

The Big Spring Herald

Big Spring, Texas, Friday, August 6, 1926

By T. E. Jordan

Oil Tests

Chalk Field

Magnolia Companies Preparations to Start New Tests

The Oil Company is making necessary preparations to start new tests on their Chalk oil field. Preparations have been made and rigs for a number of wells are now being shipped in. A number of men are now busy with the Chalk ranch. Buildings now being erected are to be used as a work can be done are residences, an extra large house, cook shack, and a number of small buildings.

Lockhart's Test Wells

Lockhart have been in their Otis Chalk 1, preparatory to placing the pump. The work of drilling has been completed and swabbing has been done and it is estimated will be good for a production of around 125 barrels.

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At Work on Kay County Pipe Line.

A force of men are at work on the pipe line from the Chalk field to the railroad just east of Coahoma. Surveyors this week placed markers for the loading rack on section 43.

The oil will be delivered from a 55,000 barrel storage tank on the Chalk ranch to the oil tank cars by gravity.

The Kay County Pipe Line Company is having this line installed.

California to Drill More Wells

It is stated that the California Company is so well pleased with the showing of their Foster No. 1 on section 6, block 29, Tsp. 18, about two miles south of Iatan that they plan to drill several more tests in that section.

Reeves and Apperman

Since setting 15 inch casing at 151 feet the work of drilling the Reeves and Apperman test on section 126 has been going forward. We did not learn the total depth of this test.

At the O'Daniel Test

With all storage at the O'Daniel No. 1 in the eastern part of Howard county filled to capacity pumping operations must be suspended until pipe line to handle oil has been completed.

At the Sparkman Test

The last report we have had from the Sparkman well in the northeastern portion of Glasscock county the drill was pounding its way down below the 3310 foot depth.

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In the party will be Arthur P. Duggan, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Duggan, Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Wade, and E. H. Whitehead, publicity director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

This will be Mr. Duggan's first visit to our city in his capacity as president of the W. T. C. of C., and a rousing welcome should be accorded him.

Remember that the general public is cordially invited to the open meeting at the Methodist church at 8:30 p. m. Monday. You do not have to be a member of the Chamber of Commerce to attend this meeting. Come and bring your friends as there will be ample room to accommodate all who desire to come and plenty of refreshments to go around.

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Mr. Jones knows this business as he has been employed at the Slaughter Filling Station for the past three years. He will be pleased to have all of his old friends call on him at his new place of business, and will be glad to see all new customers, and will appreciate patronage given them.

Old Settlers Hold Annual Reunion

Meet in All Day Picnic at City Park Last Friday—J. B. Cauble Elected President of Association

In spite of heavy clouds hanging overhead, frequent showers, and uncertain weather last Friday morning probably the largest crowd that has yet attended a reunion of the Old Settlers Association of Howard county assembled in the city park east of Big Spring for the all day picnic. Automobiles from all directions leading into Big Spring brought old timers to the big picnic, and the citizens of the town who have made their home in Howard county for a period of twenty years or longer, took the day off to mingle with old time friends at the park.

Activities of the day began at ten o'clock in the morning when crowds began to arrive and the people passed from one group to another exchanging greetings of the day. The Big Spring Municipal Band was on hand to furnish peppy music, and to enliven the spirits of the old settlers, giving a number of appreciated band selections.

At the noon hour a big barbecued dinner was served. Everyone came with well filled baskets of picnic eats, and this together with the barbecued beef made a feast fit for kings, and everyone present feasted royally. Jim Winslow was in charge of barbecuing the beefs and the meat was cooked to a turn and everyone stated that it was about the best they had ever tasted.

In the early part of the afternoon the members of the Association met in business session to elect officers for the coming year, and to transact the business of the Association. At this meeting it was decided that the reunion next year would be a one day affair, to be held on the last Friday in July, 1927, and all persons having lived here 20 years would be eligible to membership in the association. The following officers were elected: J. B. Cauble, president; J. I. Prichard, vice president; Mrs. G. L. Brown, secretary and treasurer. The chairmen of the various committees will be appointed at a later date. Following this meeting a big speaking was held at which time some of the old timers were heard. Those making talks were: S. H. Morrison, G. Y. Wilson, W. T. Roberts, Mrs. R. B. Zinn, Wm. Fisher, Rev. W. C. Hinds, Rev. D. H. Heard and others.

Perhaps the most thoroughly enjoyable event of the big all-day affair was the old fashioned fiddlers contest and dance given in the park Friday evening. Long before time for the dance to begin hundreds of old folks together with young folks and children gathered around the platform to see the old-fashioned dances done in the old fashioned way. Those making talks were: S. H. Morrison, G. Y. Wilson, W. T. Roberts, Mrs. R. B. Zinn, Wm. Fisher, Rev. W. C. Hinds, Rev. D. H. Heard and others.

The event is growing each year, and each old timer looks forward from one year to the next for the time of the big reunion.

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Mr. Kannenburg recently returned from Waco, where he has been attending summer school at Baylor University. He has moved his household goods to Coahoma, and he and his family will take up their residence there, getting in readiness for the fall opening of school.

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Howard County Citizens, Living Here 40 Years or More



Above is the picture of Howard county citizens who have lived in this section forty years or longer. The picture was taken at the Old Settlers Picnic held at the City Park in Big Spring last Friday, July 30. Those in the picture, reading from left to right are:

First row (sitting): B. Jones, Mr. Simons, F. Leste, Wm. Fisher, W. T. Roberts, A. G. Haynes, J. S. Winslow, W. H. Homan, Arthur Roberts, W. C. Bird.

Second row (sitting): Mrs. D. M. Lovelace, Mrs. Zinn, I. D. Eddins, J. B. D. Boydston, Mrs. J. B. D. Boydston, Mrs. Gillespie and Mrs. J. S. Winslow.

Third row (standing): Anderson Bailey, Mrs. C. W. Wells, Mrs. D. C. Evericy, Mrs. Hattie Crossett, Mrs. S. V. Kent, Mrs. W. Manion, Mrs. M. Weisen, Mrs. F. Lester, Mrs. G. L. Brown, Mrs. Sikes, Mrs. Ed Tucker, Mrs. Gene Shumake, Gene Shumake, Nannie Boydston, Katie Tyler, B. P. Boydston and R. E. Slaughter.

GOLF RIVALRY SET-

TLED BY MATCH

For some time a wordy war has been waged between the professional and amateur golfers of Big Spring as to their prowess on the golf links, so it was inevitable that they cross clubs, if they do such things, on the golf links. The big game was staged last Sunday and the alibis are still being handed out by the losers.

Colonel N. W. McCleskey headed the professionals and he had by his army Preacher True, Fred Stephens, D. J. Watts, C. E. Yarnell, Sam Weaver, Homer McNew and Sis Hopkins.

J. F. Wolcott was major-general of the amateurs and the following faced the music: J. Y. Robb, Lib Coffee, F. F. Gary, B. B. Fox, J. D. Biles, Clyde Fox and J. F. Northington.

The professionals in order to entice the less seasoned campaigners out on the field offered to spot, if such term be permissible in golf, each amateur ten points and then agreed to out play them. According to the score keeper the professional kept their promise with twenty points to spare.

Here's the way the war went: True 85, Stephens 88, Watts 89, Yarnell 91, Weaver 98, McNew 98, Hopkins 99, McCleskey 102, Northington 102, Coffee 102, Wolcott 104, Robb 106, B. B. Fox 107, Biles 108, Clyde Fox 110, Gary 112.

METHODIST REVIVAL AT

CENTER POINT CLOSSES

The Methodist revival at Center Point closed Wednesday night and a most successful meeting it proved to be. There were several conversions to the church, some reclamations, and the entire membership of the church was increased as a result of this meeting.

Some good sermons were delivered by Reverend Ross.

A revival meeting by the same preacher has been started in Coahoma. It is the hope of those in charge that this will be a big meeting and the cooperation and attendance of everyone is urged.

Everyone is invited to come out and hear Brother Ross's good sermons.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELE-

PHONE CO. IMPROVEMENTS

A large force of men working for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. is busy this week moving telephone poles in the business district of the city, and putting in new cables. The telephone company will make further improvements in the system while the force of men is at work in this city, extending and improving the lines thruout town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bird and daughter, Miss Olive Ruth, returned Wednesday morning from a visit in Fort Worth. Miss Bird has been attending summer school at Texas Womens College.

STANTON ENTERTAINS

LUNCHEON CLUB

One of the most interesting meetings ever enjoyed by the members of the Wednesday Luncheon Club was in order Wednesday of this week when they motored to Stanton to be guests of the Stanton Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was held at the Zimmerman Cafe, where one of the finest chicken dinners you can imagine was served. This was one time there was fried chicken and plenty and you didn't feel backward about calling for one more limb or whatever section of a chicken you like best. And a plenty of everything else good to eat was before you.

J. L. Hall acted as master of ceremonies, and his address of welcome was indeed appreciated and made the twenty-five or more Big Spring folks feel welcome, and more than glad they had made the trip to Stanton to attend this meeting.

C. T. Watson, secretary of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, responded to Mr. Hall's address. After thanking the Stanton Chamber of Commerce for the cordial welcome, he complimented the progressive citizenship for the splendid progress Stanton and Martin county was making, as was evidenced on every hand. He also talked along the line of community building and pointed out the value of a Luncheon Club to a community. Joe Fisher, H. L. Rix and Wm. Fisher were other Big Spring speakers who attested to the great advancement Stanton and Martin county were making, complimented them on having a live Chamber of Commerce. These three speakers stated that in securing a County Agent, Martin county had made an especially wise move and they realized that Howard county was making a mistake in failing to secure such an agent.

Mr. Richards of Stanton stated that while he had been a resident of Martin county only a little more than a year he was convinced that this section of Texas was due for a wonderful development. He had traveled in Australia, Argentine, Brazil and many sections of the U. S., but he was able to see bigger opportunities right here than anywhere he had visited.

Mr. Thompson and other Stanton citizens discussed the need for elimination of selfishness between communities and the need of pulling together. Cooperation between communities being just as essential for growth and progress as cooperation between the citizens of a community. They complimented the citizens of Big Spring for the cooperation they had always shown toward their neighboring cities and pledged Stanton's loyal support and cooperation on all matters looking to the betterment of this section of our State.

The members of the Luncheon Club are a unit in declaring this the very best meeting in the history of their organization.

CHILD KILLED IN

AUTO COLLISION

A five year old boy was killed outright, J. Waggoner, traveling salesman for Wade's Meat Market of Sweetwater and several others sustained painful injuries when a Ford coupe driven by Waggoner collided with a Buick touring car driven by L. W. Wilson of Dallas about three miles east of Westbrook late Monday afternoon.

The Wilson boy was taken to Jones and Russell undertakers at Colorado, by a passing motorist and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and the other members of the family were carried to Dr. G. H. Barber at Colorado.

Mr. Waggoner who is at his home on Lamar Street, is reported to be resting as well as possible. He was bruised as well as cut by flying glass.

Both cars were badly wrecked by the force of the collision. It is reported that the Buick turned over twice and the Ford three or four times.

According to Waggoner the two cars met near a small cement culvert at the bottom of two hills. He stated that the accident would not have occurred had not the cars been traveling very fast, the sway of the cars causing the collision. Waggoner went through the windshield of his car taking a part of the steering wheel with him.

There were five of the Wilsons in the Buick, returning to Dallas from a vacation spent in points west, Waggoner was enroute to Big Spring. Sweetwater Reporter.

HIGGEST BALL GAMES OF SEAS-

ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

The baseball games between the Big Lake and the Big Spring T. & P. team at the ball park in Big Spring next Saturday and Sunday are being looked forward to with more interest than any game of the season.

On a recent visit to this city the Big Lake team defeated the Big Spring nine by a score of 10 to 7 and the fans haven't yet been able to understand why our team didn't beat the Big Lakers. They claim it was just one of those off days every team goes up against occasionally, and an entirely different story will be written after the next game.

The members of the team are also keen to meet the Big Lake players in order to make up for their poor showing against that team. The home team has made a wonderful record this season and they desire to round out this month with a majority of games won.

Fans from all surrounding towns having learned of the keen rivalry between the Big Lake and the Big Spring teams are planning to come in bunches for the two games.

If you want to see two sure enough ball games make your plans to see Big Lake and Big Spring tangle up here next Saturday and Sunday.

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A horse and buggy were to be seen on Main street early Monday morning and the sight was almost as unusual as was the appearance on our street of an automobile some eighteen or twenty years ago.
 Flash light supplies of all kinds
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A six inch water main is being laid from East Third street to the new cotton gin of Williams and White in the eastern part of this city.
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EAST TEXAS FINDS HERSELF

By Phebe K. Warner

For years East Texas has rocked along in the lap of Nature, so happy, so contented and so blessed. While over on the El Paso side of Texas a whole new empire has been discovered, developed and grown into one of the most active youngsters that a great State ever produced. But oh, so different. And really this young country had grown up to actually think of East Texas as growing old. But it's all a mistake. There is nothing, or nobody growing old in all Texas, in God's great plan for Texas the whole State is only an infant as yet. Scarcely as old as a grey-haired man.

Think of a State growing from a little nation of a few thousand people to a great State of more than five million souls within the four score years and ten of one man's lifetime. What do you suppose will happen in Texas in the next hundred years, and what THEN in all the years to come for Texas will be here a million years from now as it has been for more than a million years. But what did Texas amount to until the people came? Think how long God took to make Texas and get ready for us! But what a wonderful piece of work the Creator did when He made Texas.

Do you suppose there is a single human being in Texas, even to this day, who has caught the whole vision of our Creator for Texas? Of course not. That will be impossible until all the resources of the air, the sea, the rivers, the plains, the forests, the mountains, and all the hidden treasures that are buried deep in her heart are discovered.

But there had grown into the minds of the people a queer conclusion. And that was this idea: That because the eastern part of the State had been developed first and was consequently the oldest part of the State from the human standpoint that the work of building East Texas was complete. But how foolish! East Texas is not a day older than West Texas. It was all made at the same time so far as any of us know. Folks found East Texas a few years sooner. That's all.

But now it seems that the earlier settlers found so much in East Texas that they did not need it all so a great lot of her richest resources have never been tapped. And the people are just beginning to realize what they have missed, and they are starting in new to make East Texas over. No, they are not going to change the climate. They are not going to change the soil or the forests or the boundary lines or anything of that kind. They are just going to change their program. They are going to change their methods of farming and marketing. And they are going to do more ADVERTISING. They're going to let the world and the rest of Texas know what's going on in East Texas. First they are all going to get together and get better acquainted with themselves and their own possibilities. They are going to find out what fun it is to work and pull and plan together to make East Texas the garden spot of the Earth. They are going to train their children to be better farmers than they have been. They are going to put more pep and practical training into their educational system especially in their rural schools where most of the leading men and women come from. They already have many county farm agents and home demonstrators working with their boys and girls. They are going to have real caravans of farm folks at the A. & M. Short Course this week that will tell the rest of the State what East Texas is doing. Shelby county started the style for the State two years ago by sending more than 200 of her boys and girls and men and women to the Short Course, including the preacher. This week the whole State is sending caravans of Short Course enthusiasts to College Station. You can't hold a GOOD IDEA down.

One of the greatest things East Texas is doing for us all is putting over the ideal farm program conceived by Judge J. W. Fitzgerald of Smith county. And in his better farm Program Judge Fitzgerald is backed by Mrs. Fitzgerald for a better program for all the women of the county and the State. Watch their ideals grow. But do more than merely watch. Take them up and plant them in your own home county and help them to grow there. Every county in the entire nation would be a better place to live if Judge Fitzgerald's dream could come true. And it will come true before another hundred years of American history. The next centennial celebration will see his dream realized. Let's get behind it and make it come true in Texas for our FIRST CENTENNIAL celebration.

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Then there is another woman in East Texas who has changed the social life of every woman in her home county. And that's Margie Neel of Panola county, and when her district sends her to the State Senate she will change the social life of every farm woman in the State. She knows how to do it because she has done it with her home county.

Then there is SO MUCH BEAUTY in East Texas that we all need in our busy lives. How many of us have ever taken a boat ride on Caddo Lake? The whole nation needs Caddo Lake for a winter swimming pool. Some day when Dan Moody is Boss we hope Caddo Lake will be a great State Park made of cypress trees, water, ducks and fish. It is a shame to let it go to waste any longer when the whole State and the whole nation needs for a rest resort and pleasure ground.

And these things are all going to happen because on June 15, 1926, the East Texas Chamber of Commerce was created with W. N. Blanton as general manager and R. M. Kelly of Longview president, with 50 counties represented and 5,000 delegates at the first meeting. All because East Texas has discovered herself. What an example East Texas has set for everybody who thinks they are growing OLD!

We are a funny lot. Just about the time crops are planted we begin to worry about the weather and the hundred and one, more or less, insects that may get to work before the crop is ready for harvest. All the worrying we do does not benefit the crops, change the weather or discharge the insects.

If the weed cutting could be continued a little longer the city could be improved in appearance. There are some unsightly weed patches on our principal streets which should be eliminated. Plenty of men and boys would be glad to cut weeds during this month.

Of course a fine swimming pool, properly managed, would prove a mighty fine attraction for our city, but it will require quite a bit of cash to have a model swimming pool erected, and none of our folks seem willing to invest the necessary amount in this venture.

Herald Want Ads get results.

PREPARE FOR LEAF-WORM FIGHT

R. R. Reppert, Entomologist

In our press letter of May 29, we advised that the cotton leafworm had already appeared in Texas, its progress since has been very slow, but a heavy infestation occurred during the month of June, with scattered lighter infestations occurring further north at the present time.

It is our belief that damage from this pest will become more or less general over the more eastern part of Texas during July, extending toward the Panhandle country the latter part of the month or sometime in August. Especially is this to be feared if the showers at present being experienced in Texas, continue.

The cotton flea has delayed the fruiting of cotton. This damage is expected soon to cease, but a condition has been created that makes it unusually desirable to prevent the ravages of the leafworm for the remainder of the season. Consequently farmers should keep close watch for the appearance of this latter pest and be fully prepared to control it on its first appearance.

Calcium arsenate is the best poison to use, considering its cheapness and effectiveness. This may be dusted on by the pole and bag method, but preferably by means of some type of dusting machine. Best results are obtained if dusting is done while the dew is on the plants, so the poison may adhere; but usually enough adheres to the plants, even when applied during the heat of the day, or in the dry climate, to make it highly effective. Use from three to six pounds per acre according to the size of the plant.

The next best poison to use is lead arsenate. Apply in the same amount as is recommended for calcium arsenate.

Paris green may be used but is apt to burn the plant. Hence, it should be diluted with equal parts of unslaked lime. Many persons use as high as four parts of the lime to one of the Paris green, or substitute a cheap grade of flour for part of the lime. This procedure is all right, but in any case some lime should be used to prevent leaf injury. Apply any such mixture so that two or three pounds of actual Paris green is applied per acre.

In the drier sections many farm-

ers prefer to spray. All chinery should be so constructed that the mixture of poison is kept agitated; otherwise it will settle to the bottom. The three poisons previously mentioned may be used, the lead arsenate or calcium arsenate or one and a half pounds green, to fifty gallons. Where Paris green is used, a quantity of quick lime slaked, and the resulting lime be added to the mixture, straining through cheesecloth. White arsenic, malathion, arsenic and soda compounds, and are apt to burn and are not advised by extension service.

