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## A Dark Horse Gets Started In the Race

**J. W. Davis, West Va., Comes To Front From Dark Horse Ranks With 129 1-2 on 23rd Ballot—Smith and McAdoo Losing.**

### FAVORITE SONS GO OVERBOARD

**Governor Brown, New Hampshire, and Pat Harrison Dropped—Iowa Delegation Stormed by Floor Leaders.**

By The United Press.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, July 1.—A real development was in the making at the balloting in the Democratic national convention continued this afternoon.

After polling 122 votes on the 20th ballot, thus dashing out from the general group of dark horses, J. W. Davis of West Virginia increased this by three votes on the 21st ballot, and became a real factor in the convention. He got 129 1-2 on the 23rd ballot.

Both McAdoo and Smith are losing ground.

Despite the fact that Nebraska dropped Governor Charles Bryan and gave enough votes to McAdoo to make a gain of 439 from this delegation, the Californian lost ground and polled only 139.

Both the Smith and Davis floor workers caught a change in the Iowa delegation. They failed to swing a majority however, and the Iowa chairman said that Iowa's vote would be cast as a unit for the time.

The convention recessed shortly before 5 o'clock until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

#### Deadlock Continued.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, July 1.—An all day session of constant balloting before the maximum strength of McAdoo and Smith was reached in the deadlocked convention, opening the way for "breaks" was in prospect after the 16th ballot was cast without a nomination.

With changes here and there, McAdoo had 478 on the first ballot of the seventh day of the convention. Smith registered with 305 1-2.

The McAdoo forces were sticking fast, and the managers had enough votes left in the hole to enable them to fill a majority before the day was over, according to their claims. The aim of the Smith managers was to show McAdoo that they had a one-third vote, thus blocking him.

Two more favorite sons went by the board on the first ballot today, when New Hampshire dropped Governor Brown, for whom they voted all day yesterday, and gave Smith 4, McAdoo 3, and Walsh 1.

Mississippi left Harrison and switched 20 votes to Robinson, but this was not the ultimate destination of their strength. It is understood that Arkansas will switch to McAdoo from Robinson.

The Iowa delegation was described as very restless. It contains several Smith votes, but the delegation strength goes to McAdoo under the unit rule. On later ballots it is probable that there will be a demand for a poll of the Iowa delegation.

Despite changes made in several delegations on the 16th ballot, the thorough manner in which the leaders were jockeying made it apparent that there was little change in the situation as compared with that of last night.

The Smith vote on the 16th ballot was identical with that on the 15th or final ballot last night. McAdoo's 478 was one less than he received on the 15th.

Sixteenth ballot: Total, 1098; Smith 305 1-2; McAdoo, 478; Cox 60; J. W. Davis, 63; Glass, 23; Ralston, 31; Robinson, 46; Underwood, 41 1-2; Walsh, 1; Bryan, 14; Ritchie, 17 1-2; Davis, 11; Saulsbury, 6; Brown, 1; Copeland, 1.

17th Ballot—Total, 1098; Smith, 312 1-2; McAdoo, 471 1-2; Cox, 60; J. W. Davis, 64; Glass, 44; Ralston, 30; Robinson, 28; Underwood, 42; Walsh, 1; Bryan, 11; Ritchie, 17 1-2; Johnathan Davis, 10; Copeland, 1-2; Saulsbury, 6.

18th Ballot—Total, 1098; Smith, 312 1-2; McAdoo, 470 1-2; Cox, 60; J. W. Davis, 66; Glass, 30; Ralston, 30; Robinson, 22; Underwood, 39 1-2; Walsh, 2; Bryan, 11; Ritchie, 18 1-2;

Governor Davis, 10; Saulsbury, 6; Cordell Hull, 20.

19th Ballot—Smith, 311 1-2; McAdoo, 474; Cox, 60; J. W. Davis, 84 1-2; Glass, 30; Robinson, 39 1-2; Walsh, 2; Governor Davis, 9; Saulsbury, 6; Copeland, 1.

20th Ballot—Smith, 307 1-2; McAdoo, 432; Cox, 60; J. W. Davis, 122; Glass, 25; Ralston, 30; Robinson, 21; Underwood, 45 1-2; Walsh, 8; Bryan, 11; Ritchie, 17 1-2; Governor Davis, 10; Saulsbury, 6; Mayor Dever, Chicago, 1-2; G. Hitchcock, 1; Baker, 1.

