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Bryan Chosen To Run With Davis

Nebraska Governor, Brother of Commoner, Selected Personally by Candidate For President as His Running Mate.

WALSH AND MEREDITH REFUSE

Bryan Asks For 'Short and Snappy' Speech in Nominating Him—Hundreds of Weary Delegates Leave Before Choice.

By The United Press.

UNITED PRESS HEADQUARTERS, WALDORF HOTEL, NEW YORK, July 10.—John W. Davis of West Virginia for President and Charles W. Bryan of Nebraska for Vice-President.

That is the Democratic ticket, coupling the conservatives of the East with the progressives of the West, brought out from one of the most bitter contests in political history at 2:25 a. m. today.

The nomination of the Nebraskan was forced by a coterie of Democratic leaders after he had been personally selected by Davis as his running mate. It came on the first ballot, and furnished a curious anti-climax to the fierce battle for the presidential nomination, which ended with a compromise candidate on the 103rd ballot yesterday afternoon.

The selection of Bryan was made after the Democrats had been turned down by Progressives. Senator Walsh formally refused the nomination, stating that he believed he could best serve the party by running for re-election to the Senate. The name of Edwin T. Meredith of Iowa was withdrawn after he had refused to run with Davis on the grounds that he was too conservative to appeal to the agricultural West.

Davis was unwilling to accept any of the nine nominees brought forward; a recess of an hour was taken at midnight while Davis conferred with party leaders at the historic Democratic rendezvous, the Manhattan Club, just across the street from Madison Square Garden.

Many Delegates Leave.

When Bryan was finally hit upon, Cordell Hull, Tom Taggart, Pat Harrison, and others, bear headed, rushed to the Garden to get his acceptance. He met them at the door, and speedily consented. It was necessary to place him in nomination, and Harry B. Fleharty was rounded up to name him.

Bryan himself told his sponsors to make it "short and snappy." Fleharty complied and the balloting began.

Worn out by two weeks of bickering and strife and three hours of oratory earlier in the evening, hundreds of the delegates had gone home. The galleries were all but deserted. Less than 500 spectators remained of the vast throng that jammed the galleries to give Al Smith, their hero, a thundering ovation, and Davis, who had been invited to the garden to speak, a cordial welcome. Most of the delegates seats were taken by "ringers."

REVOLT SERIOUS

Late Reports Say Dead Fill Streets in Sao Paulo—Rebels May Occupy Entire City.

By The United Press.

BUENOS AIRES, July 10.—The situation in the state of Sao Paulo, where state troops have sieged military barracks, is becoming very grave. One report is that the rebels have captured the city of Sao Paulo.

Private advisers were that the rebellion had been overcome, but it is now reported that the mutiny has spread throughout the entire metropolis.

"The dead and wounded are everywhere. A food shortage is threatened. Governor Carlos de Canto has either fled from the city, or is a prisoner," one message stated.

The seat of government has been moved from Sao Paulo to Santos. There are five federal battle ships in Santos harbor. Five hundred refugees from Sao Paulo arrived there Wednesday, according to a private message.

J. H. Freeze has been called to Jonesboro, Arkansas where his mother is seriously ill.

SPOT COTTON MARKET

By Sweetwater Cotton Exchange

NEW YORK	3025	3055
New Orleans	2849	2840
Dallas	2765	2815
Galveston	2850	2895
Houston	2800	2850
Sweetwater	2800	2825

BRUTAL ATTACK

Man Found on Road Says Five Men Held Him, Two Performed Operation—No Motive For Crime.

By The United Press.

ATHENS, Texas, July 10.—Athletes here are baffled over the circumstances surrounding the attack and operation on Ranson Sullivan, 30, of near La Rue. Sullivan was found on a lonely road near La Rue, weak from loss of blood. He had been mutilated.

According to his story, seven men captured him on the road, and while five of them held him, two others, with their faces painted over, operated on him. The victim was unable to identify any of his assailants, and could give no motive for the attack. Sullivan will recover, physicians say.

CHALLENGE ROBERTSON

Didn't File Expenses Correctly, Attorneys Hold.

By The United Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 10.—Mrs. Claud Van Watts, president of the State W. C. T. U. obtained an opinion from Hart, Patterson, and Hart, Austin attorneys, that Felix D. Robertson in his candidacy for Governor did not comply with the law as to date of filing affidavit or the substance of his report in the account of campaign expenses.

Woman Swimmer Tries to Cross English Channel

By The United Press.

FOLKSTONE, Eng., July 10.—Wearing a special suit made of silk, linen, and rubber, weighing 11 pounds, Miss Zetta Hills plunged into the English channel at 6 o'clock this morning, in an attempt to swim to France, a feat that no woman has yet accomplished, and but four men. Miss Hills' father and mother accompanied her in a motor boat.

RAIN DELAYS T-P

Wash Out Near El Paso—Rain at Roby, Rotan, Stamford, Abilene.

Two trains on the T-P were delayed on account of washouts and bad engines Wednesday night and Thursday morning, according to reports from El Paso and Fort Worth.

T-P No. 6, east bound, due in Sweetwater at 10:30 p. m., was two hours late Wednesday on account of a wash out at Findley, east of El Paso.

T-P No. 5, west bound, due in Sweetwater at 5:45 a. m., was about four hours late Thursday morning. The engine went dead west of Fort Worth and a new engine had to be sent out from that city.

The T-P reported good rains a short distance east of El Paso, and light rains Wednesday night from Tohya westward.

Good rains were reported by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., to have fallen Wednesday night at Stamford, Abilene, Roby, and Rotan. Big clouds were reported at Coleman and Brownwood, but no rains.

Services at Colorado.

Joe Ridenbaugh of Merkel, Field secretary of the Epworth League, Miss Lila Cox and Miss Jessie Lee Johnson, secretary and assistant secretary for this district respectively, aided the Epworth League of Colorado at their services Wednesday night.

FERGUSON SAYS DIVERSIFY CROPS

Former Governor Warns of Perils of One-Crop System; Predicts Bright Future Sweetwater.

SPEAKS AT LUNCH CLUB

Many Visitors Present at Regular Meeting Thursday Noon at Hotel Wright—Program.

Sweetwater is logically situated and shows every evidence of becoming one of the largest if not the largest city in West Texas, former Governor J. E. Ferguson told the members of the Sweetwater Club at their regular meeting Thursday at noon at the Hotel Wright.

