Our Specially Priced Sale of Summer Shoe

Starts August 10th---See Page 1, Section B for Prices

MODEL SHOE STORE

Corpus Christi Society.

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H. G. Sherman, Gordon Boone, E. P. Hannaford, W. F. Timon, and E. B. Cole.

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Miss Matzer Entertains.

A number of young girls were the guests of Miss Jean Matzer on Tuesday afternoon, when she entertained with a bathing party at the Country Club. Little Miss Carlos Blake was the honoree of this delightful affair. After the swim dancing was enjoyed and an ice course was served. Miss Matzer's guests were: Mabel and Helen Scott, Flossie Bowman, June Collins, Louise Bernard, Ruth Green, Edith Wright, Mary Spangall (San Antonio), Eddie McLaughlin, Elizabeth Boone, Mary Lois Davis, and Carlos Blake.

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Hoodoo Party.

The committee in charge of the monthly Country Club supper has chosen Friday the thirteenth for the "unlucky" evening. They hope to carry out in detail everything prominent in the following permits of invitation:

"Unlucky you will surely be
Unless you phone the committee,
And arrange to go to the Country Club,
As they surely will give you plenty of grub.
And after you've had the things to eat,
There'll be a noted artist for you to meet."
Anonymous

The committee in charge consists of Mrs. Hazen Collander, chairman, Mrs. J. L. Price, Mrs. Henry Adams, Mrs. Joseph Hirsch, Mrs. Gilbert Mitchell and Mrs. DeWitt Reid. Reservations may be made by phoning any member of the committee, and whether or not you are addicted to "omens" or "superstitions," a real treat is promised you.

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Mr. Born Entertained.

Mr. E. A. Born was host to a number of out-of-town guests at a dinner party at the Country Club on Sunday evening. Several San Antonio sportsmen returned that afternoon from an outing at Tarpon and the dinner was planned in their honor. Covers were laid for Messrs. T. A. Coleman, D. J. Woodward, D. J. Woodward, Jr., Allen Ayres, Sam Jordan, E. J. Kleberg, Pat Dunn, Robert Stayton, David Lecher, and E. A. Born.

Miss Parr's House Party.

Miss Lillian Parr entertained with a house party this week at their ranch home at Benavides. The party left early Thursday morning in auto and returned Saturday. Those who went from Corpus were Misses Coultipin Born, Dolly Cleveland, Edna Gibbon, Messrs. Edward Furman, Westerfield Born, Dave Orlando, and Jacob Born.

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Progressive House Parties.

Miss Elizabeth Wright entertained a house party last week at El Cielo ranch, at Alfred, the first of a series of house parties to be given this month by Miss Wright, Miss Elizabeth Adams of Alice, Miss Julia Motley of Alfred, Miss Mary Garrett of Alice and Miss Olivia Oberge of Falfurrias. The guest book records the following names: Alfred Wright of Alfred, Mr. Cannon, Dr. Corbett, Mr. Woods, Emerson Bain and Bennett Adams of Alice Garrett and Hunter Francis of Corpus Christi and Homer Oberge of Palestine. The hostesses for this week will be Miss Adams and Miss Garrett entertaining at the home of William Adams in Alice.

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Mrs. Arnold's House Party.

Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Arnold are entertaining with a week-end house party in honor of Mr. Arnold's sister, Miss Mabel Thornton of California. Dr. and Mrs. Arnold are commuting at the Quarantine Station, where all of the pleasures of bathing, fishing and boating will be enjoyed their guests. Miss Thornton and Miss Mabel Smith will bring the collation and note guest in attendance be Miss Jean Matzer, Miss Marie Scott and Miss Lila Adams. A number of the young men are spending Sunday with the party.

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In Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Howard entertained Tuesday evening at their home in Agnes street, complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Allen. The rooms in which the guests were received were made attractive with cut flowers. Card tables were arranged in the living room, and "Rummy" was the game of the evening. Those invited to meet Mr. and Mrs. Allen were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl von Blucher, Dr. and Mrs. R. A. McCulloch, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Caldwell, Misses Olive Caldwell, Willebrina Born, Sarah Caldwell and Dean Coleman (Laredo), Dr. Arthur McCulloch and Mr. Carroll von Blucher.

CASWELL TELLS CITY COUNCIL HIS ATTITUDE TOWARD LOCAL STREET CAR COMPANY AND CITY

TO THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI:

It appears from certain advertisements which Mr. H. Lecher, of the local street car Company, is sending out that both you and myself are being severely and unduly criticised, and an unwarranted effect has been made on him personally as officials of the City, and me as a week, on account of certain agreements in my franchise.

