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MURDER CASE GOES TO TRIAL

CASE IS TRANSFERRED HERE FROM FISHER COUNTY ON CHANGE OF VENUE

The Dan Stephenson murder trial, transferred to Sweetwater from Fisher county, opened in district court here Wednesday morning when examination of the special venire of 90 men began. The entire day was devoted to selecting the jury which was completed a few minutes before 5 p. m.

The jury is made up of A. C. Hargraves, Dick Jackson, H. N. Judd, W. P. Copeland, I. L. Fry, S. T. Duncan, Bob Lanier, B. F. Catchings, E. K. Willis, R. K. Rogge and F. B. Stone.

After the jury was completed, both the state and defense called their lists of witnesses, each side having over a score. Court was adjourned until 9 a. m. Thursday when examination of witnesses is expected to begin.

The case, State of Texas vs. Dan Stephenson resulted from the killing of Otha Martin, 23 year old son-in-law of Stephenson's, on the court house steps at Roby March 21, 1924. An examining trial for Martin on charge of rape was pending at the time of the killing, the charge being brought by one of Stephenson's daughters.

W. J. Cunningham, Abilene, L. B. Allen, and the firm of Beall, Beall and Beall, Sweetwater are defense attorneys. District attorney Brooks is assisted by R. D. Cox, county attorney, and the law firm, Stinson and Brooks, Abilene, for the prosecution.

STREETS ARE TO BE PAVED

CITY COMMISSION ORDERS ELM AND FOURTH STREETS PAVED—WORK TO BEGIN SOON

The Sweetwater City Commission, in a meeting last Friday, ordered paving on Elm and Fourth streets and passed an ordinance to that effect. Petitions for the paving of these two streets were passed several months ago, but due to the illness of water commissioner Roy Bardwell, the passing of the ordinance for the paving was held up until the Friday meeting.

It was the first meeting Bardwell has attended in several months. The water commissioner, who is now rapidly gaining his health and strength, made the motion that the paving ordinance be passed and it carried unanimously.

Advertising for bids for the two paving projects has already started, and bids will be received November 10. The commission will consider the following types of paving for the two streets: Warrenite—Bitulithic, Asphalt Macadam, reinforced concrete, vertical fiber brick, Uvalde rock Asphalt, Willite process Asphaltic concrete and Amiesite. It is probable that a contract will be let November 10 or shortly thereafter.

Elm street is to be paved from Third street to the tracks on the north side near the ball park. It is to be 50 feet wide to Fifth street and 30 feet the remainder of the distance. Fourth street is to be paved from the Orient tracks to Ragland street and will be 50 feet wide for about half the distance, and 30 feet wide the remainder of the street.

Other petitions for paving important streets in the city have been filed with the commission for consideration.

WILL DISCUSS SCHOOL PROBLEMS OVER RADIO

FORT WORTH, Texas, Oct. 28.—Texas school problems will be discussed in four radio addresses from the Dallas News radio broadcasting station, starting Thursday night, October 29, with a discussion by Lee Clark of Gainesville, president of the Texas Teachers Association. On the following three Thursday nights, addresses will be made in order by President Robt. L. Marquis of the State Teachers Association, Fort Worth; and Supt. Norman Crozier of the Dallas public schools.

L. A. Ritter, Jr., is suffering from a badly cut hand resulting from a too intimate inspection of his mother's electric washing machine last Sunday.

HEREFORD SALE AT FAIR FRIDAY

SALE TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE BEST AUCTIONEER OF THE UNITED STATES

Over a dozen West Texas breeders of fine Hereford cattle had placed animals on display in the new livestock building at Fair Park late Wednesday night and other cattle was expected to arrive some time Thursday. A majority of the animals on display have been consigned for the Texas Hereford Breeders sale on Friday.

The exhibits includes many fine animals and among the group can be found specimens of some of the finest cattle in the southwest. Several out-of-town breeders have stuff here for the show and sale. Judging of the cattle will probably start Friday morning.

Henry Wilkenson of Hereford, Texas, is exhibiting four splendid Herefords which he has consigned to the Texas Hereford Breeders Association sale. He also has one calf on display, for showing only. A Herbits, another Hereford, Texas, breeder, has four animals here for the show and sale. Tom Ivery of Lubbock has two animals, a bull and a cow, here for the sale.

D. L. McDonald, Hereford, is showing a bull and cow which will also probably go at the sale. Both animals are prize winners from previous exhibits and shows. Another Hereford stockman, Bill Womble, is showing two Hereford heifers. Mrs. L. R. Bradley is showing two animals which will go in the sale Friday. E. B. Black of Hereford has a bull and cow here for the sale.

The youngest pure-bred cattle enthusiast exhibiting here is J. T. McReynolds, 13 year old Hereford breeder of the Bitter Creek community, Nolan county. Young McReynolds is showing a splendid Hereford calf, weighing 750 pounds, which he has fed since June 1. The animal is entered in the Baby Beef Club division.

J. D. Dulaney and Sons, are among the Nolan county breeders exhibiting at the fair. The Dulaney's are showing four bulls, two of which are consigned for sale.

E. P. Neblett and Sons, prominent Sweetwater stockmen and farmers, are showing a splendid group of animals at the fair. Their exhibit includes three heifers and two bulls. Three animals are in the sale.

Walter Boothe, widely known throughout the state as a leader in the cattle business of West Texas and who is in charge of the livestock department, is showing two Hereford heifers and a bull, all of which will be in the sale.

Another car load of cattle was expected to arrive Thursday from Winston Brothers, of Snyder.

Decorators Work Fast

For long-flight, non-stopping flag hanging records, the honors must go to Jimmie Haynie and his crew of decorators of the West Texas Decorating Co., of San Angelo.

Haynie and his two helpers arrived in Sweetwater Sunday. Monday morning at 11 o'clock he began work to carry out his contract for decorating the town for the Second Annual Nolan County Fair. From 11 a. m. Monday to 2 a. m. Tuesday the three worked without a stop. At 7 a. m. Tuesday the hanging of bunting and flags from all store fronts started again. At 2 a. m. Wednesday Haynie declared the job was completed and hid himself to bed, for a much needed sleep.

With the exception of five hours rest the first night, Haynie and his two helpers were on the job 34 hours without a stop, "dressing Sweetwater up for the Fair", they called it.

Charles Crutcher came in a few days ago from Los Angeles, Cal. to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Crutcher, and look over the old town after an absence of three years or more. The most of this time has been spent at the United States Base Hospital at Sawtelle, California, gaining his health lost in the World War.

Julian Robertson is out of school this week convalescing from a sprained ligament in his foot received in a fall on the dam at Santa Fe Lake.

Looking Forward



COUNTY JUDGES MEETING HERE

OUTLINE TAX SYSTEM THAT WILL BENEFIT THE ORIENT

Reorganization plans of the K. C. M. & O. railroad received a boost here Monday when the meeting of county judges from counties traversed by the Orient went on record as favoring a tax system as outlined in a resolution drawn up at the meeting. The proposal, as ratified, places the valuation of the road for tax purposes at \$2,000 per mile this year; \$2,500 per mile next year and \$3,000 per mile year after next.

W. T. Kemper, president of the railroad who attended the meeting, assured the county officials present that the road would be able to pay its taxes as based on the outlined plan.

