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By Jordan & Hayden

DEVELOPMENT IN THIS FIELD

Progress Being Made on Several New Wells in Iatan-Westbrook Field

Progress is being made on several new wells in the Iatan-Westbrook field. The old slush pit is being deepened and a new slush pit and pump are being installed. They are shutting off the old well.

Murphy No. 1 is drilling and is also a new slush pit and pump are being installed. They are shutting off the old well.

John Brannard No. 1 is being drilled around 3185 feet in blue shale. It is just southwest of Iatan and is about 2400 feet and should be about 2500 feet.

Magnolia Company has spudded a well about four miles south of Iatan.

John Johnson's Stewart No. 1 is being drilled southwest of Iatan, is drilling about 1500 feet. Their Cappel No. 1 is drilling at about 1500 feet and will be drilled to a depth of 1500 feet.

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California Company are preparing a deep test on the Richard No. 1 well southwest of Colorado.

Light and Sloan, California operators said to have arranged to drill a deep test on section 33 T. 1N. R. 1E. & P. survey, about two miles southwest of Iatan.

General Oil Drilling

McDowell No. 4 on the west ranch twenty miles south of Iatan is going forward steadily. It is to the fact that the drill is being run in a hard gray lime the rate being made seems slow. This well is down to a depth of 3100 feet.

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News of the Strike

With the heads of the big railway corporations turning down President Harding's proposals to end the railway strike it is rather strange that no one has raised a howl about them striking against the government. The men now on strike accepted President Harding's proposals.

The following message was received here Thursday afternoon from B. M. Jewell:

J. O. Tamsitt, Big Spring, Texas. Executive Board of three divisions in conjunction with Executive Council accepted President Harding's proposed agreement as bases of settlement of railway strike.

Acceptance of our part does not mean settlement of strike. The membership is urged to use all honorable means to make strike effective pending final settlement.

By order of Executive Council. B. M. Jewell.

Baptist Encampment at Christoval

Quite a number of Big Spring folks are planning to attend the Baptist Encampment to be held at Christoval, Texas, August 8th to 18th. Rev. Geo. W. Truett of Dallas will be at Christoval from August 12th to 18th.

Among those who have announced their intention of going to Christoval to attend the encampment or to hear Rev. Truett, are: Mrs. F. G. Stokes and daughter Frances; Mrs. W. R. Dawes and children; L. S. Patterson and family; Judge and Mrs. James T. Brooks.

Sealed-Order Service

Have you ever attended a Sealed-Order service? If you have not, you should not miss this one. A very interesting program is being prepared for this service and will be carried out by Sealed Orders.

Come and enjoy an hour with the Christian Endeavors at the Christian Church Sunday evening at 7:30.

Active members should study the lesson, as you may receive a sealed order also.

Consecration Meeting

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1922 Bridge Club

The members of the 1922 Bridge Club enjoyed a delightful meeting Wednesday afternoon at which time they were the guests of Miss Zou Hardy.

In the series of interesting games Miss Ruth Hatcher had the honor of making club high score and Miss Velma Wasson made visitor's high score. Delicious refreshments were an enjoyed feature of this jolly occasion.

Revival Services at Moore

Much interest is being manifested in the Methodist revival meeting now in progress at the school house in the Moore community. The meeting began last Saturday night and is being conducted by Rev. C. L. Browning of Colorado, assisted by Rev. G. S. Plant.

Fine sermons and good singing are in order and all are cordially invited to attend the services each evening.

Notice to Precinct Chairmen

All precinct chairmen of the Democratic Executive Committee are requested to appear at the courthouse in Big Spring Tuesday August 8th at 10:00 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of hearing the contents of the late primary election that have been filed with the committee.

P. F. CANTRELL, Chairman.

The Hudson Bay Company recently declared a dividend of 45 per cent. In its 262nd year the company pays dividends amounting to nearly half its capital stock. This is the history of all corporations, they continue to grow stronger and richer while the working folks grow weaker and poorer.

The home of J. R. Hughes on South Scurry was threatened by fire Thursday morning but the blaze was extinguished by members of the family and a fire alarm was not turned in. A mattress and some clothing was destroyed as a result of this blaze.

Edward Settles, aged 14 had the misfortune to accidentally shoot himself Wednesday while out at the Big Spring with several companions. The bullet from a 22 rifle entered about the base of the middle finger of the right hand and came out the back of his hand.

It should be in a country as rich and prosperous as the United States that the average child, woman and man may be better fed, better clothed, better housed, better educated, better protected, with more of the comforts and pleasures of life, and have enough left for old age. Some day the majority will so decree.

E. P. Ricker left Wednesday evening for a business trip to Dallas.

E. P. TEELE COM- MITS SUICIDE

Well Known Banker and Ranchman of Garden City Ends Life on Morning of August First

The announcement of the death of E. P. Teele of Garden City, came as a great shock to a host of friends throughout West Texas. He came to his death as a result of a gunshot wound, self-inflicted, in the First State Bank building at Garden City about nine o'clock Tuesday morning, August 1st. He left notes to members of his family and friends, these messages written at different times the past few weeks.

Mr. Teele who was aged 58 years, was one of the best known bankers and ranchmen in West Texas and had made his home in Glascock County for many years. He had served as Cashier and manager of the First State Bank of Garden City the past seven years; had served as Sheriff and Tax Collector of Glascock County prior to being selected as cashier of the Garden City bank, and formerly looked after ranching interests in Glascock County. Mr. Teele was a big hearted and genial gentleman, a typical West Texan, and was loved and esteemed by everyone. If he had faults they were such as to revert to his credit, for he was ever ready to aid those in distress and it was not in him to refuse aid to those who appealed to him.

There can be but one cause for Mr. Teele's rash act and that was worry over business matters as he must have felt that he might be blamed for losses the bank might be called upon to suffer as a result of inability to collect cattle loans that had been made during the trying times West Texas has been undergoing for several years past.

Funeral services were conducted at Garden City Wednesday morning by Rev. Cox of Sterling City and the Masonic fraternity. The funeral was attended by a host of friends not only from Glascock County, but from all adjacent counties as well.

He is survived by his wife, three sons and one daughter, Edward, Walter and James Teele of Glascock County and Mrs. Ira Driver of Big Spring, and to these who mourn for one dearly beloved is extended the deepest sympathy of the many friends throughout West Texas.

Athletic Association Organized

The Federated Shop Crafts Athletic Association was recently organized in Big Spring for the purpose of furnishing amusement and physical training for the membership.

Two big rooms have been fitted up in the basement of the J. L. Ward building and there has been prepared an 18-foot square boxing ring. Three sets of boxing gloves, two punching bags, a sand bag, six domino tables and chairs have been provided.

Workouts are held each evening about 8 o'clock and all who enjoy sparring exhibitions are invited to attend.

The following committee are in charge of the affairs of the association: J. M. Bogard, chairman; Geo. Winlow, Ray Cravens and Tom O'Keefe. A big program is being arranged for August 11th at the baseball park. After a fine game of baseball a big sparring exhibition will be given in front of the grandstand. Arrange to attend this th event.

Honoring H. F. Phillips and Family

A swimming party and chicken broil were given Thursday evening of last week at Jones swimming pool in honor of Major H. F. Phillips and family of San Antonio. After a delightful swim a feast of broiled chicken and other "good eats" were enjoyed.

Those enjoying this pleasant affair were: the families of Major H. F. Phillips, C. W. Cunningham, Nat Shick, Shine Phillips, W. W. Rix, E. O. Ellington, Dr. R. L. Davis and Mrs. D. Phillips; Mrs. Alice Reader of Houston, Mrs. G. M. Whitney of Alexandria, La., Miss Iris Phillips, Dr. G. T. Hall and G. B. Cunningham.

J. M. Radford Employees Promoted

Several promotions were in order, among the employees at the Big Spring house of the J. M. Radford Wholesale Grocery Co., this week. E. A. Garverick, traveling salesman in the territory west of Big Spring, was transferred to Cisco; H. V. Koneaster who has been acting as shipping clerk has been made salesman, and Jones Lamar has been promoted to the post of shipping clerk. Charlie Miller succeeds Lamar in charge of city deliveries.

P. G. Stokes attended the big industrial show at Dallas this week in which the Fordson tractor was the central attraction. He reports the show a big success and well attended.

"Bootleggers" Make Trips

"The Bootleggers," the popular five-piece local orchestra returned Wednesday July 26th from a series of engagements at points west of Big Spring. They were gone five days, and played for a number of dances, including two at Odessa, Kermit, and Fort Stockton. They were received most cordially at every place and were forced to cut short their trip so as to be in Big Spring to play for the big platform dances staged by the Big Four Brotherhood for the strikers' fund.

At Kermit a big barbecue, goat roping and rodeo were supplementary attractions to the big dance, and most generous were the residents of Winkler County in providing for their guests. Several hundred people enjoyed their hospitality to the utmost, and chief of these were the members of the "Bootleggers." Barbecued meat, pickles, bread, onions and later courses of pie and cake, all home made, with ice cold tea and water with which to wash it down were placed in abundance upon the tables.

So successful were the "Bootleggers" on this trip that they have planned a much more extensive trip, through Southwest Texas and up into New Mexico, and to better aid themselves in the matter of travel, have purchased a specially equipped touring car from the Ford Motor Company in which they will make the trip. They plan to leave Big Spring Saturday August 5th and after playing the principal towns in Southwest and Western Texas, proceed on into New Mexico, and after playing the principal towns and cities there, return to Big Spring in time to play for the Big Labor Day dance here September 4th.

Grand Ball a Big Success

The big platform dance given by the Big Four Railroad Brotherhoods opposite the City Hall last Friday and Saturday nights as a benefit for the members of the Shop Crafts out on strike was a big success from every standpoint. A large crowd of dancers and spectators attended both nights and a jolly time was in order.

The Bootleggers Orchestra supplied the music which insured a good time for the dancers. A large cake donated by Robt. Boadle was raffled off each night and added something like forty dollars to the strike benefit fund.

A cake donated by Mrs. Schull was presented to the best waltzers Saturday night and was awarded to Miss Stewart and Arch True.

In order that the men on strike should get all the proceeds from the dance, the members of the four brotherhoods paid for all the expenses of the dance so a sum in the neighborhood of five hundred dollars was realized for the men on strike.

It is estimated that from 1000 to 1500 attended the big dance each night, and at times there were more than one hundred couples dancing at the same time.

Miss Laurah May Simpson Dead

It was with deepest sorrow that friends throughout our county received the announcement of the death of Miss Laurah May Simpson, at the family home, eighteen miles north of Big Spring, Thursday night, August 3rd at 8:42 o'clock. She had been ill since last Monday. Deceased who was twenty six years of age was the daughter of Mrs. W. M. Simpson, had made her home in this county practically all her life, and was loved and esteemed by young and old. She was a dutiful daughter, a devoted sister and a true friend and many hearts are saddened because the Master called her from the circle of loved ones here on earth.

To the mother and four brothers, Frank, Akin, and Edward Simpson of this county and James Simpson of New Mexico who mourn for one greatly beloved is extended the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends throughout West Texas.

Short Cotton Crop in Prospect

The price of cotton jumped \$8.50 per bale, Tuesday, immediately after the reading of the department of agriculture report, placing the condition of the growing crop at 70.8 per cent normal. October prices went to 22.50.

This year's cotton crop was placed at 11,440,000 bales of 500 pounds each.

County agents reported 80.2 per cent and reporters of the crop reporting board estimated 71.3 per cent of the total acreage was infested by the boll weevil.

The continued dry weather is also having a tendency to further cut down the production of cotton.

Sister M. Brigit who has been one of the popular nurses at Mercy Hospital here left last month for New Orleans where she will be stationed at St. Rita Surgical Infirmary the coming year.

THE PRIMARY ELECTION CONTEST

Petitions Alleging 230 Illegal Votes in Primary To Be Heard by County Dem. Executive Committee

That a contest may develop in some of the races for county office is indicated by developments this week.

Attorneys J. B. Littler and C. E. Thomas acting for Anderson Bailey, candidate for Tax Assessor, G. E. McNew, candidate for County Treasurer, Joe E. Neel candidate for Hide and Animal Inspector, and J. S. McCright candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 2, had a committee to canvas the poll list used in the primary election July 22nd and to compare same with the register of those casting ballots to determine whether or not some voted who were not entitled to vote; and upon their findings have presented a petition to the Democratic Executive Committee asking that an investigation be held to determine whether or not the persons named in said petition as having illegally voted did have a right to vote.