I have always told you that I do not want a franchise which would require of people who to be a good street car company. I have made these same statements to your City Attorney and Mr. Lecher will do always. Believe I and I repeatedly respect to you full credit of control as to city business. I also gave notice and now have this right and, so far as my franchise is concerned, you expressly reserve said rights to your City Council. In order that said right to you may be absolute without questions or quibble, I now request you to amend said section 12 by striking therefrom these words: "It being expressly understood that grantee of other rights of this franchise shall not have the right to change to city street car franchise hereunder, and any pretended herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding."

I have always told you that it is my purpose to run only what is known as the modern storage battery interurban cars. This still is my intention. I do not intend to build any power plant of any kind either in or without the City. That those interested in the gas business may not be misled, I now petition you to amend Section 15 of my franchise by striking out the word "heat." This section 15 expressly prevents me from building a public plant, if I desired, without first securing a franchise from the City. This is also the present requirement of your charter.

That you and the public may know that I am in good faith as to my proposition, I desire to state that I stand personally offered to Mr. Lecher to make all the changes which he could produce of and in order that so might know my good faith. I told him I would confine my franchise to the st. by-ways so the changes could be made without inconvenience on my part. I do not offer to deal with him to enter into City politics and now deals with the proposition that I will do so with your permission and will enter into a written binding contract to this effect before the election. Mr. Lecher claimed to make such an arrangement with me but until the City not which will be four days after the election. If he can defeat me inside four days after the election, I will not need to make any deal with him.

That you may now know my good faith, I hereby authorize you to amend my franchise so as to perfectly carry out my understandings that I am not to do city business, and not to build a competitive gas or light plant. That Mr. Lecher may be satisfied, I ask that you withdraw my referendum Section 12, and insert his referendum Section 19 in lieu thereof.

Mr. Lecher also makes the startling unwarranted statement that my franchise permits me to lay track on paved streets without compensation to the City. Section 10 requires me to take up the pavement and replace it at my own expense out of the material furnished by you and to the satisfaction of your City Engineer. Section 24 of Lecher's franchise expressly states that he shall pay to the City for more than the cost of paving grading or improvement on streets which have been paved. His franchise does not require him to pay for the taking up of the pavement. My franchise does not require me to pay for the taking up of the pavement. If you agree with Mr. Lecher that he is [illegible] entitled to this respect I have authorized you to withdraw all provisions in my franchise relating to street improvements and insert in lieu thereof the provisions in Mr. Lecher's franchise on this subject.

I am sincerely in earnest in this matter. I have spent two years of my time, and nearly all of the material possession of myself and family, in an effort to bring capital and investments to your City, which will be spent here, and which will give employment to your unemployed and those yet to come. I have always offered to accept a franchise which safeguards all the best interest of your City, and your people, and the best street car Company. I have not changed my intention. If you desire to make said changes before the election, I shall be glad to have you do so. If you desire to make them after the election, I shall guarantee the offer to you with a $10,000.00 bond.

If you prefer that I shall enjoy the rights with my car line over the tracks of the local Company, but that control my franchise, and I will either make some arrangement with the officials of the local Company, or I will undertake an argument under the well-read interurban statutes of this State, by which I shall run my cars down Third street and Mesquite street into the City.

I shall thank you to give me a hearing and determination of this matter immediately.

Very respectfully,
J. H. CASWELL.
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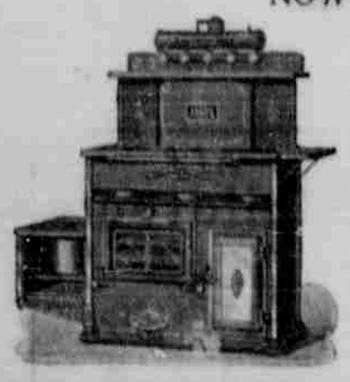

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Complimentary to Mrs. Brownell.

Mrs. G. F. Keeton entertained Wednesday afternoon at the Seaside Hotel, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Bryant M. Brownell of Memphis. Tables were arranged for auction bridge under the silk awnings on the beach. Pretty jar ten cheese were awarded Mrs. Leslie Reid. The honoree was given dainty crepe de chine handkerchiefs. The guest list included the following school friends of Mrs. Brownell: Mrs. Carl von Blucher, Mrs. Leslie Reid, Mrs. J. T. Clarkson, Mrs. Grant Hess, Misses Nettie Griffin, Mrs. Dunn, Willebrina Born, Emily Kerridge, Julia Caldwell and Pauline Williams.

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LUNCHEONS.

Luncheon Club.

The Thursday Luncheon Club enjoyed an extra meeting this week at the Nueces Hotel. Covers were laid for Mesdames W. H. Hall, Homer Johns, David Lecher, J. M. Nix, J. J. Nix, Roy Miller, Edwin Flato, and Clarence Frank. Auction bridge was played in the sun parlor after luncheon. Mrs. Edwin Flato will entertain the club next week at her home on South Broadway.

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Miss Jordt's Dinner Party.