21st Ballot—Total, 1097, one not voting; Smith, 307 1-2; McAdoo, 439; J. W. Davis, 125; Underwood, 45 1-2; Glass, 24; Ralston, 30; Robinson, 32 1-2; Cox, 60; Walsh, 7; Ritchie, 17 1-2; Governor Davis, 5; Baker, 1; Mrs. Carol Miller, 1-2; Baker, 1.

22nd Ballot—Smith, 307 1-2; McAdoo, 438 1-2; Cox, 60; J. W. Davis, 123 1-2; Ralston, 32; Robinson, 22; Underwood, 45 1-2; Walsh, 8 1-2; Ritchie, 17 1-2; Davis, 5; Saulsbury, 12.

23rd Ballot—Smith, 308; McAdoo, 438 1-2; Underwood, 39 1-2; Glass, 30; Ralston, 32; Robinson, 23; Cox, 60; Walsh, 8; Ritchie, 17 1-2; Davis, 5; Saulsbury, 6.

24th Ballot—Smith, 308; McAdoo, 438 1-2; J. W. Davis, 129 1-2; Underwood, 39 1-2; Glass, 29; Ralston, 32; Robinson, 23; Cox, 60; Walsh, 9; Ritchie, 17 1-2; Saulsbury, 6; Pomrene, 1.

#### SQUIRE DEPLORES BOBS

Man Who Has Wed 2,000 Couples Says It's Terrible.

KINTON, N. C., July 1.—Bobbled hair meets with detestation from Kenneth Foscoe, marrying squire here, who has in his mind the wedding of over 2,000 couples.

"It is terrible!" said the magistrate. "The hairpin industry is going to the devil. Hairpins are being driven out of the market! What are we going to do about picking out walnut meats and meeting an emergency when we bust our galls?"

Justice Foscoe loosened his collar and shook a warning finger. "I've seen lots of things in my life, but this monkey-business is something I never expected. If something isn't done men will be wearing petticoats and glass-bracelets in the next generation."

Another "meanest man" is the fellow who kisses a girl against her will, then lets her know that he knows he didn't.

The President should stand the strain alright of Congress stars him in the role of innocent bystander.

## Broker Offers Bet McAdoo Won't Ever Get 550 Votes

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 1.—Five thousand dollars on even terms that McAdoo will not at any time receive 550 votes in the Democratic national convention was announced today by the brokerage firm of J. S. Fried and company.

Odds that the Californian would receive the nomination were placed at 6 to 1 against him. Odds on Al Smith strengthened from 2 1-2 to 1, to, 3 to 1, after the voting last night.

## LOOT BANK SAFE

Robbers at Cresson, Texas, Get \$1,000 Monday Night—Officers Looking For Clue.

By The United Press.

CRESSON, Texas, July 1.—Bank robbers obtained about \$1,000 when they looted the safe of the First State Bank here.

The safe was opened some time Monday night. Authorities are searching for clues to the identity of the robbers.

#### RESCUES CHILDREN

Miss Anna Yates Saves Two Boys From Drowning.

Special to The Reporter.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 1.—For the second time in June, a young lady rescued two drowning persons near here, when Miss Anna Yates, daughter of Ira Yates, Ft. Stockton stockman, plunged fully attired into the bathing pool at the Christoval camp grounds, and brought safely ashore Tiny Blanton and William Chancellor, 9 year old boys.

On Wednesday, June 11, Miss Minnie Wedell of San Angelo saved a 12 year old boy and his sister from drowning in the South Concho river here.

#### Weather.

Tonight and Wednesday, partly cloudy, warmer in North portion Wednesday.

#### Picnic Party For Guests.

The remaining members of the old U. S. A. Presbyterian Church of which Rev. J. M. Youree was a former pastor honored he and his wife Monday evening with a picnic party at the City Lake. Rev. and Mrs. Youree lived in the present home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Berman and the old church is what is now known as the Berman Apartments.

The hour following lunch was largely given over to talking over former days among old friends and neighbors who are enjoying visit of these good folks. Rev. Youree was the first one to organize the Boy Scout movement in Sweetwater and was their Scout Master as long as he remained in the city.

#### LAMESA THRIVING

C. E. Cameron Reports Thriving City With Much Building.

C. E. Cameron is spending a few days in Sweetwater before moving his family to Lamesa where he is manager of the West Texas Electric Co., plant there. Mr. Cameron has been connected with the Sweetwater office of the company for several years.