P. F. Cantrell county chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee has called a meeting of the members of the committee to be held at the courthouse in Big Spring at 10 o'clock Tuesday August 8th to conduct such investigation.

Carter-Winslow

At the Episcopal Church at six o'clock Sunday evening July 30th the ceremony was performed which united in the holy bonds of matrimony two of our well known and popular young people, Ray Carter and Miss Zora Isabelle Winslow. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. B. Etson, rector of the church, and was attended by the parents of the bride, other relatives and a few intimate friends. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for an auto trip to Lubbock and other points on the plains.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Winslow has made her home here since childhood and is loved and esteemed for her many admirable traits. She is an accomplished young lady and will make a true helpmeet to the man she has honored with her heart and hand.

The groom is really and truly a Big Spring boy, born and reared in this city; is a young man with ambition who is certain to forge ahead. Following his learning the trade of machinist in the T. & P. shops here he successfully completed the course at the Sweeney Auto and Tractor School at Kansas City and is thoroughly equipped to follow his trade as an expert auto mechanic.

We join a host of friends here in extending to these well beloved young people best wishes for a full measure of happiness and prosperity.

Union Men's Get to Gether Meeting

The get to gether meeting of union men of the county was held at the I. O. O. F. hall in Big Spring Wednesday night and was much enjoyed by the large crowd in attendance.

Many interesting short talks were enjoyed during the evening and a general good time was in order. A free will offering was taken up to defray the balance of expenses of the Union picnic last month, and more than enough was raised to pay off all accounts and leave a little surplus in the entertainment fund.

Plans were laid for having a rousing big meeting here Wednesday night August 10th at which time the union men and their wives will be expected to take part in the program arranged for this meeting.

Members of County Dem. Ex. Com.

The following were named as members of the Democratic Executive Committee in the primary July 22: P. F. Cantrell County chairman; Precinct 1 L. E. Lomax; Precinct 2 W. G. Hayden; Precinct 3 G. B. Cunningham; Precinct 4 Dr. G. S. True; Precinct 5 L. M. Scroggins; Precinct 6 L. S. Hamlin; Precinct 7 G. W. Davis; Precinct 8 Sam Little; Precinct 9 Louie Hutto; Precinct 11 T. H. McGowan; Precinct 12 Lem Stallings; Precinct 13 J. J. McGregor; Precinct 14 T. W. Branon; Precinct 15 A. J. Payne.

T. & P. Take Off Ten Trains

Authority to discontinue temporarily ten trains operating in Texas was granted, Wednesday, to the Texas and Pacific railroad by the railroad commission. The trains to be discontinued operate between Dallas and Cisco, Fort Worth and Mineral Wells, Longview Junction and New Orleans, Whitesboro and Texasarkana, and Sherman and Clarksville.

Buy Furniture Store in Lamesa

The Rix Furniture and Undertaking Company, of Big Spring and Lubbock, last week closed a deal for the purchase of the Cash Furniture Store of Lamesa, Texas, from Mrs. Emma Kelly, which gives this progressive firm three large and prosperous furniture establishments in three of the best towns in West Texas. Messrs H. L. and W. W. Rix and Clyde Branon spent three days in Lamesa last week closing the deal.

Clyde Branon will be manager of the firm's new store at Lamesa which insures a live business man in charge of this store.

The coming of the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Company to Lamesa is welcomed by the citizenship of Dawson County for they know that this firm will give them an up to date furniture establishment. Then too the new firm will add a motor drawn hearse to their undertaking equipment and maintain a licensed embalmer there, these being needs that have long been unfulfilled.

The Rix Furniture and Undertaking Company are a live and going concern, the members of the firm being live wires and boosters for the cities in which their firm engage in business and they conduct all their dealings in a fair, square and businesslike manner.

Lamesa will have reason to appreciate their selecting that city as a location for one of their stores.

Sunday School Picnic

Mrs. W. W. Hatcher, superintendent of Primary Department of the First Baptist S. S., assisted by her ever faithful and efficient assistant Mrs. Tucker, and Miss Crawford delightfully entertained the little folks of their department Monday afternoon with basement picnic and lunch. About 5 o'clock they began to arrive, some accompanied by their mothers, others alone. All were soon gathered in the basement to play "Drop the handkerchief," "London Bridge," "Going to Jerusalem," "Cat and Mouse, and Oh, so many other games so dear to all children's hearts. Then first we heard "Come to lunch children, you must be hungry." Only Mrs. Hatcher and Mrs. Tucker could have presided in such a gracious manner. There were sandwiches, cakes, fruit and good cold lemonade, and the next thing we heard was "come upstairs and let Ruth take your picture. And such a bunch of little folks and mothers too wanted in the picture. Then came "let's go for a ride." All were loaded into waiting cars and carried out for a lovely ride on South Pike and back to Church where our little picnic had to come to a close.

Danger of Prairie Fires

Folks are cautioned against throwing lighted matches or cigarette and cigar butts along the road sides and especially so when going thru pastures.

The grass is dry now and once a fire is started there is no telling how far it might go or how much damage it might cause. When you are responsible for destroying a man's pasture even though you did not do so intentionally you are doing him a great wrong; so you are earnestly requested to refrain from throwing lighted matches, cigarette or cigar stubs where they may cause a serious prairie fire.

Please heed this notice and thereby treat the other fellow as you would like to be treated.

The stock raisers have had an upth game the past few years so do not make it any harder for them by destroying their pastures thru carelessness.

Fencing in Railway Shops

The work of constructing a high board fence around the Texas & Pacific railway shops and adjacent property was started the first of the week and rapid progress is being made in erecting this enclosure.

Barbed wire will be strung along the top of the fence to discourage navigation. We can't just understand the reason for this fence as the company managed to do without it all these years, except that the company may be making so much profit on the business it is necessary to spend quite a bit for unnecessary expenses while the government guarantee insures them a certain earning on their well watered capital stock; or else to keep the men who have taken the place of the strikers from deserting.

Stripling-Hull

Leslie D. Stripling and Miss Alta E. Hull, two well known and popular young people of the Center Point community, were married at Sweetwater Saturday July 29th. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. T. Rouse.

We join many friends in extending to this worthy couple best wishes for much happiness and prosperity.

Subscribe for The Herald

"Guess what's for lunch, Daddy?" Mother says that Nancy and me are going to have those Kellogg's Corn Flakes all summer long because they are so good for stomachs! Guess what, Daddy, how you can have some quick!"



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Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

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Call at the Tourist Garage and see the twelve different body designs—both fours and sixes.

Six Cylinder Cars

Model 696, Roadster, old price \$1535, new price \$1360.

Model 691, Touring, old price \$1565, new price \$1395.

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Model 42, Roadster, old price \$1105, new price \$1050.

Model 41, Touring, old price \$1125, new price \$1075.

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Mulford's Blackleg Aggression. Fifteen cents a dose. . . . CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Settles of Terre Haute, Ind., are here for a visit with his brothers, W. R. and B. H. Settles.

Rooms for Rent

Two nice rooms for light housekeeping; garage in connection. Phone 452 or call at 512 Main street.

Cox Company Bankrupt

Houston—Insolvency of the S. E. J. Cox Co., one of the companies of S. E. J. Cox recently acquitted on charges of using the mails to defraud in federal court here, was admitted today in answers to a bankruptcy proceeding instituted against the company here Saturday—Fort Worth Press.

People walk blocks after Munroe's Coca Colas. . . . CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS

Statement is Made to Public

I was employed at Dallas, Texas, by A. P. Prendergast, Mechanic, Superintendent of the Texas & Pacific Railway, on July 3rd, 1922, and left Dallas on the same date I was employed, and I started to work in the roundhouse at Marshall, Texas, as a car carpenter.

I was first approached by Mr. Prendergast in front of the Texas & Pacific General Office Building in Dallas on July 3rd while I was in conversation with another party and Mr. Prendergast asked me if I was a railroad man and I told him that I was a steel car man and he asked me how I would like to go to Fort Worth to work for the Texas & Pacific and I told him I didn't know but I would call at his office that afternoon. I saw Mr. Prendergast there and while talking with him he said he believed he would send it would be impossible for me to get my me to Marshall instead of Fort Worth as it was a good place to work at and a good town and that I would be furnished with board and lodging and would receive 63 cents per hour for my work. He informed me at the time that I would find a mighty nice bunch of officials at Marshall, and that Marshall was a good place to work, which I found to be true until the 25th of July, when I put in my resignation.

They gave me a time check covering my services from the 15th to the 25th and I was informed by Mr. Weber that time from July 4th to July 15th unless I went to Dallas to get same as it had already been sent in. Mr. Weber asked me when did I want to leave town and I told him on train No. 5 at 11:30 and he suggested that I get a couple of United States deputy marshals to go with me to the train. Of my own accord I came out of the shops without being accompanied by a marshal and I stopped at the picket line and asked about going to town and they told me it would be alright, which I found to be true.

While up town this morning I talked with some of the strikers and informed them what I had done and told them about the trouble I was having in getting my time and they told me that the company could not hold my time and that they would assist me in getting same. I then called the shop superintendent's office over the phone and asked him to have my time covering the period from July 4th to 15th sent to the freight depot at Marshall and I was then informed by Mr. Weber that I could get my time check by coming back to the office but when I entered the shop enclosure I was covered by guards and they took me to Superintendent Weber's office and closed the doors behind me as I walked in. General Superintendent Earle was present and also Shop Superintendent Weber and they asked me what I meant by coming up town, and they accused me of being a traitor to the company and of being a friend of the strikers and employed under cover by the strikers and was also accused by them of wanting to make a statement for the benefit of the strikers to be published in the evening paper. At this point I demanded my time at once and got it. I also got a pass to Shreveport which was later demanded of me and I surrendered the same with the greatest pleasure. I was escorted by a guard when I left who was told by one of the officials to take me off the company's property and to inform me not to return.

While in the office and demanding that they let me out I was informed by Mr. Earle that it was for my own protection that I was being detained as the men on the outside would stamp me in the earth; that some of them were after blood and that others were fine men and that the company would have them back after the strike was over, and some he didn't know about; and it was at this point I was accused of being a traitor to the company and accused of working for the strikers, and when I denied being in league with the strikers was told by Mr. Earle that "I don't believe a word of it."

After I left the shop superintendent's office I came on down stairs and went out to my bunk car and talked with the boys and when I thought it was about time for my train I started to the depot and while coming up between some cars inside the shop fence I was stopped by Special Agent Adams and he asked me "where in the hell I was going," and I replied "who in hell wants to know," and I asked what time the train left. "It, I don't know, but hang around here." He then took me in charge and turned me over to Superintendent Earle, who was in his private car within the shops, and was told by Mr. Earle to have two men to accompany me up to the train, and I was then ordered to sit on a box and there was a guard over me at that time, which I refused to do. Then I called the superintendent and told him I was going to get out of there. Then one of the officials in the car demanded the pass, which I gladly returned. I was then taken out of the shop enclosure and commanded to stay off, and it was then I met two of the pickets of the striking shopmen and I told them what had happened, and I asked them to accompany me to town, as I wanted to purchase some goods and to get my mail, which they did.

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They are GOOD!

Since coming in contact with the striking shopmen I have found them to be perfect law-abiding citizens, notwithstanding the admonition given me by the officials that I would be severely dealt with. After explaining my situation to the men I have received the most courteous treatment from them—in fact, far better treatment than I actually deserved. I feel like that the policy the railroad company is pursuing in attempting to lead the public to the belief that the men are a blood-thirsty set of anarchists is decidedly unfair and for that reason I am making this statement in fairness to the men. I am making this statement of my own free will and accord and only omitted some of the curse words used by the guards and officials which I deem not necessary to go into this statement.

J. F. LAMBERT

Sworn and subscribed to before me this the 25th day of July, 1922.

FRANK GREEN

Notary Public in and for Harrison County, Texas.

Concrete Sidewalks and Curbing

Now is the season to have concrete sidewalks and curbing constructed. Will be pleased to furnish you estimates on this work. JIM WINSLOW, Phone 306.

Methodist Notes

Those who fail to avail themselves of the opportunity to learn the Old Testament History we are now having in all our Sunday schools are wantonly cheating themselves. We are passing thru the events of greatest interest in the Hebrew History, and we urge all thinking people to attend their own schools and profit by the lessons so well prepared for our use. The readings given by Harriet and Betty Phillips last Sunday morning were well received by old and young. They are both extremely gifted little girls.

