

Knox County Herald

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Our Political Veterinaries Disagree—

By Albert T. Reid



Land Mark Razed for New Building.

The old Boyd Hotel now being razed and to be replaced with a modern 16-room Stucco rooming house, had its identity linked close with a score of years of Knox City progress. The building, a two-story structure, was built in the pioneer days of the city, by J. A. Hancock, the ground floor being occupied by the John Scott general merchandise store, while the owner operated a photographic studio on the second floor. In a few years the building was remodeled and the first floor became the office home of the South western Journal, published by L. B. Hancock and also contained a music store conducted by J. W. Boyle, also now deceased, while the second story was leased as a meeting place for the Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias. In later years the building was converted into a hotel which was conducted by A. C. Boyd who became one of the most popular hotel men of West Texas. Mr. Boyd who purchased the hotel and continued to operate it until his death some years since. Ownership passed to his widow who with her son Russell are now contracting for the erection of the new style building.

Customs, styles, ownership are alike subject to change in the growth of a city and the development of a community but the pioneer days are usually referred to as the most enjoyable. It is then that the metropolitan spirit is more evident and social life more untrammelled.

The elder Hancock, wife and small son came to Knox City on the first excursion train of the Orient just as the track was connected into Sweetwater. The day coach was a flat car with boards laid across nail kegs for seats. In three more years your sub-editor for this week arrived from Oregon and began the publication of the Southwestern Journal (them were the days) and the upward trend of city growth has held away to the present time.

As the old building goes and a new one comes in its place the Hoyds will have the congratulations and best wishes of our entire citizenship.

Hospital Notes

Those receiving treatment at the hospital this week were: Mrs. B. C. Hancock, Rochester; Mrs. J. L. Hancock, Chrystal Falls; Mrs. W. C. Hall, Benjamin; Mr. Williams, Needmore; Mrs. Lucile Dunlap, Vera; Mrs. Guina Hickman, Truscott; Mrs. John Reagan, Truscott; Mrs. S. B. Williams, Baby Lois Baker of Haskell received treatment on Wednesday 29th and also Mrs. Eaves of Vera the same day.

Dismissals from the hospital were: Mrs. L. A. Nece of Munday; Mrs. Emmett Partridge, Mrs. C. B. Burdine of O'Donnell was admitted to the Hospital Wednesday of this week.

MICKIE SAYS—

ONE THING YA GOTTA GIVE EDITORS CREDIT FOR IS KNOWIN' WHEN TO LEAVE THINGS OUT OF THE PAPER = WHY IF ANY EDITOR WUZ TO PRINT ALL HE KNOWS IN EVEN A SINGLE ISSUE, TH' CENSUS FIGURES OF HIS TOWN WOULD TAKE A SUDDEN DROP



School Closes With Appropriate Exercises

The closing exercises of the Knox City school were observed the past week, honoring many pupils who have accomplished excellent work, and bespeaking the painstaking efforts of the splendid faculty of teachers for the term.

On Thursday evening the graduation exercises of the grammar school were held in the Baptist church, at which time diplomas were presented to a large class. The program was well presented and enjoyed by the large audience present. Reverend Mann delivered an address on the subject of "The Virtue of Stubbornness" which developed into a well prepared theme extolling determination as a winning trait for the young.

Sunday forenoon, May 10th the Baccalaureate sermon was delivered to the Senior class at the Methodist church by Reverend Foote of Haskell. Reverend Foote's sermon presented the highest ideals to which the American youth can attain, and was beneficial to the old as well as the young.

Commencement exercises were held at the Methodist church at which time cups were presented and awards given to pupils who had won distinction during the term. The commencement address was delivered by Bert E. Low, of Abilene, who commended the class highly for the progress thus made and urged further pursuit of learning. Awards were given the following: Lynn Woldrip, Loving cup for the best around boy student Eliza Beth Deaver, best around girl student; Edmond Smith, medal for highest average of all grades; Paul Hoge and Dealva Hammons for highest average in Grammar school. Constance Browning and Miller Lee also received scholarships.