J. P. Aylor presided as chairman. Other visitors included S. L. Jeffers of San Antonio, who owns the Country Club Addition east of town, W. B. Guthrie of Wichita Falls, father of Mrs. J. A. McCurdy, enroute to California, Rev. Gaston Froote, J. D. Beggs, of Wichita Falls, and others.

Miss Ruth Davis entertained with a recitation in her own inimitable fashion and Mrs. Garnett Nickson, accompanied by Mrs. R. C. Scudday, pleased with two songs in her rich mezzo-soprano.

R. C. Scudday reported on the Legion picnic, stating that all bills were not yet in so that a financial statement was not yet available.

By unanimous vote, Legion members to the Ballinger district convention next week are urged to secure the following district meeting for Sweetwater.

Governor Ferguson said that he made his first trip to Sweetwater about ten years ago and observed that development since that time was very noticeable. He aided in the dedication of Lake Trammell, he said, and predicted that eventually Sweetwater would be the largest city in West Texas.

The Governor warned against staking everything on cotton; urging diversification, and especially recommended that business men support livestock raising on the many rough acres. Although livestock prices are now depressed, he predicted improvement.

One instance cited by Governor Ferguson concerned some beef cattle from Nolan and Midland Counties that sold for \$136 a head on the Chicago market. He read an item concerning the sale by a Warrensburg, Ind., man and wrote the man, who replied that he had purchased the cattle in Nolan and Midland Counties, fed them until 21 months old and then sold them as baby beef.

U S LEADS FIELD

Three First Places in Pole Vault and Hammer Throw Win Put American Athletes Ahead.

By The United Press.

COLOMBES STADIUM, Paris, France, July 10.—The Stars and Stripes were floating from three Olympic flag staffs today when America won the three first places in the pole vault.

Lee Barnes, California high school boy, surprised the experts when he beat Glenn Graham, California Tech, and James Brooker, Michigan University, who placed second and third, respectively. Sturrow of Oregon, who was expected to be among the winners, barely got in the "money" by taking sixth place.

Although every member of the American team cleared the bar at 13 feet in the try outs at Harvard stadium, the winning mark today was 12:8 1-2.

The United States took a comfortable lead over Finland when she added 16 points in the hammer throw. Finland took two firsts today, both due to her remarkable runner, Hurmi. The score now stands: U. S., 177; Finland, 103; England, 46 1-2; Sweden, 24 1-2; France, 13 1-2; Switzerland, 10.

Work on Country Club Addition.

C. L. Jeffers of San Antonio, owner of extensive realty holdings east of town, was in Sweetwater the middle of the week on business, and checking up on the Country Club Addition work on his property.

Physicians Study Report of Cancer Germ Discovery

By The United Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 10.—The formal announcement of the discovery of the germ that causes cancer, and hope of developing successful treatment of the disease, was today carefully studied by the foremost surgeons, bacteriologists, and pathologists of the United States. The report was presented to the leading physicians from all parts of the country attending the Academy of National Sciences meeting here.

MANY AT PICNIC

Albright, Blanton, and Barry Miller Chief Attractions at Shep Gathering Wednesday.

Approximately 4,000 persons from Taylor, Nolan and Runnels Counties, invaded Shep, Texas, Wednesday and materially increased its population, heard various and sundry candidates cut loose from numerous promises to make the State of Texas a more inviting place in which to live, and, incidentally, wrapped themselves individually and numerically around large portions of dead cow, more popularly known as barbecue.

Practically every candidate in Nolan County strided his staff, so to speak, but aside from mixing and mingling with his fellow sufferers and hiding quantities of the beverage that is "made in the shade," was forced to call the day a blank. After a few State candidates and several hundred, more or less, Taylor County candidates had expounded untold reasons why they should be elected, Old Sol, who had worked overtime throughout the day, sank in the well known west, bring to a close the end of a perfect day.

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, Ernest C. Albright, his opponent, and Barry Miller, running for Lieutenant Governor against a large field, proved to be the principal speaker both from standpoint of applause received and the undivided attention of a large audience.

Blanton's speech varied but little from the one delivered here on July 4. He juggled figures in an amazing manner, touched lightly on fistic encounters on the floor in which he played a more or less prominent role and closed with flowery words of appreciation to the people of Shep, his old stamping ground, for a solid vote in the past. He expressed the hope of a continuation of their support and was roundly applauded at the conclusion of his 30-minute speech.

Albright Cuts Loose.

Barry Miller delivered an eloquent address, interspersed with just the right amount of slang. He dwelt at length on the prohibition question, the child labor law and other vital questions of the day. He stepped from the platform amid thunderous applause.

Albright followed Miller and proved, at least from a standpoint of color, to be the outstanding figure of the day. Upon being introduced by M. A. Williams, chairman of the day, Albright at once charged the packed tabernacle somewhat after the fashion of the Wild Bull of the Pampas, telling first of his early service in Congress as page, later as a secretary and finally of his long cherished hopes and ambitions to return to Washington as an honored representative of this district.

He emphasized the fact that, on account of a technical error in placing his name on the ballot as an opponent of Blanton, that his name was left off of fourteen counties and that he experienced slight hope of being elected but with spectacular gestures cried, "I'm running now and I'll be running the next time you hear of me."

He concluded his stirring appeal for votes by literally begging for at least a share of support from Taylor, Runnel and Nolan County voters. Th' people of Shep, which by the way, was named in honor of A. M. Sheppard, father of our former Mayor, were given a vote of thanks for the wonderful barbecue and for the hospitality shown several thousand sweltering visitors.

BARTON TALKS ON STATE PROBLEMS

Candidate For Governor Here Wednesday Stresses Schools, Law Enforcement, Taxes.

CITES LIQUOR SITUATION

Tells of Conditions at Glen Rose and Mexia That Made Rangers' Intervention Necessary.

Thomas D. Barton, Adjutant General of the State, and candidate for Governor of Texas spoke to a small crowd gathered on Oak street Wednesday afternoon in the interest of his campaign.

His previous political record and discussion of state problems including schools, taxes, prison systems, eleemosynary institutions, and law enforcement, were the high points in his short address.

In speaking of schools, Barton declared that the people would have to pay taxes to have schools. He urged the support and maintenance of all schools, and protested the tearing down of one school and education system to build up another.