Our W. M. Auxiliary met Monday with a well prepared lesson on Second Samuel. After the drill, ice cream and cake was served to those present. This Monday at 4 o'clock our Auxiliary meets in regular business session at the church. All officers and members urged to attend.

Our pastor Bro. Hardy and family being out of town, we are to have Judge Beal of Sweetwater, district lay leader, to speak at the morning church service. Let us all shake off the lethargy of the heat and attend. Come to Sunday school and stay for church.

Playing Possum

"No, sub," the ancient negro asserted, with a melancholy shaking of his bald head, "dar hain't no trustin' a 'possum."

"Once on a time, sub, I done watched de hole of a 'possum all night long. An' at las', sub, de 'possum done come out of his hole. An' what you tink de ole scallywag done did? Well, sub, he done come out, an' when he done come out, he was a polecat!"

THE BALDWIN PIANOS

See W. R. DAWES, Phone 318. Sole Dealer for Big Spring.—Advertisement, 44-45

Alarm in Wilbarger County

Vernon, Texas, July 31.—Continued hot winds and a merciless sun are beginning to cause alarm in Wilbarger County farming circles, and there is some apprehension on the part of agriculturists for the cotton crop which is approaching maturity. Air, heated as though by an oven, has shriveled plants, and caused many cotton bolls to be shed. Corn, too, has been hurt by the continued heat. No rain of appreciable quantity has fallen here for more than six weeks.

Concrete Work

Will be glad to furnish you estimates on sidewalks and curbs, retaining wall, or anything in concrete. SHEPARD & BURCHAM, 44-45

In a letter to relatives in this city, E. D. Eddins who is at Long Beach, California, for the benefit of his health states that he is getting along nicely and expects to return home in about two weeks.

Mrs. S. A. Penix of Graham passed thru this city Tuesday enroute to Lamesa for a visit with her mother and old time friends.

Fordson

THE UNIVERSAL TRACTOR



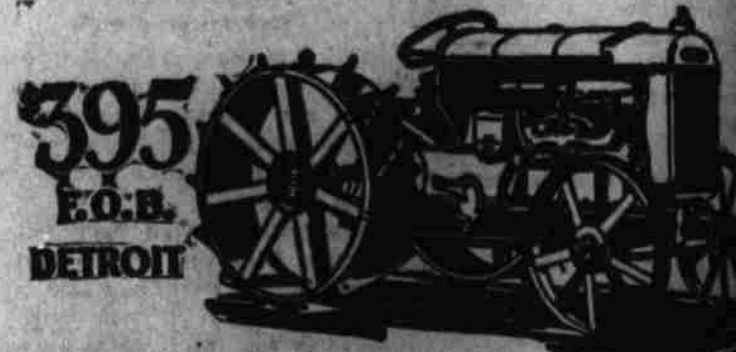
Henry Ford

HENRY FORD was 55 years getting ready for the new price on the Fordson. He started as a farm boy, planning to get rid of the drudgery, long hours and low money return that has always faced the farmer.

He wanted to furnish you with a tractor that would not only do your work better and faster, but at lower cost—and the 170,000 Fordsons now in use have proved that he has accomplished these things.

What you get in the Fordson for \$395 f. o. b. Detroit is the greatest farm power unit ever offered.

Let us show you how a Fordson will cut farm costs, increase your bank account and take the drudgery out of farm work. Write, phone or call.



395
F.O.B.
DETROIT

Stokes Mortor Company

Cor. Main and 4th St. Phone 636 Big Spring, Tex.

An inquiry from Midland this week concerning a man being shot here caused an investigation to be held which brought out the fact that a railroad guard was shot at the railroad shops here last week. Officers here were not able to get much information from officials at the shops, though one of the guards did remember that a guard falling from Midland suffered a flesh wound when he accidentally dropped his pistol sometime last week. Another report of a big fight at the shops one night the forepart of this week is going the rounds. It seems that the railroad company is not under the jurisdiction of local officers and are not inclined to give the officers much information as to what takes place in no man's land.

WALL PAPER AT CATALOGUE PRICES. WE KEEP A SHEARS RAZORBACK CATALOGUE AND SHOW YOU CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Mrs. B. F. Willis returned Monday from a visit in Colorado City and states that city is taking on quite a boom since oil has been found at Westbrook. As this field is showing a tendency in a westerly direction it may be that Coahoma and Big Spring will contract the boom fever when development extends a little farther westward.

CALL YOUR DENTIST AND MAKE A DATE WITH HIM TO EXAMINE YOUR TEETH. THEN YOU EXAMINE OUR TOOTH BRUSHES. CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

The executive committee of the Railway Shop Crafts at their meeting Tuesday morning extended a vote of thanks to the members of the Chamber of Commerce for the many evidences of good will and cooperation that have been accorded the members of the railway crafts now out on strike.

WE HAVE AN OLD STYLE RAZOR FOR A DOLLAR THAT'S A DANDY CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Mrs. Jno. W. Pike has awarded the contract for the construction of a handsome five room cottage at 408 Runnels street. The old home was torn down to make room for the new structure, work on same being started this week.

Hughes Ideal hair brushes. Stop falling hair. CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

What Water Does for Batteries

Not too much or too little—but just the right quantity of water ought to be kept in your battery at the time.

The water does many things: it keeps the battery solution over the top of the plates so that the whole plate surface is used; it gives proper strength.

Don't hesitate to ask for water service even yours isn't a Willard battery. The Willard Standards of Service are the same for every make.

Only Exclusive Battery Station in Big Spring
West Texas Battery Co.
PHONE 230
1st Door West of
Representing the

Willard

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Practice in District Court
Conveyancing
OFFICE IN COURT BUILDING
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

DR. E. H. HART

Dentist
See Over West Texas
Big Spring, Texas

Miss Viola Murdock
Saturday, Sunday and
city, the guest of Mrs. J.

GET THE BEST BREAD

Now 3 Loaves for
25 Cents

A real Sanitary Bakery. Ladies invited to inspect our bakery any hour of the day.

Pastries Made to Order

Bob's Bakery

Phone 142--Main Street--Big Spring, Texas.

Save the Feed!

Don't lose any time arguing that the McCormick or Deering Row Binder will save the feed best but save the feed. We have the McCormick and Deering Row Binder ready for immediate delivery and we also have a fairly good stock of extras for same.

P. S. We are still selling them good old Webber wagons.

Stokes-Hughes Co.

The People That Want Your Business

WHEN YOU NEED Best Wood and Coal

PHONE 64

Big Spring Fuel Company

Parker & Howell, Proprietors

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

GULF REFINING CO.

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

Phone No. 9

HERB LEES, Agent
Big Spring, Texas

Resolution of Condolence
Failed by the International Association of Machinists, Lodge No. 399
On July 23rd, 1922, our beloved Brother and Friend Charles W. Macpherson was taken away to the eternal home above.

Whereas we extend to the sorrowing family and relatives of our departed Brother, in the love of one so noble and true our heartfelt and deepest sympathies, and may we all meet our departed Brother in the home above prepared by our Dear Master.

Whereas we cause to be spread on the minutes of Lodge No. 399 I. A. of M., Big Spring, Texas, these resolutions and copy of same to be sent to the family of our deceased Brother.

Committee:
C. F. Hathaway,
J. F. Bloomingdale,
W. S. Davies.

Jewelry at right price. Ward's Drug Store.

J. B. Litterer made a business trip to Houston this week.

Investigate This
If you are interested in owning your home this will be of interest to you:
One 7-room house; modern; lot 96x100 feet. Ideal for roomers or light housekeeping. Price \$3300, terms, 7 1-2 per cent interest.

One 5-room bungalow; east front; lot 52x175 feet. Modern equipped. Price \$3300; terms.

One 5-room; modern; West front; lot 60x90 feet. Price \$3000, terms.
This property all on Scurry street. Look this over and see what will come you to build one like it. This price good for 20 days only. See A. F. Clayton or Gus Thomas at Star-Telegram stand. Phone 254—Advertising.

MARTIN'S SCREW WORM KILLER.
Kills worms, heals wounds, and keeps off flies. More for your money in handy squirt top cans, and your money back if you want it. Ask Cunningham & Phillips.—Advertisement 42-8

Mrs. F. N. Brown returned last Thursday evening from a ten days' visit to El Paso.

W. M. U. Entertained

At the home of Mrs. P. G. Stokes on Monday July 24th the Young Woman's Class of the First Baptist Church conducted the program for the W. M. U. The subject "The Immigrant in America," was interestingly arranged by the leader, Mrs. Della Agnell. Those who discussed the immigrant problem were: Miss Lillian Frances Gary, Miss Spencer Leatherwood, Miss Velma Wason, Mrs. P. G. Stokes, Miss Winnie Dell Rhotan and Miss Lillian Rhotan. Miss Otera Lloyd and Miss Leach rendered very pleasing piano selections.

At the conclusion of the program Mrs. Della Agnell called upon Miss Gertrude Davies to give a talk on "The Star Spangled Banner." She gave an history of the composing of our national anthem; telling what inspired the patriotic young American lawyer, Francis Scott Key to write the poem. She told of the rising popularity of the heroic words of the young American set to the strains of the old English drinking song, and its popularity has never lagged. It seems to roll from soul to soul and grow forever and forever. Miss Davies said that objections have arisen on every hand to The Star Spangled Banner's being christened our national anthem. The only way to enjoy and appreciate anything is to get acquainted with it. Our national anthem is truly American. It represents ourselves and our country. Let us sing it so much, stanza for stanza, for we had as justly leave out a stripe here and there from "Old Glory" as to leave out a stanza from The Star Spangled Banner, that we can not but learn and love it. Let us instill Americanism into the immigrant, who comes to our shores by stimulating into his system this wonderful anthem that is permeated with Americanism. We can not hope to make an American out of an immigrant if we do not teach him to love and respect our national institutions. To do this we must love and respect them ourselves. So let us learn The Star Spangled Banner, word for word, stanza for stanza, and sing it at every public gathering in our schools and everywhere. America for Americans. Let us not cry for the "garlic" and flesh pots of Egypt by singing "America" which so closely resembles "God Save the King" that one can not discriminate between them when sung in concert. We hold all due respect for England's national anthem but that is hers. We are a distinct nation let us hold a distinct national anthem. The Star Spangled Banner is American, born in the heart of a staunch patriot during a period of national stress and struggle. Long may it resound over the land of the free and the home of the brave.

After this stirring speech every lady present arose and sang The Star Spangled Banner stanza for stanza. A delicious salad course was served and everyone present declared it an instructive and enjoyable afternoon spent.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the voters and those that so liberally supported me in the primary of July 22, for Commissioner of Precinct No. 3. I assure you that I appreciate it and will discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability and knowledge of right.
Geo. G. White.

For Blue Bugs

and other Blood Sucking Insects. Feed Martin's Blue Bug Remedy to your chickens. Kill bugs in Home and hen house with "Martin's Liquid Bug Spray." Money back guarantee by Cunningham & Phillips.—Advertisement 42-10

Prayer Circles

Prayer Circle 4B met with Mrs. E. Howell this week and Mrs. Bonds was leader. Eight were present. The Circle meets next week with Mrs. A. G. Throop.

Reports are to the effect that a severe drought is reigning in New Mexico. In some sections the cattle have been shipped out and range horses and goats are starving to death.

Eastman kodaks. You will want one on your vacation. Reasonable prices. \$2.50 up. Ward's.

W. M. Lourcey of Wichita Falls, land man for the Gulf Production Co., and J. M. Charlton of Sweetwater, another representative of the Gulf have been here this week studying oil development possibilities of the territory east of Big Spring.

H. P. Street, a prominent oil man of Graham, Texas, was here the forepart of the week to investigate oil development in this section and was favorably impressed with the outlook for securing good production.

W. B. Sneed and son, Fletcher, and R. L. Dadel returned Saturday from an auto trip to Las Vegas, N. M. Miss Jessie Sneed was for the past two years has been attending school in California and New Mexico, accompanied them home.

We now have 2 Registered Optometrists. Come in and have a "trial" ward's.

