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OIL DEVELOPMENT IN THIS SECTION

Another Good Well in Reagan County Increases Interest—At Work on McDowell 4 and Brunson

At McDowell Well No. 4 Valentine Day and crew are having fairly good luck in recovering sand from McDowell well No. 4 and with some additional needed tools secured they will make more progress. They report the casing recovered to be in much better condition than they hoped to find it.

This casing will be used in McDowell well No. 3 which is to be drilled to pay.

At Brunson Well No. 1 The work of completing Brunson well No. 1, six miles west of the McDowell wells, is to be pushed to completion. A walking beam and other material is now being assembled so drilling can be resumed.

A recent measurement shows this well to be 2300 feet deep. It is planned to drill it to a depth where a sand and was encountered in the McDowell well No. 4.

Reagan County Oil News Big Lake No. 5, one and three-quarters miles northeast of the discovery well came in first of the week and is believed to be a better production than either No. 1, 2, 3, or 4.

The sand was first struck at 2960 feet and drilled deeper until oil began to rise in the hole. After swabbing this well flowed on its own account.

A heavy gas pressure and at the present depth is believed by good probabilities that it will be a good well. Chamber seven is down near the surface and will be drilled in Sunday. Chamber 8 will probably be drilled in a few days. Much attention is being given to these two wells.

McDowell No. 4 has increased to 400 barrels per day. The opinion of officials that it is not necessary to put this well on the pump.

McDowell No. 6 is drilling at 3350 feet and is expected to be 4000 feet. No. 7 is down 2000 feet and No. 10, believed by the Wade Drilling Co., a rotary, is drilling at 2500 feet. About 800 barrels of oil is used for drilling of other wells.

McDowell Nos. 2 and 3 is being used as engines to pump these two wells.

Associated No. 1, ten miles north of the Santa Rita is drilling at 1600 feet and will be drilled to 4000 feet.

Enders-Smith & Co. well reworked by the Big Lake Co., is fishing at 950 feet. Another location by the Big Lake Co., is No. 11, one-half mile east of discovery well.

Baker & McCamey have the contract and are using standard equipment. The well is now drilling at 3400 feet.

C. E. Menzie of Wichita, Kan., will this week spud in well No. 2 on Shebino Brothers ranch in Pecos County on section 42, block C-4, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. survey, according to A. T. Freet, son-in-law and business associate of Mr. Menzie, who was in San Angelo Saturday.

With Mr. Freet was C. C. Rollins, manager of the Trans-Pecos Oil Co. He announced that this firm is waiting on 12 1-2 inch casing in order to resume work in its well No. 5 in block 144, section 6, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., six miles north of Fort Stockton.

Sherbino No. 2 by C. E. Menzie will be about 48 miles southeast of Fort Stockton, 2,250 feet east of No. 1, now shut down at 3,735 feet. After No. 2 is completed, a third well will be drilled primarily to test out promising oil sands that were struck in the No. 1 around 1600 and 2,300 feet.—Standard.

Big Lake News

Sam Mims Dead Sam Mims, a well known railroad man, and a long time and respected resident of Big Spring, died at the T. & P. Hospital at Marshall, Texas, about 1 o'clock Friday morning, May 2nd. Death was due to Bright's disease and followed an illness of two months.

Mr. Mims had made his home in Big Spring for nearly thirty-three years and was respected and esteemed by those who knew him. He was an industrious and dependable citizen, of a retiring nature, but those who knew him well found him a true and dependable friend. He was generous to a fault, and anyone in need would find him always ready and willing to render aid, and many mourn his death.

Funeral services were conducted at the family residence at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon and the remains were laid to rest beside his wife in Mt. Olive cemetery.

He is survived by two daughters and seven sons: Misses Lucile and Lois Mims, George, Paul, Frank, and Raleigh Earl Mims of this city, Will Mims of Illinois, Claude Mims of Vernon and Clarence Mims of Houston. All the children were here except Clarence. Mrs. M. A. Fry, mother-in-law of deceased, also makes her home with the family here. To those who mourn for their loved one is extended the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in this city.

Home Destroyed by Fire The home of E. A. Hendricks on the Bankhead Highway, just east of Big Spring, and known as the E. E. Scott place, was totally destroyed by fire about 5:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. Most of the household goods were also destroyed. Mrs. Hendricks had a narrow escape when she reentered the house to secure a coveted keepsake, for blinded by tobacco smoke, she was unable to locate a door to get out, and finally found a way out thru a window. Her hair and face were slightly burned.

A side room in which clothing and other articles were stored was found to be a mass of flames when some member of the family awoke Tuesday morning, so just how the fire originated is unknown. The house was insured for \$1200 but we understand there was no insurance on the furnishings.

Revival at Methodist Church The revival which has been in progress at the Methodist Church is attracting those who like to hear the gospel preached without any fancy frills. Rev. Phelan may not be attracting as large crowds as some high-powered specialist who would adopt circus methods to attract those of this day and age who can be reached only by means of extreme methods but the good, helpful sermons he delivers each night are far more enduring and helpful.

If you want to hear a sermon by a man who wants to help humanity make it a point to attend services before this meeting comes to a close. A splendid song service is enjoyed each evening.

Central Team Beats South Ward The baseball team of Central school defeated the South Ward team last Friday May 2nd. It was a warm game; the Central Warders winner by a score of 31 to 15.

The South Ward team are going to give them another round in the near future and promise a different result.

CHAUTAUQUA TO BE HERE MAY 28TH

Officers to Have Charge of This Year's Chautauqua Elected—An Especially Fine Program

At a meeting of the members of the guarantors of the Chautauqua held last week the following were elected officers to be in charge of the big Chautauqua which opens in Big Spring May 28th. E. E. Fahrenkamp, president and general manager; J. F. Hair, vice president; Miss Nell Hatch, secretary-treasurer.

Plans for conducting the ticket sale, reserved seat sale and other matters have been mapped out but will not be launched until after the meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Brownwood.

The Chautauqua program this season promises to be one of the very best ever enjoyed and from inquiries being received there is a greater interest in Chautauqua this season than ever before.

Our city is to be congratulated on securing the clean, high class attractions secured for our people and it is only thru Chautauqua that we are enabled to present such high class programs at so reasonable a price.

As in the past, the adult season ticket entitling the holder to enjoy fourteen fine programs, sells for \$2.50; commutation tickets, entitling the holder to ten entertainments or used to take more than one until the admission amounts to ten, sells for \$3.00; student tickets sell for \$1.50 each; child's ticket, \$1.00 each. Surely this is a reasonable price for the highest class of entertainment.

Delegates to State Convention Elected A little more interest than usual has been taken in precinct and county conventions this year. The women seem to be taking a leading part in Howard County.

In the precinct conventions held throughout the county a few precincts instructed for McAdoo but the majority named delegates to go to county convention un-instructed.

In the county convention held Tuesday afternoon a big majority of the delegates came un-instructed and it was voted that the delegates be sent to the State convention un-instructed.

The following were named as delegates to attend the State Democratic Convention at Waco, May 27: Mrs. F. M. Purser, Mrs. Mims, Rev. Geo. J. Ruth, W. R. Purser, T. J. McKamey, S. B. Stone.

Closing Exercises Coahoma Schools. Closing exercises of the Coahoma school will be held today and a fine program has been arranged for the occasion.

Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College, Abilene, Texas, will deliver an address at 11 a. m.

A big dinner will be served to every one at the noon hour.

At 3:30 o'clock a baseball game will be played with the Midland team opposing the Coahoma boys.

A fine program will start at 8 p. m., consisting of readings, choruses, drills, playlet, pantomimes, music, addresses, awarding of diplomas, certificates, gold medals, etc.

On Saturday night the annual play will be presented at the auditorium of the school.

New Manager T. & P. Lunch Room E. A. Ryan arrived Sunday from Danion to make his home in this city. He is to be in charge of the Texas & Pacific Lunch Room here and began upon his duties Monday.

Mr. Ryan has had years of experience in the catering business, both in hotel and dining cars, and is capable of giving the patrons unexcelled service.

He will feature Sunday dinners, parties and banquets as well as giving real service every day to every patron.

Big Spring to Get Cotton Compress Joseph Newburger & Company, Memphis, Tenn., cotton factors and compress operators, will build a compress in Big Spring, according to Louis J. Ivey, of Fabens.

These and other eastern capitalists are the same ones interested by Mr. Ivey in the building of a compress and fumigation plant here.

Mr. Ivey was in El Paso Monday and Tuesday conferring with railroad officials relative to site for the compress and fumigation plant, which will necessitate an outlay of \$225,000 to \$275,000.—El Paso Herald.

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Crow-Phillips Nuptials

On Tuesday evening, at the home of the bride's parents, near Savoy, Texas, a quiet home wedding was celebrated when Miss Viola V. Phillips, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Phillips became the bride of Mr. A. C. Crow of Big Spring, Texas.

Both of the contracting parties are well known in Denison, where Miss Phillips has often visited, she having several sisters who reside in this city, and Mr. Crow being a former Denison boy and having received his education in the Denison schools, including a commercial course in Draughton's college of this city.

After finishing his education Mr. Crow entered the service of Waples-Platter Grocer Co., where he remained until he went to his present employer, Messrs Edwards & Co., one of the largest cotton dealers in West Texas, and where he is now bookkeeper at the Big Spring offices.

The ceremony was said by Rev. John L. Andrews, minister of the Southside Christian Church, after which a luncheon was served to the assembled guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Crow will return to Big Spring after a short bridal tour and be at home to their friends after April 27th.—Church News, Denison, Texas.

City Federation Financial Report

Following is the annual report of the treasurer of the City Federation, showing receipts and disbursements for the year, and total cash on hand:

| COLLECTIONS | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| Cash on hand Feb. 10, '23 | \$ 335.52 |
| From Library | 27.55 |
| War Savings Stamps | 5.00 |
| Membership Dues | 95.00 |
| Tag Day | 78.65 |
| Carnival | 400.00 |
| Benefit from Athans | 28.00 |
| Ice Cream Supper | 84.80 |
| Rummage Sale | 5.25 |
| Dep. on Lights Refunded | 5.30 |
| Calendars | 212.25 |
| Total Collections | \$1,277.33 |
| DISBURSEMENTS | |
| Library | \$ 56.64 |
| Dist. and State Federation | 6.00 |
| Printing Calendars | 109.25 |
| Christmas paks. to prison | 6.89 |
| Telegrams | 2.00 |
| Drinks for Carnival | 30.00 |
| City Fed. Parks | 160.30 |
| Freight on books | 1.70 |
| Incidentals | 6.25 |
| Total Expenses | \$ 378.03 |
| Cash balance | \$ 899.10 |

The Right Spirit

In their solicitation for citizens to take the jaunt to the meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Brownwood, members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce here found a number of men, who although they knew in advance that it would be impossible to make the trip, bought a ticket and instructed the solicitors to send someone in their places.

That is the kind of spirit that has enabled the South Plain sand Lubbock to forge ahead despite difficulties which seemed insurmountable. Unselfishness, the putting aside of personal feelings and the display of human kindness plus the desire above all things to see this city keep its important place in the section, are the virtues seen in this action.

It is impossible to commend too highly the spirit of cooperation underlying the deed.—Plains Journal Lubbock.

Postal Fitting Up Office Building

The work of remodeling the building at 103 Main street has been in progress this week. The Postal Telegraph Company has secured a ten year lease on this building and is going to establish a commercial office that will be a credit to a city several times the size of Big Spring.

In addition to the commercial station they will also maintain a repeating station and testing plant at this point. Six or seven employees will be regularly stationed here.

Big Spring is one of the three cities between Fort Worth and El Paso where commercial stations are to be maintained.

The Postal Company is pushing the construction of their line from Fort Worth to Los Angeles, California, with all possible speed.

Busy Day Saturday

The City Federation will have their Booster Edition of The Herald for sale Saturday, May 10th. Our High School girls, and many more, will be on every block to sell our papers Saturday. Others will canvass the residence sections.

ATTEND THE FINE BAND CONCERT

A Band Concert Will Be Given at Courthouse Lawn at 3:00 P. M. Sunday by Booster Band

A band concert will be given at the band stand in the courthouse yard at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 11th by the Big Spring-Stanton Band under the leadership of Prof. M. V. Santos.

This band, composed of experienced musicians from Big Spring, Stanton and Midland, will go to Brownwood to represent Howard and Martin Counties at the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The members have been working faithfully so they can give a good account of themselves and be a credit to the counties they will represent.

The concert Sunday afternoon is free and everyone is tendered a cordial invitation to come and enjoy the fine music.

Tell your friends and neighbors about the concert and invite them to be present.

It is hoped the music will enthuse our folks and cause more of them to decide to join the crowd that is "Brownwood Bound."

Death Claims Mrs. Jno. L. Wood

It was with a shock that friends in this city heard the announcement that Mrs. Jno. L. Wood was dead. She passed away at her home at 506 Nolan street at 6 o'clock Monday evening, May 5th.