"We should have no education system discriminating against each other," he stated. "We shouldn't take away from city schools or colleges to build up rural schools, nor throw our efforts towards building up the bigger schools. We don't need so many new schools, as we need good schools. Let's make the ones we have the best possible. I had rather have best schools in Texas than the most schools in Texas."

"We have all the state normal colleges we can take care of now, and should not try to build more. But I believe the poorest child in Texas should have college education if he has ambition, and wants it."

Texas has fine material for good roads, Barton said, and should have as good a system of highways as any State.

"Let's take the criminals and convicts of the State and put them all to work on the roads," he suggested.

He declared that all the eleemosynary institutions in the State were hopelessly crowded, and insane asylums and other institutions were receiving requests daily for space for patients.

Law enforcement and prohibition enforcement in particular came in for a good discussion from the candidate who told of conditions over the state as he had seen them officially as adjutant general.

"No matter what a law is," he declared, "it is a law and must be enforced."

"I want to see a law passed," he continued "stopping the retail drug stores from being saloons. Drug stores in Texas, many of them, are selling many gallons of whiskey a year. In Dallas, more than 10,000 gallons of whiskey is sold in a year by retail druggists legally, and I don't know how much otherwise."

He quoted the amount of liquors sold by other drug stores in other towns including San Antonio, Houston and Waco.

He told of prohibition conditions at various Texas towns and his connection with the same as adjutant general. Prominent among these were the Glen Rose affair in which two Rangers sent by him captured 30 stills the first day there, all being within walking distance of the court house, and the returning of 38 indictments, which resulted in the sheriff receiving a four-year sentence and the county attorney of that county being indicted, and Mexia, where he and Rangers captured large quantities of whiskey and gambling instruments during the height of the oil boom there.

He referred to the statements of one candidate for Governor who has declared that he did not favor the sending of Rangers to a community until they were sent for by sheriff and county attorney.

"How long do you think officers at Glen Rose and Mexia would wait to send for Rangers?" asked Barton. "They wouldn't send for them because the bootlegger and gamblers meant too much money for them. Whenever I believe officers are not enforcing the laws," or can't enforce the laws, I'll send Rangers if I think they are needed."



GINGHAMS

One lot of fine French Gingham, regularly 65c yard, July Clearance Sale49c
 All 50c French Gingham, on sale, January Clearance...39c
 Belfast Cambric, regularly 25c, July Clearance.....19c
 One lot of cotton checks, just the thing for quilt lining 12-1-2

Another lot of fine gingham, regularly 25c, July Clearance17c
 75c Tissue Gingham, July Clearance55c
 50c Tissue Gingham, July Clearance39c
 A large assortment of 32-inch gingham, regularly 35c, July Clearance24c

LADIES COAT SUITS

We have a few ladies coat suits. We are going to sell these coat suits during this July Clearance Sale. They will be priced way below the market but we are determined to sell them. If you want a coat suit at practically your own price, look at these.

LADIES SILK DRESSES

Our silk dresses were unusually beautiful this year and still more tempting at the remarkable low prices for July Clearance.

- \$28.50 Dresses, July Clearance Sale \$18.39
- \$32.50 Dresses, July Clearance Sale \$23.69
- \$32.50 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$29.50
- \$25.00 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$16.89
- \$21.50 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$15.49
- \$47.50 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$32.10
- \$43.75 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$32.70
- \$19.50 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$12.89
- \$18.50 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$12.49
- \$16.50 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$10.69
- \$24.95 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$16.44
- \$12.50 Silk Dresses, July Clearance \$ 5.79



HOSIERY DEPARTMENT

Nowhere in our store are there more bargains to be found than in our hosiery department. Men, women and children's hose, in silk and in lisle, in the famous Topsy brand. Be sure to take advantage of this opportunity and stock up during our July Clearance Sale.

July Clearance Sale



Opens Friday, July 11th

CLOSING SATURDAY, JULY 26

--the outstanding selling event of the year--

Just what you have been waiting for, Jones Dry Goods Company's first clearance sale of the year. We must make room for large stocks of fall merchandise that will soon be pouring into our store. We must clear our stocks. To do it we have gone through the entire store and cut every price—deeply. All thought of profit is sacrificed. We must move merchandise. We expect this July Clearance Sale to make new selling records in this section. We've got the goods, we've made the prices, and now it's up to you. If you don't save money at this sale it's your own fault. Don't let somebody else reap the harvest. Come! Tell all the neighbors, pile all the kids into the flivver and be on hand for the great feast of bargains that starts Friday, July 11.

LADIES SHOES

All Spring and Summer footwear, in patent leather, satin, black kid and light colors.

- \$10.00 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$7.95
- \$ 7.75 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$6.45
- \$ 7.50 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$6.25
- \$ 6.75 and \$7.00 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$5.95

Odd lots satin pumps, broken lines, extra values, at \$2.95 and \$3.95. Special lot of white kid pumps, \$7.50 to \$8.75, July Clearance, one-half price.

In addition to these prices quoted, we have a large assortment of late styles in ladies oxfords, black and brown, in kid and in calf skin. We can very highly recommend the wearing qualities of these shoes as well as their comfort. Specially priced for July Clearance Sale.

CHILDREN'S FOOTWEAR

We have an unusually large assortment of fine shoes for children, including the well known Buster Brown and Dr. Pasco lines. These are all sharply reduced in price for—

JULY CLEARANCE SALE

SAVE ON SHEETING

During this July Clearance Sale all wide sheeting will be sold at a big saving in price. Both the bleached and the brown sheeting included in July Clearance Sale prices.

MODART CORSETS

We have an extra large stock of Modart Corsets. During this July Clearance Sale we will price them at a figure that will surprise you—it is so low. Astounding values will be found everywhere in the store, but be sure not to miss this one. You can save some real money in the purchase of a Modart Corset during this July Clearance Sale.

SILKS REDUCED

All yard Silks are marked at a big reduction in this JULY CLEARANCE SALE.

20 Per Cent Discount on all Trunks, Suit Cases and Traveling Bags during July Clearance Sale.

A large assortment of ladies House Dresses, values up to \$1.50 each, July Clearance, long as they last.....89c

SHOES

MEN'S OXFORDS

We are including in this sale all CROSSETT Oxfords, men's and young men's favorite for style, wear and comfort. There is no better shoe made anywhere—

- \$9.75 Values, Crossett Oxfords, July Clearance.....\$8.45
- \$7.50 Values in black and brown, kid or calf skin oxfords, July Clearance.....\$6.45
- \$6.75 Values in all late model oxfords, kid or calf.....\$5.95
- \$5.50 Values, men's fine durable, long-wearing oxfords, July Clearance Sale.....\$4.95
- \$4.75 Values, an exceptionally close priced shoe, July Clearance Sale.....\$3.95

MEN'S HIGH SHOES

Late models, comfortable lasts, in black or brown, kid or calf-skin, a wide assortment priced to move them during this July Clearance Sale.