Mr. Cameron reports that business and farming conditions at Lamesa are excellent, much building going on and the town steadily progressing. A brick block is being built to replace the buildings destroyed by fire recently, and other building is going on, including the construction of a \$100,000 high school building.

Mr. Cameron and family plan to leave for Lamesa the middle of the week.

Mrs. E. H. McGlaunn, and three sons, Weldon, Bill and Jack, accompanied by Mr. McGlaunn's mother, Mrs. M. A. McGlaunn of Snyder, left today on an auto trip to Bremond to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Holmes, her parents. The Holmes family will enjoy a reunion of all the children on July 4.

## FILE EXPENSES

Candidates Make First Report to County Clerk—Two Other Reports Yet Due.

Tuesday was the last day for candidates for county and precinct offices to file with the county clerk the first sworn statement of their campaign expenses. This first statement must be filed not more than 30 days nor less than 25 days before the election. The county clerk reports that most of the candidates have submitted their statements.

Two other sworn statements are required of the candidates, the second one to be filed not more than 12 days nor less than 8 days prior to the primary election, and the final one must be filed within 10 days after the election. Any candidate failing to comply with these rulings may be disqualified as a candidate by any warrant of the county bringing quo warranto proceedings in the district court.

The law provides the form of the oath that must be taken in swearing to the statements and also states that in the reports must be included the names of any persons to whom funds in excess of \$10 is paid and the total amount expended and liabilities incurred and unpaid and all money received in contributions and borrowed. This statement, according to the law, in the case of a county candidate, is filed by the candidate or his campaign manager with the county clerk. In the case of state and district candidates, the sworn statement is filed by the candidate or his campaign manager with the Secretary of State.

#### VISITS OIL FIELD

Orient Special San Angelo to Big Lake.

Special to The Reporter.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 1.—Several hundred visitors from San Angelo and towns between here and Big Lake on the Orient visited the Big Lake field Sunday, saw oil flowing from well No. 9, making 59 barrels an hour ten days after it was brought in, and were convinced that they had an oil field right at home.

A special train on the Orient carried many visitors and others made the trip by automobile. Fourteen derricks are in sight from the Orient track at Texon—seven of them producers, three dry holes.

The three dry holes, and four uncompleted.

#### To Visit Southeast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snell and son, Billy, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Wimberley and son, Fred, will leave Wednesday for Fort Worth and Dallas stopping at Abilene to see their daughter Miss LaNelle, who is doing some special work at Simmons College toward her degree, which she expects to make at S. M. U. next year.

The Snell family will pick up Miss Mae Snell at Dallas and continue their trip to Sexton and San Augustine, where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

#### CLOSE TOPEKA SHOPS

Santa Fe Prepares Against Long Layoffs Later.

TOPEKA, Kas., July 1.—The Santa Fe locomotive shops were closed by order of Fred C. Fox, general manager, until July 14. The action was taken to conserve the working forces of the road and avoid the necessity of long lay-offs.

The order will also affect such branches of the shops' organizations as are directly affected by the work in the locomotive shops. The order includes shops in San Bernardino, Cal., Cleburne, Texas, and Shopton, Iowa.

There has been a considerable slackening up in work at the Topeka shops recently and little repair work is in sight. The car department has been working on a forty-hour week basis for two months.

The Wichita, Kas., Eagle notes a strange occurrence in the Newton Kansas this week. A dealer was advertising bathing suits, and the figure used in the illustration was that of a man diver.

## Charges Marines Bombed Haitians Killed Over 3,000

By The United Press.

LYONS, France, July 1.—U. S. Marines killed more than 3,000 Haitians by bombs dropped from airplanes over their villages, Bellegarde, former Minister of Public Instruction, charged today in winning a bitter fight to bring before the International Federation of League of Nations Societies the question of military occupation of Haiti.

## BEATS RICHARDS

American Tennis Star Eliminated at Wimbledon By French Entry Monday.

Beats Richards

By The United Press.

WIMBLEDON, Eng., July 1.—Vincent Richards, American, was eliminated from the all-comers' tennis championship today by Jean Borotra, France. Richards took the only sets he won by 6-4, 4-6, 6-0, 6-3.

#### MICROBE OF LOVE TONIGHT

Y. W. A. Presents Three Act Musical Comedy.

"The Microbe of Love" a three act musical comedy, will be presented by the Young Woman's Auxiliary at the Palace Theater Tuesday night. Specialties between acts have been added to the generous program of entertainment provided in the play.