Seemingly in the best of health, she had been attending to some work about the yard when at 4 p. m. she was stricken with an attack of apoplexy and her death followed two hours later.

Mrs. Wood who was aged 52 years, 10 months and 12 days, had made her home in Big Spring some ten or twelve years and was beloved and esteemed by everyone who knew her. She was a member of the Episcopal Church and a faithful worker in ever activity in connection therewith. She worked for all charity movements and was always ready to render aid to those in ill health or comfort others when sorrow came to them. Her life has ever been one of service to others.

On account of the absence of her pastor, Rev. Etson, a short funeral service was conducted by Rev. E. N. Strother, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Rev. W. L. Shephard, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, just prior to sending the remains to Del Rio, Texas, where they will be laid to rest beside her husband who departed this life three years ago.

A brother-in-law, A. J. Hine, of Del Rio, Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway of El Paso, old time friends of the family, accompanied the remains to Del Rio.

Albert Hine the only blood relative surviving was unable to attend the funeral of his aunt as he was quarantined at College Station where he attends A. & M. College due to an attack of the mumps.

The many friends in Big Spring who knew and appreciated Mrs. Wood deeply mourn her death and tender condolence to those who mourn for their loved one.

Rains Benefit Portion of County

We had a dandy rain, in spots, last Monday afternoon. The rain was heaviest right in the vicinity of Big Spring and for a short distance north and south. East and west the rain extended over a considerable distance, but spots along the line had varying amounts of moisture.

The rains extended north about eight miles and the farms in this belt were very fortunate as crops now up or coming thru the ground will be greatly benefitted. Planting was also made possible in several sections.

Quite a few portions of the county were entirely overlooked by the weatherman while some reported just a light sprinkle.

A good old general rain is needed just now and everything will be in fine shape if said general rain appears in the near future.

Recital at Stanton

Prof. M. V. Santos, leader of the Big Spring band and teacher of harmony and wind instruments will give a recital at Stanton, Texas, Friday, May 9th.

Stanton folks have a rare treat in store for themselves as Prof. Santos is a real artist.

Mrs. W. D. McDonald and Mrs. S. L. Baker returned Sunday from a brief visit in Lubbock.

Dallas Business Men Visit Us

There were more honest-to-goodness boosters in Big Spring last Friday from 11 a. m. to noon than we have had in ages. These were a delegation of Dallas business men on their annual trip thru the best portion of Texas. There were about one hundred and fifty business and professional men in the party and they were traveling in a special train of eleven cars, going westward to El Paso then doubling back to Sweetwater for a trip thru the Plains and Panhandle.

When the train arrived in Big Spring the visitors gaily bedecked with banners, badges, pennants and smiles, each wearing a white hat and sporting a white umbrella paraded up Main street with a real band in the lead. At the courthouse square they were halted by the school children, one thousand strong and a jolly time was in order. Souvenirs were handed out and the visitors were tendered a welcome by Mayor Clyde E. Thomas and W. W. Rix, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Our citizens turned out in force to tender the live bunch of fellows a cordial welcome. The visitors did appreciate the reception accorded them here and especially the presence of the school children.

All-day Song and Religious Service

An all-day service was observed at the new Baptist Church on the Big Spring-Lanewa highway, midway between Fairview and Davis school house on Sunday, May 4th.

Community song service beginning at 10 a. m. was led by W. R. Purser. At 11 a. m. Rev. W. S. Garnett, pastor of the Baptist Church at Midland, delivered an especially fine sermon.

It is estimated that one thousand folks enjoyed the fine dinner served on the grounds during the noon hour. It was truly a feast and everyone was welcome.

In the afternoon splendid talks were made by Rev. W. D. Green and Rev. Chandler of Knott.

At three o'clock the Executive board of the Big Spring Baptist Association met and it was unanimously decided to secure a missionary for a Summer Evangelistic Campaign. Rev. Garnett of Midland is chairman of the committee empowered to select a minister for this work which is planned to start June 1st.

The new church is certainly a credit to the community in which it is located. With a seating capacity of five hundred this new church is pronounced one of the best church buildings in our county.

Recital

One of the most interesting musical affairs of the week was the recital on Wednesday evening when Mrs. Harry Hurt presented two of her pupils in recital at her home. They were Miss Otero Lloyd, voice pupil, and Lillian Shiek, piano pupil.

The audience was most appreciative of this unusual program, of which the opening number was a difficult group of Beethoven's compositions played by Lillian Shiek. Polse and excellent rhythm were two outstanding qualifications of this young student. She entered into the spirit of the pieces in a most splendid manner and played each difficult group entirely from memory.

Miss Otero Lloyd is the successor of a beautiful lyric soprano voice, and sang with earnestness and understanding. Two groups of songs were her interpretation of Latin pronunciation were very beautiful. The ease with which she took the high notes in "Casta Diva" ("Adagio") and Bartoli's "A. D. 1800" was worthy of credit.

Those fortunate enough to be present were given an hour of real pleasure.

Glezier to Gulf Motorway Elects

Austin North of El Paso, Texas, was this week selected as a part of the Glezier to Gulf Motorway, a 2,000-mile international highway extending from Calgary, Canada, thru Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Texas and to Tampico, Mexico, connecting the dominion parks to the national parks of the Northwest and with the Gulf Coast.

Big Spring is on the Glezier to Gulf Motorway as this roadway traverses the Pecos Gap by Gulf route thru this portion of Texas.

Sam Brewer attended the annual meeting of the Clothing Dealers Association at San Antonio last week. Mrs. Brewer and little daughter accompanied him and visited relatives and friends in Austin.

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The above was the report of social committee Sunday at 3:30 p. m. when the Juniors met, following the Intermediates. There were not many at the meeting Sunday, but those there were up with their program, with sentence prayers, and paid dues to the amount of 40 cents. After business reports and song service they were dismissed by Mizpah. They then went to the M. E. church and practiced for Mothers day.

The program for next Sunday is as follows:

Sunday the Juniors will begin their programs after business hour, by singing "Whom do we Love Best?" Leader—Thelma Mullikin; Song; Subject, How to make our home happy, John 2:1-10; Sentence prayer; How does obedience make a happy home—Raymond DeShazo; How does thoughtfulness make a happy home—Noble DeVaney; Story, Flora Madison; Games that make a happy home, Grandy Robinson; Friends in the home, Grandville Martin; Music in the home, Pauline Thomason; Duet, Morris Bass and Hamlin Houck; How do children make some homes unhappy, Juanita Cook; Recitation, Of Home, Stella May Adams; Song; Dismissal.

The Intermediates met at 2:30, Sunday, May 4th with only four member absent. The girls arrived before hour for lesson so did some good practice for Mothers day. House called to order by president; 19 visits and 10 lunches were reported, with 7 on lookout credit. Under old business the Holland club was discussed. Under new business ways and means of raising money were discussed. It was agreed to have a 35 cent social. This social to be had out of doors. Each person to bring 35 cents and each girl a box of lunch for two and the boys to bring fruit. The one who writes the best poem of how the money was made will win some little gift. Gretna's circle has the program for Sunday next. George's circle was complete—for when one was absent, then George filled the vacancy—and he did it well. One of the most enjoyable features of the program was George's selections on the french-harp. After dismissal all went to the M. E. Church to practice for Mothers day, May 11th.

The following program is for next Sunday. Subject—Jesus in the home; Leader, Troy Keller; Scripture reading, Luke, 10:30-42; Sentence prayers; A story What for, J. W. Neel; Jesus in a happy home, Anne Reed; Jesus in a sad home, Clover Phinney; How to give Jesus first place in the home, Mary Evevyn Houck; A true story, Vernon Duncan; How Jesus helps in the home of the poor, Vera Hale; How Jesus helps in the home of the rich, Aleen Bass; How Jesus helps the children in the home, Gretna Vickery.

The S. C. E. met at the usual hour Sunday evening. All save one, who was on the program, were present. Johnnie Graham was leader. We were glad to see so many present, but the Baptist were missed. They organized a B. Y. P. U. which took away many of the C. E. workers. We hope that their society will succeed to the extent that it will add enthusiasm to the entire town, in a religious way. Mayhap the two young people's societies will bring out greater efforts on part of some whose talent has lain dormant, while all were together. Mrs. Fred Mullikin was elected president and Mary Crocker secretary. We hope they will elect a press reporter and each Monday morning hand to the Coahoma correspondent the message, written. Some of our C. E. members at first felt that the duties left for them would be strenuous on so few, but when so good attendance and such loyal support was manifested Sunday evening all felt as the God is with them. After the program the president took charge of the meeting and explained to all that \$15.00 of the N. E. R. pledge was due. This was no sooner done, than twenty dollars was raised—free-will offerings. Fifteen of this to be sent to N. E. R. and the other five to start a fund to meet our state pledge of \$30.00, one-fourth of which is now due. The costume for Austin convention was discussed and party for Friday, May 16th was planned with committees appointed for entertainment and receptions. The program for next Sunday night will be a joint one as the withdrawal of the Baptist young people will necessitate appointing one new captain, and the



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two choosing sides again, which will be done next Sunday. As the program is a Mothers day one, the participants have been chosen largely from the matured members of C. E. Leader, Olga Wolfe; Subject, Being a Christian in the Home, Eph. 6:1-14; Song, Mother, No. 110; Maker of a Christian, Leroy Echols; A Worthy home life, Robert Guthrie; Christian Tenderness, W. Shive; Christianity in youth, Dr. Liles; Song, My Mothers Prayers have followed me, No. 92; Tempered Temper, Ruby Lee Weaver; Prayer; Home sense, Putman Cramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Keller with their two youngest boys went to San Angelo Wednesday. Mr. Tom McCann carried them.

Rev. Green preached three good sermons the past week end.

Mrs. Mullikin has organized her S. S. class—name, Willing Workers. L. D. Hull is planning to organize his Bible class. These two classes complete in attendance, collections and good lessons.

Our baseball nine went to Westbrook Saturday and easily won the game.

Irene Mullikin had a few friends for the evening Friday. Those who enjoyed her hospitality were, Ruby Elliott, Edna Graham, Eva Reeves, Thelma Weatherly, Blanch Weatherly, Ruby Kirby, Iona Eggleston, Frankie Smith, Lena Coffman, Annie Belle Roberts, Willie Eggleston, Reuben Reeves, Phillip Spears, Emmet Eggleston, Laurence Eggleston, Alvin Walker, Jimmie Walker, Willis Walker, Orville Carter, Johnnie Graham, Jack Collins and Tom Birkhead.

The business men of the town give a barbecue Friday on the school ground. Ladies are asked to bring salads, cakes, pies. The pupils are decorating the school building these first days of the week, and practicing as well. Pat Roberts gave the school a short address last week and presented them with fifty-one one dollar bills, that were direct from the mint. This amount had been donated by Coahoma citizens. Each dollar was tied with the school colors.

Many members of the Masons

Judge of Merkle met with Coahoma Masons Thursday night. Echols received his fellowcraft, Dr. Liles and Jay Hendricks received their master's degree. The Coahoma lodge officiating in Dr. Liles' initiation, while the Merkle lodge did honors for Mr. Hendricks. Mr. Hendricks home has long been those men, and they took this as of showing their appreciation of Of course he was pleased. Babements were served and enjoyed all there.

Many of our citizens attended singing exercises of the R-Bar school day night.

Be at the M. E. Church Sunday the Mothers day program.

Following is the program:

Song by congregation.

March by Juniors and Intermediates.

Recitation—Texie Sullivan. Male quartet.

Recitation—Morris Bass.

Song—Junior girls.

Recitation—Bama Hale.

Song—Stella May Adams.

Addie Pearl Fletcher.

Story.

Duet—Annie Reed and Norma Prayer.

Song—Intermediates girls.

Offering for homeless men now under construction at Dakota.

Special music.

Address—Rev. King.

Solo—Mrs. Frank Logan.

Address—Mayor Clyde Thomas.

Big Spring.

Song by congregation.

Dismissal.

Mr. and Mrs. Brentford and children arrived Sunday their ranch near Allamore with relatives in this city.

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For the Boy Graduate of Gifts to select from Jewelry & Drug Co.

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realized that each member is helping them, both in prayer and efforts. After Bible study period, and a short business session, our teacher, Mrs. Kate Wolfe, took charge of the lesson and capably handled the subject. The lesson for next meeting is the last chapter in the book—"The Child and America's Future." After the lesson all repaired to the dining room where an ice course was served and enjoyed. It was agreed to do as the Synod requested and give the four-square party as suggested. The party to be given Saturday, May 24 in Mrs. Thad Hale's home. The proceeds of the evening to go to the Assembly Training school. As the C. E. put the required pageant on at the Presbyterian it was decided to dispense with that. We understand that the C. E. rendering same in Big Spring, also relieved the Big Spring Auxiliary of studying the pageant. We are glad to have helped in some small way the ladies for they were such excellent hostesses to us on more than one occasion.

