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EARLY COMPLETION OF THOMAS OFFICE BUILDING INDICATED

GREATER PART OF OFFICES ON EACH OF THE SIX FLOORS LEASED, BUT SEVERAL DESIRABLE SUITES AVAILABLE. OWNER SAYS

The early completion of the Thomas Office Building is indicated in the work which is now in progress, and those who have leased offices or business locations are preparing to move in early in November.

Work is under way in all parts of the building, and is down to the final finishing steps.

The front is all completed except on the trim of the first floor and on the extreme top corner where extra material was ordered but has not yet arrived.

There will be three entrances on the front of the lower floor, on being the lobby and elevators, a cigar stand also being situated there, one being to the drug store to be opened by J. W. Patterson, and the other being to an L-shaped space which takes in the greater part of the rear of the building.

Several suites and single offices have been leased to oil companies, real estate men, architects and contractors, dentists, and men of other professions, some of each floor being taken. There are, however, some of the most desirable offices in the building still available, according to Dr. John B. Thomas.

Those who have inspected the building as it now stands declare that "there may be larger buildings, but there are no better buildings, even in the largest cities."

Built of first class brick fire proof construction, the building is equipped and finished with the best of materials available, and no cost has been spared to guarantee a structure that will be the pride of Midland people for decades to come.

Terrazo flooring was put in the building at an additional cost of about \$3,600 after the contract was let. This step was the finishing touch to first class construction.

This type of flooring is used on every floor and in every section of the building except in the operating room of Dr. Thomas and Dr. Whitehouse sanitarium, on the sixth floor. This flooring is of White Marble, to harmonize with the white plastered walls and white wood work.

These physicians will have their offices on the fifth floor, with the hospital, operating rooms, wards, X-Ray rooms and private rooms for patients, kitchen and dining room on the sixth floor.

Most of these rooms for patients have private baths. A few rooms are finished in the same manner on the fifth floor, so that they can be used if necessary.

The walls of every floor are plastered, having marble walls from the floor to about four feet in height.

The wood work is all of the sturdiest hardwood, and is tastefully finished.

Electric signal systems, the American high speed elevator system, and the best of equipment of all sorts go into the building.

The building will be occupied as soon after November 1 as possible, Dr. Thomas states; and practically all of the workmen will be through with their individual contracts within the next week or two.

LIBRARY

Now East, Now West by Susan Ertz. Althea Goodall, happily if not romantically married, has social ambitions. A year in England brings her charming friends and a new life which draws her away from her husband. The setting gives the novel a cosmopolitan appeal and displays the authors broad understanding of human nature and her delicate sense of humor.

The Case Book of Sherlock Holmes by A. Conan Doyle. This is twelve detective stories by the great writer of detective fiction.

Also the Tin Soldier by Temple Bailey and Musical Portraits by Paul Rosenfeld.

Library opens Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3 to 5 P. M.

Herman Spaulding same in today from Crane. Mrs. Spaulding and son, Barron will go back with him this afternoon.

Ratliff Buick Was Recovered

The Buick Sedan which was reported stolen from George Ratliff about two weeks ago has been recovered in Lovington, New Mexico, and Mr. Ratliff has gone there today with Sheriff A. C. Francis to get the car man alleged to have taken the car.

The man is said to be named Golding, and it is reported that he has waived extradition so that he can be brought to the Midland County jail without delay.

According to information received from the sheriff of Lea County, the car appears to be in good condition.

Two Brick Homes In West End Sold

A deal involving the sale of two brick homes in the West End and a half block of property in the northwest part of town was made yesterday afternoon.

T. S. Patterson, Mrs. Joe Youngblood and Tom Patterson, bought from Russell and High their two brick homes just east of the M. D. Johnson home; and in the deal Russell and High bought the West half of the block in which the T. S. Patterson home is located, in the northwest part of town, purchasing it from Mr. Patterson.

Fred Turner and family returned yesterday afternoon from a trip to Austin, Santa Anna, Ballinger and other points.

Mrs. Yates Brown of Merkel will arrive tomorrow to spend the week end with her mother, Mrs. B. A. Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Chan C. Mason and Jimmie Woods spent Thursday at the Haley ranch near Pyote.

K. B. Leggett of Abilene arrived yesterday from Abilene. Mrs. Leggett and daughter, Ruth, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Aycock, will return with him this week end.

Harry Hicks of Odessa was here this morning on business.

Mrs. Foy Proctor returned this week from Mineral Wells where she has been visiting.

Adding Machine paper, 15c per roll.

State Fair is proving the meeting grounds for Texans and is the most instrumental factor in educating people to the possibilities of the State.

GOVERNMENT POTASH TEST IN ECTOR COUNTY GIVES PERFECT RECOVERY, ENGINEER WROTH SAYS

STATEMENT GIVEN OUT IN CARLSBAD SHOWS ECTOR TEST TO BE FIRST ON RECORD TO GIVE PERFECT RECOVERY

According to a statement made by James S. Wroth, engineer in charge of potash tests by the Bureau of Mines, U. S. Government, published in the Carlsbad Current Tuesday, the fourth test or that one located in Ector County, near Judkins, gave a one hundred per cent recovery of core.

The test was completed September 30, having been churn drilled down to 982 feet, then core drilled to 2,100 feet; the drilling having been done by the Pennsylvania Drilling Company. This company also has the contract for the number five well, which is to be in Crockett County, and will start this week.

The Ector County test is the first one which gave a perfect recovery.

Mrs. Whitehouse Skilled In Tests

Mrs. W. C. Whitehouse, wife of Dr. W. G. Whitehouse who is associated with Dr. John B. Thomas, arrived Sunday from Houston. She is skilled in laboratory work and makes difficult tests in medical and surgical work. She will have charge of this branch of the profession for Doctors Thomas and Whitehouse.

Mrs. Whitehouse was in charge of the laboratory work for the Houston City Hospital for four years.

Fire Destroyed Buchanan Home

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the home and household goods of O. P. Buchanan and family early Thursday morning.

Defective wiring is believed to have been the cause of the blaze, as it started before the occupants of the house had waked up for the day. Mrs. Buchanan and daughter, Miss Alice, were the only ones at home, and they were aroused by a neighbor, Mrs. Lee, barely in time to get out before they were trapped by the flames.

Mr. Buchanan who has been in Marlin started for Midland after learning of the loss.

Fire At Dairy Burned Milk House

A fire at the Phillip's Dairy about 5:45 yesterday evening destroyed one of the buildings used as a milk house, according to some who went to the scene when the alarm was given in Midland.

The Phillip's place is about four miles southwest of the city.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Thos D. Murphy, Minister

Schedule of Services

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Public Worship 11 a. m.
and 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH

North Main

Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11:00.
Evening Worship at 7:30.
The pastor will speak both morning and evening.

Morning subject, "Building a Great City."
Evening subject, "Running Past Signals."

You are most cordially invited to meet and worship with us.
George F. Brown, Pastor.

Mrs. Hallie Day of San Antonio has been in Midland this week, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. B. Wallace of Mount Calm is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John P. Butler.

Kade Leggett of Abilene and M. F. King of Stanton are looking over the oil fields in Winkler County today.

Miss Alice Summerhill, who has been visiting Miss Agnes Tyner for some time, left yesterday for Merkel where she teaches school.

MIDLAND GETS NEXT DISTRICT CONVENTION OF HARDWARE MEN

SUCCESSFUL MEETING HELD TUESDAY AFTERNOON AT BIG SPRING. MIDLAND REPRESENTED BY FOUR MEN

Four Midland men attended the district convention of the Texas Hardware and Implement Dealers Association in Big Spring Tuesday afternoon, and were successful in bringing the next annual convention to Midland.

George D. McCormick, manager of the Midland Hardware Company, accompanied by Messrs. Claude O. Crane, Tom De-Crow, and Parks of the same firm, attended the meeting.

They reported that about forty hardware dealers were there, and a very instructive program was heard.

At the invitation of the Midland men, the body voted to come to Midland about this time next year.

Mr. McCormick states that he and his associates will start to work early on next year's convention, and he believes at least one hundred hardware men will be present.

Civic bodies of Midland will lend their support in making the entertainment worthwhile for the visitors.

R. B. COWDEN HEADS MIDLAND GUN CLUB

ENTHUSIASTIC CROWD ATTENDED MEETING WEDNESDAY P. M.

R. B. Cowden, well known sportsman of Midland, was elected president of the Midland Gun Club at the first meeting which was held Wednesday night at the Midland Hardware Company.

Twenty enthusiastic members were present at the meeting, and about thirty have signed up for membership.

Other officers elected besides the president were E. H. Braswell, vice-president, J. D. Chambers, secretary, and David M. Ellis treasurer.

Committees were appointed by the president to take charge of work of the organization at once, H. W. Rowe, W. E. Fairless, W. T. Winter, and George D. McCormick were appointed on the rules and regulations committee; C. C. Duffy, G. W. Ball, and D. E. Covington were appointed field supervisors; W. R. Chancellor, R. P. Rankin, G. W. Glass, and T. Jeff Haynie, were appointed on the grounds and equipment committee.

Equipment for the club has been ordered, and plans are being put in readiness to have the pigeon trap machines at work as soon as possible.

Anyone wishing to join the gun club is advised to see the secretary, J. D. Chambers, at the Texas Electric Service Company at once.

EPPWORTH LEAGUE

6:45 P. M.

Subject—The Epworth League in All Lands.

Leader—Theresa Klapproth.

Song

Prayer

Song

Bible Readings:

Ps. 144:12; Eccl. 12:1—Laudie Mae Wilmoth.

I Tim. 4:12; Eccl. 16—Lloyd Long.

Young Leaders in Belgium—Vergie Ringo and Lenore Whitmire.

A league letter from Manchuria—Mr. Searcy.

What our Epworth League is accomplishing in Cuba—Mary Francis Norwood.

In Far Off Bohemia—Lucile Cole.

A late report from Czechoslovakia—Clyde Gwyn.

A live Epworth League in Brazil—Theresa Klapproth.

The Epworth Leaguers are a live bunch. Come and enjoy their programs. At the meeting Sunday announcement will be made concerning a Hallowe'en party; therefore a large attendance is desired.

C. G. Irwin is here today from Roswell, transacting business. He has a meat market in the New Mexico city, and reports a fine business there.

Cotton in the Pecos Valley is making a bale to the acre, Mr. Irwin reports.

Mesdames L. Z. Bursleson, Otis Little, and Ward of Lamesa were visitors in the homes of Mrs. Ralph Bucy and Mrs. Frank Norwood this week.

SCARBOROUGH WELL PUT ON THE PUMP

YIELDED FORTY-FIVE BARRELS IN FOUR HOURS THURSDAY

The Roxana-Llano No. 1 Scarborough well, section 1, block C-22 in North Winkler County, was put on the pump yesterday and pumped 45 barrels of oil in four hours. It was then shut down for storage. The available storage could have handled more oil, but it was thought by the drillers that the well might flow, in which case the storage would be inadequate.

Pioneer Texan Passed To Her Reward Yesterday

Mrs. Barbara Patterson, mother of T. S. Patterson of Midland, passed away late yesterday at the Patterson home here. She has been in Midland since June, and had been in comparatively good health until the last few weeks, her principal illness having come about two weeks ago.

The deceased was a pioneer of Texas, having moved to this state with her parents when four years old. She died at the age of 90 years.

Moving to Victoria, Texas from Louisiana, the family and their retinue of negroes and their household goods being brought down the river by boat; they were prominently connected with the early history of Texas.

Mrs. Patterson's father was an intimate friend of General Sam Houston, and they resided in South Texas at the time of General Houston's defeat over Santa Anna.