The play opens with a grand chorus of charming girls and youthful bachelors. In the first act, the spinners are at a loss as to how to catch the men, until Madam Cupid enters with the microbe of love and guarantees it to puncture the male heart just as the boll weevil does the cotton.

"The Left Over Club" holds a meeting between acts, where the awfulness of their left over condition is discussed. The second act shows a meeting of the Bachelors' Club, where woman gets the blame for all of man's suffering.

The bachelors are hopelessly inoculated with the love microbe in the last act of the play, a garden party where they have been invited by the spinners. The climax is a beautiful and skillfully executed wedding scene. Advance indications are that a capacity house will enjoy the performance.

Mrs. W. N. Crosthwaite and little daughter returned Sunday night from visiting her sister, Mrs. D. E. Hamlen at Abilene.

Mrs. R. A. Runnove, left several days ago for Roanoke, Va., to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Ned Shealar and family.

#### DUDLEY CO. GETS OIL

Test Well Goes 50 Feet Over Derrick Near Abilene.

Special to The Reporter.

ABILENE, Texas, July 1.—Oil struck by the Dudley Oil, Gas and Development Co., 21 miles southeast of Abilene shot 50 feet over the derrick and the well was shut off until storage tanks could be secured, according to an announcement of the general manager of the company.

The oil was discovered Sunday morning, and about 30 barrels were bailed from the well during the day. The slush pit was full of oil Monday, and the well shut down, waiting for tanks.

#### DOUBLE HOLIDAY

St. Louis Will Take July 4 and 5. For Celebration.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 1.—St. Louis will celebrate Independence Day and President Coolidge's birthday on July 4th and spend July 5th as a holiday too, according to a proclamation by Mayor Henry Kiel. July 4th will be the 52nd birthday of President Coolidge, and the 148th anniversary of the birth of our nation. July 5th will be the fiftieth anniversary of the completion of the Eads bridge.

## AIR MAIL PLANES IN NEW SERVICE

Transcontinental Mail Lines Begin Operation Along Maughan's Cross Country Trail.

MAUGHAN STARTS HOME

Will Visit Parents in Utah—Planes Hop Off From Long Island and San Francisco.

By The United Press.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Along the successful trail blazed by Kully, McReady, and Maughan, the air mail flies today.

A flood of letters stamped with "air mail" stamps flooded the station at Hazelhurst Field, Long Island, from where it was to be transported across the continent.

So many wanted to send mail on the first trip that it was necessary to provide two planes for the westward flight, instead of one. Another leaves San Francisco east bound over the air route and daily service will be maintained in both directions.

By The United Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 1.—Russel Maughan, the "dawn to dusk" flier, hopped off at Crissy Field at 6:20 this morning on his return trip across the continent.

Maughan will fly to Salt Lake City today; and there leave his plane while he spends a day or two with his family in Logan, Utah. He will then continue the flight to New York.

#### Returned to Sweetwater.

Mrs. S. D. Myers and her daughter Miss Melrose, and son Billy, have returned to Sweetwater to again make this their home after an absence of several years. Mrs. Myers was in business at Abilene the past year while Miss Melrose was a student at C. I. A. at Denton and Billy took his three years work at A. & M. College. They are at the old Myers home on Third street, which will be remodeled into a two-story residence and an out of town lady will install a modern Tea Room in one of the first floor living rooms.

#### CONSIDER CHURCH MERGER

General Methodist Conference May Join Two Branches.

By The United Press.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 1.—The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, meeting here, will decide whether to close the breach which has existed since the Civil War and slavery between the North and South branches of the church.

Heated opposition, already organized in one branch of the Methodist church South will be thrown against the force of churchmen favoring ratification of the pact to unify the two branches.

Bishop Warren Candler of Atlanta is heading the faction bitterly opposing joining hands with the Northern branch, on the grounds that the Southern branch will not benefit and that articles of separation have been violated for years by the Northern church.

Younger bishops and churchmen, however, favor the merger and will oppose any attempt to delay or defeat the question. Only ratification of the Southern church remains to complete the reuniting. The Northern church ratified the merger plan at the conference in Springfield, Mass., this spring.

#### Good Crops at Nolan.

W. P. Hammonds was in Sweetwater the first of the week from Nolan and advises that crops are looking good out on the Divide. But little if any damage has been caused by grass hoppers, he reports.