Charles Dinwiddie was host to Misses Bessie Adams, Dorris Wolfe, Olga Wolfe; Putman Cramer and Fletcher Sneed Thursday evening. The occasion was one of instruction in the art of playing Mah-Jong. A two-course luncheon was served. Each dish represented the daisy, while the striped stick candy was the only reminder of the May Day may pole.

Many Coahoma cars, well loaded attended the singing convention at Colorado Sunday.

Mrs. Della Hale spent six weeks with her sister, Mrs. Ellis Grant, near Colorado, returning home ten days past. Mr. Wheeler, Miss Callie Wheeler and the little Hale children went to Mrs. Grant's Sunday week. Miss Callie stayed there with her sister, and new nephew, a stout little fellow—the only grand baby in the Grant family.

P. L. Fletcher was in an auto wreck in San Antonio last week, and was seriously hurt, being in a hospital in that city.

Mrs. Tom Sullivan's mother is visiting her; all her friends are glad to see her among them.

Miss Susie Brown is home with her sister, Mrs. DeShazo, and is able to sit up. Friends are delighted.

Mrs. Marshall came home Wednesday. Every one is glad she is doing so well.

Rev. King, M. E. pastor, is among his parishioners as busy as a bee directing and planning Mothers Day program.

Mr. and Mrs. Lay are home from San Marcos, and they do report a pleasant visit.

Mrs. Bob McKinley, nee Irene Roberts, was the happy recipient of another shower last week; this all in one big box however. A big box with precious gifts, and family heirlooms, from her husband's family.

The Junior party Saturday afternoon was a success. The little folks began to gather before the hour and visit till time for the fun to begin.

They seated themselves on improvised benches placed around the walls of the garage. Bible stories were told, and Bible characters discussed till all were present—then each guest put his quarter in the bowl. A Bible question was propounded, with the understanding that the one who answered the question first should be the first to tell how she secured her quarter. Flora Madison won. Her verse was unique in the wording—but lack of space prevents too many being given. Yet we cannot refrain from giving verbatim the words of some. And I am sure that many friends will be able to tell the author; guess the author before reading the name. "When I overhauled the Ford motor. Dad patted me on the dome, gave me a quarter, and said, "Give it to the orphan's home.—R. L. Adams Other folks earn money whether they work or not. But I drove cows for the money I got.—Little Buster Madison. I took 25 cents and made some candy. That 25 cents grew to be a dandy. For the candy I did get a half-dollar you see; Half for the orphans and half for me.—Frances Thomason. I carried wood, I carried water, That's the way, I made my quarter.—George Houck. My mother did bake, an angel food cake, And we sold it to get our two quarters. From this you have learned. How the money was earned. By our mother's two oldest daughters.—Texie and Lahoma Sullivan. Mama gives me a quarter every day. If such there is—when I don't run away.—Junior Collins.

Juniors won the prize. Mrs. Simon was judge and declared Junior must have worked harder than any one if he stayed home all day. Another one denoting a reward for good behavior was: I went a whole day and did not cry; I have a quarter and that is why.—Mavis Madison.

Another case of reward—the patient refused to take medicine unless bribed, resulted in this poem: The way my quarter I made, Was taking castor oil in lemonade. —Dorothy Collins. There is one other we must mention for the thought is one that it would do all Christians to observe. The thought was expressed by the donor: I went to the garden one eve, And carried a hoe you see, I hoe'd six rows by your leave, So made on each for me, Just four pennies and a sixth of one, A full quarter that does make, And every stroke was gladly done, And every cent given for Christ's sake.—Annie Hale.

There were others as good but can not print all. Two stories by Gladys and J. H. McCann must be mentioned for they were certainly interesting.

All enjoyed the "ways" read, then the big stick of candy was given Junior—who broke it and passed it to the tiniest tot. The donation amounted to \$6.25—all to be sent to the orphans of the N. E. R., and was started on its way Tuesday in company with the senior C. E.'s donation. While the little folks were playing games from "Let's Play," by Edna



This Sketch Was Made from an Actual Photograph

Who Would Pay The Bills?

If a windstorm should damage your home would you be out of pocket or would your insurance company foot the bills? The cost of a windstorm policy is so small that it is "ponny wise pound foolish" to be without one.

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Big Springs Insurance Agency

Telephone 173

Coahoma News Items

Coahoma correspondent failed to mention the fact that Miss Della Kidd drove into Big Spring Saturday, April 19th—drove in with Arthur Walker—drove home as Mrs. Arthur Walker. Like the sensible persons they were were, they immediately began housekeeping, near Arthur Walker's mother, who lives on Mr. Shive's place. Arthur had his home in readiness for his bride.

Lo and behold, the very next Saturday John Walker drove up to Big Spring, accompanied by Miss Velma Kidd and brought her home his wife. They followed the example of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walker, and went into their home—living in the house with brother and sister.

Again our correspondent failed to report one of the most agreeably spent afternoons that said correspondent has enjoyed since her sojourn in this little city—the social hour of the Auxiliary which met with Mrs. Shive. The new officers presided. They had dreaded the undertaking previous to this meeting—but they

Well Able to Take Care of Ford Millions



Edsel Ford, son of Henry Ford, who is every day taking on additional responsibilities in the active management of the Ford industries, has inherited the keen business mind of his famous dad, say industrial giants, who recently had the opportunity to study him in action. Photo is a recent picture of Edsel Ford and his wife.

Made Wealthy



Last October Miss Anita Ercell of St. Paul, Minn., gave her blood to save the life of Mrs. Wm. Morton, age 76. Now, at the latter's death, she leaves her entire \$200,000 estate to the girl.

Speed Still His



Charles Paddock, fastest sprint man the world has ever known, shows the form of old in his first Olympic tryouts. Last week he shattered another mark, making him the holder of nine world records.

Bryan Pays Tribute To This Newspaper



Wm. Jennings Bryan says he would rather speak to the American people through Autocaster News Service than through any other medium, because it reaches the small town and country folks. This newspaper is served exclusively in this town by Autocaster Service.

Tuning Up



Representative Theodore Burton of Ohio will be temporary chairman and "keynoter" of the G. O. P. National Convention.

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City Federation Notes
The City Federation had a well attended and enthusiastic meeting last Tuesday. Mrs. Roe, chairman of the Tag Day committee, reported that the business section of the city had been divided up, and groups of women and girls would be on hand selling the big Booster Edition of The Herald, and pinning tags on all who bought. Mrs. Morgan, president, urged all members of the Federation to be on the streets and help push this good work along. Next Saturday will be a day when our many true Federation women will have an opportunity of showing their colors. Interest in the big Booster paper grows keener and keener, and many are on the alert to get the first copy. The membership captains, Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Blakey, reported a most successful drive. More than 100 members were reported paid up and a number of others to hear from. The two captains were congratulated on their splendid work. Some important civic matters were discussed, and plans and details will be given later. The June Carnival brought forth some splendid plans. The Carnival committee and a standing Park committee will be appointed at once and announced in next week's paper. Join the City Federation and work with Big Spring's Women Boosters.

Watch for the new Gent's Furnishings Store—soon to open.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Ray Willcox Entertains Club.
The members of the Thursday Rook club were entertained by Mrs. Ray Willcox last week and an especially enjoyable session was in order. In the closely contested games Mesdames L. L. Freeman and A. J. Gallemore tied for the honor of making club high score; Mrs. Freeman winning in the cut. Mesdames Leslie Thomas and Mrs. J. O. Hoard tied for visitor's high score, with Mrs. Thomas winning in the cut. Delicious refreshments were served in two courses at the close of the games.

For the better grade of Watch Repairing go to. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Reward for Lost Mare
A little black mare strayed from my place 20 miles northwest of Big Spring. Will pay \$5 reward for her return or for information leading to her recovery. H. H. Padgett, Big Spring, Texas.

Watch out for the Tag crowd Saturday. Have your dimes ready. Never have we had so much to give our Boosters for their ten cents per. Get a whole bunch of papers from the girls. Send them broadcast over the United States.

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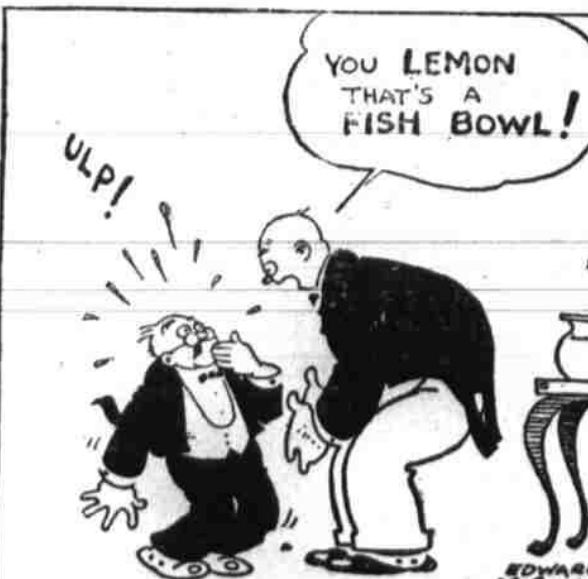
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FOLKS IN OUR TOWN

Anything Tastes Good When You Are Thirsty

By Edward McCullough



RADIO HINTS



Your storage battery can be used for lighting the filaments of 129 tubes by connecting the battery clips to only two of the cells which will give 4 volts, the CORRECT operating voltage. For 1½ volt tubes the clips must only connect 1 cell of the battery. It is advisable, however, to change the clips from one cell to the other every few days, in order to drain the battery evenly. This is recommended when you wish to use dry cell tubes in some experiment.

Don't worry so much about "summer static." Think about your battery. The trouble...

there. A voltmeter, reading from 0 to 50 volts should be in your home to test your batteries. Summer heat lowers the life of B battery. When it runs down from heat it gives forth noises which are mistaken for static. Renew the battery and, presto! no "static."

A ground clamp or wire cannot be soldered to a water pipe until the water has been drained out of it. Use a prick-point clamp on the water pipe and solder the ground wire to the clamp.

According to the Radio Laboratory of the Washington Bureau of

Standards, No. 14 solid, bare, copper wire, or larger sizes, is best for outdoor antennas. Stranded wire, though stronger, has greater resistance and hence lower signals. Fifty to 150 feet, direct from the set to the highest point available at the distant end is recommended.

As the static season approaches a loop aerial will be found the best. It eliminates static and interference.

Finest residence lot in Big Spring, 66 2-3x140, for sale. GEO. L. WILKE.

Miss Maud L... of Fort Worth arrived Tuesday to spend her vacation with old time friends.

Four kinds of ice cream and short-bread fresh every day. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Wall paper for any room in the house... Cunningham & Philips.

The boss has spring fever, but is doing nicely, according to the accompanying physician's bulletin, issued at the Twelfth Green; Thirteenth Tee; Golfside.

POISON YOUR RATS... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

Flower seed... Cunningham & Philips.

Nicholas and Linnie Crenshaw of Mineral Wells are here for a visit with their uncle, L. E. Crenshaw and family.

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If it's the latest in Jewelry you'll find it here. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

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

Light Housekeeping Rooms For Rent

Walter Largent left Wednesday for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gib Jackson at Lubbock.

Aroenic in case you happen to see a grasshopper... Cunningham & Philips.

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MEMORIES



A Brilliant Screen Romance!



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 Scenario by Oulda Bergere June Mathis Editorial Director
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Monday and Tuesday
 May 12th and 13th



Learn how to Love in "6 Days." Girls which would you choose? A very wealthy man of sixty with kindness and affection, or a poor young man of twenty with true love to offer and a doubtful future. See "6 Days."

It is a stormily interesting picture. A banker ruined and slain by his own hand, his widow selling their daughter to a titled Englishman, the Englishman involved with the mother of the daughter's sweetheart and the complications recorded above — and out of these situations are evolved much suspense and action

Elinor Glyn in her screen story "Six Days" dramatically traps her lovers in an old German dug-out far below the ground near Rheims. Two lovers. Trapped in a dugout. She, engaged to another. It was a matter of a few days before their food would go, and eternal darkness would set in. He loved her so. And she, despite her pledges, loved him passionately. Could anything keep them apart now?

Every emotion of heart and brain is pictured and the filmed result of the venture is a throbbing, colorful picture that assuredly should keep spectators guessing from the introduction to the final fade-out.

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W. F. Cushing was in Thursday from his ranch in Glascock County.

COMPARE THE DRINK
 CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

J. F. Hair and F. C. Hopkins made a business trip to Colorado and Sweetwater Sunday.

Carry home some of our ice cream in the tidy packers...
 Cunningham & Philips.

If you desire a location for a home or a good business site, see me before you buy. EARLE A. READ 333p

Miss Myrtle Reeves after a few days visit with friends in this city left Monday for her home at Rotan.

"Flirting propensities of City Gals" See DOT—High School Auditorium, Thursday night, May 22.

W. G. Murray of Abernathy was here Thursday enroute to San Angelo and other points in that section of the state. He visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nall during his brief stay in our city.