Royal Lea Passes On.

The many friends of the family of A. L. Lea, who reside near this city will regret extremely to learn of the death of the eldest son, Royal, who was a member of the flying corps of the U. S. Air Service stationed at San Antonio. Royal, who was scarcely 35 years of age had advanced rapidly in the service and was second highest officer stationed at that field. He had often visited here in the large army planes that attracted much attention throughout the community. His death occurred at 3:00 o'clock Sunday forenoon at San Antonio, following a second major operation. Mr. and Mrs. Lea and son Ulric attended the funeral in that city Monday. Only a few summers ago when his parents were visiting him at the flying field he had shown them many felts in the air and demonstrated a superior cleverness with his plane. He had made many friends in and out of the service who will sincerely regret his untimely passing.

New Barber Shop

Frank Allred, well known to Knox City people, is opening a barber shop next door to the post office. Mr. Allred is also one of the popular players on the Knox City league base ball team.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Metts have purchased a half block of land joining the city on the east and have moved a residence from Weinert to their lots. A well has been dug, a windmill erected and poultry wire put up around the land where they will make their home. Mrs. Metts is chief operator of the Haskell Telephone Company here, and Mr. Metts will conduct a poultry ranch.

Messrs. Loyce Teague, Quincy Davis, Miller Herring, Grady Benedict and Lum Franks returned early Wednesday from a trip into the Western part of New Mexico where they were inspecting land ostrales. They report having seen some good and some bad, but all too remotely located to make a practical home location.

THE DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

All concerned regret that it became necessary to bring the Vacation School to an abrupt close Wednesday a. m. The response had been splendid, beyond the fondest dreams of the promoters, and interest enthusiasm and attendance was growing daily. Seventy one pupils were enrolled the first two days, and it was believed Wednesday enrollment would reach 100. A splendid group of teachers and supervisors were earnestly planning and working to the end that these brief two weeks might be happy, interesting, and helpful ones for the boys and girls. The school will be resumed at some future date this summer and it is hoped the delay will but sharpen the anticipation of every boy and girl in town.—Pastor.

Hatchery Closes

The hatchery conducted by Lloyd Waldrip in this city closed for this season Wednesday of this week. To a reporter of the Herald Mr. Waldrip stated that this year's run had been much in excess of what he had anticipated. Poultry and egg prices had kept pace with the general depression and some discouragement prevailed in the beginning of the season but with promise of better prices for fall deliveries the hatchery soon gained headway and an average run resulted. Mr. Waldrip also stated that he wished to thank his many patrons for their generous support and that he wishes them every success with their growing stock and ultimately a satisfactory price for their products.

New Garage

T. J. Waggoner, for several years head mechanic at the Warren Brothers Garage, has purchased the mechanical equipment of the station owned by J. F. Griffith and has leased the mechanics room for three years. Mr. Waggoner is adding considerable new equipment and will be well prepared to do all kinds of repair work on all makes of cars. He also states that the relation existing between himself and Warren Brothers is most cordial and agreeable and his withdrawal from that service is based solely on the desire to engage in business for himself. He respectfully solicits a share of your business on a guarantee plan. He will be open for business Monday morning May 25th.

Ray Willis, manager City Feed Store, made a trip to Fort Worth this week with a consignment of cattle and hogs.

IMPROVEMENTS AT COUNTY HOSPITAL

A servant house and garage combined 16 x 30 feet is under construction at the County Hospital here. The structure has a continuous cement foundation and will be finished in Stucco. Commissioner Wm. Griffith is supervising the work.

