respect for our government and our laws. It is only thru the Chautauqua that we are enabled to bring folks of national fame and such high class entertainments to our county.

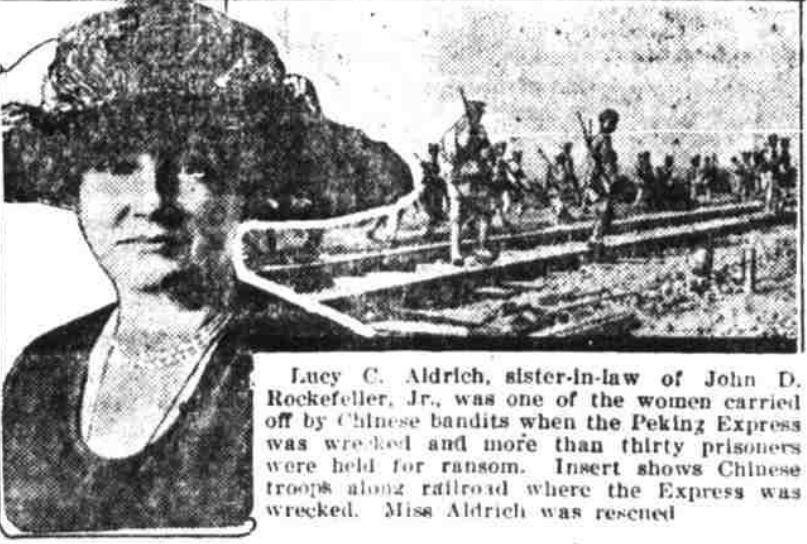
This is why we want you to be our guests on Saturday afternoon, May 26th.

Notice — Women — Notice

Do you want a real labor saver? J. N. Cowan is agent for the Apex Vacuum Cleaner. Any one desiring to have this household necessity demonstrated will please phone 304 15-1f.

Herald want ads get fine results.

Where Chinese Bandits Captured Americans



Lucy C. Aldrich, sister-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was one of the women carried off by Chinese bandits when the Peking Express was wrecked and more than thirty prisoners were held for ransom. Inset shows Chinese troops along railroad where the Express was wrecked. Miss Aldrich was rescued.

Uncle John's Josh



DON'T JUDGE A MAN'S BRAVERY BY THE WAY HE SHAVES HIMSELF!

Another Decoration Day This Month



Gem Barber Shop

BARLEY & WARREN, Proprietors.

1st Door South of First State Bank
Big Spring, Texas
BATH ROOMS IN CONNECTION
We Lead—Others Follow
If You Have Not, Try Us. We Please
Good Service

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Courteous Workmen—
Satisfaction Guaranteed
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Big Springs, Texas



EDNA SWANSON VER HAAR, NOTED SWEDISH CONTRALTO IN CONCERT AT CHAUTAUQUA.



IRENE STOLOFSKY, FAMOUS POLISH VIOLINIST WITH SUPPORTING ARTISTS AT CHAUTAUQUA IN CONCERT.



SCENE FROM POTASH AND PERLMUTTER WITH NOTABLE CAST AT CHAUTAUQUA.



MARGARET OWEN, STAR OF "KATRINKA" AND "THE BLUE KITTEN," IN "COUSIN MARY" AT CHAUTAUQUA.

BIG 7 DAYS

Chautauqua Program

Opens in Big Spring

Saturday, May 26

At 3:30. P. M.

All those living outside of Big Spring will be admitted FREE Saturday afternoon as guests of the Chautauqua. Come and enjoy a fine entertainment.

Fine Programs

each afternoon and night at 3:30 o'clock and 8:00 o'clock.

Music, Drama, Lectures, Entertainments of many different kinds, that are cultural and inspirational. Something to please every member of the family.