After her marriage, Mrs. Patterson lived through the Civil War days and other heroic periods in the history of the south; and the family played an important part in the development of the country in which they lived.

For the past twenty-five years, Mrs. Patterson had been living in Fort Worth, her husband having passed away about fifteen years ago. She made her home with her son F. O. Patterson, of Fort Worth.

She is survived by four sons and three daughters, T. S. Patterson of Midland, F. O. and R. C. Patterson of Fort Worth, C. C. Patterson and Mrs. J. K. Simpson of Sweetwater, Mrs. Bob Spear of Fort Worth and Mrs. Keifer of Wichita Falls.

The body will be taken to Sweetwater tomorrow for burial, and the funeral will be there during the day.

Mrs. Patterson had a remarkable memory, and her knowledge of history was recognized by all who knew her. Having lived during some of the most important events of Texas' early days, she could always entertain those who talked with her in a way that will be long remembered.

W. R. Chancellor and wife have gone to Dallas on business.

C. S. Aycock is in from the ranch today and reports the cattle looking fine.

CONTRACT LET WEDNESDAY FOR TWO TWO-STORY BUILDINGS FOR MIDLAND

A. FELLOWS IS SUCCESSFUL BIDDER FOR JOHN SCHARBAUER AND T. S. HOGAN BUILDINGS. ONE TO BE STARTED AT ONCE ON WALL STREET

Contracts for two buildings, both to be two stories in height, were let Wednesday afternoon by Edw. A. Nolan and Sons, architects.

A. Fellows, new contractor here, was the successful bidder in both jobs.

One is for a two story brick building for John Scharbauer, to be built immediately east of his new Chrysler building on Wall Street. It will be 34x90 feet in size, with two store buildings on the first floor, and sixteen rooms with all modern conveniences on the second floor.

It will be erected at a cost of approximately \$12,000, and is to be completed by December 23.

The Hogan building will cost about \$10,000 and will be 25x65 in size, with offices and one apartment on the first floor, and nine offices or rooms on the second floor. The location for this building has not yet been designated.

It will be a concrete and stucco building, of Spanish design, and will be thoroughly modern.

The time for its completion has not yet been set.

Kuykendall Opens Chrysler Station At Odessa Agency

Jack Kuykendall, of the Kuykendall Motor Company, has opened his Odessa sales and service department on the South Bankhead Highway, and expects to have the agency fully established at an early date.

C. F. Shook and James Knox will handle the service of Chrysler automobiles, while Mr. Kuykendall will be in charge of the sales at both the Midland and Odessa houses.

A frame and steel garage with stucco front has been built for the Odessa business, and a full line of parts and equipment will be carried.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend thanks to our neighbors and friends for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our dear Father and Husband.

Mrs. W. C. Rayburn,
Mrs. J. T. Morrison, Colorado,
Doyle Rayburn.

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Midland In Limelight With Oil Publicity

Midland is kept in the lime light with oil publicity, due largely to the good work accomplished by Anthony McCaully, special oil correspondent, as well as through the efforts of the local chamber of commerce.

Mr. McCaully, who came to Midland about a month ago, has steadily gained in getting oil articles in state papers reaching Midland, and is also getting stories in oil journals and papers, and in city dailies of the north and east.

The Midland date line lead all others in the oil section of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram last Sunday, and considerable space was granted to an article written by Mr. McCaully in yesterday's paper.

He is keeping in touch with the fields in Winkler County, Crane, Upton, Pecos, and other counties whose operations affect or are affected by Midland.

In his report in yesterday's story oil operations in 67 counties were reported on, showing an increase in drilling activity, with 189 tests drilling as compared to 159 the previous week, and a grand total of operations of 430 compared to 414 the previous week.

Big Spring Youth On A.-M. Judging Team

BIG SPRING, Oct. 19.—A Big Spring boy has been made a member of A & M College stock judging team that will judge dairy cattle at the National Dairy show in Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 15 to 22. R. F. Lawrence whose parents live 15 miles north-east of Big Spring, in the Luther community, is the one so chosen.

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Womans OUTING GOWNS, made of good quality, soft fluffy outing flannel in both regular and extra sizes, in white with pink and blue hemstitching, and in pretty stripes, all sizes, each 98c

Yard wide OUTING FLANNEL in pretty designs, checks, plaids and stripes, an unusual value, even for the down stairs store, where this is offered, the yard 12 1-2c

Yard Wide soft finish, QUILTING CHALLIES in pretty designs, this is Marshall Field & Co. best cloth and is usually sold at very much more than we offer this in the down stairs store, yard 15c



New Footwear Several New Numbers in New Pumps in both high and low heel

In addition to these new styles we are offering a splendid lot of Pumps and Oxfords in values to as much as \$5.00 in broken sizes, not every size in all shoes but you will likely find your size in some of them, choice \$2.95

In The Down Stairs Store is a new shipment of Brassiers in sizes 30, 32, 34, and 36, in exceptionally good looking numbers, some of them would really bring a dollar each, the down stairs store price, is, choice 39c

And another lot of the splendid values in womens FELT HOUSE SHOES, in all colors with the colored Pom Pom, at the pair 48c

DUPLEX ROLLER SHADES, white inside, green outside, size 36 inches wide, 7 feet long, mounted on guaranteed Columbia rollers at each 85c

Wadley-Wilson Co.

Midland's Department Store

Impersonally Conducted

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

(Copyright.)

"DORRIE darling, don't give up the trip just because Mart Lewin is taking Johnson's place!" Olga pleaded for all she was worth as the two girls rested after a warm game of tennis.

"But, Olga, it would be awfully embarrassing for me to be in a party personally conducted by a man I have just refused to marry!"

"I know, but surely Mart will treat you just like one of the rest of the crowd. I think if you will agree to go, I can assure you he will not bother you at all!" and Olga smiled mysteriously as if at some little secret of her own.

"Well," conceded Doris reluctantly. "I hate to spoil our little spree and I suppose I could go along until Mark begins to be troublesome. But I promise you, the moment he does, I shall pack up and take the next boat home."

The two girls had planned a six weeks' tour through Norway and Sweden the summer following their commencement. It had originally been organized by the principal of the local high school but when, a few days before the date of sailing, illness had forced him to cancel his passage, his place had been taken by his capable assistant principal, Martin Lewin. Mart had two aims in life—one, the study of Swedish folklore, the other, the winning of Doris Lowell for his wife. But Doris had not encouraged him. In fact, she had refused him on the ground that his Swedish folklore really meant more to him than a wife ever would—an assumption that was the unreasonable fancy of a spoiled child.

She need not have feared, however, that Martin would make himself objectionably attentive on the ocean trip. During that time, Martin said scarcely more than four words a day to her, two of which were "Good morning" and the other two "Good night."

After the landing, he still continued his aloofness. Yet day by day he seemed to grow more affable toward the other members of the party, especially Olga.

"I think," said that young woman one evening after a day spent in sight-seeing, "that you made a great mistake when you let Mart slip through your fingers. Do you realize that he is well known on this side of the Atlantic for his research work? Why, this afternoon in the library, an old gray-haired man rushed over and began shaking Mart's hand up and down and rattling on in Swedish. Then he turned to me and in such funny English explained that he knew Mart because of the pictures he had seen of him in his newspaper and he congratulated me on having such a brilliant husband."

"Husband?"

"Well, that was just a mistake, although natural enough. Mart was adorably embarrassed over it—for me."

Somehow or other, the thought of Mart's being troubled about anything for Olga's sake annoyed Doris.

The following day she made herself singularly agreeable to the only other unattached man in the party whom previously she had rather avoided as he had a reputation for desperate flirting with any woman handy. Had she caught the interchange of amused looks between Martin and Olga her temper would have been aroused to a point where she might have carried out her original threat of leaving at once for home.

As it was, she spent a miserable day, winding up with a sick headache that drove her to take refuge in her bedroom while the rest of the party went to the theater.

When Olga came home, she found Dorrie sound asleep, a crumpled handkerchief in her hands and tell-tale stains on her cheeks. She stood looking at her for a moment. Then she sat down and wrote the following note:

"Dear Mart:
"Something tells me that if you are kind to Dorrie in the near future, she will be kind to you.

"Yours for the cause,
"OLGA."

Then she sent the note to Martin's room on the floor below.

Next morning Dorrie woke to find Olga standing beside her bed, with a great armful of flowers. "Somebody sent them to you," she said.

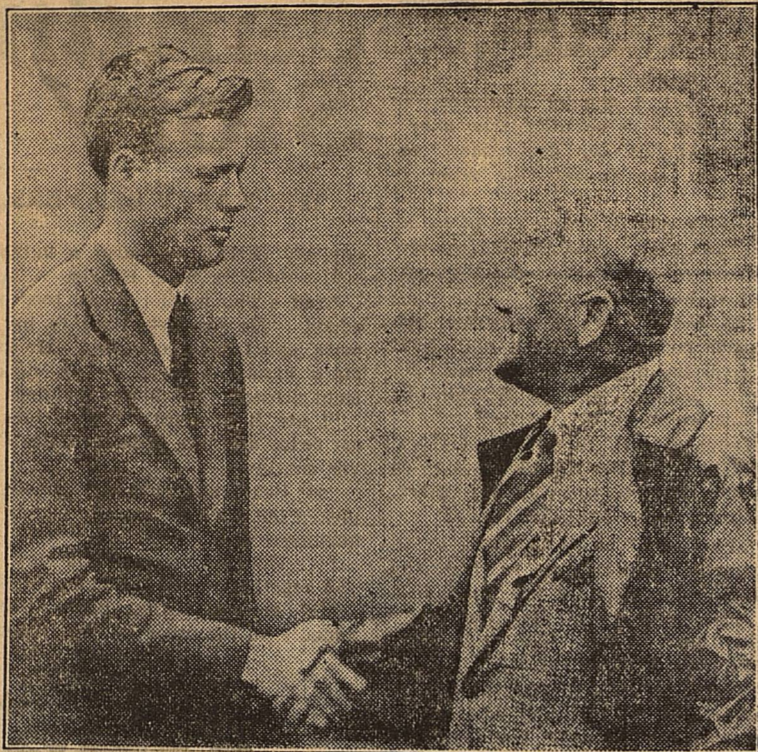
Doris sat up quickly and reached for the little white envelope that dangled from one of the stems. Her cheeks flushed as she read:
"Darling Dorrie:

"Haven't I been sufficiently impersonal to prove that if you won't have me, I won't force my attentions on you? But if you could bring yourself to love me just a little—nor life itself nor Swedish folklore would take precedence with me over your slightest wish.

"MART."
Dorrie looked up at Olga. "I guess," she said joyfully, "I shall have to marry Mart, after all!"

Olga, who had put her head together with Martin's for the furtherance of this little scheme, which had worked out just as he hoped, leaned down and kissed Dorrie. Then she turned away quickly that her friend might not see that she had put too much heart into the game, after all.

TWO COLONELS MEET!



Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh greets Col. W. E. Easterwood, jr., Hong Kong China flight promoter and chewing gum king on the occasion of his arrival in Dallas, while on his tour through Texas. Later, on the platform at Love Field, Lindbergh told Easterwood: "The right man with the proper equipment can win your prize."

Elliott Hotel Handsome Place

Since the opening of the Elliott Hotel in Odessa, many friends of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Elliott have been visiting them there and admiring the new building.

Three stories in height, and built of first class brick construction, it is a handsome structure, and is elegantly fitted out.

The new hotel is a wonderful addition to Odessa, and the Elliott's are to be congratulated on their taste. Mr. Elliott reports a full house every night.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Subject, "Some Fundamentals of our Faith."

Leader, Mrs. W. R. Tillman. Introduction by leader. Our Church Life, Lucile Thomas. Baptist Bound by LoLyalty, Leon Arnett.