Vote of Howard County by Precincts, Democratic Primary July 22

	Big Spring, Precinct No. 1.	Big Spring, Precinct No. 2.	Big Spring, Precinct No. 3.	Big Spring, Precinct No. 4.	Vincent	Gay Hill	H-Bar	Auto	Conhoma	Center Point	Moore	Knot	Morris	Branch
United States Senator—														
Ferguson.....	51	55	100	87	20	25	45	12	75	56	15	27	8	8
Mayfield.....	29	80	112	53	1	23	3	3	27	31	13	10	9	8
Thomas.....	21	27	82	37	8	3	1	3	13	26	7	1	2	8
Culbertson.....	25	33	88	41	3	1	3	1	13	9	7	7	0	8
Henry.....	9	16	54	18	13	3	4	0	27	17	3	0	3	8
Ousley.....	13	42	50	39	5	3	2	4	22	15	9	0	3	8
Congressman at Large—														
E. W. Cole.....	189	296	506	290	60	40	68	21	163	167	70	61	12	11
Chief Justice Supreme Court—														
C. M. Cureton.....	164	282	507	290	60	40	68	21	164	167	69	68	12	11
Associate Justice Supreme Court—														
Thos. B. Greenwood.....	166	287	509	290	60	40	68	21	164	166	69	69	12	11
Court Criminal Appeals—														
W. C. Morrow.....	41	69	182	89	21	9	12	4	43	53	13	8	1	8
A. J. Harper.....	105	163	288	155	34	28	25	11	106	71	32	34	11	4
Court Criminal Appeals—														
F. W. Hawkins.....	188	261	500	285	59	39	69	22	186	163	69	61	12	11
Governor—														
Harry T. Warner.....	17	17	40	12	4	1	0	6	8	6	4	0	0	2
Pat M. Neff.....	38	91	158	88	6	3	0	3	44	8	5	9	3	8
Fred S. Rogers.....	103	145	279	190	47	33	70	28	137	151	52	45	8	1
W. W. King.....	1	5	9	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0
Lieutenant Governor—														
Andrew S. Jamison.....	13	31	56	31	5	1	0	2	7	3	3	2	1	0
L. W. Davidson.....	39	44	118	40	4	8	1	3	17	3	4	1	0	0
White Mayfield Jr.....	15	44	102	48	7	4	3	1	31	9	8	0	2	0
Joe E. Edmonson.....	33	57	117	54	13	11	51	19	66	118	27	30	2	1
W. A. Johnson.....	14	25	52	26	12	7	0	1	8	3	3	8	4	0
Attorney General—														
W. A. Keeling.....	164	269	500	291	58	40	69	20	183	162	70	60	12	11
R. R. Commissioner—														
Allison Mayfield.....	88	256	283	123	20	16	21	5	72	73	24	7	4	4
J. C. Mason.....	55	70	171	131	35	21	13	13	51	57	22	21	5	6
Comptroller—														
Lon A. Smith.....	56	95	182	85	13	8	11	3	54	48	16	6	3	7
Wm. M. Woodall.....	80	128	242	158	40	29	22	14	88	82	26	22	8	4
State Treasurer—														
Lee Kirgin.....	14	16	40	27	6	2	1	2	8	14	3	4	0	3
C. V. Terrell.....	30	61	112	49	13	2	4	4	25	16	6	3	2	2
L. E. Tennison.....	11	19	31	12	3	2	0	0	6	8	5	3	1	0
W. D. Carroll.....	29	39	79	43	14	9	9	6	43	18	11	7	2	0
Geo. G. Garrett.....	22	48	86	37	6	11	39	2	44	58	15	4	0	1
A. H. Kerr.....	12	24	39	35	4	2	2	1	8	13	1	2	2	2
Ed A. Christian.....	15	18	41	29	5	6	2	4	11	7	5	2	3	1
Commissioner General Land Office—														
J. C. Thompson.....	64	89	199	122	33	16	21	10	55	74	18	18	7	5
J. T. Robinson.....	79	126	233	132	21	18	13	6	84	45	23	10	5	5
Supt. Public Instruction—														
Ed R. Bentley.....	44	75	130	81	13	18	5	4	53	56	7	8	2	5
Jeff G. Smith.....	39	65	153	66	11	15	16	9	46	41	14	10	8	4
S. M. N. Marrs.....	53	89	146	93	30	2	17	7	50	30	22	9	2	1
Commissioner of Agriculture—														
Geo. B. Terrell.....	167	299	516	290	59	39	69	22	139	139	70	60	11	11
Congressman 16th District—														
Claude B. Hudspeth.....	185	268	516	288	60	39	67	23	191	161	67	60	12	11
Court Civil Appeals 2nd—														
Truman H. Conner.....	169	263	519	288	60	39	69	21	189	161	70	59	12	11
State Senator—														
W. H. Hodson.....	169	266	516	288	60	39	68	22	188	161	70	59	12	11
Representative 91st District—														
W. J. Carson.....	96	127	260	127	38	28	42	12	132	114	36	34	6	8
W. D. Riser.....	41	107	176	115	13	9	4	6	24	41	12	8	6	3
District Attorney, 32nd—														
E. I. Hill.....	169	268	512	291	60	39	67	23	189	165	71	61	12	11
County Judge—														
James T. Brooks.....	161	264	498	288	58	40	65	31	194	163	68	60	11	11
County and District Clerk—														
J. L. Prichard.....	102	168	329	188	41	17	12	8	74	18	22	21	9	10
W. F. Cook.....	64	95	193	107	18	22	30	30	112	151	48	42	3	7
Sheriff and Tax Collector—														
J. W. McCutchan.....	7	27	43	35	2	0	5	0	19	1	2	3	0	0
M. W. Harwell.....	3	4	14	14	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	0
W. W. Satterwhite.....	79	96	219	100	15	14	51	29	106	139	31	45	3	0
H. E. Lane.....	7	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
L. S. Patterson.....	14	57	94	34	17	2	2	0	45	3	2	0	2	0
Bob Forward.....	1	3	10	4	9	10	3	2	1	0	1	0	4	0
R. S. McDonald.....	7	15	29	39	3	0	1	2	10	3	3	1	0	0
Andrew J. Merrick.....	51	67	122	82	6	12	8	6	5	19	31	14	2	0
County Treasurer—														
Clifton T. Tucker.....	20	32	94	47	13	10	3	3	16	5	10	10	0	0
G. E. McNew.....	66	118	203	124	23	10	9	9	63	22	21	11	8	0
F. G. Towler.....	79	97	222	126	19	19	55	27	111	144	40	40	4	0
Tax Assessor—				</										

Goodrich new tire prices

—lowest cost mileage ever known

The new base line tire prices established by Goodrich, effective July 20th, give motorists a definite guide to tire prices as Goodrich Tires are the definite standard of Tire quality. They know now they can buy the very best tire—the one quality Silvertown—the tire that has always held its leadership because—it wears longer, looks better, and because, mileage considered, it costs less than any other tire at any price. Dealers have been quick to point out to their customers the big advantage and economy of buying

Silvertown Cords

at such base line prices as these:

SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE	SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE
30 x 3 1/2 CL.	\$13.50	34 x 4 S. B.	\$30.85
31 x 3.85 CL.	15.95	32 x 4 "	37.70
30 x 3 1/2 S. B.	15.95	33 x 4 "	38.55
32 x 3 1/2 "	22.95	34 x 4 "	39.50
31 x 4 "	26.45	35 x 4 1/2 "	40.70
32 x 4 "	29.15	33 x 5 "	46.95
33 x 4 "	30.05	35 x 5 "	49.30

New base line prices are also effective on Goodrich Fabric Tires

SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE	SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE
30 x 3 "55"	\$9.65	32 x 4 "55"	\$21.20
30 x 3 1/2 "55"	10.65	33 x 4 "	22.35
32 x 3 1/2 "55"	16.30	34 x 4 "	22.85

No extra charge for excise tax. This tax is paid by Goodrich

See your dealer, and place your order NOW for your Goodrich tire requirements.

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WE HANDLE

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Which means that we handle the BEST

WOMAN & LEES SERVICE STATION

The Drive-in-Filling Station on the Highway—
the place of personal service—opposite Lyric Theatre

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Great Reductions

All Spring and Summer Goods
Your buyer is now in Eastern
markets purchasing a big stock
of Fall and Winter Goods, and his
instructions are to clean up all
Summer Goods before the new
things begin to arrive.

Come Early and Get the Pick!

W. A. RYAN & SONS
FRESH MEATS, BUTCHERIES & GRAIN
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Mrs. Pearl Murphy arrived last Friday from Lorenzo for a visit with her father and other relatives here.
Come in and look over my second hand stock. I may have something that you want. J. R. Crenth, Bauer Block.



Notice to Butchers and Meat Sellers

A representative of the Cattle Raisers Association has recently called upon the County Judge concerning bonds and reports of Butchers, and all persons whomsoever in Howard County killing regularly or occasionally for sale at retail or by wholesale.

Every person is a butcher under the law who kills any cattle for sale; and should make a bond, payable to the County Judge, conditioned that the bonds will make reports to the Commissioners Court each three months of the cattle killed, giving brands, and marks, and where obtained or whether raised.

The Commissioners' Court will meet August 14, 1922, at which time reports will be received. Blank bonds and blank report sheets can be obtained at the Clerk's Office, free of charge; and there is no expense connected with the whole matter.

The law is designed to protect the Farmer and the Rancher from theft of their cows and calves, and does not discriminate between the farmer or rancher and the regular meat market.

We call on each and every body to assist in the enforcement of the law and ask that the reports of those who have heretofore filed bonds be filed with the Commissioners' Court, and those that have not filed a bond, to do so at once. Your officers will appreciate your compliance with the law. We are glad to be at your service any time you call on us.

James T. Brooks, County Judge
Clyde E. Thomas, County Atty.

Card of Thanks

"A Friend in need is a friend indeed" Oh, how true those words, only those of us who have had trouble come to us or ours, can tell.

We wish, in this humble way, to thank our many friends who have aided, or proffered aid, in the loss of our Husband and Father.

Mrs. E. P. Teele.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Teele.
Mrs. Ira J. Driver and family.
Walter Teele.
James Teele.

Reward for Lost Horse

The old black delivery horse of the Big Spring Creamery Co. strayed away 2 weeks ago and a reward of \$5.00 will be paid for his return. No brands; the horse is 22 years old. ROBT. ROADLE.

Large Residences for Sale

The 14-room rock residence now used as Mercy hospital and an 8-room residence just southwest of hospital for sale. Phone 85 or address MRS. J. D. BIRDWELL, Big Spring, Texas.

Mrs. C. W. Cunningham entertained a few little folks Saturday afternoon, the occasion being the anniversary of the fourth birthday of her daughter, Miss Doris. A jolly time was enjoyed by the young folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dosier of Troy, Ala., arrived in this city Tuesday for a visit to the family of H. R. Debenport. Mrs. Dosier is the aunt of Mrs. Debenport.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Deason and daughter after a visit with relatives in this city left last Saturday for their home in Marshall.

Our drink are considered the best. Ward's.

Miss Sadie Lee Hood returned Tuesday from a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends at El Paso and Douglas, Ariz.

Come in and see our new line of Jewelry. Ward's.

Mrs. W. V. Ervin and daughters Misses Lesta and Maxine returned Thursday morning from a two weeks visit with friends at Colorado.

The petition presented to the chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee asking for an investigation of the primary election returns contain the names of 220 voters alleged as having voted illegally.

Jno. M. Chase and W. B. Currie Currie made a trip thru the Iatan-Wetbrook oil field this week to note progress of oil development in that territory.

Mrs. J. D. B. Boydston, aged seventy eight years, one of the pioneer residents of Howard County cast her first vote in the Democratic primary here Saturday July 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. O'Keefe and daughter Miss Irene and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Sheeler and children left Sunday for a visit with relatives in San Angelo.

Mrs. Gordon Phillips left Thursday morning for a visit with relatives at Baird.

Shaw Bros. ice cream handled by us. The Rexall Store. 30c pt., 60c qt.

R. F. Harris Jr. left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Aspermont.

Glasses, we fit them. Ward's.