The ladies of the East Side Circle of the First Christian Church will hold a sale of food, including dressed chickens in the basement of the First State Bank building next Saturday, May 10th.

John Clarke last week purchased the residence of Jack Weir at 308 Gregg street and has had same moved to 709 Scurry street. Mr. Weir will build a handsome new home on the site of his old one.

Booster Edition of The Herald now ready for distribution. The City Federation will have Tag Day Saturday, May 10th. Everyone buying a paper gets a booster tag free. Big Spring is the most thoroughly canvassed in the papers.

The government gauge at the U. S. Experiment Station gave Monday's rainfall as 0.10 inches. Quite a bit of hail was in evidence here and at other points. It is reported that a severe hail storm struck at E. B. Gillean's place south of town, killing many chickens and doing considerable damage to crops.

The Texas and Pacific railway plan of adjustment providing for financial reorganization without foreclosure, had been declared operative, Kuhn, Loeb and Company announced. About \$25,000,000 second mortgage income bonds of which the Missouri Pacific is the principal holder, will be converted into preferred stock. The Interstate Commerce Commission was said to have approved the plan. Rev. Geo. J. Ruth, pastor of the First Christian Church, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth, will leave next Monday for Uvalde; Rev. Ruth having been called to that city to perform a wedding ceremony on May 19th. They will return by way of San Antonio and will be gone about ten days on this trip.

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
 This is to certify that I have been suffering from paralysis, stomach trouble, gall stones and my health was run down in general; couldn't get around without being supported by something; went to Dr. Shoultz, took his treatment. The first few days I had to have my meals brought to me. Now I can go anywhere I want to and feel better in every way than I have for years and I can earnestly recommend Dr. Shoultz to all suffering of diseases.
 Mrs. M. F. Gaskins, Knott, Texas
 —(advertisement-11-pd.)

High School News

Remember the Senior Play is to be on Thursday night, May 22. The name of the play is "Dot, the Miner's Daughter." Miss Mary Johnson is coaching it and of course it will be a success. Don't miss it.

The Junior-Senior banquet, one of our "grandest" events was held Wednesday night, May 7th. Miss Eubank was toastmistress and the affair came off at the Busy Bee Restaurant

Roscoe defeated Big Spring H. S. last Wednesday; the score being 8-3.

Fine Farm For Sale

Have 325 acres of land on highway, 165 acres planted to cotton; medium improvements. Every foot of this is level and good; one Fordson tractor, one Oliver 3-gang disk, one 2-row Case planter, all new and good condition. Will sell and will give possession at once. Price, \$41.00 per acre, one-third down, one to ten years on balance. This land is located three miles south of Ackerly, Texas. S. J. SMITH, Knott, Texas. 34-2tp

"Ten cents, please." "What for?" "This 40-page Booster Edition of The Herald." "How come?" "The City Federation is boosting Howard County for first place in the Lone Star State." "Sure—Make it ten. Some paper! Best dollar's worth I ever bought."

Jno. Currie and Courtney Davies left last week for a motor trip to El Paso and the Elephant Butte dam, and expect to be absent about two weeks.

A fine boy arrived Wednesday, May 5th to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gaskin of the Knott community.

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Big Spring, Friday, May 9, 1924

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

We are authorized to announce the following for the respective offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 28, 1924:

- For Representative 91st District:
J. H. BOGGS.
- For District Attorney, 32nd District:
JAMES T. BROOKS.
- For County Judge:
H. R. DEBENPORT
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
W. W. SATTERWHITE.
B. F. (BUD) McKINNEY.
- For County and District Clerk:
J. I. PRICHARD.
JOHN WITEN.
- For County Treasurer:
E. G. TOWLER.
- For Tax Assessor:
ANDERSON BAILEY.
LUTHER J. SMITH.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
O. C. (Chas.) BAYES.
JOHN DILLARD
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
JOE E. ADAMS.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
GEORGE WHITE.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
W. M. FLETCHER.
TOM HOLLER.
- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
T. W. ANGEL.

Political

These political times, and some of us are becoming so wrought up with holy indignation or fervid patriotism we can hardly keep our gaiters on the ground. From Paris, which is less political than lots of Texas cities, but some political nevertheless, comes a letter from a puzzled constituent who inquires to know "I wish you would tell me what a Democrat is," he begins seeming not to realize the difficulty of an adequate answer. "I am now past three score and ten years of age, have always voted what I thought to be the Democratic ticket, but things are so scrambled now I don't know what I am," he goes on. "We have the K. K. K., the pros and anti-pros, the Socialist-Labor, the Farm-Labor Union, all political parties, but running on the Democratic ticket," our veteran customer concludes. It is true, and very confusing. Time was when a Democrat didn't need a chaperon when he went into a campaign, but nowadays if he doesn't proclaim himself one of the various sorts of Democrats in circulation he feels like a flapper at a rainy-day funeral. State Press also has noted what he thought was the Democratic ticket and, like the Paris septuagenarian, is at present in doubt of what to do. He knows he is not going Republican or Socialist, but if he has to vote for nominees appointed for the Democratic party by organizations boring from within he may inadvertently do as much harm to the party of his inheritance as if he were to vote directly against it. Not being a member of the Farm-Labor Union, or the K. K. K., or the Knights of the Flaming Sword, S. P. can not affirm with authority that they care nothing for the Democrats party and care much for the satisfaction of inner ambitions, personal grudges and private interests. He suspects that all these organizations are animated by selfishness, prompted by individuals who aim to profit through the larger structure of the Democratic party, yet who ally themselves with minor organizations in order to serve particular ends. State Press repeats that he cannot from his own knowledge avoid the ulterior purposes of the various groups which seek the hospitality of the Democratic party while rattling its pantry, but speaking as a Kamelias and for the Kamelias, S. P. declares with whatever boldness seems becoming that he is resolved to vote for candidates, precinct, presidential and intermediate, who appeal only to Democrats for nomination. En finale, he will say to the Paris confusée that a Democrat probably is now what a Democrat always was—id est, a gentleman who looks with suspicion upon specialized groups maneuvering within the larger group. Woman's psychology has greatly changed since she began stepping into her clothes instead of putting them on over her head.—State Press in Dallas News.



Mrs. Tucker in a New Dress

YOU know good Mrs. Tucker. That cheerful helper who has brought happiness to countless kitchens. Who has made cooking easier and food better. Wherever she goes she is joyfully welcomed. For Mrs. Tucker's Shortening, the South's own cooking fat, is acclaimed the finest shortening there is by all who use it.

Now Mrs. Tucker has a new dress. It is the New Pail. And a most wonderful pail it is. For it is at once air-tight and easy to open—a rare combination indeed. Moreover, it is highly sanitary. And when empty you will find it extremely useful as a bucket for household use or as a dinner pail.

Your grocer has Mrs. Tucker's Shortening. And you can always be sure he will deliver it to you sweet and fresh. The air-tight feature of the New Pail sees to that. After you've opened it, the lid fits snugly, keeping out all dirt. And there's no place inside for impurities to collect.

Use Mrs. Tucker's Shortening. Use it freely. It is easily digestible. Far more so than olive oil, corn oil, hog lard, cocoanut oil, soy-bean oil, or beef or mutton tallow. This has often been proved by the United States Department of Agriculture. For Mrs. Tucker's Shortening is made exclusively from cottonseed-oil. It's so labeled on the New Pail. Ask your grocer for it to-day. Cook with it. Find out for yourself what so many already know—that Mrs. Tucker's Shortening, in the New Pail, is the finest and most convenient cooking fat you can buy.

Easy to Open



You can lift the lid out with your fingers. But it fits snugly enough to keep the Shortening fresh, and keep out all dirt.

Mrs Tucker's Shortening

in the NEW PAIL!



Hand Bag Lost

A black leather hand bag was lost on Garden City road Thursday of last week. Contained letters, Stetson hat and clothing. Finder return to Herald office or communicate with owner, I. W. BOGART, Regnier, Okla. 1t-pd

Good Business Lots for Sale

I have a few good business lots suitable for any good business location which I will sell or give a long time lease. Can fix you up for a location for a home. Terms if desired. EARLE A. READ. 333t-p

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Allen returned last week from Lynn County where they had been to visit their son and daughter and their families.

Earl Comer of Dallas was here this week for a visit with the family of Dr. W. C. Barnett.

Dr. Campbell

of Abilene

will be in Big Spring every Saturday to do Eye, Ear Noise and Throat work, and fit glasses.

Rooms For Rent

Two nice rooms—furnished for light housekeeping. Call at 511 W. Fourth Street. 1t-pd

The Big Spring man who whines that he never had a chance is probably one who wouldn't recognize it if he met it in the road.

LOOK! LOOK!
Plenty of storage at Bankhead Garage Open Day and Night

Last Chance at Shrine at \$50
D. Price has been notified that another Shrine Ceremonial will be held at Fort Worth so that those who failed to attend the last one may have an opportunity to join the Shrine before the initiation fee is increased from \$50 to \$75.

Here's the message Mr. Price received from Frank Taylor, Potentate of Fort Worth Shrine, conveying this information: "Being requested by so many nobles and candidates who were unable to attend the last ceremonial on account of heavy rains I have decided to hold another ceremonial. Kindly notify all those who failed to come that another opportunity to receive the...

May 24th, Saturday night, at the Mosque. Please advise prospects with as little delay as possible." After June 1st the initiation fee will be \$75 instead of \$50, as at present.

We will sell you 640 acres of land located sixteen miles from Big Spring—fifty per cent tillable, balance good grass, one mile of good highway; \$8.50 per acre. COOK BROTHERS, Office over Williams Store.

Mrs. Mangus Johnson forbids her husband to enter any more milking contests. Many a woman has to step in to prevent her husband making a fool of himself.

Maybe they could improve the political platforms this year if each party would include a fence for the candidate to straddle.

H. L. Rix left Monday for a...

True Worth
William Byron Coburn and modern rolled into general editorial manager of chief of the Washington "Newspapers always amuse, and preach; and will, in one form or another, we serve is the public; we become the servants of our fellowmen, and our papers live, no higher calling or career."

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“Merry Old Chief” Coming

Programs you have heard by Radio from
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By the “Merry Old Chief” Himself
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BOLLWEEVIL CONTROL METHODS

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State & Government Experts

When the boll weevils come from their winter quarters after a fast of several months they lose no time getting to feeding grounds. As their choice, and virtually only “dish,” is cotton, they quickly fly to the nearest field and begin devouring the plants. Feeding may take place on the seed leaves or the regular leaves if any have developed.

The insects usually are found in the extreme tip of the plant. If feeding happens to take place at the point where the two seed leaves branch the plant frequently dies, but feeding elsewhere has little effect on the plant's growth. Feeding continues in these places until squares appear when they attack them. As long as there is an abundance of squares not punctured the developing bolls are practically free of injury, but when the weevils puncture a majority of the squares the insects begin attacking the bolls.

As long as the female weevils have nothing to eat but leaves they show no tendency to lay eggs, as they must obtain food from squares before the eggs develop. After the eggs begin to develop practically all the food of the females is obtained from the squares as they bore the egg cavities. The male weevil, however, remains on a square for some time, puncturing it over and over until it begins to become dry.

Weevils regularly take moisture from dew or rain drops on the leaves and other parts of the plants.

The first sign of injury of cotton squares is what is called flaring. This is the spreading outward of the three leaflike divisions of the square enclosing the square. The square also turns yellow at this time. Flaring usually takes place from two to three days after the egg has been placed in the square. Virtually all squares which have been fed upon or have eggs placed in them drop to the ground. Usually it is about a week from the time a square receives an egg until it falls.

Tests have shown that the weevil prefers Sea Island or Egyptian cotton to any of the upland American varieties, but among the latter no choice is shown.

The boll weevil is sometimes found on plants other than cotton and has been observed in okra blooms. However, it has never been known to place eggs in other than cotton squares and efforts to force it to do so have failed.

Further information may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 220 Whitney building, New Orleans.

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One of the most interesting features of boll weevil control to the cotton farmer is the “cost and profit” of applying measures. Referring to the use of calcium arsenate one expert has declared that, “It does not cost to dust—it does cost not to dust.” A comparison of three methods of poisoning in an average of all tests conducted in the South in 1923 has been made and these figures show conclusively that it pays to use calcium arsenate in dust form. The comparison follows:

Florida Method: Untreated check-plots averaged a yield per acre of 858.7 pounds of seed cotton; treated plots averaged 514.3 pounds, a gain of 127.8 pounds at a cost of \$5.82 an acre with a profit of \$7.94.

Sweetened Poisons: Untreated check-plots averaged a yield of 663 pounds per acre, while treated plots averaged 769 pounds, a gain of 107 pounds at a cost of \$10.17 an acre and a profit of \$0.94.

Calcium Arsenate in Dust Form: Untreated checks averaged a yield of 656.6 pounds per acre, and untreated plots averaged 869.3 pounds, a gain of 202.7 pounds at a cost of \$7.74 and a profit of \$25.66.