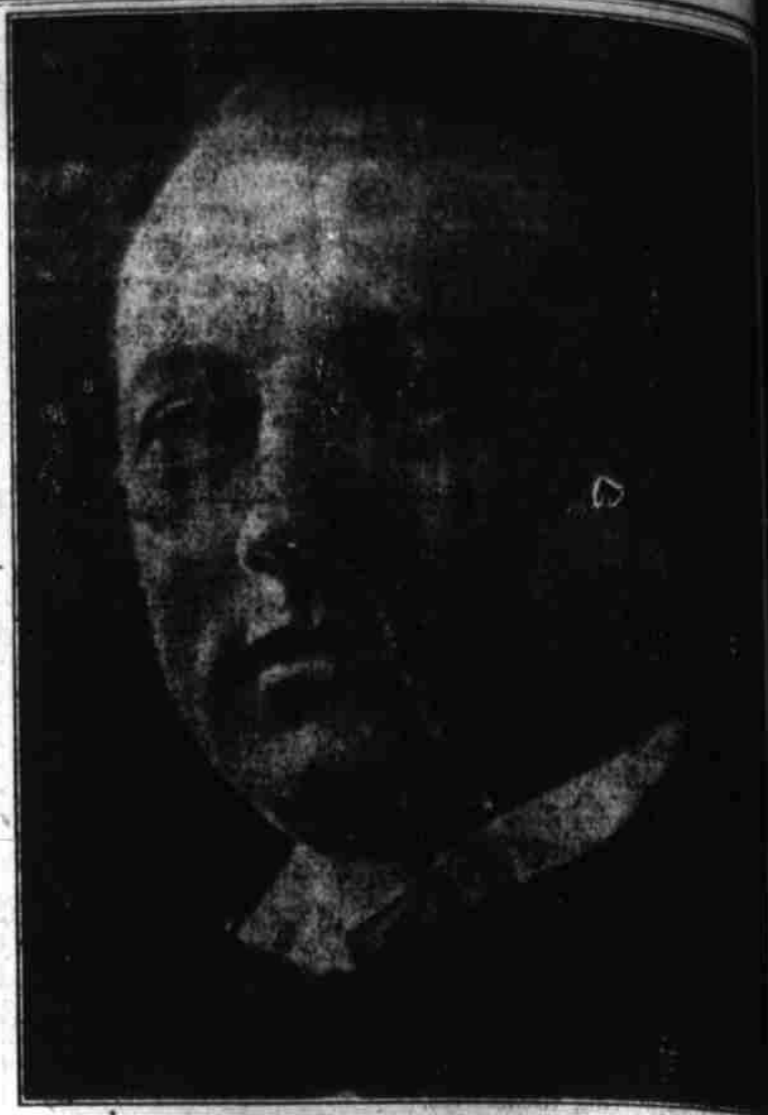
14 Wonderful Attractions

for less than 18c each for adults, less than 11c each for students and about 7c each for students.

You Can't Beat It

Buy a season ticket now and save money. You can't afford to miss it.

7 BIG DAYS



UNITED STATES SENATOR PAT HARRISON OF MISSISSIPPI, BIG FORCE IN NATIONAL AFFAIRS, ORATOR, DEBATER, AT CHAUTAUQUA.



EGGS! EXCRUCIATING COMEDY SITUATION. "IN THE PRINCE CHAP" APPEARING AT CHAUTAUQUA.



ADA ROACH, THE ONE AND ONLY IN TITLE ROLE OF "COUSIN MARY" AT CHAUTAUQUA.

A Mexican Fiesta
The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church gave a Mexican Fiesta at the home of Mrs. J. B. Littler on Monday afternoon. Its purpose was to assist in raising funds for the building of a school in Texas for the education of Mexican girls. The rooms were gayly decorated with the national colors, and flags of Mexico, while many beautiful pieces of pottery and Mexican work were on exhibition. An interesting program consisting of a charming playlet, songs, music and readings, was rendered. During the social hour refreshments consisting of "Mexicana chocolate, pan dulce, Jamaica de dos de la Senora," were served. It was considered such an excellent program, that by request it will be repeated with additional numbers at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, May 27. There being no service that night on account of the pastor's absence. A free-will offering will be taken at this time to com-

plete our quota for the Mexican girls school. Every one cordially invited to attend. You will be pleased and entertained. Reporter.

Christian Church Notes
Bible school 9:45.
There will be no eleven o'clock service on account of Baccalaureate service at First Baptist Church.
C. E. 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting and bible study Wednesday night 8 p. m.
Everybody cordially invited to all these services.