#### THE COTTON MARKET

L. A. Eberle.

New York Cotton.				
Open	High	Low	Close	Yest'y
				Close
Oct.	29.30	29.95	29.25	29.90
July	25.08	25.24	24.98	25.18
New Orleans Cotton.				
Open	High	Low	Close	Yest'y
				Close
July	27.65	27.99	27.80	27.91
Oct.	24.25	24.44	24.22	24.42

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—THE FIRST DAY

The first day of balloting has passed into history in the epochal 1924 convention of the Democratic party with the expected deadlock present in all of its glory.

With a total of 1098, the two thirds rule required that in order to be selected, a candidate must receive 732 votes. At this writing it begins to look like a long long session.

Just when the break will come no one can tell. It may come today, tomorrow, or one day next week. The favorite sons, with the vote of a state delegation, or two at their command, are going to hang on like grim death. For they are of the opinion that neither of the two leading candidates can be elected and are hoping that in time they may be considered among the "dark horses."

Shrewd political observers are also of the opinion—an opinion strengthened by the progress of the balloting in its early stages—that neither McAdoo nor Smith can be the standard bearer of the party; both having strength enough to keep the other out. And from the standpoint of party harmony, neither should be the nominee. For the bitter struggle over the Klan plank, etc., has left things in such shape that it is entirely probable that a considerable portion of the party would bolt rather than vote for the candidate of the other.

President Calvin Coolidge is presumably maintaining his habitual silence but the presumption is that he is watching the New York pageant of Democracy with great joy, as he and his party stand ready to benefit by any internal strife that may survive the close of the Democratic Convention.

—MODERN DANGERS

If one heeded every warning concerning the dangers of modern life that are waiting to drag him to his grave or make his existence on earth hardly worth the effort, he would have nothing to do but worry about what catastrophe was next on the program.

In a recent issue of a neighboring newspaper, whose editor fills its pages with what may be considered average reading matter, the man who was enjoying his after dinner smoke was warned that he was likely to get cancer of the stomach and the rest of the family quietly informed that defective feet were rapidly becoming the nation's latest physical problem.

The trouble with such reading matter is that it probably contains a generous proportion of the truth.

But we are warned so often and so thoroughly that we can't take the warnings seriously. The man who smokes a package of cigarettes a day or burns up several cigars may just as well reserve a room in the nearest hospital now, says a noted specialist. And yet those enamored with Lady Nicotine will light up again as they read the scientist's words.

So alarming has the hoof disease among humans, as differentiated from

the hoof and mouth disease among animals, become, that shoe dealers plan a "Foot Comfort Week" when they are to conduct clinics for feet that have gone wrong.

Smoking and chewing tobacco in moderation will not hurt any one, says the specialist who warns that the human body absorbs nicotine like a sponge, and that excessive indulgence in tobacco causes deep seated cancer. He says that Ulysses Grant's death was due to cancer of the tongue, brought on by over indulgence in big, black cigars.

There were not as many warners in Grant's day as there are now. Hundreds of men and women make studies of our problems, and wave the red flag of danger in our faces. Experts can plan our meals, our working hours, our exercise. They can tell us when to quit, but it apparently doesn't do much good.

Common sense health rules should be observed and the efficient laws of the experts thrown in for good measure. We can enjoy life without getting grey over what habit or custom will next prove our down fall, and we can just as easily take care of our minds and bodies.

—NEW WAR TERRORS

A pitiless, never-sleeping Science, combining its marvellous and terrible discoveries, has evolved the most cruel machine known to warfare—an invisible, silent flying machine that pours death upon its victims.

The advent of the silent air-raider, which creeps unseen across the sky to pour out a liquid chemical so poisonous that a few drops on the human skin causes almost instant death, is revealed in the July issue of McClure's Magazine by Harry Harper, Technical Secretary of the British Civil Aerial Transport Committee.

Harper, who has been intimately familiar with the development of aeronautics before, during and since the war, declares the nations of the world are piling up costly air armaments that grow more fearful day by day.

"Secretly, behind the doors of remote laboratories," he says in the article in McClure's, "Science stands committed to a weird battle of wits. Things which even romance writers have hesitated to put before their readers are beginning to shape in actual, concrete fact.