A number of visiting girls were the honorees at a pretty dinner given by Miss Marie Jordt Friday evening at her home on Antelope street. A green and white color scheme was carried out in the table decorations, a low bowl of cape jessamines and ferns forming the centerpiece.

The place cards proved very amusing. They were original rhymes or "hits" on the guests. Covers were laid for Misses Rosalie Kirkpatrick (Paris), Lila Adams (Houston), Lucretia Watson (Houston), Laura Winstead (Houston), and Marie Jordt, Messrs. Robert Norton, S. P. Lemon, Charles Taylor, Fred Boebert, and Sidney Katz. Dancing was enjoyed after dinner.

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Rainbow Breakfast.

Miss Laura Winstead and Miss Lucretia Watson were honor guests at a unique breakfast on Thursday morning at the Nueces Hotel. A swim was enjoyed in the early morning, followed by a breakfast in the main dining room of the hotel. The rainbow idea was carried out in the table decorations, a large basket of rainbow flowers forming the central ornament. The guest favors were crepe de chine handkerchiefs in pretty pale shades, with necklaces of coral for the honor guests. Miss Dunn's guests included the hostess, and Misses Julia Monagan, Barbara Grace, Carrie and Fanny Bennett, Lettie Carroll, Pauline Williams, Willebrina Born, Dora Bowman, Helen Duncan and Mary Cotton.

CHURCH SOCIETIES.

Carrie Chandler Society.

Mrs. Edwin Flato entertained the Carrie Chandler Society of the First Presbyterian church Monday afternoon at her home on South Broadway. After the business session the bible study was held. The hostess served a dainty plate course to her guests, during which time Mrs. H. M. Kichel played several piano selections. The Victrola was also enjoyed. About twenty-five members were present. Mrs. W. P. Givens will be the next hostess, when the meeting will be held in the Sunday School rooms.

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Christian Endeavor Program.

The meting of the Christian Endeavor will be held promptly at six fifteen Sunday, on account of the Epworth Encampment. The program follows:

Song: "Yield Not to Temptation."
Prayer—Celeste Briscoe, leader.
Information.
Scripture Reading.
Eph. 3:14-21.
Lesson Study.
Song, "He is Able to Deliver Thee."
Paper, "Temperance Reform"—Evelyn Bedford.
"Kansas as a Temperance State"—Orville Fuy.
Sentence Prayers.
Announcements.
Mizpah.

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Junior Loyal Sons.

The Junior Loyal Sons, a class of young boys of the Central Christian church, held an enthusiastic meeting on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Eugene Briscoe. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

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Union Missionary Meeting.

There will be a union service of the missionary societies of the city Monday afternoon at four o'clock at the Methodist church. Miss Mabel Howell of Kansas City, who is the interpreter of missions at Epworth, will preside at the meeting. Besides Miss Howell's address, a special musical program has been arranged for the afternoon. It is especially asked that all who are interested will attend, for the meeting is open to all.

CARD CLUBS.

Tuesday Auction Club.

The Tuesday Auction Club had a pleasant meeting this week with Mrs. W. H. Hall on Mesquite street. The card tables were arranged on the sun porch. The high score was made by Miss Mabel Caswell, playing for Mrs. Edwin Flato. Mrs. Hall's guests included Mesdames W. K. Pope, Henry Holden, Roy Miller, L. H. Hudson, W. L. Hammer, Oliver Johns, David Lecher, W. H. Underwood, J. J. Nix, Misses Hallie Robertson and Mabel Caswell. Miss Caswell's prize will be the next club hostess.

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Friday Bridge Club.

Mrs. E. F. Carrasco entertained the Friday Bridge Club this week at her home on Carnahan street. Only the members and their mothers were present. The card tables were set for Mrs. Clarence Frank. Three straight sets Mesdames W. H. Hall, Joseph Hirsch, Eva Miller and Frank E. Evans won. Mesdames Hall, Hirsch, Miller and Evans first. Mesdames Hall and Miller tied for second. Mesdames Hirsch and Evans tied for third. Mrs. Miller cut the prize. Mrs. Carrasco served a delicious refreshment course. Miss Edwards and Miss Isabel Carrasco. Miss Sallie Hermann will be the next club hostess.

MISCELLANEOUS

Engagement Announced.

The friends of Lieut. Lloyd V. Hunter, U. S. N., will be interested in the announcement of his engagement to Miss Ethelda Spotts of Milwaukee. The wedding date to be announced later.

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M. T. E. Club.

Thursday afternoon the M. T. E. Club enjoyed a pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. Hungerford on Mesquite street. Mrs. Hungerford was hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Hungerford. The following guests were present: Mesdames J. T. Sullivan, J. F. Green, H. E. Richard, Henry Dixon, Anna Dibble, C. C. Hallenan, C. E. Smith, Ray Savage, J. Rose and Miss Ruth Schenk. The next meeting will be in the form of a tea with Mrs. C. F. Evans.

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