J. J. Simmons Dead

The sad news of the sudden death of J. J. Simmons was wired to the family here from Wichita Falls Tuesday, where he had been under treatment for some weeks and was thought to be steadily improving. An attack of the heart was the cause of his death which will be sincerely regretted by the great number of his friends and acquaintances. Deceased was born September 27, 1857 and passed away Tuesday May 19, 1931, and thus was nearing the three-quarter century mark. Although not in the strictest sense a pioneer of Knox Prairie he began with its first general agricultural development and had remained one of its best citizens and tillers of its soil. He was among those who have proven that a farm home can be bought and paid for out of the proceeds of its culture. He reared a large family who have become useful and respected citizens of this community. The funeral was conducted at the Methodist church, this city, by Reverend Mann at 3:00 p. m. Wednesday May 20th.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday is White Sunday, anniversary of Pentecost, birthday of the church. It is worthy of commemoration. We are making a special day of it by attempting to reach every family of the church and getting them to church. Come as a family group, or at least have a family representative present.

If for any reason you are not running your car now hitch the mules to the wagon and bring the family along. The pastor would like to have for a keepsake a picture of such a group, mules, wagon and all. To any group coming that way a photograph of the group will be presented.

Can we count on you to help make this a great day? The evening service will be at 8:15.

Mr. and Mrs. Roquewood of Meridian were here this week to visit their daughter Mrs. Guinn Hickman who is receiving treatment at the hospital.

CROP PLANTING SEASON LATE

The late cold weather prevailing this spring has held planting in check beyond the ordinary seed time; but the ample season and the present warm weather will enable the farmers to soon have their crops to a stand and worked out. Most calendars have a little rough weather mixed with the good and our country is no exception to the rule. But Knox City has become the Hub City of Knox Prairie because of the fine production of its trade territory and when harvest time arrives this year we expect the yield to be abundant.

COUNTY WIDE SEVENTH GRADE EXERCISES

The following is the county wide graduation program to be given at the Benjamin High School auditorium, Sunday, May 31, at 3 p. m.

Invocation

Salutatory (by the pupils making the second highest grade).

Class History (by representative of school making highest average in the county).

Valedictory (by pupil making highest average in the county).

Address, Mr. S. B. Maddox of Truscott.

Delivery of Promotion Certificates, Mrs. P. Pool.

The State Department of Agriculture has sent a message signed by Governor Sterling, S. M. N. Marrs and ten others asking that the children and teachers wear dresses of cotton at graduation exercises.

The request reads something like this:

"Dame Fashion has decreed that cotton is smart dress material this year. Nature in clothing the prairies this year with beautiful native flowers has given us a wise suggestion: Clothe our teachers in cotton the staple product from our farms, for the commencement exercises of our schools, and then let the parents and their friends drive out for the closing exercises, as we drive out to view our prairies, and then let the hearts thrill with patriotic pride. Texas children, Texas flowers, Texas cotton."

The Home Demonstration Camp composed of members of Knox, Baylor and Haskell counties will be held in the A. L. Lea grove west of Knox City on June 8 and 9. Miss Walton of Dallas will be the principal speaker for the two days. This demonstration is sponsored by the Home Economic Department of the above three counties and deserves the patronage and cooperation of all progressive citizens.

Table Being Held Here

Senior Bible School which began the Methodist Church Monday and to continue through next week and next is being well attended and the children are getting benefit from the sessions which are from 9:00 in the forenoon. The school is open to all in the community and might thus be of great benefit to the children of all the children of the community. Thus far local talent has been employed almost exclusively to instructing but later it is expected that some visiting teachers will take part. This is an annual affair of the church here and the efforts are to be highly commended their effort to thus encourage study among the young and to the word of God uppermost in their minds where it belongs. A child started into life is thrice blessed against the divers temptations that they are sure to meet in the course of life. "I have hid Thy word in my heart that I might not sin against Thee," says the Psalmist David.

Knox City Takes B.V. League Lead

Knox City Tigers defeated here Sunday to take first place in the Brazos Valley League. Features of the game was the play of White and Edwards together in the pitching of Hill, for the home team, while Rayburn's three knock was the high light of the game. Munday plays here on May 24th.