Judge A. S. Mauzey and the Nolan County Commissioners Court voted approval of the plan immediately after it passed in the session. Nolan county officials, however, specified that the plan would be adopted provided all other counties affected approved the proposal and provided the basis of valuation was no lower than specified.

Each of the 14 county judges who attended the session will in turn place the matter before their respective Commissioners Courts for final approval, after which recommendations accordingly will be made to their boards of equalization.

Judge Mauzey stated that the plan did not mean that any of the roads taxes would be remitted or that the line would pay less taxes in this or any other county. The road has been and will continue to pay all the taxes it is able to pay, he declared. Each county will continue to collect as much tax money as the road can possibly pay and not special favors are being shown, it was stated.

The Sweetwater meeting was called by Porter Whaley, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and was attended by President Kemper and other Orient officials, Lon Smith of State Railroad Commission and others in addition to the county judges.

HOG WINNERS ARE ANNOUNCED

Although only a few animals were entered in the swine show, this division of the livestock department created much interest among stockmen and farmers at the fair Wednesday. Animals shown were of splendid type made a good exhibit. Only Poland Chinas were shown.

George Robertson, Nolan county, took first and second prizes, totaling \$8, for the grand champion boar, any age. For the best sow, any age, the animal entered by Walter Richy won the blue ribbon and the \$3 prize.

Sid McElroy, Nolan county boy, won the \$5 prize for the best hog in the Boys Club division.

Walter Richy also won first for the best young sow, getting the \$5 prize, while Felix Jarrett of Barnett won second prize of \$5.

ROSCOE HERE FOR BALL GAME

ROSCOE CLASHES WITH SALTY PUPS ON LOCAL FIELD FRIDAY

County football honors will be at stake here Friday morning when the Sweetwater and Roscoe elevens meet on the gridiron at Swatter Park to clash in the first of two games the teams are scheduled to play this season. Both squads are reported to be in good shape for the game which will probably be witnessed by a huge crowd of Nolan County Fair visitors including many Roscoe fans.

Although the actual strength of the eleven from the neighboring town is little known, the Roscoe aggregation has had a more or less successful season so far, and fans are counting on a hard fast game here Friday.

Although a number of men on the Salty Pup squad were slightly injured in the Abilene game last Thursday, all will be in shape for the battle by Friday, it is reported.

The mid-season standing of the Salty Pups is considered satisfactory by the majority of local fans and high school enthusiasts who have backed the team to the limit all season. With six games behind them, and five to be played, the Salty Pups are confident of ending the season with a massive total score. The Pups have won a total of 70 points in their first six games as compared with their opponents' total of 73. The heavy loss to Abilene last week dug heavily into the Pups' steadily increasing total.

The Pups have won three out of the six games played with the scores as follows: Sweetwater 13, Roby 7; Sweetwater 0, San Angelo 6; Sweetwater 45, Snyder 0; Sweetwater 6 Colorado 0; Sweetwater 6, Hamlin 7; Sweetwater 0, Abilene 53.

The five remaining games of the season are as follows: Roscoe at Sweetwater, October 30; Big Spring at Sweetwater, November 6; Merger at Ballinger, November 11; Merkel at Sweetwater, November 20; Roscoe at Roscoe, November 26.

BIRDS ARE ON EXHIBIT

If many persons enter exhibits in one department of the fair displays, the main exhibit building should be a musical center the four days of the fair.

One of the exhibits in the women's department of the fair includes Canary birds display. This unique and unusual department is introduced for the first time in this section at this year's fair, and is expected to draw much attention from fair visitors.

It is expected that several entries of the caged singers will be made and prizes for winning birds have been arranged as follows: Best collection of birds, \$3.00 first, \$2.00 second; best pair birds, \$2.00 first, \$1.00 second; best singer, \$2.00 first, \$1.00 second.

Miss Lillian Majors has returned from a recent visit at Colorado with her sister Mrs. Sam Goldman.

Nolan County Fair Opens To Visitors

SCHOOLS TO HAVE BOOTHS

A large number of attractive exhibits were on display on the opening day of the fair, from school students throughout the county in competition for the many cash awards that are to be given in the School Department. Prizes range from \$2.00 to 50 cents, and will be awarded for various samples of handwork by students.

The lists include map making, essay writing, posters and cartoons, mounted displays and sewing.

It is expected that the displays will be judged Thursday although the school exhibits will be on display throughout the fair. Will H. Scott, county superintendent, is in charge of the School Department, with B. H. McLain, superintendent of city schools, assistant chairman.

Prizes for high school students are as follows:

Essay, "Value of County Fair," \$1.50 first, \$1.00 second; original story of 100 words, \$1.50 first, \$1.00 second; poster, \$1.50 first, 50c second; cartoon, \$1.00 first, second 50c; home-made radio set, \$1.50 first, \$1.00 second; manual training exhibit of three articles, \$1.50 first, \$1 second; best house dress, \$1.00 first, 50c second; best apron, 75c first, 50c second; best teddies, 75c first, 50c second.

Awards for grammar and elementary schools are as follows:

Composition on a Texas hero, \$1.00 first, 50c second; best specimen of penmanship, 75c first, 50c second; nature drawing in colors, \$1.00 first, 50c second; nature drawing in color of animal or insect life, \$1.00 first, 50c second; mounted map of Texas, \$1.00 first, 50c second; mounted map Nolan county, \$1.00 first, 50c second; book of mounted leaves, grasses and wild flowers of Nolan county, \$2.00 first, \$1.00 second, book of mounted insects, or drawings, of Nolan county, \$2.00 first, \$1.00 second.

Rodeo Big Attraction at Fair

Visitors to the Nolan County Fair here the last three days of this week will have an opportunity to witness what many claim is the best rodeo organization in this section in a daily performance at Swatter Park. Under the management of N. A. Stepp, of Marylene, assisted by no less a personage than Booger Rer, Jr., and further strengthened by a group of noted rodeo performers from the Bill H. Hames shows, the rodeo is made up of cowboy performers who are masters at the art of pleasing the crowds with wild west exhibitions of fancy roping, bronc riding, bulldogging, wild steer riding and other stunts that carry thrills galore.

Rodeo stars of the Bill H. Hames shows will assist the Stepp organization at the afternoon shows at Swatter Park, Stepp cowboys, in turn, will probably appear in the Hames' rodeo at night on the midway.

Under this arrangement, visitors may see real exhibitions from the old West either in the afternoon and evening. The afternoon show at Swatter Park is scheduled at 1:30 each day of the fair.

Shipments of wild horses, cows and steers have already been received. The rodeo management also desires that owners of bad horses in this section bring their stock in to be ridden during the rodeo. Substantial prizes will be offered to riders and ropers.

Under the direction of Booger Red, pens and chutes have been built at the park within the past few days for the stock. Automobiles will be allowed to enter the park and spectators may enjoy the performance from their cars.

Mrs. Mack Fife and little daughter Thelma Margaret, of Ranger have arrived to spend Fair week here with her mother, Mrs. Sam Viper and sister, Mrs. Dell Dennis.

BAD WEATHER HALTS ACTIVITIES

INTERESTING DISPLAYS BY COMMUNITIES AND MERCHANTS FILL EXHIBIT BUILDING

The opening of the Second Annual Nolan County Fair in Sweetwater Wednesday was featured by unusually splendid and numerous exhibits and displays, the especially fine showing of agricultural products, the coldest weather of the fall season and a light attendance. Every indication Wednesday night was that this year's fair is to be a greater success, larger and more extensive, than any similar affair in this section of the state this year.