Presbyterian Circles
The circles of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet next Monday afternoon with the following hostesses: The King's Daughters with Mrs. Carter; the What-so-Evers with Mrs. Bell; and the Dorcas with Mrs. Brauer.
Mrs. W. A. Ricker has been a visitor in Fort Worth and Dallas this week.

Why Law Is Interesting
A lawyer thus illustrates the language of his craft: If a man were to give another an orange he would simply say, "Have an orange." But when the transaction is entrusted to a lawyer to be put in writing he adopts this form: "I hereby give and convey to you, all and singular, my estate and interests, right title, claim and advantages of and of in said orange, together with all its rind, juice, pulp, and pips, and all rights and advantages herein, with full power to bite, cut such and otherwise eat same or give the same away with or without the rind, skin, juice, pulp or pip, anything heretofore or hereinafter, or in any other means of whatever nature or kind whatsoever, to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding."—and then another lawyer comes along and takes it away from you.
A NUT.
A representative of the California Oil Company was a business visitor in Big Spring, Tuesday.

San Angelo, May 13.—The scheduled water fights at the fifth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce here May 21, 22 and 23 have been cancelled at the request of the State Firemen's Association which advises that recently a number of participants in aquatic engagements were seriously injured. In lieu of the water fights a reel race has been announced. It will be held at 5 p. m., Wednesday, May 23. The same trophies as intended for the water-fights will be awarded. Teams entered already are Brownwood, Ballinger, and Eastland. Each team will consist of 12 men. The race comprehends a 100-yard run with hose cart, making connection to plug and laying 150 feet of hose. The team executing the feat in the shortest time will be winner.
Will Horn made a trip to Colorado Monday to render assistance to the storm victims.
Prickly heat powder for that small child's skin....Cunningham & Phillips

San Angelo, May 13.—San Antonio's most beautiful young lady—Miss Lucile Bear—so pronounced by Rodolph Valentino, famous movie star, will represent the Alamo city as its sponsor in the pageant of progress at the fifth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, according to a telegram from the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce. She goes this summer to New York to represent San Antonio in the national beauty contest. Many admirers from San Antonio will come to San Angelo for the convention, the chamber advises.
Miss Mabel Ricker arrived Wednesday from Lubbock for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricker.
Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Currie left Tuesday evening for Dallas to consult a specialist relative to their baby's eyesight.
Stationery: Your stationery shows your taste....Cunningham & Phillips.

Electric fans...Ten Dollars...Cunningham & Phillips.
Mr. and Mrs. Ben McDermott and Slaton were visiting old time here this week.
Paint up that old car...Cunningham & Phillips for instructions paint—advertising.
Mrs. John McVee and daughter have been here this week from San Antonio to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lester.
A pipe that is light and at same time will give you a cool breeze for six bits....Cunningham & Phillips.
T. H. Happy Parish, a representative of the Humble Oil Company, Tuesday for a business trip to Big Spring and points in New Mexico.
Open All The Time
Night service at the Bank...Cunningham & Phillips.
age—Advertisement 21-4.

Hon. Pat Harrison

Leading figure in the councils of his party. Courageous sponsor of progressive legislation. One of the greatest debators and orators of the senate.

Senator Harrison is one man who is greeted by full attendance and crowded galleries when he speaks in the senate. His tours result in a succession of great crowds.

Although one of the youngest men in Congress Senator Harrison is an acknowledged leader, popular in both parties.

Redpath-Horner Chautauquas

Harold Lloyd Scores Another Knockout

"If a comparison is to be made of the funny business of the screen for the last year, honors must go to Mr. Lloyd."

"Dr. Jack" is a delicious conglomeration of everything one could hope for in super-comedy. And everything seems entirely new. Lloyd's box of tricks seems everlasting and one never knows what to expect, except that the next laugh will be louder than the first. As a fun-maker, Mr. Lloyd has reached the pinnacle, but in "Dr. Jack" he has also established himself as a runner-up for honors with the screen's greatest lovers, as his love scene with Mildred Davis seemed to us to be one of the most delightful we have ever witnessed.