- Buy now for cool weather.
- \$8.75 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$7.85
- \$8.00 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$6.95
- \$7.50 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$6.45
- \$6.00 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$5.25
- \$5.50 Values, July Clearance Sale.....\$4.95

All Men's and Boy's Work Shoes at Money Saving Prices During July Clearance Sale

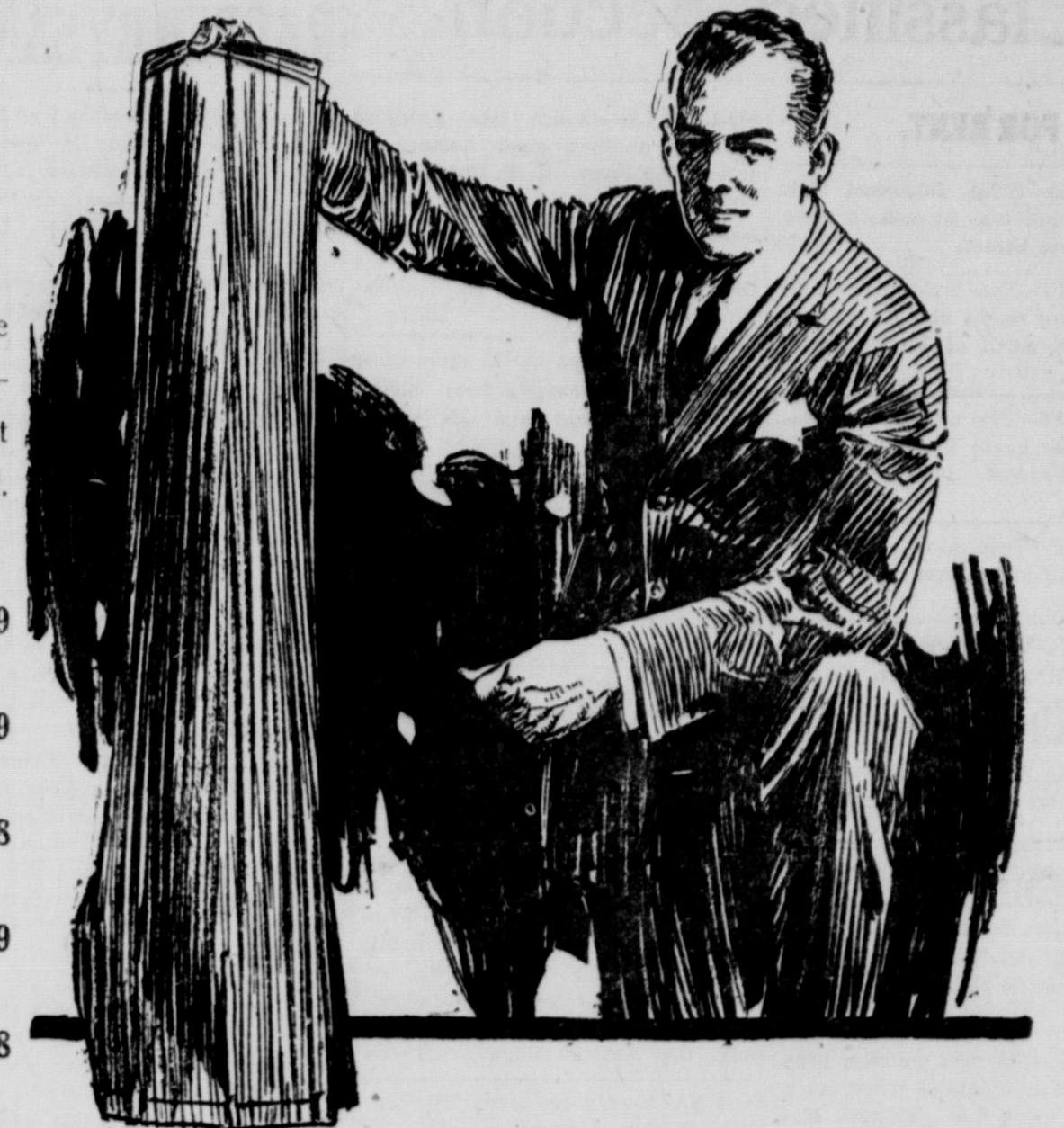
HALF PRICE BARGAIN TABLES

We want to call your special attention to our Half Price Bargain Tables during our JULY CLEARANCE SALE. A large assortment of needed items at just exactly half price. Take your choice and be sure to come early while there is still a good selection. We know from past experience that these half price bargain tables are very popular. But it's first come first served. Be among the first and don't be disappointed.

MEN'S PANTS

Real saving on these pants at these prices—all well made—just what you have wanted.

- \$7.50 Pants, July Clearance.....\$6.49
- \$6.50 Pants, July Clearance.....\$5.79
- \$5.50 Pants, July Clearance.....\$4.98
- \$5.00 Pants, July Clearance.....\$4.19
- \$4.50 Pants, July Clearance.....\$3.98



MEN'S SUITS

Men! Here's the opportunity you have been waiting for:

- All \$35 Mens Suits, (two pr. pants) \$25.00
- \$27.50 Suits, July Clearance Sale.....\$22.50
- \$29.50 Suits, July Clearance.....\$23.50
- \$22.50 Suits, July Clearance.....\$15.00
- \$15.00 Suits, July Clearance.....\$9.95

MEN'S SHIRTS

- \$1.00 Men's Shirts, collar attached, July Clearance.....\$.89
- \$1.50 Men's Shirts, collar attached, July Clearance.....\$1.35
- \$2.25 Men's Shirts, collar attached, July Clearance.....\$1.89
- \$2.50 Men's Shirts, collar attached, July Clearance.....\$2.19
- \$3.75 Men's Shirts, collar attached, extra value, July Clearance.....\$3.10