It was no fault of the Big Spring T. & F. the last two games played at Spring ball park were won. The Post team was classified, and the lack of interest by the Post players indicated they recognized that they had not a chance.

It is rumored that a new hotel to be built from the fields to intersect the Big Lake field on the line is to pass thru Houston according to the report of the rounds.

Sell the hotel proposition. Spring folks and it will be that our needed new hotel constructed. Lubbock "up" about \$150,000 before cured a fine hotel for the Spring can secure a new one same basis.

The run-off primary August 28 is not likely to be a vote getter as was the primary July 28. Dates who are still in the will not make as strong a campaign as they did previously.

An airplane, carrying "City of Abilene," and bound, passed over Big Spring shortly before 1 p.m. Watch your children's teeth examined before...

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For the three weeks ending July 17th, 23,862 motor cars and trucks were delivered to customers—an increase of 62.4 per cent over the same period last year, and impressive evidence that Dodge Brothers great sales gain is continuing through the quiet weeks of mid-summer.

There may be a saturation point for mediocrity, but honest value will always command a great and ever expanding market.

W. W. CRENSHAW
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J. M. Morgan made a business trip to Odessa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore were called to Coleman the first of the week by the illness of Mrs. Moore's mother.

IN THE GOOD OLD DAYS

Eternal vigilance is the price of safety, especially in the food supply. The health of an entire community may be imperiled by a bit of carelessness on the part of somebody who handles foodstuffs.

In the good old days, the people were urged to be cleanly in the handling of meats and milk and other foodstuffs, because it was regarded as a "nice" thing to do. There were no exact scientific facts upon which to predicate campaigns for sanitation and cleanliness. Now, however, cleanliness in the handling of every article of food is recognized as necessary, because it has been learned that disease lurks in filth and deadly germs are transmitted in foods.

In the good old days, if a milk cow appeared to be healthy, and was fat and sleek, there was no question as to the healthfulness of her milk product. Now it is known that a fat and sleek and attractive cow may be tuberculin-infected, and her milk may spread disease and suffering and death throughout a whole town. It is for this reason that most cities, including Brownwood, have adopted ordinances requiring regular tuberculin tests for all dairy animals; and by dairy animals it is meant every cow whose milk is sold, whether there be one cow or a hundred cows in a herd. The ordinances also require regular inspection of dairies, to ascertain whether they are being kept clean and whether the milk from the dairies is clean when it is delivered to the consumer. There is also something in the ordinances about the quality of the milk delivered to the consumers; and all these provisions of the milk ordinances ought to be enforced to the letter. The dairymen themselves have always given their co-operation in such enforcement, and if the city is not giving it proper attention it ought to revive its interest in the matter.

There are many classes of foodstuffs which ought to be rigidly inspected at regular periods, in order to safeguard the public health. Perhaps meat heads the list, because it is so susceptible to contamination. The slaughtering of meat animals must be done in a sanitary manner; the animals themselves must be healthful; and the handling and delivery of the meat must be in such manner as to avoid contamination and filth. All other foods, however, must be kept clean if they are to be healthful; and those who handle them must be free from communicable diseases, and must practice personal cleanliness. Even the soda fountain may become unspeakably filthy and a real menace to health if those who operate it permit themselves to become a bit careless; and the man who mixes soda fountain drinks may spread contagion throughout a large circle of persons if he is suffering from a communicable disease.

There are laws providing for the inspection of all food places, such as meat markets, grocery stores, soda fountains, hotels, restaurants, etc., but these laws are not properly enforced. Even state laws requiring food handlers to secure certificates of health at regular intervals are not given the enforcement that is necessary; and so long as public officials are careless about the enforcement of these laws, the public health is endangered. Food inspection costs money, of course, since somebody must be paid for doing the work; but the cost of it is legitimate health insurance to which the people are entitled, and for which they are always willing to pay.—Brownwood Banner-Bulletin.

HOW TO BET BETTER FARM BUILDINGS

No you can't do it all in one year. So often you plan, "Well, next year I'll paint the house, rebuild the barn, build wife a chicken house, and also build an implement shed." Next year never comes. Let's do part of it this year. Let's set aside a few acres of cotton from which the revenue is specifically to be used for making life more livable around the house.

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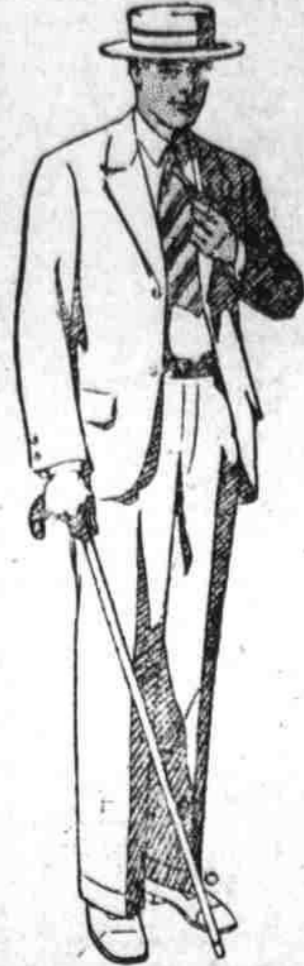
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Mrs. W. R. Zachary of Dallas is here for a visit with her brother, B. T. Parr and family. Mrs. Zachary formerly resided in Lorena, Texas, and has had the pleasure of meeting many old time friends from McLennan county since she has been in Big Spring.

Senator Jesse R. Smith and H. A. Leaverton of Breckenridge were here Monday in the interest of J. E. Hickman, candidate for Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland, Place No. 2.

Snoring is due largely to laziness, lack of exercise and overeating, according to a prominent physician.

Prickly heat powder. Cunningham & Phillips.

E. L. Stevenson of San Antonio, enroute home from a visit in California spent Monday in Big Spring greeting old time friends. L. L., who formerly owned the electric light plant here left Big Spring about twelve years ago. He is now engaged in the operation of ice factories, owning seven big plants, including those at San Antonio, Austin and Laredo.

With more tests for oil to be made in the Iatan and Chalk fields the outlook for a big development campaign grows brighter. While no gushers are being brought in, the big oil companies think well of this section as they state indications point to this being a field that will produce oil for many years.

W. S. Clough of Abilene was a business visitor here the forepart of the week. Mr. Clough who is now an independent oil operator in the Albany field is planning on making a test for oil in this county if he can interest local parties.

Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Collins and children, Mary Dallas and M. D. of this city and Ed Hague and family of Abilene, left Monday for an auto trip to points in California. They expect to spend three or four weeks in California.

Geologists are quite plentiful in Howard county and a thorough test of this section is now being made for the major oil companies. The southeastern portion of the county seems to be the favored section just at this time but development in other parts of the county is sure to follow.

Carry home some ice cream. We have two fountains to pick from. Cunningham & Phillips.

Just at this season of the year the demand for apartments and homes is not quite as heavy as it will be when our schools are in session; but we look for an extra heavy demand this fall and winter, due to the increase along the line of oil development in this territory.

Shoe polishes for the best grades of shoes and the newer colors. Cunningham & Phillips.

It cost the citizens of the U. S. \$10,000,000 per year for the one word "please," sent in telegrams. — Dearborn Independent.

Omar Radford of Abilene was a business visitor in Big Spring last Friday.

Our cigars are kept in good condition. Cunningham & Phillips.

Bilious dull feeling

"My old stand-by is Thedford's Black-Draught—I have used it off and on for about 20 years," says Mr. W. S. Reynolds, of R. F. D. 2, Arcadia, La.

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STERLING COUNTY OIL NEWS

The Exploration Broome No. 1, on section 21, block 11, S. P. Ry. Co., nine miles southeast of here, is rebuilding the derrick that was blown down in the cyclone last week.

The California Davis No. 1, on southeast 1-4 of section 288, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., 3-4 of a mile north of the town limits, is plugging. This well will be abandoned and the rig moved to the northwest 1-4 of section 288, and a new well started.

Sparkman No. 1 on section 34, block 30, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., twenty miles west of here is drilling in gray lime past 3315 feet.

Douthitt No. 2, on section 172, block 29, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., eighteen miles northwest of here, is drilling in lime around 2800 feet.

Durham No. 2, 1 1-2 miles southwest of here is still pumping. The product of this well is being used for fuel.

The Chalk field shows great activity in preparation for further development. — Sterling City News-Record.

JERSEY BULLS WILL BE EXHIBITED ON STREETS

The eight Jersey bulls bought by the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce from the Falfurrias Jersey Farm at Falfurrias, Texas, arrived in Big Spring Thursday night, and will be distributed to the various communities on Saturday. These fine registered animals will be exhibited on the streets Saturday before being taken to the various rural communities.

The importation of the Jersey bulls is the initial step taken to help the farmers of Howard county promote the industry of dairying in this section.

A bull will be placed in the following communities with the following farmers: Center Point, W. S. Satterwhite; Moore, A. K. Merrick; Fairview, L. H. Thomas; Elbow, George Wilcox; Gay Hill, M. N. Oldham; Richland, O. J. Brown; Knott, E. H. Wood; Vealmoor, S. J. Williams.

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Bud Leatherwood who is about one of the worst pessimists we have when it comes to estimating what his cotton crop is going to do is mighty worried because the cotton is not fruiting. He does admit that he has two acres of cotton in the sod that is going to make nearly a bale per acre if it is not disturbed by weather, insect pests, etc.

ROGERS BRUSHING LACQUER, the quick drying paint, for all purposes. Rockwell Bros. & Co. Phone 57. 45-47

The splendid outlook for a bumper crop this fall, the increasing oil development, the starting of the paving program, and the increased building activity now getting under good headway is causing business in all lines to pick up. Most business men report business beginning to show a steady pick-up.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Britton of Temple are guests in our city visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fatheree. Mrs. Britton and Mrs. Fatheree are sisters. Mr. Britton is traveling auditor for the Magnolia Petroleum Company of the San Antonio district, and will spend a week in this city.

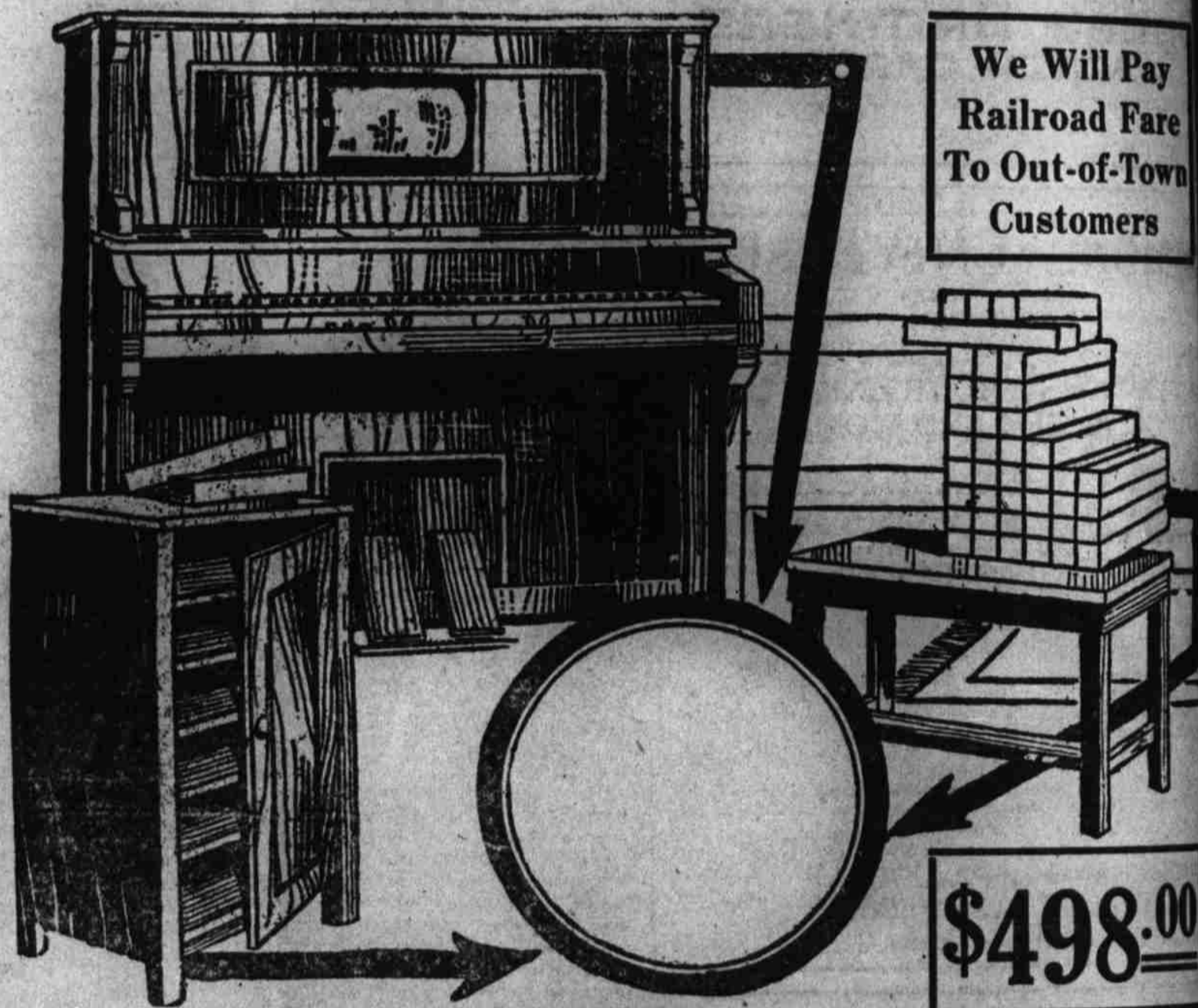
Home grown okra, squash, roasting ears, sweet peppers, lima beans, string beans, blackeyed peas, tomatoes, in addition to cantaloupe and watermelon, are now being marketed in Big Spring.

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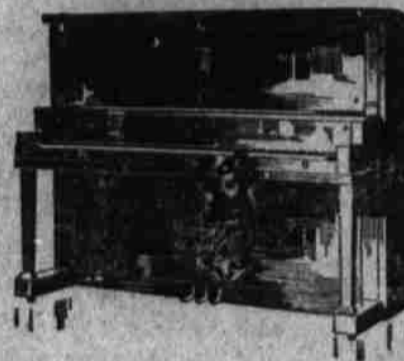


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There is only a limited number of these Pianos to be sold at this price, so call and arrange for immediate delivery to your home.

BUY NOW!

It isn't an unusual thing at all for an automobile to turn over or to be wrecked on one of the highways near Big Spring. Almost every day this week the wrecker has been called out to haul in a car that has been run into, turned over or happened to some other kind of mishap. Usually the cause of it all is speeding. Why can't this be a lesson to some of the speed maniacs and make them want to mend their ways before it is too late?

Mrs. Jessie Hooper and children and Mrs. Nannie Murphy of Lorena arrived Thursday morning for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Montgomery.

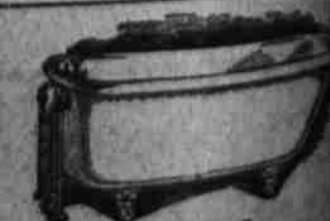
Mrs. W. J. Crawford and children returned last week from a visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Paint your furniture with Rogers Brushing Lacquer—dries while you wait. Rockwell Bros. & Co.

The little daughter of Mrs. Henry Neal of Glasscock county who underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils is getting along nicely. Mrs. Neal and daughter are staying at the Saunders apartments.

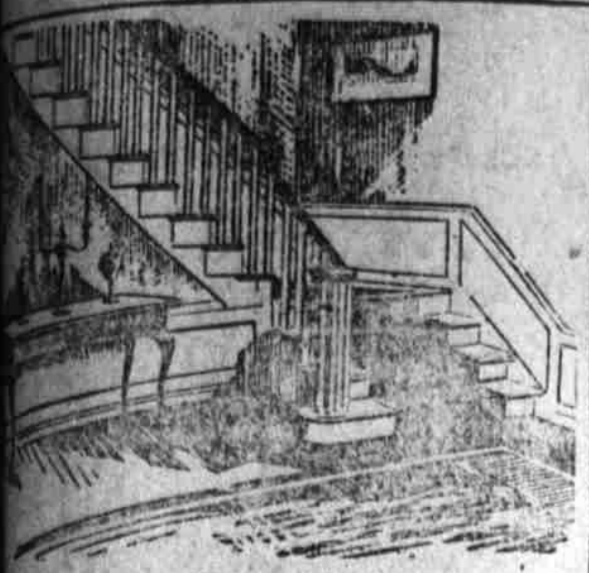
Mrs. D. C. Everley left the forepart of this week for a visit with her sister in Los Angeles, Calif.

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IN SOCIETY

IN HONOR OF

THOMAS E. JOHNSON a recent bride, Mrs. Johnson of Colorado, Miss Helen Hatch of Miss Lillian and Louise McNew entertained on Thursday from six thirty to a seated tea at the South Scurry street. The guests were greeted by Miss Lillian and Louise McNew. The punch bowl was beautifully banked with Miss Lillian and Louise McNew. The guests were greeted by Miss Lillian and Louise McNew. The punch bowl was beautifully banked with Miss Lillian and Louise McNew.

MISS FRANCES SMITH CELEBRATES TENTH BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Frances Smith, who is spending the summer here with Mrs. M. Richardson, was the honoree at a delightful party on Tuesday afternoon given in honor of her tenth birthday anniversary. The merry group of youngsters enjoyed out of door games and merriment reigned throughout the play hour. A pink and white color theme was prettily employed in the party details, and a garden scene was effected under the shade trees where the seats were arranged for the children and refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served.

Those invited to spend these happy hours with the little honoree were: Misses Mary Jane and Margaret Reed, Edith Dow Cordill, Nancy and Champ Phillips, Frances Douglass, Doris Cunningham, Doris May Patton, Wynell Woodall, Mary Vance Koneaster, Mary Louise Gilmore, Mary Alice Wilke, Hattie May Pickle, Melba Cauble, D. Price Carter, Bobby McNew, Monty Jones and the honoree, Frances Smith.

PARTY AT CITY PARK FOR OUT OF TOWN VISITORS

Margaret Virginia and James Owen were the honor guests at a picnic party given by Miss Hattie Mae Pickle last Saturday afternoon, when twenty youngsters were invited to be her guests and to meet the young visitors here from Paducah, Kentucky. The young group assembled at the Pickle home and from there were taken to the city park. Games were played, and all made merry with dainty little gifts which were fished from behind a curtain. Ice cream cones were served at refreshment time.

Those present were: Margaret Virginia and James Owen, Gene Hardy Flewelen, Florine Rankin, Ruth Taylor, Lula Ashley, Frances Smith, Joyce Terry, Frances Katherine Paylor, Zella Mae Dodge, Mary Alice Wilke, Dorothy Driver, Mary Elizabeth Dodge, Jeanette Dodge, Marcella King, Judith Pickle, Doris May Patton and Hattie Mae Pickle.