Thus it is shown that application of calcium arsenate in dust form increases the yield, lowers the cost and increases the profit. Poisoning by this method should be even more profitable this year under average weather conditions, as the price of calcium arsenate is somewhat lower and probably will not go higher provided farmers buy their supply early in the season.

Dusting with calcium arsenate should be applied with machines built especially for dusting cotton and the applications made only when the air is calm and the plants are moist. This usually means making only night applications. From five to seven pounds of calcium arsenate should be used to the acre.

There should be an interval of four or five days between applications unless a heavy rain follows one application. The cotton should be thoroughly dusted until the weevils are under control. This usually means about three applications. Applications should be renewed when the infestation again reaches 10 to 15 per cent.

Further information on boll weevil control measures may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 220 Whitney building, New Orleans, Louisiana.

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Presbyterian Auxiliary Notes

The splendid rain last Monday prevented the meeting for Bible study. So the same plan of study will be used the first Monday in June.

The entire church is looking forward to the program which the Auxiliary will given on Sunday night, May 18th. The young ladies will have entire charge of the music. There will be lady ushers, and ladies in charge of the offering. The complete program will be published in next week's paper.

At Monday the Auxiliary will meet at the church at 8 o'clock for the regular monthly program.

Mrs. T. S. Currie is chairman and the following program has been arranged:

- Subject: Negroes in Africa and at Home.
- Song—The Light of the World is Jesus.
- Prayer.
- Devotional—Leader.
- Where Darkness Reigns—Mrs. Markham.
- The King's Sacrifice Girl—Mrs. Tamsitt.
- Solo—Mrs. Bilberry.
- Something to Think About—by all present.
- Inasmuch—Mrs. Shepherd.
- Conferences for Colored Women—Mrs. Cunningham.
- Circle of prayer.
- Closing Song—Even Me.
- Mizpah benediction.

All the ladies are urged to be present.

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Mrs. Jno. A. Davis returned last Friday from a four months visit with relatives at Weatherford, Fort Worth, points in the Panhandle and Oklahoma.

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

For the Boy Graduate—hundreds of Gifts to select from. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

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Church of Christ Notes
Bible school, 10 a. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.
Church services every fourth Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Brother Foréhand preached for us last Fourth Sunday. His theme was "What Shall I Do to be Saved?" In Acts 16 we find Paul's answer to the jailor's question. He said: "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and thou shalt be saved."

In Acts 2 we find Peter's answer to the multitude, "Repent ye, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ unto the remission of your sins; and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."

In Mark 16 we find Christ's answer to the question. He said, "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved."

From these answers we find that a man must believe, repent, and be baptized before he can be saved.

The ladies will meet with Mrs. Stovall next Monday, May 12th for Bible class. All come that can.

WORTH THE MONEY

Dandy 4-room and bath on Scurry street. It will please you \$2,650.00.
Good 5-room and bath on Jack street, \$3,000.

Town on highway, east front and on the block of courthouse. \$3,500 willing.

Extra good 7-room, east front and corner lot, Jack street, \$3,650.

We are exclusive agents for some very choice Main street residence property. Priced to sell right.

Inquire in the Safe Guard of N. Y. D. F. PAINTER REALTY CO. First class South First State Bank.

The Dallas News suggests that before a girl marries a stranger she had better ascertain whether he has gotten rid of his first wife lawfully. Along with the loose age in which we are living the stranger comes in for his share of fun and frolic. The custom is so prevalent for girls and women to take to strangers without ascertaining their standing or character. The matter of being married or single does not interfere as a rule for the stranger to enter the American home provided he has a good car and money for pleasure hunting. Oh, how far the South has departed from its past ideals.

Invest in Real Estate—The Best Yet

College Heights lots sold on easy terms, \$10 down and \$10 per month, without interest. Have a few good residence lots closer in if you want a good buy. See me at Grand Leader or West Texas National Bank, J. F. HAIR. 32-1f.

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Vacuum Sweepers wear out. Has yours? Do not throw it away. We will accept it as part payment on a new Apex—the most remarkable electric electric vacuum cleaner ever built. J. N. COWAN, Demonstrator., 211 W. Howard St. 32-1f.

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Sewing Wanted—All kinds. All work guaranteed; prices reasonable. Call at 107 Deming street or phone 282. Mrs. A. J. CAMPBELL. 18-1f.

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If you want good Mebane cotton seed for planting phone 145. POOL-REED CO. 24-1f.

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Summertime is Wash Suit Time for Little Fellows

—And we are showing a big assortment of Tom Sawyer Wash Suits in pretty Oliver Twist, Middy, Flapper and other styles.

—Tom Sawyer Wash Suits are made of fabrics that are guaranteed not to fade or shrink. They're priced \$1.75 and upward to \$5.

BOBBY LEE HATS

—Just the thing to wear with the new Wash Suits; they're in colors to match them too. Priced 50c to \$2 each. Straw Hats in black, white and sand colors at \$1.25 to \$3.

FOR EVERY DAY WEAR

—Nothing beats a pair of Coveralls. We're featuring a special value in a khaki twill coverall at 98c; they come in sizes 2 to 8 years. Tom Sawyer Coveralls of finest quality khaki at \$1.50.

BOY'S SHIRTS AND BLOUSES

—They're the famous Tom Sawyer Shirts and Blouses and are made of fast color percale and madras in pretty striped, checked or solid color patterns. A big variety to select from; shirts at \$1 to \$2.50; blouses at 75c to \$1.50.

OXFORDS

—Kewpie Twin Oxfords of smoked elk with tan calf trimming; or mahogany calf with smoked elk trimming or of brown or tan calf and elk leathers. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$4.85 pair.

Albert M. Fisher Co.

Mothers Day

We are coming again to the observance of Mothers Day when our thoughts turn more especially to the one whom, of all living human beings, we owe the most—the one whose love is never failing and who never knew too great a sacrifice, when the happiness and welfare of her children are concerned.

Mothers Day is observed on the second Sunday in May, this year falling on the eleventh, when everyone who wants to do homage to motherhood will wear a bright flower for the mother living; a white flower for the mother dead. The carnation is favored over all flowers.

Mothers Day was originated by Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia, who founded the Mothers Day International Association, and the sixty-third congress passed a resolution fixing the second Sunday in May Mothers Day and making it the duty of the president to proclaim it.

The late President Wilson issued the first Mothers Day proclamation in 1914. States have also given recognition to the day. In 1913 Nebraska designated Mothers Day as a state flag day; in the same year Pennsylvania made Mothers Day a state holiday and since 1912 governors of Texas have annually pardoned deserving inmates of prisons on Mothers Day.

The original idea of Mothers Day embraced the simultaneous observance in every part of the world of the day as an acknowledgement of the love and reverence all men and women owe to their mothers.

In addition to the wearing of a flower as a tribute to their mothers, those whose mothers are living, but from whom they are separated, are urged by the promoters of the observance to visit or write them upon Mothers Day.

Though we stress the second Sunday in May as Mothers Day, it really should be every day in the year, for it is a background in every heart. The love felt by a mother for her children and by her children for her are things apart. They are proved by service and sacrifice, not by words. They need no special emphasis.

C. L. Alderman, Grand Commander.

At the annual conclave at San Antonio, Texas, last week, the grand commandery, Knights Templar of Texas elected C. L. Alderman as its grand commander for 1924-25.

Mr. Alderman, who was a citizen of Big Spring for many years, but within the past six months has moved to Dallas, where he purchased an interest in the brokerage business of H. B. Robertson. But even though he has moved from Big Spring, a host of old time friends here are just as proud of his having won this high honor as his friends in Dallas can be.

The honor is well deserved for he has ever been active in all branches Masonry, being a 33rd inspector general honorary of the Scottish Rite, a past grand high priest of the grand chapter of Texas, and now a member of the board of the Home for Aged Masons at Arlington. It is our prediction that Mr. Alderman will make one of the best grand commanders the Knights Templar of Texas ever had.

Big Spring Wallops Stanton

Manager Haynie of Stanton did not miss it far when he intimated last week that there would be no game between the Stanton and Big Spring teams here last Sunday.

There was no game; just a batting practice for the Big Spring team, from the looks of the score board.

For a team to win a twelve inning game by a score of 5 to 4, only to be slaughtered by a score of 21 to 2 in the succeeding contest, is having a pretty strong dose of crow to eat.

The Big Spring team certainly had their swatting clothes on and treated all the Stanton pitchers alike. They swatted four home runs. Stanton made her two tallies in the ninth inning, while Big Spring piled up her big score in the 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 6th, and 8th innings.

Mrs. Eckhaus Entertains Bridge Club

Mrs. Julius Eckhaus delightfully entertained the members of the Bridge club at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bernard Fisher, on Wednesday afternoon, May 7th, with a one o'clock Luncheon.

After the enjoyment of a delicious repast, the ever-interesting game of Bridge was in order and keenest interest was manifested in each and every game.

Mrs. W. W. Inkman had the honor of winning first prize and Mrs. J. D. Biles was awarded second prize. Mrs. Louis H. Powell of Chicago was an out-of-town guest.

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Finest residence lot in Big Spring. 66 2-3x140, for sale. GEO. L. WILKE. 1t

Beauty Parlor to be Installed.

By the last of next week an up-to-date beauty parlor should be operating in Big Spring. This is to be exclusively for ladies, and an expert will be in charge to superintend the work of marcelling, manicuring, facial work, hair dressing and "bobbing."

Leslie Thomas is installing this new establishment but it will be under the management of Mrs. Fay De Fassis, of Dallas, who has had years of experience in this line.

Complete electrical equipment will be installed. New furniture and fixtures are expected within the next few days. A permanent wave machine is to be installed later on.

The beauty parlor will be located in a portion of the Chamber of Commerce building.

Notice to All Labor Unions

Every Union Labor organization and every Farm Labor Union local throughout Howard County is urged to elect one delegate to attend a general get-together meeting of all Unions on the third Thursday night of May, the same being May 15th. This meeting will be held at the W. O. W. hall in Big Spring at 8 o'clock.

All Union people will be welcome at this meeting. W. S. DAVIES, Chairman Get-to-Gether Committee. 34-2t

For Rent

Two unfurnished and one furnished room for light housekeeping. Call at 706 E. 3rd street or phone 305.

A screw driver is a funny thing for a drug store to sell, but we sell them. Cunningham & Philips.

For the better grade of Watch Repairing go to. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Watch for the new Gent's Furnishings Store—soon to open.—Advertisement.

Rock Island May Buy Orient

J. E. Gorham, president of the Rock Island railway system, after a trip of inspection over the Orient railway is going to recommend the purchase of this line. If the Rock Island closes the deal they will extend the Orient to the West Coast of Mexico as originally planned by A. E. Stillwell.

For the Boy Graduate—hundreds of Gifts to select from. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Pioneer Bridge Club

The members of the Pioneer Bridge club met with Mrs. Cunningham on Wednesday of last week and the meeting was one of complete enjoyment.

Four tables of players took part in the series of games. Mrs. Joyce M. Fisher made club high score of the afternoon and Mrs. Eckhaus made visitor's high score.

Gainsborough powder puffs. The girl with you uses one. Cunningham & Philips.

American Legion Meeting

There will be a meeting of the American Legion Tuesday, May 13, 8 p. m. at Chamber of Commerce office. Plans are to be made for a big Fourth of July celebration. All members come and bring an ex-service man along.

Pierrette face powder will blend with your complexion. Cunningham & Philips.

Overcoat Lost

A gray and brown overcoat was lost on the night of May 1st. Finder return to Tom LaBeff and receive reward.

"High Kickin' Cows" by Aunt Hapzibah. See 'em—High School Auditorium, Thursday night, May 22.

Mothers day cards. Cunningham & Philips.



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Every suit we sell carries an unqualified guarantee of SATISFACTION OR MONEY BACK.

We'd like to have the pleasure of showing you these new styles whether you're ready to purchase or not.

Albert M. Fisher Co.

Loyal Star B. Y. P. U.

First Baptist Church, Sunday, May the eleventh.

Open with song.

Prayer.

A Great Judge—Lucille Biggs.

Samuel—Irna Lee Gary.

Joshua—Archie Clayton.

Ether—Hazel.

Timothy—James Tripp.

Part II.—

What Baptists are Doing for Christian Education—Lota Gary.

What our Christian Schools Teach—Katherine Bettie.

Song.

Lord's Prayer.

Horse Strayed

A bay horse, 16 hands with large scar across neck and shoulder, strayed from Dick Hatch's farm last week. Information as to its whereabouts will be appreciated. Notify Dick Hatch or Monroe Williams. 1tpd

Light Housekeeping Rooms

Two nice rooms furnished for light housekeeping; close in. Call at 512 Main street or phone 542.

To Dedicate New S. S. Building

The new building erected by the members of the young men and young women's Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church will be dedicated Sunday morning, May 11th with a special Mothers Day program at 9:45 a. m.