RHINELAND					
	ABR	H	PO	A	E
Lorane, cf	4	0	1	0	0
Shuler, ss	3	1	0	0	3
Edwards, 3b	4	1	1	3	4
White, 1b	4	0	2	1	0
Shuler, c	4	1	0	1	0
Lorane, p	4	1	0	2	0
Shuler, 3b	4	0	1	0	1
White, cf	4	0	0	2	0
Edwards, 1b	2	0	1	1	0
Total	33	4	5	24	10

KNOX CITY					
	ABR	H	PO	A	E
Edwards, 3b	4	2	2	2	5
White, cf	4	1	1	0	0
Shuler, c	5	0	3	0	0
Edwards, 1b	5	2	1	1	1
White, cf	2	2	2	3	1
Edwards, 3b	4	0	0	12	0
White, cf	4	0	1	1	0
Total	35	8	12	27	12

Summary: Sacrifice hits, Norman; Edwards 2, Alred. Two base hits by Stolen base B. Edwards. Game runs, B. Edwards. Struck out Hill 5 by Lorane 4. Base on balls, 7. Time of game 2 hours and 45 minutes. Umpires Houston and Ray. Three base hits Rayburn. Dou play, Alred to Edwards to Den-

BRAZOS VALLEY LEAGUE

LAST SUNDAY GAMES			
Team	Score	Location	Date
Knox City 3	W	Weinert 2	
Knox City 8	W	Rhineland 4	
Grove 14	W	Munday 0	

Next Play Sunday, May 24

Knox City vs Rhineland

The sand storm which accompanied the cloud from the Southwest last Monday afternoon did some damage to crops that were up, the stand being destroyed in some instances to such extent as to require replanting.

loneer and knows when he is getting his money's worth in road work, but he says that the sand storm of Monday afternoon handled more dirt in the same length of time than any implement he has ever employed.

For Sale:—Wash Wood, and Fence Post cheap. J. W. Green
Wm. Griffith is a good commis-

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Oldest Paper in Knox County
PUBLISHED WEEKLY

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H. B. Sweeney, Publisher
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Entered in the Postoffice at Knox City, Texas for transportation through the mails as second class matter.

A special session of the Texas legislature is to be held to "rescue the oil industry" of the state. Not so many years ago the railroads of the country were in the same predicament and while their case was being diagnosed and a consultation held, the patient wearied with delay leaped out of bed and was on his way before they were aware of the recovery. The oil industry will do likewise. Supply and demand make the final adjustment and when oil ceases to sell for a profit they will quit producing it and the price will rise to a profit level at once. The trouble is now that the oil companies want the government to fix things so they can sell any quality at a profit. If let alone they will work out their own salvation as the railroads did.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES

It costs the average American family a little more than one-third of its income for food. The average wage-earner has an income of \$1,513.29 a year, or just under \$50 a week, out of which he spends \$548.51 for food, according to the most recent statistical compilation of figures or the cost of living. Rent, whether in the form of maintenance and taxes on a home, or in actual rent paid to a landlord, averages a little over one-fifth of the total income, or in the case of the average wage-earner, \$324.14. Clothing for the entire family, on the same scale, comes to \$237.00, leaving \$385.04 out of his average wage earner's income for miscellaneous expenditures.

That is substantially a quarter of the average worker's yearly earnings out of which he has to pay doctor's bills, cost of educating his children, all amusements, his life insurance premiums, if any, and everything else that he spends money for. On the same basis of figuring the average wage earner spends \$16.33 for automobiles. Since the cheapest automobile sells for around \$500, this means that only one wage earner in thirty buy a car in any given year. With ordinary care, however, even a cheap car will last for years. It is a safe assumption that at least one out of every ten wage workers in America owns an automobile.

Doctor's bills for the average family run nearly four times the cost of automobiles. In insurance accounts for \$43.28 a year out of the average family income. And after paying for all of the things already mentioned this average American working man has \$90 a year left for cigarettes, Christmas presents or other non-necessary expenditures besides putting \$78.93 in the savings bank.