Song. We try to obey the Bible, Eunice Nolan.

A personal and Spiritual Religion, Emma Krieter. Two other Truths, Fred Brown.

John T. Cross of Odessa was in Midland on business Wednesday.

Roy E. Johnson made a business trip to San Angelo Tuesday, buying real estate.

Miss Margaret Snodgrass is visiting her friend, Mrs. Roy Brown, in Fort Worth, and will also attend the Fair at Dallas.

T. A. Tirado Jr. was among the visitors to the Fair at Dallas last week end.

Frank P. Fields of Odessa was a business visitor to Midland Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Spaulding went to Crane Wednesday with her son-in-law, Judge Ben Allen of that city.

Mrs. Roy Parks and son, Roy Jr., are in Cason, Texas visiting relatives and friends.

BUILDERS



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Saenger Moving To Kerrville

Herma Saenger, who has been in charge of the sale of appliances for the Texas Electric Service Company here for several months, is resigning his position to engage in the insurance business at Kerrville.

Mr. Saenger has been interested in the business for some time, but decided to give it his full time.

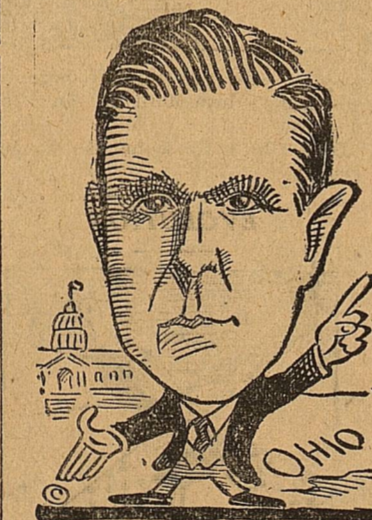
Midland people regret to hear of his departure, but wish him success in his new field.

Ralph A. Beaton of the Continental Building and Savings Association of Dallas was in Midland Wednesday. He complimented the city highly.

J. D. Hall Junior of Breckenridge was a business visitor to Midland this week.

If It's Job Work—We Do It

Who's Who TODAY



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Chamber of Commerce To Have Open Session

An open meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, to which all members, as well as new and old citizens who are not members, are invited will be held October 28 at some hall in Midland which will accommodate the crowd.

Ollie B. Webb, assistant to the president of the T. and P. Railway Company, will be here from New Orleans to address the body.

Mr. Webb is a popular speaker in Midland, having addressed annual meetings of the chamber of commerce, and having visited here on other occasions.

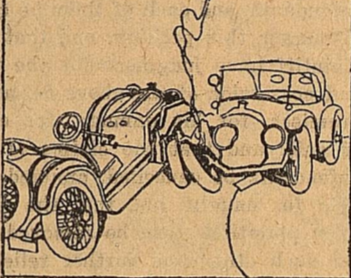
He is a pleasing speaker, and never fails to bring a message which will install higher ideals into the citizens of the community.

Kenneth Ambrose, chairman of the committee on arrangements for the meeting, is seeking to have a number of attractions on the program which will make it enjoyable to all who attend.

Inman will give you the benefit of his knowledge of optics in selecting a pair of low priced glasses. People in Chicago can't do this. tf

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Midland Texas

Ira Bacon, salesman for the Mergenthaler Linotype Company, was in Midland Wednesday evening, going on to Lamesa Thursday. He is attending the press convention there this week end.

Phil Scharbauer is building a frame house on Big Spring Street, a half block south of Missouri Avenue. Anderson and Sundquist are the contractors, and the house is expected to be completed in the near future.

ANNOUNCING the OPENING Of The MARINELLO BEAUTY SHOP Eugene Permanent Waving Monday, October 24 In The ELLIOTT HOTEL Odessa—Texas

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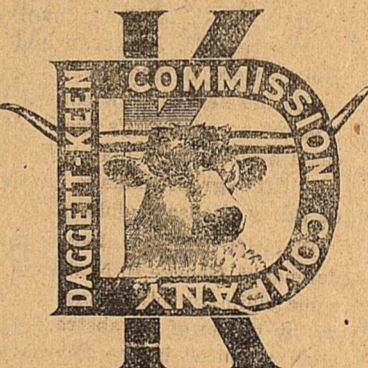
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Midland, Texas

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS,

The County of Midland.
To the sheriff or any constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Katherine Hoffenkamp, Keens, joined by her husband pro forma, William Keens, if living, but if not, then the unknown heirs of the said Katherine Keens; James S. Day, if living, but if not, then the unknown heirs of the said James S. Day, and John O. Ford, if living, and if not, then the unknown heirs of the said John O. Ford, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Midland County, to be held at the court house thereof, in Midland, on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 14th day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 2020, wherein C. M. J. Stringer, is plaintiff, and Katherine Hoffenkamp Keens, joined by her husband pro forma, William Keens, if living, but if not then the unknown heirs of the said Katherine Keens, James S. Day, if living, but if not, then the unknown heirs of the said James S. Day, and John O. Ford, if living, and if not, then the unknown heirs of the said John O. Ford, are defendants; and said petition alleging that heretofore, to-wit, on or about September 1, 1926, the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the hereinafter described property, owning and holding the same in fee simple, to-wit: all of lots 1, 2, and 3, in Block 51, Original Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendants, and each of them are asserting some character of claim of title to the above described property and that the interest or claim of title of the defendants, whatever the same may be, though inferior and subordinate to plaintiff's right, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title to plaintiff's damage in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00).

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants, or either of them ever had any legal right or title in and to the property hereinabove described, that such claim should no longer be valid, because plaintiff and those under whom he claims, have held and claimed the same under deeds duly registered, and have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the lands, and tenements, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes as same became due thereon, for a period of more than five years next preceding the filing of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants, or either of them ever had any legal right or title to the property hereinabove described, that the same has long since become barred by the ten years statute of limitation, in that plaintiff and those under whom he claims, have had and held peaceably the lands claimed, and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and holding said premises under an enclosure for more than ten years next preceding the filing of this cause of action.

Wherefore, premises considered, the plaintiff prays that Citation by Publication issue, citing all of said defendants to appear and answer herein and that upon hearing hereof, that all the interest, right or title of each and all of said defendants be cancelled, annulled and held for naught, and that said title be vested and quieted in the plaintiff, and that all clouds cast thereon be removed, for costs of suit, and for relief, general and special, legal and equitable, and all other relief as to the court he may show himself justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have you 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 the 13th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,
Clerk, District Court Midland County,
Issued this 13th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,
Clerk, District Court, Midland County.
(SEAL) 6-4t (FFri)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION. THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Midland.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon The Midland Town Company, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation; G. A. Audenried, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said G. A. Audenried; Leonard Taylor, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said Leonard Taylor; George B. Newberry, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said George B. Newberry, and the First State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if

not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Midland County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Midland, on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 14th day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2021, wherein Terry Elkin, is plaintiff, and The Midland Town Company, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation; G. A. Audenried, if living; and if not, the unknown heirs of the said G. A. Audenried; Leonard Taylor, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said Leonard Taylor; George B. Newberry, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said George B. Newberry, and the First State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation, and its successor, The Texas State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a corporation, are defendants, a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Plaintiff further alleges that heretofore, to-wit, on or about September 1, 1927, the plaintiff was, and still is the owner in fee simple of the following described premises situated in the County of Midland, State of Texas, to-wit: All of lots 4 and 5, situated in Block 36, of the Original Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas, as per the map and plat of said town recorded in the Deed Records of Midland County, Texas.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, G. A. Audenried, if living and if not, the unknown heirs of the said G. A. Audenried, makes claim of title to lot 5 of said block 36 by virtue of a tax sale Deed dated April 6, 1886 and recorded in Book 2, page 228 Deed Records in and for Midland County, Texas, that said deed though void and inferior to plaintiff's right of title, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title, to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, Leonard Taylor makes some claim to lots 4 and 5, in said Block 36 by virtue of an abstract of Judgment, secured in the September term of the District Court, 1917, and filed for record September 7, 1917 and recorded in judgment book 2, page 178 of Midland County, Texas, wherein W. J. Moran and Annie Moran were defendants, that said judgment lien, though subject to and inferior to plaintiff's right of title, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title, to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, George B. Newberry makes some claim to lots 4 and 5, in block 36, by virtue of an abstract of judgment procured in the February term of the district court of Midland Co., Texas and filed for record March 20, 1920, and recorded in Abstracts of judgment, book 2, page 224, records of Midland County, Texas, wherein Charles M. Dublin and W. J. Moran are named defendants; and that though said judgment lien is subject to, and inferior to plaintiff's right, the same casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, First State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said corporation, and its successors, the Texas State Bank of Eastland, Texas, is asserting some claim to Lots 4 and 5, in said block 36 by virtue of an abstract of Judgment procured in the November term of the district Court of Eastland County, Texas, wherein the first State Bank of Eastland is plaintiff, and W. J. Moran is defendant, and recorded in judgment Book 2, page 235, records in and for Midland County, Texas, and that although said judgment is subject to and inferior to plaintiff's right, the same casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title, to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

The plaintiff further alleges that the common source of title in and to said lots is the Midland Town Company, a corporation, which said corporation is now defunct.

Plaintiff further alleges that he is vested with title by regular and continuous chain of title vested by deeds duly executed and authenticated and recorded in the deed books of Midland County, Texas, from the sovereignty of the soil down to and vested in the plaintiff herein.

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants or either of them have, or

ever had any interest in and to the above described property, that same has become barred by the three year statute of limitation, in that plaintiff and those under whom he claims, has had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under title duly recorded from and under the State of Texas for more than three years next preceding the filing of this petition.

Plaintiff further alleges, that if the defendants, or either of them had, or ever had any right of title to said property, that the same has become barred by the five years statute of limitation, in that plaintiff and those under whom he holds, have claimed and held the same under deeds duly registered, and have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said lands and tenements, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes as the same became due for a period of more than five years next preceding the filing of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants, or either of them have, or ever had any right or claim to the above described premises, the same has become barred by the ten years statute of limitation, in that the plaintiff, and those under whom he holds, has had peaceable and adverse possession of said lands and tenements, cultivating, using and enjoying same for more than ten years next preceding the filing of this suit, having and holding the same during said time under an enclosure, and have received the rents from a house situated upon said premises.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that the defendants, and each of them be cited to answer this petition, and that the plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of the above described premises, for his damage, for costs of suit; and that the claims of the defendants be cancelled, annulled and held for naught, and that the cloud upon plaintiff's title be removed and for such other and further relief as he may be entitled either at law or in equity.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Midland, Texas on this 14th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,
Clerk, District Court Midland County, Texas.
By Virgie Ringo Deputy.
Issued this 14th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,
Clerk, District Court Midland County, Texas.
By Virgie Ringo, Deputy.
(SEAL) 6-4t (FFri)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Midland.
To the sheriff or any constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Parker Jeffcoat by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district Court of Midland County, to be held at the Court house thereof in Midland, Texas, on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 14th day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 5th day of August A. D. 1927 in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 2005, wherein Daphne M. Jeffcoat, plaintiff, and Parker Jeffcoat defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows: Suit for divorce and the restoration of maiden name and for costs of court.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its next regular term this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Midland, Texas on this 11th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,
Clerk, District Court, Midland Co., Texas.
By Alma Hereford, Deputy.
(SEAL) 8-4t (FFri)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Midland.
To the sheriff or any constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Harry Kennedy by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Midland County, to be held at the court house thereof, in Midland on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 14th day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the

Refused to "Dee" and Make Way for Marg'et

A woman in Horbury, Yorkshire, was dying, relates S. Baring Gould in "Further Reminiscences." She said to her husband:

"Ah, lad! I wonder whatever the pair bairns will go after I be gone."