Although the sudden cold wave will doubtless cut down the attendance, the fair itself is complete in every detail. Many stated Wednesday that the display of agricultural exhibits, and other displays, have never been excelled in this section of the state.

The small attendance the opening day gave workers an opportunity to complete arrangements of exhibits and booths. All the industrial and commercial exhibits were completed Wednesday, as were the community exhibits and other displays.

Features of the second day of the fair include the big parade uptown, showing of all exhibits, Bill H. Hames shows, judging of exhibits, judging of poultry, rodeo and possibly horse races.

The fair parade was scheduled for 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, but was postponed to 10 o'clock Thursday morning on account of the weather.

Every department of the fair is now complete and in readiness for the many visitors expected the remainder of the week. If clear and warm weather is forthcoming, fair officials believe new attendance records will be chalked up and that the city will be thronged with crowds each day. Saturday, especially, will probably see one of the largest crowds in town in the history of the city.

Great interest was being displayed Wednesday in connection with the strong competition on between county communities having agricultural exhibits here. Ten splendid exhibits line about half the west side of the long main building. They include displays of farm products from Roscoe, Blackwell, Marylene, Dora, Nolan, Cottonwood, Mesquite, Decker, Hylton, and Blackland. It was expected that these exhibits would be judged early Thursday. Judges, who arrived Wednesday, are: T. B. Wood of A. & M. College, College Station, and J. D. Tinsley, Santa Fe agricultural agent, Amarillo.

Willard Burton of Arlington, widely known poultry breeder and judge of the last Nolan County Poultry Association show, will judge poultry exhibits. In the neighborhood of 200 birds had been entered in the poultry show Wednesday afternoon.

The automobile show is again this year one of the attractive departments in the main building. Over a score of cars on display along the east floor of the main building. Cars included in the show are Chrysler, Buick, Chevrolet, Ford, Ajax, Nash, Overland, Willys Knight, Jewett and Dodge.

GIFTS TO PUBLIC LIBRARY

Mrs. George Willis has recently made the Public Library a gift of 18 volumes of new fiction and Miss Vera Elliott seven books of fiction. Mrs. Roy Thompson, Mrs. Ezell, Mrs. Jesse Robertson, Mrs. A. S. Kendrick, Sweetwater Candy Kitchen, Wright's Pharmacy, Mrs. J. A. McCurdy, Mrs. E. L. Frost, Mrs. Kate Risinger and Miss Venita Sneed have contributed packages of nice magazines.

Miss Hazel Rosemond came home from Abilene Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Freeze and family. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawless and two children. Mrs. Lawless was formerly Miss Beada Warham.

All About The Knapp Case

We offer this advertisement and the affidavits attending for the information of the hundreds who are interested in this case. So many untrue statements are gotten out in cases of this kind that we feel it necessary to place the plain truth before the public. Every statement contained in this advertisement can be fully proven to the satisfaction of anyone who may be interested.

We do not want you to understand that we are fighting medicine. It is your American Liberty if you want surgery; it is your **privilege** if you want Christian Science; it is your **right** if you want Suggestive-Therapeutics. WHO IS TO SAY—"YOU SHALL TAKE OUR TREATMENT, OR NONE AT ALL?"

We believe that all law should come from the consent of the governed, and we hold it as a self evident fact of our American Liberty that if you want us when one you hold dear is at the point of death you have a perfect right to call us and pay us for our services. Doctors who can restore the sick do not have to depend on monopoly laws to protect their practice. They cannot legislate confidence into the people. We believe in letting the best man win, and the wonderful patronage we enjoy is due to our success in restoring the sick.

DR. CANFIL RELATES HISTORY OF CASE

Every one in the entire country has heard something of the cases of Mr. Tom Knapp and his wife in Sweetwater. Mr. Knapp was taken suddenly ill about ten weeks ago. A few days later his good wife was also stricken.

Mrs. Knapp rapidly grew worse, and finally died. Her body was held for a number of days awaiting her husband's death which was expected hourly. She was finally buried, however, and her husband lingered on. Mr. Knapp was totally unconscious and did not even know that his wife was dead, and on Thursday, October 1st, so many of his friends had been coming to us, telling us what they knew of his condition, and begged us to go and make an examination that we finally consented to do so. There was, however, some objection from others who had been in charge of the case. We, therefore, hesitated, but so persistent did his friends become that we finally consented to take the case in full charge, which we did on Sunday, October 4th.

Upon our arrival we found Mr. Knapp's pulse 172, his temperature 102-2-5. His respiration at this time was 32 and was very short and difficult. The pupils of his eyes were widely dilated and his eyes were full of pus. Upon examination we found the upper cervical vertebra, the Atlas, was very much Left-Posterior. He was near death. Considering this the principal cause of his trouble, we made but one adjustment in throwing this back into place. The results were very satisfactory. He immediately relaxed and in a few moments his respiration improved and in three-quarters of an hour his temperature was normal. Mr. Knapp has improved steadily and is now in possession of all his mental faculties. We intend to allow him to get out of the Sanatorium within the next few days. He is rapidly gaining in weight, can walk by himself and unless something unforeseen happens he will soon be entirely well.

A. W. Canfil

Owner and Director of
Grogan Wells Sanatorium

KNAPP'S NURSE TELLS OF CONDITION

To whom this may concern:—

This is to certify that I have been employed as night nurse for Mr. Tom Knapp during his entire illness, and also assisted in caring for his wife who died during the time he has been ill. Mr. Knapp's condition had been considered grave for a number of weeks and all hopes of his recovery had been given up when Dr. Canfil was called on the case. His pulse, as reported by the day nurse, was more than 180, in fact, faster than could be counted accurately. He had been rapidly sinking for a number of hours and when I came on duty the evening of Sunday, October 4th, the day nurse told me that I was to have a bad night, and my patient could not live longer than four o'clock the next morning.

Mr. Knapp's condition was very much improved after the first treatment, and there has never been a day or hour in which he has shown the least tendency to relapse. His improvement has steadily continued until today he is perfectly normal in every way except he shows a loss of weight of 45 pounds and, naturally, he is still somewhat weak from having been confined to his room so long. His mind has come back to him perfectly, and I fully expect he will be sound and well in a very short time.

Signed: Mrs. L. R. Baker.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to by Mrs. L. R. Baker, before me this the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1925.—Dick Jackson, Notary Public, Nolan County, Texas.

STATEMENT BY W. A. KNAPP BROTHER OF STRICKEN MAN

Sweetwater, Texas
October 21st, 1925.

To whom this may concern:

On October 1st a number of the business men of Sweetwater came to me, after hearing that there was no hope for my brother's recovery and that the attending physician and nurse had fully despaired of his ever getting well, and begged and intreated me to call Dr. Canfil that he might examine and treat him, if he felt that his treatment would be applicable. I finally consented and Dr. Canfil was called to my brother's home at seven o'clock on the evening of October 1st.

The medical nurse who was in attendance immediately told me if I did not get Dr. Canfil and his other doctors out of the house that she would quit the case, and seeing that dissension would be created, Dr. Canfil, readily agreed, and he did not even examine my brother.

During the next two or three days some of the citizens of the town continued to insist that they believed that Dr. Canfil might be of service. My brother was rapidly sinking and on Sunday, October 4th I went to GROGAN WELLS SANATORIUM and made arrangements for Dr. Canfil's taking the case in charge.