DANCE AT ELKS HALL LAST THURSDAY EVENING

The Bobbie Miller Orchestra furnished the music for the dance given at the Elks Hall last Thursday evening. This proved to be a delightful affair for the members of the younger social set, and a good crowd attended. Several out of town visitors were also in attendance.

Mrs. J. L. Jones returned Friday night from a visit with relatives and friends at Pecos.

DELIGHTFUL BRIDGE FUNCTION ON LAST THURSDAY

Outstanding among the social events of the past week end was the delightful bridge function given on last Thursday afternoon when Mrs. M. H. Bennett and Miss Thelma Fox cohostesses, entertained fourteen tables of players at bridge, at the Bennett home on South Main street.

Colorful summer blossoms prettily placed in vases and bowls gave a dainty touch of beauty to the rooms used in entertaining wherein the tables were arranged for the play. Guests found their places by attractive score cards, which were passed to them by Mrs. Eh Hatch. Four games of bridge were played during the afternoon hours, and at the conclusion when scores were compared, the high score award went to Mrs. Clyde Fox. A lovely pair of book ends were presented to her, and Mrs. Haren Hester of Fort Worth was consoled for making low score.

Dainty luncheon covers were passed at the refreshment hour, and an attractive refreshment plate holding cucumber salad, sandwiches, olives, cheese wafers, devils food cake and punch was served.

Distinctive among the guests at this delightful affair were some out of town visitors: Mrs. F. H. Etheridge of Los Angeles; Mrs. H. B. Robb of Dallas; Mrs. Haren Hester of Fort Worth; Miss Vera Hall of Abilene, and Miss Mary Holmes of Corsicana.

DORIS CUNNINGHAM BIRTHDAY HONOREE

Little Miss Doris Cunningham was the honoree at a happily planned affair on last Friday afternoon when twenty six of her little friends were invited to celebrate with her, her eighth birthday anniversary at a lawn party. In the late hours of the afternoon the happy group of youngsters assembled and on the shady lawn played out of door games. At refreshment time, a prettily laid table was placed on the lawn, centered with the big birthday cake which was topped with candles. A pink and white color scheme was prettily employed in the refreshments which were ice cream and cake. The candles were lighted and much merriment centered about blowing them out, making good wishes for the honoree and in cutting the cake. Each little guest was given a party favor.

The young hostess was the recipient of many dainty and lovely gifts from her little guests on this happy birthday.

EPISCOPAL MEMBERS ENJOY PICNIC AT THE NEW WELLS

The members of the Episcopal congregation and invited friends enjoyed a picnic at the new wells south of this city last Thursday evening. After the delightful drive to the pretty picnic spot in the cool evening, the bounteous supper was spread, and all feasted on assorted sandwiches, salads, pickles, olives, cakes, fruit and iced tea. While the grown ups engaged in conversation, the younger ones enjoyed games and various kinds of contests.

About twenty five members of the Episcopal congregation and friends attended this happy event.

BARBECUE AT GOLF LINKS PROVES DELIGHTFUL OUTING

A thoroughly delightful outing of the past week end was given on last Thursday evening, when Dr. G. T. Hall was host at a barbecue at the golf links of the Big Spring country club. Chickens, mutton and beef was barbecued to a turn, and served with toast, pickles, salads, pies, and individual brick ice cream.

About thirty couples partook of Dr. Hall's gracious hospitality.

I. O. O. F. ENTERTAINMENT

The Odd Fellows will give a free show Sunday, August 22 starting at 2 o'clock and continuing several hours at the R. and R. Queen theater in Big Spring, showing the I. O. O. F. Widows and Orphans home at Corsicana. This is a new moving picture and will be educating and entertaining. Everybody is cordially invited to come. Bring your families and enjoy this picture. Everything free.

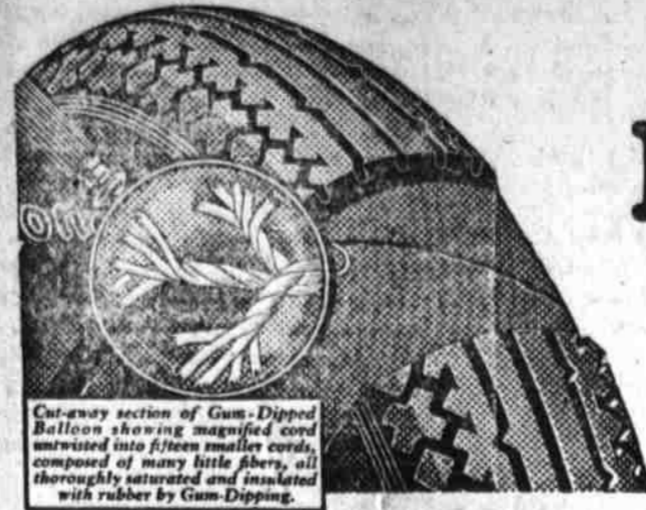
WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. YARNELL

A very pretty party of the week, was the one on Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Chas. Yarnell delightfully entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club.

Three tables of players contested in the series of interesting games played thruout the afternoon hours with high score among the club members going to Mrs. M. H. Jones and visitors high score was won by Mrs. Victor Mellinger.

A delectable two course luncheon served at the close of play was a pleasant aftermath to this meeting of the club.

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SLAUGHTER-GILMORE

Friends in this city are receiving with interest the announcement of the marriage of Miss Vera Gilmore to Dr. Carl A. Slaughter, the ceremony being performed by Dr. Johnson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Galveston on Sunday, August 1.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. B. Gilmore of this city, has been in training at the John Sealy Hospital at Galveston the past two years, and it was here that she met Dr. Slaughter, who had graduated from the State Medical College, and was serving his internship in John Sealy Hospital.

Dr. Slaughter has been placed in charge of the hospital in Sugarland, and it is here that the happy couple will make their future home.

While living in this city Mrs. Slaughter was a popular member of the younger social set, where she has a wide circle of friends who wish her every success and happiness.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to this happy young couple.

BELL-FLEEMAN

At the home of the bride's parents in this city, Sunday, August 1, at four o'clock, a quiet ceremony was performed which united in marriage Miss Effie Jewel Fleeman and Lloyd Basil Bell, with only relatives in attendance.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Fleeman and she has grown to young womanhood in this city. After graduating from the Big Spring high school, she attended college at Southern Methodist University at Dallas, and the College of Industrial Arts in Denton. She has taught school several years, the past season she was a member of the faculty in the San Antonio schools. She is loved by a wide circle of friends because of her congeniality and admirable traits of character.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Bell and is associated in the produce business here with his father. They will make their home in this city.

The Herald joins a host of friends in this city in extending best wishes.

WHAT-SO-EVERS ENTERTAIN PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

The Whatsoever Circle of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church entertained the other Presbyterian women with a picnic at city park last Thursday evening. The group assembled at the church and from there were taken to the park in cars. Various kinds of games and songs was the amusement for a

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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FOR SALE—My home one block east of the South ward school, 4 rooms, sleeping porch, bath, toilet, and sink, 6 lots to place. If interested phone 653 or see Will Garten, 45-4t-p

A REAL BARGAIN—I am offering for immediate sale a quantity of High Grade Windmill and Machine oils (summer weight) in 1- and 1-2-gallon cans, at 35c per gallon; also some 500-lb. axle grease, at 5c per pound. A. E. TRUE, Agent Simms Oil Co. 38-tf

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LIMITED number Tancred cockerels, 12 week old, M. Johnson strain, \$1.00 each. Can be seen at Joe B. Neel feed store, or phone 79. 44-4t-pd.

LEASE FOR SALE—W. 1-2 Bk. 10, Sec. 181, Bk. 29, W. & N. W. Ry. survey, Glasscock Co., Texas, 5 acres. Rentals paid to May, 1927. Lease expires May, 1930. Surrounded by big oil company. A. C. Vowell, 121 Starr St., San Antonio, Texas. 444t-pd

MAIZE—I have about 8 tons of maize for sale at \$20 per ton. See me at my place 5 miles southwest of Big Spring. C. R. Dunnagan. 46-2tpd.

PIANO AT A BARGAIN—A fine piano in vicinity of Big Spring, will sell cheap rather than ship back to Fort Worth. Phone 28.

FINE PLAYER PIANO—to trade in as part payment on a fine automobile. Phone 85 or see G. W. Bowman. 1t

FOR SALE—Household goods for four rooms. Also house, for rent. Close in. Call at 105 Gregg street. 1tpd

FOR SALE or rent—Five room house for sale or rent, at 709 Scurry street. Phone 443 or call at 206 Scurry street. 1t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment. Phone 456.

while then friendly conversation was enjoyed. At eating time the women were seated to a tempting repast of fried chicken, salads, olives, pickles, bread and butter sandwiches, home made cake and iced tea.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Modern conveniences. Close in. Apply at 204 Nolan street or phone 172. 1tpd

FOR RENT—Two light house-keeping rooms. If interested phone 215 or apply at 511 West Fourth street. 1t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment. Call at 503 Lancaster St., if interested. 44-2tpd

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. Apply at 110 Johnson St.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for light housekeeping. Phone 321 or 375. 39tf

FOR RENT—3 rooms unfurnished bath, sewer, garage. Cool, pleasant and well located—\$20. Clyde E. Thomas, Phone 257 or 598. 40tf

WANTED—Horses to pasture — I can furnish pasture for twenty horses. Plenty of grass and water. \$1.50 per month, per head. Phone 9006-F21. C. B. Lawrence. 452p

WANTED—Joe Cochran will buy all of your fat hogs and cattle. Phone 220. 44-tf

WANTED—A housekeeper, Phone L. C. Stamper, Telephone 160, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. 44-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING—If it's Hemstitching you want done, see Lola Curtis at W. R. Purser & Sons, All work guaranteed. Phone 421. 46tf

PLENTY OF GRASS and Water at \$1 per month; 1 mile east of town. E. H. Heffington. 1tpd

LOST and FOUND

LOST—A Brownie kodak was lost between Signal Mount and Big Spring Sunday. Finder phone 299 and receive reward. 1tpd

This jolly affair proved a delightful outing for those in attendance. Mrs. Harvey Dunkle of Colorado underwent an operation at the Big Spring sanitarium this week. She is reported as getting along nicely.

Improved Uniform International

Sunday School Lesson

By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean of Day and Evening Schools, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (©, 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for August 1

DELIVERANCE AT THE RED SEA

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 14:1-31. GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord is my strength and song and he is become my salvation.

PRIMARY TOPIC—God Takes Care of the Children of Israel. JUNIOR TOPIC—Israel Saved at the Red Sea.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How a Nation of Slaves Was Set Free. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Divine and Human Leadership.

I. Israel in Straitened Circumstances (vv. 1-12).

1. Going out of the land of Egypt (13-18).

The tenth stroke from the strong hand of the Almighty made Pharaoh willing to let Israel go. The Israelites went out from Egypt on their way to the promised land with a high hand. Through the land of the Philistines the journey would have been comparatively short, but God commanded them to turn from that way lest going through the land of the Philistines they would see war and desire to turn back to Egypt. The way of the wilderness was a longer route, but it had many valuable lessons for them. By this way they escaped the experiences of war which would have come to them at the hand of the Philistines, but they learned the crookedness and perverseness of their own hearts (Deut. 8:12).

2. Hemmed in (vv. 1-8).

At the Lord's direction they turned from their first course and were made to face a great difficulty. The Red sea was before them and mountains on either side. However, they should have been encouraged because the Lord went before them by day in a pillar of cloud to lead them the way and by night in a pillar of fire to give them light. He took not away the pillar of cloud by day, nor the pillar of fire by night (18:21, 22).

3. Pursued by Pharaoh (vv. 4-12).

The stricken Egyptians had now recovered from their sorrow, and perceiving the straitened circumstances of the Israelites they interpreted this to mean that Moses was unable to lead them out of their difficulty. Therefore they went in pursuit, hoping yet to prevent them from leaving the country.

II. The Miraculous Escape of the Israelites (vv. 13-22).

Though they were in a straitened condition they had no reason to fear, for the Lord had led them there. There seems to have been a twofold object in leading them into this particular place.

1. To strengthen the faith of the people. To be delivered from such circumstances would impress upon them the reality of the love and power of God. The people, as usual, displayed their unbelief and even censured Moses for leading them out of Egypt. Moses replied, "Fear ye not, stand still and see the salvation of the Lord." Standing still in such a trial is faith taking hold on God's promises. God said, "Wherefore criest thou unto Me? Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." The lifting up of the rod simply served as something tangible upon which their faith could act. They were to go forward a step at a time without raising any question as to the outcome, for from the source from which came the command, came the power to obey.

2. To lay a snare for the overthrow of the Egyptians.

Those who will not heed the warning judgments of God may be allowed to go to their destruction under the presumption that the Almighty is helping them.

III. The Overthrow of the Egyptians (vv. 23-27).

Having seen the Israelites go across the sea dry shod, Pharaoh and his people madly pursued them. They insanely thought that they in their unbelief could follow in the wake of God's children. The Lord looked forth from the cloud and wrought confusion among the Egyptians. He not only looked upon them but took off their chariot wheels, which caused them to realize that God was fighting against them. He then directed Moses to stretch forth his rod and bring destruction upon the Egyptians.

IV. The Song of Triumph (15:1-21).

Standing on the other shore of the Red sea they could fittingly sing the song of triumph because of their miraculous deliverance and the overwhelming defeat of the Egyptians. They attributed it all to God. All self-consciousness and importance were left out. In a glad coming day, a similar but much larger company will sing the same song with an important addition, namely, the "Song of the Lamb." (Rev. 15:3).

The Deep Well of Life

Oh, ye poor, dry and dead souls, who will ye not come hither with your empty vessels and your empty souls, to this deep and sweet well of life, and fill your empty vessels.—S. Rutherford.

Help Improve the World

The world was never meant to satisfy. It is man's business to do what he can to improve it; then he is to leave it and pass on to a higher life, to eternal joy.—W. Robertson Nicoll.

CHURCHES

CHURCH OF GOD

Meeting each Sunday 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sunday school 10 p. m. Corner 10th and Main Streets C. Y. D. meeting at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is invited and welcome to be with us. G. B. WALTERS, Pastor Residence, Corner Main and 10th. Phone 652-J.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

TABERNACLE

207 West Fourth Street Bible School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Tuesday 4 p. m. Ladies Bible Study. Thursday 7:15 p. m. Bible Study. A hearty welcome awaits you.

E. THIRD ST. BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner East Third and Gollad Streets REV. D. G. WELLS, Pastor Services each Sunday. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. M. H. Morrison, Superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday night. A welcome awaits you.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner Main and Sixth Streets D. H. HEARD, Pastor Res. 1411 Scurry Street Phones: Res. 492; church 460 Services Each Sunday Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Mid-week service Wed. 8 p. m. Women meet each Monday, 3:30. Strangers especially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Corner Main and Fifth Street R. L. OWEN, Pastor Phone 369 Services each Sabbath, except the third. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 o'clock. Evening worship 8 o'clock. Mid-week service, 8 p. m. Wed. A glad-hand welcomes YOU.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

W. C. HINDS, Pastor Residence 404 Scurry Street Sunday services: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Epworth league, 7 p. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. All services are being held temporarily in the District Court room at the Court House.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Main Street on North Side REV. KISTNER, Pastor Mass every second and fourth Sunday at 10 a. m. Strangers especially invited.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

5th and Scurry Streets GEO. J. RUTH, Minister Bible school 9:45 a. m. Res. 506 Rannels St. Phone 96 Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. You are always welcome and we will try to make you feel at home. Make First Christian Your Church

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

St. Mary's Church 501 Rannels Street FRANK H. STEDMAN, Rector Church School 9:45 a. m. Morning Prayer 11 a. m.

State National Bank makes fine showing as shown by their statement in this issue. For Safety and Service do your Banking Business with The State National Bank of Big Spring.

THANKS TO VOTERS

OF PRECINCT NO. 4

I take this method of thanking you for your liberal support in the primary election. You have made it possible for me to be in the run-off primary, and I am asking a continuation of your help in the approaching election. To those who did not see fit to make me first choice, I desire to state that I shall appreciate your vote and influence in the second primary. Your true friend, TOM HOLLER

RED STAR STAGE LEAVES

FOR LUBBOCK AT FIVE P. M.

The Red Star Stage, which formerly left Big Spring for Lubbock at 6 o'clock, now leaves this city at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, getting into Lubbock at 9:15 P. M. The change in this schedule gives passengers direct connections there. Notice this change from 6 to 5 o'clock, so that you will not miss the car.—advertisement, 46-2tpd.

The Herald force is indeed grateful to W. H. Cardwell for two fine juicy watermelons and two big cantaloupes which he presented to us on last Saturday morning. This fruit was of fine flavor and good eating.

One razor free with a tube of shaving cream. . . . Cunningham & Phillips.

HOW TWO WISE PARENTS MADE A WHOLE FAMILY HAPPY

My father and mother were two of the happiest, most youthful old people I ever knew. They were children with us. They welcomed our friends and helped us entertain them, fixed surprising refreshments, planned picnics and parties, and did all the sweet, thoughtful things that make children so proud of their parents and keep them pals through life.

Occasionally they would leave us to keep house—very important in our assumed responsibility and eager to do something unusually "smart"—and would go off for a little visit or holiday together. They would come back very much pleased with us but especially delighted with each other—youthful, shining-eyed, wholly in love.

They were never wealthy, and there were times when it was a struggle to make buckle and tongue meet. But they kept sweet and gentle and companionable through it all. The neighbors always felt free to congregate at our house because there was such generous hospitality, whether there was a generous "feed" or not.

I remember one winter night the young folks gave us a surprise party. Now no matter how surprised mother was, she always managed refreshments. But this night there happened to be absolutely nothing cooked in the house. Presently, while father was "fiddling" for us to dance the Virginia reel, mother slipped out and returned with a big pan of raw peanuts and several ears of pop corn. Such fun as we had, popping corn over the coals and roasting the peanuts in the ashes!

From early childhood, Saturday afternoons were our picnic times. Sometimes father took us to the river for a swim, or perhaps we went fishing or played tennis or croquet with mother sitting on the porch with her buttonholes or darning, enjoying the game as much as any of us.

We were not dependent on outsiders for amusement. There were summer evenings when father and mother joined us in quiet games—cards, checkers, rook, authors, or dominoes—or we read aloud to each other from a new book or magazine.

Then there were parties—at Christmas or on birthdays—with contests and games and loads of fun. There were candy pulls and corn shuckings and quilting parties, where we were amazed at the fun old people could have.

The family is scattered now. Most of us are married with homes and children of our own. But we have the memory of an influence that will follow us throughout our lives and make us better, happier men and women.—V. H. M., in The Progressive Farmer

BASEBALL SAME TO NEW YORKERS AS IN "PODUNK"

New York takes its baseball just Blankville, Mo., only in larger doses and, perhaps, a little more seriously.

All the rivalry, emotions, arguments, slang and war whoops found in the country town are multiplied a thousand or more times in Gotham. Blankville has its baseball heroes. So has New York. Umpires here get as little praise and as much baiting as does the lone Blankville arbiter.

When the Yankees, Giants and Robins are winning, each attracts large crowds. When they are in a slump, each has a congregation of loyal followers that refuses to desert the grand stand and bleachers. The same holds true in Blankville.

