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LOAN COMPANY ORGANIZED HERE

Charter Granted Midland Corporation May Mean Much to Our Cattlemen.

It is a matter for congratulation, not only to our cattlemen and business men, but also to Midland and her territory that the Stockmen's Loan Company of Midland, Texas, with capital stock of \$50,000.00, was granted a charter by the Secretary of State, on Saturday the 21st.

The officers for the new corporation are: S. W. Estes, president; W. H. Brunson, vice president; W. A. Hyatt, secretary-treasurer, and R. V. Hyatt, assistant secretary.

The stockholders and directors of this company are all Midland people and are some of our wealthiest and most progressive citizens. They show by their actions in organizing this corporation, that they are interested in the welfare and the upbuilding of the Midland territory and that they are ready to respond to the needs of the cowmen.

The Fort Worth Corporation, organized for the purpose of making loans to the livestock growers, farmers and other producers, made such rigid rules and regulations, that it can accommodate only a small percentage of the applications sent to them. It is therefore up to the different localities throughout the State to organize local corporations, to place loans from the citizens of their respective localities with the War Finance Corporation and thus enable their customers to secure money at the low rate of interest of 7 1-2 per cent from date, for one year, with the privilege of two more years renewals, thus making it a three year loan, which should give most every livestock grower time to grow out of the hole.

This is the purpose for which the Stockmen's Loan Company was organized. Through it, the frozen loans of the stockmen will be taken up, and also, as most every borrower will get enough additional money to care for his expenses, many "frozen" accounts, to our merchants will be paid.

We believe that this business organization may mean much to our cowmen and business men. Many loans will be made here and many others will be endorsed over to the War Finance Corporation, and we are told that it may mean that several hundred thousand dollars may be secured in this way. The stock holders, directors and officers of this new loan company, as well as our business interests in general, are to be congratulated upon the organization of this splendid company.

WHEN WILL PROSPERITY RETURN?

Close Student of Economics Expresses Views on Prosperity Outlook.

At the request of those who are responsible for the current issue of The Reporter, the following article on the return of prosperity has been written by one of our leading citizens who is a close student of government and of business. Its optimistic tone and critical analysis of our present and future financial and commercial status will be of interest to those who read it. The article follows:

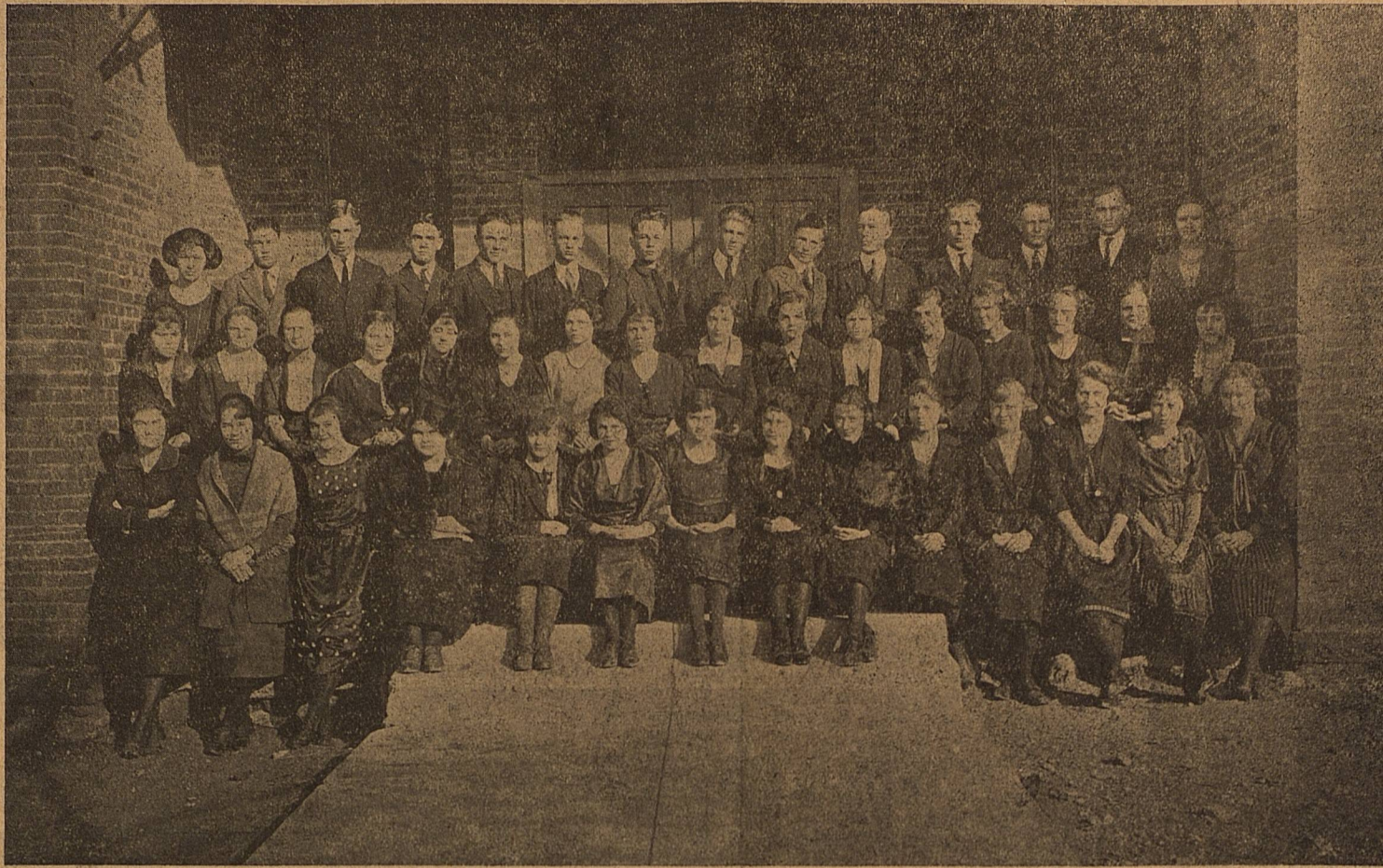
I have been requested to write something for a special issue of the Reporter, and the subject assigned me is, "When Will Prosperity Return?" I have agreed to tackle it, and now that I am at the task, I feel like I imagine a minister feels when he has been called upon to preach the funeral of a bootlegger. About the only words of comfort to the bereaved assemblage, would be that the bootlegger is dead. Yea, I even feel like a wolf walking over my grandmother's grave.

Price and Brown and Babson and other statisticians have published articles weekly for the past year or two telling us when to look for prosperity, and as far as I have seen, they have all missed the mark. Then how can I be expected to hit it? But we are all entitled to our ideas, and no harm is done by expressing them.

According to my ideas, we are in the midst of potential prosperity now. We are the least hurt of any of the combatants in the recent world war; we have about two-thirds of the world's supply of gold, and our government securities are in demand all over the world where there is a market for securities. Our crops have been bountiful for two or three years; the farmers in the corn belt are burning corn for fuel; the elevators in the wheat belt are running over, and another crop is at the door; our warehouses are full of sugar and potatoes and other provisions, and our pastures are comfortably stocked, so we must be potentially prosperous.

I prefer a cellar full of cheap

SENIORS MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL, 1922



FRONT ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Florence Kilearse, Lucile Boyd, President; Margaret Currie, Minta Aycock, Rebecca Underwood, Jessie King, Freddie Bradford, Maude Price, Mary Stanley, Betty Trammell, Ruth Inman, Gladys Buchanan, Cecile Peyton, Helen Winborne.

MIDDLE ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Thad Kelton, May Bryans, Lillie Pliska, Minnie Foster, Gladys Manning, Lenora Whitmire, Bessie Johnson, Frances King, Mabel Holt, Elsie Wolcott, Marie Horde, Lady Connell, Leola Bigham, Margaret Caldwell, Geraldine Gowden, Ethel Norwood.

TOP ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jewell Collins, Herman Klapproth, Marion Allen, Rufus Pawks, Jay Floyd, Fayette Clark, Cleve Baker, Jim Gage, Thord Dockray, C. P. Strickland, Principal; Bryan Hull, Carrell Coyle, Golden Donovan, Winnie Runyan.

The senior class of the Midland high school for the current year is the largest in the history of the institution, being larger than the entire high school was when our present superintendent came to Midland. Then, there were only 40 in the entire high school; now, there are 44 in the senior class alone. In fact, the senior class is about as large as any other class in the high school, being even larger than two other classes, which shows that our pupils are not dropping out of the high school, as they do in many places, but are staying in school until graduation. There is per-

haps no other school in a town the size of Midland, which can boast as large a senior class as we have this year. Midland can also boast a very high per cent of the entire enrollment of the schools in the high school, our high school enrollment being about 25 per cent of the entire enrollment in the city. This is a matter for congratulation when we remember that only about 8 per cent ever reach the high school, taking statistics generally throughout the nation.

Our senior class is great not only in numbers, but also in the personnel of its members. Five of the class have represented the district in decla-

mation and debate at Austin; three of the class are regular pianists for churches, Sunday Schools, and young people's organizations in the city; two are accomplished violinists; all belong the high school choral organizations; four being very good soloists; about fifteen of the girls play well on the piano; several members of the class take oratory, and three of the boys belong to the town band; about fifteen of the members belong to the different choirs of the city; all twelve of the boys belong to debating clubs and all off he girls belong to literary clubs in the high school; practically all the boys play football, baseball,

basketball or engage in track or field events each year; many of the girls play basketball, and all of the twelve boys in the class either hold down jobs in town, or on the ranch, or at home. One boy, in particular, and several girls in the class, are accomplished artists, the boy being a cartoonist of considerable promise.

The spirit of the class is of the highest order, practically every member being active in church and Sunday School work in the city, and their lives counting for that which is highest and best. Midland is to be congratulated on her senior class for 1922.

TWO BIG FINANCIERS HERE THIS WEEK

Prominent Cattleman and Bankers Visit With Relatives in Midland.

Midland is not only the home of big business men, but it is a place where some of the most prominent business men of our country come to visit and to transact business. This is verified this week in the visit of two of the most prominent capitalists and big business men in the southwest, namely, George Pemberton, of Denver, Col., and Ben Mills, of Oklahoma City.

Mr. Pemberton, cowman, banker, capitalist, and big business man, is brother-in-law to our fellow townspeople, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Holt. He comes to Midland almost every year to buy cattle, having bought 3,000 head here last year and being here this time to try to buy 5,000 head. Mr. Pemberton is always a welcome visitor to Midland. When asked about the financial outlook, he expressed himself as being optimistic and looking for better times. He said, "Everything is looking better. It is decidedly better in the east now and is coming west rapidly. I have just been down to Fort Worth, and everything is looking better, and we are feeling it all over the West, even now. The country is not going to the dogs."

Ben Mills, president of the Oklahoma Stock Yards National Bank, is also in Midland this week, and expressed himself as being very hopeful over the financial conditions of the country. Mr. Mills has recently been elected to succeed T. P. Martin, Jr., who is now president of the board of directors of the Oklahoma Bank. When asked concerning the business and financial outlook of the country, Mr. Mills said: "I feel very hopeful of the outlook. I think we have reached the bottom, so far as hard times is concerned, and we may look for better times. I am here to help, to get acquainted, and to co-operate in bringing about better times."

We wish to extend to these two distinguished gentlemen a cordial welcome to our little city, and join with them in looking for better and more normal business conditions.

J. E. Ayer, of Sargent, Cal., and Henry G. Boice, of San Carlos, Ariz., were guests at the Llano this week. Also a Mr. Bledsoe, of Muleshoe, and Chas. Middleton, of Lubbock, were guests of the Llano. These gentlemen were here looking at cattle.

E. H. Van Alstine, who bought about five thousand head of very fine steers, was at the Yeakel this week.

PASTOR PRAISES OUR HIGH SCHOOL

Commends Officers, Teachers and Pupils, and Advocates a New Building.