"Get along wi' thy dying, lass," replied he, soothingly, "I'll mind t' bairns."

Another wife was thought to be at her last gasp. She summoned her husband to her bedside and then addressed him solemnly:

"Thou hast! I be that sorry for thee. Thou'll be so lone w'out me. None to cook thy dinner, none to mend thy socks, none to sew on thy buttons. It duz weigh on my sperits."

"Don't concern thyself about that," replied he. "I've already spoken to Marg'et Rhodes to take thy place, and she's quite agreeable."

"Thou hast!" exclaimed the expiring wife, starting up in bed and bringing the palm of her hand with a resounding smack on the man's bald head. "Then I'll tell thee what, Joe, I won't dee."

"Very well," answered the man, pulling out his kerchief and wiping his pate. "If thou'st made up thy mind not to dee, I'll speak to Marg'et, and put her off."

"I left Horbury two years after this," adds Mr. Baring Gould, "and Marg'et was still waiting."

Courts Uphold Cow's Right to Costly Path

Chicago has a \$2,000,000 monument to a cow in the form of a 22-story office building. A clause in the deed of the site of the new building necessitated a clever bit of civil-engineer construction in order to have the upper 21 stories 10 feet wider than the first floor.

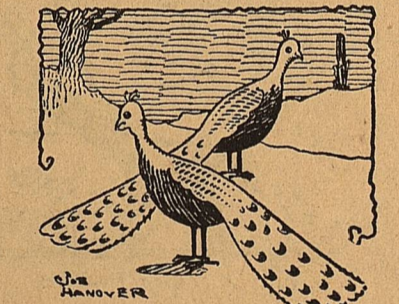
It seems that years ago a Doctor Bassett owned the site and an adjoining site upon which he had his cow barn. The former became desirable for business, but the doctor would not sell it unless it was stipulated in the deed that a ten-foot strip along the west end of the lot be kept perpetually free for passage, so that his cow could travel back and forth to pasture freely. Despite the fact that several attempts have been made to nullify the clause, the courts uphold it. Thus Chicago's claim of being the only city respecting the humble tow with a \$2,000,000 tribute.—Pathfinder Magazine.

CAN SQUEEZE THROUGH



Mother—Do you think George can hold Anna's love until he can afford to marry?
Dad—Oh, I think he can squeeze through.

EVOLUTION



First Peacock—What worries you?
Second Peacock—I hope we shall never degenerate into a race without tails.

4th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 2017, wherein Willie Mae Kennedy is plaintiff, and Harry Kennedy is defendant and said petition alleging on or about the 27th day of October 1926, plaintiff was duly and legally married to the defendant, and continued to live with said defendant as his wife until about the first day of May 1927. That because of abusive harsh and tyrannical treatment and indecent proposals on the part of the defendant to the plaintiff, plaintiff was compelled to leave the defendant, and their further living together is insupportable. Plaintiff prays that she be granted a divorce from the defendant, and that her former name, Willie Mae Milan be restored to her. Herein fail not, and have you 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 the 4th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,
Clerk, District Court Midland County.
By Virgie Ringo, Deputy.
Issued this 4th day of October, A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,
Clerk, District Court Midland County.
By Virgie Ringo, Deputy.
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THE HAPPY BEAVERS

"I AM GOING to marry a builder," said Miss Betty Beaver.

"And a fine builder he is, too," she added. "He has asked me to be his mate, and I have consented. He gave me a handsome twig for an engagement present. Oh, it was delicious."

"I ate it at once. We so love to eat twigs and bits of bark," Miss Beaver continued.

"All Beavers do, but my Mr. Beaver picked out such a nice one on his engagement day."

"We shall be married this very day and together we shall make our home."

"Of course," Miss Betty Beaver added, and the other Beavers listened.



Her Mr. Beaver Was One of the Best Beaver Builders.

"beavers are all famous for being fine builders, but I think my Mr. Beaver stands at the head of his trade."

"Yes, I do not think any Beaver is so fine a builder."

"Not so very polite to us," said the other Beavers, "but still Miss Betty Beaver is in love and she naturally thinks her Mr. Beaver is the best of all in every way."

"It would be very strange if she didn't think so, very strange indeed. And the nice part is that she will always think so, for Beavers do not change their minds."

"And they are devoted to their mates throughout their lives."

"Then, too, her Mr. Beaver is a fine Mr. Beaver and one of the best of Beaver builders."

They talked almost as though Miss Betty Beaver could not hear what they were saying, but of course she heard and she, too, was pleased that others thought as she did.

"Mr. Beaver has started our home," said Miss Betty Beaver after a few moments.

"He is going to have it so that floods will not overtake our dwelling and so people will not see it and come and disturb us."

"He says he doesn't like to be disturbed and I quite agree with him."

"We all agree to that," said the other Beavers. "We don't like to be disturbed by people."

"They're so apt to be rude and hunt us. Yes, they're apt to be very rude and try to get us in their horrible traps."

"So your Mr. Beaver is very wise." Then Miss Betty Beaver saw Mr. Beaver coming to get her, and they went off together while the other Beavers wished them well and said they hoped to see them soon again.

So Miss Betty Beaver became Mrs. Beaver, and they built one of the finest homes ever had in Beaver Meadow, where these Beavers lived.

All the other Beavers admired it and said it was one of the most perfectly built homes they had ever seen.

"It was Mr. Beaver's splendid work," said his mate. "He just comes by building naturally."

"But it was Mrs. Beaver," her mate added, "who gave it the lovely touch of home. She has done that."

Beaver building, Beaver building, Beaver building is fine; Of clever brains and skillful ways is this a certain sign; But the best of homes we've ever seen, or, rather, almost ever, Is this home of the Beaver pair whose love will never sever.

This was what the Beavers recited for Mr. and Mrs. Beaver, and then one of them added before leaving:

"When we said your love will never sever we meant that it would never be parted from you, and that we know you would keep your love for each other and wouldn't let it run away!"

"We might have chosen another word, but never did so beautifully for the rhyme!" And Mr. and Mrs. Beaver laughed happily as they said good-by to their guests.

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"LET'S MAKE A CAKE!"

(Editor's Note: This is one of the unique series of cooking articles appearing weekly in this paper.)

"Nothing difficult about cake-making so long as you make sure of three things before you start—a steady oven temperature, constant air circulation, and the careful, exact measurements of all ingredients," says Mrs. Kate Brew Vaughn, household economics director, Los Angeles Evening Express. "And what a chance for cake variety there is! Here are two of my favorite recipes, date cake, and orange cake."



MRS. KATE B. VAUGHN

Others from Midland who are to take the Shrine are John P. Howe, city alderman; Chas. L. Klapproth, district judge; A. C. Francis, county sheriff, and tax collector; W. H. Williams, moving picture show operator, and Dr. K. F. Campbell, dentist.

M. G. Damon will go to take the Consistory, and probably the Shrine.

J. F. Rankin of Rankin was a business visitor to Midland yesterday.

It's Job Work—We Do It

TRAFFIC INJURING NEW NORTHWEST ROAD

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS ASKS USING OTHER ROUTE FOR WHILE

Traffic on the uncompleted county road to the northwest, connecting with the Andrews County road, is injuring the road itself and causing a great inconvenience to ranchmen and farmers along the road, according to County Commissioner Holly E. Roberts, under whose jurisdiction the road is being built.

The grade has been practically completed, but has not been given the proper surface finish on account of lack of rain out that way; and heavy cars and trucks are putting the soft road in bad condition for finishing even when rain comes.

Cattle guards are not yet installed. The delay is caused on account of negotiations for steel from the old Midland and Northwestern Railway, and there is a certain amount of red tape that must be gone through before the purchase can be completed.

These guards will be twenty-two feet wide, and will be the best in this part of the country.

The grade of the road itself is fifty feet from ditch to ditch, being the widest road in Midland County.

Some drivers of cars or trucks have persistently driven through fences on the new road, not taking time to go through nearby gates, and stock has become mixed, causing great inconvenience to ranchmen at a busy time. There is another good road available and tourists are asked to use it for the time till the new road is completed.

"DOC" PEMBERTON IS RING CANDIDATE

MIDLAND MEN TO TAKE SHRINE AT EL PASO ON NOVEMBER 4.

"Doc" Pemberton will be Midland's ring candidate at the El Mairas Temple's Shrine Ceremonial in El Paso November 4. There will be six or seven candidates for the shrine during the ceremonial, from Midland but "Doc" will be in the limelight.

He will be here, there and everywhere, making speeches from soap boxes, hand shaking on every street corner, passing out his cigars and souvenirs to all with whom he comes in contact.

And "Doc" will not be by himself. There will be two ring candidates from Odessa, one from McCombs, and there will be others from other towns.

The rivalry between towns will be keen, and the Midland candidate will have the hearty support of a number of Midland Shriners who will attend the ceremonial.

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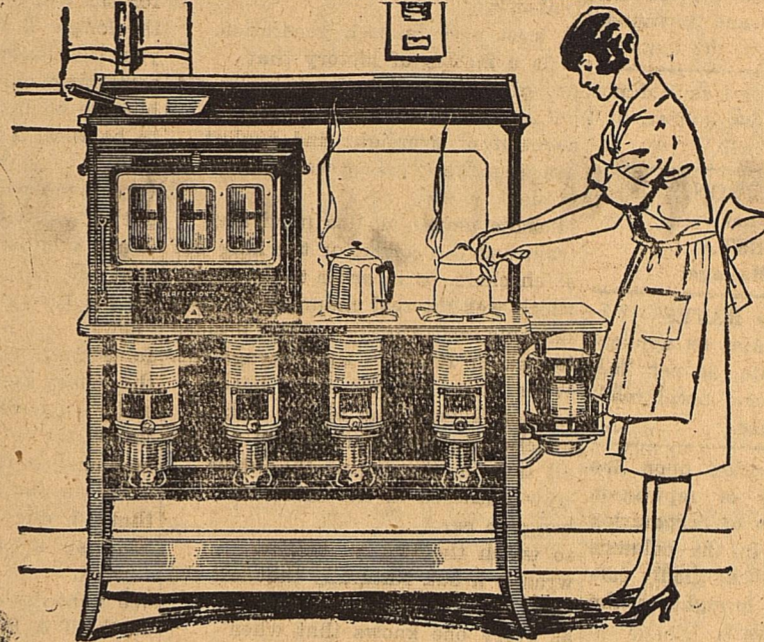
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Date Cake

1 cup sugar
3 tablespoons shortening
1 egg
1 cup dates
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup nuts
1/2 teaspoon soda
1 cup boiling water
3/4 cup flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
Put soda and the cup of boiling water over the dates and let stand until you have creamed the sugar and shortening, add the egg (need not be beaten). Add flour, baking powder, salt. Then add dates, hot water, and nuts the last thing. Bake slowly (300 degrees).
This may be served with whipped cream as a pudding.



Orange Cake

1 1/2 cups sugar
3/4 cup shortening
2 eggs (separate)
3/4 cup strained orange juice
1/2 cup water
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
3 cups flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon orange extract
Cream the shortening and sugar thoroughly, add a little water. When very light add the well beaten yolks of eggs and as quickly as possible add the dry ingredients which have been sifted together, and the liquid. Beat the whites of eggs and add with the rind of orange and extract.
Bake in 2 or 3 layers in slow oven (300 degrees) and slowly increase heat to 350 degrees F. Decrease when begins to brown. Use orange loam. When the loam has set on cake, press down into same sections of the orange in a rather thin wreath about the edge and a star made of the sections, in the center of the cake.

Always mix cakes thoroughly, work quickly, and bake as soon as possible.
After your cakes are in the oven, never reduce the heat until cakes are fully risen.