The last marking made by the nurse on the case, shown previously to Dr. Canfil's taking charge showed my brother Tom's pulse to be 172, his respiration twenty-four, cold sweat on forehead. Dr. Canfil adjusted one of the bones of his neck, and within forty-five minutes his pulse had gotten down to 118, his temperature had become normal.

My brother has improved every hour since Dr. Canfil took charge of the case, and I deem his recovery bordering on the miraculous. He is now able to walk alone, his mind is fully restored and he is perfectly normal in every way. He has gained six pounds in weight during the last three days, and we feel that it is only a matter of a few days until he will have gained sufficient strength to be up and about his business. I do not know how Dr. Canfil accomplished such wonderful results, but to me it seems he knows just what button to touch to again turn on the spark of life. Words can never express our appreciation for the work he has done for us in pulling my brother out of the very jaws of death.

Signed: W. A. Knapp.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to by W. A. Knapp, before me this day the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1925.—Dick Jackson, Notary Public, Nolan County, Texas.

CITIZENS INTERESTED IN SAVING MR. KNAPP

Sweetwater, Texas,
October 21st, 1925.

To whom this may concern:—

This is to certify that we the undersigned citizens of Sweetwater, Texas, went to Dr. Canfil and entreated him to go over and examine Mr. Tom Knapp who had been at the point of death for more than eight weeks and whose recovery had been despaired of. We took Dr. Canfil to his home, after getting permission from his brother, on the evening of Thursday, October 1st.

The day nurse, who had been in charge, created so much dissension that Dr. Canfil refused to assume full responsibility on account of not having had an opportunity to examine the case and for this reason no further effort was made to get Dr. Canfil on the case until Sunday, October 4th.

Dr. Canfil finally consented to take charge of the case and the doctor who was in charge was dismissed as was the attending day nurse. Mr. Knapp continued to improve after the first treatment, given by Dr. Canfil, and we now have no doubt as to his ultimate and complete recovery. His mind is perfectly normal, and he is rapidly gaining strength, and we hope that he will soon be again able to be at his work.

Signed: J. H. Freeze S. A. Brand
G. W. Moody W. R. Hope

Grogan Wells Sanatorium

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THE "HOG"

Do you remember the other day, perhaps, ten, twenty-five, or fifty years ago, when you were only a little tot, say ten years old, only a few feet tall, and very weak in body compared to a certain fellow that you would chum with? This chum of yours was perhaps four or five years older, however, he lived in the same block that you did, and you considered him your friend, even when he would put one over on you. That didn't make any material difference in those days, you still considered him as your friend, and chum.

Then some time in the early fall, you remember, Buster Brown would perhaps come to town, and as I remember, he had a little tin novelty, which represented a shoe, and this tin shoe would make a noise like a cricket. You remember, I'm sure. Well, school was just out, and of course all the kids chased down town to see Buster Brown. Your older friend was right along in the crowd of course, and was just as eager to see Buster Brown as you were. You got to town, and found Buster on top of an awning, in front of a shoe store, or per-

haps, standing in a second story window, and the kids were together in the street in front of the store. Then Buster would take a hand full of his tin cricket shoes, and throw them in the air over you. Here they would come. The kids would grab. You would see one coming directly down upon you, but then that tall, overgrown "Friend" of yours would reach above your head, and you know the rest. Where did your shoe go? Here would come another hand full. You would almost be ready to close your hand on one, and then what happened? Your tall "Friend" would take advantage of you again, and where was your shoe? Occasionally your DEAR Friend would drop one, and you would be sure then of getting it, but he would look down right quick to see where it went, and then he would accidentally step on it, and cripple it. This, "The Cripple", you could have for yours, and there he stood with probably both pockets full of good ones, more than he had any use for, and could ever use. That's when you named him the "HOG."

Well friends, we all grew up. You caught up with that "HOG" in size, but he was so accustomed to acting the "HOG" that he still pulls the same old stunts, and it hurts us just the same, still we call him our Friend, and Chum. This "Hog" of today, is the same old "HOG" of yesterday. Where he would destroy our playthings and leave us the Cripples in those days, he destroys our sport, and leaves us the Cripples today.

He is married today, and has a large family to feed. Probably himself, and delicate little wife, who eats about two ounces of food at each of her meals. Here he goes, the daily papers notified him that duck season was open. He gets up before day-break and starts for the lake. It's dawn, and you can now get a picture of what you had been hearing, the Mallard, Butter Ball, Teel, and Canvas Back. Some amateur, two hundred yards away, let's out a roar of about seven shots from his new pump shot-gun. The ducks then start taking their daily exercise by getting up, and flying around the lake a few times. There goes the "HOG", he happens to have an automatic, and shot seven times before you could pull the trigger on your left hand barrel. Down come the ducks. The "HOG" reloads. Along comes another bunch, ou are just ready to pull the trigger, and seven more shells explode and take the game out of your hand. Well it's work time for you by now, and you must leave the lake, go home and dress for work, while the "Dear Friend of ours" has nothing to do but sit and wait for a "Half-Way Decent Shot", as he only has about ten large ducks, and of course he is still allowed fifteen more for that day. He can't eat twenty-five ducks of course, but anyway, it's fun to shoot them, and maybe he can give them away to his neighbors, and if he can't, he has a large trash can in the alley that needs refilling. You go back after working hours, and there's the "HOG", still devouring the game, and the only thing that is left for you to do is to stick around until he leaves, and then you can pick up a few of the "CRIPPLES."

If you want to continue to be the "HOG", then at least give your

Friends a chance to be a wee little "PIG".

It isn't the question of your being the "HOG", but the question of "What in the World are any of us going to shoot at a few more years from now?"

Pick up your own Cripples, be satisfied with what you can eat yourself, and let your neighbor have the pleasure of doing his OWN hunting.

The enforcement of the headlight law is in the hands of the various county authorities. The headlight division has furnished all Sheriffs and police departments in county seats with complete information for enforcement. Instructions to aid individual officers have been prepared and sent out, as have also pads of official notices which are to be used when arrests are made. All has been done to make the enforcement work easy and effective.

Excellent co-operation has been shown by a vast majority of Texas motorists in the effort to make night driving safer and more pleasant. Motorists report a tremendous change for the good in night driving conditions. Those who have not proceeded to test stations are either negligent or have not been informed of their duty toward other users of the road as expected by the headlight law. After the first of the year when all cars must have headlamps properly adjusted before registration is permitted, Texas roads should be practically free from glaring headlights. While night driving conditions have been bettered generally over the State, until all Texas motorists do their part, the greatest degree of safety and comfort in night driving can not be attained.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors were Sunday guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Majors.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lewellen are the happy parents of a ten pound son, who arrived Monday morning.

George Sheppard returned Wednesday night from a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Farrar and little daughter, have returned from a visit of several days at Brownfield, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fife of Ranger visited old friends in the city over the week end and returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. R. M. Chitwood of Lubbock is the guest of Mrs. D. I. Herndon an other friends in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDonald returned Monday afternoon for a week's honey moon trip spent at Dallas and points in East Texas. They have gone to housekeeping in Mrs. A. A. Chapman's apartment on Oak Street.

Mrs. Cyrus Sewell of Abilene spent the week end at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilson of Vernon were pleasant week end guests at the home of his sister Mrs. Benford Brown and family, on E. N. 3rd St.