Our good pastors are always saying a good word for the school and speaking a word of encouragement for those who are engaged in the work. One of the best and most enthusiastic supporters we have is Rev. O. J. Hull, of the Baptist church, who very kindly commends the work which is being done by the students and by those who are responsible for the program of education in Midland, he selecting his own subject. His letter will be of interest to those who are interested in education and especially in our schools. His article follows:

Any community who fails to appreciate her public schools is on the sure road to decay. And let me say, this appreciation should not lie dormant in our breasts, but should come to the surface often and should be expressed in appreciative words, to the end, that a wholesome community atmosphere shall prevail. We should think often of the contribution our schools are making to our individual success, and to the success of our community. It has been my privilege, during my almost four years residence in Midland, to observe the workings of our public schools from almost every angle, and it affords me no little pleasure to give some of my impressions, at the request of the high school, to the local paper which they are editing this week.

In the first place, I have been impressed with the character of men placed on the school board. No community can make her schools what they should be without having wide-awake, progressive, self-sacrificing citizens to constitute the board of trustees. Much of the success of Midland's schools has come as a result of having some of our best citizens lay out and execute a worthy school program. These men have given of their time and energy to the end that Midland's schools shall be second to none. They are busy men but serve the community without compensation. Knock them? NO, NEVER! We

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WHERE IT'S BEST AND CHEAPER

We are now closing our annual Inventory and throughout our big Store with its varied lines, we are marking goods at a lower margin of profit than goods have been sold in Midland before. ❑ We are now on

A CASH BASIS AND IT IS ABSOLUTELY ONE PRICE TO ALL

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However, we take this occasion now to solicit your permanent bank account—your deposits and your co-operation here.

First National Bank Midland, Texas

BIOLOGY IN THE HIGH SCHOOL

Biology is one of the most interesting courses in the high school. The biological truths are approached and sanely comprehended through our biology work. The educational function is to develop an appreciation of the principles of "life."

The teaching of biology, because of the fact that it has not become as thoroughly standardized or methodized as the older sciences of chemistry and physics, requires more time, energy, and enthusiasm on the part of the teacher than does any other subject.

The course of biology ultimately produces the following results:

1. A greater knowledge of nature and an appreciation of plants and animals.
2. Improved powers of observation.
3. Improved powers of discrimination between essential and non-essential details—relative values.
4. An appreciation of man's place in nature—inter-relationship of man and other living things.
5. A clearer understanding of the origin and meaning of sex and the problems of life.
6. Acquisition of a sane attitude toward evolution.
7. A knowledge of environmental factors and the necessity for adaptation.
8. A conception of the order, system and regularity of nature's work.

Biology makes instructive comparisons between the life of animals and plants, and their mutual relations are pointed out.

The first term is devoted to animal and human biology. The second term is devoted to plant biology. This is done in order that the specimens may be secured in season. Observational problems are solved.

The laboratory work is one of the most important parts of the course. Twenty-five live specimens are studied and reported upon during each term. Chart reports are made on the life processes and inter-relationship

of man, animals and plants. All the work is selected and adapted for use by our instructor, Mrs. Harry Tolbert, who works untriflingly for the good of the class.

F. K. M. and H. B. D.

WHY GRUMBLE?

Why grumble at your teacher just because your grades are low? Why say hard things about him, when you should surely know he cannot study for you? He can't make, for you, your grades, but you must do the work yourself. You must get down and dig.

Why not say good things about him? Why not go steadily to work, instead of saying evil of him because you your studies shirk? O, would it not be much better to sprinkle roses in his way than to crown his head with thorns that will tear him all the day?

Then arise, today, my class-mates, look not to the side, nor down, but let each day find you climbing up life's ladder, round by round, seeking some high goal of glory, worthy of an eternal crown. —Benjamin C. Fleenor.

Eugene Brandshaw is a visitor from Dallas this week. He is the guest of Miss Alice Haley.

Mrs. John Edwards was in town Tuesday, from her home in Odessa.

Constipation

Constipation of the bowels is a stoppage of the sewerage system that removes waste matter from the body. It is as necessary that your bowels move regularly once each day, to carry off the waste, as it is that the waste pipes of your home be kept open and carry off the waste from the house. If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed.

Central Ward News and Notes

Visitors

During the month the following visitors were at Central Ward: Mrs. A. W. Stanley, to the first grade; Mrs. T. E. Dozier, to the second grade, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff to the seventh grade.

Athletic Meeting

The boys of the seventh grade, Central Ward, met last Thursday afternoon and organized a baseball team, at which time Paul King was elected captain. Some time was spent in arranging the ways and means for getting their paraphernalia together, and plans were made to begin their practice at once.

The Seventh Grade Literary Society Meets

The Seventh Grade Literary Society met in regular session, Jan. 20th. The house was called to order by the president and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The president called for a report from the treasurer, and she reported \$22.95 on hand. The Society agreed to let the baseball team use the money from the treasury to pay for their necessary equipment. There being no further business, the following program was rendered:

(a) "Birdie's Lullaby" (Lacey.)
(b) "Quality of Mercy" (Shakespeare)—Seventh Grade.
Reading: "Ignorance is Bliss" (Anonymous)—Frances Ratliff.

Question Box—Stella Woody.
Trombone solo: "Sweet and Low" (Johnson)—Clinton Dunagan.

Reading: "Marketing" (Anonymous)—Kitta Belle Wolcott.
Debate: "Does it pay the average graduate of the grammar school to attend high school for several years instead of beginning work at once?"

Affirmative—T. J. Stokes and Josephine O'Bryan; negative—Grady Henry and Nettie Mae Wilson.
Piano solo: "Traumeri" (Schuman)—Pearl Wimberly.

Declamation: "The Defense of the Alamo" (Miller)—Willie Pearl Dockray.

Locals—John Motyl.
Violin solo: "Round the May-pole" (Potstock)—Irene Jay.

Reading: "Pillow Fights" (Anonymous)—Elizabeth McKissick.

Victrola music.
Critic's report—Louis Thomas.
After which the motion was made and carried to adjourn until Feb. 3rd.

Frances Ratliff, President,
Kitta Belle Wolcott, Secy.

Week-end House Party

Miss Noreen Haley was the hostess of a week-end house party, January 6th, at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Haley. The girls left town at 4:30 in the afternoon and arrived at the ranch in time for a horse-back ride, a part of the program which was enjoyed by all. After supper, which was served in cowboy style, and at that goes with it, games were played, and in the wee sma' hours of the night the girls retired; but were up next morning with the sun to continue their usual school-girl pranks. The day was spent in horse-back riding, playing and candy making. The evening was taken up with songs and readings, given by members of the party. After assuring the hostesses of the good times they had had, they returned home Sunday afternoon. The girls were: Misses Van Lee Estes, Josephine O'Bryan, Frances Ratliff, and Elizabeth McKissick.

Girls Entertain Boys

The girls of the seventh grade of Central Ward entertained the boys of that grade with a party Saturday evening, Jan. 21st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Dockray. The children were entertained with many games and tricks. About 30 were present. Dainty refreshments were served, consisting of fruit salad, sandwiches, chocolate and cake.

The Graphophone

(Story by Pupil of Seventh Grade)

The cold gray sky looked down on the snow-covered hills and valleys. The north wind howled around the old brick chimney, from which a curl of smoke was winding. The old house-top was covered with snow, and icicles ere hanging down from the eaves of the roof.

Inside the house sat Farmer Smith and his good wife, Molly. The big fire-place was aglow with the flames of two large logs. Farmer Smith looked into the fire and then glanced at Molly. They seemed to read each other's thoughts. It was of their daughter, Mary, the only child. She had gone away from home to study voice six years since.

Of course she had made them visits while she was in America, but now she was far away; she had gone abroad to study. Tears were in the old woman's eyes.

The old man jumped to his feet, and said to his wife: "Well, Molly, I guess I'd better git the chores done afore supper."

"Yes, William," she replied, "are you going to the postoffice? We might hear from Mary."

"Well I rec'on 't wud be no use, but I'll go," he said.

With this he opened the door and a cold gust of wind blew in.

"It's a-gittin' colder, Molly," he said, "so I'll hurry."

"Molly busied herself with supper while William was doing his part of the night work. Presently he returned. She helped him into his heavy overcoat and overshoes. The old man put on his gloves and started out. It didn't take him long to reach the small town of Greenville. He went to the post office first and asked if there was any mail for William Smith.

"No, not a thing," replied the clerk.

Oh, how disappointed the old man was. Why wasn't there a letter?

He started home in a slow walk. On his way home he passed the express office. The expressman called out to him, "Just a minute, you have some express."

"Who, me?" he asked, "you must be mistaken."

"No, I am not, you certainly have something," answered the expressman. The old man stepped into the office and there was a large box addressed to him and Molly. He lifted it to his shoulders and started home. No sooner had Molly opened the door for him than she exclaimed "What on earth is that thing?"

"I don't know, but fetch the hammer and we'll see."

Molly brought the hammer and William tore off the lid. A card fell to the floor that read: "To dad and mother, from Mary."

"What is it?" asked Molly.

"I don't know; let me see," and he spelled the word, "G-r-a-p-h-o-n-e."

Puzzled more than ever, the old man scratched his head and said, "But what's that thing? I'll put it together and see."

He fixed it together and then he read, "Put on a record."

"I guess that's this thing," he said, as he picked up a round, black object. "And it says to put the needle on it, and then push the knob in the right hand corner."

This he did, and all of a sudden they heard a voice coming from the box. It sounded like Mary's; yes, it really was Mary's.

From that time on, the days and nights were no longer sad and lonely for them but were made happy because they could hear their daughter's voice, even though they could not have her with them. —E. McK.

Misses Frances Ratliff and Josephine O'Bryan Hostesses

Misses Frances Ratliff and Josephine O'Bryan were the hostesses at a party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff, Jan. 20th. Many interesting games were played and enjoyed, after which delicious refreshments were served.

SENIOR FUN

Mr. Lackey—"I want to see the editorial staff after school."
Elsie (one of the staff)—"I can't I'm engaged." Wonder to whom?

Frances held out her hand to Herman to get a piece of candy. Bryan took hold of it, nearly. Frances to Bryan—"I'm not giving my hand to you, I'm giving it to Herman."

Mr. Elliott (in Physics).—"Sound is divided into two classes. Noise, that's what you make, and music." Jim—"That's what you make."

Lady (coming from the telephone—"He wants us to go to the show with him. I told him we would.")
Marie—"Who is he?"
Lady—"Oh, gracious! I forgot to ask."

Haven't you Often Wondered?
Why some of the seniors are not exempted who have high grades?
How the seniors found out there were no giants?
What kind of car Mr. Lackey will get?

Why Mr. Strickland persists in changing the senior seats?
How Lafayette and Frances got the names of "Romeo and Juliet."
Why Mr. Lackey insists on knowing what Herman reads?

Why the seniors have so much dignity?
Why the seniors never have any chalk?
Why we don't build a new high school building?

Whether Miss Littlejohn will teach next year or not?
Why Bryan and Marion have pie fights?

You Can Always Tell
You can always tell a senior, He is so sedately dressed; You can always tell a junior, By the way he swells his chest.

You can always tell a freshman, By his timid looks and such; You can always tell a sophomore, But you cannot tell him much.

History of a Junior After Mid-Term
She failed in history and flunked in math,
We heard her fiercely hiss: "Gee, I'd like to catch the nut who said, That ignorance is bliss."

Chamberlain's Cough-Remedy
This is a pleasant, safe and reliable medicine for coughs and colds. It has been in use for many years and is held in high esteem in those households where its good qualities are best known. It is a favorite with mothers of young children, as it contains no opium or other harmful drug. Try it when you have need of such a remedy.

No, it isn't the short skirts that are becoming popular. It's what they reveal.

A Verbal Courtship
From Judge: "And you are sure that you love me?" she dimpled. "Absolutely sure of it," he flashed. "Men are so fickle," she gurgled. "And are women never fickle?" he sallied.

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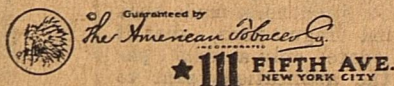
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"I am not sure," she evaded.

"You would not admit it if you were," he charged.

"I might and I might not," she sparkled.

"But you do love me?" he queried.