MEN'S SHIRTS WITHOUT COLLAR

- \$1.00 Values, July Clearance.....\$.89
- \$1.50 Values, July Clearance.....\$1.35
- \$2.25 Values, July Clearance.....\$1.89
- \$2.50 Values, July Clearance.....\$2.19
- \$3.75 Values, July Clearance.....\$3.10
- \$3.50 Values, July Clearance.....\$2.90
- \$5.00 Values, July Clearance.....\$3.69

MEN'S HATS

- All \$5 Men's Hats, July Clearance.....\$3.89
- All \$4.50 Men's Hats, July Clearance.....\$3.98
- All \$3.50 Men's Hats, July Clearance.....\$2.98

MEN'S UNION SUITS

- Men's Athletic Union Suits, \$1 Values, July Clearance.....\$.85
- 65c Athletic Union Suits, July Clearance......49
- \$1.50 Athletic Union Suits, Clearance.....\$1.35

WORK CLOTHES

BIG BUCK WORK CLOTHES

For the man who works, there is no line of work clothes that is so much appreciated as the Big Buck. Made to stand up under hard wear and repeated washing, generously cut, Big Buck is always the favorite. Be sure you get Big Buck. Buy at this July Clearance and save money. Here's how the prices are reduced:

- Big Buck Blue Work Shirts......90
- Big Buck Gray Work Shirts......90
- Knoxall Khaki Shirts......90
- Big Buck Overalls.....\$1.69
- Big Buck Khaki Pants, regularly \$2.00 Value, July Clearance.....\$1.65
- \$2.50 Big Buck Khaki Pants, July Clearance.....\$1.98
- One lot of Blue Shirts, very special, July Clear......75



Jones Dry Goods, Inc.

Sweetwater, 13 Stores in Texas

Classified Section

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms in modern home, at 100 Bowie Street. 138t3c

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished light housekeeping rooms at 503 Oak St. First house north of Wright Hotel. Phone 222. 138t3dc

FOR RENT—Two nice large rooms, furnished for house keeping. At 310 N. W. 2nd street. Phone 282. 137tfd

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished room apartment. Close in. Phone 418. 135t3dc

FOR RENT—To persons without children, two room apartment. 304 E. Third street. Phone 418. 135tfc

FOR RENT—Five-room apartment, unfurnished. Will rent any number of these rooms reasonable. 808 E. N. 2nd. 136tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

Have location for combination, grocery, market, and bakery; attractive rental contract to right party. Rufus Wright. 117tfc

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring, been run about five thousand miles, at a bargain for quick sale. Western Motor Co. 128tfd

FOR SALE—Four room house, \$650 cash, balance like rent. Milton Pat. Palace Barber Shop. 130tfc

FOR SALE—Five room bungalow, east front, on Beall street 1-2 blocks from East Ward School. Mrs. Guy Morris, phone 386. 134tfc

WANTED—Boarders, \$1.00 a day. Berman Apartments. 408 N. E. 2nd street. 136t3dp

FURNISHED ROOMS—Close in, all modern conveniences. Gentlemen only. Telephone 296. 136t4dp

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—Settled widow, entirely alone, good cook, housekeeper, and seamstress. Will give part of each day in exchange for room and board. Address No. 20 Care Reporter. 138t1p

MACHINIST WANTED—At once, apply Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co., Machine Shop. 135t5c

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 SALE—Choice lots Bradford Addition; another good home; 200 acre cotton farm. G. E. Ramsey, 714 Bowie Street. 106tfc

Have space in Hotel Wright for a first class beauty parlor. Rufus Wright. 129tfc

Attractive terms on 18 acres close in for dairy, trucks, farm or chicken ranch. See Irwin and McBurnett, phone 625. 118tfc

BOARD and ROOM—W. F. Reynolds, 1005 Oak Street, phone 483. 130t8c

WANTED—To trade 160-a. well improved farm for unencumbered Sweetwater property. See Harry Cress at Texas Hotel. 131tfc

FOR SALE—Maxwell four passenger coupe; terms. Phone 546. 132tfc

ROOM AND BOARD—902 Locust street. Phone 205. 132tfc

LAND WANTED—500 to 1000 acres. Have two clear farms and a nice residence in Hopkins County, 138 acres in one farm, other 149 acres, well improved, will assume or pay cash difference for 500 to 1000 acres well improved farm and ranch near Sweetwater, see L. C. Morris, 226 Bedell Bldg., San Antonio, Texas. 134tfc

FOR SALE—My residence 905 Walnut; good buy for someone; terms to suit. Mark Litchfield. 135t6p

WANTED TO BUY—A few young heifer calves. Phone 351. 137t5c

LOST—Three and half-inch Diamond tread casing and rim. Finier please leave at Willis Art Studio or ring 214. 138t2dc

LOST—Black spotted bull pup. Tail bobbed and ears cut, pointed. Answers name "Stopper." Reward. Phone 570. 138t3c

FOR TRADE—Ford roadster body and truck bed for touring car body; will give difference. Call Central Hotel, H. B. Latshaw. 138t3p

FERTILE EGGS—30 cents a dozen. Every egg guaranteed. First House south of refinery, Lake Trammell road. Pete Weiked, Sweetwater 138t5

STRAYED—Black pony about 14 hands high; mane clipped some time ago. Notify Homer Williams, Box 421, Sweetwater, phone 344. 137t3

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

COTTON MAN TO SPEAK
Orr, of Farm Bureau Association, in Colorado July 17.

John R. Orr, of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, will address members of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau at Colorado, Thursday, July 17, at 2:30 p. m., according to word received here by George Lackey of the Nolan County Farm Bureau.

Nolan County farmers have been invited by the Mitchell County association to hear Mr. Orr's address. An effort will be made to bring him here following his speech in Colorado, Lackey stated.

GIVEN THIRTY DAYS
Local Man Convicted of Wife Beating Gets Jail Sentence and Fine.

T. W. Roberts pleaded guilty in County Court this morning to a charge of assault and battery on his wife Tuesday night and was sentenced to thirty days in jail and a fine of \$25 attached. Roberts was remanded to the custody of the Sheriff and began his sentence today.

His wife when seen by a representative of The Reporter this morning said that she would return immediately to her family in Abilene. Roberts and his wife came here recently from Abilene and had rooms in the southeastern part of the city.

FIRE IN CORSICANA.
Damage to Business Houses Estimated at \$50,000.

CORSICANA, Texas, July 10.—Approximately \$50,000 damage was done by fire that swept three business buildings early today.