Those are figures which cannot be matched anywhere else in the world. Nowhere has the man who works with his hands such a surplus above his actual living as he has in America. For that matter, no worker under any other flag has as comfortable living quarters or as good and ample food. It is this surplus of earnings above expenses that has enabled American workers to carry through a long period of depression and unemployment without being reduced to beggary and starvation.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our utmost appreciation and thanks for all the kindness and thoughtfulness shown us during the last hours with our beloved husband and father. May God's blessings abide with each.

Mrs. J. J. Simmons
Thelma Simmons
Herbert Simmons
Mrs. J. B. Aycock and family
J. D. Simmons and family
The Simmons and family
Joe Simmons and family.

Mrs. Buckholt, of Wichita Falls, visited her daughter, Miss Gladys Buckholt here this week. Miss Gladys is a nurse in the county hospital in this city.

A. M. Watson who has been engaged with the bridge crew north of town received slight injuries by an accident during the week, and was treated in the Knox County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Brien and little daughter will return to their home in Oklahoma the later part of this week.

Miss Alice Reese of Knox City was awarded a scholarship in music by the Bach of Simmons University. It was announced Saturday, May 14. This scholarship is an annual award that will be made each year to talented students in Knox County. Other awards will be made on June 15 on which date other applications from this county will be given consideration. Provided that applications are not received from certain counties in Texas, more than one scholarship will be awarded in this county. Applications for this aid, the total of which amounts to \$16,000 fund, should be sent to Irl Allison, Director.

Messrs. Jess Hill and Doc Hill, of Stonewall county visited their old friend A. P. Oliver of this city Sunday.

Miss Ruby Carlisle, teacher in the Knox City high school left for her home at Waco, Texas, Saturday, last. Miss Carlisle has been retained as an instructor in our school for the 1931-32 term also and will return here for that work.

Entry Blank

C. of C. and Study Club Home and Lawn Beautification Contest
Knox City, Texas

Please enter my name in the class checked.

Name	Address	Entry	Prize Offered
		1st entire premises	\$5.00
		2nd entire premises	3.00
		1st lawn	2.00
		2nd lawn	2.00
		1st trees	2.00
		2nd trees	1.00
		1st flowers	2.50
		2nd flowers	1.00
		Rose garden	1.00

Entries must be received before June the first.

Mail to
Mrs. A. B. Reese,
Contest Chairman
Knox City, Texas

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When you read a tire advertisement that almost sweeps aside your judgement with its enthusiasm: SAY TO YOURSELF

"More people ride on Goodyear Tires than on any other kind!"

When you face a sales argument that sounds good but you have no means of testing: SAY TO YOURSELF

"More people ride on Goodyear Tires than on any other kind!"

When the high-pressure dealer works on you with hypnotic eye and coercive logic: SAY TO YOURSELF

"More people ride on Goodyear Tires than on any other kind!"

When you are tempted to fall for bargain claims, a long trade-in, trick size comparison, or anything else but intrinsic tire goodness: SAY TO YOURSELF

"More people ride on Goodyear Tires than on any other kind!"

Then, just for variety, ask yourself "WHY?" Why is it true that

"More people ride on Goodyear Tires than on any other kind!"

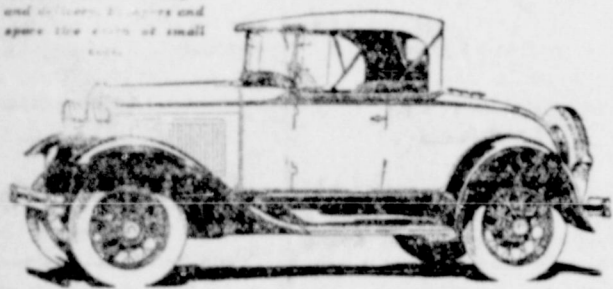
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Corn, Number 2 cans, Country Gentleman

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Announcement from the Josh Tarelton College, at Stephenville, states that Joe Ellis Watson of Knox City will receive his diploma from the Academy division at this commencement.

Mrs. J. W. Carver attended church last Saturday, near Munday.

Roy Lee Clark near O'Brien is spending the week with his cousin James Carl Carver.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster nace visited in the home of his father Sunday near O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carver and family spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. eBarden of Rochester.