"You are too eager to know," she tantalized.

"But why keep me in suspense?" he frowned.

"Because I choose to," she blazed.

"A woman's reason," he scorned.

"It is good enough for me," she snapped.

"But not for me," he retaliated.

"But you can not make me give a better one if I do not choose to," she jeered.

"Is it thus you treat an honest man's love?" he scowled.

"Pardone me," she softened.

"And if I do will you give me a fairer answer to my question?" he smiled.

"I may," she coyed.

"Then—I—but someone is coming," he warned.

"I must go," she gasped.

"Good-by until tomorrow," he murmured and vanished.

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And I saw the Holy City, New Jerusalem, coming down out of Heaven from God, made ready as a bride adorned for her husband. (Rev. 21:2.)

And the city hath no need of the sun, neither the moon, to shine upon; for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb thereof is the Lamb (Christ). And the nations shall walk amidst the light thereof; and the kings of the earth bring their glory into it. (Rev. 21:23-24.)

And they shall bring the glory and the honor of the nations into it, and there shall in no wise enter into it anything unclean, or he that maketh an abomination and a lie; but only they that are written in the Lamb's Book of Life. (Rev. 21:27.)

Behold, come quickly; and my reward is with me, to render to each man according as his work is. (Rev. 22:12.)

WITH THE METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY, JAN. 22nd

The pastor, Rev. W. Angie Smith, of the Methodist church, occupies his pulpit at both the morning and evening hours last Sunday. Though the weather was very disagreeable there were two large congregations to hear the messages. He used as subjects for the discourses "The Golden Rule" and "The Denial of Peter."

Reading a portion of the sixth chapter of Luke as the setting for the morning sermon, he then selected his text from the seventh chapter of Matthew, using the twelfth verse.

Introducing the theme with a statement that there are those who believe that Jesus brought no original thoughts and statements into our lives, but accumulated the wisdom of all the ages and gave added emphasis by His dynamic personality. God has been revealing Himself to all people and they were able to receive the light. Quoting from pagan philosophers and heathen religions were added to see that amid all their confusion of thought an occasional ray of light is given as God leads them nearer the Great Truth.

Jesus Christ came as the complete and perfect revelation of God as the Father of mankind and thus in His life He embodies all that has gone before but brought additional light to perfect the picture. A brief review of similar statements to the Golden Rule was given, taking us back to the writings of Confucius, the Book of Tobit, the reply of Hillel to the Gentile Questioner, and to the Works of Isocrates but in each case there was only the negative side of the question given. These men all build upon a selfish foundation of do not to the other man that which is hateful to thyself. Comparisons in the modern times were alluded to, to show that many of us in our daily lives, in our religious experiences, and in our national policies are living by the negative and selfish rule.

Jesus came with a positive declaration of do unto others and gave the world a dynamic, social program for the erection of the Kingdom. This saying is rightly called a rule, for it lays down a general principle for our moral guidance, and furnishes a ready test of the social value of words and deeds. The disciples looked for the coming of the Kingdom as the supreme end of life's actions and this rule furnishes the standard of excellence whose practical value lies in its universal application. Interpreted in the Spirit of Christ it is but the embodiment in action of the prayer, "Thy Will be Done on Earth as in Heaven."

With this as a foundation he discussed for us Christianity as a practical religion. It is more than a belief, though that does determine what our lives will be, it is living a life. It has more than a Heavenly aspect, it has a plan and program for your daily life. Leading us from this thought we were shown from the divisions of the text the universal application of the Rule and demonstrating that it is not visionary, but is being put in practice in industry.

With Christ summing up the law and the prophets in this Rule He brought light in the world which is the ideal life of life. Governments are maintained for practical protection, but as men grow in the light and live by the standards of the Rule the need for protection diminishes in proportion.

Using the "Denial of Peter" as the subject for the evening service, Rev. W. Angie Smith read from the 18th chapter of John and selected the 18th verse for his text, "Peter also was with them standing and warming himself." Introducing this theme with a short discourse on friendship of man for man and its value and then Jesus the Master Friend. In the course of his remarks he spoke of the friendship of Jesus for the disciples and the care with which He had prepared them for the tasks ahead.

When Christ was arrested and was in need of the comfort and inspiration of a friend, the disciples deserted Him, though two followed afar off. One went on the inside, but Peter stood without until this first disciple came back and brought him in. As he passed the door-keeper Peter denied the Christ and went over to a group of men who were standing by a fire warming themselves. Peter stopped and began to warm himself. The actions of Peter are a clear case of the result of losing control of one's higher nature and being completely obsessed by physical fear. Today men who are not willing to take a definite stand for a great task or moral movement are standing by the fire warming themselves when Jesus needs a friend. Peter denied the Master two other times. It was easy for him to proclaim the Christ when all was well but now there was need of a friend for the Savior, Peter could only be recognized by the manner of his speech.

The results of the denials of Peter drove him out into the night to suffer the bitter pangs of a remorseful conscience. The contrast between Jesus and Peter at this time is clearly apparent to all. Jesus gave all for humanity, Peter did all to save himself; Jesus was steadfast to the end, Peter changed with the conditions; Jesus not hurt in character by the denials, Peter hurt self by undermining his character.

Today with the world torn asunder and disorder and strife upon every hand, how many of us are standing by the fire warming ourselves when God needs us out in the conflict. It is possible for a nation to fail to come to the rescue of a great principle of internationalism and stand by the fire. When a church builds a wall around itself and refuses to go out into the struggling and dying world for the lost they are not only denying the Christ, but are standing by the fire warming themselves as the world dies for the Savior, and individually in our own community men are standing by the fire warming themselves when the network of sin and lawlessness is being drawn around the necks of our young. Is it not time for us to leave the fires and go out into the conflict for Him? —B. V. T.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY, JANUARY 22nd

The Sunday School of the Baptist church is one of the most progressive departments in the church and under the leadership of the superintendent, C. S. Karkalis, is becoming one of the leading organizations of the city. The various departments, organized classes, and well prepared teachers are doing much to make it what it is. Last Sunday there was an attendance of 217 which was an increase over the preceding Sunday. Among the most noteworthy classes are the Baraca, the Philathia and the T. E. L. among which exists friendly rivalry, each attempting to make its class perfect in attendance.

Rev. J. F. Wood, missionary of the Big Spring Association, spoke at the morning hour. His text was taken from Daniel 11:32, and he based his sermon upon the importance of knowing God. His sermon was very interesting and helpful and one which everyone enjoyed. The music at the morning hour was unusually good and especially the anthems: "Let the King of Glory In," and "The Lord Our God be with us," which were sung by a well prepared choir.

Rev. O. J. Hull spoke at the evening hour on "Are the Fathers of Mid-

land Measuring up to their Responsibilities?" taking his text from Gen. 18:19. In the introduction he spoke of the crime wave which is sweeping over the country and made an appeal to the law-abiding citizens to better this condition. He also spoke of the habits which are being formed by the boys in their teens and how these might be changed from worse to better. There was a twenty minute song service preceding the sermon, furnished by a ten piece orchestra, and an excellent choir. The anthem "All United in Jesus" was sung at the evening service.

M. C. and L. C.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

This sturdy congregation of Disciples of Christ stands for all that is best in Christian character, general education, intelligent patriotic devotion to our city, State and nation. We feel we are but doing ourselves justice when we advocate progressive views of education and municipal progress. We find pleasure and pride in co-operating with sister churches in every thing that tends to make our fellows happier, more prosperous and appreciative of the great multitudes of blessings so wonderfully bestowed upon us by our Heavenly Father.

Services each Lord's day at the usual hours for Sunday School, Lord's supper, praise and preaching of the word of God. Mid-week prayer meeting and choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 7:15. The public is asked to attend these meetings.

METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Methodist Sunday School is doing a splendid work this year under the leadership of the superintendent, M. C. Ulmer, the assistant superintendent, C. L. Klapproth, and the pastor, W. A. Smith. We also have an excellent corps of teachers, all of whom are competent and experienced in the art of creating interest in the Sunday School as well as teach the classes. On January 1st the members of the Sunday School began a drive for more members who would study their lessons and attend regularly. The number has steadily increased until a total of 268 has been reached. However, we do not intend to stop there, but as Bro. Smith pointed out, our object is, "not to get numbers alone, not that, but to win souls for Christ," and strengthen the faith of those already in the faith.

Especially is the work being done in the primary department, something to be proud of. The children attend more regularly than most of the grown people, and take an interest which is indeed good to see. At present there is a state of friendly rivalry existing between the young men of Dr. Hall's class and the girls of Mr. Klapproth's class, each endeavoring to excel the other in attendance and so forth, while over the whole Sunday School there is an atmosphere of good spirit, co-operation and efficiency, three essential elements of success in any undertaking. —B. V. T.

CHRISTIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL

One of the outstanding features of the Christian Sunday School is the benevolent work, which is remembered the first Sunday in each month by a liberal offering. We have birthday offerings which are urged for missionary purposes.

The school has recently adopted the graded system. The beginners and primary department has been equipped with new tables, a sand table, and other supplies needed for this work. And, although we are still handicapped for room, we are doing good work. Mrs. Dawson is superintendent of this department, assisted by Elsie Wolcott, Inabeth Whitefield, and Mrs. Porter Rankin.

The whole school is doing good work since the graded system has been adopted, and here is a class for all ages who come. Last Sunday we had the largest attendance this year.

Mrs. Leonard Pemberton is Sunday School secretary, assisted by Ruth Inman. R. L. I.

Methodist Church

Though Sunday was a disagreeable day we were delighted to welcome two

large congregations to worship with us. Visitors are always welcome and we assure them that our services are for the purpose of leading men nearer to God, not as a far off ruler and judge, but as a Father and Savior of men. The Bible is a great connected history of the revelation of God to His children, thus we should join a Bible class in the Sunday School in order to learn of the plans and purposes of God in the world.

We have a definite program for our Wednesday evening prayer services and do not depend upon the service to develop our program. We are now studying the Life of David and have completed four of the proposed twelve chapters. There were over 70 out last week, but we want many more than these to receive the inspiration from this great life. Make your plans to be present next Wednesday evening at 7:15 and we will dismiss promptly at 7:45.

The program for Sunday is as follows:

Sunday School, 9:45. Elijah in Naboth's Vineyard, 1st Kings 21:1-29.

Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.

Junior League, 3 p. m.

Senior League, 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship, 7:15. Sermon by the pastor.

W. A. SMITH, Pastor.

Senior Epworth League

Leader—Fayette Clark.

Subject, "What Our Country Owes to Home Missionaries."

Scripture, Luke 10: 1-17.

Song and prayer service.

Our Pioneer Missionaries:

"Dr. Marcus Whitman"—Thad Kellton.

"L. B. Stalder" and "William McKendrei"—Laura Smith.

"Joshua Soule" and "David Brainard"—Junie Tucker.

Special Music—Miss Lydie and Mr. Ned Watson.

"Home Missionaries as a Vanguard to Civilization"—Herman Klapproth.

"What Our Church is Doing Now"—Marion Allen.

Song, announcements and benediction.

ATHLETICS OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

In setting forth here the activities of the athletic association we are presenting one of the leading influences in our school life—the influence which strives to make "a sound mind in a sound body," one of the aims of every girl and boy in the high school.

Our athletics, this year, have been better than ever before. The football boys have worked hard the past three years for the place they have won in the eyes of their opponents and the town. Under the efficient leadership of Mr. Lackey and Mr. Elliott as coaches, the boys have won the admiration of not only this school but of other schools. Out of the eight games played, they won six, losing only two.

This is the best record Midland high school has ever made and we are sure that the people of Midland appreciate and realize the importance of athletics in schools. The faculty and students of the high school showed their appreciation by giving a banquet to the team. At this banquet gold footballs were presented to the following:

Captain Marion Allen, right tackle; Earl Williams, left tackle; Golden Donovan, left guard; Charles Watson, right guard; Herman Klapproth, center; Jim Gage, right end; Paul Jones, left end; Carter Arnett, left half; Forrest Ward, right half; Bryan Hull, quarterback; Wesley Henry, full-back; Cleve Baker, right guard; Cullen Arnett, left tackle; Ben Wall, right end.