First State Bank

Guaranty Fund Bank
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Statement of the Condition as Reported to the State Bank Commissioner at the Close of Business June 30, 1922

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$174,000.25	Capital.....\$35,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....17,529.65	Certified Surplus Earned.....35,000.00
Banking House.....7,000.00	Undivided Profits.....15,742.83
Int. & Assets in Guaranty Fund.....18,158.74	Dividend, June 30, 1922.....3,500.00
CASH.....235,178.75	Borrowed Money.....NONE
	DEPOSITS.....662,924.73
\$782,167.55	\$782,167.55

THE DEPOSITS OF A BANK SHOW THE CONFIDENCE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE COMMUNITY IN THE INSTITUTION

Your attention is called to our large Cash Reserve which enables us to take care of our customers' needs and also to take on any desirable new business

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

Our Customers Accommodations.

For Safety and Service Do Your Banking With Us.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon H. Thurman, B. M. Kitchen, William Barclow, I. B. Crockett, William Lampos, Sam Lirgia, George Denas, Peter Triampas, D. E. Fletcher, E. J. Leonard, Alice Tingle, Lem Hilburn, M. B. Hilburn, V. Day, George P. Hoover, L. B. Brownfield, J. M. Hartswell, J. W. Robinson, James Georgasopoulos, Gust Kironis, John Mavrakas, John Pulas, Christ Carcalio, Francis Barcolas, and J. F. Johnson 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 Thirty-second Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Thirty Second 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 first Monday of September, 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of July A. D. 1922, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 889, wherein D. T. Lacey is Plaintiff, and H. Thurman, B. M. Kitchen, William Barclow, I. B. Crockett, William Lampos, Sam Lirgia, George Denas, Peter Triampas, D. E. Fletcher, E. J. Leonard, Alice Tingle, Lem Hilburn, M. B. Hilburn, V. Day, George P. Hoover, L. B. Brownfield, J. M. Hartswell, J. W. Robinson, James Georgasopoulos, Gust Kironis, John Mavrakas, John Pulas, Christ Carcalio, and J. F. Johnson are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 4th day of December 1918, plaintiff executed in favor of J. D. Biles an oil and gas lease on Sections 30, 38, and 48, Block 31, Township One South, in Howard County, Texas, that J. D. Biles assigned the said lease to the Big Spring Production Company and the said Big Spring Production Company assigned said lease to G. T. Hall.

That said defendants are now setting up some kind of a claim, title or interest in and to said oil and gas lease by transfer, assignment or otherwise, from or under said lessee, the exact nature of which plaintiff is unable to more definitely state, but whatever the nature or character of the same may be, it is inferior and subject to the rights and claim of said lessor and of the plaintiff and to terms, condition, provisions and covenants of said lease contract, and is a cloud upon plaintiff's title to his said land, and is and should be declared terminated and cancelled.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that defendants be duly cited to appear and answer herein at the next regular term of this court, and that on final hearing of this cause, plaintiff have judgment against each of said defendants for the oil and gas rights, on and under said subscribed tract of land, and declaring said lease contract terminated and cancelled and removal of the cloud upon plaintiff's title to said land, his damages and costs, and for such other and further relief herein, special and general, in law and in equity that he may be justly entitled to.

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 the 26 day of July A. D. 1922.
(Seal.) J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk.
District Court, Howard County.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Harry Abney 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 first Monday of September, 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 2nd day of August, 1922, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 881, wherein John F. Murphy is plaintiff, and Harry Abney is defendant, and said petition alleging suit to establish debt evidenced by promissory note for the principal sum of \$3200.00, dated April 10, 1917, executed by defendant, payable to the order of plaintiff on 3rd day of February, 1922, bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from Feb. 3, 1917 until maturity, interest payable annually at Denton, Texas; all principal and interest not paid when due to bear interest at 10 per cent per annum; that if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if collected by legal proceedings, 10 per cent on principal and interest to be added as attorney's fees.

Said note was executed in renewal and extension of note for \$3200.00, dated Feb. 3, 1914, executed by defendant, payable to America Crenshaw Hann on or before three years after date and secured by deed of trust on South half section No. 3, Block No. 33, Tsp. 2, S. N., Cert. No. 2069, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys in Howard County, Texas, executed by defendant to R. D. Matthews, Trustee, and recorded in Vol. 10, page 569, Deed of Trust Records of Howard County, Texas, copy of which is attached to plaintiff's original petition.

Said original note so executed by defendant to America Crenshaw Hann, together with the aforesaid deed of trust securing its payment, were, by said Hann, for a valuable consideration to her in hand paid by plaintiff, sold to and by the certain instrument dated Feb. 19, 1914, assigned, transferred and conveyed to said plaintiff.

April 10, 1917, defendant and plaintiff entered into contract in writing through which time of payment of said indebtedness was extended to Feb. 3, 1922, and in which defendant acknowledged and confessed that said deed of trust lien and all interest in said land and all rights under said deed of trust were thereby perpetuated and that said note so executed by him to plaintiff, being the note declared on herein, should be secured by same, and defendant is notified that plaintiff will offer said contract in evidence on the trial hereof.

Reference is made to plaintiff's original petition herein for further allegations in this suit.

Plaintiff prays for the establishing of his said debt, principal, interest and attorney's fees named provided for in promissory note declared herein, together with costs of suit; for foreclosure of lien so given and granted through the aforesaid deed of trust; for order of sale directing the sale of the land described in said deed of

trust; for application of proceeds of said sale to payment of plaintiff's debt and costs of suit and for general and special relief, legal and equitable.

Herein fall not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next 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 the 2nd day of August 1922 (Seal) J. I. PRICHARD
Clerk, District Court, Howard County Texas.

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

You are hereby summoned John A. Caffey by making publication of this citation once 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, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Big Spring, on the first Monday in September, 1922, same being the 4th day of September, 1922, to answer plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of August, 1922. In suit numbered 871 on the Docket of said court, wherein S. H. Morrison is plaintiff and John A. Caffey and J. J. Jones are defendants, and said petition alleging:

Ouster of plaintiff by defendants, Sept. 7, 1921, of W 1-2 of Section No. 22, Block 34, Tsp. 2, N., Cert. No. 2179, T. & P. Ry. Co., comprising 320 acres of land in Howard County, Texas; unlawful withholding of possession thereof from plaintiff by defendants; plaintiff's right to recover possession of said premises, value thereof stated to be \$8,000.00 and damages and recovery of rental, annual value thereof stated to be \$1,000.00.

That defendant, Jones, is tenant-farmer on said premises; that customary rental tenant-farmers award to and pay their landlords and which landlords receive in the vicinity of said premises is 1-3 of feed and 1-4 of cotton grown on said premises and such rental is reasonable and equitable.

That plaintiff's right of possession antedating first of current year, he is entitled to recover such farm rental from defendant Jones for current year, other recovery of rentals prayed for as to defendant, Caffey, alone.

That plaintiff is entitled to have deed he and his wife, Kate Pope Morrison executed to defendant, Caffey, Sept. 7, 1920, covering premises and recorded in Vol. 38, page 198, Deed Records of Howard County, Texas, cancelled and held for naught and defendant Caffey is entitled to cancellation of certain 11 notes he executed to plaintiff contemporaneously with execution of said deed each for \$500.00, except last which is for \$600.00, all described in said deed and plaintiff will tender the notes for such cancellation.

Plaintiff prays for recovery of title and possession with writ of ouster, such possession immediate as to defendant, Caffey, but as to defendant, Jones, when 1922 crop is harvested by him at or before Jan. 1, 1923, for costs of suit and special and general relief, legal and equitable.

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

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 3rd day of August, 1922. (Seal) J. I. PRICHARD,
Clerk, District Court, Howard County Texas.

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The Strikes and the Country

Up to the moment this is written the country has never seen a menace of industrial breakdown so incompetently handled by the Federal Government, as are the twin strikes of the coal miners and the railway men. Hesitancy and uncertainty, contradictory attitudes, have marked every statement and every move, the Administration appearing to be swayed by any and every advisor that got its ear. At this writing Fuel Administrators have been appointed, which cannot be interpreted as anything but a surrender before a defeat. The American people must regard with chagrin the feeble hands that grope and fumble around the nation's helm.

The Government itself is "in wrong" to begin with. It was with Government approval that the railway workers' wages were lowered when it was absolutely certain that such an act would precipitate a strike and a tie-up. An agency of the Government undertook to do the dirty work of the railway owners, to give a corporation act the aspect of a Government edict, and now that the strike has come, there are United States officials silly enough to say it is a strike against the Government! Committed to the railway owners' side of the wage disputes, the Administration must back up its folly, or repentance is about the last thing to expect in affairs of this kind.

And not the Administration only, but the associated powers of wealth and exploitation must share the very serious responsibility. There is no doubt at all that this strike is part and parcel of the process of "deflating labor" which was begun so deliberately and carried on so heartlessly at the close of the war. It is even now being whispered across the country, as a kind of secret campaign argument, that manufacturers—especially manufacturers—must be patient with the present destructive situation because it is only part of "the program of putting labor where it belongs." It is openly charged in various reports in the hands of the President that these strikes were desired by the owners of railroads and mines. The strikes were desired by the railroad owners because they would encourage by fair means or foul the government purchase of the roads. And the strikes were desired by the mine owners because of an intolerable condition which has been fastened on coal mining. The railroads are so decrepit that even Wall Street has discarded them in favor of the movies, as investment propositions. Coal mining has been so separated from the public by a brokerage system that only drastic readjustment can be of any use.

In both of these instances, however, the Administration is not blameless. The time for a Government to act is before the catastrophe, to prevent it. The Administration had full knowledge and ample warning of what was to occur: it knew the protest of the railway workers uttered at the time a Government agency was busy slashing \$800,000,000 off the workers' annual income; it knew the situation with regard to coal; yet not by one act of forethought or one step toward prevention did it seek to forestall what it clearly saw would occur, and what it must have known the enemies of labor dearly desired to occur. No amount of tardy bluster and fluster will make up for that.

In the railway matter the wages of the men must be put back. The strike is wrong, but the men are right. Railway management has made its last confession of absolute failure when it takes its working capital out of the pay envelopes of the men. The salvation of the railroads does not lie in that direction. Reduction of wages and increase of rates is certain suicide. Reduction of rates, increase in the quality of the service and higher wages are the guarantees of railroad prosperity.

Minds of the old order cannot see that, but it is the truth of railroading.

And when the service is resumed, the Administration will have no right to light a cigar, sit back and congratulate itself. Settling a strike doesn't mean anything any more. Too many strikes have been settled without touching the sources of the strike. The annual chokings of the nation's life have been intended by certain concealed forces as rehearsals for a final choking which should inaugurate a national struggle for life. Strikes grow more numerous and threatening every year, not because labor grows more threatening or less American, but because each succeeding strike has a deeper alien fringe around it and is a signal for the activity of Bolshevik and anarchist groups that are not related to the strike at all. These latter come out under cover of the strike season and spread their poison. And each year they find their prospects better. The Administration has been so busy with Russia that it has had little time to give to America. Who is it, anyway, that is so interested in keeping our national eyes overseas when they should be scrutinizing affairs at home?

As to the coal situation, the conditions of coal mining are and always have been a disgrace to a civilized people. We have enjoyed our coal at too great a cost of flesh and blood. We have permitted our public press to degrade the name of miner until it means little less than outlaw. We have forgotten that the best of the British stock comprise the bulk of our mining forces—Irish, Welsh and Scotch—men whose minds are fit soil for the seeds of liberty and Christian justice. We have thought, because they belonged to one of the most ancient trades in the world, the trade of mining, that anything was good enough for them and that they must somehow be themselves to blame or they would not have so many sufferings. And that is about the total extent of the public's contribution of thought to the mining problem.

The mine owners want a strike because it will reduce stocks, make coal scarce and raise prices. There is colossal irony in the fact that the country faces a coal famine because there is too much coal. There is so much coal produced and so many mines running that, in spite of the high daily wages paid to miners, the days' work are so few that in West Virginia last year miners earned \$500 and in Illinois \$1,000—the lowest and highest figures for a year's income. And in earning that pittance, 2,500 were killed and 30,000 injured.

The miners produce coal at the highest cost of \$2.91 a ton, often at a much lower cost. And that coal sells for \$11 to \$14. When the Federal Trade Commission tried to discover where the \$8 and the \$11 difference went, and injunction stopped them. The President knows all this—it is before him in reports!