Perfect air circulation is necessary for good baking results, as most women know. One manufacturer has invented an oven which uses the "live heat" principle, and keeps the air in constant circulation. 108 small holes let the air into the oven, and out. All odors are carried away.



New Orleans Gingerbread

"Good for children, good for adults," says Miss Rosa Michaelis,

two teaspoons of cream of tartar, one teaspoon of soda, one teaspoon of salt and one-half teaspoon of grated nutmeg.

Add one well-beaten egg and one cup of milk. Beat well and drop by spoonfuls into deep fat. Drain on soft paper and serve hot with maple or any good sweet syrup.

Rice Griddle Cakes

Rice griddle cakes have made a name for themselves down south. And there's no reason why folks everywhere should not like them. Miss Rosa Michaelis, New Orleans cooking expert, gives her recipe for them.

1 cup boiled rice
1 cup milk
1 cup flour
1 egg
2 teaspoons shortening
1 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
Mix rice, milk, melted shortening, salt and well beaten egg. Sift the dry ingredients and add to first mixture. Mix thoroughly and bake on hot greased griddle.

Hot Waffles!

And where can you find a dish more enticing than waffles, served with rich maple syrup, corn syrup, or molasses? The following recipe is also Miss Michaelis':

2 1/2 cups flour
2 cups milk
4 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
3 eggs
1 1/2 teaspoons shortening
1 teaspoon salt

Sift dry ingredients; add milk to the yolks of eggs. Beat thoroughly and add to dry ingredients, now the melted shortening and mix in the beaten whites of the eggs. Bake well in hot waffle irons. Some of the modern devices require no grease in the baking. Serve at once.

Many women set the table the night before, and have all the dishes needed for breakfast laid out, to save time in the morning. This avoids much needless early morning confusion.

Oil stove users will be glad to know of a wick cleaner which fits over wicks, and removes all char and unevenness at a simple turning. Very inexpensive and saves hands.

OH, SURE



"Languages have always been my hobby. I speak English, French, German, Greek and Italian and I'm going to study Esperanto."
"Well, if I were you I'd get a native to teach me."

NEXT TO NOTHING



Mrs. Gassaway—She married Cholly Nabrane, you know. What's her position in life?
Mrs. Stabb—Next to nothing, my dear.



Daughter—I smell smoke.
Dad—Don't worry, it's your mother in the next room—she's just fuming.

DIPLOMACY



Wife—George, I must have a car!
Hubby—Why a woman possessing your magnificent carriage should want a car I can't see!

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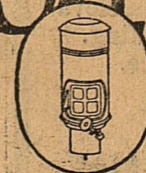
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PAVE ELEVEN BLOCKS

Eleven blocks of pavement are needed to tie up the business section of Midland as it should be tied up.

A member of the city council stated to a Reporter representative that he would favor paving these certain eleven blocks, but did not care to take the lead in seeking to have the program put over.

The more one thinks of the paving of these eleven blocks, the greater appears the benefit from it.

Three of these blocks would be on Wall Street, from Baird Street west to Colorado Street, then go south one block on Colorado, turn east one block on Missouri, connecting with the pavement at Loraine Street. That is five of the additional blocks.

Starting back at the intersection of Baird and Wall, go north two blocks on Baird Street, thence west two blocks along the side of the Methodist Church and the Baptist Church, connecting with the paved street on Loraine at the Christian Church corner. This makes four more blocks, or nine so far.

Start again at intersection of Baird and Wall and go south one block to Missouri, thence west one block to Main, making a grand total of eleven blocks of additional pavement.

Draw it off on a piece of paper, together with the pavement already laid or now under construction. See if it doesn't tie Midland business section together in a way which would benefit the city.

If It's Job Work—We Do It

For Fuller Brush Products

Mail a Card to
T. A. HALE
Salesman
Midland — Texas
Will be here
all next week

WANTED!

Buyer for one-half ground floor space in new office building.

Buyer for medium sized Mosler Safe.

Two Girls to operate elevators in office building. Apply at my office.

JNO. B. THOMAS

THE LATE MAIL

Most of the stuff we write is the result of spontaneous mental combustion superinduced by audacity, nerve and worry over the sublime efforts put forth by the T & P in its attempts to get its mail trains in on time, or thereabouts.

It is a matter of history that one of their mail trains actually did get in on time. It came about as a result of oversight and neglect. You see, the engineer was the champion

pinocle player of this particular train and the conductor the king bee at checkers, so in order to determine which was the real champion of both pinocle and checkers they decided to wrangle it out in the baggage car. When they had the train headed toward Midland and all the tickets punched in the coaches and things all snug in the engine the whole crew gathered in the aforesaid baggage car

to watch the two combatants wrangle it out. Naturally that left the train to its own devices and as every one knows that when a train and engine are left to themselves they are likely to cut up a few

di-does not on the program and in this instance there was no exception. As the engineer and conductor were flinging each other all over the baggage car to the encouragement of the rest of the crew the old engine, finding the restraining hand of the engineer missing from her throttle took an

overdose of oil and rushed blindly through Stanton and on to Midland reaching here a minute and a half ahead of ske-doole time. It took Station Agent Hamlett so by surprise

that he has never been the same man since and he says that if it ever happens

again he'll throw up his job and look for a regular place where there'll be no such nonsense going on. It was reported

but not confirmed as the reporters say that the engineer and conductor were fired

for permitting their train to come in on time but in our humble opinion it was

the fireman that was fired. It was a dark and stormy night and the rails might have

been slippery in which case no one was to blame, but be that as it may it never happened again and that was six years ago coming next December.

Another thing; did you ever rush

to the post-office for your mail only to see the score board marked up with "No. 5 reported 4 hours late. First guess?" Did You?

Well now let us tell you that score board is a great human benefactor

for if it's good news that's on the train it'll be all the sweeter for the delay and if it's bad news the longer it is kept from you the longer is your happiness: something on the order of if its bliss to be ignorant 'tis folly to be wise. Ask Lackey if that isn't logic.

Of course we don't want the T & P to get so ambitious that they will overdo it and keep us from getting any mail at all

on the theory that no news is good news

for some time or other if they do the money from home will not arrive and we'll have to go out and get a job or not eat and the only job now open is the one putting up signs on our signless streets, say, that's a dirty sling.

We had a peculiar experience last week.

We went down to a small town on the T & P and going up the main street we noticed almost the entire population rushing toward the public square in a state of great excitement. Not being particularly curious we went into a lunch wagon and had a bite to eat

after which we strolled up to the square and found most of the male population being drilled as soldiers. Making inquiries we learned that the mail had just got in and they were getting ready for the war of 1812.

Deidrick Van Pelt.

Society

G. A. 'S MEET IN NOLAN HOME

Members of the Girl's Auxiliary met last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Miss Edna Nolan.

Those present enjoyed a very interesting and helpful program.

How the Jews Lost Their Country—Helen Margaret Ulmer.

Where do the Jews Live Today?—Nancy Rankin.

The Cobbler Finds His Country.—Marie Hill.

One Hundred Testaments.—Jean Wolcott.

Special bulletin from the Jewish World.

—Edna Nolan.

—Martha Louise Nobles.

Some of the Jewish Songs.—Adilese Haag.

During the business hour the following officers were elected: Martha Louise Nobles, president; Marie Hill, vice-president; Bernice Hill, secretary and treasurer; Edna Nolan, reporter; Mrs. Millard Eidson, sponsor.

The Auxiliary made plans for a candy sale soon and also a Hallowe'en party at which time they will be hostesses to the Royal Ambassadors.

A tasty salad was passed to: Misses Martha Louise Nobles, Ida Beth Cowden, Marie Hill, Jess Edith Carlisle, Martha Ellen Ryan, Jean Wolcott, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Nancy Rankin, Adilese Haag, Edna Nolan, Mesdames Millard Eidson, Jeff Haynie.

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED—TWO OR THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS. MUST BE PERMANENT. Inquire at Reporter Office.

For Sale or Trade, my residence with 12 lots located Northeast part of Midland. Will consider three or four residence lots in Midland as part payment. Will give good terms. Mrs. B. J. Carlisle, Phone 556, Midland, Texas. 8-8t

FOR SALE—100 Acres of land one and one half miles north west of town. Phone 293-A. 8-1tp

FOUND—Small Fur Neck Piece, on streets of Midland yesterday morning. Owner may have same by identifying and paying 25c for this ad. 8-1t

Royalty interests for sale around Texas-Rhodes well southeast New Mexico, and Winkler County field. Young Bell, P. O. Box 1, Phone 150 Pecos, Texas. 8-4t

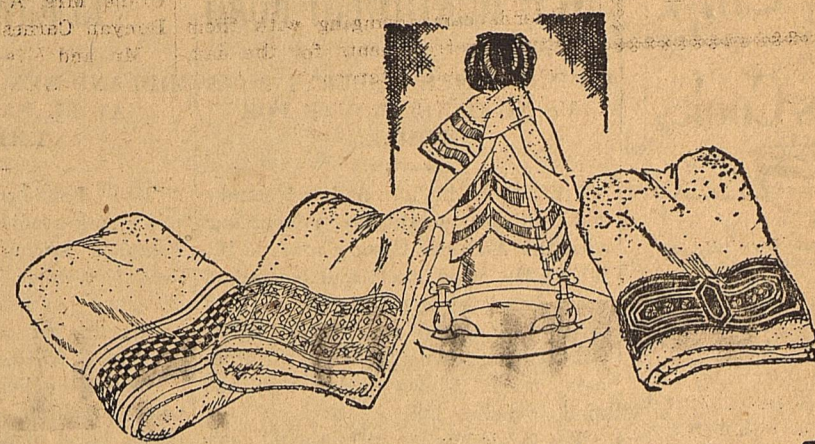
FOR SALE—210 acre farm 1 1/2 miles of Midland. Good improvements lots of water. Bargain. J. W. Collins, the Dairyman. 6-4tp

Singer Sewing Machines. Oil and Needles. Standard of the World for 75 years. \$5.00 down, \$3 per month on family machines. See Thos. McGuire agent five blocks east of Depot. Phone 264. 6-4tp

FOR SALE—Five jersey cows with calves, for sale or trade 320 acres close in. R. L. Porter. Box 342. 66 2 months pd.

FOR SALE—City Property. Will sell in single lots or blocks. Sparks and Barron, Phone 79. 16-1f

For Lease for a period of three to five years, my fifteen section ranch in Andrews County. Abundance of grass and water. C. W. Logsdon, 825 Victoria St., Abilene, Texas. 2-1f



A Sale of Towels
.. SATURDAY MORNING at 8:30 ..

600 Towels in Mill Seconds

This bale of 600 towels is of every kind and size, all rejects. These have been assorted into three lots.

Lot No. 1 is 140 towels, not a towel in the lot but worth more than fifty cents and up to as much as a dollar and more. The defects are hardly noticeable. Big fine towels. Choice this lot, each 25c

Lot No. 2 consists of smaller towels and with more defects but not a towel worth less than 35c to as much as 65c Choice of this lot, each 19c

Lot No. 3 is the smaller towels, some perfect some very defective, some will have to be hemmed, others can be cut into two towels, these are worth from 25c to 35c each Choice this lot, 12c

Not a towel will be sold before 8:30 Saturday morning First come first served. These will go quickly, don't wait.