Everyone cordially invited. Following is the program: Opening Hymn, Invocation, Offering, Vocal duet, Reading, Instrumental solo, Lesson sketched. Address—Judge H. R. Debenport.

Lost

A hand satchel, 10x14 inches, containing Bible and another small book; Rev. B. H. Miller's name on fly leaf of Bible; was lost at or near Stokes Motor Co. Wednesday. Finder please leave at Herald office. 1tpd

Four kinds of ice cream and sherbet fresh every day. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Home-School Club

On last Tuesday afternoon the Home and School club entertained the teachers of the Domestic Science of our High School with some sixty-five girls being present. The girls were met at City Park.

The picnic was given in honor of the girls who were the co-living contest and to win a trip to Galveston.

The girls specially prepared beautiful grass and wildflower baskets, after a day in the park, and after partaking of a basket lunch and tea were by the ladies of the club one of the best times were willing for it to most any time.

Nicely furnished apartment for rent.

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Statement March 31, 1924

| RESOURCES | | LIABILITIES | |
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| U. S. Bonds and | | Surplus and Profits | 139,009.86 |
| W. S. S. | 52,009.00 | Circulation | 50,000.00 |
| Banking House | 18,000.00 | DEPOSITS | 612,382.56 |
| Redemption Fund | 2,500.00 | | |
| Federal Reserve Bank | | | |
| Stock | 4,500.00 | | |
| CASH | 155,766.36 | | |
| TOTAL | \$851,392.42 | TOTAL | \$851,392.42 |

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And I serve the living and not the dead—
With the best of leather, wax, nails and thread
I can sew on a sole or nail it fast,
And do a good job and make it last.
There is nothing snide about what I can do—
Doubt not my statement for work proves it true.
I can give you a lift too in this life,
Not only you, but your family and wife
A great many patients come to my door.
Worn out and run down, besides feeling sore,
Though I don't use poultice, plaster or pill,
I cure all sick shoes no matter how ill.

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BIG SPRING FOLKS—LEAVE YOUR SHOES
AT W. S. DAVIES' CONFECTIONERY AND
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— Texas A. & M. College Strain —
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tell us what you want to
houses, barns, fences, etc. We
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L. S. PATTERSON
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Homer McNew and son,
left today for a visit with
and friends at Dallas, Den-
and points in central Texas

Paints and Varnishes—half price.
Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Bud McKinney was here Wednes-
day from his home in the Coahoma
section.

Ebony and Ivory—There aint no
hope. Aunt Hapzibah and Dot.
High School Auditorium, May 22—
8:00 P. M.

Mrs. V. H. Flewellen and son, Gene
Hardy, and Mrs. John Witten return-
ed last week from a visit in Vernon
and Haskell.

O. Dubberly returned Thursday
night from San Antonio where he at-
tended the annual meeting of the
Texas Clothiers Association.

Enjoy Life While You Can

A bedroom suite that will give you
more comfort and add to the appear-
ance of the home can be secured at
our store at a reasonable price.

Jas. M. Bates Shot by Robbers in Store Early Sunday Morning

Jas. M. Bates, proprietor of the
Bates Notion Store, was shot in a
pistol battle with thieves in his store
early Sunday morning, about two
o'clock, and was taken to the General
Hospital at Muskogee in the Haskell
Undertaking ambulance where Dr.
R. L. Allen and several of the physi-
cians of the hospital immediately op-
erated upon him, the bullet, which
lodged near the lower back bone, be-
ing removed and a successful opera-
tion attained. The bullet entered
just above the right hip and seemed
to circle around through his intes-
tines, not penetrating them however,
but severely lacerating them, but his
physicians, after the operation, pro-
nounced his chances of recovery good,
if complications were prohibited.
This is hoped will be the case by his
many friends, who are trusting his
recovery will be only a matter of a
few weeks.

Mr. Bates has been sleeping in the
store for the past year, his wife also
operating a millinery and ready-to-
wear department in the same store-
room, and their store had been rob-
bed during the past two years on
three other occasions. His theory of
the robbery is that one of the thieves
secreted himself in the store some-
time during Saturday eve and about
two o'clock Mr. Bates was awakened
by the one inside opening his back
door to let in an accomplice; when
awakened, he gave the thieves time to
get in the store and they had gotten
about mid-way where the ladies fine
dresses, etc., were displayed, when
Mr. Bates opened fire on them with
a .38 pistol; he hit one of the robbers
and was struck in the abdomen by the
first shot they fired at him; he rolled
off his cot and continued firing at
them, the robbers return the fire,
shooting several holes in his cot and
pillow, where it is presumed they
thought he was still lying. As soon
as the thieves ran from his store he
turned on the lights and Fred Wood
and George S. Cargall immediately
notified central, Miss Cleo Timmons,
who gave the alarm to several citi-
zens and soon the people were out
looking for the thieves.

Night watchman Ross Blanchard
had seen the two men, and when the
shooting was heard, he was at the
rear of the Chandler store and when
he came around to the front door of
the Henson store one of the thieves
made him drop his gun and took it
and ran towards the depot; this man,
according to Mr. Blanchard, was the
one who had been wounded by Mr.
Bates, for he used his left hand and
seemed to carry the right as though
it was broken; Mr. Blanchard hailed
two men in a car and told them to
follow him while he ran for his other
gun; about fifteen minutes later Mr.
Blanchard and Bill Dawson caught
the wounded man near the siding at
the depot and brought him to the
Haskell Undertaking Co., where he
gave the story that he had been high-
jacked by two men, and when he ran
they shot him; however, this story
fell on deaf ears for had he been shot
at when running, he would undoubt-
edly been hit in the back rather than
in the chest and right arm. He gave
the name of Orie Smith; an envelope
bearing the State Penitentiary return
address was found in his hat band,
but when asked if he was an ex-con-
vict he said "No." When he was
taken to Muskogee by Messrs Whit-
cker and Blanchard, he admitted
having been in the penitentiary and
that his number was 1295 while serv-
ing time. He still clung to his "high-
jack" story.

Poses were formed and secured
the streets, alleys and roads leading
out from the town; about seven
o'clock Sunday morning, a man was
found on the north road and was
brought into town; he gave the name
of Olson Foster, and said he was part
Indian, and some of our older citi-
zens state they have been acquainted
with his parents but did not know
him; he is thought to have been the
thief who Mr. Scargall saw from his
rooms over the Theatre, running west
to the Methodist Church, for Mr.
Posey stated he had accosted a tall
man who looked to be part Indian,
and the man had told Mr. Posey he
would kill him, and after the man had
gone on up the road Mr. Posey took
a couple of shots at him, and the man
dropped a suit case which he was
carrying and in which afterwards was
found part of the Bates ready-to-
wear; this man was turned over to
Deputy Sheriff Geo. Swanson, after
being handcuffed by Mr. Blanchard,
and questioned considerably by many
of those gathered; he had told that
he had slept under a bridge north of
town, etc., and denied all connection

zens drove out to the south end of
Broadway, and when Mr. Swanson
came along with his prisoner, who
thought his time had come and that
he was going to be lynched, opened
up, and stated that he had come into
Haskell in the car with the Smith
fellow, and had stood at the corner
of Main and Broadway at Chandler's
while the "job" was being done by
Smith, but when searched he had the
keys to the car, which it was discov-
ered had been stolen from a citizen
of Wagoner; Mr. Swanson assured
the prisoner that he would do his
best to protect him, if he would tell
the truth, and he also admitted that
he had been in the penitentiary and
was pardoned by Jack Walton. He
was carried to Muskogee, where he
was lodged in jail to await the final
outcome of Mr. Bates' wound.

Hunting parties Sunday morning
found a .41 pistol under a culvert near
the siding where Smith was picked
up by Mr. Blanchard, and a ladies
sweater under another culvert about
twenty steps away; this gun was
found with two empty cartridges,
with the other four showing to have
been snapped, and was identified by
Foster as having been the gun car-
ried by Smith.

Mr. Blanchard's theory of the rob-
bery is that the thieves entered the
front door, having a key, and by en-
tering awakened Mr. Bates. He
states he saw the two men standing
at the corner of Chandler's and pas-
sed them going towards the depot;
when they got out of sight going
west towards Bates' store, he says he
stopped and waited a few minutes,
then came back about where the Na-
tion eating place is, and then heard
the shooting taking place; he went
to the rear of the Bates store, flash-
ed his light and saw the door to be
shut, supposing it was locked, and
started around to the front door,
when on reaching the Henson store
door he was told by Smith to drop
his gun, etc., as stated above.

It is Mr. Bates' theory that three
men were in on the job, and perhaps
four, one to watch the back, one the
front, and two entered; he says they
threw a flash light on him at first,
which practically blinded him, and he
simply shot at the spot from which
the sound came, with the result that
he struck one of the thieves who was
later apprehended by the watchman.
It has been hoped that someone
would soon have an opportunity to

hinted that startling revelations are
likely to be developed from the story
told by these two men already caught.
Local business men are doubling
their efforts to catch more of the
thieves, and those with little enough
common sense to "make Haskell" in
the future are practically "flirting"
with death, as local men are deter-
mined in their plan of action for the
future.

In conversation with a T.D. man
Monday morning, we were asked if
our people displayed any spirit of
lynching the men; we told them that
no such spirit was even manifested,
but we added that it was a deter-
mined set of men who were being led
by local officers and aiding them in
their search; we boast a people who
believe in law, and are willing to let
the law take its course, but who are
willing to "go the limit" whenever
the law appears lax in its punishment
of men who will kill to rob, and the
Bates robbery came near being both,
but his many friends are truly hop-
ing that Mr. Bates' wound does not
prove serious.

Miss Cleo Timmons, telephone cen-
tral, has the thanks of every citizen
for the splendid manner in which
she handled her work during the
emergency.

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DeLuxe wooden slat window and
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Easy to hang, rain proof, no direct
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Beautiful weather-proof colors,
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Sauk Rapids, Minnesota

Rooms For Rent

Three-room apartment, and bath,
unfurnished, for rent. Apply to
Dr. R. L. Davis.

Mrs. Chas. Houser of Lamesa was
here Saturday night on her way to
Deming, N. M., where she was called
by the serious illness of her brother.

First State Bank

Big Spring, Texas

Statement of the Condition as Reported to the State Bank Commissioner at
the Close of Business Mar. 31, 1924

| RESOURCES | LIABILITIES |
|---|--|
| Loans and Discounts.....\$422,181.92 | Capital.....\$ 35,000.00 |
| Other Real Estate.....1,980.00 | Certified Surplus Earned.....35,000.00 |
| Overdrafts.....396.32 | Undivided Profits.....31,671.28 |
| Live Stock.....11,029.25 | Borrowed Money.....NONE |
| Banking House and Fixtures.....9,000.00 | DEPOSITS.....784,630.24 |
| Interest in Guaranty Fund.....8,974.70 | |
| Assessments for Guaranty Fund.....10,759.81 | |
| U. S. Certificates and Bonds.....52,428.25 | |
| CASH.....372,463.27 | |
| | \$889,204.52 |
| | \$889,204.52 |

Deposit Your Money Where You Can Get Accommodations When
You Need Them. We are prepared at All Times to Grant
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positors and customers, also largest amount of de-
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age—bearing above trade mark.

Presbyterian Notes

The Sabbath school will meet at
9:45 a. m. for their morning Bible
study, and at 11 a. m. we will observe
Mothers Day, and the pastor will
speak in honor of our mothers at that
time.

And at 8 p. m. we will give up the
religious side of the fall of Babylon
as found in the 18th chapter of the
book of Revelation. This study
is becoming very interesting as we
draw near to the end of all things.
And we are glad that we can have
to go on ignorant of this Bible
book of Revelation. The study
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Stop—Think!

Are you fully protected from fi-
nancial loss should your home or
business home be destroyed by fire?
Can you afford to take a chance?
Bring us your policies and we will
be glad to help you go over them
and if the protection is insufficient,
there are a number of strong com-
panies on our list from which you
may choose additional insurance.
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Discard that old lumpy mattress
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This Week

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

Selecting Candidates—The Ideal of Freedom Bidding Against Ford—One Rockefeller Year

Everybody knows that this country will soon be selecting Presidential candidates—or rather the country will have them selected for it.

President Coolidge will be the Republican nominee. What about the Democrat? How do you think he will be chosen? Here's a description of the coming process, probably accurate, given by an able politician:

"Taggart will vote for Ralston of Indiana. Mr. Murphy of Tammany will vote for Al Smith. They will work along those lines until they eliminate McAdoo. Then they will go to a back room and decide who is really to be the Democratic nominee, and the name they choose will be the one nominated."

If you think that's imagination, you don't know United States politics.

In 1923 the Rockefeller Foundation did these things, among hundreds of others:

Fought malaria in seven foreign nations, from Brazil to Palestine. Combined with twenty outside governments to fight the hook worm.