The girls' basketball team was organized at the first of the year and much interest was manifested. Mr. Strickland was the efficient coach and helped the girls very much. They played three games, although they won none, but they were considered worthy opponents. After examinations they expect to do great things.

Of course we are going to stand behind the boys' basketball team just as we did in football. The team has been organized for quite a while with Mr. Elliott as coach. There has been interest created between the two opposing teams and rivalry exists between the two teams. We intend to have as good

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FAST COLLEGE FIVE DEFEAT BIG SPRING

On last Saturday the Big Spring high school came to Midland with the intention of defeating our "Fast College Five," but everyone knows the reputation which Midland holds in athletics. The game was fast and furious, with many spectacular plays on both sides. A large crowd was present, and everyone enjoyed the contest. The Big Spring five were very good, but in all plays and ways did the Midland team outclass them. Several of both teams deserve honorable mention. The Midland line-up: Herchel Rhodes, center; Asa Anderson and Hezzie Carson, forwards; Walter Vaughn and Norris Wheeler, guards. Officials: Cox, of Big Spring, and Elliott, of Midland.

F. W. and C. C. W.
Mr. Jewell Curry, of Midland, returned Monday morning from Cisco, where he has been attend to some business.

Audrey Anderson returned from a business trip to Cisco last Monday.

MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL LYCEUM COURSE

The Midland high school has been most fortunate in being able to secure lyceum courses for Midland a number of years. This year we obtained the Dixie entertainment course. The numbers are made up of well known orchestras, singers and orators, and are exceedingly good. Some of the entertainments which we have enjoyed greatly were: "Orpheus Four," "Biltmore Orchestra," "Harp Singers" and "Lyceum Arts Quartet." We have two other numbers booked for this year, Lincoln McConnell for March 9th and Edward Reno for the near future. These lyceum courses have been of great benefit to the citizens of the town as well as the student body. E. W. and F. K.

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Governor of Texas Addresses People

State Executive Makes Plea and Calls for Law Enforcement

Below is a letter from his excellency, Governor Pat M. Neff, addressed to the people of Texas concerning law and order, and their dignity and enforcement, in which he calls on all loyal citizens, all officials and public servants to lend their aid and influence in an endeavor to stamp out crime and to uphold the dignity and sanctity of the law. His letter follows:

Governor's Office, Austin, Tex. January 14, 1922.

To the People of Texas:

The law is the foundation of civilization. It is the cement that holds together the bricks of established government. Obedience to the law is the first and highest obligation of the citizen. Loss of respect for the law marks the beginning of the breakdown of civilization. When people scoff at the law or those attempting to enforce it, they are aiding the cause of anarchy. On every side we hear the underground rumblings of revolt against law and order. The crime wave is lashing the ship of State and tearing it from its moorings. Life and property are unsafe. Every day callers make, and every mail brings, appeals from every section of Texas asking for aid to suppress lawlessness, claiming that local authorities cannot or will not enforce the law. We have an unprecedented growth of crime. The law is the great channel through which flows the sovereign power of the people. They are in the last analysis the preservers of peace and the conservators of civilization.

Therefore, as your Governor, I call upon all patriotic, law-abiding men and women to unite with me in a definite campaign for the education and development of public sentiment in favor of the maintenance of the law. As the executive of the State, I ask officially that every pastor who preaches, every editor who writes, and every speaker who talks on Sunday, Jan. 22nd, preach a sermon, write an editorial, and make a speech on that day advocating the supremacy of and obedience to the law of the land.

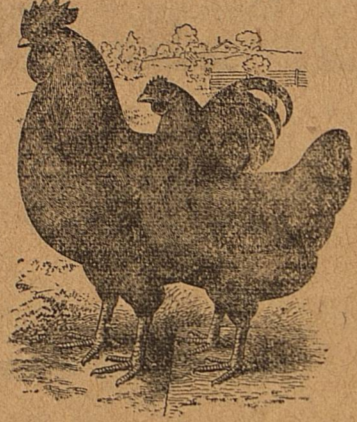
I also call on every county and district judge in Texas who holds court on Monday, Jan. 23rd, to open court on that morning with an address on the enforcement of the law. I suggest that each prosecuting attorney and sheriff be called on for remarks. I hereby invite the people to assemble at their respective courts to encourage with their presence and to hear what their officers have to say. I further request every school teacher in the State to open school on Monday, Jan. 23rd, with a talk to the students on the importance of obeying the law. I beseech the forces of righteousness in every nook and corner of Texas to join hands in a united effort to clear this State of every character of lawlessness. Yours for the law, (Signed) Pat M. Neff, Governor.

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Western Towns Will Be Benefitted By Bankhead Highway

W. J. Moran and son, Earle, have just returned from the Mexia oil fields, and report a very prosperous and instructive trip. Mr. W. J. Moran says that while business is rather dull in the oil fields, the work of the wells is steadily progressing. Those wells which have already been proven are producing great quantities of oil. While these gentlemen were on a prospecting tour, we understand that they did not make any extensive investments on this trip. When asked concerning the Bankhead Highway and how he was impressed with it, Mr. W. J. Moran said:

"I am frank to say that, until after actual observation, I did not conceive of the gigantic and magnificent proposition of this highway and of the good to be derived from it by the traveling public in the near future. Both in engineering and in construction it seems to be perfect in every particular. I saw several highways, but the Bankhead Highway, when completed and where already completed, seems to be the best."

"The towns all along the line are going to be very materially benefitted by this highway, and especially those in the western portion of the State, since there the towns are farther apart and competition is not so strong. The general impression seems to be that when this highway is completed and thrown open to the public, there will pass over it annually not less than 100,000 cars, some putting the estimate even as high as 400,000 cars. We are not getting our quota of tourists at this time, since our part of the road is not yet completed and many of the tourists are being routed in other directions.

"The pleasure and convenience of such a road as the Bankhead Highway will be when it is completed, in my opinion, will be a great surprise to the most sanguine. Distance will be almost wiped out, and we will drive 300 miles with the ease with which a new drive 50. This consideration is worthy to be mentioned along with the financial benefits to be derived. Too much can not be said for our government, the State authorities, the different counties along the line, as well as those who conceived the idea and later those who helped to promote, boost, individually and otherwise, and helped out over this great proposition. Our local representative, engineers, etc., should also receive special mention, in recounting the praise of those who are responsible for this work."

-C. C. W.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election to be held Saturday, July 22, 1922:

- For Associate Justice Court Civil Appeals, Eighth Supreme Judicial District: E. F. HIGGINS, El Paso, Texas.
- For District Attorney, 70th Judicial District: CLEM CALHOUN, Pecos, Texas
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: WILL MANNING AUDIE FRANCIS
- For County and District Clerk: C. B. DUNAGAN W. J. SPARKS
- For County Judge: J. M. DeARMOND CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH
- For Tax Assessor: NEWNIE W. ELLIS
- For County Treasurer: BROOKS LEE

The Western Hereford Breeders association is offering \$25 in prizes for registered Hereford calves owned by boys and girls not over 18 years of age and exhibited at Monte Vista Stock Show, Feb. 8-9-10.

Lige Davis and son have moved their office to the Llano Hotel.

Wadley-Wilson Company expect to move to their new place of business about the 15th of 20th of February.

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land on to the new sucker; the sucker paid the notes, and still has the land, and is longing for the flesh pots of Egypt. But his turn is coming soon. Money is piling up in the centers every day. An abundance of five per cent money is available now in the money centers, but there are but few takers—they don't want it at any price, and they won't take it, so it must be invested to get a return on it.

Everything is governed by a system of laws. Even nature itself moves according to fixed laws beginning with the rigid law of gravity, and coming on out through the more flexible law of the seasons, and every law has its penalty. We are now being penalized by the law of supply and demand; we have over-produced, and the supply exceeds the demand. The present situation is making socialists of all of us. It is, common talk; that the government should control the packers, the railroads, the labor unions, and what not. But the government is helpless, it cannot over-ride the law of supply and demand. We have too much of our active commodities. While the market was good, we sold on a large scale, and the gold piled into this country by the barrel. It is here now. We as a nation have nothing to spend it for.

The gold supply has outgrown the demand, and it will seek investment as certain as there is a law of supply and demand. This law applies to money and investments the same as it does to products of the soil. I am as certain that we are soon to enter upon an epoch of safe investments of this surplus money as I am that times are hard at present. I believe that the fellow who is able to stick it out through another season will come into his own. The supply of the commonly known safe investments is limited, whereas the demand for such investments will be great in a short time, doubtless. It is a well known fact that vendor's lien notes are in great demand at present. The good ones are being sold at par rapidly. Government bonds with a low interest rate are in great demand and are climbing higher every day; the supply will be exhausted before long, but our wealth will continue to demand investment, and it will reach us ere long. So sit tight, fellows, and hold on if you can. Relief is not far away.

Gad Zooks, I got out of it better than I thought I would. —X. Y. Z.

FORMER MIDLAND TEACHER TO BE MARRIED SOON

The following, taken from the Dallas News social items, will be of interest to the many friends of Miss Estelle Henkel, who once taught in Midland and who has many friends here. Miss Henkel was one of our strongest and best-liked teachers. She went from our schools to the Dallas schools where she has been teaching since she left us:

Dr. Minnie L. Maffett and Miss Nellie Maffett entertained Saturday evening with a party at their new home, 3636 Armstrong avenue, honoring Miss Estelle Henkel, whose marriage to William Johnson, of Birmingham, Iowa, will take place in February. In a game of "hearts" the prize was won by Miss Mary Lightfoot, who presented it to Miss Henkel. "Little Miss Patsy Peacock, dressed as a bride, descended the starway, carrying a large bouquet. Her train was carried by Master Edwin Marcus Zimmerman as page. Her bouquet, which she presented to Miss Henkel, concealed a silver coffee urn, the joint gift of the guests present. From the bouquet fell a shower of tiny hearts, each one bearing the name of one of the guests.

"The house was decorated with red and white carnations. "A salad course was served to 40 guests. Favors were Cupids, each holding two hearts."

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Pike and Mrs. Steve Baker and little son left Sunday for their home in Big Spring after a visit with their sister, Mrs. E. N. Snodgrass.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Proctor, of Seminole, are visiting friends and relatives in Midland this week.

The M. N. F. S. A. had their annual meeting on Jan. 10th. The following directors were elected: J. E. Hill, B. H. Blakeney, Judge Chas. Gibbs, J. M. King and W. L. Dean. The officers of the association are: J. E. Hill, president; B. H. Blakeney, vice president, and C. S. Karkalits, secretary and treasurer.

The Platonian Society of Midland College rendered a very interesting program Friday afternoon.

We are glad to report that Mrs. A. T. Terry, who has been ill, is better this week.

Henry Bledsoe and Charley Middleton, of Lubbock, were here Friday inquiring for grown steers suitable for Kansas pasture.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Proctor were in from the ranch last week.

We are glad to welcome to our room Miss Helen Dollins, of Dallas, a graduate of the grammar schools at that place, and after examinations will be ready for eighth grade here.

Addison Wadley returned this week from a business trip East. His business extended to New York, Chicago, and St. Louis, where he has been buying his merchandise for the year.

E. J. Jennings is a visitor here from Dallas for the week end.

Kellogs bran and corn flakes. Youmblood's Grocery. adv

E. S. Johnson returned from Big Spring with a new sedan, also a very pretty wife.

The woman's auxiliary, of the Presbyterian church, will hold an apron and candy sale on the afternoon of February 11th, in Harry Tolbert's store. Plain and fancy aprons will be for sale. Remember the date, Saturday, Feb. 11th.

Birdie Bradshaw, who has been ill for several days, is able to be back at school.