Besides all this, "Dr. Jack" contains a real story—a story with a serious undertone of a girl's struggle for health. The girl is played, of course, by Mildred Davis, and she aids Lloyd charmingly in the sentimental vein of the comedy. The uproarious part of the offering comes when Lloyd, as the young doctor, begins his campaign to oust the eminent but unscrupulous physician from the girl's household. Then the fun is fast and furious with laughter piling up faster every moment.

A splendid cast of players, far above the average for a comedy, are seen in support of Mr. Lloyd. Eric Mayne is seen as the rival physician, and John T. Prince is the girl's father. Norman Hammond is excellent as the family lawyer. Anna Townsend, seen in "Grandma's Boy," appears to advantage, and other roles are capably handled by Florence Mayon, Joy Winthrop, Oscar Morgan and "Auntie" Mackay. The comedy will be shown at the R. and R. Lyric Monday and Tuesday, May 21st and 22nd.

Land For Sale

One section of land, 5 1/2 miles west of Stanton, on highway. A bargain at \$16 if sold soon. Address A. G. ODOM, Stanton, Texas. 34-2t

Some men spend years in dreaming of the day when they will be elected to public office, and when they get there they spend the time in dreading the hour when they will be kicked out. Between dreaming and dreading there isn't much time for constructive work.

We have secured the services of a first-class automobile mechanic and are prepared to give you first-class work. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 23-1t

Henry Ford is worth about \$600,000,000. Rockefeller is worth \$300,000,000, and a number can count up to \$100,000,000 each. How much are you worth, and what do you think of a system of taxation that makes possible the accumulation of such gigantic fortunes?

If you use "Pencoll"—100 per cent pure Pennsylvania oil—the life of your car will be almost doubled—30c per qt. Stokes Motor Company.

The members of Mabel Moody's Orchestra of El Paso, enroute for a tour to points east were visitors in this city the forepart of the week. Miss Moody is a former resident of Big Spring and has many friends here.

"Pencoll" the 100 per cent pure Pennsylvania lubricating oil for all motor cars and tractors. Stokes Motor Company.

The wise merchant advertises his goods for sale — if they are worth advertising. The shrewd buyer looks for goods that are advertised, because he knows that if they are worth advertising they are worth buying.

Don't fail to see the Senior Class play at the auditorium of the High School tonight. It's a winner.

Grandma Largent returned Saturday from an extended visit with her brother at Colorado.



HOMER C. ROBLITT
"Is Farming a Business?" at Chautauqua.



CHESTER M. SANFORD
A Message for Misfits at Chautauqua.

Land for Sale and Land for Rent

Good agricultural land for sale on ten years time. You furnish the energy. I furnish the land. Let's go. Also one farm to rent. For particulars see—A. L. WASSON. 27-1t

How About Attending Training Camp?

You men between the ages of 17 and 24 who desire to attend the Citizen's Military Training Camp—July 28 to August 28, should make application thru the William Frank Martin Post of the American Legion. Thirty days filled with good fun, good sports, good health and good training that will cost you nothing. See Robt. Middleton for further information.

How About That Vacuum Cleaner?

If you don't believe the Apex Vacuum Cleaner is the best vacuum cleaner on the market just phone and let us give you a demonstration. A shipment of Apex Cleaners just received, and can give immediate delivery. J. N. COWAN. 30-1t

C. J. Carns and wife of San Angelo were visitors here Monday. Mr. Carns who is publicity man for the San Angelo Standard was here to secure data relative to this section to be published in the big special edition of the Standard to be issued during the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting. He states that the Standard is planning one of the biggest editions ever issued by any Texas paper.

Cement Work

I am prepared to do all kind of cement work, such as coping, walks, water troughs, tanks, etc. I refer you to any work I have done in this city as my reference. A. B. WINSLOW. 34-12t-pd.

More sidewalk building is now underway in all parts of our city than has been in evidence for a number of years. Folks have long since learned that sidewalk building is a profitable investment instead of an expense. Sidewalk and curbing in front of your property places an added value to your property in addition to improving the appearance thereof.

Dressmaking Wanted

I am now prepared to do all lines of dressmaking; also hand embroidery. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call at first door south of W. E. Harper home or phone 478-R Mrs. Claud Ballard.