New York's baseball crowds however, are far more cosmopolitan. The Japanese, Chinese, Italians, Germans, Slavs, Frenchmen, Englishmen, South Americans and other foreigners soon become addicts of the national pastime.

At almost any game, one can look over rows and rows of faces without seeing a native American. Of all the fans, the Japanese and Chinese are less given to manifestations. They smile and talk over the plays between themselves.

The negroes probably are the most enthusiastic and loudest in the cheers.

Enough money goes out of Howard county each year to support a good sized business establishment. This money goes to institutions in a few big cities which pay no local taxes, and only in the rarest instances donates to local charities or local institutions. Its good old hard cash that is paid on the barrel head long before the purchasers secure their goods. At least \$125,000 is paid the big mail order houses each year by the citizens of Howard county. A good many mail order patrons ride the home merchants in order to pay the mail order houses the cash.

Herald want ads get results.



DRESSES

Extraordinary reductions in all of our silk frocks. Many of these fine values have been marked below cost. They represent values rarely equalled and are in a wide enough choice of style and fabric to guarantee a perfect choice.

We still have many bargains to offer our patrons in the men's department. Suits, extra pants, hats, shirts and other men's apparel at bargains.

Our big sale is nearing its close, and we have again slashed prices. You are invited to come and look over the bargains we offer, and get what you need before the sale closes.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Furman W. Jett by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, Texas, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1926, the same being the 6 day of September A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29 day of July A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1038, wherein Irna Jett is plaintiff, and Furman W. Jett is defendant, and said petition alleging Plaintiff is and has been for more than twelve months a bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and a resident in Howard County in said State more than six months before filing petition.

Defendant and plaintiff were legally married in Howard county, Texas, February 26, 1920; lived together as husband and wife till in the month of August, 1925, at which time plaintiff separated herself from defendant, the separation permanent, for the reason that, though plaintiff had been devoted to defendant, kind to, and indulgent with him during all the time they lived together and while he was unem-

ployed, taxing herself to the utmost of her strength at different times to earn support and maintenance for herself and defendant and their child, defendant not inclined to find employment and refusing to devote himself to work, when opportunity afforded, and failing to support and maintain plaintiff and their child, and finally ordering her away from him and their temporary abode because she refused to join him in a scheme to defeat payment of rental for their room, under demand that she should not return to him, rudely tearing her baby away from her arms and when she had repossessed it, breaking the screen to effect entrance into room where she was and he, his mother joining him, making an assault upon plaintiff and tearing her baby away from her, the bad treatment in neglecting her and the child, in refusing to support and maintain them and finally driving her away, and then assaulting her so that she stood in terror of him, the outrages perpetrated upon her rendering her further living with him wholly insupportable.

Two children and only two were born of the marriage, the first February 10, 1921, and which died two weeks after its birth, the other, Evelyn Muriel, now about three years old.

Plaintiff has cared for the child; has devoted herself to its support and maintenance and care, and will provide for her support, maintenance and education and is a suitable person to have care and custody of her.

Defendant is profligate and has not cared for the said child; is not a suitable person to have or exercise custody over her.

Plaintiff prays that she be divorced from defendant and for the care and custody of the said child.

Herein fall not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, on this the 29 day of July, A. D. 1926. (Seal)

J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk, District Court, Howard Co., Texas, 45-4t.

JOHN ORY THANKS HOWARD COUNTY

Let me here publicly sincere thanks to all Howard voters who gave me their Democratic primary vote July 24. Your loyalty to me to be in the run-off for Public Weigher of and I appreciate your presence. Let me again help in the run-off primary, 28, and if I happened to be first choice for the primary, perhaps you will in the run-off. I will your vote.

FAKE TREE DOCTORS

Warning against fake has been issued by the department.

Presence of many brought out many false to cure all ills among the Training is needed in trees and "quack" doctors shunned, as they do more good, the bulletin warned.

All men practicing and recognized by the department are required license.—Fort Worth Press

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Big Spring, Texas

Big Spring Needs a Better Hotel

What are you doing toward securing better Hotel Facilities for Big Spring? Don't have them—why procrastinate!

Big Spring Herald

BY T. E. JORDAN

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Big Spring, Friday, August 6, 1926

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Announcement Column

For County and District Clerk: J. I. PRICHARD.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: FRANK HOUSE (Re-election) ANDREW J. MERRICK.

For County Judge: H. R. DEBENPORT

For Tax Assessor: ANDERSON BAILEY

For County Treasurer: E. G. TOWLER MISS ZOU HARDY

For County Attorney: JAMES LITTLE

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: J. W. CARPENTER JOHN ORY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: O. C. BAYES A. H. BUGG

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: J. S. MCCRIGHT

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: J. O. ROSSER

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: TOM HOLLER W. B. SNEED

Candidate for Constable, Precinct 1: W. B. DAY

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2: FRANK LOVELESS (Re-election) H. C. REID

GLASSCOCK COUNTY
For Sheriff and Tax Collector: W. L. LEMMONS (Re-election)

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

By West Texas C. of C.

Breckenridge — Breckenridge is to have a new hotel with a cost of approximately \$400,000, according to reports from the Chamber of Commerce of this city. Citizens of Breckenridge will be required to take out stock to the amount of \$60,000. Other interests will subscribe for the remainder of the amount.

Wellington — The Chamber of Commerce of this city is making plans to bid on the 1927 convention of the northern Panhandle district. All business houses will close for the convention this year at Clarendon and the delegation from that city will include more than 500 business men.

Clarendon — Clarendon is having a new hotel, which will cost \$75,000. It will be a three story structure, modern thruout, with private telephones. Private parking places will be arranged for the cars belonging to the guests of the hotel.

Haskell — An election has been ordered for the citizens of Haskell to vote \$17,000 bonds in City Hall and fire station improvements and \$20,000 funding bonds. The bond rates will not carry a tax raise.

Hereford — Hereford high school now has affiliation in all of the twenty six courses of studies offered, according to reports received from the State Department of Education. Three and one half units were secured this year.

Stamford — The Traffic Bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been instrumental in saving more than \$3,000,000 annually to the shippers of West Texas, according to reports received from the Interstate Commerce Commission which recently denied the five per cent raise in the rate for all carriers west of the Mississippi river.

O'Donnell — The Chamber of Commerce of this city is contemplating the securing of a county agent for Lynn county. A petition for this agent is being signed by members of the organization and will be presented to the commissioners' court.

Eastland — The organization of the Eastland Mineral Water Company has been completed, and the capital of the company will be \$25,000. The outlook of the company is good, since no unfavorable comment has been made against the supply of water here.

Wichita Falls — Building permits in Wichita Falls amounted to a total of \$1,242,039 for the month of

June, and the grand total for the year, up to this date, is \$6,169,287.

Brownfield — The new Hotel Brownfield is open for business. The hotel is modern in building and fixtures. There are twenty-eight guest rooms with private baths and the building is steam heated.

Ballinger — The poultrymen of Runnels county are effecting the organization of all poultry growers for the purpose of selecting and raising the best grade of chickens.

Mineral Wells — Necessary funds for the installation of signal lights have been appropriated by the Mineral Wells City Commission, and the system will soon be in use. Five lights will be used in the beginning, but others will be added later as the need for them becomes more urgent.

Plainview — Orders have been placed for Plainview's new playgrounds. The grounds will shelter a pavilion, lunch tables, benches, and several sets of playground equipment for children. The park will have a flag pole and at sundown each evening, the American flag will be lowered, with all the children present standing in attention.

BELL TIN SHOP IS MOVED TO McCAMEY

The Bell Tin Shop has been moved to McCamey, according to J. T. Bell proprietor of same. Mr. Bell will operate his tin shop in this prosperous little oil town, but his family will continue to make their home in Big Spring. A branch of this shop may be reopened in this city again in the near future, but at present the entire equipment will be used in the McCamey shop.

CARD OF THANKS TO PRECINCT VOTERS

I wish to thank all of my friends and all who voted for me in the primary election. I hope that I may live up to the expectations of all who voted for me. To those who did not see fit to make me first choice, I wish to state that I will appreciate your vote and influence in the second primary.

Again I wish to thank you all,
W. B. SNEED.

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TEXAS RANGERS TO MEET AUG. 11-13

The next annual meeting of the Texas Rangers Association will be held at Ranger, Texas, August 11-13. There are now about 150 members and many are very feeble. During the last year seventeen members have died.

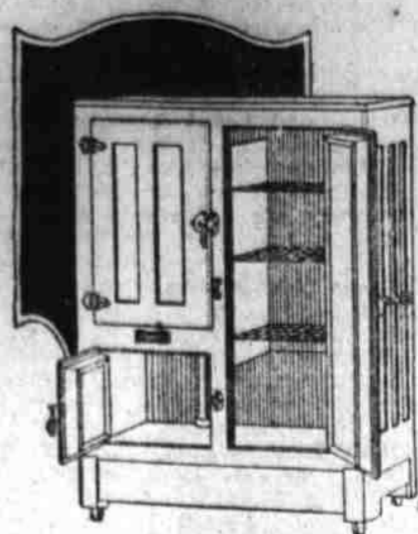
DIAMONDS — DIAMONDS

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P. B. Bittle left Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives at College Station.

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REUNION AT CHRISTOVAL OF UNITED CONFEDERATE VETS

Mt. Remnants Brigade Fifth Texas Division of the United Confederate Veterans met in reunion at Christoval, Texas, this week beginning Wednesday, August 4, extending thru Friday, August 6. The program given the three days consisted of speaking, music, old fiddlers and square dances.

Free rations were furnished to the Veterans, sons and daughters and they were given delightful entertainment.

We can obtain loans on Patented Farm and Ranch Lands at 5 1-2 or 6 per cent on long time. If you desire to borrow money on your land. See STATE NATIONAL BANK, 411f

MEXICAN TIGERS SWAMP THE ABILENE EAGLES

The Big Spring Mexican Tigers walked all over the Abilene Mexican Eagles in the double header ball game here last Sunday; both games being victories for the local Mexicans. The first game ended with a score of 10 to 3 in the Tigers favor, and the second game with a score of 5 to 3.

Miss Vera Hall who received injuries in an automobile accident last Thursday evening is reported to be getting along nicely.

Miss Mabel Ricker left Tuesday morning for a brief visit in San Angelo.

One foreign concern doing business in Big Spring is rather cold blooded to say the least. In answer to a letter asking their cooperation towards a community enterprise, this firm came back with the information that they were engaged in disposing of a certain commodity and were not interested in helping Big Spring put over the proposition in question. In view of the fact that the growth of Big Spring would certainly aid this corporation we are unable to understand why they take the attitude they do. They should at least pledge moral support even though they could not see their way clear to aid the proposition financially.

There will be many inconveniences to be put up with while the business section of our city is being paved so we might as well make up our minds to make the best of it. Some of the streets in the business section will be out of commission until the job is completed some six months hence.

A number of independent oil operators have been looking Howard county over recently. There is reason to believe that one or more tests in other sections than the southeastern portion of our county are to be given consideration.

MULES FOR SALE

Have some extra good work mules for sale. Phone the Guitlar ranch or see George White, 911 Gregg street.

FOSTER'S WEATHER

PERDICTION

Washington, July 29.—The average August is a month of little temperature fluctuation and little precipitation; a hot and dry month. I expect August, 1926, to be a month of unusually great temperature extremes and about normal precipitation as an average for the continent. The principal temperature movements of the month will somewhat resemble those of July; first part of month will average below normal, middle portion above normal with extreme heat waves and last part of month below normal with extreme cool waves in south and cold waves in extreme north. Principal precipitation of month will be in the nature of excessive local rains, carried mostly to southern great central valleys, south coast and to northeast parts of great central valleys; most precipitation will occur near August 9 and Aug. 23. Severe storms are expected to cross continent during weeks centering on Aug. 8, 16 and 23; mild storms Aug. 1 and 29. Severe storms centering on Aug. 8 and 23 will cause several local storms and precipitation and be followed by sharp temperature changes from very warm preceding storm centers to very cool following storm centers. Storm wave centering on Aug. 16 is expected to be of severe force, but to generate heat and electrical disturbances principally, causing period centering on Aug. 16 to be extremely warm in central and northern sections with more moderate extremes in southern sections relative to respective normals.

August is not expected to have much regard for present crop conditions and crop weather that is needed for best yields in many crop sections of the country. Warm, dry weather that is expected in northern and western great central valleys would be more appreciated in the small boll growth seems to be the South, where heavy plant growth and average cotton condition. Cool average temperatures and more than normal precipitation, that I expect in southern sections during the month, would be more welcome in central and northern localities to overcome the late spring start and below normal precipitation that has been the present season average in those sections.

The American corn crop of 1926 is at present averaging near three weeks later than usual. Very good crop weather for the balance of season and an early fall without killing frosts would now be necessary in order to make a normal corn crop or better. This would be expecting a great deal of nature, especially during this year of unusual extremes and freak weather. I do not expect northern frosts that would reach crops of any importance during August.

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"THEY BELONG TO THEMSELVES"

Often and often have we thought of President Coolidge's remark about his Vermont farmer neighbors:

"My people are happy and contented. They belong to themselves, live within their incomes, and fear no man."

Now the Progressive Farmer believes most profoundly that agriculture has not had a square deal from government and "the powers that be." We believe it is still true as Adam Smith said it was when he wrote The Wealth of Nations that the policy of practically all governments since the downfall of the Roman Empire "has been more favorable to arts, manufactures, and commerce, the industry of towns, than to agriculture, the industry of the country." Nor do we believe that President Coolidge has a sufficient realization of this truth.

At the same time since economic conditions are as they are, the individual farmer must follow the example of President Coolidge's neighbors if he is to succeed. One of the best New Year resolutions we can make is that during 1927 we will "belong to ourselves, live within our incomes and fear no man."—The Progressive Farmer.

Sam King and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Woods of Glendale, Ariz., arrived Monday for a week's visit with relatives and friends in this city. Mr. and Mrs. King left here eight years ago and are well pleased with Arizona. Their many friends here were indeed pleased to welcome their return to this city.

T. A. Rankin left Tuesday morning for Oklahoma, called there by the death of his mother.

Good Barrels for sale cheap at the Home Bakery. 44-31

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, That you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Howard, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Howard county, for four consecutive weeks prior to the return day hereof, B. S. Barlow, B. F. Barlow, Ludwig Krapp, and I. D. Maxwell, whose residence is unknown, if they be living, and the Unknown Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Legal Representatives of the said B. S. Barlow, B. F. Barlow, Ludwig Krapp, and I. D. Maxwell, whose names and residence is each unknown, if they be dead, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Howard, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Big Spring, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1926, the same being the sixth day of September, 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of July A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered 1037 of the Docket of said Court, wherein E. Cecil Seaman, Bishop of North Texas, H. W. Galbraith and C. A. Fisk, as Trustees of the Missionary District of North Texas of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America, are plaintiffs, and B. S. Barlow, B. F. Barlow, Ludwig Krapp, I. D. Maxwell and the unknown Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Legal Representatives of the said B. S. Barlow, B. F. Barlow, Ludwig Krapp, and I. D. Maxwell, if they be dead, are defendants, the nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows:

Suit in the statutory form in trespass to try title, plaintiffs alleging that they are the owners in fee simple of Lots Nos. Ten (10), Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block No. Thirty-five (35) of the Town of Big Spring, Texas, as the same are laid down on the map or plat thereof of record, the dispossession being alleged as of July 1, 1926, and the values of the land in controversy being alleged at \$10,000; plaintiffs sue for the title and possession of said land and premises, writ of restitution, costs of suit, etc. Plaintiffs also allege ten years' possession and plead the ten year statute of limitations and pray for cancellation of the claims of the defendants as a cloud on their title, that they be quieted, etc., reference being made to Plaintiff's Original Petition in said suit, now on file, for a more complete statement of said cause of action.

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

Given under my hand and issued under the seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 28th day of July, A. D. 1926.

(S) J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk,
District Court of Howard County, Texas.

I hereby certify: That the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands for service.
45-41. FRANK HOUSE,
Sheriff, Howard County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon L. B. Minor by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Nolan County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Sweetwater on the 1st Monday in October A. D. 1926, the same being the 4th day of October A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of August A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 2237, wherein M. D. Willis is Plaintiff and F. B. Jones, W. W. Rix, M. C. Fairchild, S. M. Merrick, L. B. Minor, F. F. Gary, and McCall Gary, are Defendants, and the cause of action being alleged as follows: Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of two Vendor's Lien notes, each for \$800.00 dated September 26, 1919, due 2, and 3 years after date, executed by F. B. Jones payable to plaintiff and secured by Vendor's Lien on the northeast quarter and south half of the northwest quarter of Section 36, in Block 32, Township No. 1 North, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, Howard county, Texas, Plaintiff alleges that W. W. Rix and M. C. Fairchild and S. M. Merrick all later purchased said property in the order named and assumed the payment of said notes, and thereby became liable thereon. That the defendant L. B. Minor later purchased said property subject to said notes, Plaintiff alleges that F. F. Gary and McCall Gary are making some claim to the title to said land, which is inferior to Plaintiff's claim, and ask that cloud be removed from the title. Plaintiff alleges that there is a balance of \$2,150.00 due on said notes, including principal, interest and attorney's fees, and asks for judgment therefor against the said Jones, Rix, Fairchild and Merrick, defendants, and asks for foreclosure of Vendor's Lien against said defendants, including defendants Minor and the Garys, and that all cloud be removed from title, and for costs of suit and for general and special relief.

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

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Sweetwater, Texas, this 15th day of July A. D. 1926.
(S) DAN CHILDRESS,
Clerk, District Court, Nolan County, Texas. 44-41

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon R. W. Gensert by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring on the 1st Monday in September A. D. 1926, the same being the 6th day of September A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of July A. D. 1926 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1040, wherein Essie Gensert is Plaintiff and R. W. Gensert is defendant, and said petition alleging That plaintiff has been an actual bonafide inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of twelve months and has resided in the said County of Howard, where this suit is filed, for a period of six months next preceding the filing hereof; that the whereabouts of defendant is unknown to plaintiff, though enquiry has been made; that plaintiff and defendant were married in El Paso, Texas, October 5th, 1918, and that the marriage relation still exists, and that they lived together till September 1st, 1922, as husband and wife, and that about that date last stated, defendant abandoned Plaintiff with intentions of never living with her again and has remained away from her, and has not contributed to her support since such date; and that he has abandoned her for more than three years next continuously prior to date of filing this petition, same being voluntary on his part; that Plaintiff is willing, able and ready to educate, care for, and nurture the two children born of the said marriage, and who are now in her custody, namely, Jennie Louise Gensert, a girl, five years old, and John R. Gensert, a boy, three years old; Plaintiff asks for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for the custody of the two children.

Herein fall not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 3rd day of August, A. D. 1926.