Mrs. P. G. Dabney is improving from her recent illness at the Sweetwater Sanitarium where she has been taking treatment the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tatom of Lubbock, but formerly of this city were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crutcher over the week end.

H. B. Robertson of Dallas was a recent guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. F. Belcher and family for several days.

Tom Cole has returned from Waco where he has spent several days visiting his uncle Dr. J. T. Harrington and wife.

Mrs. Jim Floyd is scheduled for hostess Wednesday, November 4th and at meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club.

Miss Helen Davis returned to school at Simmons College Tuesday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Davis.

Mrs. James Henry Beall and son Jimmie, have returned from a visit at Plano with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Arledge. They also visited the State Fair.

W. B. Howard is the guest of his son, M. B. Howard, since returning from Fort Worth Sunday morning, where he was seriously hurt in an automobile accident.

Mrs. B. H. Geldert returned several days ago from Arkadelphia, Arkansas where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Lee and other relatives. She visited relatives at Fayetteville and other points as she was enroute.

Mrs. Virgil Simpson and children of Dallas are visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Simpson. Mrs. Simpson is expected to join them here in a few days.

Mrs. Willis Barbee and children of San Angelo, are here for a few days visiting her father, Judge W. W. Beall and sister, Mrs. P. G. Dabney, who is ill.

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PRUDENCE'S DAUGHTER



By Ethel Hueston

WNU Service

(Continued from Last Week)

perate plight, with a tragically penciled sketch showing him, down at the heels, treading the rails as he would doubtless be a few years hence. Jerry read every one of them. She was trembling. She knew that was because she was a tender-hearted girl, and even in her own bitterness of disillusionment, could feel but sorry for the misfortune of any human being. The thought of a young man—any young man—alone in New York, not knowing where to turn for the next meal, where to lay his head at night—Jerry had read of the miserable ones who sat on the benches in Central park all night—and winter coming on—it struck chill to her gentle heart.

She hastily pulled out a pad of paper and wrote a letter.

"My Dear Mr. Allerton:

"A letter from my friend, Rhoda La Faye, inclosing newspaper clippings, has just informed me of your disaster on Wall Street. Rhoda says you are unable to get a position, and are without funds. My father is an automobile manufacturer and employs a great many men. If you care to come to the Middle West, he will be glad to give you some kind of position. I do not know what kind of work it will be, nor how much you can earn, but at least it will take care of you until you can get on your feet again. If you have not the money to pay for your ticket, wire me collect, and my father will send it by telegraph.

"It is only fair to warn you that you may have to work pretty hard, for while my father is the kindest man in the world, he believes that every man should earn his wages.

"Sincerely yours,
"GERALDINE HARMER."

CHAPTER IV

And Jerry Disposes

One lovely September morning, at eleven o'clock, a smartly dressed young man stepped briskly into the office of the Harmer Motor company. He held his soft gray hat in his hand, and smiled, as he said he wished to see Mr. Harmer, if you please. The charm of his manner was not lost upon the young girl at the desk, who told him with real regret that Mr. Harmer was in a very important conference, and had left word that he did not wish to be disturbed. She professed her entire willingness to produce any other person connected with the establishment who could be of any possible interest to him. But the young man shook his head. He said he must see Mr. Harmer in person, and should very much appreciate the earliest possible moment—consistent with Mr. Harmer's convenience, of course.

The girl said she would see, and what name, please?

"Duane Allerton, from New York city."

She smiled. She had been expecting "New York city" from the moment she noted his entrance. She went away and came back almost at once, saying that Mr. Harmer was very busy indeed, and that another hour, or indeed another day would suit him better, but recommending the services of his business manager, who was available at the moment.

Duane considered that report. He took a letter from his pocket.

"Will you give this to Mr. Harmer," he asked pleasantly, "and tell him that I will return at any hour, or any day, he cares to designate? But I prefer not to see the business manager, unless he insists."

The girl smiled, and went away with the letter, curiously studying the address on the envelope. She was gone some time. There was something like awe in her face when she came back and said Mr. Harmer was waiting for Mr. Allerton in his private office. She pointed the way, and Duane Allerton, the soft gray hat still in his hand, a slight deep amusement in his dark eyes, opened the door and walked in.

Jerrold was standing up, the letter in his hand and the two men studied each other with equal interest. Jerrold put out his hand.

"I'm sorry I kept you waiting," he said, indicating an easy chair close to his own. "In apology, may I explain that the young woman, my daughter, did not evidently deem it necessary to mention this little—er—invitation, to me?"

"Do you mean to say you didn't know—"

"Not the slightest suggestion of a hint. It is news to me."

Duane broke into a short pleased laugh, and Jerrold after a puzzled, anxious moment joined him.

"I like that!" Duane said.

Jerrold shoved a box of cigarettes toward him. Each took one and lit it in silence. Duane leaned back comfortably in his chair, and smiled at his host. But Jerrold, under cover of the cigarette, was sharply appraising, re-

marking the dapper smartness of Duane's clothes, the weave, the tailoring, the studied niceness of colors and tones.

"Do you want a job?" he asked, hopeful of a refusal.

"Yes, please."

"What can you do?"

"Lord knows."

"Know anything about cars?"

"I can drive them."

"How old are you?"

"Twenty-seven."

"How long has your father been dead?"

"Twelve years."

Jerrold faced him shrewdly. "Are you as badly off as my daughter seems to believe?"

Duane hesitated. "Well, perhaps not quite. I didn't lose as much as the papers said. Didn't have that much."

"Then your father died when you were fifteen. My impression would be that a man who could earn a fortune, would hardly entrust his son's entire future to his own disposal—at fifteen."

Duane flushed a little. "I hope you won't be such a poor sport as to tell your daughter that. As a matter of fact, I lost more than I could afford to, but my father tied up enough to take care of me, however much of a fool I might turn out."

Jerrold laughed, but sobered quickly. If then it had not been financial need which brought this city youth to the Middle West—it was a matter far more serious. His heart sank within him. He thought of Prudence and her happiness in having Jerry with her.

"I'll call her up," he volunteered. And when he had his daughter on the wire, he said cheerfully:

"Oh, by the way, Jerry, I have a young man from New York here looking for a job—letter from you as a recommendation."

Jerrold waited. He waited until he realized that his daughter had nothing to say on the subject.

"Well, what shall I do with him? Shall I bring him up to the house?"

And then suddenly there came such a torrent of tumultuous words over the wire as caused Jerrold to gasp with dismay, while confusion and consternation spread over his kindly face. Presently a sharp click on the wire informed him that the conversation was at an end. He hung up the receiver. There was a deepening anxiety in his face as he said:

"My daughter says— Do you want to know what my daughter says?"

"Very much."

"I am pained to report that my daughter says if I bring you near the house she'll shut the door on both of us, that you came here for a job and I am to give you a job, and the harder you have to work the better it will be for you, but that personally she hasn't the slightest interest in you or in what becomes of you, as long as you keep out of her sight."

"Well, I'll be d—d," said Duane, and could say no more.

"Both of us," corroborated Jerry's father gently.

This turn of affairs burdened Jerrold with the entire responsibility for the young man. He did not like it. He didn't know what to do with him. He wished Jerry might have been more communicative about her impulses before she yielded to them. He thought she might at least have discussed the affairs of the Harmer Motor company with its official head before she involved the establishment in foreign complications of such portentous magnitude.