And yet the owners of the mines do not get all this excessive profit. The owners and miners produce 700,000,000 tons of coal annually in a country needing only 500,000,000 tons. Fully 40 per cent of the coal mines are not needed. But they are all working. And the anxiety of mine owners to sell their coal is as great as the anxiety of consumers to get their winter's supply. What is the explanation of this strange state of affairs? The Man Between, the Broker, the Coal Speculator—he is the explanation. It is the old story which Dearborn Independent readers know very well by this time; the bread of those who wedge themselves between the producer and the consumer, to make them both enemies, start them both fighting, and reap shameful profits from the struggle. That is the heart of the coal strike. And the President knows this, too!

There is a philosophic view of all this chaos which is difficult to take

when one considers the mental distress of the country and the colossal stupidity which causes it: yet the true American, retiring from the heat and anxiety of the present jumble of things, must reflect that perhaps all these things must come, and must grow increasingly worse, until the blindness of our people be broken through and until they see that they are not the helpless victims of universal law, but the sport of greedy men. These thoughts have been hushed of recent years because some have denounced them as bearing kinship to the "reds." Let all those who think to shelter greed behind the plea of loyalty, let all those who would cloak commercial sin in patriotic pleas, learn this, and learn it well: when the overturn comes which shall straighten up our country, and drive forth from its bounds all things that corrupt and strangle it, it will not come from the "reds." The "reds" never yet destroyed an evil, they have only increased the tale of evil. But when the overturning comes it will be due to the awakening of a Christian conscience in our people, a Christian conscience and nothing else, a conscience that will refuse to be the beneficiary of blood and tears wrung out of any race of men. That conscience has awakened before with swift and final judgment upon entrenched wrongs and bitterness; it will come again. Today is the main hope of the nation.—Dearborn Independent.

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I have the agency for Texas Grey Granite and am prepared to furnish the finest monuments at fair prices. With ten years of actual experience in that line of work I can give good service. I guarantee that when monument is erected it will remain in position. If you will phone 379 I will be glad to show you designs and quote prices. 16-17 J. M. MORGAN, Contractor. Big Spring, Texas.

Why Ford Pays Good Wages

To the Editor of LABOR: Henry Ford didn't find it necessary to go to the Labor Board for a wage-cut and he hasn't found it necessary to put into effect the schedules handed down by the board at the behest of other roads. The reason why Ford can pay decent wages, much higher than other roads, is that Ford paid for the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton what it was worth and is not forced to earn dividends on millions of watered capital. In that respect he has a big advantage over other roads. A half century of mismanagement, graft, waste, and stock-watering has so inflated capital that it is impossible to pay a guaranteed return to capital and at the same time pay a living wage to workers. For the time being capital has the call on government, and the workers must sacrifice. The remedy is to force the water out of the railroads, and that won't be done until the workers and the public take charge of their government. F. HENRY FILLER.

Academy of Our Lady of Mercy

For the refined and practical education of Young Ladies and Little Girls. Also for Boys under twelve years of age. Studies will be resumed Tuesday, September 5th, 1922. For catalog apply to Sisters of Mercy, Stanton, Martin Co., Texas. 45-5t.

Joseph S. Myers Withdraws Resignation

Joseph S. Myers who wired his resignation as labor commissioner from Denison, where he had gone to look into the strike has reconsidered his action. Governor Neff announced Saturday, "It was perfectly agreeable to me for Myers to withdraw his resignation," said Gov. Neff, and complimented Myers as a man of the highest type and said he was "an able, efficient and impartial officer."

Land for Sale

640 acres fine land, unimproved, but all tillable. Good well of water. Located near good school, 10 miles from Stanton. Price \$12.50 per acre. Address O. S. McIVER, Stanton, Texas. 44-1f.

Just when we are trying to fool ourselves that we will be able to make it thru August without melting, some friend has to go and send us a copy of the Pike's Peak Breeze, published on the top of the world, where snow battles may be enjoyed in mid summer. No wonder we are inclined to be a Bolshevik.

So many of us had come to the conclusion that the strike was to be called off Wednesday morning, that all the "pep" was knocked out of our system when we noted the railway magnates were out to win even tho they busted the country.

It is rather surprising to see roasting ears being marketed here despite the dry and hot weather we have had the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Garverick left this morning for Cisco where they will make their future home.

Big Attraction

WILL GREET YOU AT THE



Monday and Tuesday, August 7th-8th



"The Child Thou Gavest Me"

With an All Star Cast Headed by Lewis Stone, Barbara Castleton, William Desmond, Dick Headrick

The Wife--The Husband--and the Mutual Friend

You've seen such characters in other stories—but never before in one so amazing as this! A wife who goes into marriage with a lie on her lips; a husband who finds that lie and waits; a friend who had loved the woman—stilled loved her, some said—and tried to bring happiness to a home bereft of it. They, and the child, sweep to a climax of drama, surprise and absolute amazement. Few dramas as rich in human interest, as gripping plot as this. See it!

ALSO SHOWING

BUSTER KEATON
In His First "First National"
"The Playhouse"

and it is a humdinger. In this picture "Buster" is the whole show, and that no kid! He's the orchestra, the minstrels, the lead, the cuties in the chorus, the monkey--ye-ah and the whole audience to boot. Nothing funnier on the boards. If you're thin--you'll laugh and grow fat! If you're fat--you'll laugh off a pound of flesh.

Come and Bring the Folks for a Real Treat!

Admission 10c and 35c

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

The Woman's Missionary Society
Will meet with Mrs. Birdwell Monday August 7th at 8 o'clock. The following program will be given:
Song—Jesus Keep me near the Cross
Business period—by the President.
Lord's Prayer—In Union.
Devotional period by leader, Mrs. E. W. Brown.
Song—Rescue the Perishing.
Paper—The people of Tibet, social conditions and religious beliefs—Mrs. Cowan.
Physical ministry and educational work—Mrs. Creath.
Transformed lives through Christian evangelism—Mrs. Blue.
Circle Prayers.
Echoes from everywhere—Mrs. Purser.
Discussion.
Benediction.
Members will answer to roll call with the name of a missionary to Tibet.

Mrs. T. F. Nabors and two babies and Mrs. C. C. Powell left Sunday for Clouderoff, N. M. where they will spend the next two months.
Grover Dean was here Saturday from Sweetwater. While here he purchased a new Dodge Brothers touring car from W. W. Crenshaw, local Dodge Brothers dealer.
The Hix Furniture and Undertaking Company are having their motor hears repaired and it will present a greatly improved appearance when Joe Jim Green completes the task of painting it.
Som of these days we are going to witness the beginning of a real building boom in Big Spring. It has been quite a few years since any great building activity has been in evidence in our city so it would not be surprising if a considerable building program was launched this fall.

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Strict Test Makes Trouble Now
 It is apparent that there is a number of Democrats who are having to choose between candidates for the United States who remain after the committee foresaw just the same as they now are. It is probably did not realize that would be as they now are. It is recommended a strict test of the Democratic primaries to those who voted Democratic nominees two years ago. It is recommended a strict test of the county committee, and if they could not be so-called they could be removed to the point of exclusion who offered to vote. It has been generally adopted that we should not now have in the race, but, in all Senator Calhoun, and we have a direct vote upon the two sides at issue—the Klan and the Klan to the Federal Government. There must be a considerable number of Democrats who will disagree with the names, leaving the names who can make one. In the circumstances the Klan is a great victory in the eyes of Mayfield, if he be the anti prohibitionist. It is a considerable noise in the event of Ferguson in event of Ferguson—and neither will have the honors, under all the circumstances. Who is it and when?—HARRY T. Parks, Texas, in Dallas News.

Card of Thanks

As one of the defeated candidates for County Treasurer I want to assure you that I hold no grudge or ill feeling toward anyone and to extend heartfelt thanks to the good folks who cast a vote for me. I deeply appreciate your efforts in my behalf and shall never forget your kindness.
 C. T. (Clifton) Tucker.

The leading crime in America is auto stealing. Autos worth \$100,000,000 were stolen in 1921. This is shown by a check-up just completed. The motor thief has eclipsed the bank robber and the housebreaker. This will keep on until there will be the usual reaction to extremes. You know what happened to a horse thief years ago in the West. The auto is to us what the horse was to the pioneers.—Shreveport Times.

Rev. Ben Hardy and wife left Tuesday for an auto trip to Seymour and other points in that section for a ten days' visit with relatives. They will be guests at a big house party on the Brazos. Their son Woffard Hardy will join them at Sweetwater and accompany them home. Miss Helen Hardy who is visiting in Seymour will accompany them home.

"The attempt to reopen the mines by assembling and parading engines of war to awe American citizens would be a national farce, did it not possess the elements of tragedy."—John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers.

PARK YOUR THIRST AT OUR FOUNTAIN.....CUNNINGHAM AND PHILLIPS.

"THE BALDWIN PIANOS"
 See W. R. DAWES, Phone 318. Sole Dealer for Big Spring.—Advertisement. 44-1f.

Fine Plums for Sale
 Pools Pride Plums for sale—\$3.20 per bushel. Phone 248-M or see MRS. FRANK LESTER. 45-2f.

Hess Panacea makes hens lay. Biles Drug Store.

"The Powerful Few"

"Twenty-five men control 82 per cent of the country's transportation lines, operating 211,280 miles of road. This same bunch of men dominate the coal industry. They are responsible for the policies which culminated in the strike of coal miners and railroad workers," states Edward E. Brown, Progressive Republican Representative from Wisconsin.

"While the railroads are demanding that the workers' wages be reduced," continued Mr. Brown, "they are insisting that the wages of the dollar—the returns on the capital invested—shall be increased.

"It is an open boast of the great financiers who have obtained their great wealth largely through the acquirement and monopolization of great natural resources, who are the owners of the railroads, coal mines, and who control iron, steel, copper, petroleum, etc., that they are going to destroy organized labor. They are going to attempt to do this even if they stop production, paralyze the industries of the country, and let gaunt famine stalk throughout the land.

"They are appealing to the government and courts to aid them. Will the federal government lend its aid to such purpose?"

How's This

Boost! and the world boosts with you. Knock! and you're on the shelf. For the world gets sick of th' eternal kick, it wishes he'd kick himself. Boost when the sun is shining, boost when it starts to rain; if you hap to fall don't whimper and bawl—get up and boost again. Boost for general advancement; boost for the things sublime; for the fellow found on the topmost round is a booster every time.

Prickly heat powder for that awful heat.....Cunningham & Phillips.

"Have you decided what you are going to call the baby, old man?" "Yes, I'm going to call him whatever my wife names him."

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

Home Talent Chautauquas

A brand new idea is being tried out in several localities this season for the first time and the resultant report is being eagerly watched for by localities that have experienced the usual troubles and dissatisfactions, with high priced chautauqua talent.

The new idea is for a community to stage a regular chautauqua, using only home talent entertainers. At first suggestion the idea won't get very far under your hide, but if you will just keep thinking over the possibilities with the available talent in your home community that can be arrayed for such an event, the idea gets into your entire system and you become so enthusiastic that you are eager to have the local folks give it a trial.

If you have doubts as to the idea being an excellent one, just make a mental list of all those in the community who could be persuaded to furnish numbers for the program. It will surprise you to learn the large number of real good musicians, vocal and instrumental, speakers, readers, and reciters that would willingly lend their services.

The average chautauqua company always exacts a large guarantee with a number of responsible citizens back of the agreement, and usually those back of the guarantee have to come across with a tidy sum to cover the deficiency.

With a home talent chautauqua the admission receipts could be divided among the talent after expenses were paid. Or if agreeable to the talent, the entire receipts could be turned to some local public institution such as library, playground, community building or any such institution that is financially supported by local donations.

Aside from the many other arguments favorable to a home talent chautauqua is the all important fact that it would open an avenue of training to local talent, the value of which is unestimable.

Why not a home talent chautauqua in this town next season, or a lyceum course the coming winter?

Goodrich Tires Reduced in Price

The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio, announces today new tire prices that bring the cost of Goodrich Tires to the lowest cost mileage ever known. This revised price list affords motorists a definite guide to tire prices as Goodrich Tires are the definite standard of Tire quality.

Cheaper motor transportation by at least \$50,000,000 this year is the concrete and visible effect of this announcement made today, reducing the price of automobile tires by from ten to fifteen per cent. The reduction takes effect immediately.

This tremendous saving to the entire automobile industry is made in the face of a determined effort by British and Dutch merchants to control the rubber markets of the world. Cotton, which is the biggest element in tire cost, is materially rising in price, and in the face of world consumption; with one of the smallest hold-over crops in years and with only a normal crop in prospect it is bound to go much higher, but the Goodrich price reduction is made in spite of these increased costs.