Mrs. eJesse Barnett and children spent last week with her father, Mr. Hanson of Aspermont.

Miss R. is visiting her cousin Miss Nickle this week.

Mitchell is planning on a Big Ball game Friday evening as it is the last day of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carver and family spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nance near O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Solan Lee are the proud parents of a baby girl born May the 3rd.

Mrs. J. W. Lee of Abilene spent last week with her son Solan and Saturday Mr. J. W. Lee and son and daughter Paul and Ethel came after her.

Warren Brothers Ford Dealers report the following sales for the week: McCarty-Davis new Ford Truck; C. G. Stephens, O'Brien, new Ford Coupe; Guy Glenn new Ford Coupe.

Mitchell News

Now Laugh

Laugh and the World Laughs With You Weep and You Weep Alone

Witness—"Just a trifle beyond the center, sir."

Preparedness
"What is it?" asked the doctor who had been hurriedly summoned at midnight.
"Nothing this time, doc," answered the young father, looking at his watch. My wife just wanted to see how soon you could get here in case the baby was suddenly taken ill."

Detoured
"I'm not a common tramp, your honor," said the tattered individual who was charged with vagrancy.
"What are you then?"
"I'm a tourist. I started out to see America."
"Your tour will be interrupted for six months. Next case."

DR. T. P. FRIZZELL
Physician and Surgeon
Knox City, Texas



WHEN BABIES FRET

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J. E. FARLINE

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Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson
JESUS IN GETHSEMANE
Luke 22:39-54

Reverend Samuel D. Price, D. D.
It is recorded by Mark, following the narration of the events in the upper room in Jerusalem when the Passover was celebrated and the Lord's Supper instituted, "And when they had sung a hymn, they went out into the Mount of Olives." Jesus knew about all that impended and He would be ready for those terrific events through strengthening prayer. For this purpose He led His beloved disciples to the Garden of Gethsemane.

Prayer is the great resource when there are problems to face and spiritual strength to be obtained. Though Jesus would pray alone he wanted Peter, James and John to be near Him and invited them to come further into the Garden. The scene is best depicted by Hoffman's great painting of "Christ in Gethsemane." What was the cup "cup" that Jesus prayed might pass from Him? Surely He did not want to quit the mission for which He came from heaven to earth. Many think that He was afraid that His strength, both physical and spiritual, might not hold out until all had been accomplished. We know at least this for a certainty. He prayed that the will of the Father, no His personal will might prevail.

The three close friends failed Him. These men sleep, and returned to sleep though Jesus came thrice to awaken them. The contest had been won, however, by Jesus in His solitude as he faced the throne of God. It is in such quiet places that we win the big battles of life, rather than in the open and when we cannot do otherwise as the crowd looks on. The greatest decisions are made when we are thus alone with God. Then Judas comes to the place where He knew Jesus had an altar of prayer and gives the signal for arrest as he betrays the Son of Man with a kiss.

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Knox City, Texas

WHEN THE KIDS CASHED IN

PINKY DINKY

GOODNESS, SUCH NOISE. LITTLE BOY, I'LL GIVE YOU A NICKLE IF YOU TAKE THAT DOG AWAY AND STOP THAT HOWLING!



LET'S TELL THE GANG - OH! BOY!



Pinky Dinky Jingles!

A BIG 'FRAYDY CAT IS WILLIE O'GRADE HE ALWAYS SAYS, "I'M SO AFRAID."

SEND PINKY A JINGLE TO THE NEWS

The Way of Life By Bruce Barton

Some years ago I met a man who spoke as follows:

"The boss issued a memorandum today with a lot of new instructions. Some of them were all wet, and I didn't hesitate to tell him so. I shot a memo right back at him, and, believe me, it was a hot one."

Said another man:
"I received my first business training under a wise old bank official. One day a letter came in from a customer who made unreasonable complaints and asked for an unwarranted favor."

"I sat up almost all night drafting a answer to that letter. It was a beauty, and I took it in to the old man next morning with pride. His head nodded approvingly as he read it."