"Do you like the Middle West?" he asked weakly, remembering his duties as host, although he felt very much as if he had suddenly become the troubled owner of a white elephant placed in his Christmas stocking by some misguided well-wisher.

"Never saw it," said Duane Allerton. And then, suddenly feeling that perhaps some slight explanation was due this plainly harassed father, he went on: "You see, Mr. Harmer, I tried to—well, stir a little—with your daughter in New York. And she didn't like it."

"Oh, didn't she?" Jerrold was surprised. He shot a quick look at the young man. He was very good to look at, even to perturbed and troubled Jerrold. He was inclined to doubt the sincerity of his daughter's dislike.

"But she does like it," Duane went on positively. "Everybody said so. And besides, I saw her myself. But she seemed to gingle me out for her resentment. For no good reason, as far as I could make out."

"Wait a minute. I'll call her up again and tell her she can't do these things." Jerrold spoke quite sternly. But when he got the number, it was Prudence's voice that answered. She said that Jerry had gone wildly away in the "Baby," and didn't know when she would come home, and if her father brought any strange young men around the house she'd never be home.

"See here," said Jerrold sharply, glad it was Prudence, with whom it was much easier to be stern than with imperturbable Jerry. "You should have told me about this."

Prudence professed her complete and absolute ignorance of it, at which her husband felt somewhat better. It was always a source of grievance to him when Prudence knew things first. He began to feel quite gratified because he had been selected for the brunt of the burden.

"Oh, it must have been a shock to you," he said sympathetically.

"Not a bit. I knew there was a man in it somewhere."

"How did you know that? Did she tell you—"

"She told me nothing. I knew by the way she looked."

"Well, what shall I do with him? I don't know what to do with him! I don't think he knows how to work—

and he doesn't want to work anyhow. What shall I—"

"I don't know," said Prudence cleverly. "What do you think?"

When Prudence said that, both Jerrold and Jerry stepped warily, afraid of blundering. It was Prudence's way of getting herself out of a tight place. With those few words she could shift the entire responsibility for any matter in the cosmic universe and lay all consequential blame on other, stronger shoulders.

Jerrold hung up the receiver and faced the White Elephant grimly. The White Elephant, it must be admitted, seemed not in the least disturbed, rather pleased in fact, as though, like Prudence, he washed his hands of the entire affair and left himself to Jerrold's disposal.

And then like a rare flash of inspiration Jerrold saw a way out. He scribbled quickly on a piece of paper.

"I tell you what," he said triumphantly. "She's gone out in the car—Jerry, I mean. You go up to the house and see Prudence. She'll tell you what to do. It seems you are expected to take a position and go to work for me. Come in tomorrow if you think you can stand it, and we'll see what we can scare up. But the first thing for you to do is to go right up there as fast as you can and see Prudence."

Jerrold sent a boy from the shop to take him to the house in one of the cars, and Duane found himself standing—

(Continued Next Week)

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

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Present day methods of embalming originated early in the Eighteenth century, when alcohol was used to preserve the internal organs. Oil was later used. Embalming requires the injection of about four quarts of embalming fluid into the blood vessels and arteries. Embalming reached a state of perfection in Egypt 3,000 years ago, but the secret was lost and the art has never reached its previous perfected state.

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Father Sage Says:
Some jokes is so poor that a glass of hard cider should be served with 'em to make 'em seem better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cole are expecting their daughter Mrs. S. H. Sneed and children of Blackwell to arrive Friday to spend several days here with them.

Miss Amy Daniel of the Canyon Teachers College is at home for a short visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Daniels in the Ada community.

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Mrs. R. H. Howe has returned home from Long Beach, California, where she has been spending the summer and autumn, to look after some ranch property which she will place on sale.

B. J. Jackson, day ticket agent at the Santa Fe, is reported improving at the Temple Sanitarium, where he will take treatment for several days longer, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McGlaunn are visiting their son Weldon, at College Station, where he is doing his third year's work. They visited the State Fair enroute.

Mrs. J. T. Thompson has returned to her home at San Angelo, following a visit a several days here the guest of Mrs. R. C. Ledford.

Mrs. Ned Shealor and little son of Dallas are here to visit her mother Mrs. R. A. Musgrove and sister Mrs. Homer Thompson on Cedar Street.

Mrs. J. T. Prim is visiting relatives at Fort Worth. Miss Ruth Prim, her daughter, recently returned from Ft. Worth.

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Capt. Roald Amundsen, Norwegian Arctic and Antarctic explorer, is delivering a series of lectures throughout the United States under the auspices of the American Museum of Natural History, describing the dash by plane which he with Lincoln Ellsworth and four others made toward the North pole last summer.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AUXILIARY.

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary enjoyed a Missionary program Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sie Edwards. The program subject was "Korea", with Mrs. R. M. Hammock presiding. Roll Call, responses were given with scripture quotations. Mrs. Wiggins opened the program with a talk and reading on the work accomplished in the Korean Mission field. Mrs. J. E. Barrick read an article giving further information on the work in Korea. Mrs. C. A. McCorkle gave an interesting talk on "The Youth of Korea."

Mrs. C. W. Bryant took the chair during a short business session. On next Monday the Auxiliary will devote the afternoon to their "White Cross" work, making bandages to be sent to the Sou-Chow, China, Hospital.

Mrs. Edwards served a course of home baked cake and hot chocolate and whipped cream.

Mrs. J. D. Moore of Dallas has been called here to be with her mother, Mrs. E. V. Grogan, who is not doing so well the past few days. She recently broke her right arm.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Stephenson are enjoying a visit from her father, Hose Holley.

Modish Millinery Abounds in Clever Workmanship



Millinery is wonderfully fashioned this season, unique workmanship featuring its every detail. All the hand craft is brought into play. It would seem. It is not so much the materials themselves as the way they are put together. Not only is there a daring of color, but the stitchery involves the most complex art of the needlewoman. It is a very confident milliner who will combine purple with red, but the mode calls for just such a futuristic effect. This combination is successfully carried out in the top hat in this group, fuchsia purple being used for the velvet and deep red for the heavy satin crown. The center velvet toque combines leaf brown with orange. The larger felt poke, a shape very fashionable by the way, shows a clever slanting of the crown, which reveals a novelty metal fringed ribbon, the same finishing in a band and bow at the headline.

COUNTY MISSIONARY MEETING.

Will be held at Sweetwater November 6th when representatives from every Baptist Missionary society in County will be present. The ladies of the Lamar Street Baptist church will be the hostesses. They request that every lady who attends will bring along a package of sandwiches to be served with the noon lunch and the Lamar Street Baptists' will furnish the remainder of the lunch, which will be served at the noon hour.

* SOCIETY *

CHURCH OF CHRIST BIBLE CLASS.

Held their regular Monday meeting at the church with Elder W. D. Black conducting very interesting lesson on "The Deliverance of the Children of Israel from Egyptian Bondage."

There were twelve present including two new members.

GLEANERS MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Held a most enjoyable meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. H. McLain at the Hall Apartment. Mrs. Berry led the opening prayer and Mrs. G. E. Ramsey the closing prayer. There were nine members present.

Mrs. J. L. Ross' home will be the place for next Monday's meeting, when a short business session will be held followed by a "Week of Prayer" program. Mrs. J. I. Payne, district chairman is expected to be present and assist with the program.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID SOCIETY.