(S) J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk,
District Court, Howard Co., Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon W. J. Etheridge by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring on the 1st Monday in September A. D. 1926, the same being the 6th day of September A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of May A. D. 1926 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1033, wherein Virgie Lee Etheridge is plaintiff, and W. J. Etheridge is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were married in 1907 which marriage still exists; and of the said marriage there is one boy J. D. Etheridge 12 years old and a girl 8 years old named Marjorie Etheridge; and that she is able and willing and fitted to care for and educate the said children both of whom are in her possession. That she has resided in the State of Texas for a period of 12 months prior to exhibiting this petition and been an actual bonafide inhabitant therein and has resided in the county of Howard for more than six months next preceding the filing of this suit. That the defendant along in the year of 1923 and 1924 mistreated plaintiff, submitted her to indignities and made live together with her two children and wash dishes and run a restaurant in a small shack 30x100 feet in the town of Best, same being an oil field and to which restaurant rough men and drunken men and women habitually resorted; and plaintiff was forced to remain there and sleep and eat there and work there day and night washing dishes and cooking and take the insults from the men customers and listen to the obscene language; and often men would make immoral proposals in the presence of defendant to which the defendant would not take exceptions; and that along in February of the year 1926 the defendant had for some months been spending all of the money plaintiff and defendant were making and became irritable towards plaintiff and berate her and strike her with his fist and would take the last nickel from the restaurant and go spend it on himself and did not work and had

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$706,716.38
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Banking House, Furn. & Fixtures.....	20,000.00
Redemption Fund.....	2,500.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.....	4,500.00
CASH.....	142,142.64
	\$960,859.02
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....	137,578.30
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	723,280.72
	\$960,859.02

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not worked for months and about the 16th day of January after he had publicly insulted the plaintiff he kicked J. D. and slapped and kicked Marjorie in a fit of anger and struck the plaintiff several blows with his fist; and plaintiff realizing the long series of insults and the beating was so cruel that she did not live with him any longer and left his board and bed with intentions of never living with him again; that the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of the defendant as specifically and as generally plead above and of such nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable; and that the plaintiff was kind and affectionate towards defendant while she was living with him and did not bring about or cause the acts on the part of the defendant herein alleged; plaintiff asks for possession and custody of J. D. Etheridge and Marjorie Etheridge and that a divorce dissolving the bonds of matrimony be granted on hearing hereof.

Herein fall not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas this 13th day of May, A. D. 1926.

(S) J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk,
District Court, Howard Co., Texas.

Don't Be Embarrassed

By Skin Diseases

Use Blue Star Soap to cleanse the affected parts, then apply Blue Star Remedy. It penetrates the skin, kills out the germs, stops the itching at once, and restores most cases to a healthy condition. Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ringworm, Sore Blistered Feet, Sunburns, Old Skin Sores—all of these have yielded to its wonderful healing power. 60c and \$1.00 a Jar; Soap 25c, at

J. D. BILES

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST EIGHTH

Subject: The Grace of Humility,
Leader—Jack Hodges.

Song.
Scripture lesson: Math. 18:1-14;
James 4:1-11—Elma Hinds.

Sentence prayer, led by Wayne Cook.

Song.
Addresses:
Christ's Example of Humility — Cleta Faye Cook.

The Greatest Are the Humblest—Elizabeth Crane.

Our Need for Humility — Thomas Sipes.

Song.
Piano Solo—Doris Graves.

Dust—Leta Cochran and Eula Mae Sanders.

Announcements.
Benediction.

At the monthly business of the Epworth League, held Tuesday, night plans were made for a play the proceeds of which will be used to help furnish the new church. We promise to give you something really worth while so watch for further announcements.

We match any broken spectacle lenses.
WILKIE'S.

FOR BATTERY STARTER AND GENERATOR SERVICE

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COLEMAN-MONK CO.
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Big Spring, Texas. 43-41

WEST TEXAS A COTTON EMPIRE

Practically the entire area in east, south and central Texas for the growth of cotton has been developed. This means that such possibilities as remain for increased cotton production in the state are confined very largely to west Texas.

The south Plains and Panhandle section may be said to be the coming cotton empire of Texas.

A body of land some two hundred miles broad and three hundred miles long in that section, including 62 counties contains 37,215,000 acres of land. When doubtful areas, due to lands which are too dry, too rocky, too rough, and too sandy, etc., have been subtracted there is left 24,500,621 acres suitable for cultivation. From this subtract 4,255,291 acres, the amount in crops for 1920, and there remains 20,245,330 acres not in cultivation. This may reasonably be expected to go into cultivation in the future. In fact, it has been going into farms very rapidly the past few years.

This section is proving very attractive to the farmer seeking a new home because the land is fertile, smooth, easy to cultivate, and remarkably free from weeds and grass. One man is able to cultivate a relatively large number of acres. Very little chopping and hoeing is done. The area has not yet suffered from the ravages of the boll weevil, and there is very little likelihood of its ever being troubled with this pest.

The man who expects to stay in the cotton producing game will eventually come to West Texas, to which section the cotton plant seems particularly adapted. Spinners seem to prefer the strong, tough staple that West Texas produces.

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45-41.

Seems like all the signs are ripe for Big Spring to make a big step forward during the coming year. Good crops this fall and increasing oil development is a combination that should start the greatest building program in our history.

We have a few good barrels that we want to dispose of at reasonable prices.
Home Bakery. 44-31

Cement Work

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Big Spring, Texas

Am prepared to do all kinds of cement work, such as stucco, ing, walks, tanks, water troughs, etc.

STUCCO Vs. PAINT

Let us give you figures on stuccoing your home.

THE TONSOR

Where you get satisfaction bobbing a specialty; six barbers who know how; pleasant place to trade.

Located in heart of Big Spring — basement National Bank building.

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A select boarding and day school for the refined and practical education of young ladies and little girls. Also for boys under twelve years of age.

For catalogue apply to SISTERS OF MERCY, Stanton, Martin Co., Texas. Studies will be resumed September 6, 1926. 45-41-pd.

Chas. Eberley

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MOTOR DRAWN HEARSE SERVICE DAY OR NIGHT LADY ASSISTANT
Day Phone 200 — Night Phone 200

W. Carroll Barnett

OFFICE IN COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE IN COURT HOUSE

Drs. Ellington & Webb

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JAMES LITTLE

ATTORNEY AT LAW
Office in Courthouse
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

The Food Buyer



Must consider the quality of groceries offered for sale, before she decides where to trade.

One will not choose unwisely if they give us a trial. We carry a complete line of fancy and staple groceries and fruits and fresh vegetables in season.

We treat new customers like old friends, fill each order with the best we have in stock.

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WE'RE THE BOYS TO GIVE YOU REAL TIRE SERVICE - JUST TRY US OUT - FOR INSTANCE LET US QUOTE YOU ON MICHELIN TIRES THEY GIVE 36% MORE MILES, BUT WE ARE SELLING THEM AT ORDINARY PRICES



AUTO SUPPLY CO.
Price & Lees

Mrs. A. M. Evans and granddaughter, Miss Ada Lingo, returned Wednesday night from a two weeks auto trip thru the White Mountains of New Mexico, Grand Canyon and other points of interest in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boydston and children, Bennie Bell, J. W. Jr., and Mary Ethel of Fort Stockton are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. D. Boydston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stephens returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends in Dallas, Weatherford and Aledo.

Reginald Castle of Houston arrived Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends in this city and county. This is his first visit back in three years and he stated that he was mighty glad to be back in Howard county once more.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Madison plan to leave Sunday morning for a visit with relatives at Rising Star, Fort Worth and other points.

Mrs. James Currie left Thursday morning for a visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth and other points.

WILL YOU HELP ON HOTEL PROPOSITION?

The hotel committee of the Chamber of Commerce is now calling the attention of our citizens to the need of a modern hotel in our city. It is up to the citizenship to say whether or not this needed hotel is going to be secured. If you really want the old home town to move forward you should let the hotel committee know you are behind them and willing to do your part toward securing the hotel. If all our folks would carry part of the load this proposition could be put over without hindrance or delay.

Following is the unanswerable argument the committee make in reference to the need of adequate hotel facilities for Big Spring:

We believe Big Spring needs a more modern hotel. We also believe that this fact is conceded by most every citizen in our town. This need is more urgent NOW than at any previous time.

The hotel facilities and accommodations of our town are at present inadequate to take care of the demands of the traveling public. Guests are frequently compelled to find rooms in private residence. Tourists are passing our town up for towns offering more inviting hotel accommodations.

We are materially handicapped in inviting district, state or national conventions to our city due to the lack of hotel accommodations. Therefore we are losing business that might otherwise be ours.

Big Spring is strategically located as a business and social center and should have a modern hotel with facilities that would encourage functions of such nature.

Why should we be content to have the traveling public advertise our town as a place with few and meager hotel accommodations?

Realizing that these conditions are true and that we are losing business as well as retarding the growth of our city, we, your Hotel Committee, appointed by the Chamber of Commerce, having consulted with several architects, have concluded that we need a modern hotel or not to exceed sixty rooms that will cost between One and Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

In order to erect such a structure we citizens of Big Spring will have to perfect an organization to sell between fifty and seventy-five thousand dollars worth of stock. A loan can then be secured with which to complete the building.

A modern structure of sixty rooms should take care of our present needs and prove revenue bearing to its stockholders.

As a loyal patriotic citizen we are expecting you to support this move, morally to the limit and financially to the extent of your ability.

Let's build Big Spring Bigger and Better.

Dr. E. O. Ellington,
C. H. McDaniel,
J. M. Fisher,
Harvey L. Rix,
J. C. Douglass,
Hotel Committee.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEEDS YOU

Did you know that there are almost four hundred citizens of Big Spring who are giving of their means and time to further the interest of the entire citizenship? If you are not a member of this organization then you should join at once. A crowd of mighty good fellows, fired by an ambition to put the good old town over in big shape, are giving extra time unselfishly to this effort.

No citizen has any more right to be indifferent toward the city's efforts, hopes and ambitions than he has to show that attitude toward his family, for each citizen is proportionately responsible for what is done and what is left undone.

If you do not like the way things are run—then get in and help change them. If you are right you will doubtless find many others who will agree with you. This is a democratic organization. The policies of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce are in the control of thirty representative business men. So representative are these men that they would add strength and prestige to any business with which they are connected.

Have you spoken to any of the directors or the secretary regarding the things they are undertaking, have you assured them that you are ready to do your part in any move of progress? Have you given them any suggestions?

Theodore Roosevelt said, "A good citizen is measured by the amount of service he renders his community." Let's all be good citizens.

Mrs. J. W. Cook and daughter, Miss Marguerite of Amarillo, are here spending a few weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. D. Boydston and other relatives and friends

ONLY TWO MORE DAYS

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Albert M. Fisher Co.

Clean Sweep Sale

Time is very short—only two more days to avail yourself and family of the opportunities to save. Come in and shop thoroughly throughout the store. The store closes Saturday.

Come early Friday and Saturday so that you will have plenty of time. We want to serve you in every need.



A GOOD BROOM
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Will be paid for the arrest or information leading to the conviction of any person or persons stealing our cattle. 43-81-pd
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HOME TEAM TAKES TWO FROM POST

The Big Spring T. & P. team mopped up on the Post City team here last Saturday and Sunday; and it was just like taking candy from a baby for the home team to take these games from the visitors.

Saturday's game was practically put on ice in the first inning when the wrecking crew of the locals landed on the Post pitcher for six safe hits which netted five runs. After that it was just a case of batting practice for the home team, and they secured twenty-two hits, netting them eighteen tallies.

Post used four pitchers in this game, but they couldn't stem the tide. Payne, Big Spring's regular catcher, pitched the entire game and had the Post batters buffaloed. They secured but one safe hit off him up to the fifth inning, and only seven hits during the entire game. Post made five tallies during this game.

Sunday's game was more interesting if possible, than was the first contest, for the "pep" necessary to win a game was entirely lacking on the part of the members of the Post team. They played as though they realized they did not have a look in. Sick Moore was on the mound for Big Spring and he did not have to extend himself as his teammates were backing him up in great style. This game was won by the T. & P. team by a score of 3 to 0.

The Post team was rated as a fast bunch as they had just played two mighty close games with the Lamasa Lobos and a real contest was ex-

pected by the fans.

The games next Saturday and Sunday are sure to be entirely different as the Big Lake bunch are coming here loaded for bear and our team is going to play the best games yet staged if they take both games from the oil field crowd.

TOM GREEN INJURED IN ARIZ.

According to a news item in the El Paso Herald of Thursday, Aug. 5 Mrs. Ananias Green, prominent church worker of Globe, Ariz., was killed and her brother-in-law, Tom Green of near Big Spring, Texas, was injured when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Southern Pacific passenger train about 7 a. m. Wednesday morning.

FARM SOLD FOR \$50 PER ACRE

Albert Landers recently purchased the Echols farm of one hundred and sixty acres in the Moore community paying \$50 per acre, all cash, for this place.

This is one of the best little farms in the county and Mr. Landers, who is one of our successful farmers considers himself fortunate to secure possession of same.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH NOTICE

There will be no preaching services at the St. Mary's Episcopal church on Sunday, August 8, as the Rector, Rev. F. B. Stedman is in Denver, Colo., attending a school for clergymen.

ROGERS BRUSHING LACQUER

dries while you wait—in all colors. Rockwell Bros. & Co. Phone 57, 46-1f.

Mrs. Henry Musgrove of Coahoma who underwent an operation at the Big Spring sanitarium this week is reported to be getting along nicely.

AN INVITATION TO ATTEND OPENING SERVICES

First Methodist Church Big Spring, Texas

On Sunday, August 4, a service will be held in church. I am joined by all officials in extending an invitation to the general public to attend services. We shall be glad to have any of the citizenship of Big Spring worship with us at following hours:

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Epworth League 7:30 p. m.
Evening worship 8:30 p. m.
REV. W. C. HINDS, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN ACADEMY

The regular program will be held at the church at 10:00 Monday afternoon. All are urged to attend.

Devotional—Mrs. Owen Song.

Prayer.

Bible Reading.

A Morning in a Hospital Caylor.

Hospital Work in El Paso.

China—Mrs. Markham.

Playlet "Feeding the Hungry" Solo—"The Aged Minister"

er—Mrs. L. S. McDowell.

TARLETON COLLEGE NEWS

FORMER BIG SPRING TEACHER

Miss Dolly M. Glover of Wood has been secured for the position of associate professor at the John Tarleton Agricultural College for next year. She is the place of Miss Vera. Miss Glover holds the B. S. from Howard Payne and the M. A. from the University of Texas. She will be remembered as a former teacher in the Big Spring school.

The Big Spring Herald

No. 46

Big Spring, Texas, Friday, August 6, 1926

By T. E. Jordan

Greatest Need of Big Spring is a First Class Hotel. Let's Get It!

NEW METHODIST CHURCH COMPLETED



The new Methodist church, located at the corner of West Fourth and Scurry streets, is now completed amounting to approximately \$58,000. Opening services will be held in the new church, Sunday, August 8, at the 11 o'clock hour. The building is complete in every detail, and it has a seating capacity in the auditorium for about 1,000 people.

OPENING SERVICES
The new Methodist church has recently been completed in our city at a cost of \$58,000. The opening services will be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Following the services, a banquet will be given at the church. The pastor, Rev. W. C. Hinds, will deliver the sermon. The church is located at the corner of West Fourth and Scurry streets.

Recently returned from studying voice in New York, and the citizenship waits in anxiety to hear Miss Ricker. A record breaking crowd is expected to fill the new auditorium to capacity. The proceeds from this entertainment will go to the church fund for buying seats for the new church. On Monday evening, the basement of the church which is made up of a big banquet hall, with a kitchen equipped with built-in features, will be used for the first time in entertaining the officials of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. This will be a big get together meeting at which time A. P. Duggan, president of the W. T. C. of C. and other officials will be heard. Refreshments will be served during the evening. Our city is greatly in need of an auditorium and community meeting place, where big gatherings can be held, and this demand is met just here with the completion of the handsome new Methodist church.

MRS. CHAS. MORRIS IS PIANIST AT M. E. CHURCH
Mrs. Chas. Morris, prominent in the musical circles of Big Spring is pianist at the Methodist church and will play at the opening services of the recently completed church at the 11 o'clock services Sunday morning. Mrs. Morris who possesses a beautifully trained voice, as well as the ability to play the piano has been in charge of the music at the Methodist church for the past 18 years, and her faithfulness to the church is appreciated by the congregation. Mrs. Morris is present at all services, on the week days as well as on Sunday.

Mrs. Morris is popular as an accompanist and will appear on the musical program to be given at the evening services at the new Methodist church Sunday evening.

MOTHER OF MRS. HATHCOCK IS CLAIMED BY DEATH
Mrs. S. A. Hathcock was called to San Antonio the forepart of last week by the serious illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Laura Elliot. Mrs. Elliot, who has been in ill health for the past several months passed away at the family home in San Antonio Saturday morning. Funeral services were held Sunday morning. Deceased is survived by her husband, Dr. J. F. Elliot, two daughters and one son. The many friends of Mrs. Hathcock extend deepest sympathy in this sad hour.

MOODY'S MAJORITY
The Texas Election Bureau gives its final tabulation of the Democratic primary which shows that Dan Moody is the gubernatorial candidate by a majority of 1013. The total vote was 821,767. Moody received 411,350; Ferguson 281,938; Lynch Davidson 128,479. The Executive committee will announce the official count within the next few days.

OUR BASEBALL TEAM SHOULD BE BANQUETTED
Some honest to goodness fan should see to it that our citizenship join in expressing appreciation to the members of the T. & P. baseball team for the clean and enjoyable sport we have been treated to during the baseball season. All agree that Big Spring has had the best team we ever had, and the games have certainly been worth seeing. Another fine feature is that we were entitled to enjoy all these games right here at home. Any city in West Texas could well be proud of the Big Spring team, and it would have cost any other city several thousand dollars to have maintained such a fast team during the season. Big Spring fans have been out but a little more than three hundred dollars, donated at the opening of the season to start the team off on a cash basis. Sure, we know the fans are strong for the home team but we surely should give them a "blow out" before the close of the season.

SPEEDERS RUNNING WILD
Although it has been repeatedly pointed out that the streets and highways are not intended to be used as race tracks, it is not an uncommon sight to note two and three cars, abreast, racing along same. Many of these cars are filled with children, and oftentimes boys are hanging on the sides while these races are being staged. Older folks who are supposed to have a little more sense than children, are also guilty of staging races along our streets and highways.

It's poor economy on the part of city and county to fall or refuse to employ a traffic officer to put an end to, or at least attempt to curb, this speeding. The lives of all who use streets and highways are in danger as long as these half-wits are permitted to run wild.

IMPROVEMENTS AT COMPRESS
A new press is now being installed at the plant of the Big Spring Compress Co. in this city. A new Morris press will replace the one formerly in use. This is a larger and speedier press and will enable the compress to handle more cotton in much shorter time that heretofore.

The press and equipment weigh about 150,000 pounds, five cars being used to transport this equipment to Big Spring. H. S. Crews, superintendent of the compress states that this plant handled 27,300 bales of cotton last season, and he expects to receive from 40,000 to 50,000 bales this season.

Albert M. Fisher left Saturday night for New York, Chicago and other eastern markets, where he will select a complete line of goods for fall and winter for the Albert M. Fisher Co.

Opening Services Methodist Church

First Services in New Church Will Be Held Sunday Morning at the Eleven O'clock Hour

Opening services for the new Methodist church will be held in the handsome building Sunday morning, August 8, at the 11 o'clock hour. Work on the erection was completed this week and today we can boast of having one of the finest, most attractive and completely equipped churches in the western part of the state. The building was erected at a cost of approximately \$58,000; Clarence H. Epperley of Fort Worth being in charge of the work. W. C. Meador of Fort Worth, architect, drew the design of the building.