Guests of the National Hotel were forced to flee in their night clothes. One woman was bruised when she jumped from the second story. The origin of the fire is unknown.

EXCESS OFFICES RAPPED BY SANER

Dallas Attorney, President of National Bar Association, Discusses U. S. Constitution.

PEOPLE ARE TO BLAME
Ask Government For Everything, Then Blame it For Everything That Goes Wrong.

By The United Press
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 10.—Declaring that there were now in Congress 100 proposals to amend the Constitution of the United States, that the encroachments of Congress were a national menace, and that the costs of legislation were rapidly increasing, E. Lee Saner, Dallas, president of the American Bar Association, made the constitution the leading figure of his address to the national association here today.

"One of the just causes of complaint against the tyranny of King George as set forth in the Declaration of Independence was: 'He has erected a multitude of new offices, and sent hither swarms of officers to harass our people and eat out their substance.' Since that same condition exists today, have we not the same right, yea the same duty to object? And what are the facts. In the Federal government alone, there are more than 750,000 employees. There are more than 3,400,000 people employed by national, state and municipal governments, so that every 12 workers in the United States support one government employee! In every city in the land whole buildings are occupied by federal bureaus and departments.

"And are the people blameless for these conditions. Is it not true that there is a spirit abroad in the land, which prompts no man to do for himself what he can get the government to do for him? We first seek to have the government do everything for us and then we blame the government for everything that does not go to suit us.

"But some one asks, why do for ourselves what the government will do for nothing? According to the last census report, the national debt, not including state and municipal debts, in 1922 was nearly 23 billion, or over \$210 for each person in the whole country, representing a per capita increase of approximately 400 per cent in a decade for federal taxes alone. It is estimated that every man, woman and child in the United States pays for taxes approximately 16 cents out of every dollar earned, or an annual average tax of \$91.

"The 59th Congress passed 6,750 laws, and in 1915 the state adopted 15,033 laws, but not to speak of municipal enactments and the rulings of the various bureaus and commissions and departments. And yet the citizen is presumed to know all the law. Is it strange that, realizing the futility of such a presumption, he begins to look lightly upon all laws?"

GAS ON STOMACH MAY CAUSE APPENDICITIS

Constant gas causes inflammation, which may involve the appendix. Simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika helps any case gas on the stomach in TEN minutes. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and removes all gas and poisons. Excellent for obstinate constipation and to guard against appendicitis. For sale by Corbett-Hubbard Drug Store.

Mrs. G. W. Whittaker and family left Thursday morning for Wills Point and Van Zandt on a visit to her and Mr. Whittaker's parents, and other relatives. They are motoring thru.

LIVED ON RICE AND CRACKERS FOR A YEAR

In such terrible condition from indigestion that he had to live on a diet of rice and crackers for over a year, John H. Zachary, 2817 Bookout St., Dallas, Texas, state that M. Andre's famous new medicine Karnak has fixed him up so that he can now eat anything he wants.

"I had reached the point where my stomach simply felt raw," says Mr. Zachary. "I bloated with gas until I couldn't draw a deep breath, and sharp pains around my heart caused

Regular meeting tonight of the Sweetwater Chapter, Order of De Molays, at Masonic Hall. Important business matters to be discussed. Every member requested to be present. William Ponder, M. C. Marshall Willis, Scribe. 138t1dc

Don't fail to get our prices on Good-year tires before you buy. Western Motor Company, Goodyear Service Station. 137t3c

Epworth League
Picnic Friday evening, City Lake. Meet at Ina Lee Ely's on Oak St. at 7 p. m. 137t2p

East Side Prayer Meeting.
The East Side Prayer Meeting Circle will hold their weekly Bible study and prayer service Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ben Jones at 500 E. N. 2nd Street. Mrs. A. B. Chambers will direct the Bible study and all the ladies in the neighborhood are extended a cordial invitation to be present.

J. D. Beggs of Wichita Falls, Texas and Oklahoma inspector for the Singer Sewing Machine Company is spending a few days with the local office management. Mr. Beggs noted with pleasant surprise the wonderful growth of the city since he begun visiting here eight years ago.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Henson and little daughter, Margaret, will leave tonight for a month's vacation in California. They will visit their son, Earnest and family, at Santa Anna and other points of interest in California. They will also visit the Grand Canyon on the way. Rev. Gaston Foote will fill Rev. Henson's pulpit during his absence.

Mrs. W. H. Boyd and daughter, Miss Velma of Hamlin is visiting at the home of her brother, M. D. Willis and family on Pine street.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

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me agony. I was so miserable I couldn't rest nights, and during the day I felt lifeless on my feet.

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"Please believe me"



Deperately
Mary Duffy pleaded for
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Ho MUST trust her

Viola Dana
in
Love in the Dark

by John A. Moroso
Scenario by J. G. Hawks,
A Harry Beaumont Production

Comedy—
"Come and Get Me"

Admission—
25c — 10c

R AND R PALACE

Coming—
FRIDAY

"A bunch of the boys were whooping it up in the Malamute saloon"

SEE
THE SHOOTING OF DAN M'GREW

Pictured by
WINIFRED DUNN from
Robert W. Service's
"The Spell of the Yukon"

with
Barbara La Marr
and **Mae Busch**
and **Lew Cody**

Directed by
Clarence Badger
Supervised by
Arthur H. Sawyer



Comedy—
"Come and Get Me"

Admission—
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Boy, It's Good!

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Today is your last opportunity to see—

America's Most Distinguished Actor

John Barrymore in
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The fascinating romance of the beau ideal of all time—a man who with an idle glance, won the love of women whom a prince could not attract on bended knee.

LOVE SCENES THAT WILL MAKE YOU WISH YOU WERE PLAYING THEM YOURSELF

Diverting in its Sophistication!
Tragic without being Bitter!
Glamorous Always With Beauty!

And the Extra Comedy—
"GRANDPA'S GIRL"

—Admission—
40c—10c

—Shows Start—
2:00 - 4:30 - 7:00 - 9:30

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THE WEST VIRGINIAN

John W. Davis, the West Virginian of real life, who emerged from the Democratic national convention as presidential nominee after experiences as thrilling in actual politics as events in the life of The Virginian famous in fiction, has restored peace to the party torn by religious issues and worn down by 103 ballots.

Davis is the capable standard bearer the Democrats sought. In him the entire party may place confidence. With a remarkable record of public service to his credit, he is ably qualified to seek and win the highest public office in the gift of the United States.