Held their meeting Monday afternoon in the church auditorium, with 17 members present. Dr. McKissick directed a splendid lesson from the 4th chapter of First Peter.

The ladies voted to abandon the idea of the Food booth at the Fair grounds, but will conduct a cold drink stand at the Race Track entrance.

On next Monday the Aid Society and the Golden Rule Circle will meet in their Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Homer Bradford, according to a previous announcement.

EPISCOPAL LADIES AUXILIARY.

Met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Ledford with the president, Mrs. M. B. Coate and secretary Mrs. Dan Ripley, in their places.

It was decided to begin next Monday on their Christmas box, to be sent to the Indian Mission School at Farmington, N. M. They will complete their allotment of clothing to be sent to the school by the middle of December.

Mrs. Leo Dressler will be hostess for Monday's meeting. Mrs. Ledford passed plates of sandwiches, salad, hot coffee and mint.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Met at the church, with the president, Mrs. C. G. McCord and Mrs. W. L. Hunter leading an interesting "Character Study of Lydia." Stories of other prominent women of the Bible were told by Mrs. Catherine Robbins, Mrs. O. L. Stamps, Mrs. Will Wade, Mrs. G. W. Farris, and Mrs. L. B. Roberts.

One of the most pleasant features of the meeting was the vocal solo given by Mrs. R. M. Chitwood of Lubbock, with Mrs. C. G. McCord at the piano.

Next Monday will be the time to hold the regular monthly business meeting and Mrs. McCord requests that the ladies meet promptly at 8 o'clock at the church.

LAMAR STREET BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Met Monday afternoon at the church and quilted out a quilt for one of their members, the money going into their parsonage fund. They voted to further swell this fund by holding a fancy work sales booth and a Larkin Food booth at the Fair ground.

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25c Gingham for...25c	Ladies Silk Slips...\$2.98
25c Gingham for...21c	Ladies Silk Teds, fine grade at...\$5.98
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DELPHIAN CHAPTER MET.

Friday afternoon marked another attractive meeting of the Delphian Chapter, which took place at the home of Mrs. Hubert Toler on N. E. 3rd Street.

Mrs. Leeper directed the study on "Golden Age of Painting." Mrs. Roy Henthorne gave an interesting talk on "Realistic School of Painters." Mrs. Leeper talked of "Botticelli" and his works. Mrs. B. L. McDonald told of the work of "Leonard Da Vinci." Mrs. Walter Boothe told of the great paintings of "Michael Angelo." During the business part of the meeting the coming Fair was discussed and the progress being made in the Culinary of which the Delphian ladies will have charge. The decorations of their float came in for discussion also.

This was the meeting for this week but was moved up on account of the Fair, which will schedule the next meeting for November 5.

Mrs. Toler served delicious mince pie with whipped cream and hot coffee.

LIVE STOCK EXHIBIT IS FINE

JUDGING TO TAKE PLACE FRIDAY; FOLLOWED BY SALE

Judging of exhibits in the livestock department of the Nolan County Fair will begin Friday morning, followed by the official sale of the Texas Hereford Breeders Association Friday afternoon. Competent judges have been secured, and a long list of cash awards has been prepared for winning exhibitors.

Pure bred, registered Herefords from many points over the state will be here for the sale, and many animals have been consigned for the sale.

This department of the fair is considered one of the major events, and will doubtless prove to be the outstanding drawing card. Visiting cattlemen are expected from all over the state.

The awards to be made for prize winning livestock follows:

Herefords: Bulls calved 1923, first \$15, second \$10.00; bulls calved 1924 between January 1 and June 30, first \$15.00, second \$10.00; bulls calved 1924 between July 1 and September 30, first \$15.00, second \$10.00; bulls calved between October 1, 1924 and June 30, 1925, first \$15.00, second \$10.00; senior champion bull, \$15.00 first, \$1.00 second; junior champion bull, \$15.00; grand champion bull, \$15.00; heifer calved 1923, first \$15.00, second \$10.00; heifer calved 1924 between January 1 and June 30, first \$15.00, second \$10.00; heifer calved in 1924 between July 1 and September 30, first \$15.00, second \$10.00; heifer calved between October 1, 1924 and June 30, 1925, first \$15.00, second \$10.00; junior champion heifer, \$15.00; senior champion heifer, \$15.00; grand champion heifer, \$15.00.

Dairy Cattle: Best Jersey milk cow, \$10.00 first, \$5.00 second; best Tolstein milk cow, \$10.00 first, \$5 second.

Sheep: Best ram, 2 years and over, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best ram, 1 year and under 2 years, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best ram lamb, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best ewe, 2 years and over, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best ewe, 1 year and under 2 years, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best ewe lamb, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; sweepstakes, ribbon.

Angorians: Best buck, 2 years and over, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best buck, 1 year and under 2 years, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best buck kid, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best doe, 2 years and over, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best doe, 1 year and under 2 years, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; best doe kid, \$5.00 first, \$2.00 second; sweepstakes, ribbon.

Duroc Jersey Swine: Best boar, any age, \$3.00 first, \$2.00 second; best sow, any age, \$3.00 first, \$2.00 second; best sow pig under 12 or over 8 months, \$3.00 first, \$2.00 second.

Poland China Swine: Best boar, any age, \$3.00 first, \$2.00 second; best sow, any age, \$3.00 first, \$2.00 second; best sow pig, under 12 or over 8 months, \$3.00 first, \$2.00 second.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stokes and son, Master McGee Stokes of Temple are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Davis and family on Cedar Street.

Mrs. John Focht and little son spent the week end at Abilene visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goss. She attended the dedication service of the new \$100,000 Methodist church at Abilene Sunday of which Rev. W. M. Pearce is pastor.

SELF CULTURE CLUB.

Mrs. Robert Withers was hostess Friday afternoon at her home in the Orient Addition at a meeting of the Self Culture Club, when they enjoyed a program on "English Landscape Painters."

Mrs. I. S. Focht proved an able leader. Mrs. G. E. Ramsey gave a very interesting story of "The Life of Turner" and on "Constable, His Life and Place in the World of Art."

As usual the Round Table gave each member an opportunity to express their opinions of the subjects studied.

Mrs. Davis was absent and Mrs. E. P. Reese presided over the business part of the meeting.

The hostess living and dining rooms reminded of the nearness to Hallowe'en with their festoons of yellow and black ribbons and Hallowe'en emblems traced on the curtains. The floral note was supplied with an abundance of fall blooms in floor baskets, and vases on table and mantle.

Mrs. S. W. Browning and Mrs. Jim Butler assisted in serving a sandwich course with cake and coffee. Yellow Hob-gob-lins were given as plate favors.

Special guests were Mrs. R. A. Stewart and Mrs. Sie Edwards, both of whom, were former club members.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowen were returned from a delightful honeymoon trip of two weeks, visiting at Dallas, Waco, San Antonio and other points of interest.

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MRS. W. P. COLEMAN DEAD

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. W. P. Coleman, who died at 11 o'clock Monday morning, at the home of her daughter Mrs. J. L. Taff on Elm Street, following an illness of several months.

Rev. W. D. Black, pastor of the Church of Christ conducted the services from the home of Mrs. Taff, interment following in the City Cemetery. The services were largely attended and friends contributed numerous floral offerings as an expression of their sympathy.