The Methodist church is constructed with five different shades of brick, this being one of the most popular designs for brick walls at the present time. Beautiful art glass windows, four of which have life size paintings of Biblical figures and others of Biblical scenes, have been placed in the main part of the building, the colors and shading of which work in effectively with the pattern of the building. The massive entrance with the flight of concrete steps and tall pillars are impressive as you enter the interior of the church. Three double doors lead into the vestibule. On both sides are stairway leading to the balcony and to the basement of the church. The main auditorium of the church can be entered in two different ways.

Seating Capacity Over 1,000

The auditorium of the First Methodist church has a larger seating capacity than any other one building in this city. With the rolling partition raised, and all of the class rooms opened the auditorium including the balcony on both sides and the rear of the building will seat approximately 1500 people. The seats will be arranged in a circle, placing the congregation near the pulpit and the speaker. The pulpit and altar are in a circular shape, with the seats for the choir placed at the rear of the pulpit. A space has been left back of the choir, for the installation of a pipe organ when the time comes for such to be installed.

Effective Lighting Fixtures

Twelve frosted lights have been placed back of the choir, with one big light centering this group. Effective lighting fixtures have been used thruout the building. Twelve large white bowls completely enclosing the globe and hanging from the ceiling, light the main auditorium. The bowls measure 16 inches across, and they are said to be the latest fixtures used in invisible frosted light fixtures.

Divided Into Class Rooms

The church is so arranged so that it can be divided into twenty class rooms for the various departments of the Sunday school. There is a large banquet hall in the basement of the church, which will be used for community meetings and social gatherings for the various church organizations. A modernly equipped kitchen is also in the basement with built in features. Two comfort rooms for the men and women complete in every detail, have also been provided in this building.

Services Held in Courthouse

Since the old Methodist church frame building was torn down two years ago, the Methodist Sunday school and church services have been held in the District court room at the courthouse. In spite of the fact that some have been handicapped by being unable to climb so many steps to get to the court room, the attendance has grown, and the entire congregation has cooperated splendidly with the pastor in making the services successful.

The building committee and church workers are due much praise for the efforts put forth in having this handsome building completed. It is an asset to the city of Big Spring, and we are all proud of it. It will indeed meet the needs of the congregation for many years to come.

Miss Louise Davis who is employed at the First National Bank, is taking her vacation.

PASTOR OF FIRST METHODIST



REV. W. C. HINDS

The sermon for the opening services of the new Methodist church, recently completed, will be delivered by Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, at the 11 o'clock hour Sunday morning. Reverend Hinds is a forceful speaker.

He was called to the Big Spring pastorate last fall, arriving in this city on Thanksgiving Day, to take up his work. During the early days of his ministry, Brother Hinds served as a missionary minister around Big Spring, preaching and carrying on meetings in the country churches. His first regular pastorate was at Seminole, in Galnes county, and since that appointment his work has kept him principally in West Texas, where he is well informed on conditions, the nature of the country and the people. Before coming to Big Spring, Reverend Hinds had served as pastor in the Methodist churches in Post City, Tahoka, Matador, Stanton, Seminole, and Seymour, coming to Big Spring directly from Seymour last November.

Reverend Hinds received his education and training at the old Polytechnic College, now Texas Woman's College at Fort Worth, a Methodist institution, and he attended Southwestern University at Georgetown for his Theological work.

Since his arrival in Big Spring Brother Hinds has been eager to have the new church completed, and immediately upon assuming his duties in the new parish, he began devising ways of securing money so work on the building could be resumed. A loan was secured, and in the early part of April, the contract was awarded for the completion of the new building. Through the untiring efforts of the pastor, together with the church workers and the building committee, the work of completing this beautiful new edifice was made possible. This handsome new structure is a work of art, and one of the greatest assets to our city.

E. A. KELLEY PERFECTS FAST RE-ICING SYSTEM

In order to cooperate with the Texas & Pacific railway company in speeding up the work of re-icing P. F. E. carload shipments of fruit, vegetables, etc., the Southern Ice & Utilities Co. has made some extensive improvements at their Big Spring plant. Under the direction of E. A. Kelley, superintendent of the Big Spring plant, they have perfected a system of delivering ice along a four hundred and fifty foot re-icing dock that is a time saver and will no doubt be adopted by many other plants owned by the Southern Ice & Utilities Company thruout the state.

After Mr. Kelley had submitted plans of what was needed, some of the biggest manufacturers in the U. S. refused to guarantee the completed job, so Mr. Kelley had the steel bridge which spans the street between the plant and loading dock built on plans and specifications which he had prepared.

The bridge, which is 60 feet long, is twenty-three feet above the street and constructed with an angle of ten degrees. It is so arranged that the three hundred pound blocks of ice which are delivered from the elevator, are sent skidding along tracks on the loading dock for a distance of 225 feet; these blocks can be sent in either direction as the bridge is at the center of the four hundred and fifty foot steel re-icing dock.

From the time the operator kicks two 300-pound blocks of ice onto the elevator and pulls a lever, which operates the air propelled elevator, until the ice is transported across the bridge and is delivered upon the elevated icing dock 225 feet distant, only twenty seconds has elapsed. No man power is necessary until the ice is then moved into the refrigerator cars.

The bridge as planned by Mr. Kelley fitted up exactly, and is meeting every requirement. It was indeed a source of satisfaction to him when the bridge could be swung into place without the change or redrilling of a single rivet hole, and also later on when this bridge permitted the blocks of ice to be delivered along the reicing dock with such ease and such a great saving in time. By erecting the 450 reicing dock the company can now re-ice ten cars at one spot, thus saving the railroad company much work in spotting cars. There is not a doubt but that Mr. Kelley has perfected a time saver in his method of delivery of ice to the dock that is patentable, and one that will come into general use where speed and economy in handling the work of re-icing cars is desired.

PAVING COMPANY BUSY

The General Construction Company has a large force of men grading down our streets, putting in curbing and getting everything shaped up to start the actual paving at an early date.

About five carloads of machinery and material have been moved to this point. A new asphalt mixer, concrete mixer, roller, rock crusher, gravel conveyor and other machinery has been received. A warehouse about thirty-two by thirty-two feet, sufficient for storing five carloads of cement has been erected on the Texas & Pacific right of way. A spur track for unloading gravel, cement, etc., has been provided. The work of putting in curbing along Main street was started Monday.

The Ira Driver home on Johnson street has been given a fresh coat of paint which has added much to the attractiveness of the place.

Herald want ads get results.



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RESOLUTIONS

Resolved (1) That we, the Pastor and members of the First Methodist Church of Big Spring, hereby express our sincere appreciation to the county officials and citizenship of the county, for their kind and courteous consideration in extending to us the use of their county court house in which to hold our church services, during the time our new church was under construction.

(2) That we are very grateful to those outside of our membership, who have cooperated with us and contributed of their means toward the building of our new church. You have helped to make it possible that it is now nearing completion, for which we are indeed thankful.

(3) That these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of the Conference and that a copy be sent to The Big Spring Herald.

W. F. COOK,

Chairman of the Board of Stewards.

W. C. HINDS,

Pastor.

H. L. RIX,

Chairman of Building Committee.

A. P. McDONALD,

Chairman of Trustees.

ITS WORTH THE MONEY TO MAKE THE RACE FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Now that I have returned from my trip up Salt River, and fully recovered from my defeat as candidate for the office of County Treasurer, I wish to express my hearty thanks and best wishes to those who voted for me on July 24 in the Democratic primary.

And to those who did not vote for me who was made to believe that I was too old to fill the office of County Treasurer, this vote of thanks is extended to you as well. And to those who contemplate taking a trip up Salt River, let's hope the day will be fine, the way will be pleasant, let's hope the journey will be safe.

With my very best wishes to all,
DANIEL F. PAINTER.

DEMONSTRATE INSECT MACHINE AT STANTON

Representatives from the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. of Big Spring were in Stanton Monday demonstrating a machine to kill insects by spraying. According to County Agent Bush, there is no danger of insects but it is hoped that this danger may be taken care of in time to avoid any serious loss. — Stanton Reporter.

Herald want-ads get results.

Combs for the bobbed hair.....
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Mrs. James Campbell and children returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Castle at Knott.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Castle and Little Miss Lila Castle of Abilene, arrived Tuesday for a vacation to be spent visiting relatives and friends in Big Spring and Knott.

The editor made a raid on John Dillard's watermelon patch last Friday evening. It was indeed a treat to see the fine cotton and feed crops on the Dillard farm. We secured a mess of roasting ears from corn stalks nearly ten feet in height.

Grasshoppers seem to be quite plentiful but so far we hear no complaints as to damage to crops. One reason being that the pastures continue green and then there are plenty of weeds for them to feed on.

We should lend every encouragement to the starting of small and large manufacturing establishments in our city. Plants which maintain a force of workmen continuously insure a payroll which contributes to the prosperity of the community.

Some of these days we hope to see a viaduct erected over the Texas and Pacific railway tracks in Big Spring. There is always danger of accidents at grade crossings and it will be a good thing for the railway company and our city to eliminate the dangerous crossing at Gregg St.

Better get the old town in a clean and sanitary condition while there are plenty of men and boys available to cut weeds and aid in this clean up work. Better to prevent disease than pay for our neglect with illness and doctor bills. A good clean up now will keep disease from getting a foothold.

We are due for just one trip along life's highway so we should never let an opportunity slip to aid someone who has had more than his share of trouble. Just about the time you begin to feel sorry for yourself because you think you have more troubles than anyone, you can always find dozens of others who can show you what troubles really are.

"LITTLE POTATOES" VICTORIOUS IN LAST GAME OF SEASON

The unbeatable "Potatoes" covered themselves with glory last Tuesday morning in their last ball game of the season, when they triumphed over an aggregation that had been picked for the purpose of peeling them. It was their twelfth victory for the season, with only one defeat marked up against them. The score for Tuesday's game was 17 to 9.

The "Little Pickles" were the unhappy victims of this, the only shut-out game of the season. Jake Pickle pitched his usual good game for his team, allowing only five safe hits, but he was poorly supported and the errors were all costly.

The "Spuds" played air-tight ball, making only four bobbles during the game. Several times it looked as if the Pickles would score but the Potatoes had gone into the game with "They shall not score" for their slogan, and they didn't.

The line up was as follows:

Pickles: Buster Wilkins lf; Jake Pickle p; Ralph Walling 2b; Elbert Prescott c; Herbie Smith rf; Tom Hutto 1b; Clarence Hartman ss; Mac Underwood 3b; Clifton Sanders cf.
Potatoes: Wilbur Barnett p; Fred Koberg 1b; John Stripling rf; Lenus Conway ss; G. C. Shoate c; Allen Stripling 3b; Willis King cf; Ralph Duvall lf; Roy Skipper 2b; Clint Jones rf.
The Score— R H E
Pickles 0 2 15
Potatoes 17 5 4

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

Bible study 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Communion services 12 m.

Brother W. C. Smith continues to favor us with his good sermons each Lord's day and we do deeply appreciate them very much.

Ladies Bible study every Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. We have finished the book of Genesis and will begin the book of Exodus. Let us see just how many can come out and study with us. We are expecting a good attendance next week.

Mid week Bible study every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody is welcome to all of these services.

We want to make mention of the meeting to be held at Knott, Texas, as, beginning Saturday, August 14, Bro. D. E. Forehand of Florence, Texas, will conduct the services. Everybody who can is urged to attend these services.

A cordial invitation awaits you all.

ENORMOUS FORD PRODUCTION

Another million mark in Ford production was passed on July 21 when motor No. 14,000,000 came off the assembly line at the Fordson plant of the Ford Motor Company.

Some idea of the present enormous production of Ford cars is obtained when it is recalled that it was only a little more than two years ago, June 4, 1924, that the famous Ten Millionth Ford was produced, an event which was celebrated by driving the car across the country from New York to San Francisco on the Lincoln highway. In the twenty-five and a half months elapsing since that time Ford output increased 4,000,000.

The first model T Ford was turned out on October 1, 1908, and it was not until seven years later, December 10, 1915, that the first million was reached.

CEMETERY GATES TO BE CLOSED

In order to prevent stray livestock from destroying flowers and shrubs at Mt Olive cemetery it is necessary that the sexton close and lock the gates every night. Mr. Puckett, the sexton, is therefore giving notice that the gates will be locked at 7:30 p. m. each day, and he is giving this notice so that our people may arrange to plan their visits before that hour. The cooperation of the citizenship of city and country in helping him to observe this rule will indeed be appreciated.

REVIVAL MEETING TO BEGIN AT KNOTT ON SATURDAY

A revival meeting will begin at the Church of Christ at Knott, Texas Saturday evening, August 14. Bro. Forehand of Williamson county will conduct the services and he has some good Gospel sermons to deliver during this meeting.

Let everyone attend these services and make this a most successful and beneficial meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to come.

Miss Elizabeth Northington returned Tuesday morning from Cananea, Mexico, where she had been to visit her uncle, Will Gooch and family.

J. D. Castle of the Knott community reports crop conditions out his way just as fine as anyone could wish for.

Magnificent

That's the only word that fittingly describes Corinne Griffith in this wonderful picture.



Monday and Tuesday
AUGUST 9 AND 10



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S. R. Johnson and Bill Horn left Wednesday for a few days visit in Del Rio.

Miss Almada Murray of Lubbock is visiting friends and relatives in this city this week.

Paint your furniture with Rogers Brushing Lacquer—dries while you wait.
Rockwell Bros. & Co.

Miss Edna McBride arrived Wednesday night from Houston to make her home here with her sister, Mrs. S. R. Johnson.

Blank books and memos of all kinds.....Cunningham & Phillips.

James and Murilan Craven arrived the forepart of this week from El Paso to again make their home in this city. James has accepted a position with the Rix Furniture & Undertaking Company.

Bathing suits and caps.....
Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. Leona Disheroon left Sunday evening for St. Louis, where she will select fall and winter millinery for the millinery department of the Albert M. Fisher Co.

Bennie Wills, enroute to his home in Van Horn after a visit with relatives and friends in Dallas and Fort Worth, passed thru this city on passenger train No. 5 Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Munroe Williams and children returned Sunday evening from a two weeks visit spent in the White Mountains, Ruidosa, and other points of interest in New Mexico.

Remember the recital to be given at the First Methodist church on Tuesday evening. The South Side Circle of the First Methodist church is sponsoring this entertainment. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the church. Admission 50 cents.

CARD OF THANKS
To all my friends who voted for me in my primary last Saturday. I am pleased to press my sincere thanks to everyone who gave me their vote. Even though I was defeated I am grateful to you.

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MUSIC LOVERS TO HEAR MISS RICKER IN RECITAL

Music lovers of Big Spring will have an opportunity to hear Miss Mabel Ricker, soprano, in a recital at the First Methodist church on Tuesday evening, August 10 at 8:15 o'clock. Miss Ricker who has the past year been studying concert and opera work with Oscar Seagle in New York will be enthusiastically received on Tuesday evening, this being her first public appearance in this city since her return from New York. She possesses a beautiful lyric soprano voice, which she uses extremely well. Two numbers sung by Miss Ricker and recently recorded for the phonograph are now on sale at the Rix Furniture store. They are: Bartlett's "A Dream," and "The Benedemere Stream," an Irish ballad. Oscar Seagle, the noted baritone and great teacher, has said of Miss Ricker: "Only a few of the many who study voice, can become real singers. Miss Ricker is one of the few who has the assemble, intelligence, ability, appearance, musicianship, voice, and feeling for singing. She has a message, and is a valiant servant as a singer."

The recital on Tuesday evening is given for the benefit of the First Methodist church, the South Side Circle sponsoring the entertainment. Only thru the courtesy of Miss Ricker is the price of admission placed at 50 cents, but it is the desire for as many as possible to attend this musical treat, and to hear this talented artist since her return from studies in New York. There is only one price of admission, 50 cents, and admissions will be given by tickets only. Either secure your ticket from one of the church women, or from the C. & P. drug store. The entire proceeds of the recital will go to the church fund, to help buy new seats for the recently completed church.

Miss Ricker has always been a popular singer in this city, where she formerly taught voice and conducted the choir at the First Baptist church.

Recently she was presented in a concert at Lubbock where she also taught voice, and the following is the complimentary excerpts from the Lubbock papers, following the concert:

The Lubbock high school Music teachers association brought forward one of its former teachers, Miss Mabel Ricker, soprano, who gave an unusually effective program at the First Baptist church Friday evening, June 18.

Miss Ricker is extremely well remembered in Lubbock for her lovely voice and stage presence, and her accompanist, Mrs. J. A. Rix, has delighted many Lubbock people as a pianist. She is also very pleasing in the difficult art of assisting a singer.

Miss Ricker rendered the French group in a most pleasing and artistic manner. The Brahms and Strauss selections were given with great beauty of tone. No item of the program was more revealing of the singer's culture and expressive powers than "Vissi D'Art, Vissi D'Amore" from La Tosca, by Puccini. This was sung with a ravishing beauty of tone and with a warmth of sentiment that was deeply moving.

Of outstanding interest was the last group of songs, "An Old English Air," "Howdy Do, Miss Springtime," "The Dove and the Lily," and "Little Black Rose."

Miss Ricker's singing gave rare pleasure. Her voice is of quality and she possesses an individual style, a beautiful legato and polished diction.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Displaying a wealth of ability as a singer, Miss Mabel Ricker, soprano, appeared in concert at the First Baptist church Friday evening with Mrs. J. A. Rix, local pianist, ably accompanying her. Miss Ricker was popular as a singer during her residence here three years ago, and her many friends who heard her Friday evening were enthusiastic over the improvement in her singing. She has been studying for opera and concert work during the past year under Oscar Seagle in New York and plans to return to New York to study again.

Her greatest singing and that which showed to the best advantage her ability was done in "Vissi D'Art, Vissi D'Amore" from the opera "Tosca" (Puccini). This was her most difficult number.

Her program was opened with a group of songs in French in which her expression was good and it was in these that she showed the most feeling, appearing to enjoy the singing of them best. This group was followed by songs in German, by Strauss and Brahms, which showed that her technical equipment was all adequate for the attraction.

In place of "Sea Rapture" (Eric Coates), a number that she had announced on her program, she sang "Going Home," a negro song, that has been set to the music of Largo

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winners but the winners are wearing grins and trying to whet up an appetite for the feast.

At the close of the social hour, a plate luncheon consisting of chicken sandwiches, bell tomatoes, wafers and punch was served to the following: Mesdames Mercer, Lester King, Barton, Higgs, Douglass, Cravens, Baggett, Chas. Carter, E. W. Pike, Ray Jones, Whitton, B. F. Parr, Monk, J. C. Hurt, Buchanan, Miller, Bean, Joe Lewis, B. N. Ralph and Mrs. Beckett.

Shasta daisies were used as plate favors.

J. P. Anderson was in Tuesday from his ranch in the northern part of Howard county. He states he is busy at his place just now as he is having five hundred acres of land listed. This land is to be planted to wheat this fall. Mr. Anderson stated that his five hundred acre wheat field did not produce an average crop this year but it was profitable nevertheless since it supplied pasturage to the value of at least \$1500 last winter.