"Tanks that swim are being constructed; gaunt, slim destroyers that fly; and uncanny, silent hybrid craft that plunge beneath the water to hide themselves. For the war of the future there are to be crews of fearless men who live, work and fight in three different elements—land, sea and air.

"Take for example, one amazing development. Only a short time ago fiction writers were picturing some huge air machine which could launch while it flew to attack earth positions or other aircraft, a stream of small hornet-like airplanes. The launching of a fighting plane from a mother airship and its flying back to attach itself to her again in midair is actually being accomplished in secret official tests."

Such "motherships" are being built, Harper says. They will be capable of flying thousands of miles and will carry a dozen or more steel fighting

planes. Such ships in time of war will move at great heights, several miles above the earth, and will serve as a base or "flying aerodrome" for the fleet of small planes.

Another new fighting machine, now in design, Harper says, is a steel-proved flying ram—a metal hulled air plane with a knife-like prow of steel. Its task will be to rush other aircraft and cut them down with its knifed prow. Its wings will be telescopic and as it rushes upon another plane the wings will be drawn in. After the enemy plane is rammed to the earth, the "ram" takes up the search for other victims.

The French, according to Harper, are building an entirely new type of airplane. It is a hollow wing, housing the engine and crew. Only the landing chassis and propeller are outside the wing, greatly reducing air resistance and lowering visibility.

Public speakers should remember one thing about the radio, says the Salina, Kas., Journal. It cannot smooth out mis-pronunciation and bad grammar as nicely as the newspapers can.

A woman's remark, according to the Atchinson, Kas., Globe: "Wasn't it brave for that aviator Maughan, to carry a log with him?"

The most helpless feeling, is described by the Kansas City Star as being that time when you returned from the honeymoon with a single dollar in the world, and you don't feel quite well enough acquainted with your bride to tell her the true state of affairs.

Even a man with horse sense will make an ass of himself occasionally, noted the Hastings, Neb., Tribune.

Several local married men refuse to buy their wives washing machines, says the Erie, Kas., Record, probably going on the theory that they married a washing machine.

It may be that a particular kind of religion may keep a man out of the White House, but a little more religion of some kind wouldn't harm the entire force of job-holders.

—PIANO and VOICE PUPILS

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—Owsley May Address Teachers

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 1.—Col. Alvin Owsley of Dallas, past national commander of the American Legion, has been invited to speak Thanksgiving Day at the opening session of the annual convention of the Texas State Teachers' Association, which will be held in San Antonio. It is planned to make the program a great patriotic occasion.

Dr. and Mrs. Hendrix and Rev. Freeman of Abilene were in the city Monday and Rev. Freeman went on to Roby where he began a series of revival services for the Roby Methodist Church Monday night. Dr. and Mrs. Hendrix visited Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Casper at Grogan Wells, who were their old-time friends but neither knew of the close proximity of the other until Monday.

Miss Francis Fitzgerald has gone to Farmersville to visit Miss Francis Hamilton, following a visit of several days at Weatherford.

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Watch For Opening Date

S. F. SCUDDAY

Legion Meeting.  
The Oscar McDonald Post, American Legion, will have a regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the court house. This is the last meeting before the picnic and every member is urged to be present.  
E. E. Herrington, Post Commander. 130-tic

C. B. Robertson, Santa Fe agent here, and family have returned from a trip to Purcell, Okla., where Mr. Robertson visited his mother.

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**CATCH 'EM WILD**

**Wild Cow Milking Thrilling Event At Rodeo Here.**

The wild cow milking that is one of the features of the rodeo to be staged at the ball park here July 4, in connection with the American Legion picnic, is a sure 'nough thriller and an event that has never before been seen in Sweetwater.

"If you don't think the cows are wild, come out to the ranch and see,"

said S. B. Weatherby, staging the rodeo. "Two men on horseback make a team. One ropes the cow, and the other holds her by the horns. The rope is taken off, and the second man sees how quickly he can get some milk in a soda pop bottle."

The first man who gets enough milk to pour some out of the bottle wins. Many other feature events will be seen here.

Miss Edna Chapman of Weatherford is guest of Miss Lena Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Parker enjoyed a week-end visit from her brother, S. P. Burnett and wife, of Goldsboro, whom they visited ten days ago when they attended the big Goldsboro picnic. Her sister, Mrs. John Kegan of Clyde accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mays, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. George Stiles, will leave tonight on a pleasure trip to Los Angeles and points of interest on the Pacific Coast. They will be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Anthony have purchased the Dick Randall home near the high school and will take possession August 1.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Youse of Stamford are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. George Parker and other friends in the city. Rev. Youse was formerly pastor of the local U. S. Presbyterian Church before the church was consolidated. He is now pastor of the Stamford Presbyterian Church.