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One Price the Lowest for Cash Only

See Teddy Roosevelt Lead---

"The Rough Riders"

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Spanish American War

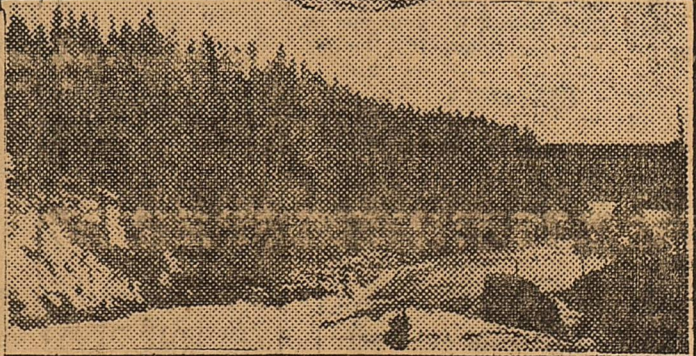
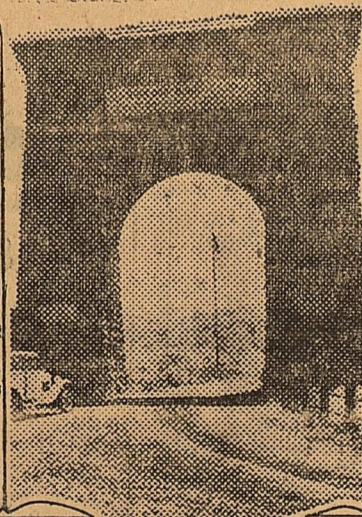
Palace Theatre

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY

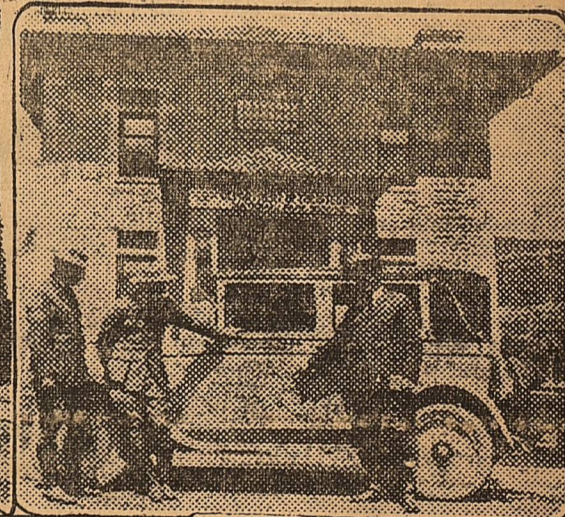


One of the most attractive of Uncle Sam's playgrounds is Lassen Volcanic National Park which lies 40 miles east of Reading on the Pacific Highway. The National Park Chevrolet, an Imperial Landau, which has been making a circuit tour of the western national parks visited this scenic region recently to record the many features of this weird district for the benefit of California motorists who have never enjoyed a visit to this reservation.

Lassen Peak is 10,577 feet in height and stands at the north-



1—Bears in the Yellowstone. 2—The Gardner Entrance to the Yellowstone National Park. 3—Supt. Horace M. Albright welcoming the National Park Chevrolet to the Yellowstone. The other rangers in the picture are (left) Asst. Supt. Joe Joffe; Chief Park Ranger Sam Woodring. 4—One of the many rapids of the Yellowstone River.



ern end of the Sacramento Valley. The park includes a great variety of natural phenomena. Chaos crags lie on the northern slopes where 13 years ago the gigantic forces of Nature burst from their prison house and Lassen poured forth a torrent of lava in a devastating flow over a great area. Broke-Off Mountain, 8600 feet in height which probably was once a portion of the great mountain group, lies to the South and Prospect Peak, 92,00 feet in elevation, stands a short distance from the main portion of the volcano itself.

Society

DINNER GIVEN FOR VISITING DOCTORS

Dr. Zach Bobo of Fort Worth visited his brother, Dr. T. C. Bobo this week, accompanied by Dr. Wall of Dallas.

The two visiting physicians were guests at a dinner in the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Bobo Tuesday evening.

CIRCLE NO. 2 MET WITH MRS. COOKSEY

Circle No. 2 of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Cooksey.

The circle enjoyed an interesting program led by Mrs. Rorie, and the members took part in an interesting discussion after the lesson.

During the business hour Mrs. H. C. Barnes was elected study leader to fill the vacancy left by Miss Mabel Holt.

CIRCLE HAS BUSINESS MEETING

Members of circle No. 2 of the W. M. S. of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Schrock for their regular business meeting.

Several committees were appointed by the chairman, Mrs. Girdley, and officers were elected to fill several vacancies.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John W. Hix.

INFORMAL EVENING BRIDGE

On last Tuesday evening Miss Blanche Boan was hostess to several friends for an evening of informal bridge.

After the games were played Miss Thelma Riddle was presented an attractive deck of cards for ladies high score, while Mr. Maples holding high score for men was presented unique ash tray.

Candies were passed during the games.

Friends enjoying the evening were: Misses Thelma Riddle, Ethel Norwood, Evelyn McCall, Messrs Earl Horst, Maples, Clifford and Herbert Rountree.

BIRTHDAY PARTY SURPRISE

Mrs. Brooks Pemberton was the

honor guest at an enjoyable surprise party given in her honor last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Middleton.

Friends came bringing with them plenty of refreshments for the day. An enjoyable afternoon was spent in visiting and playing "42."

Mrs. Pemberton was given several lovely remembrances and spent with her friends a lovely birthday.

Guests were: Mesdames Annie Klebold, Henry Butler, H. H. Klapproth, G. H. Butler and Miss Theresa Klapproth.

AFTERNOON BRIDGE FOR TUESDAY CLUB

Mrs. W. L. Brown proved to be a very charming hostess last Tuesday afternoon when she entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club in her home in North Midland.

The reception rooms were tastefully decorated with beautiful cut flowers and a color scheme of black and gold was carried out in the tallies and score pads.

After the games were played Mrs. J. H. Longabough held high score and was presented a half dozen lovely embroidered cup towels. Mrs. J. W. Patterson scoring high was presented an attractive set of score pads and tallies, Mrs. W. A. Yeager holding low was presented a novelty kitchen memorandum.

An attractive plate of chicken salad, Pumpkin Pie and Goffee was passed to the guests.

Members of the club enjoying the delightful affair were: Mesdames George Abell, C. Beyers, R. Davidson, Jack Hazelton, C. E. McCool, J. W. Patterson, E. H. Stafford, W. E. Wallace, and W. A. Yeager.

Guests for the afternoon were: Mesdames J. H. Longabough, J. Sappington of McCamey, E. M. Henderson, O. C. Harper, Jimmie Woods, Frank Kopp; and Mrs. Kokernot of Alpine.

TILLMAN-TIDWELL

On last Tuesday evening at 8 the home of Mrs. J. S. Tidwell was the scene of a beautiful wedding when her daughter Nancy Lou became the bride of Roy Tillman.

The couple entered the reception rooms while Mrs. Frank Prothro softly played a beautiful wedding march. Rev. George F. Brown read the impressive ceremony.

Mrs. Tillman was beautifully gowned in black satin with accessories to match.

The wedding was witnessed by immediate relatives and a few close

friends: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tidwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prothro and daughter, Mrs. Claude Crane, Mrs. A. G. Greenhill and Mr. Bunyan Carnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tillman have a wide circle of friends here, Mrs. Tillman having lived here sometime and comes from a prominent Midland family, Mr. Tillman having lived in Midland for several years and is a very prosperous farmer.

They will make their home on the Tillman farm north of Midland.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MASTER JAMES MIMS

Master James Mims honored his fourth birthday last Tuesday evening when many of his little friends came to his home and enjoyed with him an afternoon of fun and joy.

The party was given on the lawn of his home in North Midland and twenty-one little friends were there.

Hallowe'en favors of horns were given the guests and the black and gold color scheme was carried out.

Master James received many little birthday wishes.

The birthday cake was an angel food cake covered with gold icing and carried four golden candles. Orange julep, raisin and peanut butter sandwiches, and ice cream cones were passed to the little guests.

Guest list included Edith and Allen Wemple, John and Joe Noble, "Lady and Man" Rankin, B. C. Girdley, Billie and Elmo Jean Nobles, Jane Hill, J. V. Stokes III, Billie Reeves and Dolores Barron, L. E. Donaway, C. A. Goldsmith, Roy Parks, Jr., John Dublin, Jr., Doris Lyn Pemberton and the honoree James Mims.

ODESSA MAN CAVE DINNER LAST NIGHT

Brooks Tingle of Odessa entertained Midland friends at dinner last evening, with a festive table at the new Master's Cafe which opened yesterday in the new Elliott Hotel.

Invited guests from Midland who attended were Misses Lillie B. Williams, Flora D. Murphy, Annie Frank Stout, Messrs D. H. Starling and E. H. Barron, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Paul Barron.

After dinner the party was entertained in Mr. Tingle's apartment, going later "as spectators" to the skating rink.

WEDNESDAY CLUB HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM

The Wednesday Club met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. R. Preston in West Midland.

The afternoon was devoted to the study of Foreign Travel which is the subject for the year's course. Three very interesting papers were read on Great Britain as the general topic. First Paper, The Cathedral Towns by Mrs. Frank Elkin. Second paper The English Countryside and its people by Mrs. O. B. Holt, Jr. Third paper, The Castles and Country Houses by Mrs. J. M. DeArmond.

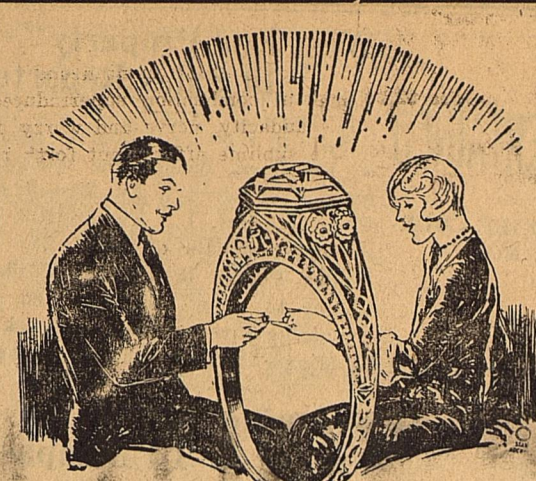
MOTHERS' CLUB WITH MRS. COWDEN

Members of the Mother's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Ellis Cowden in West Midland next Friday afternoon for their regular meeting.

W. M. S. MEET AT BAPTIST PARSONAGE

The W. M. S. of the Baptist Church will meet next Monday at the Parsonage for the monthly social meeting.

Hostesses for the afternoon will be Mesdames B. A. Wall, B. N. Aycock and E. E. Stevens.



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We would be glad to show you our complete stock of Jewelry... Call on us!

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Ladies Attention!

Special Demonstrations of

Lady Margaret Toilet Preparations are being conducted by Lena Gunnip at the Midland Drug Store this week. Call and let Miss Gunnip give you a free facial, and advise as to the best care for your skin.

Midland Drug Store

L. A. Arrington, Mgr.

Prices For Saturday, Oct. 22

at Both M Stores

Sweet Potatoes, 5 lbs. 12c			
LETTUCE	7 1-2c	TOMATOES	lb. 8c
Cranberries, qt 19c			
Oranges, for School Lunch doz. 44c			
Brer Rabbit Blue Label Syrup, gal.	97c	one-half gal.	53c
Royal Sorgham Syrup,	gal. 81c	one-half gal.	43c
Turnips with Tops, bunch	8c	Tokay Grapes	8c
Creamery Butter,	1-4 lb. 12c	1 lb.	48c
Irish Potatoes lb. 2c			
Dry Salt Bacon	17c	Smoked Bacon	23c
		Sugar Cured	31c

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	Cotton and Wool Blankets	
	Ladies Shoes from \$5 up	

Every dollar will buy one dollar and twenty cents worth of good merchandise in these lines.