A conservative estimate of the automobile tire bill for the United States for 1922 places it at over half a billion dollars, which means that the Goodrich reduction in price will save American motorists over \$50,000,000.

Even before today's reduction Goodrich tire prices were less than half the peak war time prices. The largest items in the cost of motor transportation have been gasoline and tires which up to now have been about on even levels. The new Goodrich prices mean that hereafter tire upkeep is reduced to approximately one-half of the fuel cost.

In an effort toward the creation of lower transportation costs, many rubber manufacturers have introduced second grade lines of cord tires, but Goodrich maintains that the lower tire cost is to be found in its one quality standard. Silverton Tire which takes part with the entire Goodrich line of tires in the general reduction. The H. & L. Service Station in Big Spring is the place to get these time tried and tested tires and at a big saving. Let your next tires be Goodrich—the best to be had.—Advertising.

Services at First Baptist Church

Rev. M. T. Tucker of Burleson College will preach at the First Baptist Church in this city next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

Rev. Tucker is said to be one of the ablest ministers in Texas and you will certainly appreciate the messages he will deliver to you.

A warm welcome awaits you at this church. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Carousels

"Who was in the parlor with you last night, Bessie?"
 "No one but Mary, father."
 "You tell Mary to throw her cigarette stubs outside hereafter, instead of on the floor."

Miss Beulah McDaniel has been here this week from Lamesa for a visit

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We're mighty good at arithmetic. If solving car problems can be classed as such. We don't have to "toot our own horn" to the people whose cars have undergone treatment here. They toot it for us. But you who have wasted \$11 worth of clothes and \$96 worth of disposition trying to fix your own car, when we could do it for a dollar or two, you are the fellows we are talking to.

There is nothing so good but what it could be better—and we are trying to improve our methods right along. Bring the old bus in and let us diagnose the case. The operation may be a minor one, whereas you think she is about ready to croak.

BLANCK'S GARAGE
 Phone 129 BIG SPRING, TEXAS 403 Main Street

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

Miss Saylor's candy...It makes a hit.....Cunningham & Phillips.

R. L. Price returned Wednesday morning from a business trip to Dallas.

If the railroads had to retain all the men they are now employing at the wages and "keep" they now throw in, they would be a sore bunch. Anyone and everyone is now being hired regardless of whether or not he ever had any former experience in this line. They are being paid the wage usually given to skilled mechanics even though they are unable to deliver the goods. The railroads have to make a showing even though the showing may be only a big expense account and nothing accomplished.

BOX STATIONERY AT THIRTY-FIVE CENTS A BOX TILL ITS GONE.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Market Flooded With Untried Tires

The tire market has been flooded to such an extent with cheap and shoddy tires during the past year that every motorist would be wise to exercise the utmost caution in making tire purchases. Tires with new and strange names, are floating around in great numbers and experience with most of

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Cleanses mouth and teeth.

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Combines pleasure and benefit.

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Save the wrappers

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Old Folk Week

While our hearts are swelling with pride over "Our Great Country" isn't it worth while to turn for a little time and give honor to those who for the past three score years or more have been fighting its battles.

If there are so many other things in the world that are worthy of a week's time are not the "Old Folk"—those who for sixty years or more have fought the battles of life and of the world?

Maybe the part some of these "Old Folk" have taken has been a simple part, sitting steady at the helm of their own little home-boat or of their small community. But, after all, it is the backbone and stamina of its homelands that make a country noble or ignoble, strong or weak, great or small.

The simpler life of any man or woman has been, the more has that man or woman known of the hardships and privations of the earlier days of our country. Homes were not always equipped with conveniences as they are now; travel was not always so easy; telegraph and telephone connections for business and with loved ones have not always been as they are today.

Let us then during the first week of August each year remember those who have builded for us the past sixty years. Let it be a week in which gifts or greetings are sent to these old folk by all who know them—just a little gift, just a little message but it will be a ray of sunshine to know that they are not forgotten. Let them know that we know what they have done for us.

Let the churches make the first Sunday in August, August 6 this year, a day for Old Folk's Services. Also the Young People's Societies make the week following a week for special attention to the old people.

(MISS) S. ADA LASETER, Pub. Secy., Belton, Texas. MRS. ELLI M. TOWNSEND, Gen. Chair, Belton Texas.

Eight or nine Rangers in charge of Captain Miles arrived in Big Spring this week and are now on duty here. We do not know why they were sent here unless the railroad officials have been able to convince Governor Neff that we are a bunch of outlaws on this way. Everything is so quiet and orderly, possibly the officials are sore because the men on strike don't raise a disturbance so state troops can be sent to Big Spring.

The farmers of Howard County have not stopped at passing resolutions supporting organized labor in its effort to obtain a living wage but are adding the members of the Shop Crafts out on strike by supplying vegetables, etc. Committees are invited to call at the various farms and they will be supplied with all the produce they can haul away.

T. F. Nabors has been making a hit with the extra fine cantaloupes he has been raising on his farm two miles north of town. He has crossed three varieties, the Rocky Ford, Nutmeg and Cannon ball, securing a melon partaking in size, flavor and appearance of these well known varieties and an especially popular melon is the result.

Anderson Bailey and family returned Wednesday from a fishing trip on the Pecos, below Sheffield. The continued dry spell in that section has caused the water in the Pecos to get so low that fishermen cannot have much luck.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Morrison returned Thursday from Dallas where they had been to consult a specialist regarding Mrs. Morrison's eyes. They also visited their former home at Quitman and other points while away.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barley and children returned Thursday from Cooper and other points in that part of the state where they have been visiting relatives the past three weeks.

Miss Thelma Lovelace of Fort Worth arrived Tuesday morning for a week's visit with friends. She will be the guest of Misses Abbanell Rhotan and Ella Brown.

Our Prescription Department is under the supervision of two Registered men, Ward's.

Except for 100 miles, there is now a paved highway from Los Angeles to Portland, Oregon, a distance of 1,200 miles.

Robert G. Brown has accepted a nice position with the Longwell Auto Co. at El Paso. He went to work last Sunday morning.

FOR SALE—About 20 head of cattle, in excellent condition. See W. E. SMITH, Big Spring. 483p

Mrs. J. B. Winn and Mrs. Pearl Murphy returned Thursday from a visit with relatives and friends at Ranger.

J. J. Hubbard was here Thursday from his ranch in Glasscock County.

Lots for Sale

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for indigestion and stomach trouble of any kind. I have never found anything that touches the spot, like Black-Draught. I take it in broken doses after meals. For a long time I tried pills, which griped and didn't give the good results. Black-Draught liver medicine is easy to take, easy to keep, inexpensive."

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Big Spring, Texas
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Card of Thanks

I want to thank my good friends throughout the county for their influence and loyal support in the July primary, which caused me to be successful in my race for Tax Assessor of Howard County. I have no ill-feelings towards any who did not vote for me; but I surely appreciate my good friends for staying with me. I ask the cooperation of our entire citizenship, town and county to help me, and I will try to render good service to one and all.

Yours truly,
Luther J. Smith.

Entertains at Rook

Mrs. John Witten entertained at Rook Thursday from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and an especially pleasant time was enjoyed.

In the series of interesting games of Rook Mrs. C. A. Tulbot made visitors' high score and Mrs. J. H. Baggett made club high score. Four tables of players took part in the games and enjoyed the delicious ice course that was served.

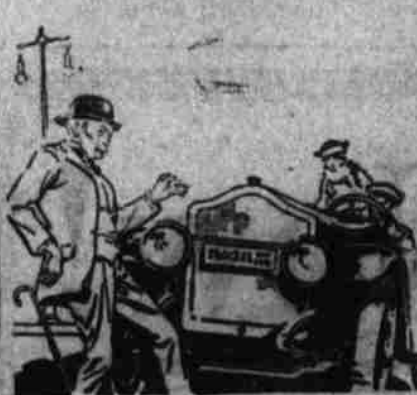
A. A. Creig who resides ten miles north of Big Spring on the old Parrish farm had one acre planted in cantaloupes from which he has already sold over 4000 cantaloupes. Mr. Creig has long since found it pays to diversify as it is often the case that a few acres in vegetables and other crops will bring in more cash than a cotton crop. The man who diversifies is the one who generally has money in the bank.

J. D. B. Boydston who was the first citizen to try farming in Howard County was in Thursday and brought the Herald force a dandy watermelon. It was a big one and especially fine flavored. Mr. Boydston states they had raised many fine melons this year, many of them weighing more than sixty pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCarron and daughter Miss Ruth, Frank Essell and nephews Raymond and Jack Mitchell of Cisco arrived Thursday for a visit with W. V. Ervin and family. Mrs. McCarron and Mr. Essell are sister and brother of Mrs. Ervin.

Mrs. W. A. Ricker, Miss Mabel Ricker and Miss Daphne Barnes left Wednesday for Big Lake to attend the big rodeo and celebration.

Miss Saylor isn't ordinary candy... It's the best made....Cunningham & Phillips.



A careful driver who runs down a careless pedestrian is likely to pay heavily for the "jay walker's" injuries.

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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Alarm clocks that alarm.....Cunningham & Phillips.

E. Douthitt arrived Saturday from Abilene to look after ranching interests in this section.

FIGURE WHAT IT WILL COST YOU TO PAPER THAT ROOM..... GUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Frank L. Andrews and Austin Callan representatives of the El Paso Herald spent Monday in Big Spring.

T. E. Paylor has returned from Amarillo where he accompanied his family who will spend some time with relatives.

Mrs. J. M. Bates and sons, Alvin and Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Maupin left Monday for Brinkman, Okla., to attend a reunion of the Smith family there on August 8th.

MUNROE'S DRINKS MAKES YOUR SMILE AS BROAD AS HIS....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Program for Junior Christian Endeavor

Leader—Pearl Aiken.
Topic—One thing I have learned about the Bible.
Song—Jesus Loves Me.
Prayer
Lessons from the Bible.
The Good Samaritan, Luke 10: 24-27
—Mildred Creath.
The Sower, Matt. 13:3-9—Evelyn Creath.
Building on the rock, Matt. 7:24-27—Oliver Jenkins.
The talents, Matt. 25:14-30—Alfred Brown.
Special Song—Blanche and Pauline Griffith.
Offering.
Benediction.

Every precaution should be taken to prevent prairie fires in this section. Smokers should take extra care to see that no lighted cigar or cigarette butts are thrown along the roadsides where they may cause such fires.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore and son, Willie Joe and Joseph Hayden enjoyed a fishing trip on Beal's Creek south of Colorado the forepart of this week.

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

RUGS WOVE—The kind our grandmother used. Call at 511 W. 4th St. or phone 371. 48-21-pd.

Rowden Settles arrived Monday Orate, Arizona, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Settles.

Kodaks and films.....Cunningham & Phillips.

J. E. and Woodrow Walker who reside ten miles north of town visited The Herald Saturday.

Pierrette face powder gets better results.....Cunningham & Phillips.

W. O. Kent, editor of the Stanton Reporter, and Bill Swan were visitors in this city Monday.

Disordered stomachs call for Pepsin Milk of Magnesia.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. Blanche Richardson left Wednesday for points in California to enjoy her vacation.

Miss Fannie Stephens left Wednesday morning for a visit in Los Angeles and other points in California.

F. F. Gary returned last Saturday morning from New York where he had been to purchase a big stock of fall and winter dry goods and furnishings for the firm of Gary & Son.

Mrs. C. H. McIntosh of 205 Benton street, who has attained the age of seventy-eight years, cast her first ballot in the Democratic primary July 22. While a staunch Democrat, Mrs. McIntosh was prompted more by true friendship rather than mere politics in casting her first ballot.

ARE YOU GETTING OUT OF YOUR CLOUGS Optical Department

Even the Law's Ignorance of the law We are supposed to be the law. The state legislature passed 40,128 pages of laws, without supreme courts making sense interpreting, modifying existing laws. The people of these states a task before them to keep port of these laws. They spend 24 hours a day for the legislature and get out more thousands of people. If there isn't some way the output of legislation, better drop the silly process any human being on familiar with all the laws. Herald.

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New Crop Comb Honey.
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All kinds of meats for Lunchees and Picnics.
Full Cream Cheese on Ice.
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NALL & LAMAR
Big Spring, Texas

and Mrs. Earl Reed returned from a visit in Los Angeles and Long Beach, California.