Davis was the first dark horse the convention produced. On July 1, on the 23rd ballot, he broke from the ranks of the possible candidates trailing in the wake of Smith and McAdoo, and registered 129 1-2 votes. From then until the end of the balloting, he received prominent mention for the nomination.

A member of the Wilson regime, Davis presents a record that is acceptable to all factions of the party, and assures a concerted campaign for his election. His popularity with the warring factions was seen when both the Smith and McAdoo factions got behind him and sent over with 838 1-2 votes a good majority over the 728 votes necessary.

Selection of Charles W. Bryan as the running mate for Davis should complete the party harmony. William Jennings Bryan, brother of the Nebraska Governor, who opposed Davis on the floor of the convention, is apparently satisfied. And from remarks heard on the streets here after the choice of the party had been announced, West Texas Democrats are generally happy and ready to present a united front at the polls in November.

Standard Thursday morning greeting: "I predicted they'd nominate Davis a week ago, and said last night that Bryan had a good chance to run for vice president," et cetera ad infinitum.

Almost anyone can own some kind of a car, says the Downs, Kas., News, but that's not the kind of a car the family wants.

Under its daily heading "Prosperity Items," the Emporia, Kas. Gazette reports that former Sheriff O'Connor has a new cornob pipe.

The classics are gaining, declares the Wichita Eagle. Latin is more popular than ever. Observe the more frequent use of the word "bonus."

The Americus, Kas., Greeting says the longest day of the year is the 4th of July. It begins about the first of June and lasts until all the firecrackers in town are burned up.

Mrs. B. H. Payne of Decatur is guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Gray. Mrs. Gray is also enjoying a visit from Miss Mildred Kerr of Decatur.

There is an absent minded barber in Kansas City, who recently had a fair customer who wished her hair trimmed, and before she could enter a formal protest he had her face lathered and was asking if she wanted them shaved close or just once over.

COULD HAVE RENTED TWENTY

Judge I. W. Brashear placed a little want ad in The Reporter advertising that he had a house for rent.

Monday evening he dropped in the Reporter office and said, "Take my advertisement out of the paper. I could have rented 20 houses from the calls I received."

Do folks read the want ads? They do.

STATE PARKS

This month, Governor Neff and the State Park Board, of which Phebe K. Warner is secretary, will start on their tour of inspection over the proposed park sites in various sections of Texas.

Appearing at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Brownwood, the Governor made a plea for parks in the State, institutions that would preserve the beauty and grandeur of Texas, and give the citizenship places of recreation that could not be excelled anywhere in the world. The fact that Texas had a chain of beautiful parks in which tourists would be welcome as native sons would be another boost for the reputation of friendliness and hospitality that the greatest of States already holds.

Play is an important part of life. In the words of the bard, all work and no play makes Jack Spratt eat no fat, and he who laughs last is worth two in the bush. Even at that, state parks are essential, and the majority of Texans are back of the park plan.

Nolan County can offer park sites that will stand up with the best of the entire State. Let's get ready for Governor Neff and his party.

The "know your own country" movement is being fairly well promoted by some of our young men who are running after the good looking girls in the nearby towns, announces the McPherson, Kas., Republican.

Baptist Missionary Society.

The ladies of the First Baptist Church met in their Missionary Society business session Monday afternoon, with Mrs. L. D. Terry presiding. Next Monday afternoon meetings will be in circles at the homes of the members, with Missionary or Bible study lessons.

Mystery Plane at Bonham.

BONHAM, Texas, July 8.—The mystery of an abandoned airplane sighted in a field near here was cleared up when the aviator was found sleeping at the hotel. He had lit when his oil and gas became low. Last winter, the same aviator, Walter Vaughan, with a passenger, lit in a barn on Main street.

Mrs. Effie Hampton, cashier at the Sweetwater Dry Goods Store is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Copeland on Pine Street.

Earnest Wright is confined to his room with illness and will be in bed a week or two longer according to his physician's directions.

Miss Rozelle Brand returned to her home at Hamlin Tuesday morning after a ten days visit here with Miss Florence Poffenbach on Oak street.

**Just Received
Low Quarters
From Packard
in Black and
Brown
M. J. Vaughan**

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Service Cars
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Phone 233
Aldredge & Allen Candy Kitchen
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**NEW
SPORT
HATS
McCORD BROS.
"The Busy Store"**

BREVITIES

Diners who packed the house at the supper hour at a local cafe Monday night witnessed an unusual side-show when two waiters got on a rampage and the china began to fly. It seems that a passage-way leading from the front of the cafe to the kitchen was not large enough to accommodate the two men and a slight argument arose over who had the right-of-way. Neither would give ground and the argument reached such heated heights that one calmly smashed a platter of sardines over the head of the other.

The unfortunate one was carried to a physician where gashes and scratches about the head and face were treated. The other suffered a severely cut hand.

The two plead guilty to a charge of affray in Corporation Court Tuesday morning and were fined \$12.70 each. They stated that they were merely "joking," it is reported. According to the owner of the cafe, one of them might have been hurt if they had been serious about the matter.

Professor—"Who was the greatest inventor?"

Student—"An Irishman named Pat Pending."

"I want a brief-case," said the man with the suspicious looking nose.

"Do you mean—er—a quart folio?" suggested the tactful clerk.

Gertie—"And why does that man always refer to you as his baby girl?"

Mabel—"Oh, I don't know. I suppose I keep him up so late nights."

"My son," said the fond mother, "You must not shoot craps, for life is as precious to the poor little craps as it is to us."

Mrs. Reilly—"What makes these sardines so high?"

Grocer—"They're imported, mum."

Mrs. Reilly—"I'll take the domestic ones, them as had the brains to swim across to this country."

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PHONE 239

Miss Mildred Boren returned to her home at Post City this morning following a two weeks visit here with Miss Mable Browning.

We are giving a 20 per cent discount on all our wall paper for this week only. Hunter's. 136t2c

She—"Fess up now that you men like talkative women as well as you do others."

He—"What others?"

Neighbor—"Doesn't your mother object to your staying out until 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning?"

Young lady—"She might if she knew about it, but I always beat mother in."

The Concordia, Kas., Blade thinks that if the Democrats had nominated Underwood they would have gotten a good share of the typists' votes.