Contributed more than a million dollars to medical education in the British islands, gave half a million to the University of Alberta, pledged a quarter of a million to the University of Pennsylvania.

Supported medical schools and twenty-five hospitals in China.

Granted 194 fellowships in Germany to support scientific workers. And that's only 1 per cent of it.

If there were not a great deal of water going over Niagara, you couldn't get any power there.

If there were not a great deal of money in the Rockefeller fortune all that work couldn't be done.

The longer you live the more you realize that Providence knows what it is about.

Every publisher and printer will be interested to see W. P. Leech's new printing process, an inexpensive process of printing from plates, that promises to do away with steel engravings. The process is actually more difficult to counterfeit than any steel engraving.

In an investigation of this Leech printing process called "aquatone," held before the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Rep-

resentatives, it was shown that in printing money by the new process an appropriation of \$4,447,500 necessary under the old methods would be reduced to \$1,050,000.

If you are interested, write W. P. Leech, at No. 229 West Twenty-eighth street, New York.

What are "America's ideals?" The Declaration of Independence expresses some of them, the Constitution expresses others. The most important of all ideals is the ideal of freedom.

And as regards freedom, FREE SPEECH and a FREE PRESS, which mean free expression of thought, whether in books, newspapers, moving pictures or speeches, are most important.

Napoleon knew it, when he said that if he granted complete freedom of the press, he would not be able to maintain his power—which was that of a dictator—for three weeks.

Various "interests" not discouraged by recent Washington revelations are bidding, on what may be called a "Fall-Sinclair" basis, for Muscle Shoals.

The difference between Ford and the others is this: Ford knows how to produce the power and how to use it after he produces it. Ford would do the work with his own money. He has the money, honestly and usefully made, to do it and he is interested in public service and water power development, not in adding to his fortune.

Professor MacAllister reports the discovery in Jerusalem of a trench built before Abraham was born, and used three thousand years before the birth of Christ for the defense of the city.

Such antiquity is not surprising. Jerusalem, located on the route that camels and merchants took on their journeys from Egypt to the head of the Persian Gulf, and to the rich lands between the Tigris and the Euphrates, must always have been an important spot, commercially and historically.

We know it only as Jerusalem after it had become the "home town" of the Jewish people, originally Bedouins of unusual intelligence and fighting ability. But it had a long, interesting history before that.

It really makes little difference with the average tax-paying citizen which party holds the pie counter. The Cato Sells, Tom Lovas and Tom Gregories Croagers Burghies etc. who expect position, power and profit if their side wins gets excited but the average voter cares little, most of us vote the Democratic or Republican ticket more from the force of habit than anything else. We hope both parties will nominate honest fearless men who will enforce the law if elected without fear or favor. One thing that can be said to the credit of every President from Washington to Coolidge is that no taint of graft or dishonesty was ever charged against one of them. Some of them were unfortunate in some appointments made by them but so far no suspicion that any president was in any way directly or indirectly responsible for the comparatively few dishonest federal officers. Grant and Harding seemed to have been imposed upon in making appointments of a few prominent federal officers, more than others but no one seems disposed to question the honor of either these two presidents and perhaps some other presidents, some of whose appointees were dishonest. Some of President Wilson's appointees did not escape charges of graft but no breath of suspicion was ever raised against him because some of his appointees turned out badly.—Baird Star.

Do your eyes burn and your head ache? Glasses properly fitted will give you relief. Don't try to fit them yourself and permanently ruin your eyes. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Co. employs the only Graduate Optician in Big Spring. Our charges are very reasonable.

We heartily agree with the Big Spring citizen who said yesterday that there never seems to be any complaint about a lack of parking space around the churches.

Maybe we'd start a row in this country, too, if a bunch of foreigners came over and went to digging in George Washington's grave.

If men ever come to realize that the other fellow sometimes has the right-of-way it will give the undertakers a much needed rest.

If you want to know what the "easy payment" plan means just look at Uncle Sam paying for a war on the installment plan.

For the Girl Graduate—hundreds of beautiful Gifts to select from. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Gainsborough hair nets. Cunningham & Phillips.

Poem

Uncle John

There's many a tender sentiment that lovers would conceal, which violets or hosi-mint bloom may perfectly reveal. . . . In presence of yer best girl it's hard to state yer case—but the red rose says, "I love ye" any time or any place! The messenger appeals to her—she knows it ain't no joke,—it's the very thing she wants to hear, though not a word is spoke. . . . I might go on discoursin' in this pleasant theme for hours,—for, there ain't no purer, sweeter way—than sayin' things with flowers.



The Judge's Josh

YEP—ACCORDING TO ED PURDY—THE SIX INCH FISH HE CAUGHT IS TEN INCHES NOW.

Radio Fans—Attention!

The "Merry Old Chief" is Coming. How many times have you tuned in at 440 meters and caught "Tune in, Kansas City Star Night Hawks, The enemies of sleep, broadcasting their regular 11:45 Night Hawk program?" The first time you caught this program, you doubtless voted it the most interesting and entertaining of all the various programs that are broadcast over the United States, as have thousands of others of radio fans.

In Canada, in Mexico, in the South Sea Islands and all over the United States, there are members of this great organization who have been inducted into the order, with the rattle of cow bells, or the "Holstein Angelus"—as the "Merry Old Chief" calls it. Thousands of people all over America and in the countries named are wondering who this man is and what he looks like. It has remained for the Redpath-Horner Chautauquas to introduce this mysterious gentleman in person over their Premier Chautauqua Circuit to the patrons of the Chautauqua.

The "Merry Old Chief" will appear in each town on the Premier Circuit in a very interesting program, in which he will tell how radio broadcasting is done, relating many of the humorous and interesting experiences that he has had, and being assisted by the radio entertainers, an orchestra playing the latest and most popular numbers that are being broadcast by radio orchestras all over America. This is the most novel feature appearing on any Chautauqua program in America this year and is an event of interest to everyone everywhere. Do not miss it.

Cooking Satisfaction. If you will permit us to install a Buck Giant Oil Range, with built-in over in your home many of your worries will be eliminated. The Giant burners insure satisfaction. Phone 141. W. R. Purser & Sons.

LOOK! LOOK! Bankhead Garage. Plenty of storage at Open Day and Night.

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Know for Yourself What the True Blue Oakland Offers You Before You Choose Your Car

Know the True Blue Oakland Six—in fairness to yourself—before you choose a new car.

Know for yourself the many desirable qualities of this thoroughly modern light-six.

Know first-hand the abundance of smooth power and wonderful flexibility of Oakland's new L-head engine and its superior design.

Know Oakland's four-wheel brakes. Prove, to your own satisfaction, that four-wheel brakes are a real essential. Don't buy a car at this price without them.

To know the Oakland Six is to want it. See for yourself if that isn't so.

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"I have been taking Gardul," says Mrs. Lillie Bolton, of Lake Providence, La. "I got down in bad health and lost in weight until I only weighed 120 pounds. I had bad pains in my sides and back and my legs hurt me until I couldn't walk. I stayed in bed half the time. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it did me no good. Finally I tried

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The Woman's Tonic

"It seems like it did me good from the very first. After I had taken half a bottle I noticed an improvement. I continued its use and I got better and better. The pains in my legs and sides disappeared and I began to gain weight until now I weigh 165 pounds and feel better than I ever did in my life. I am perfectly well and strong. I have given it to my girls, too."

Gardul has relieved many kinds of pains and distressing symptoms caused by female troubles. It should help you, too, in the same way. Why not give it a fair trial?

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For the Boy Graduate—hundreds of Gifts to select from. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Every publisher and printer will be interested to see W. P. Leech's new printing process, an inexpensive process of printing from plates, that promises to do away with steel engravings. The process is actually more difficult to counterfeit than any steel engraving.

There are many in Pecos today riding around in cars, buying gas, tubes and repairs with the money they have owed others who have to walk for a year or two. Should all such retire their cars to the woodshed until their debts were paid in full, dull times would soon vanish like a dream and there would be a more neighborly and kindly feeling in the big family. It should be a violation of the law for a man, or woman, to drive a pleasure car until they have paid their bills. This is not only what is the matter with Pecos, but the same thing, doubtless prevails everywhere else.

The Automobile

These people had their teams which they had to feed anyway, and thus they saved the fuel and repair bills on the car, which would probably pay the interest if nothing more.

Automobiles are now an absolute necessity, but they are being overworked to such an extent that they are wrecking the nation and depressing the masses.—Pecos Enterprise.

Beautiful Your Home

A fine living-room suite would be appreciated by every member of your family and we can furnish you same at very reasonable prices. Call and let us prove this to you. W. R. Purser & Sons.

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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 reference. A. B. WINSLOW.

T. & P. Authorized to Issue Stock

Washington, May 2.—The Texas & Pacific Railway Company today was given authority by the Interstate Commerce Commission to issue \$24,876,000 of 5 per cent noncumulative preferred stock, and \$4,440,584 of unsecured coupon serial notes, and to issue and pledge \$1,826,500 of general and refunding bonds.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad Co. was granted permission to acquire \$23,703,000 of 5 per cent noncumulative preferred stock of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company.

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SPRINGTIME IS HERE!

And you are probably thinking about a NEW SUIT, or PAIR OF OXFORDS.

WE EXTEND AN INVITATION—to the men of Big Spring in vicinity to visit our store and see the new spring arrivals of suits, hats, caps, shirts, and other wearing apparel.

YOU ARE SURE TO BE PLEASED—With the selection we make for you because you will find highest quality merchandise in the most correct styles from the principal style centers of the country.

EASTER IS "DRESS UP" TIME!

Anticipating the wants of the women of this community, we have a Spring showing of ready-to-wear garments of most surprising freshness in style conception and finish.

TAILORED SUITS that show their individuality and are distinctly feminine.

DRESSES in a large assortment of styles that will please.

COATS that are faultlessly tailored.

GARY'S GROCERIES ARE ALWAYS THE BEST MONEY CAN BUY AND THE PRICE IS RIGHT — PROMPT DELIVERY

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BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS

Young People Enjoy Fishing Trip.

On last Saturday a crowd of young folks enjoyed a fishing trip to the Concho river; and a royal time is the report of everyone attending. The official liar of the bunch reports more fish having been caught than they could possibly eat. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Middleton chaperoned the fishing party which was composed of the following: Misses Mary Johnson, Thelma Fox, Lodema Evans, Amabel Cook, Alberta Mayfield, Zou Hardy, Helen Hathcock, Myrtle Reeves of Rotan, Messrs Eb Hatch, Eck Lovelace, Carroll Barnett, Chas. Hatch, Frank Hefley, Edmond Notestine, J. W. Middleton, Neil Bennett, Dr. A. L. Wetzel, and Earl Comer of Dallas.

Plumbing and Stove Repairing

Johnson will do your plumbing and repair work—will do it right and do it for less. Phone 350. 44-4f. J. S. JOHNSON.

LOOK! LOOK! Plenty of storage at Bankhead Garage Open Day and Night

Condolence

We, the members of Big Spring Rebekah Lodge No. 284, extend our deepest sympathy in your recent sorrow, another member of your family, Mr. Paul Dillon, being called upon to answer the great call.

May your loss be his gain, for the link that is broken in our family chain only helps to strengthen our Heavenly circle.

"Each year the Master calls some loved ones to endless rest. And our hearts though filled with sadness, Can but say, "He knoweth best."—Fraternaly submitted.

Raphul Larson, Nora Gulley, Nova S. Ballard, Co.

Gulf Scout Joins California

Resignation of James Chas. Gulf scout in the Sweetwater Angelo district, submitted to the office several days ago, takes effect today. Charlton, who is a well known oil man and has a wide acquaintance in West Texas, resigned to accept position with the California Gulf operating subsidiary in Texas.

Standard Oil Company of Texas, which recently entered the Big Spring field, is becoming increasingly popular.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Widely Read Religious Writer in America
 For many years, Dr. William T. Reed has written for The Dallas Star and more than three-score other newspapers in the United States and Canada, a weekly journal upon the International School Lesson. Wherever he is travelling on the earth, in his profession as a foreign correspondent, he prepares this Lesson every week. Although he is a newspaper man, Dr. Reed is probably the most widely read writer upon religious topics in America.

Resolutions of Condolence
 The grim reaper, Death, having entered into the homes of two of our dear members, Bro. Mitchell Reed and Sister Gertrude Reed;

We, the members of Big Spring Rebekah Lodge, No. 284, extend to the homes made desolate, our sincere love, and deepest sympathy and commend them to the One who alone can bring comfort and peace to troubled hearts. May you treasure the memory and faithfulness of a dear and beloved father, who has gone on, and always try and be faithful to the duties left you:

"There is no such thing as death, for those that live aright
 'Tis but the spirit casting off what most impels its flight.
 'Tis but one little act life's drama must contain;
 One struggle keen, then the rest—and then and end of pain."
 Fraternally submitted,
 Raphael Larnon,
 Nora Gulley,
 Nova S. Ballard, Committee

Attend Citizens Training Camp
 Fort Sam Houston, Texas.—Aron Johnson, one of Big Spring's own boys, now living in Dalhart, Texas, has had his application approved by the Commanding General, Eighth Corps Area, for admittance to the Citizen's Military Training Camp to be held at Fort Logan, Colorado, in August.