- Full Bed size blankets for \$1.40 a pair
- Beautiful Plaid Wool Mixed Blankets \$3.88 pair
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- Regular \$18.50 Dresses for \$14.80
- Regular \$7.50 High Grade Shoes for \$ 6.00
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- Regular \$25.00 Top Coats for \$20.00

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MUSIC LOVERS TO BE ENTERTAINED

RUSSIAN COSSACK MALE CHORUS TO BE HERE NOVEMBER 1st

Appearing under the auspices of Midland High School, The Russian Cossack Chorus, composed of twenty male voices, will be in Midland November 1, giving a program at the high school auditorium.

This chorus comes with the highest of recommendations, and the entertainment is expected to be the best of its kind ever heard in Midland.

The Palm Beach Daily News of March 8, 1927 has the following to say about the chorus:

A truly artistic triumph was the grand finale of the series of concerts given by the Society of Arts this season, as Madame Scharrer, Erem Zimbalist, and the Russian Cossack Chorus, directed by Socloff presented one of the most delightful programs ever given in Palm Beach last night at the home of Mr. Joseph Riter. The soft mellow glow of the candle lit music room of "Al Pointe" was a beautiful background for the artistic selections from Chopin, Beethoven, Pugnani and the foremost Russian composers. Their spirits must surely have come back to listen contentedly to the artistic and feeling interpretations of their compositions at this finale concert in such sympathetic surroundings.

The Russian Cossack Chorus, directed by Sergei Socloff, was a unusual treat with their spirited songs sung in the true Russian manner. The first a potpourri of Russian Songs with the arr. by Socloff were easily recognized as snatches from popular Russian folk songs, arranged together into a melodious ensemble. "The Serenade by Mouseeff. A jolly song was a "Cossack Party," by Davidovsky, and the concluding number, "March of the Signals," by Kolatlin, was a really artistic selection. The melody is based on the various signal airs of the Russian Cavalry, and these were most distinct and uniquely mingled in the song.

The concert was a fitting triumph

West End Property In Sales Reported

Sales of West End property reported this week include the southwest quarter of block 3 by Russell and High to Chas. L. Klapproth; the northeast quarter of block 20 by Misses Fannie Bess and Cordelia Taylor to Alfred Stanley; and the remaining three quarters of block 20 by Misses Taylor to John Scharbauer.

Shipping Sheep To Lampasas

Bob Preston came in yesterday after a trip down through the Rankin country, buying sheep. He has bought about 1,300 head and is shipping them to Lampasas, where he will run them this winter.

LOOMS DONATED TO TECH COLLEGE

LUBBOCK, Tex., Oct. 20.—Two tubing looms valued at \$700 have been given to the textile department of Texas Tech College according to a letter just received from Herbert Jones, agent of the Postex Cotton Mills, Post, Texas. E. W. Camp, professor of textile engineering in Tech through whom the gift was made, stated that those looms were used to weave pillow casings. The gift will enable this additional instruction to be offered.

Mr. Camp said the Postex Cotton Mills had shown much interest in Tech since its founding, and had given every possible help to the textile department.

Lovington Country In Fine Condition

Dick Lee was here yesterday from Lovington, and reports cattle and grass in the best of condition. He runs the Scharbauer Cattle Company ranch up there, as well as his own cattle.

W. K. Jennings Jr. of Abilene was in Midland yesterday on business.

to end the successful season of the Society which has been so enjoyable for the members of their friends.

PROSPERITY REVEALED IN BANK STATEMENTS

ALMOST TWO MILLION ON DEPOSIT IN THE TWO MIDLAND BANKS

With almost two million dollars on deposit, and with other phases of their financial statements in corresponding good condition, the two Midland banks reveal the prosperity of the territory in their statements shown at the close of business October 10.

The First National Bank, with a capital stock of \$100,000 and a surplus fund of the same amount, had deposits of \$1,190,128.99. Undivided profits \$18,901.41.

The Midland National Bank with its capital stock of \$75,000 and surplus fund of \$30,000, had deposits of \$639,108.70, and undivided profits of \$19,275.33.

Combined deposits of the two banks totaled \$1,829,237.69.

The general prosperity of this territory is reflected in these substantial bank statements, as Midland banks are used by a number of operators in adjacent counties, as well as by the home people.

Paving Program Nears Completion

Completion of the first part of Midland's paving program is in sight with the work now being underway on the extreme west section, that of Texas Avenue and on the street leading from the high school to Wall Street.

The work on the eastern part of Texas Avenue has been in progress for the past few weeks, with most of it covered up for setting.

Much of this will be open for traffic at an early date.

All of the Main Street, Loraine Street, Colorado Street, and Missouri Avenue pavement is open; and part on Texas Avenue.

Property owners on various streets are discussing petitions for pavement on their respective streets, and it is generally believed that there will be paving work in progress in Midland

for several months, probably letting up during the extreme winter weather.

To Let Contract For Electrical Fixtures Monday

Bids will be received Monday by David S. Castle and Co., architects, for the electrical fixtures in the Thomas Office Building, according to a statement made yesterday by Dr. John B. Thomas.

Bidders or their representatives will be given an opportunity to appear before the architect and owners of the building, and the contract may not be definitely let before Wednesday, as sufficient time will be taken for a thorough inspection of all fixtures offered.

Nothing but the best of equipment will be considered, according to Dr. Thomas, so that all will be in keeping with the construction of the building and its other equipment.

NEWSBOYS WANTED: More newsboys are wanted for a few hours work every Tuesday and Friday, selling Midland Reporters. Liberal commissions paid on all sales.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS. MUST BE PERMANENT. Inquire at Reporter Office.

Anything you want in spectacles from \$1.00 up at Inmans.

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Rough Riders
Palace Theatre
MONDAY, TUESDAY and Wednesday

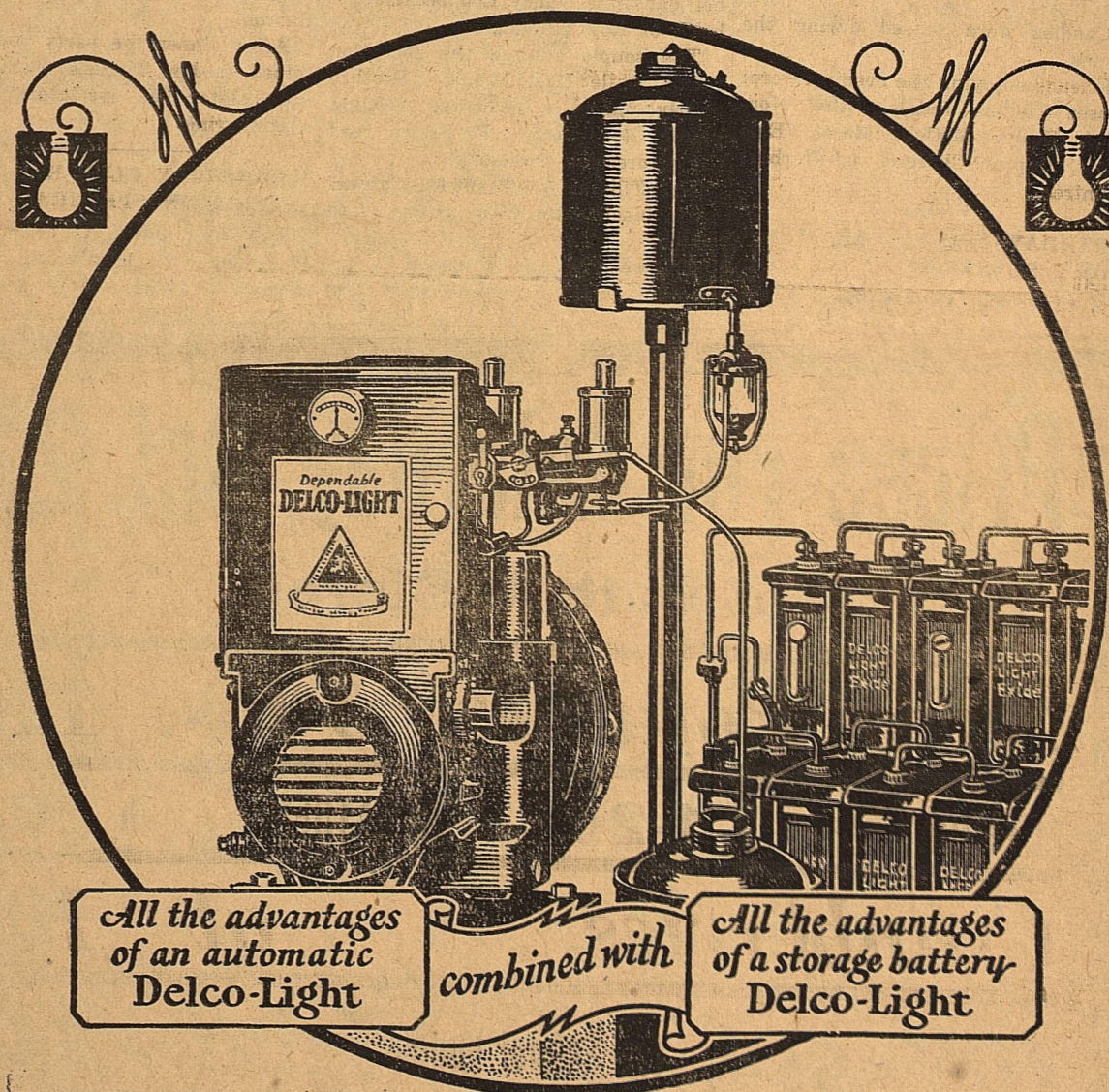
NOTICE!

On and after November 1st, we will not take any orders for delivery after 5 o'clock P. M. Our truck will leave the store with last load at five promptly, and any orders for delivery after that time will be sent out the next morning.

Midland Mercantile

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Does Everything but Think!



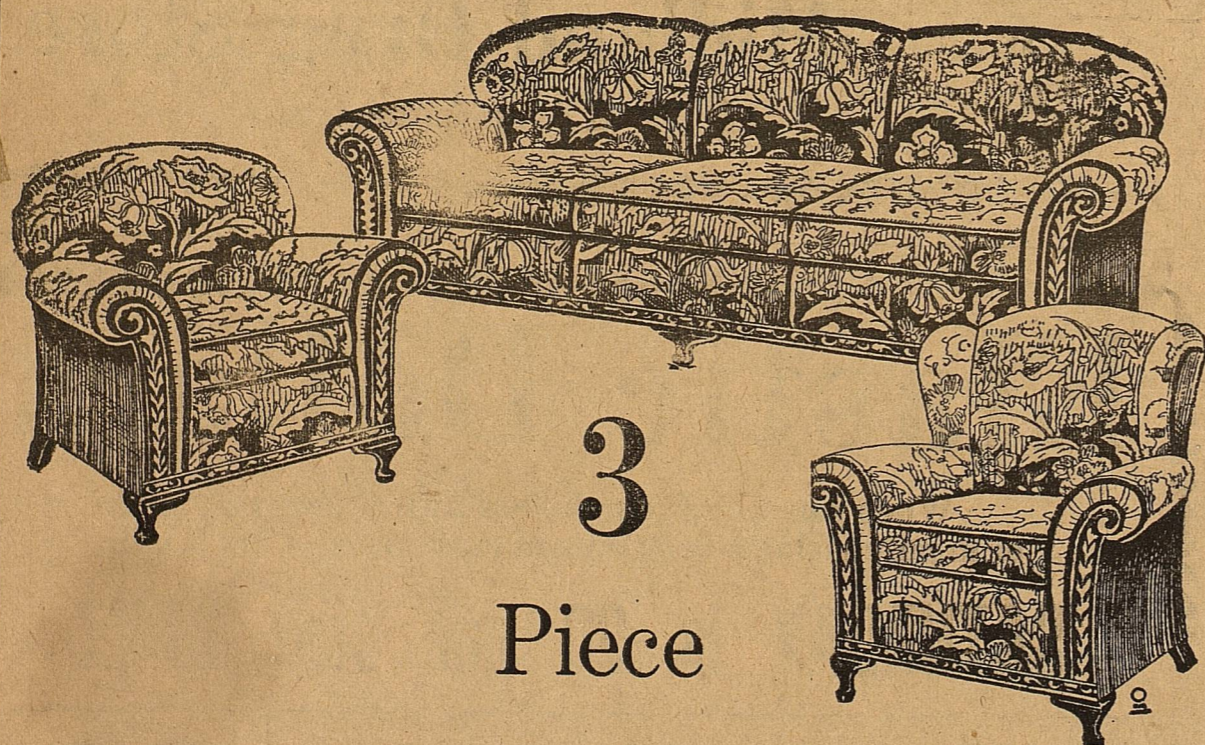
Operates from battery on small loads. Automatically switches to power for heavier service. Uses smaller battery—thus costs less. Requires less fuel. Demands practically no attention. This amazing achievement the result of 15 years' research by Delco-Light engineers. Approved by General Motors after 7 years of gruelling field tests.