R. F. Shoemaker and family of Dallas recently moved to this city to make their home. Mr. Shoemaker is one of the owners of the Big Spring Compress.

Read Herald want ads.

Miss Carrie Scholz and mother returned Saturday from a vacation trip to Menard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fisher and daughter, Betty Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Biles and son, Louis, left Thursday morning for an automobile trip to Ruidosa and other points of interest in New Mexico.

Mrs. Roy Martin and baby after a visit in this city with relatives and friends left Sunday evening for her home in Los Angeles, Cal. Her brother, Carson Blalack, accompanied her to Los Angeles, where he will make his future home.

From the "gripping" that has been indulged in by some of the Lamesa fans since Big Spring defeated them in a baseball game here Sunday July 25, one might imagine that the team was forced to continue playing in water knee deep. The members of the Big Spring team were not equipped with rubber boots or umbrellas so they had no advantage over the Lamesa players. The folks in the grandstand seemed more than willing to see it out to a finish and they would have had cause to "holler" if the game had been called on account of the slight dampness. The management of the Big Spring team believe in giving the patrons of the game full value for their money.

To the Citizens of Howard County

I take this as one of the methods of soliciting your support and influence in my behalf during this second or run-off primary election for the office of Sheriff and Tax-Collector of Howard County, knowing that it will be impossible to see and talk to every one.

I want to say in the beginning that I appreciate the manner in which each of my opponents conducted their respective campaigns. I entered this race to make a fair, clean and honest campaign, based upon my merits and qualifications for the office. I think I have unquestionably done this so far, and will say that I shall continue this policy to the end.

I understand that it is being said, by some, that if elected I might be too rigid in the enforcement of the law; I believe in giving everybody a fair deal. I do not believe in needlessly persecuting the public, but if elected sheriff it will be my sworn duty to use all my efforts and ability to enforce the laws. I will do that, but I will do it in a fair, impartial manner, treating every one as courteously and as pleasantly as they will let me in the performance of my duties.

It has been called to my attention that I am to some degree being censured for accepting the appointment as sheriff and tax collector after the death of our late Mr. Satterwhite and then resigning; the facts are, and the commissioners court at that time will bear me out, I did not seek that appointment, it was offered me and I accepted it; then it was questioned by some as to whether or not I was qualified on the grounds that I had been out of the county for a short while, rather than cause the Commissioners Court or any of my friends embarrassment I promptly tendered my resignation. I felt then and feel now that I was doing the right thing under the circumstances.

It has also come to me that if elected I would appoint some of my relations as my deputy. In answer to that I wish to call to your attention that there is a law which prohibits the employment of relatives.

Now I would appreciate it if every voter, man and woman would give my candidacy careful and thoughtful consideration. If I meet with your approval then I shall appreciate your support and influence in these closing days of the campaign.

Yours respectfully,

Andrew J. Merrick

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Mrs. J. Y. Boatwright of Fort Worth is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Shick.

Walter Largent returned Monday morning from a visit with relatives at Colorado.

Can those not baptized be saved? Write box 377, El Paso, Texas — advertisement. 43-4t-pd.

A 1927 model Buick sedan was displayed in this city this week by the Carter Motor Co., of Colorado.

Misses Emily and Essie Bradley and Miss Mittye Stricklin left today for a week's visit in Ruidosa, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Currie and children left Wednesday morning for a visit to the Fort Davis mountains.

Miss Ora Bryan arrived Sunday night from Knoxville, Tenn., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. L. H. Thomas.

Misses Eleanor and Lucille Rix and Louise Hayes returned Sunday from a visit with the Rix families in Lubbock.

Mrs. Myer Blankfield and son of Fort Arthur, arrived last Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher.

Dan Mittle who visited relatives and friends in this city the past week left last Friday morning for his home in Dallas.

Mrs. John Clarke returned Saturday from a two months visit with relatives and friends in Tyler, Austin and Fort Worth.

Bud Leatherwood and G. A. Brown returned last Saturday from an auto trip to Sonora, Ozona and other points in that section.

Jed A. Rix and niece, Miss Alice Ann Rix, of Lubbock, after a visit with H. L. Rix and family left Monday morning for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Robb returned Saturday from Mineral Wells, where Mr. Robb had been under treatment for an attack of rheumatism.

Good used dressers, oil stoves cabinets, wardrobes, side boards settees, davenport and duofolds, galore at CREATH'S—advertising.

Chet Miller returned last Friday morning from Cisco, where he had been in charge of the American Railway Express office the past two weeks, while the agent was on his vacation.

A. L. Houston of Stanton was a visitor in Big Spring Monday. Mr. Houston states he is sorry he missed attending the Old Settlers Re-union here last Friday, but he just overlooked the date.

Sam Childress was up from Midway Saturday and told the Herald man that he and a force of men were going to start work on grading the road from the Chalk oil field to the highway this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cox of Lamesa were visitors here Tuesday. Mr. Cox has accepted a position with the J. M. Radford Grocery Co. here and was seeking a residence as he plans to move here immediately.

Mrs. Dell Hatch, Miss Neil Hatch, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. Eb Hatch, Mrs. H. B. Robb and children, Malol and H. B. Jr., Mrs. H. E. Hatch and Dick Hatch Jr., left Monday morning for a ten day visit at Christoval.

As far as crop conditions in Howard county are concerned they are as near ideal as we can reasonably hope for. If they continue as at present, our folks will certainly be mighty busy at harvest time.

W. H. Kile and brother of Abilene were visiting in Big Spring Saturday, looking over the prospects in our city. Both were well pleased with the great development that is now underway in the Big Spring section.

According to a ruling of Dr. G. Burton Fain, city health officer at Sweetwater, no children will be permitted to enter the public school at Sweetwater this fall unless they have either been vaccinated for smallpox or can claim the equivalent of vaccination. If a child has been vaccinated three times and if these are not successful he is considered immune and this is equivalent of vaccination in Dr. Fain's ruling.

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W. F. Fahrenkamp made a business trip to Baird Tuesday.

Shaving utensils of all kinds.... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gary left Sunday morning for McCamey, Texas.

Insect removers to use on your chickens.... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Johnson of Colorado spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

"Deodo" the powder that kills the odors of perspiration.... Cunningham & Phillips.

R. L. Cook recently purchased of Albert Landers a farm of one hundred and sixty acres in Martin county.

Mrs. Greer Capps or Childress arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with relatives and friends in this city.

The Wolcott Motor Company received another shipment of Ford cars this week, consisting mostly of Ford coupes.

We are squawking about the hot weather just now but it won't be long before we will be complaining of cool weather.

Mrs. Margaret Nicholson after a pleasant visit in this city with friends left Saturday night for her home in Terrell.

Mrs. J. L. Mothershed who has been visiting in our city the past two weeks left Tuesday morning for her home in Dallas.

Mrs. Louis Powell and daughter, Sarah Frances, after a visit in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Matthews, left Friday night for her home in Chicago.

Remember the recital to be given at the First Methodist church on Tuesday evening. The South Side Circle of the First Methodist church is sponsoring this entertainment. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the church. Admission 50 cents.

Good Farmers

Good farmers prepare their land long before planting time, similarly a man careful of his business affairs anticipates his financial needs and arranges months ahead of time to meet them.

If you have been embarrassed for ample working capital, guard against a repetition by affiliating with this strong friendly bank now, in order that you may have a shelter from financial storm when clouds arise.

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Mrs. J. W. Barnett who has been quite ill the past week is reported as getting along nicely.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. Kiensel of Terrell, Texas, enroute to Lamesa were visitors here Tuesday.

Hick room needs.... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rix of Lamesa arrived Sunday for a visit in this city with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. ...

Johnston's candy.... Cunningham & Phillips

Powder puffs that please..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. J. F. Hendricks returned Sunday morning from a visit in Sweetwater.

Mrs. J. R. Copeland returned Sunday morning from a visit with relatives and friends in Baird.

Mrs. Allen W. Mabey of Eastland arrived last Saturday morning for a week's visit in this city with friends.

Mrs. Joe B. Leonard of Eastland is a guest in our city this week, visiting her brother, Nat Shick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willcox and Mrs. Ralph Kirby returned last Thursday evening from a two weeks visit at Corpus Christi.

Miss Norma Merrick arrived Sunday morning from Fort Worth, for a visit with her father, C. A. Merrick and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. Ralph Kirby after a visit in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willcox, returned to her home in Dallas Sunday evening.

Miss Katherine Davidson of Fort Stockton visited friends here this week. Miss Davidson was formerly a teacher in the Big Spring schools.

Mrs. Hob Everett returned last Thursday from a visit with relatives and friends in Sherman. Her mother accompanied her to this city for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Irvin of Lubbock were visitors here the past week end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hob Everett. Mrs. Everett and Mrs. Irvin are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Dubberly and children left Tuesday, overland, for a two weeks visit at San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Austin, Galveston, and other points of interest in South Texas.

We are of the opinion that all of us are going to get along as well after the recently nominated officials take office as we have heretofore. We take our politics too seriously in most cases and that is one reason the professional politicians can herd us as the shepherd herds his flock.

MAKING A RAPID GROWTH
 Panhandle-Plains country development is so rapid that some visitors who thought themselves all that was occurring in the southwest. In the few years the country has acquired a population of 1,200,000, the same as the Panhandle gained in 1890. More than 400,000 acres in the past few years have been opened in the Panhandle. These figures from reports of the U. S. Department of Agriculture show that the production of lint cotton in 1928 was 159 pounds per acre, an increase of 11 per cent over the production in 1927. The cotton acreage of the Panhandle is 284,000 acres. In West Texas production from 1920 to 1928 has increased in 10 years from 1,000 bales to 69,000. The wheat raised in Texas is grown on the Panhandle and 60 per cent of the production from Amarillo is running into hundreds of thousands of dollars, and the unguaranteed fertilizer deposits are estimated by government to be worth any one and 20 billions of dollars. The Panhandle is in the full flush of a boom. El Paso has branches or representatives in the Panhandle-Plains showing in the prosperity. The oil boom is now visiting the Panhandle.

WORKING FOR CONCRETE TRANSCONTINENTAL HIWAY
 Harry Chandler, owner of the Los Angeles California, Examiner has launched a campaign to have a transcontinental concrete highway built across the United States via a Southern route. He favors a highway across the southern part of the country, because it will be an all-year highway. He argues that the Lincoln highway is out of commission during certain seasons of the year due to heavy snows in the Rockies, while a southern route could be used every day throughout the year. The Bankhead National Highway would be the logical route for the proposed highway and every community on this highway should unite in helping Mr. Chandler successfully carry out the campaign he has launched. The Bankhead Highway is carrying a heavy traffic now but this traffic would be increased one hundred per cent if the Bankhead highway was made such a highway as the Lincoln Highway. This proposition was given the endorsement of the National Editorial Association in session at Los Angeles in July. We are in favor of building a speedway in a pasture far from our highways, on which these speed fools can race to their heart's content. The only stipulation we would suggest is that they take no passengers with them. We would also suggest they be turned loose in bunches and go to it with all speed limits suspended. A bumper feed crop is assured for Howard county and if this crop could be marketed on the hoof it would prove most profitable to the farmer. We should have hogs and baby beeves a plenty on feed this fall and winter. It looks now as though the feed crop of this section is going to be ready for harvest some weeks ahead of the cotton crop. It would indeed be fine if the feed crop could be put in the barn and stack before cotton picking starts. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shive and daughters, Misses Louise, Lillian and Billie Bess, and Miss Mildred Frances McNew left Saturday morning for a visit in Christoval.

HIGHWAY NUMBER 88 SECURES DESIGNATION
 The association formed at Post some months ago to work for the completion of State Highway No. 88 is meeting with success, according to C. T. Watson of this city, who is president of the association. Mr. Watson has been informed by the State Highway Association that designation from Clarendon to Post has been granted. There is a further request that designation be made from Post to Big Spring but this cannot be given consideration until Borden county agrees to open up a highway from Gall to the Garza county line. The county commissioners of Garza county are ready to meet the commissioners of Borden county any time and any place they designate, as they are anxious to have this important highway extended southward. With the present designation, State Highway No. 88 now extends from the Oklahoma line on thru Hansford, Hutchinson, Roberts, Gray, Donley, Briscoe, Floyd, Crosby and Garza counties; a distance of about two hundred and fifty miles. When the gap between Big Spring and Post is completed it will be an easy matter to have this highway extended on to Big Lake and Del Rio. In fact the road between Big Spring and Big Lake is such that very little work would have to be done to secure designation by the State Highway Department at this time. As this highway being a direct route between the Reagan county and Hutchinson county oil fields, the biggest oil fields in Texas, there is not a doubt but that it will become a much traveled highway. One of our citizens has suggested that when the paving has been completed, the city have markers painted along the curb to designate the spaces within which cars must be parked. If drivers of autos can be taught to park as indicated by these markers there will be space for more cars on every block in the business section. Mrs. T. E. Owen and children of Paducah, Ky., who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pickle the past several weeks, left Tuesday morning for their home. Enroute to Kentucky they will visit friends in Memphis, Tenn.

CARD OF THANKS
 I wish to extend thanks and appreciation to all who made donations of money to help defray the expenses of the Old Settlers Reunion as well as to those who contributed their time to make this occasion the great success it proved to be. The members of the American Legion are also thanked for providing the dance platform, and the band and old time fiddlers aided materially in insuring the folks a pleasant time. We can't begin to remember each and every one whose assistance was freely tendered so we are going to thank all of you who aided by bringing well filled baskets or aided in any way. MRS. G. L. BROWN, Chairman Arrangement Committee.

CARD OF THANKS
 I take this method of extending heartfelt thanks to the good people of Howard county for your evidently good will and confidence. While I had no opponent in the primary just closed, I nevertheless wish to thank you one and all for your vote and the confidence shown toward myself and co-workers in the office of County and District Clerk. In order to prove that your confidence is not misplaced we shall endeavor at all times to render courteous and efficient service to every citizen of Howard county, and to ever safeguard the best interests of Howard county. You will ever find us ready and willing to serve you to the very best of our ability. With best wishes, J. I. FRICHARD.

Bob Austin, W. R. Purser and Russell Harris returned Friday night from a fishing trip on the Rio Grande river, near Del Rio. They report plenty of good luck, and a fine trip. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Butman, Misses Lottie and Mary Butman, Mr. Ben Butman from their ranch south of Merkel, 15 miles, enroute to California, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sloan Saturday and Sunday. Paul Cunningham and Leslie Dahme have been going in high the past ten days opening, marking and placing the stock of shelf hardware queensware, etc., in the new Crenshaw & Cunningham hardware store on Runnels street.

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territory. He stated that the opening of a good road to the field in which development is now underway was indeed appreciated. He added that he hoped development would increase to such an extent that he would be compelled to move to Big Spring to make his headquarters. Mr. Rothmeyer who has been stationed in Cuba for some time gave an interesting description of that country, its people and their customs. He said that electrical companies had a big task of education before them as the majority of the citizens were a hundred years behind the times, in fact they are still in the cradle stage of civilization in the greater part of Cuba. He also told of the obstacles a company has to overcome in order to secure a foothold since politicians have a wonderful opportunity to graft where the greater part of the population is uneducated. O. H. Morris, a former citizen, complimented Big Spring on the starting of her paving program and her efforts to step forward in a big way. The securing of a modern hotel would indeed prove a big boost, said he. He also commented on the big building program now in evidence, and prophesied a substantial growth for our city. Members of the road committee stated that splendid progress was being made on the highway to the Chalk oil field, and that the work would be speeded up as the county road force had been added and was now working near the Otis Chalk ranch. The question of providing more apartments so that more folks could come to Big Spring to make their home was touched on by another speaker.

EARLY COTTON BOLLS COMING
 Open cotton bolls are now being shown. The first one brought to the Herald office was from T. W. Hoffer's place one mile northeast of Big Spring. This was a boll from his ten acre field of pedigreed, Anton cotton, which he is raising especially to secure the seed. The sample shows to be one and one-sixteenth staple; and several who have inspected Mr. Hoffer's crop estimate that he is going to harvest from one to one and a half bales per acre. Joe Coombes of Abilene visited friends in this city the past week-end

butions from one candidate to another candidate. Referring to her challenge to Moody to resign, she said, "Not only did he not accept my proposition, but he left himself in a position where he would not be bound in case I should have led him by 25,000 votes in the primary. Here are his very words: 'I accept the challenge issued by Jim in his wife's name.' In many other statements in the newspapers he called my proposition 'Jim's bluff,' and not to this good hour has he ever said he accepted my proposition. 'I submit to all fair minded people that the acceptance of a challenge by 'Jim' is not the acceptance of a challenge issued by 'Miriam.' 'If the vote had been in my favor, Mr. Moody had carefully worded his reply so that he would not have been bound and he would have immediately said that he was only bluffing with 'Jim.' Mrs. Ferguson also bases her refusal to resign on the charge that the primary was illegal because those who bolted the Democratic party in 1924 to vote for the Republican candidate for governor, Dr. George C. Butte, were permitted to return to the party and vote in the recent primary. She states there were 200,000 such "bolters" and that if they had been excluded, as she says she had a right to presume, that she would have led Moody by 100,000 votes. "Backing Mr. Moody... was the organized forces of the Ku Klux Klan," continues her statement, "In other words, my proposition was based upon a Democratic primary and not a bolting Ku Klux Klan primary. Even if Mr. Moody had accepted my proposition directly to me, I would have been released by reason of political fraud and illegal election." She further contends that she was denied the right to have supervisors at every election box by an opinion rendered by Attorney General Moody denying this right. She declares that this made the election "unfair." The statement uses the phrases "political wolves" and "political shylocks," in reference to Moody's followers, and concerning the demand that she resign her office, says: "They are thirsting for blood and a pound of flesh. I shall not accede to their demands, but shall remain at my post to perform the work which I promised the people I

BULLS PLACED IN VARIOUS FARMING COMMUNITIES
 The eight bulls bought by the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, arrived in this city the latter part of last week, were exhibited on the streets Saturday and then turned over to the farmers in the various communities, who will have charge of them. The bulls were bought from the Fairfuries Jersey Farm at Fairfuries, Texas, and they are about the finest animals that can be had. It is hoped by members of the Chamber of Commerce, that the bringing in of these fine animals in this county will greatly promote and improve the dairying industry in Howard county.

W. O. W. TO SELL LOT
 At a meeting of the Woodmen of the World on last Friday night it was voted to sell that portion of their lot on Runnels and East Second street not occupied by the W. O. W. building, or a space about 50x90. It was also decided that if a hotel proposition now under consideration was successfully carried out the W. O. W. lodge would accept part of the purchase price of the lot in stock in the hotel. The location would be a good one for a hotel building and here's hoping the hotel committee can successfully put the proposition over.

LYRIC THEATER IMPROVEMENT
 After Saturday, August 14, the R. and R. Lyric theater is to be closed for two weeks or so while extensive improvements are being made on the theater building, furnishings, fixtures, etc. The interior of the theater is to be painted, new draperies and lighting fixtures added, new upholstered opera chairs are to replace the seats now in use, and a ladies' rest room is to be provided. The stage is to be improved with electrically operated draperies. Work will be rushed on the improvements and every effort will be made to complete same so the theater can be reopened within two weeks. The extensive improvements will make this one of the most attractive theaters in West Texas and the management is to be complimented upon giving our city a theater we can be proud of. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McRea and daughter of Midland were visitors in our city this week.