All his expenses will be paid by the government.

The boys living in Big Spring will be sent to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, that being the nearest camp.

The quota for the camp is being rapidly filled, and young men of Howard County intending to apply should write Mr. D. C. Riley, of Coahoma, Texas, County Chairman of the Military Training Camps Association, of the United States or the C. M. T. C. Officer, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, without delay.

It is assured that the Fort Sill Camp will be the largest and best ever held in the Eighth Corps Area.

Frank Powell who is working with the State Highway Department in the Lubbock district was here Sunday to spend the day with homefolks.

R. L. Cook returned Saturday from a business trip to Fort Worth.

John G. Little on Honor Roll
 Austin, Texas. — Announcement of the honor students for the winter term in the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Texas has just been announced by Dr. H. Y. Benedict, dean of the college. In compiling the honor roll, both the quality and quantity of work is considered. Rank on the list is determined by a point system, in which A's count 12, B's 9, C's 6, and D's 3. The total score of a student places him in one of five groups of descending rank. Students from Big Spring who won the distinction of having their names on the honor roll for the past term are: John G. Little.

Ellis Johnson writes his father that he has left California and is now located at Las Vegas, Nevada. He states that conditions in California are indeed serious on account of the foot and mouth disease quarantine. There is no market for the fruit and vegetable crops and many such products are being carted to the dumping ground.

Do your eyes burn and your head ache? Glasses properly fitted will give you relief. Don't try to fit them yourself and permanently ruin your eyes. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co. employs the only Graduate Optician in Big Spring. Our charges are very reasonable.

Now they're talking about simplifying the income tax blanks. What the average Big Spring man who has to pay one wants is a simpler way of raising the money.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher arrived Sunday from Port Arthur, Texas, where they spent the past five months with their daughter, Mrs. Myer Blankfield and family.

E. A. Kelley returned Wednesday from Dallas where he had been to attend the annual conference of manager of the Southern Ice and Utilities Company and allied interests.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCue of Dallas were here the forepart of the week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lester.

Nyal's Tonic will put pep into your tired system. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Announcing An Artistic Triumph!



Lowest Priced Car with Balloon Tires Standard

The new Overland Blue Bird! Longer wheelbase, larger body. Big engine, wonderful power! Genuine *Firestone* balloon tires with artillery wheels. Steel disc wheels at \$25 extra. Come in, see this wonderful car—and enjoy a ride.

Big New Overland BLUE BIRD \$725
with artillery wheels disc wheels \$25 extra; F. O. B. Toledo

I. N. McNEW, Dealer
 Big Spring, Texas

I didn't have a far more important message in 'America's Way to the World,' I would like to see 'Through Bible Lands in Automobiles,' narrating my recent experiences in the trouble centers of the earth."

Those who have read the recent issue in 'The Country Gentleman' in 'All Things Pass But This,' probably intimate and illuminating of farming in Bible Lands, to hear the author, Dr. William T. Reed, lecture at the Chautauque 'America's Way Out for World'—A Traveller's Conclusion.

Edliff, well known ranchman of Glasscock County, who was fatally injured three weeks ago when he fell from the windmill tower at his ranch near Garden City, is not as injured as was at first feared. It was said his back had been broken. He was taken to a hospital in San Angelo immediately after the accident, and has recovered sufficiently to be moved to the home of his wife at Brownwood; and physicians think he will recover.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Matlock and their parents of Chicago are here for a visit with Mrs. Powell.

B. F. (Bud) McKinney for Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce B. F. (Bud) McKinney as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Howard County. He announces subject to the action of the Democratic primary, and his name appears in the announcement column of this issue of The Herald.

Mr. McKinney is a resident of the Coahoma country and is one of the pioneers of our county, coming here thirty-two years ago. At present he is engaged in farming and is a member of the Farm Labor Union. In addition to farming he has been in the railroad service, and is now a member in good standing of the Order of Railway Conductors.

He has had ten years experience as a peace officer; serving as a deputy sheriff of El Paso County and also on the police force of the city of El Paso. The experience thus gained should surely qualify him to meet any of the duties that may devolve upon him as sheriff of our county.

If honored by election Mr. McKinney pledges the people of Howard County to serve them fairly, impartially and satisfactorily, and to give his full time and attention to the duties of the office. During his long time residence in our county our people have come to know him and should be able to judge whether or not he can be depended upon to serve our people faithfully and well.

You are requested to duly consider his claims and qualifications when casting your ballot in the July primary.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas, will on the 12th day of May A. D. 1924 accept terms and prices for the furnishing of Howard County with a ten-ton tractor, and a certified check for the sum of 5 per cent of the price stated for such tractor will be required to be furnished with such bid, said contract to be made and executed at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas, on said date, and the successful party furnishing such tractor will be required to enter into such bond as is required by law.

Witness my hand officially this the 31st day of March A. D. 1924.
 H. R. Debenport, County Judge, (Seal) Howard County, Texas.

DON'T GET EXCITED
 Keep your eye on the weather. Come in and let me write your Tornado Insurance. The Safe Guard will protect you against storms, \$2.00 per \$1,000.00.
THE D. F. PAINTER REALTY AND INSURANCE CO
 First door south of First State Bank.

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 Two nice rooms furnished for light housekeeping, less than four blocks from business section, for rent, Phone 275. 1t-pd

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S. & S. Tube Patch, Wonder Gloss Body Polish, Rose Pumps, Coffman, Tube Protectors, Warners Liquid Solder, Universal Inside Boot.

Notes From Ackerly

The members of the Methodist Church thank each and every person of Lamesa, Sparenberg, and Big Spring who so generously contributed money for the building funds of the church.

The plans of construction are well under way now and the church organization was completed Sunday afternoon. Thirty-eight members came by certificate.

Rev. Aubrey Ashley of Lamesa, gave a very interesting sermon Sunday at 4 p. m.

A marked improvement has been made in our town the last week. Three residences having been completed and a meat market nearing completion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McClure and daughter, Pearl, left Monday morning for Austin and other parts in South and East Texas for an extended visit.

"Mr. Mack" says he will be back in time for the election in July. The Pollyannas met with Mrs. Forest Parker last Wednesday afternoon, that being their regular club meeting day. Out of fourteen members, ten were present. Mesdames: Walter Williams, Flint Cosby, I. E. Pauley, Ervin Stewart, W. A. Wilson, Lester Brown, W. A. Earnest, Lee Burns, A. B. Burns. Table was laid for the guests and a very social afternoon was spent. Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Batton left Wednesday for a visit to Macon and other points in Georgia.

Sheriff W. W. Satterwhite on Monday night captured two Martin County prisoners as they were about to make their get away on the blind baggage of T. & P. passenger train No. 6. The two young fellows who had been arrested in Martin County on a charge of hi-jacking escaped from the jail at Stanton during the rainstorm Monday afternoon. As soon as the officers found the men escaped they notified all surrounding towns and Sheriff Satterwhite who was keeping a lookout for the culprits nabbed them as they attempted to get on the passenger train.

T. N. Rutherford has disposed of his interest in the T. H. Johnson Land Company, and T. H. Johnson and S. R. Thompson are now sole owners and proprietors of this old reliable real estate firm. Mr. Rutherford disposed of his interest so he could give full time to his carpenter work and contracts for house moving.

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THE PASSING DAY

By Will H. Mayes, Department of Journalism, University of Texas

In his life time politicians said many mean things about Charles F. Murphy, New York Tammany leader, who died recently. At his death New York honored him as it has seldom honored any of its greatest men. People from all walks of life, the rich and poor, politicians of all parties, statesmen and anarchists, Americans and foreigners, joined in what was perhaps the most extraordinary demonstration ever accorded a citizen. In the heat of political discussion and business strife people are often unkind and unjust, and death is the only thing that brings them to a recognition of real worth.

An unusual man died last week in Austin. He devoted his life, with entire unselfishness, to city improvement and beautification. He early bought a beautiful tract of land, now known as Hyde Park, and laid it off into city blocks and lots. He built the first street railway in the city. Nine miles of Austin's streets were built at his own expense, and most of these streets were maintained by him without cost to the city until his death. He kept his city blocks that were unsoiled as clean as any lawn in Austin, mowing them regularly. He planted and cultivated shade trees along every street and kept the addition a real park in appearance. While he sold lots as they came in demand, and sold them at reasonable prices, selling property seemed to be secondary with him to keeping them improved. He was a civic leader, but he worked quietly and never pushed himself to the front. An unusual man, a most useful man was M. M. Shippe.

Mrs. Louella Styles Vincent, who died in Dallas recently, was a leader of the right kind among Texas women. The daughter of a newspaper man, the widow of a newspaper man, and the mother of a newspaper man, she always had the highest ideals for literature and for journalism. She wrote much in her life, both prose and poetry, and there was not a line in all she wrote that was not inspiring and elevating. She loved the South and its people and delighted to express that love in her writings. She had faith in people and yearned to be of help to them. She was rich only in good works and has bequeathed that riches to posterity. The influence of such a life can not be estimated.

The July primaries are some time off, but there are candidates galore going up and down the State, and in loud tones and with frantic gestures they are warning the people of the disasters sure to overtake Texas if

they are not elected to office. These candidates are attracting crowds that might be more profitably engaged. It is hard to estimate the economic loss to the State from the campaigns that come every two years. The newspapers are already wasting tons of white paper in telling their readers what the candidates are saying and it may all be boiled down to mere nothing. Two months in advance of the primaries the people have quit reading or caring what they say. Most of those who go to hear them speak, do so largely through curiosity and pretty much as they would attend a street carnival. The candidates themselves are about the only persons who seem excited, but they are trying mighty hard to excite the dear people.

The people who drink liquors are more responsible for violations of prohibition laws than are those who make and sell the stuff. The traffic would stop at once if there were no buyers at fancy prices among respectable people. When buyers are punished as accessories, and punishments are made so heavy that the business of manufacturing and selling will be unprofitable, and both buyers and sellers risk penitentiary sentences, liquor manufacturing will become a lost art.

The well-to-do that think it smart or an evidence of their superiority to purchase and drink liquor clandestinely, are themselves to blame when their boys and girls become drunkards. It is but natural for youth to imitate age and try to go it one better. When we consider the bad examples set for young people it is surprising that they are as exemplary as they are. They would not be but for the fact that they know more than their parents—they are better educated. From constant observation of several thousand young persons in school I am convinced that at least the college boys and girls of Texas as a class, in both morals and ideals, are a credit to and an improvement on the homes from which they come.

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(E. B. (Farmer) Dunn, famous weather forecaster, in the following exclusive article gives his explanation of the tornado which swept the South, leaving death and destruction in its wake. Dunn was formerly in charge of the United States Weather Bureau in New York and is recognized as one of the country's foremost meteorological experts.—Editor's Note.)

New York, May 2.—The violent tornado which swept the Southern states Tuesday and Wednesday, causing loss of close to 100 lives and leaving wrecks and desolation along its track, is but one of hundreds of storms which had a birthplace over the intensely heated irrigated country of the Rocky Mountain region, principally Southern Arizona and Southern California, which has in recent years become the breeding place of most of our violent storms.

Our Southwest, in fact, has become the best little storm breeder in the world. As long as man continues to spread water over an intensely heated desert country the rest of the population had best keep its ears to the ground for just such havoc as devastated parts of the Southern States this week.

There is a reason, and that reason is irrigation. With the extension of irrigation, cloudbursts, floods and tornadoes will become more numerous and dangerous.

On Tuesday morning the storm became a well-rounded out storm of considerable intensity, then central over Oklahoma and Kansas, with an egg-shaped outline reaching from Iowa to the Gulf Coast over Texas. Heavy rains was then falling over most of the Southwestern States.

As the storm moved eastward, it was preceded by unseasonably high temperature and was followed on its western side by much colder weather. In fact, freezing temperatures were recorded over a large belt in the Southwest.

The crowding of this cold toward the warmer air gave unmistakable evidence of the formation of the tornadoes on the southern and southwestern margin of the cyclone where tornadoes always form, due to the clashing of the warmer and colder currents.

The colder air overruns the warmer air which starts a whirling motion, when in most cases reaches a velocity of 400 to 500 miles an hour and destroys everything within its reach.

The funnel swings fourth and back and jumps from place to place as it moves east or northwest. Its suction covers an area of from 50 feet to two miles.

The tornadoes began to form Wednesday morning. The first was over Arkansas and Louisiana, and during the day increased in number and it is possible that three or more were in operation at one time.

As the general storm moved eastward the tornadoes occurred in Alabama, Georgia, North and South Carolina. It was very unusual for tornadoes to spread over such a wide area and do such great damage.

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