Worth Considering The question is not so much how you contract a cold, but how to get rid of it with the least loss of time and inconvenience. If you will consider the experience of others under similar circumstances, who have been most successful in checking their colds, in their beginning, you will secure a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy without delay, and use it faithfully. There are many families who have used this preparation successfully for years and hold it in high esteem. It is excellent. Jan 1st

MIDLAND COLLEGE DEFEATS BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL

The Midland College quintet met and defeated the Big Spring high school team on the Midland College athletic grounds Saturday afternoon in what was, perhaps the fastest and cleanest game every played in the city of Midland. While the action was a bit sluggish at first it rapidly gained momentum and the game as a whole was fast and snappy. The entire game was characterized by fair play and freedom from fouling, there being only seven fouls in the entire game.

First Half—Anderson opened for Midland College with a field goal. This was soon followed by two field goals by Rhodes, making the score 6-0 favoring Midland. Big Spring then began a real struggle for the supremacy of the field and finally succeeded in making a field goal. Anderson then made a field goal. Rhodes fouled and Big Spring gained a point there by. Carson fouled. Score 8-3 for Midland College.

Second Half—Big Spring made a futile attempt to rally their fallen forces and finally succeeded in making two field goals. Big Spring fouled and Midland College made a point, which was quickly followed by a field goal thrown by Rhodes of M. C. Carson then made a field goal and M. C.

gained a point on Big Spring's foul. Big Spring scored on a field goal. Anderson threw field goal for M. C. Big Spring made a field goal which closed the game.

Summary—Rhodes, of M. C., pitched three field goals and one free pitch. Anderson, of M. C., pitched three field goals. Carson pitched one field goal and one free pitch. Caldwell, Big Spring center, made two left field goals. Pitman, Big Spring left forward, made one free pitch. Porter Big Spring right forward, pitched three field goals. Fouls: Big Spring 4, M. C. 3. Final score: Midland College 16, Big Spring, 11.

The game was witnessed by a fairly large crowd of spectators all of whom showed much interest in the game. The sidelines were alive and each play was received with rounds of applause, no matter whether it happened to be the home team or their opponents. All of the contestants expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the results of the game and it is hoped that we may have another game with Big Spring during the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Germany, of Odessa, were here on business this week.

R. J. Webb has returned to school after several days absence.

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PASTOR PRAISES OUR HIGH SCHOOL

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should express our appreciation for their unselfish service upon every possible occasion.

Then, too, I have observed that the policy of the board and superintendent has been, not only to secure the most efficient teachers that can be found, but to adopt a program of continuity in service. We can see the wisdom of this policy, and this article would be all too long were I to stop and discuss the many good reasons that might be given for such a policy. Suffice it to say, that some of the best teachers in our State, who are now at the head of some of the strong schools of the State, have taught in Midland's schools eight and ten years. If we are correctly informed Mr. Lackey is now serving in his sixteenth year as superintendent of our schools. And of all the forces that have contributed to placing Midland's high school in the front row, with the largest and best schools of the State, have been the untiring and ever persistent efforts of the superintendent. It is not by accident that they have attained their present efficiency. Supt. Lackey has given six to ten of the best years of his life to this end. It seems that the policy of the board has been, that the best is none too good for the boys and girls of Midland.

While all of the above is true, yet Midland never could have made the reputation she has in educational circles without a worthy student body. We have seen larger high school groups, but it has never been our privilege to look into the faces of a more intelligent looking student body than that which assembles each morning in our high school building for chapel exercises. The very atmosphere pulsates with the big West Texas spirit of these boys and girls. They have the spirit of the fathers and mothers of these big plains. Just as the citizenship of West Texas differs from that of the East, so the spirit of the West Texas boy and girl differs from those who are forced to live farther east.

It is not only the opinion of the writer, but it is the universal opinion of visitors from every section of our State, and even beyond, that it is indeed a wonderful program these high school students render each morning at the chapel hour. The educational and scriptural quotations, the high grade of music, hymns and songs, with the peppy yells are not only entertaining but are instructive and enjoyable, as well.

Then, too, when it comes to the matter of athletics, which is so essential to the on-going of a first class school, we are not taking a "back seat." Some have gone from our high school to the best colleges and universities of the South and made enviable records. We could name these, but it is unnecessary as some of them live even now among us, and are as fine specimens of humanity as walk the globe. And we feel that it is a compliment to the patrons and citizens of the community that they show their appreciation of this part of the school program by going into their pockets during the past year and putting several hundred dollars into athletic equipment. We all so feel sure that at the earliest moment possible the school board will provide an athletic director who can give all his time to this department. And when that day arrives, Midland will walk away with the blue ribbon

in athletics, as she has in other State contests, for our boys and girls have as fine physiques and as unconquerable spirits as there are to be found in this great State. They have made a wonderful showing under the coaching of teachers who have not had the time to give to the work that it demands. But with all that has been said, and much more that could be said in regard to our schools, we must say, we are just a little hampered (if that is a good word) in the high school for lack of an adequate high school building. The writer is in favor of the very best roads it is possible to have. We also favor every necessary civic improvement, but we do believe that the "dads" of our little city should put into the community program a high school building, and when the good Lord smiles upon us again, and prosperity comes our way, as it has in the past, we will put our hands to this most worthy task which is so necessary to the future of our boys and girls.

BANKHEAD HIGHWAY PROGRESSING NICELY

The construction work on the Bankhead National Highway through the counties of Howard, Martin, Midland and Ector, is progressing as rapidly as could be expected, taking into consideration the dry weather. The moisture which we have had during the week will be of immense benefit, although it was not enough to pack the sub-grade, it will soften the ground up a bit and be much easier on the construction force. About seven miles of grade is up in Midland County. The concrete force has been at work for the past two weeks on the construction of the bridge across the draw near the water tank east of town. The abutments and centre pier have already been poured and the pouring of the slabs will take place as soon as the weather moderates. The freezing weather we have had this week caused this force to cease work, as concrete work cannot be done at this time. This bridge consists of two twenty foot spans concrete structure and will be strong enough to carry a locomotive.

The work of building a side track from the main line of the Texas & Pacific railway to the gravel pit southeast of Big Spring where the gravel will be obtained for this road, has been started. It will require one mile of track to circle the hills and reach the gravel pit. A steam shovel will be used in removing the gravel from the pit and loading on the railroad cars for shipment. This gravel pit, which is owned jointly by four counties, is estimated to contain approximately 400,000 cubic yards of gravel. It will take 250,000 cubic yards to cover the road through the four counties, thus leaving a substantial amount for the future maintenance of the road after completion.

Judge J. M. DeArmond has just received word from the State Highway Department that the inter-state commerce commission had granted a reduction of 15 per cent on the freight rate on gravel, for the construction of roads, which he states will mean a saving to Midland County of about \$9,000.00.

Both the Federal and State highway engineers have been here on a tour of inspection this week and they pronounce the work going along satisfactory.

A. W. Bell was here Saturday and Sunday from Colorado, Texas. He was in the market for fat calves. Last week he shipped out 300 calves purchased from McIntosh Bros.

Great Palestine Pageant Baptist Church, Midland



REV. DR. ALLEN MOORE, F. R. G. S., Director of Pageant.

Plans have been made that Dr. Allen Moore, F. R. G. S. Director of the Palestine Pageant, and foremost Orientalist in America, stop over in Midland and present to the general public of his city, his wonderful series of dramatic scenes and lectures. He has with him a unique collection of curios, relics, antiquities, furnishings and costumes, all from the Holy Land. He will use some forty people in native dress of Palestine, and the

life of Bible times will be lived before the eyes of the people of our city.

The first program will be given this Sunday evening at 7:30. The subject "The Shepherd of the East," a dramatic presentation of the 23rd Psalm. Tens of thousands of people have declared this to be the greatest illumination of Scripture they have ever heard. Dr. Moore will give a special evening to the Masonic order. No charge of admission to these lectures. A silver offering will be taken.

Are We Right About Prohibition?

(By Wesley Taylor, in McCall's Magazine.)

I have enjoyed reading Mrs. Atherton's argument against prohibition because of her refined professional eloquence, but somehow I am not convinced, and I feel that in spite of her apparently practical thought, she has missed the point.

Her trouble is that she is too literary. If I must say it, she is not qualified by herum-scarum experience to speak for the great commonality of voters.

I am a young man in my twenties. There are millions like me. Now, if Mrs. Atherton should show me that liquor is a good thing; or that more liquor is consumed with prohibition than without it, and more harm done or that under prohibition I stand a poorer chance of being a successful and happy man and citizen than I should if liquor were sold all around me—if she should come right down to plain facts and cases and give me some sharp truths with a "moral" in favor of liquor, she would stand a good chance of convincing me, and thousands like me, that prohibition is as pernicious as she says it is, and that we ought to rise up and demand a chance to vote down the Eighteenth Amendment. If the composite testimony of the crowds could be made articulate, I think that is about the practical tenor it would have; for we outside of the literati grow impatient when our humble thinking is led to great heights for nothing. We want simplicity and candor—something that will honestly help us. But Mrs. Atherton has given us nothing of the kind. Beguiled by her intellectual grandeur, I have attempted to think of her article as a genuinely useful contribution to our literature of good living and common progress; but I cannot. It is a good "study," but is utterly lacking in plain human sympathy and understanding.

Prohibition is a positive hindrance to the sale of liquor, and that is precisely what it is supposed to be. I have journeyed considerably in the United States during the last half dozen years. I have visited New York City for long periods at a time, both before and after prohibition went into effect. It is true that prohibition was forced on New Yorkers, but how such outward signs of regeneration could take place, even in their city, without being accompanied by any inward good at all—but rather, inward harm, as some would have us believe—is more than I can comprehend. Before 1918 in New York there was a saloon on nearly every corner, and it was generally the most attractive place in the block. All anybody had to do when he wanted a drink was to walk in and get it; or, if he wanted a protracted carousal, he could buy all the drink he wanted, at a moderate price, in a retail liquor store. Nothing could have been easier than to develop and satisfy a thirst for liquor. In fact, the liquor business to all outward appearances, was about the biggest business in the city—a gigantic exploitation of men's cultivated craving for a drug. What was true in New York City was true in all "wet" territory, on a smaller scale. But the former things have passed away. The most valuable property on the city blocks has been turned over to other business. The average man goes on about his affairs, without being perpetually reminded of his appetite, and without being invited by the presence of "brilliant" rooms to go in and drink. I think I am perhaps not altogether a stranger in the brotherhood of joy lovers, and I know somewhat the difference between the influence of a "wet" and a "dry" town during one's habit-forming years—

and I wonder if those are not the years that really count in the long run. And I thoroughly believe that prohibition, poorly enforced though it is now, is a good law.

Mrs. Atherton's leading argument seems to be that prohibition can never be enforced. In deed, I never heard of any law that has ever been "enforced." Has the law against murder, or burglary, or forgery, or arson, or bribery, or selling habit-forming drugs without prescriptions, or and other law, ever been enforced to anybody's satisfaction? Even the most hopeful of us expect nothing better than that a law, of whatsoever kind, will be enforced only a part of the time; we all know there will be violators and that some of them will enjoy a delicious escape from punishment and will ridicule the poor laws and the officers who let them "get away." If we must have a hundred per cent enforcement for all laws rather than take what enforcement we can get and work for improvement, we might just as well declare a state of anarchy at once.

The proceedings of an ancient and popular debauchery—drunkenness—have received, and will continue to receive, through the prohibition law, such a sober frustration that we may consider the law already an immensely valuable, though imperfect, aid to the preservation of order and happiness.

I can buy liquor now if I want it, but I cannot walk into a store and get it across the counter as I can get a tooth-brush or a cigar. And when I have surreptitiously got my drink, if I get it, I must pay for it at an outrageous figure. The man must have a good profit for the risk he takes. I think the price generally ranges from five to twenty dollars a quart for whisky—a verger of twelve dollars a quart. There is not twelve dollars' worth of fun in a quart of whisky.

All told, the whole process of getting something to drink, from beginning to end, for most of us is unsatisfactory. The game is not worth the candle. Prohibition is doing its work. The perverse frame of mind, the difficulty in getting liquor, its unreasonable expense, its wicked quality—all these things, as compared with the brilliantly inviting ease of satisfying thirst a few years ago, make prohibition practically prohibitive. The young man now finds himself automatically protected to a very large and important measure, and if he forms a harmful thirst, he cannot blame society or the law, but simply himself and his own damning determination.