After today drivers of service cars in Big Spring must have a license issued and approved by the members of the City Council. A fine for each and every violation will be assessed against anyone operating a service car without a license.

Rooms for Rent

Two nice light housekeeping rooms for rent at Compton residence. References required. Phone 456. 23-1t

H. W. Leeper was here the first of the week for a visit with homefolks. H. W. is traveling representative for a large manufacturing company at Dayton, and visits all parts of the U. S. in the interest of his firm.

Any car manufacturer will tell you that in using pure Pennsylvania Oil your motor will give better and longer service. Try "Pencoll"—pure Pennsylvania. Stokes Motor Company.

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That's the way a lot of families feel about good old Bossy. She has been a faithful friend of the family, giving all the milk they could use and even some for the neighbors.

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Big Spring Mens' Bible Class

NON-SECTARIAN

At the Christian Church, 9:45 A. M.
All Men Cordially Invited.

Queer Feelings

"Some time ago, I was very irregular," writes Mrs. Cora Robie, of Pikeville, Ky. "I suffered a great deal, and knew I must do something for this condition. I suffered mostly with my back and a weakness in my limbs. I would have dreadful headaches. I had hot flashes and very queer feelings, and oh, how my head hurt! I read of

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The Woman's Tonic

and of others, who seemed to have the same troubles I had, being benefited, so I began to use it. I found it most beneficial. I took several bottles . . . and was made so much better I didn't have any more trouble of this kind. It regulated me."

Cardui has been found very helpful in the correction of many cases of painful female disorders, such as Mrs. Robie mentions above. If you suffer as she did, take Cardui—a purely vegetable, medicinal tonic, in use for more than 40 years. It should help you. Sold Everywhere. E 90

Yale Crawford left Friday morning of last week for Chicago to accept a position with the Government Mail Motor Service. He will be in the department to make repairs on Liberty motors of aeroplanes used in this service.

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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Morrison of Stanton was a visitor here Monday.

through hair nets. They last Cunningham & Phillips.

Clarke and John Clarke left for an auto trip to Houston. Ray goes to accept a position.

WALL PAPER: PRETTY COLORS.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

M. Cox, business representative of the United Press Association, has headquarters at Kansas City here Monday evening on the storm swept area in the county.

The twenty-six members of the Senate, twenty-six are millionaires. The poorest senator is Pat Harrison of Mississippi, who is one of the Chautauqua speakers who will be here in Big Spring soon.

Message was received from Baltimore, Md., last Monday afternoon confirming or denial of the report that had reached Baltimore that Big Spring had been hit by a cyclone.

There is but a short time to decide whether or not you are going to go May 21, 22, and 23. If you go, arrange to go with the Chautauqua speakers who will be here from 800 to 800 strong.

Razors and razor blades.....Cunningham & Phillips.

It is "Home, Sweet Home," until the sweetness disappears.

When you think you are wise you are beginning to be foolish.

Never turn the other cheek, unless you want it mused up, too.

The fellow who doesn't know his own mind hasn't much of it to know.

Walter Largent left Sunday for Los Angeles, California to spend his vacation.

Of course France and Germany might consent to make up—if the kias were eliminated.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifford Hurt are rejoicing over the arrival of a charming daughter at their home Saturday May 12th.

With the closing of our schools, the beginning of Chautauqua and the West Texas C. of C. blow-out at San Angelo all lined up for next week, our folks are going to be kept on the move.

A. A. Littlefield superintendent of the Crockett Drilling syndicate who are making preparations to sink two wells for oil about twenty-five miles south of here, was here Wednesday and stated that it would be but a short time until drilling will commence.—Big Lake News.

A stitch in time

A look, a word of advice, a slight adjustment—that is all that may be needed now to prolong the life of your battery.