... some time, while many members of the band are now away on their vacations, yet excellent music was furnished and the visitors complimented the band boys very highly. C. T. Watson, secretary of the Big Spring C. of C., served as toastmaster at the open meeting and in his opening remarks he said, "We have with us this evening men who represent the biggest organization of its kind in the world; these men are among the biggest and best fitted for the work they are engaged in than any men I know and it is an honor and a pleasure to have them as our guests who believed in West Texas as the coming empire of the U. S.; and these were the kind of men that are building West Texas today." In his remarks Mr. Duggan expressed great pleasure upon being in Big Spring and stated he was enjoying every minute of his stay in this city. He spoke highly of the beautiful new church building in which the meeting was being held, and said a building like it denoted sacrifice on the part of the membership and he knew this one was no exception, and nothing spoke so well for a city as good churches and good schools. The day of the booster was over in this section of the state, said Mr. Duggan, for now all we had to do was to let the world know what we actually had and they would come. He illustrated the old boosting idea with a story of a Texan who on making a trip to the old world could never find anything to equal what he had in Texas and after travelling all over the world he came back home and was given a banquet at which time he got too much of the forbidden fruit and passed out entirely so far as the things in this world were concerned and he was taken to a place filled with skeletons and dead men's bones to be left until consciousness returned. When he showed signs of coming to life, trumpets were blown and other signs given that it was resurrection morn and the said Texan arose, rubbed his eyes and after looking around at his surroundings, jumped up and popped his heels together and exclaimed: "Resurrection morn and Texas is the first one here." Mr. Duggan discussed the need of diversification and said if we did not cease the production of such large cotton crops we were headed for the breakers. That the banker and business man must take the lead in

The C. W. Davis home on South Scurry is undergoing improvement. Additional rooms, a sleeping porch and other improvements are being made. The M. Smith home on Johnson street is being completely remodeled. The house is being enlarged, and it will be neat and attractive when these improvements are made. The tax question should be taken up at the next session of the legislature and changed so the burden could be equalized, said Mr. Duggan. Following Mr. Duggan's address, Miss Alice Dawes gave a beautiful piano solo, "March Grottesque." Homer D. Wade was the next speaker and stated he was indeed pleased to be in Big Spring and for several reasons. Big Spring had a very warm place in his heart and every time he visited our city he loved it better. Also by being here he had an opportunity to see his brother, wife and three daughters. He paid President B. Reagan and Secretary C. T. Watson some high compliments in that he had worked with both of them; with the former for many years and with the latter for several years, and he considers them the very highest type of men and knows that both are deeply interested in the development of this section. He made it a point to impress on those present the importance of cooperation with these two leaders. He stated that no town just happens in this day and time. They are built by men, and teamwork is the greatest factor in their construction. He stated that all organizations of our city such as women's clubs, Boy Scouts, etc., should be centered around the Chamber of Commerce and every person in the city and county should in some way be connected therewith and working at the job to sell the community to your own people. Trade at home, patronize your home enterprises, for until you do this you cannot sell your town to others. He stated that when you wanted to put a proposition over, to get in behind it, for by cooperation and teamwork anything can be accomplished. He commented on the movement now on foot to secure a modern hotel for Big Spring and said we should put this over immediately. He complimented Howard county on having fine highways and said he was glad to see we had started paving our streets. He said he had heard much talk of an oil field in Howard county since he had arrived in Big Spring but as he viewed the situation we had a better and a surer asset in our agricultural possibilities than in any oil field for a few years, whereas the agricultural

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard county—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon G. M. D. Griggsby, if living, and his heirs, unknown, if he is not living by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court, of Howard County, to be holden on the first Monday in September A. D. 1926, the same being the 6 day of September A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 4 day of August A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1042, wherein B. Reagan is Plaintiff, and G. M. D. Griggsby, sometimes designated G. M. G. Griggsby, and sometimes J. M. Griggsby, is defendant, if he is now living, and if not, his heirs are complained of as defendants, residence of defendant unknown, and the heirs, if any, unknown, said petition alleging

Ownership, holding and possession of Lot No. 5 in Block No. 28 in the town of Big Spring in Howard county, Texas, the title built through peaceable and adverse holding under five and ten years statutes of limitations, the same holding prior to alleged date of ouster by defendant, November 1, 1925, and subsequent to time when right, if any, defendant ever had to claim same, or to urge claim, arose.

That apparent claim and probability that defendant might, or may, urge claim upon the premises clouds plaintiff's title and is in effect ouster because it interferes with the free use and enjoyment of the premises by plaintiff and particularly that of sale and disposition, which can not be effected for value of the property, because of the probability that such claim will be asserted.

Plaintiff prays that title be divested out of defendant and vested in him.

That cloud cast upon his title by apparent claim of defendant and by reason of probability that it may be urged be set aside and removed and that he be forever quieted in his title.

He prays for special and general relief, legal and equitable, and for further description of cause of action reference is made to original petition on file among the papers in the case and in the custody of the clerk.

Plaintiff gives notice to defendant to produce at the trial of the case the following deeds, or secondary evidence will be proffered by him, the records thereof, the best evidence accessible to him:

By Sheriff to Joseph Fisher, dated March 5, 1889, recorded in Vol. 4, page 294; Lester Fisher to Anna Fisher, dated July 3, 1912, recorded in Vol. 30, page 490; Anna Fisher et al. to C. L. Alderman, dated October 27, 1914, recorded in Vol. 35, page 309; C. L. Alderman and wife to Stanberry Alderman, dated February 22, 1919, recorded in Vol. 40, page 111; Stanberry Alderman to Roberta Whitehead Alderman, dated November 4, 1920, recorded in Vol. 47, page 271; Roberta Whitehead Alderman and husband to C. L. Alderman, dated October 7, 1922, recorded in Vol. 52, page 346; C. L. Alderman to Mitchell Park, dated October 3, 1923, recorded in Vol. 53, page 467; Sheriff of Howard county to I. H. Park, dated 16th May 1894, recorded in Vol. 6, page 144; I. H. Park and wife to Mitchell Park, dated Feb. 16, 1920, recorded in Vol. 44, page 595; Mitchell Park to Leni L. Park, dated Feb. 16, 1920, recorded in Vol. 44, page 591; all in Deed Records of said Howard County.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Big Spring, on this the 4th day of August A. D. 1926.

J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk District Court Howard Co., Texas. A True Copy: I Certify. Frank House, Sheriff. By J. O. Tamsitt, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to summon J. Pope, sometimes designated as Jack Pope; Mary Jane Pixley, widow; Susan S. Charlesworth, widow; Francis A. Whitney and her husband, C. L. Whitney; Ludwig Krapf and Serena Krapf, if living, and if not, then their heirs, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, Texas, on the first Monday in September A. D. 1926, the same being the 6 day of September A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of August A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1043, wherein C. L. Alderman is Plaintiff, and J. Pope, sometimes designated as Jack Pope; Mary Jane

Pixley, widow; Susan S. Charlesworth, widow; Francis A. Whitney and her husband, C. L. Whitney; Ludwig Krapf and Serena Krapf complained against as defendants, if living, but if not, then against their heirs as defendants, or against the heirs of such of said defendants so specifically designated as defendants as may not now be living, said petition alleging

Ownership, holding and possession of Lots Nos. 1 to 5, inclusive in Block No. 4, in the town of Big Spring, in Howard county, Texas, the title built through peaceable and adverse holding under five and ten years statutes of limitation, the same holding prior to alleged date of ouster by defendant, 1st July, 1926, and subsequent to time when right, if any, defendant ever had to claim same, or to urge claim, arose.

That apparent claim and probability that defendant might, or may, urge claims upon the premises clouds plaintiff's title and is in effect ouster, because it interferes with the free use and enjoyment of the premises by plaintiff, and particularly that of sale and disposition, which can not be effected for value of the property, because of the probability that such claims will be asserted.

Plaintiff prays that this title be divested out of defendant and vested in him.

That cloud cast upon his title by apparent claim by defendant and by reason of probability that it may be urged to set aside and removed and that he be forever quieted in his title.

He prays for special and general relief, legal and equitable, and for further description of cause of action reference is made to original petition on file among the papers in the case and in the custody of the Clerk.

Plaintiff gives notice to defendant to produce at the trial of the case the following deeds, or secondary evidence will be proffered by him, the records thereof, the best evidence accessible to him, that carry Lots Nos. 1, 3 and 4; W. R. Cole and A. F. Jones to Roscoe Lumber Co., all of them and Lots 5, 6 and 7, dated July 18, 1903, recorded in Vol. 10, p. 94; Roscoe Lumber Co. to J. S. Cordill, same lots as next preceding, dated May 8, 1905, recorded in Vol. 11, p. 376; J. S. Cordill to Cordill Lumber Co., same lots, dated May 20, 1905, recorded in Vol. 11, p. 382; Cordill Lumber Co. to Connell Lumber Co., same lots, dated April 20, 1907, recorded in Vol. 19, at Page 183.

The following that carry Lot. No. 2: Serena Krapf and husband to B. C. Rix, dated Sept. 17, 1900, recorded in Vol. 8, page 19; B. C. Rix and wife to J. S. Cordill and Fox

Stripling, dated March 25, 1910, recorded in Vol. 27, P. 243, and J. S. Cordill and Fox Stripling to the Connell Lumber Co., dated March 26, 1910, recorded in Vol. 26, P. 366

The following that carry Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4: Connell Lumber Co. to J. S. Cordill and Fox Stripling, dated March 31, 1910, recorded in Vol. 26, Page 369.

The following that carry parcels in said last named four lots: J. S. Cordill and Fox Stripling to E. E. Williamson and S. C. Lamar, dated April 2, 1910, recorded in Vol. 26, page 384; J. S. Cordill and wife to West Texas National Bank and Fox Stripling and wife to C. L. Alderman, dated Feb. 9, 1914, recorded in Vol. 32, P. 555; S. C. Lamar and wife to E. E. Williamson and wife to C. L. Alderman, dated Feb. 9, 1914, recorded in Vol. 33, P. 121; The West Texas National Bank and Fox Stripling and wife to C. L. Alderman, dated June 13, 1917, recorded in Vol. 37, P. 506; Judgment in case of West Texas National Bank vs. E. E. Williamson, et al. recorded in Min. of Dist. Ct. of Howard Co. Vol. 4, P. 59; Deed by defendants in said suit, by sheriff to A. Nail, dated July 3, 1919, recorded in Vol. 41, page 307, and A. Nail and husband to C. L. Alderman, dated March 22, 1920, recorded in Vol. 40, P. 352.

The following deeds carrying the Lots Nos. 5 and 6:

J. S. Cordill and wife to the West Texas Nat. Bank, includes also the Lot 7, dated Jan. 10, 1912, recorded Vol. 29, P. 378; Fox Stripling and wife and the West Texas Nat. Bank to C. L. Alderman to Lot 5, dated Jan. 14, 1914, recorded in Vol. 32, page 546; same grantors to same grantee to Lot 5, dated Jan. 14, 1914, recorded in Vol. 32, page 548.

The following deeds carrying the Lot 8: S. H. Vanwinkle to S. A. King, dated March 10, 1899, recorded Vol. 7, P. 120; S. A. King and wife to C. L. Alderman, dated 21st Jan. 1914, recorded Vol. 34, P. 150, all the recording in Deed Records of said Howard County.

Herein fail, not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Big Spring, on this the 4th day of August A. D. 1926.

J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk District Court Howard Co., Texas. A True Copy: I Certify. Frank House, Sheriff. By J. O. Tamsitt, Deputy.

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TO THE CITIZENS OF HOWARD COUNTY

For the last few days the friends of Judge J. E. Hickman of Stephens county, candidate for the office of Judge of Court of Civil Appeals of the 11th Judicial District have been placing his name before us. The appreciation for Judge Hickman as shown by his large vote in this county where he was comparatively unknown called forth many kind expressions of gratitude from the candidate.

Judge Hickman is a lawyer of the highest type with the judicial mind fitting him for duties as Judge. His general ability, his integrity, his high ideals all make him an unusually able man, to have shown his ability which is shown by his becoming the leader in all of the best enterprises of his county. The fact that the percentage of the vote cast in his home county was larger than the percentage cast for any of his opponents in their home county bespeaks the regard of those who know him. Judge Hickman will take opportunity to represent his candidacy to the people of Howard county within the next week or ten days. It is our desire that you come out and get acquainted with the man and know his principles.

We the undersigned citizens of Howard county commend the Honorable J. E. Hickman to our fellow voters.

H. R. Debenport
Clyde E. Thomas
James Little
J. D. Cunningham
G. B. Cunningham.

"THE TWO ELIXIRS OF LIFE"

Nearly always in a discussion of country life, there also come to mind the beautiful lines of Stevenson in which he speaks of—

"...the highlands, the country places Where the old plain men have rosy faces.

And the young, fair maidens quiet eyes."

And Stevenson's phrases are well chosen. The healthful environment of country life and the wholesome peace of country living do indeed make for the rosiest on the faces of sturdy old men and the quiet beauty in young girls' faces. It is an atmosphere far removed from the feverish, hectic, hurrying of "the madding crowd's ignoble strife" in so many modern cities. The soothing music of God's winds in the pine trees about country homes on starlit nights carries a peace with it never found in the clamorous jazz of the

city dance-halls where young men and women "flaming youth" mean old age, unblest by eyes or rosy faces.

Men throughout the world sought for some "elixir" some magic gift that would prolong life and health. John Galsworthy, the English novelist said recently:

"The true elixir... two, I think... are open to a proud pleasure in one's mode of existence in which paratively rare to life combined."

"The open air life... pleasure in one's work... both blessings which belong to the really wise farmer—the farmer who is striving to improve land, stock, and home. As a fact, farming offers opportunity for using all one's faculties for no other occupation. It is at once an industry, and a profession—an industry requiring labor, a business being buying, selling, and knowledge and skill; being one in which it is one to use the discoveries and thus receive increase for increased intelligence. Poe, in The Progressive P...

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Underwood and Helen of Garden City are the proud parents of a baby boy born Thursday, August 5, 1926, at 29. Mrs. Underwood is the daughter of W. L. Lemmons, Glascock county.

Mrs. E. D. Gillespie and Theron and Helen of Hanover are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday, August 5, 1926, at 29. Mrs. Gillespie is the daughter of W. L. Lemmons, Glascock county.

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Mrs. J. F. Hendricks returned Sunday morning from a visit in Sweetwater.
Mrs. J. R. Copeland returned Sunday morning from a visit with relatives and friends in Baird.
Mrs. Allen W. Mabey of Eastland arrived last Saturday morning for a week's visit in this city with friends.
Mrs. Joe B. Leonard of Eastland is a guest in our city this week, visiting her brother, Nat Shick and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilcox and Mrs. Ralph Kirby returned last Thursday evening from a two weeks visit at Corpus Christi.
Miss Norma Merrick arrived Sunday morning from Fort Worth, for a visit with her father, C. A. Merrick and other relatives in this city.
Mrs. Ralph Kirby after a visit in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilcox, returned to her home in Dallas Sunday evening.
Miss Katherine Davidson of Fort Stockton visited friends here this week. Miss Davidson was formerly a teacher in the Big Spring schools.
Mrs. Hob Everett returned last Thursday from a visit with relatives and friends in Sherman. Her mother accompanied her to this city for a visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Buell Irvin of Lubbock were visitors here the past week end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hob Everett, Mrs. Everett and Mrs. Irvin are sisters.
Mr. and Mrs. O. Dupperly and children left Tuesday, overlaid, for a two weeks visit at San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Austin, Galveston, and other points of interest in South Texas.
We are of the opinion that all of us are going to get along as well after the recently nominated officials take office as we have heretofore. We take our politics too seriously in most cases and that is one reason the professional politicians can herd us as the shepherd herds his flock.

Chet Miller returned last Friday morning from Cisco, where he had been in charge of the American Railway Express office the past two weeks, while the agent was on his vacation.
A. L. Houston of Stanton was a visitor in Big Spring Monday. Mr. Houston states he is sorry he missed attending the Old Settlers Re-union here last Friday, but he just overlooked the date.
Sam Childress was up from Midway Saturday and told the Herald man that he and a force of men were going to start work on grading the road from the Chalk oil field to the highway this week.
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cox of Lamesa were visitors here Tuesday. Mr. Cox has accepted a position with the J. M. Radford Grocery Co. here and was seeking a residence as he plans to move here immediately.
Mrs. Dell Hatch, Miss Nell Hatch, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. Eb Hatch, Mrs. H. B. Robb and children, Mabel and H. B. Jr., Mrs. H. E. Hatch and Dick Hatch Jr., left Monday morning for a ten day visit at Christoval.
As far as crop conditions in Howard county are concerned they are as near ideal as we can reasonably hope for. If they continue as at present, our folks will certainly be mighty busy at harvest time.
W. H. Kile and brother of Abilene were visiting in Big Spring Saturday, looking over the prospects in our city. Both were well pleased with the great development that is now underway in the Big Spring section.
According to a ruling of Dr. O. Burton Fain, city health officer at Sweetwater, no children will be permitted to enter the public school at Sweetwater this fall unless they have either been vaccinated for smallpox or can claim the equivalent of vaccination. If a child has been vaccinated three times and if these are not successful he is considered immune and this is equivalent of vaccination in Dr. Fain's ruling.

See your Dentist twice a year... Cunningham & Phillips.
W. F. Fahrenkamp made a business trip to Baird Tuesday.
Shaving utensils of all kinds... Cunningham & Phillips.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gary left Sunday morning for McCamey, Texas.
Insect removers to use on your chickens... Cunningham & Phillips.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Johnson of Colorado spent Sunday with relatives in this city.
"Deedo" the powder that kills the odors of perspiration... Cunningham & Phillips.
R. L. Cook recently purchased of Albert Landers a farm of one hundred and sixty acres in Martin county.
Mrs. Greer Capps or Childress arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with relatives and friends in this city.
The Wolcott Motor Company received another shipment of Ford cars this week, consisting mostly of Ford coupes.
We are squawking about the hot weather just now but it won't be long before we will be complaining of cool weather.
Miss Margaret Nicholson after a pleasant visit in this city with friends left Saturday night for her home in Terrell.
Mrs. J. L. Mothershed who has been visiting in our city the past two weeks left Tuesday morning for her home in Dallas.
Mrs. Louis Powell and daughter, Sarah Frances, after a visit in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Matthews, left Friday night for her home in Chicago.
Remember the recital to be given at the First Methodist church on Tuesday evening. The South Side Circle of the First Methodist church is sponsoring this entertainment. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the church. Admission 50 cents.

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Mrs. J. W. Barnett who has been quite ill the past week is reported as getting along nicely.
Paint in small cans for any purpose... Cunningham & Phillips.
Sick room needs... Cunningham & Phillips.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. Kiensal of Terrell, Texas, enroute to Lamesa were visitors here Tuesday.
Johnston's candy... Cunningham & Phillips.

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