It is for such people as me that the prohibition law is made. It prohibits, enough to be worth while, and I think it will prohibit more and more. The old fellows will scorn it because they too find that the law is enforced, to an extent very serious for them, and they dislike the inconvenience. They are the ones who are raising the present outcry of anguish and injury. (Those of my age seldom get anything to say in the public print.) The old fellows will find a way to get something to drink because they are too old to unlearn their habits; but the law must succeed in spite of them. They will be gone in a few years, and those of my generation will take their places. I speak as only one of the latter. Unlike Mrs. Atherton, I know I am naturally of the eat, drink and be merry disposition, and I wonder if I would show even a respectable resistance if I had put squarely before me the choice to take or to let alone. But the choice to decide for myself is now superseded by a law of the land which sternly tells me that I must behave myself or pay a heavy price for my

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forbidden indulgence. I am glad if I expect to live forty or fifty years yet, and no one will say that I do not have a better chance to make a useful citizen and to enjoy a lifetime of well-balanced happiness, now since what Mrs. Atherton artlessly confesses is the "curse of the Anglo-Saxon world" has been practically removed from my reach.

And there are millions like me. The American homes of the future will be fathered by these millions; so for the sake of the American homes—which means the American nation itself—let us keep the Eighteenth Amendment.

Mrs. Geo. T. McClintic, for ten days past, has been suffering of blood-poisoning, and is yet closely confined to her home. It is the result of a slight prick by a grass-bur and it is expected that she may be kept in for a week yet.

Jack Beard, Geo. Ratliff and B. F. Whitefield are off on a hunting trip in Andrews County.

Mr. Jewell Curry, of Midland, returned Monday morning from Cisco, where he has been attend to some business.

PROFESSIONAL ETHICS

"You'll have to send for another doctor," said the one who had been called, after a glance at the patient.

"Am I so sick as that?" gasped the sufferer.

"I don't know just how sick you are," replied the man of medicine, "but I know you are the lawyer who cross-examined me when I appeared as an expert witness. My conscience won't let me kill you, and I'll be hanged if I want to cure you. Good day."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Distinction List for Fourth Month

Reports Show Enrollment of 592, With Distinction List of 282

The fourth month of the present session of our city public schools closed Friday, Jan. 13th, 1922. Reports for that month on file in the office of the superintendent, show a total enrollment of 592 for the term, a monthly attendance of 567 for the fourth month, and a distinction list of 282 for the month...

Miss Lois Patterson's room, 99.89 per cent. Mr. Stricklands room, 99.53 per cent. Miss Littlejohn's room, 99.37 per cent. Mr. Elliott's room, 98.86 per cent. Miss Annie Mae Patterson's room, 98.60 per cent. Mrs. Allen's room, 98.48 per cent. Mrs. Tolbert's room, 98.46 per cent. Miss Packerill's room, 98.41 per cent. Miss Lula Elkin's room, 98.40 per cent. Mr. Pyle's room, 98.08 per cent.

There were 20 tardies for the month, most of these being made by new pupils.

There were 125 visits made to the different rooms during the month by the following patrons and friends: Mrs. J. V. Stokes, Mrs. Geo. Ratliff, Mrs. E. R. Thomas, Mrs. R. D. Lee, Mrs. A. B. Coleman, Mrs. R. V. Hyatt, Mrs. G. W. Wolcott, Mrs. W. S. Elkin, Mrs. I. H. Teel, Mrs. M. C. Ulmer, Mrs. M. A. Ulmer, Mrs. J. P. Inman, Mrs. J. O. Nobles, Mrs. F. A. Smith, Mrs. E. Dozier, Mrs. R. E. Van Huss, Mrs. W. H. Underwood, Mrs. Addison Wadley, Mrs. Pete Jones, Mrs. Jack Wilmoth, Mrs. F. F. Elkin, Mrs. Terry, Percy Mims, Mrs. I. E. Harmon, Mrs. Shelburne, Mrs. H. B. Dunagan, Mrs. Jax Cowden, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Alfred Stanley, Mrs. Tyner, Mrs. Wesson, Mrs. W. E. Bradford, Mrs. H. M. Hall, Mrs. O. J. Hull, Mrs. J. T. Ragsdale, Mrs. Elliott Cowden, Mrs. Audie Francis, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Dell King, Mrs. Fennell, Mrs. Crows, Mrs. T. P. Barber, Mrs. J. E. Hill, Mrs. Speed, Mrs. Jno. Hix, Mrs. Jack Hill, Mrs. Fleenor, Mrs. Fasken, Mrs. Raybourne, Mrs. Buffington, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. T. S. Patterson, Mrs. D. H. Haley, Mrs. Beauchamp, Mrs. Roy Johnson, Misses Clifford Heath, Annie Wall, Alice Haley, Quimmie Cordill, Edith Daniels, Jessie Hale, Rev. I. H. Teel, Rev. O. J. Hull, Rev. W. A. Smith, Rev. W. H. Foster, and C. P. Benedict.

There were 540 reports issued for the fourth month. Of these, 498, or 92.22 per cent made passing grades. In the high school, 153 reports were issued. Of these, 126, or 82.35 per cent made passing grades, 70 per cent of the failures being in the freshman class. In central ward, 104 reports were issued. Of these, 95, or 91.34 per cent, made passing grades. In south ward, 259 reports were issued. Of these, 254, or 98.45 per cent, made passing grades. In the Mexican school, 24 reports were issued. Of these, 23, or 95.83 per cent, made passing grades. This is an excellent record when it is recalled that 70 or 75 per cent is the general average in most schools. The freshman class of the high school made the lowest record, this being due to two facts: Teachers were changed, on account of resignations, in three of their subjects, and, according to the testimony of the pupils themselves, they have not worked as hard as they should. It is hoped that all parents will co-operate with the schools in seeing that pupils in the high school and above the fifth grade do the proper amount of home study. Reports are made each month as to the standing of the pupils, and parents, may, by carefully examining these reports, ascertain information as to the standing and progress of their child or children. Parents are also cordially invited to visit the schools.

There were 282 pupils who won distinction in their studies for the fourth month, which is perhaps the largest number in the history of the schools. Those who averaged 90 or more were recorded with highest honors (Summa Cum Laude.) Those in this group who also made 95 or more in department were placed on the honor roll, this being indicated by a r after their respective names. Those who averaged 85 or more but less than 90 were recorded with high honors (Magna Cum Laude.) The numbers after the names of pupils in the high school department indicate the number of courses carried by the different pupils respectively. The lists follow:

High School

Summa Cum Laude (90 or more)

- Leonora Whitmire hr 5-95 4-5
J. Wiley Taylor, Jr. hr 5-95 1-5
Florence Manning hr 5-95
Margaret Caldwell 5-94 2-5
Myrtle Whitmire hr 5-94 2-5
Ernestine Half hr 4-94 1-4
Luzetta Lee hr 5-94 1-5
Georgia Kirk Davis hr 5-93 2-5
Marion Allen hr 5-93 2-5
Olive Allen hr 5-92
Bryan Hull hr 5-92 4-5
Lacy Connell hr 5-92 4-5
Thalbert Thomas 5-92
Herman Klapproth 5-91 4-5
Lafayette Clark 4-91 3-4
Lesla Bigham hr 4-91 1-2
Winnie Runyan hr 4-91 1-4
H. B. Dunagan hr 5-91 1-5
Aubrey Brown, 5-91
Betty Trammell 5-91
Elsie Wolcott 5-91
Annie Lee Brunson hr 5-90 4-5
Johnnie Roberas hr 5-90 3-5

Maur Price hr 4-90 1-4. Louise Karkalits hr 5-90 1-5. Rebecca Underwood, hr 4-90. Jack Archer 4-90. Evelyn Scarborough 5-90

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 89) Ruth Lewis 5-89 4-5. Mary Stanley 5-89 2-5. Frances King 5-89. Grace Brandon 5-88 3-5. Ruth Inman 4-88 1-2. Evelyn Estes 5-88 1-2. Thomas Inman 4-88 1-2. Lela Mary Heard 5-88 2-5. Willie Ramsay 5-88 1-5. Bernice Henry 4-88. Lillie Pliska 5-87 4-5. Beulah Henry 4-87 3-4. Ruth Blakney 5-87 3-5. Florence Kilecrease 4-87 1-2. Helen Thompson 4-87 1-2. Mabel Holt 5-87 2-5. Rufus Parks 4-87 1-4. Helen Winborne 5-87. Lucile Boyd 5-86 3-5. Bernice Norwood 5-86 3-5. Carrell Coyle 5-86 2-5. Mae Bryans 5-86 2-5. Geraldine Cowden 5-86 1-5. Oriel Horton 5-86. A. J. Florey 4-86. Carroll Hill 5-85 4-5. Benjamin Fleenor 4-85 3-4. Eulalia Jones 4-85 3-4. Lillie D. Midkiff 4-85 1-2. Gladys Inman 5-85 1-2. Lorena Eiland 4-85 1-2. Ethel Norwood 5-85 2-5. John Clark 5-85 2-5.

Grammar School-Central Ward

Summa Cum Laude (90 or more)

- J. E. Shelburne hr-96 2-5. Mary Fleenor hr-96 1-3. Frances Ratliff hr-95 1-2. Bush Elkin hr-95 2-5. Jessie Mae Estes hr-95 1-3. Wright Cowden hr-95. Nettie Mae Wilson hr-94 5-6. Annie Faye Dunagan, hr-94 5-6. Louis Thomas hr-93 2-3. Kittie Belle Wolcott hr-93 1-3. Dorothy Bess Stanley hr-93 1-5. Ida Beth Cowden hr-93. Marion Wadley hr-93. Martha Louise Nobles hr-92 4-5. Helen Margaret Ulmer hr-92 4-5. Laudie Mae Wilmoth hr-92 4-5. Dorothy Cowden-92 3-5. Othell Wilmoth hr-92 1-2. Joe Bailey Young hr-92 1-2. Doris Lynn Hull hr-92. Nola Shelburne hr-91 4-5. W. E. Bradford hr-91 3-5. Rita Merle Young-91 2-5. Hallie Jean Cowden hr-91 1-5. Dorothea Weinstein hr-91 1-5. Pearl Wimberly hr-91 1-6. W. D. Clayton hr-91. Grady Henry hr-90 5-6. Elizabeth McKissick hr-90 5-6. M. D. Johnson, hr-90 4-5. Mereta Shelburne hr-90 4-5. Albert Half hr-90 2-5. Mary Elizabeth Randolph-90 1-5. Margaret Tyner hr-90 1-5. Jane Jones hr-90.

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 89) Alma Lee Norwood-89 3-5. Nancy Rankin-89 2-5. T. J. Stokes-89 1-3. Ernest Locklar-89 1-6. Ruby Moore-88 5-6. Clinton Dunagan-88 2-3. Jack Jones-88 3-5. J. E. Smith-88 2-5. Alma Louise Wells-88 2-5. Allene Terry-88. Ruby Jones-87 3-5. D. H. Haley-87 1-3. Irene Jay-87 1-3. Thomas Allen-87 1-5. Adah Driver-87. Paul King-86 5-6. Rosie Pliska-86 4-5. Ted Dozier-86. Ray Coleman-85 5-6. Lena Medlin-85 2-3. E. B. Estes-85 2-5. Helen Fay Smith-85 1-5. Nettie Lee Driver-85 1-6. Ellis Locklar-85 1-6. Van Lee Estes-85. John M. Speed-85. Helen Lee Stewart-85.