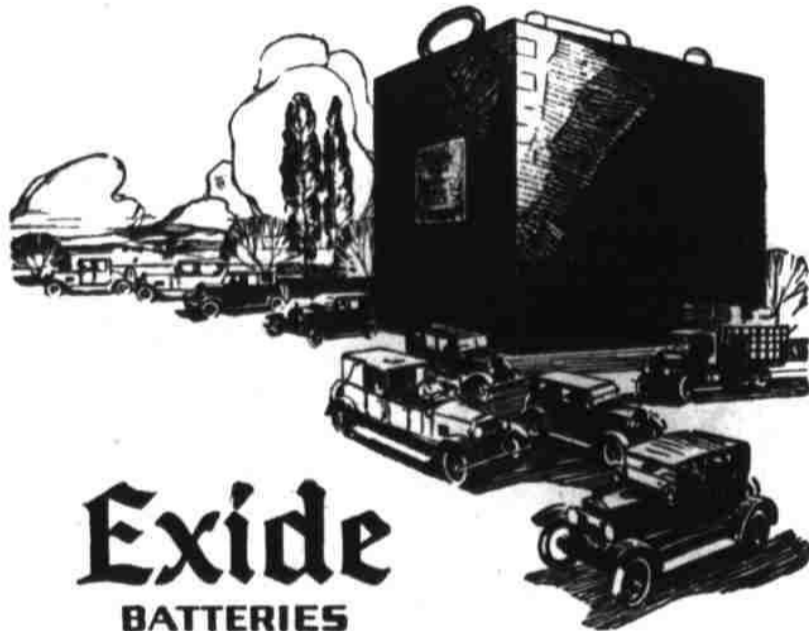
Our service is for every make of battery, and we are eager to serve you. We would rather keep your battery out of trouble than get it out of trouble. Drop in.

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JESS PUGH,
ORIGINAL FUNMAKER.
First Night at Chautauqua.

Echoes from a C. E. Convention

The Spring C. E. Convention of Abilene District met at Colorado May 1, 5 and 6. Some fifty delegates from Cisco, Breckenridge, Abilene, Sweetwater and Spur, of Abilene District and thirteen delegates from Midland, Big Spring and Coahoma of Midland District helped to make the Convention a glorious success.

The convention opened with enthusiasm Friday night and continued so until the closing night. Saturday morning, reports were given from each society and during the conference period, all questions concerning the C. E. problems in each individual society were answered. Saturday afternoon, another conference period was held and Mr. Huppertz, the field secretary, gave one of his inspiring talks. After the session, everyone piled in automobiles and were whisked away to Seven Wells, a picturesque spot about ten miles south of Colorado. These wells are seemingly a freak of nature as they are almost perfectly round, from three to five feet in diameter, and very deep. The ride in the cool, fresh air and the climb over the rocks had given us a keen appetite but when we saw the appetizing lunch, which had been prepared for us by the women of the Christian and Methodist Churches, we could hardly wait until thanks had been offered and the signal given for us to help ourselves to the satisfying viands.

Sunday morning about thirty young folks met at the Christian Church at six o'clock to attend the Sunrise Prayer meeting which was conducted by Mr. Huppertz in the yard of the church.

The delegates went to the church of their individual choice for Sunday school and church services. At the afternoon session the flags were awarded to the winners. Flag No. 1 went to Abilene for having the largest number of registrations for the convention, Flag No. 2 to Spur for having the largest number of delegates present, and Flag No. 3 to Breckenridge for having the largest number of delegates, according to mileage. After this meeting was over, we marched to the Pullman Cafe where a luncheon had been prepared for us. While here, short talks were given by representatives from each town telling just what they thought of the convention. Miss Juanita Pond, the president of Abilene District, was given a beautiful jeweled C. E. pin as a token of appreciation for her untiring efforts in making the convention a success. The convention closed Sunday night and it was with deep regret that the delegates left the convention city.

One thing that deserves special mention because it made the convention so enjoyable and helped so much in making it the great success that it was, was the hearty cooperation of the Epworth League and the B. Y. P. U. So great was this cooperation that hardly anyone could tell who was a Leaguer and who was a C. E. The following delegates from Big Spring attended the convention: Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Ruth, Mrs. F. M. Purser, Marlam Purser, Marguerite Esell, Lola Owen and Helen O'Leary. A Delegate.

The closing exercises of the Coahoma schools on last Friday were thoroughly enjoyed by the large number in attendance. A fine program was arranged for Friday morning. A baseball game was arranged for Friday afternoon and the class play was given Saturday night. A number from Big Spring were present to enjoy the fine program.