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SOLD**

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FIVE DRESSES
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**One \$59, today \$39
One \$57, today \$37
One \$49, today \$29
One \$44, today \$24
One \$41, today \$24**



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Cab**

PHONE 30

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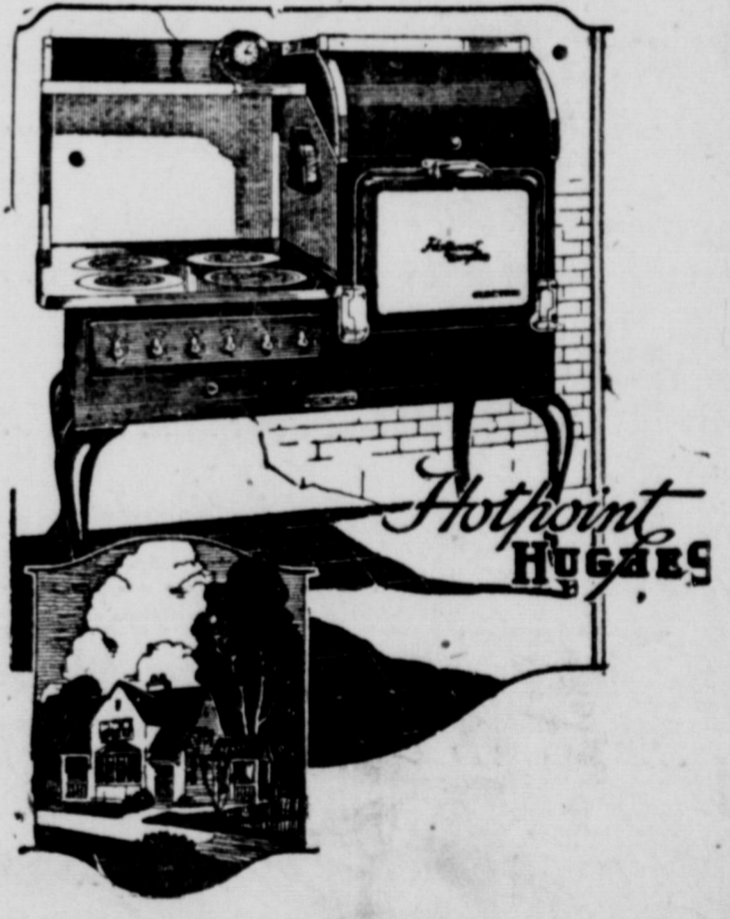
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**Sweetwater Mattress Factory
South Third at Galveston.
PHONE 79**

Show Concrete Roads.
How concrete roads actually appear is shown in a series of paintings on exhibition at the office of the West Texas Electric Co. They were placed there by H. A. Sawyer of Dallas, of the Portland Cement Association.

**HARRY R. BONDIES
Attorney-at-Law
SWEETWATER, TEXAS**

**W. H. JOBE & SON
Bonded Warehouse
Storage — Packing
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Ready for Business
Let us serve you**

**BIG TERRITORY
SERVED BY WADE**

Remarkable Growth Illustrates Possibilities of Sweetwater in Serving Territory.

WILSON DISTRIBUTORS
Market One of Largest in State—Has Freezing Room Similar to Pack-er's Equipment.

The possibilities of Sweetwater as a wholesale distributing center are very clearly illustrated in the case of Wade Market, which in four years time has grown from just a small meat market to a wholesale house that is supplying a large territory within a radius of many miles of this town. It was four years ago when Wade Brothers bought out Boyd Meat Market here. Two years ago the distribution of Wilson Co. products began. And in that short two years, with the added advantages of the rail facilities leading from this town, Wade Brothers

have made ham and bacon synonymous with Wilson.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Peters from the Wilson and Co., advertising department, and E. S. Adams, district manager from Oklahoma City staged a demonstration of these products in Wade Market. Conservatively estimated they fed 1200 people. Over 80 loaves of bread were required and unlimited quantities of ham and other Wilson products used in the demonstration.

The Wade Market is one of the largest as well as one of the most modern establishments in the State. Cold storage capacity for more than two solid carloads of meats is in addition to a freezing room with a capacity for one solid ton of meats.

"So far as I know, only the larger packing houses have freezing rooms," Mr. Wade says. "I have never seen one in any meat market." The freezing room is kept at a temperature of ten degrees above zero while the cold storage is kept above 30 degrees. Highly perishable products are kept in the freezing room.

The Wade Market has its own sausage making machinery with an experienced man in charge; which is included in its large wholesale business.

A refrigerator car every week to the Wade Market from the Oklahoma City packing house of Wilson & Company, to meet the requirements of this section for this famous brand of prepared meats.

BANK DEADLOCKED, TOO
Can't Re-Organize Until Commissioner Returns From N. Y.

TOPEKA, Kas., July 10.—The deadlocked Democratic national convention is holding up the re-organization of the American State Bank. Pending the return of Carl J. Peterson, state bank commissioner, the re-organizers are finding little to do toward completing the plan of re-opening under the name of the State Reserve bank. In addition to being bank commissioner Peterson is presidential campaign manager for Governor Jonathan M. Davis from Kansas.

If more algebra were taught, the future generation would be better able to stand as people of great knowledge among their offspring who come to them each winter with the: "If a is b."—I. N. S.

Pardon Texas Soldier.
LEAVENWORTH, Kas., July 10.—Charles Johnston, of Texas, a soldier serving a sentence of four years for assault with intent to kill, imposed by a military court at Fort Bliss, Texas, was pardoned, restored to duty in the army, awarded \$1600 back pay and then given an honorable discharge, this week.

Kansas Wheat Yield Heavy.
PRATT, Kas., July 10.—With combined harvest threshers going full blast in Pratt County wheat fields, the stream of golden grain is beginning to pour into the Pratt elevators

from all directions. Grain dealers are enthusiastic about the indications of a far heavier yield than was anticipated.

Mrs. W. B. Thomas and W. B. Jr., have returned from a visit of several weeks visiting Mrs. Thomas' father, J. E. White at Hugo, Ok., and old friends and relatives at Sulphur Springs, where she formerly lived. She also spent several days visiting friends at Dallas on her return.

Mr. Emmett Turner of Sweetwater will leave Sunday night for Hico on a two weeks vacation.

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- \$7.00 and \$7.50 Men's Douglas Shoes **\$5.00**
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- Grey and Log Cabin Suede Sandals **\$3.25**

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We have moved into our new building. It is not quite complete yet but we hope to add the finishing touches within a very few days. No interruption to business.

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