South Ward

Summa Cum Laude (90 or more)

- Marie Hill hr-96 4-5. Maurine Tigner hr-96 2-3. Vernon Jones hr-96 1-2. Clarice Hull hr-96 1-2. Dorothy Manning hr-96 1-3. Cecil Long hr-96. David Allen hr-96. Bernice Hill hr-95 5-6. Margaret Francis hr-95 2-3. Emily Flanigan hr-95 1-2. Jennie Elkin hr-95 1-2. Lucile Thomas hr-95 1-3. Juanita Johnson hr-94 5-6. Vance Hyatt hr-94 5-6. Barron Wadley hr-94 5-6. Jeanneth Waddel hr-94 2-3. Tommie Smith hr-94 2-3. R. P. Currie hr-94 2-5. Hazel Hill hr-94 1-2. Louise Hill hr-94 1-3. Tommie Flood hr-94 1-5. Billie Manning hr-94 1-5. Annie Sewell hr-94 1-3. Josephine Skeen hr-94. Carroll Tigner-94. Joe Wisdom-94. Sallie Ruth Brandon hr-94. Forrest Biard hr-93 5-6. Addelea Haer hr-93 4-5. Richard Ramsay hr-93 1-2. Susie Wilson hr-93 2-5. Hope Woody hr-93 2-5. Mattie Elkin Biard hr-93 1-3. Ellen Potter hr-93 1-3. Annie Laurie Hix hr-93. Elizabeth Hale hr-93. Winston Elkin hr-92 5-6. J. L. Jones hr-92 4-5. Dessie Johnson hr-92 3-5. Susan Cowden hr-92 2-3. Jimmie Sims Brown hr-92 1-2.

- Scharbauer Eidson hr-92 1-3. Lela Roberts hr-92 1-2. Donovan Gwyn hr-92 1-6. C. C. Foster, Jr., hr-92. Katie Ruth Anderson hr-92. Ruby Wilson hr-91 5-6. Jules Karkalits-91 2-3. Margaret Bradford-91 2-3. Marie Andrews hr-91 2-3. Edna Buffington hr-91 3-5. Roxane Castelaw hr-91 1-3. Dorothy Ratliff hr-91 1-3. Elma Collins hr-91 1-3. Iola Lee hr-91 1-6. Olivia McKissick hr-91 1-6. Ruby Pritchett-91. J. C. Scharbauer-91. Roy Gwyn hr-91. Luther Mac Holman hr-91. Mabel Phillips-91. D. W. Brunson-90 2-3. Jewell Midkiff hr-90 2-3. Robert Fleenor hr-90 1-2. Allene Boone hr-90 1-2. Lucile Stewart hr-90 1-3. Jno. Wisdom-90 1-3. Ila Merle Paterson hr-90 1-5. Jack Cowden hr-90 1-6. Enos Feeler hr-90 1-6. Witzel Whitmire hr-90. Eulalah Beacham hr-90. Stanton Brunson-90. Frankie Long-90. Ruth Norwood hr-90. Studie M. Hailey hr-90. Bennie Sue Ratliff hr-90. Tom Potter hr-90. Eloise Goode hr-90.

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 89)

- Sadie Bradshaw-89 5-6. Otho Moore-89 2-3. Alvin Patterson-89 2-3. Drotha Johnson-89 2-3. Wayne Hill-89 3-5. C. J. Cavender-89 2-5. Emma Tarleton-89 1-3. Dora Wall-89 1-3. Ben Smith-89 1-3. Harwell Whitmire-89 1-3. Reginald Driver-89 1-6. Jankson Parker-89 1-6. Ora May Parks-89 1-6. Dorothy Tucker-89. T. T. Garrard-89. Velma Winborn-88 5-6. Birgie Locklar-88 5-6. Ray E. Half-88 5-6. Lillie Mae Norwood-88 3-3.

- Newton Johnson-88 2-3. Eugene Parks-88 1-2. Doris Pinnell-88 1-2. V. R. Dookray, Jr.,-88 1-3. Elmer Wright-88 1-3. Elizabeth Crews-88 1-3. Ford Schrock-88 1-3. Eulalia Whitefield-88 1-6. Bayard Shive-88 1-6. Luvenia Jones-88 1-6. Alta May Johnson-88 1-6. Lois Hankie-88. Lonnie Smith-88. Ainsley Estes-88. Jeanette Tynor-87 5-6. Geraldine Brooks-87 5-6. Frankie Fernandez-87 2-3. Vernon Shiver-87 1-2. Margaret Phillips-87 1-5. Robert E. Lee-87 1-6. Ovan Jones-87 1-6. James Kenney-87. Lottie Fay Wright-86 5-6. Dick Jones-86 2-3. Calby Wilson-86 3-5. Robert McKissick-86 1-2. Melba Baker-86 1-2. Josie Moore-86 1-3. Louis Wrage-86 1-3. Elva Smith-86 1-3. Ida May Houston-86 1-3. Whitten Pinnell-86 1-3. Mary Frances Norwood-86 1-3. Maurice King-86 1-5. Maurice Woody-86. Helen Manning-86. Virginia Hale-86. Sarah Weinstein-86. Felice Dockary-86. Frank Truxey-85 5-6. Kenneth Johnson-85 5-6. Gaylard Puryear-85 4-5. Dorothy Howell-85 4-5. Hazel Foster-85 2-3. Lela Fay Irwin-85 2-3. H. C. Garrard-85 1-2. Robert Caldwell-85 1-2. Dennis Fleenor-85 1-2. Ruth Dupuy-85 1-3. Allen Cowden-85 1-2. C. S. Karkalits-85 1-3. Earl Klebold-85 1-3. Thomas Barber-85 1-3. Lynch King-85 1-6. Thomas B. Aycock-85. Truman Johnson-85. R. L. Damron-85. Oscar Hale-85. Farrar Hedges-85.

Home Economics in the High School

Practical Course in Clothing Is of Great Value to the Girls

The aim of this course is to develop an appreciation of the artistic, hygienic, and economic aspects of textiles, clothing and house furnishings and to encourage the pupils to look out and beyond their own immediate desires for a wardrobe, to their larger place in society as to consumers or investors of the family incomes.

The method adopted in the course is the teaching of the principles of sewing and garment construction, emphasizing special directions for certain projects. The work of each term constitutes a single short unit and the course is so arranged that definite problems are presented. These problems with alternatives in some instances, are selected to provide work which increases gradually in complexity and difficulty, and each term's work prepares the pupil for the advanced problems of the next term.

The home-makers of this country gained from the late war a much needed lesson in how to clothe themselves and their families from the standpoint of essentials and good sense. This lesson applied, the family finds a satisfaction in living without non-essentials, in freedom from extravagance forced upon it by custom, and in the confidence and self-respect which sensible saving imparts. Such a family is an asset to the community and the country.

The purchase and care of clothing falls to the woman, and upon her rests the responsibility in household affairs of making each dollar procure full value. Many women spend foolishly, and this is due principally to ignorance. Efficient service demands training. Women should have a knowledge of textiles so that the materials used in the household for clothing and furnishings may be purchased intelligently. This knowledge means a study of the processes of modern manufacture of materials, their properties, and the laws governing the adulterations and fraudulent labeling of materials. In the present day of high prices, it is essential that girls, who sooner or later assume the responsibilities of the home, should make a study of these important things.

Said S. J. Isaacks endorsed and delivered said notes to Texas Bank and Trust Company, of El Paso, with full recourse on the said Harris and Isaacks, and each of them, and that the said Texas Bank and Trust Company, in due course of business, for a valuable consideration, sold, transferred and assigned one of said notes to plaintiff, being the note due February 2nd, 1920, but without recourse on the said Texas Bank and Trust Company, and that plaintiff is now the legal and equitable holder and owner of said note; that same is past due and unpaid, though often requested, that the defendant B. C. Girdley by his execution of said note, and the defendants Marion W. Harris and S. J. Isaacks by their endorsement of same, are jointly and severally liable for the payment of same, and because of their failure to pay the same plaintiff has placed same in the hands of an attorney for collection and has agreed to pay the fee specified on the face of said note which is a reasonable and customary fee, and by reason of the failure of defendants to pay said note plaintiff has been damaged in the sum of \$1500.

Plaintiff further avers that on February 4th, 1918 the said B. C. Girdley executed and delivered to H. A. Leaverton, for the benefit of Marion W. Harris, a deed of trust against lots 10, 11 and 12, block 54, original town of Midland, Midland County, Texas, to secure the payment of said notes, and that said deed of trust lien is now a good, valid and subsisting lien against said property and has been regularly and consecutively transferred to plaintiff by duly executed instruments of writing by the several endorsers of said notes and said lien is inferior only to a certain lien now held by Great Southern Life Insurance Company, Plaintiff further alleges that Drovers Cattle Loan Company, Kansas City, Mo., is claiming some interest in Lots 10, 11 and 12 of Block 54, Original town of Midland, but that its interest is inferior to plaintiff's.

Plaintiff prays for judgment against the defendants B. C. Girdley, Marion W. Harris and S.J. Isaacks for his debt \$1,500.00 jointly and severally, and for foreclosure of his deed of trust lien, and the cancellation and annulment of the claim of the defendant, Drovers Cattle Loan Company, Kansas City, Mo., against and to herein described, for costs of suit, and for relief general and special, in law and equity.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Midland this 12th day of January, A. D., 1922. C. B. Dumagan, Clerk, District Court, Midland County. adv 15-4t



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In Midland Social Circles

Dinner Party

One of the happy social events of last week was the dinner party given by Miss Lydia G. Watson for a few of her friends, Thursday evening. The hostess was well able to demonstrate that she excels not only in her profession, but in the art of successful entertaining. After a most delightful dinner the guests retired to the music room where they were entertained for over an hour by Mr. Ned Watson, as he played upon his large number of instruments, accompanied by the hostess upon the piano. This was quite a treat to all as we were given choice selections upon these instruments ranging from the Chinese violin, the banjo, and the xylophone to the favorite of all—the violin. Those enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ulmer, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Mrs. S. O. Richardson, Mrs. F. E. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. W. Angie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Watson, C. C. Watson, Jr., Mr. Ned Watson, and the hostess, Miss Lydia G. Watson.

Woman's Auxiliary, Baptist Church

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist church, met in Bible study, Monday, Jan. 23, at the home of Mrs. C. B. Dunagan. The first part of the hour was devoted to a program of song and prayer, after which the pastor gave a detailed lecture on the sixth chapter of John's gospel, especially stressing the three main divisions: Jesus feeding the 5000, Jesus walking on the sea, and Jesus as the bread of life, and bringing out the lessons taught in each division. Following the lesson a short business session was held and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mesdames H. B. Dunagan, Sneed Dunagan and Chas. Kerr. —L. K.

Last Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Estes, the Woman's Class of the Christian Sunday School met for their quarterly social and business meeting. Although the day was the coldest of the year, a goodly number came together for the social and business hour. This class has sixty enrolled. After the usual greetings and transactions, the president called the class to order to hear the history of "Our Capsules."

Pastors Address High School

Midland is very fortunate in the kind and ability of her pastors, their training, experience and consecration seldom found in places the size of Midland. Truly some one has said that as much ability and power of leadership is required of a man to be a pastor of a Midland church as is required of one to be pastor of one of the best churches in Dallas. Such is the type of men we now have at the head of our churches, and three of them, Rev. I. H. Teel, of the Christian church; Rev. O. J. Hull, of the Baptist church; and Rev. W. Angie Smith, of the Methodist church, have delivered since the opening of the new year three of the best and most helpful addresses ever heard by the high school. Rev. W. H. Foster, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church of our city, but now of Clarendon, also spent one morning with the high school, during his recent visit to our city, delivering a very helpful and thoughtful address and favoring the students with two or three delightful tenor solos.

On the morning of January 2nd, Rev. I. H. Teel and Rev. O. J. Hull, visited the high school chapel exercises and spoke appropriately to the occasion. Bro. Teel delivered a helpful and inspirational address, urging the students to value their high school opportunities and remain for every bit of training to be found there. He cited several examples which had come under his rich and varied observation, of men who had discovered their talent and had become nothing short of famous. One was a boy who was found working in a blacksmith shop and who was discovered to have a wonderful voice. He was encouraged to have this talent developed, and, as a result of his ambition, encouragement and application, he became one of the famous singers of California, and even of America. Bro. Teel spoke highly of the type of training which the students were receiving in the Midland high school, and said, although he had visited high schools in several States, he was better pleased with what he thought the pupils were receiving

The following novel plan was presented by the president, and adopted by the class:

FRIENDSHIP

Friendship, above all ties, doth bind the heart, And faith in friendship is the noblest part.

LOVE

"They do not love who do not show their love."—Shakespeare. We love those for whom we think, plan, and work.