Howard County raised 9018 bales of cotton in 1921 and 13,123 bales in 1922. With the fine season in the ground for planting and the addition of at least 20,000 acres of new land planted to cotton it would not be surprising if a crop in excess of 20,000 bales would be secured this year.

No man ever knows it all. He has yet to find out what his wife thinks of him.

Warning to Patrons

If your heart is wobbly, or you get high blood pressure from laughing, kindly consult your family physician after you see

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"Dr. Jack" tells a story as human and joyful as "Grandma's Boy." But it is funnier. It gives more laughs to its footage — it bubbles with joy — it distributes mirth until mirth becomes a mighty roar of laughter.

And Lloyd has done another thing. In one delicious scene with Mildred Davis he has established himself as the ideal screen lover. He will make Valentino look to his laurels. And with it all there is a steady stream of uproarious situations, riotous fun, and laughs that will loosen the seats of the theatres of the world. You'll say it's the best you ever enjoyed.

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The Christian is an Heir of God—Irene Bates.
How We Become Heirs—Elza Nance.
The Nature of the Inheritance—Eva Cardwell.
Mixed Quartet.
God is the Christian's Inheritance—Mamie Padgett.
The Christian's Earthly Inheritance—Winnie White.
The Christian's Heavenly Inheritance—Garland Early.
Solo—Bill Cardwell.
Come to the B. Y. P. U. and hear the subject discussed.

For Sale or Trade

One half block in College Heights addition for sale or trade. Write, Box 33, Coahoma Texas. 17-12

The Great Idea

We need something in this town that will wake us up, something that will jar us into greater life and activity.

We are by no means dead. We are not even sleeping. We are stepping forward at a pace that is commendable when compared with the progress of other communities.

But that isn't enough. We ought to step faster, take longer strides, and get there sooner.

When we look around us and consider the extraordinary amount of intelligence to be found on every hand we are at a loss to understand why we are merely "stepping along" when we should be "pushing the breeze."

Someone is nursing the great idea that will eventually fill us with enthusiasm and pep, but that someone is too timid. His idea is bottled up and he hesitates to pull the cork.

Spread your idea broadcast and watch it take root and grow. It is useless as long as it is confined by a cork.

Certain men are never satisfied until they get into trouble, and then they are never satisfied until they get out. It's hard to please some people, anyway.

Critic or Kicker

There are two classes of people in this country who are constantly in the public mind—constructive critics and destructive kickers.

The constructive critic is a person who looks always to the welfare of his country, or to that of his state, or community. He analyzes questions of import to the people with a fair and just mind, separates the good from the bad, and seeks to advance the interests of the one and to retard those of the other. To accomplish this end it often becomes necessary for him to point out to others salient features which to him appear to be to the best interests of the people, and to expose and oppose that which is inimical to the public weal.

A kicker is one who does not analyze his subject, who voices his objection hastily and without proper investigation, who often opposes a proposition simply because some other person or persons favor it, and who is invariably found on the negative side of questions that come up for public discussion. He is a man who never leads and will not follow.

Think hard — which are you?

Furnished Rooms

Have two nicely furnished rooms for rent, close in—410 Runnels St. ERNEST JONES. 1t-

Inspect Orient

Southern Pacific Railroad Officials accompanied by A. C. Hargrove, of San Angelo, General Passenger Agent for the Texas lines of the Orient Railroad, visited Sweetwater Saturday afternoon in the Orient motorcar.

The party came from Alpine visiting various towns enroute. After spending a short time here inspecting books and the local equipment of the Orient, the party returned to the south.

Orient officials here and at San Angelo knew nothing of the purpose of the inspection and the Southern Pacific men would make no statement concerning their presence and inspection.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Painting Wanted

I want to do your Painting and Paper Hanging. See C. A. BENDER at Stewart Hotel. 1t-pd

An American commission is in Mexico, sent there by the president for the purpose of seeking a basis of adjustment of the differences between the two countries. General Obregon seems to be making fair headway as president of our sister republic, and if the politicians and big financial pirates will keep hands off we can see no obstacle to a sincere and permanent peace. It is only people who profit from strife who want anything else.

There is only one way to keep professional politicians out of congress. That is to wait until the devil gets the present crop and then forget to raise any more.