Mrs. Coleman was 72 years old. She was born in Tennessee in 1852 and came with her parents to north east Texas before the Civil War. She and her husband became members of the Church of Christ 25 years ago and she has lived a consistent Christian life ever since.

Mrs. Coleman's husband preceded her in death eight months ago and the grief over his death added to the shock of losing her youngest son, Leonard, a short time previous, was more than her frail strength could overcome. She has been confined to her bed constantly during the past eight months and has borne her suffering as became a child of God. Everything that medical skill and loving hearts could do has been done to alleviate her suffering.

When death came she was surrounded by four daughters and two sons; Mrs. J. F. Taff, Mrs. Josephine Plant of this city; Mrs. D. C. and Mrs. W. W. Payne of Stephenville; Robert Coleman of Sweetwater and George Coleman of Stephenville and her granddaughter Josephine Coleman.

Other relatives and friends here for the funeral were: Mrs. W. H. Danley, her niece from Trent; Mrs. A. C. Brashear of Snyder and Robert Coleman's brother-in-law, Bill James of Stephenville.

Mrs. Benford Brown and little daughter have returned from a ten days visit at Vernon, having been called to the bedside of her sister, Miss Violet Wilson, who returned home with her to spend the winter.

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"Broadway" has just returned from the Gay White Way, Smiketown and the burg that Walter Johnson put on the map, not to speak of points between, including Podonk and Picendilly.

Once upon a time some gink said that you "can get the boy out of the country but you can't get the country out of the boy." And, without casting any reflections on "Broadway," we think the aforesaid gink chirped a mouthful.

Now, take our hero, the boy who juggles "em's" and "quads" for the News; most folks with itching toesies have seen further in a paper sack than old man Kinsey's lad has been on a choo-choo, but, that is neither here nor there, what we started out to tell was about "Broadway's" recent jaunt to the large and wicked city.

With a mental picture of Roscoe safely stored away in his thintank Kirby jumped off the train in New York City, took one look and then sat down right in the middle of the street completely flabbergasted. His next official act was to hurriedly purchase a postal card upon which he scribbled:

"Dear Luther: The census gives New York 6,000,000 inhabitants. Must be some mistake cause I've already seen that many at the depot. Kirby."

A few days later after "Broadway" had safely scaled the Woolworth building and got an eyeful of little old Noo Yawk from above, he wired his dad, collect, as follows:

"Have just spent five hours on top of Woolworth Tower; don't let anybody make you believe they built it from nickels and dimes, there a trick in it somewhere. Stop. Send me five more dollars. Kirby."

Kirby spent the next three days riding on subway trains after which he dropped a postal card to a local friend, saying: "Been down in the bowels of old Mother Earth and just come up for air. Kirby."

After staying in New York many days and not seeing a single familiar face Kirby jumped to Pittsburg to see Walter Johnson pitch in the opening game of the World Series. Promptly another postal came home reading: "Saw the mighty Walter wind up, cut loose and heard a loud noise in catcher's mitt; could not see the ball."

Next day another one-center was received saying: "Guess every man, woman and child in Pittsburg smoke cigars cause the town is simply full of smoke, some of which no doubt belongs to Walter Johnson. Kirby."

A few days elapsed before he bobbed up in Detroit, the home of Henry and Edsel. After dodging flivvers for several hours he wrote: "This is a 'rattling' good town, 300,000 population and eighty million Fords."

"Broadway" eventually showed up in Oskosh from where he sent a hurried wire to dad. "Send another five spot, am on the hog. Kirby." The receiver of that wire, after due reflection, sent the following short, crisp reply to his wandering prodigal: "Sell the hog and come home."

So, customers, "Broadway" Kirby (Himself) Kinsey, erstwhile printer and traveler deluxe, is back on the job juggling "em's" and "quads" and doing right nicely, thank you.

Leland Glass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Glass of this city has been signally honored when he was one of four new members elected from the senior class for membership in the Friar Senior Honorary Society at the State University. Only the men of outstanding personality, who have proven the better all round students are ever given this honor. Leland has made most excellent grades during the past three years and last year won some of the most difficult athletic feats for the University.

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Friar is the senior honor society of the University. The society was founded in 1911. Its object is to confer the honor of membership upon the eight most eligible men chosen from each senior class of the various departments and schools of the entire University, and to give these men selected a medium of associating together with members of the faculty of the University, prominent citizens and alumni invited by the society to meet with it at the formal banquet board for the discussion of events, affairs, problems, and tendencies within and without the University.

Friar elects new members twice each scholastic year. In the spring term it elects from the junior classes the four men that stand out as the most eligible for membership. In the following fall term it elects four more eligible men from the same classes who are then in their senior year.

Election to Friar is purely honorary. Membership in social organizations, affiliations and popularity with the University and mere prominence are not qualifications upon which election to Friar is based.

The society elects those candidates for any degree who stand out from the members of their class and represent the most well-rounded type of college men—men who represent a thoughtful, substantial, and scholastically efficient type of students; men who possess and have exhibited the qualities of wholesome leadership, a mental grasp of affairs, a sense of public service; men who have during their University career, achieved prominence by illustrious service for the University; men who because of the total of these qualifications are adjudged the biggest men in their class and who give promise of rendering the highest type of service in their communities after they graduate from the University and take upon themselves the responsibilities of citizenship.

Friars in the University are: William L. McGill, Robert Murphree, Lloyd Gregory, Nowlin Randolph, Richard W. Blalock, Clinton "Dad" Burnett, Robert Harris, Sim Kelley, Sandi Esquivel, and Stewart Harkrider.—The Texan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Exell, Roy Freeman, Virgil Morton, Robert Andrews, Leroy Johnson, John McLain and Lang Aycock here among the Sweetwater people who visited at Dallas during the closing days of the State Fair.

C. B. Simmons left Wednesday morning for Topeka, Kansas, where he goes to visit his mother, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davis returned the first of the week from a visit at Dallas with their daughter, Miss Beulah, who is attending school at the Southern Methodist University. They also visited other relatives and enjoyed the State Fair.

Mrs. B. E. Patterson has returned to her home at Fort Worth, accompanied by her son Tom Patterson and wife of Midland who went down to the Fair. Mrs. Patterson has spent the summer and fall in the city with her daughter Mrs. J. K. Simpson and son, C. C. Patterson. She is 89 years old and has been making exquisite fancy work of all kinds during her visit which she will present to her daughters.

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Of the Christian Aid Society held their meeting Monday afternoon in the upstairs church parlor and Dr. McKissick led the Bible lesson from the 4 and 5th chapters of Hebrews.

They voted to hold a Cake and Pie Sale every two weeks to raise the money to apply towards the church debt fund pledge. Their sale of last Saturday produced about ten dollars cash.

They discussed their Christmas Bazaar to be held early in December.

Mrs. K. M. Hodges is enjoying her school work at the State University of Colorado at Greeley, where she has attended several summer sessions. She taught five weeks at the East Ward before her work began at the University.

Mrs. A. G. Elliott, mother of Miss Willie Elliott is somewhat improved from her recent illness, according to today's report. She has been quite sick for several days at their home on Lamar Street.

Herbert Cook of Brady, former host at the Wright Hotel has returned to his home, following a visit of several days here the guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Canfil.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wight and daughter Miss Mary, returned several days ago from a months visit at Dallas with their sons Leyland and Allen Wight and their families.

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