These things were not especially needed by this class, but this "Capsule Plan" was adopted that we might be bound closer together in friendship and love. Each member adopts an unknown capsule, a name within a capsule, then plans the happy surprises and little deeds of love for her.

Who said a woman could not keep a secret? The efforts put forth to find her partner in deeds of love and kindness, the vivid imagination of some, prove that she could, and did, for three whole months. So this coming together was to reveal our identity, and to bring our love gifts. When a large basket was brought in with its love tokens, someone said, "This is as exciting as a bridal shower." It proved to be so, and also proved to our minds that circumstantial evidence is not altogether reliable, for our imaginary capsules were often the other fellow's. This, with dainty refreshments by the hostess, consisting of chicken salad, sandwiches, olives, coffee, chocolate, and home-made candies, beautiful carnations of red and white, presented to our hostess by her "capsule"—all these made one of the most delightful meetings of the year. There was a unanimous vote to continue "Our Capsule" for three months longer.

Those present were: Mesdames Jemison, Teel, Wolcott, R. E. Estes, Bad Estes, McKissick, Garrard, Dyer, Whitefield, Curtis, Winborne, Wisdom, Plesner, Bradshaw, Pemberton, W. B. Elkin, Eriksen, Lewis, H. P. Estes, Wilhite, Graves, Ingham, Raggsdale, Porter Rankin, Raiger, Cordill, Ratliff, Robinson, Holman, R. V. Lawrence, and Sanders Estes.

The Novelty Club met in regular session last Saturday afternoon at the

home of Bernice and Beulah Henry. A very profitable afternoon was spent.

At the close of the meeting hot chocolate and cake were served to the following: Evelyn Scarborough, Jessie Hill, Ike Ethridge, Lela Mary Heard, Lillie D. Miskiff and Agnes Willingham. After spending this pleasant afternoon together, we departed to meet again at the home of Lillie D. Miskiff, January 28th. A Member.

Woman's Bible Class, Methodist Church

The woman's Bible study class of the Methodist church met in their regular study Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. E. Van Huss. A very delightful hour was spent and a profitable one, studying the life of Christ. The class will meet again next Monday in the home of Mrs. C. A. Goldsmith. —M. W. and O. A.

DR. L. B. PEMBERTON WAS AN HONOR GUEST

On last Monday evening Mrs. Leonard Pemberton happily surprised her husband with a six o'clock birthday dinner. He had been invited to a supposedly chili supper, but, on going home beforehand, found the guests and a sumptuous turkey dinner awaiting him. On entering the candle-lighted dining room the guests never beheld a more beautiful table with its center piece, a large birthday cake illuminated with (?) candles. After each had found his place, they were asked to extinguish a light and make a wish for the Doctor. They were then seated and enjoyed turkey and all the trimmings. Those enjoying this compliment were: Mesdames Brooks Pemberton and Klapproth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ingham, Messrs. Charles and Herman Klapproth, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mittleton and Littleton, Fred Gordon, the honoree, and hostess.

Shelled pecans. Youngblood's Grocery.

HOME IN TEXAS

(A response to "Hell in Texas," by Miss Carolyn Caldwell.)

The poets have sung of it in verse, Saying that the Devil, looking for hell, Took this land, a gift from the Lord, And it served his purpose well.

A hell? Well, they sing of rattlesnake bites Of fleas, tarantulas and long-horned steers, Of putting a devil in our bronchos And of additions on our rabbits' ears.

They speak of the heat in the summer With never a drop of rain, they tell, All this they put in one big poem And call our country hell.

Let 'em call it hell! we'll grant to them The truth that many a demon here abides, But let us ask them clear and straight Are there no good things besides?

Listen! I want to sing to you a song (Though no poet's laurels do I claim) That you may read "Hell in Texas" Texas" And love our country just the same.

We've an atmosphere undefied by smoke, A sky as far as you can see, A world with limits undefined, A feeling that you are free.

Heat? Yes, but never without a breeze, Snakes? But never without a warning, Night? The very blackest you ever saw, But never without a morning.

And these make our men. Did you ever hear Of great men rising from beds of ease? Nay! They take the stones of adversity And climb to fame on these.

Then put thorns on all our trees, Put horns on all our toads, Put snakes, scorpions, mosquitoes and fleas, Put tarantulas along our roads.

We'll use them all and send you men Undaunted and unknown to any fear; Purer and bigger for the bigness of their land, Stronger for having lived here.

Hell? if you please call it hell, A hell where devils roam; But it's a hell that sends forth bigger men A glorious hell, for its Home!

ALPHA-OMEGA CLUB

Miss Mary Barron very charmingly entertained the Alpha-Omega Club and friends at her home Saturday afternoon. Every one brought her sewing and what a jolly time we had embroidering and chatting. Just ask Leona if you see the yards of scapolos she made, and the huge bunches of grapes Alma and Thelma completed. There were periods of absolute quiet. "Hush, Essie, is counting. It is time for her to make a piot." Miss Barron, assisted by her mother and Miss Cowden, served delicious refreshments consisting of Devil's delight, fruit cake, coffee and nuts. Those present were the club members, Misses Littlejohn, Pickering, Frances Elkin, Jean Keller and Mrs. K. B. Leggett. —J. K.

Fresh vegetables every day. Youngblood's grocery.

Charles Meyer, who has been visiting and working in the city for Henry M. Hall, left Monday morning for his home in New York.

CHURCH NOTICES

(Churches of all denominations are invited to use this column for the regular announcements of their several institutions. Ministers are welcome to additional space, as may be needed in the promotion of their work.—Editor.)

Baptist Church

Sunday School, 9:45, a. m. Classes for all ages. Organized classes for men and women. Separate departments for the different departments of the school. Visitors receive a cordial welcome. C. S. Karkalits, supt., S. H. Basham and R. M. Barron, assistants.

Preaching hours 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Good music furnished by large choir and orchestra, that know how. Special introductory musical numbers by the orchestra beginning at 7 p. m. Be on time and enjoy this part of the worship.

Young people meet in B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m., with Mrs. Strickland, president.

Junior B. Y. P. U. meets in the primary department at 6 p. m. with Mrs. Hyatt presiding.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening, 7:15.

Teachers meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m. Every teacher in the Sunday School urged to be present.

Owen J. Hull, Pastor.

Catholic Church

Mass will be on every third Sunday of the month and on the fifth Sunday when there is a fifth Sunday in the month. Beginning of mass at 10 a. m.

White Face and La France flour, Youngblood's Grocery.

Mrs. Emma Mitchell, of the Standard Book Company, was a guest of the Liano this week.

F. W. Baker, Dr. E. H. Manigault, F. H. Etheridge, A. W. Wood and F. G. Powell, prominent road engineers, were guests of the Yeakel this week.

Mr. Painter, a road engineer, was a guest at the Yeakel this week.

W. J. Moran and son, Earle, have returned home from Mexia.

The lyceum Ladies Sextette were guests of the Yeakel. It was noted that the hotel lobby was filled with handsome young men all the afternoon.

Golden Gate coffee. Youngblood's Grocery.

Mrs. Tom Irwin, a very pleasant and capable lady of our town, is installing a small cafe, first door south of the City Grocery. She expects to do well, and we wish her success. Although it is to be a small cafe, it is not the large things that count. She will be ready to open her doors in about a week. This is another evidence of Midland's steady enterprise and growth.

Bart Wilkerson, who bought out Joe Jones' barber shop, has moved to the corner of Main street, across from the Cash Market. We hope that under the new management, the former good business will continue.

Mervin Holcombe brought some polo ponies from Seminole last week for J. D. Coyle.

The whole high school was delighted when Frank Boyd returned to school Monday morning.

Fish and oysters every Friday. Youngblood's Grocery.

J. D. Coyle was in Big Spring last week, having some dental work done.

Dee Wells, of Wyoming, is here visiting his brother, O. F. Wells. He arrived Friday.

Miss Charlyne Burns left for her home in Pecos last week.

Roy Parks and Sam Preston, are in the city from their ranches.

Pearl Rankin returned from his ranch 25 miles south of here Monday. He reports a good rain and fine prospects for the future.

Mrs. Marvin Ulmer left Friday morning for El Paso, where she will visit relatives. Robert Bell, her nephew, was severely hurt in a motorcycle accident there a few days ago.

"Dutch" Henry was a visitor from Big Spring last week.

Graham flour Cross meal. Youngblood's Grocery.

Seth Lewis left Monday morning for the ranch of Cody Bell.

Billie Holmesly, who has been visiting and looking over business in Waco and other points east, returned on last Monday.

TELEGRAPHY

Bookkeeping and Shorthand in this Nationally known institution will mean a guaranteed position and business success for you—three \$150 positions this week. Catalog free—state course wanted. Abilene Draughon Business College, Box T, Abilene, Texas.

CLASSIFIED ADS

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED—For \$250 net cash I will sell house and lot 15 on block 68, near the old light plant building. It is a sure enough bargain at this price. Address Eugene Stevens, Box 487, Bisbee, Ariz. 13-4t-pd

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—An army overcoat. Owner may recover at this office by paying 25 cents for this notice.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

NOTICE—For all windmill, pump and pipe work, leave orders at City Cafe, phone 157. Nixon & Everett. 1 7-4t

TRUCK HAULING—Have Ford ton truck and solicit your hauling of all kinds. A. E. Blitch, phone 357-L 15-1f

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Five or six thousand binders of cane, 1920 crop. In house over a year. Ten cents a bundle or \$20 per ton. Call me over phone 389-A, at night. C. M. J. Stringer. 17-1f

HOLSTEIN OR JERSEY MILCH COWS—One or a car load, from some of the best producing herds of the North and East. Shipments received regularly. We do our own buying, therefore know what you are getting. W. N. Pence & Son, Box 171, El Paso, Texas. Private sales pens, Ysleta, Texas. 16-4t

FOR SALE, FROST PROOF CABBAGE PLANTS—We grow our plants and ship nice fresh plants. 5000, \$4-10,000, \$7.50; 1000, \$1.20. Prices F. O. B. shipping point. Potato and tomato plants, \$1.50 per 1000.—Kinsey Wholesale Plant Co., Valdosta, Ga. 16-2t

FOR SALE—A Ford car in first class condition. Will take a good milk cow in part payment. Apply to Dunn Reiger, at Youngblood's Grocery. 14-1f

FOR SALE—A Nash roadster, a 5-ton truck with trailer, some 6-8-10- and 12-inch casing, and three gasoline engines, all in good shape. Call W. S. Hill, phone 240. 31-1f

OAK WOOD—For sale. Phone 216 and 56. Locklar Bros. 9t-f

FOR SALE—Good six-room house, electric lights, bath, garage, servant house, with or without furniture. Close in. W. S. Hill. 46t-f

SPECIAL FOR ONE WEEK

To introduce Cream oil, the best of all olive oil soap, to the Midland people, the manufacturer has instructed EVERYBODY'S STORE to give free one bar of this famous soap with every 25c purchase of Cream oil soap. The price is 3 bars for 25c but for one week you get 4 for 25c, 8 for 50c, 16 for one dollar. This is a rare opportunity to stock up on good toilet soap at a price you won't see again soon.

Final Clean out of all Winter Goods

25 prs Genuine Wool Nap Blankets \$5.00 Value,	Special, \$3.50
25 prs Big Cotton Blankets, White, Gray, Tan \$2.50 Value,	\$1.50
Ladies' Ankle Length Unions, \$1.25 Value,	Special 85c
Ladies' Ankle Length Unions, \$1.75 Value,	Special \$1.15
8 All Wool Suits for boys 12 to 18, \$12.50 Value,	Special \$7.50
6 Men's Overcoats, \$30.00 Value,	Special \$17.50
7 Men's All Wool Blue Serge Suits, \$25.00 Val.,	Special. \$17.50
41 Women's and Children's Sweaters at	ONE HALF PRICE

New things Coming every day

**White goods in all of the wanted clothes
Spring Millinery and Ready to wear**

Our policy this season will be to have something new coming every week but not load. By holding down the expense we can lower the price.

Everybody's

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