W. H. Hames, general secretary of the U. S. C. A. will conduct services at the Methodist Church at Stanton, Sunday, August 9th.

Francis of Midland has been purchasing calves for delivery to the University. He is purchasing the best head for buyers in Iowa.

Tom Good has contracted for the purchase of approximately two thousand calves for fall delivery.

Ford Lomax of Houston after a week's visit with his mother and his brother L. E. Lomax returned to his home last week.

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Big Spring, Friday, August 4, 1922

Insurance for Ex-Service Men

Fort Worth, Texas, July 28, 1922.

Dear Editor:

It is a great pleasure to announce that the U. S. Veterans' Bureau is waging an insurance drive for the purpose of disclosing to Ex-service men the fact that they now have the privilege of reinstating their war term insurance and converting same into an old line insurance backed by the United States Government.

There are over four million Ex-service men in the United States, therefore, you will readily realize the impossibility of apprising these men directly by mail that they now have the opportunity of reinstating and converting their insurance, taking, also into consideration the fact that few of these men returned to their former positions, and many changed their addresses. In view of this fact a direct appeal is being made to the Press throughout this district to assist in this undertaking.

The Government is making an immense sacrifice to allow Ex-service men to reinstate and convert their insurance. Therefore, it devolves upon the public, and more especially upon the newspapers, to inform these men of the privilege granted them, regardless of whether or not they take advantage of the opportunity. Your city has always willingly and enthusiastically responded to any call that would aid the Ex-service man, therefore, I ask that through your patriotism and interest in these men, you promulgate, through the columns in your paper, the attached letter to Ex-service men which explains the privilege granted to no other class of citizens in the United States.

B. O. Murph, Sub. Dis. Manager.
To Ex-Service Men:

This publication is being made for the purpose of disclosing to Ex-service men the fact that they have the privilege of reinstating their term or war time insurance and converting it into an old line insurance backed by the United States government.

Many of you have heard a lot about insurance and some of you have heard a great deal that is not true. No man should refuse to investigate a good sound business proposition, and be assured that government insurance is all of that and more, and stands ready for investigation at any time.

Any Ex-service man may reinstate his term or war time insurance by paying two months' premium on the amount of insurance reinstated and by submitting satisfactory proof of insurability.

If you are unable to reinstate under the condition just mentioned on account of a disability which was contracted in or aggravated by active Military or Naval Service during the world war, you may reinstate, if not permanently totally disabled, an examination being required to determine physical condition, by paying all premiums due since your insurance lapsed with interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, compounded annually on each premium, from the date such premium was due. You may reinstate an amount you desire, in multiples of \$500, but not less than \$1000 not more than the amount of insurance originally granted to you.

Any Ex-service man may convert term or war time insurance which is in force into any or as many of the six forms of permanent insurance as you desire, in multiples of \$500, but not less than \$1,000, by making application and paying the first monthly, quarterly, semi-annual, or annual premium in advance. It is advisable to convert now, to secure your permanent insurance at your present insurable age, which carries a lower rate than if you delay conversion.

On account of your military or naval service you enjoy a privilege accorded to no other class of citizens in the United States, that of purchasing life insurance backed by the United States government at absolutely net cost.

All forms of Government Permanent Life Insurance, namely, Ordinary Life, Twenty-payment and Thirty-payment life, Twenty-year and Thirty-year endowment, or Endowment maturing at age of 62 years, are payable as death claims in "one sum" or installments at the option of the insured.

All permanent (converted) policies have a cash loan, paid-up and extended insurance value, available after the policy has been in force one year.

The Converted or permanent Government Life Insurance is written at guaranteed premium rates, which rates do not increase each year as do the

Yearly Renewable Term (war time) Insurance rates.

All Government (converted) Insurance is issued at net cost rates, according to the American Experience Table of Mortality and 3 1-2 per cent interest and without charge being made in the premium for operating expense, which is borne by the government.

Any excess interest earnings over 3 1-2 per cent, together with any savings in the mortality, accumulate a fund from which dividends may be apportioned by the Director and paid to government (converted) policy holders. \$1,030,000 has been apportioned to be paid in dividends during the year of 1921 to those whose policies have been in force a year or more.

There are no restrictions in the policies as to residence, travel, occupation, or military or naval service. No charge is made in the premium for Permanent Total Disability benefits, which are not limited as to the age at which disability may occur or the cause of such disability.

To the average man life insurance is a mystery, and yet is one of the simplest things in the world. It is not a gamble, as some people claim—the gambler is the man who is not insured. Don't fool yourself by thinking that you can be sure of providing for death or old age through savings and other investments alone. You may die before they amount to anything. Whereas, every premium you pay on a life insurance policy makes you richer, if you live, and the very first premium insures the payment of your insurance to your beneficiary, if you die, or to you, should you be totally and permanently disabled.

For further information and rates regarding reinstating and converting war time insurance, write the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, 2nd Floor Crowder Building, Fort Worth, Texas.

Fine Residence Lots for Sale

Residence lots, 50x140 feet in College Heights, on the Highway. The most attractive residence property in Big Spring. Phone 128 or write J. F. HAIR, Big Spring, Texas.

Alarmed That Farmers May Control Enough Cotton To Get Fair Price

That the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association and other state cotton marketing associations are creating alarm on Wall street is shown in a weekly letter sent out to cotton buyers by A. Norden & Co., 88 Wall street. A copy of this letter has been made public by the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association.

Fears are expressed among big cotton brokers that the farmers of the South, through cooperative cotton associations which have the backing of the War Finance Corporation, will be able to control the cotton and get a price for their cotton which will make the raising of cotton pay.

The Norden letter says that the cotton situation is in a bad plight from the standpoint of Wall street and that "evidence is increasing that the situation will be rendered still more serious by the determined stand that the South will make with government assistance, for which the South believes to be a reasonably remunerative price. We have alluded recently to the progress being made in the cooperative marketing movement practically every cotton growing state, and although the world in general has paid little attention to that progress, occasional items point to successful control of a large portion of the crop.

"The announcements that we have seen since our last have been:

"By the War Finance Corporation that applications for advances have been approved of \$8,000,000 to the Oklahoma Cotton Growers' Co-Operative Association and \$7,500,000 to the Arkansas Cotton Growers' Co-Operative Association.

"If the crop should finally prove to be nearer 10,000,000 bales than 12,000,000 bales; if trade should continue its tendency toward gradual improvement; if these cooperative cotton growers' associations should find as the marketing season approaches that they control the disposal of perhaps one-third or more of the expected crop, what will be the 'reasonably remunerative price' that they will set as their goal, in their efforts to attain which they will have the assistance of every farmer, merchant and banker in the South and of the War Time Finance Corporation?"

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THE BIG SPRING DAIRY CO. J. T. Parrish, Proprietor. 28-ft.

Pete Cambridge returned the first of the week from a trip to points in the Plains country and reports crops in that section suffering from the continued dry weather.



Does Nerve Impingement Cause Disease?

A good illustration of the principles upon which CHIROPRACTIC bases its claims that all disease is the result of a disturbance of the nervous system is seen in the case of a man with a paralyzed leg. Why is it a man in this condition cannot move his leg when he wills to? Simply because there is some obstruction between the brain and the leg. (Pressure upon spinal nerves) which interferes with the function of the leg. To take this pressure off of nerves is to remove the cause of disease.

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Tolerance

Christians have burnt each other quite persuaded. That all the Apostles would have done as they did. —Byron. He that saith he is in the light and hateth his brother is in darkness even until now; . . . he that hateth his brother is in darkness, and walketh in darkness, and knoweth not whither he goeth, because that darkness hath blinded his eyes.—John.

The peace of the world lies in large measure in toleration of opinion, scientific, political, philosophical and religious. It is but natural for men to differ, but difference of opinion does not mean that either is right. Indeed, men have fought each other and persecuted each other about certain great questions and then found that they were both wrong. Especially is this true of religion and science.

Might is not argument. Force is not logic.

Persecution never established the truth of the persecutor's contention. The twist of the thumbscrews never changed any one's opinion.

The agony of the stocks never made a real convert.

The stake and the fiery fagots never convinced any one of the rightness of those who kindled the fires.

On the other hand, these instruments of torture all down the ages have served only to promote the cause for which their victims contended. So true is this that it has given rise in things religious to the proverb, "The bones of the martyrs are the seed of the church." And it is just as applicable in proportion to things scientific and political as to things religious. Self-constituted authority leads to dogmatism, and dogmatism to intolerance, and intolerance to persecution. There are no two material things exactly alike; then why should it be expected that there should be two minds exactly alike?

No two sands on the seashore are exactly alike.

No two leaves of the trees are exactly alike.

No two blades of grass are exactly alike.

The circumstance surrounding the life pre-natal and post-natal of any two persons are never exactly alike, with the result that there are no two persons exactly alike, mentally or physically. Then how, in the name of all that is reasonable, can we expect any two minds to be exactly alike; and if no two minds are exactly alike, how can it be that any two opinions are exactly alike on any subject, especially those about which the human mind can not possibly have complete knowledge? And it is just such things about which there is most difference of opinion and therefore most contention, strife and suffering.

Prejudice nor passion never settled a thing. They are themselves the fruits of ignorance and egotism.

Ignorance is the mother of all this brood of terrors. The really learned are never intolerant. They recognize the varying conditions to which humanity is subject, and therefore know that difference of opinion is to be expected; indeed, that it is a necessity if mankind are to make progress. Preconceived or inherited opinion is not necessarily correct as to any great problem of life.

Censure, condemnation and persecution can never be evidence of correctness of vision.

The tragedy of Calvary was the result of intolerance and bigotry.

It was the work of the Pharisee and not of the publican.

Those persecuting Pharisees never thought deeply enough to understand and know that no truth can be destroyed by killing him who is its champion and advocate.

Thus it is seen that the statement made above is true, to the effect that intolerance, and persecution, its child, never established the correctness of any contention. He who was the central figure in the murder at Golgotha—the great crime of the ages—realizing that persecution always adds to the growth of a righteous cause, said, "Blessed are ye when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely for my sake. Rejoice and be exceeding glad; for great is your reward in heaven; for so persecuted they the prophets which were before you."

All down the centuries people have had to be saved from themselves.

This has necessitated the sacrifice of men and women who had the wisdom and the vision to see the great truths which the people as a whole could not, or would not, for their prejudices and passions are much more powerful in influencing their actions and blinding their vision than are their wisdom and love. Ignorance, passion, prejudice, superstition and bigotry, and the progeny of all these, have always undertaken to thwart the will of Omnipotence. This because they had not wisdom. They have always failed, are failing now, and will continue to fail. Overzeal is easily led into prejudice, prejudice into fanaticism and persecution is always the product of fanaticism. The progress of mankind, its every

step forward, has been taken in spite of fixed opinions. Copernicus, Watt, Stephenson, Morse, Field, Fulton, Franklin, Edison, Marconi and others of the great pioneers against prejudice and fixed opinions, who have blazed the way for enlightenment in things material, as well as the long list of heroes who have held high the torch of progress and enlightenment in things spiritual, were considered heretics in their respective spheres of usefulness.

Intolerance would drive us back to the Dark Ages. It would displace modern ocean liners with primitive sails and boats rowed by galley slaves. It would swap the automobile for the ox wagon. It would exchange the Twentieth Century Limited for the stage coach. It would supplant the telegraph with the pony post, the wireless operator for the messenger on horseback—a Marconi for a Paul Revere.

Sensible men are governed by reason and righteousness; fools by prejudice and passion.

"My little children, let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth."—Dallas News.

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The jokesmiths in commenting on the run-off in the senatorial race say its going to be a case of light wine and beer against tar and feathers; and it's up to the dear people to take their choice. It's rather a queer combination to get mixed up in a Democratic primary.



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H. L. Rix left Wednesday morning for Lamesa to spend a few days looking after business affairs in connection with the new furniture store his firm has in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Debenport arrived Wednesday morning from Galveston where Mr. Debenport has been under medical treatment for some time. His many friends in this city will be pleased to know that his condition continues to steadily improve.

Mosquito lotion that makes mosquitoes have a sick headache. Cunningham & Phillips.

Jno. Currie and nephew Fred returned Saturday night from extended auto tour thru Colorado, Florida and to points along the Coast.

Card of Thanks
I wish to heartily thank you for their support and influence in race for county commissioners district 2 and assure you that I appreciate your good will.
J. B. McKeon