**All Set For Rodeo.**

Rodeo events never before staged in Sweetwater will be seen at the rodeo at the ball park, July 4, in connection with the Legion picnic, 1 to 3 p. m. Twenty per cent goes to Legion. Everything will be clean and snappy, admission fee of 25 and 50 cents refunded if rodeo is not as advertised. Cowboys from all over West Texas will be here. Special features are wild cow milking, bronc riding, cowboy novelty race, wild mule race, steer riding, cowboys potato race, and trick roper and lady rider. Don't miss this real rodeo. 13073c

A concert will be given by the Jubilee Choral Club, Paul Quin College, Waco, at the court house Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Collins were week-end guests at Abilene, guests of her brother, Milton Adams and wife.

Miss Rozelle Brand of Hamlin, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl Ragland.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Stephenson left Sunday for Galveston on a vacation trip. They will visit his mother near San Angelo enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Alden left last night for California, where they will spend two weeks on their annual vacation. They will visit friends at Los Angeles and take trips to points of interest on the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Butler and daughter, Miss Margaret are at Weatherford visiting Mrs. Butlers sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Moore and son, John Dalton Jr., accompanied by her sister, Miss Edna Yonge of Post, left this afternoon for Galveston, where they will spend ten days or more on the coast.

John Humphries, who has been under treatment of a specialist at Paris for several weeks past is expected to reach home Wednesday morning. He underwent a successful operation for appendicitis about two weeks ago and is convalescing nicely.



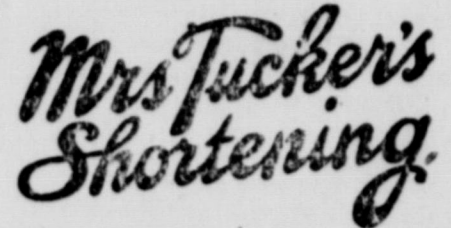
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Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Dulaney and daughters were week-end guests at the home of his brother, J. D. Dulaney and family. Miss Eleanor Dulaney remained over for the week to attend the Fourth of July Legion Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Toler and family accompanied by several friends left Sunday afternoon on a week's vacation and fishing trip on Devil's River.

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## Political Announcements

The following announce their candidacy for the various offices named below, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Tax Collector:  
JIM BUTLER

MISS WILLIE ELLIOTT Re-election

FOR TAX ASSESSOR  
H. P. HARKINS re-election

For Public Weigher  
Precinct One  
LLOYD ROGERS, re-election

FOR COUNTY JUDGE  
A. S. Mauzey re-election  
Jno. H. Cochran Jr.

FOR COMMISSIONER-Precinct 1  
W. H. Thompson, re-election.  
A. J. Roy.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2  
G. W. Koerth  
Sy Dennis

FOR COMMISSIONER, Precinct 3  
G. O. McGinley, Hylton.

FOR COMMISSIONER, Precinct 4  
Geo. Eatwell, Maryneal

COUNTY CLERK  
Gus Farrar, re-election.

FOR SHERIFF  
Jack Yarbrough re-election.  
Jesse Lambert.

SUPERINTENDENT  
Public Instruction.  
Miss Minnie Fowler, re-election.  
J. C. Gilliam.  
Will H. Scott

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY  
R. D. Cox, Jr., re-election.

For District Clerk  
DAN CHILDRESS, Re-Election

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE,  
Precinct 1  
I. W. Brashear, re-election.  
John Bryan.

For County Treasurer  
W. T. HIGHTOWER, Re-Election  
G. C. Farris.

FOR STATE SENATE  
Harry Tom King, Abilene, Texas.  
Jesse R Smith  
(Stephens County)  
Judge B. L. Russell, Baird.

Miss Pauline Parker of Pecos who was a member of the graduating class of the Sweetwater High School passed through the city the other evening on her way to Burlington, N. C., where she will spend some time with her sisters and attend a business college.



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Twenty-three members of Mrs. R. L. Shaffer's Sunday school class were entertained by Mrs. Shaffer, assisted by Rev. and Mrs. Hestir, Charles Patterson and Ralph Shaffer, at Kildugan Creek Friday.

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