"You've put the case just right," he said. "The position you have taken is based on sound banking principles; it states our attitude with dignity and force. All in all, it's a very fine letter, and I congratulate you on it. Only, for Heaven's sake, don't send it."

Afterwards, I learned that the man I first quoted was paid \$4,000 a year and the other \$140,000.

Like every other man in business, I receive a certain number of communications which are both unkind and unfair. Having red hair and a naturally quick temper, I used to let such letters hoist my temperature considerably. Sometimes I carried them around in my mind for several days, forming red hot phrases in reply.

Now I pay a much meaner trick on the writers. I do not answer them at all. I can imagine one of my critics going down to the front gate every morning to meet the postman, looking eagerly for my answer, thinking up what he will say in his next outburst.

Day after day goes by, and no answer comes. The fire that was to burn me up, burns him up instead.

This method of dealing with one's enemies is certainly not spectacular and maybe it is unmanly. If so, I can reply only that as I grow older the the glory of being spectacular appeals to me less and less in comparison with the comfortable joys of peace.

Life seems somehow too short for controversy, and much of my income in these days is received no so much for what I do as for what I have learned not to do.

Patience, I have learned, is almost as important as work; while judgement uniformly commands a much higher rate than well intentioned activity.

What is judgement? you ask. Well, it's the little voice that whispers: "That would be brilliant, but don't do it." Or, "That's a smart one; very smart indeed. But, for Heaven's sake, don't send it."

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Denning to Address Press Association



L. B. Denning, president of the Lone Star Gas Company, who is to be one of the principal speakers at the inspirational sessions of the Texas Press Association Convention which meets in San Angelo June 11, 12 and 13, has played one of the most important parts in the development of Texas natural gas service. At a time more than 20 years ago when natural gas service was only a name, and was looked upon as a highly risky business, Mr. Denning took the lead in organizing the company which built the state's first long distance gas line.

Under the supervision of E. R. Brown, as vice president and general manager, and W. P. Gage, a superintendent, the first pipe line was constructed by the Lone Star Gas Company from the Petrolia field near the Red River to Fort Worth and later to Dallas, this was in 1909. He became president of the Lone Star in 1915 and since then has been instrumental in building up a gas system of about 4,000 miles of pipe line, supplying complete gas service to about 300 communities in Texas and Oklahoma.

Mr. Denning was born in Greensburg, Indiana. He became associated with natural gas interests in 1902 as attorney for gas companies in Southern Ohio, and his contact

with the industry covers a period of almost 30 years in the leading natural gas producing areas of the country. In 1921 he was president of the Natural Gas Association of America, and during President Wilson's administration was a member of the national committee on natural gas conservation.

Ever since he took the lead in building the first long distance pipe line in the state, he has been constantly at work developing the natural gas resources of this section and making natural gas service available to the towns and cities now served by this company.

Ottis Tomila of Weatherford, brother-in-law of J. M. Ashcroft visited in the Ashcroft home here this week.

Residence for rent—4 rooms unfurnished at \$10.00 or 5 rooms furnished \$20.00 per month.

Mrs. Della Short
Car owner whose license number is F6-8299 is entitled to a free grease job at the Ashcroft Chevrolet Company. Watch for your number.

Two pickpockets had been trailing an old man whom they knew had a large roll of bills with him. Suddenly the old man turned into a lawyer's office.

"What'll we do now?" asked Sneaky Sam.
"Wait till the lawyer comes out" replied Slippery Slick.

J. M. Edwards of Seymour was here a few hours Tuesday on business connected with his store here.

Mrs. C. J. Reese and grand-daughter Jacquin left Tuesday for Sweetwater to visit in the home of her son Price Reese for a month.

The Misses Sadie and Ramza Gabriel, of Roaring Springs were guests in the home of their sister, Mrs. A. J. Malouf of this city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown enroute from Ozona, Texas north, were dinner guests of Mrs. Brown's brother J. E. Clarke and family of this city Monday.

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