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Write—or 'phone—and get full information about this new achievement of Delco-Light and General Motors. Or call on me personally and see the evidence with your own eyes. And remember—if this newest model doesn't exactly suit your needs, there are many other Plants to choose from, now priced as low as \$225. Don't wait. Write or 'phone or call today.

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Murdo Mackenzie of Denver, head of the Matador interests, is a firm believer in quality for quality beef. No one has a better right to know what he is talking about when beef cattle is the subject than Mr. Mackenzie. Having devoted the greater part of every active life to the improvement of the quality of the beef stock produced in the range country, Mr. McKenzie should know what he is talking about when, in an interview in the Denver Record-Stockman he says:

"I think that you will find that the gospel of quality is making distinct strides in the cattle business. At any rate, the Matador Cattle Co. has proved to its own satisfaction that the best bulls are the cheapest. We paid prices as high as \$1,800 for 10 bulls acquired at the Sullivan sale. You will recall that at the Baker sale 3 years ago we secured the choice members of the Mischief Mixer breeding and paid rather fair prices. All these bulls are going directly on our beef herd. We do not maintain to any extent, any project for the raising of breeding stock. The point to be noticed is that we are after a certain type and pedigree.

"Does it pay us to attend these breeders' sales and get what you want? That question can be best answered by our experience in marketing our entire cattle holding on the Balknap reservation. For uniformity, conformation and downright excellence, those cattle of ours recently on the Chicago market were complimented most highly. What is more the dressing percentages on those cattle in many instances ran above 61 per cent. This is done by breeding. You cannot pasture and feed that sort of quality into an animal which has not had the proper start in blood."

Among the Fort Belknap cattle referred to by Mr. Mackenzie as having been marketed at Chicago recently, the tops brought the record price of \$13.40 per cut, an dof two train loads none sold below \$11.50. Verily, Mr. Mackenzie does know what he is talking about.—American Hereford Journal.

L. A. Arrington returned Wednesday from a business trip to Dallas.

Cigar Store Sold By A. L. Lyons

The L. and L. Cigar Store and the Midland Club changed hands this week, having been sold by A. L. Lyons, and his partner Mr. Levinson, to C. L. Hurdleson, former railroad commissioner of Texas.

Ed Bunch of Fort Worth will move to Midland to manage the business, according to Mr. Lyons who left Tuesday evening for his home in Ft. Worth.

Horst To Speak At Editors Convention

A. E. Horst, advertising manager of The Reporter, will speak at the second annual convention of the West Texas Press Association Saturday at Lamesa, on "The best methods in selling local advertising."

A well rounded program, dealing with practically every phase of newspaper work, will be given during the two days.

Lamesa will entertain the visiting editors today and tomorrow, having two banquets, theatre parties, auto rides over the city, and other features.

Fifty dollars in gold is to be given to the editor writing the best story about Lamesa after the convention. First, second and third ribbons will be given for the best display of three papers published during 1927.

Ben Stanley and family returned last night from a trip to El Paso and to Mr. Stanley's land in western New Mexico. He reports conditions good up that way.

J. E. Parker was in from his Andrews County ranch Wednesday. He reports all of his cattle in good shape for winter, with most of his range good.

F. N. May of Santa Anna was here on business Wednesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. May, and they went on to O'Donnell to visit relatives before returning to Santa Anna.

General repairs on Sewing Machines, Oil Stoves etc. Phone No. 292A. O. M. Tyner, Midland, Texas.

W. C. Rayburn Buried Sunday

W. C. Rayburn, one of Midland County's leading farmers and citizens, passed to his reward Saturday after a long illness, and was laid to rest in the Midland cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church, the Rev. T. O. Rorie officiating, at three o'clock Sunday.

Mr. Rayburn is survived by his wife and by two children, Mrs. John

Morrison and Doyle Rayburn. Being always on the side of progress, Mr. Rayburn has been one of the most substantial citizens of the county. His farm is situated three miles south of Midland on the Rankin highway and he was recognized as a successful farmer.

The deceased has lived in Midland for about twenty years. His death came as a great shock in the community, although his illness has kept him confined at home for quite a while.

Mrs. Lee Bell and daughter, Miss Eula Lee Bell, are here from El Paso, visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer.

W. R. Chancellor made a business trip to San Angelo the first of the week.

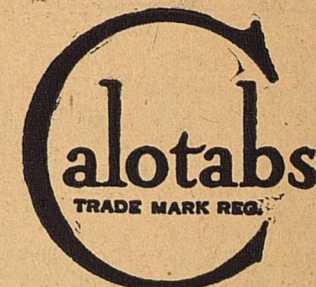
Mrs. F. C. Norwood and Mrs. E. N. Snodgrass returned Tuesday night from a trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

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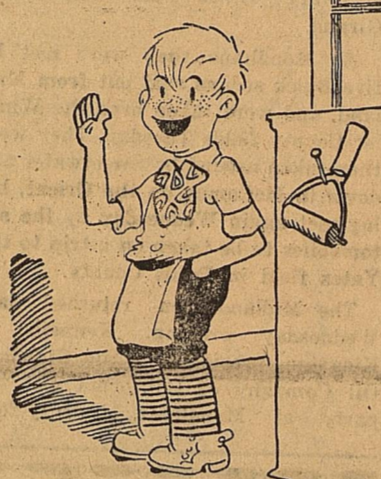
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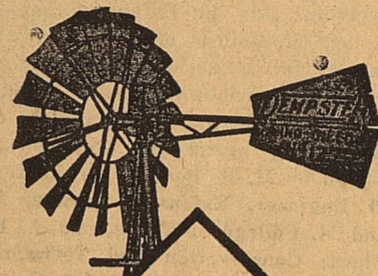
Coated tongue, drymouth, bad breath, muddy skin, groggy nerves and sour stomach suggest its use.

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Telephone 433

Midland, Texas

The Price of Success

By AD SCHUSTER

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CLEM TUTTLE, janitor and man of all work behind scenes, leaned against the brick wall, his pale blue eyes on the form of Tottie Forsyth, dancer.

"What's the use?" Clem put the question to himself. "A fine bird I would be forcing myself on her. She's making good and needs in-floccent friends, not janitors who look like bums. Nope, I keep in the background and Tottie has her friends. Gosh! He could not keep the admiration from his eyes.

Tottie was slender and short. One of the critics had said, as there is ever a critic to say of a dancer, that she was as light as thistle-down. Clem Tuttle agreed.

"She has a way," he put it to himself, "of dancing right into your heart. All the time she is smiling a put-on smile which means nothing or everything and her feet are as light as feathers."

When he smiled from a distance at Tottie and she failed to respond, he consoled himself with the old argument: "It won't do for a promising dancer at the beginning of her career to have anything to do with an old bloke like me. I oughta know that."

Sometimes he wondered if those who said Tottie had no heart and no thought for anything except a chance to have her name in electric lights over a theater, were right. He would never listen to this talk, and when he put it to himself had an answer ready.

"Have you noticed," the comedian a handsome man without his make-up, put the question to Tottie. "Have you noticed how that dirty-faced janitor watches you? One would think he was in love, or something."

For just a moment the girl hesitated. She may have remembered the days before the promise of fame was hers.

"Oh, him?" she replied. "Clem is a harmless fellow, a janitor, I believe."

The comedian was not the only one who had noticed the adoration in the janitor's eyes. When he thought he was not observed Clem stood and watched Tottie dance. His head nodded with the music and when she made her bow his whole figure was strained with anxiety. When the applause came he relaxed and became once more the dirty-faced janitor.

"She gets over every time, that girl. She'll be on Broadway one of these days, just see if she isn't."

One night it was given out there were some distinguished men in the house. A manager from the big time was there to look over the show. Of course there were as many hopes as there were performers, but each knew that if he were not the object of the inspection visit, it was Tottie. And Tottie danced as she had never danced before.

In front of the footlights the big city manager watched her. He was cool, critical, visualizing her in the production he had planned. Behind the scene Clem Tuttle, leaned out, a rap and grimy adorer. The city man joined in the applause. Clem hugged himself in glee.

When the show was over the city manager and his party came behind the scenes. They did not notice the shuffling janitor who found work near and who listened to every word as if it were music. They were praising Tottie. That meant a chance in the city, a big time chance. The broom moved slower. It meant, too, that she would be going away. It wasn't likely this man would offer him a job as janitor. Oh, well, it was Tottie who counted.

A week later Tottie danced for the last time with the little company, and there was a farewell party behind scenes and once more the janitor was an uninvited guest. The comedian saw him and thought there were tears in the old man's eyes.

"You're sorry to see her go, too? So are we all, and yet it is the big chance."

They were pulling a table onto the stage and setting it for a dinner. Tottie called gayly to the various members of the company. Clem leaned forward expectantly. Maybe she would ask him, just this once, this last time. The comedian left. All of the places were filled.

"I guess," and this was as near as Clem ever came to criticism, "I guess success does sort of dull one's feelings."

He moved off, and it was the comedian who read his grief in the stooped shoulders and weary gait. At the door the company's funny man halted the janitor. "I say, old man, can't you stick around. You seem to like her too, you know."

"Who, me?" Clem spoke gruffly, and brushed the other aside. "Why should I go in there. I'm only her father."

Reasonable Doubt

How his customer could have failed to see the sign bearing the words, "Beware of Fresh Paint," the grocer could not imagine. He hurried forward to placate the angry man.

"I'm very sorry indeed, sir!" he began. "But surely you noticed the warning?"

"I did," replied the victim, looking at the board dubiously, "but I've often seen similar things here announcing fresh eggs, butter, vegetables, and so on, only to be deceived, and I suspected this sign was nothing but another table."

Bull-Dogs Off To Game With Alpine

The High School Bull-Dogs left yesterday afternoon for Alpine, and are playing there this afternoon with the Sul Ross Sub-College team. A hard game is expected with three Mountaineers, but the Midland boys are doped for a win if they play up to form.

Their over-whelming victories over Stanton and Odessa have demonstrated that Coach Shifflett has a real team this season, and they are exhibiting good measures of speed, fight, and head work.

With a good night's rest at Alpine, the boys should be in good condition for today's game, even after the 175 mile ride.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE

Notice to Creditors of the Estate of W. H. Wolcott, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration, with will annexed, upon the estate of W. H. Wolcott, deceased, are granted to me, the undersigned, on the 7th day of October, 1927, by the county court of Midland County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are Midland, County of Midland, State of Texas.

Juliette Wolcott, Administratrix of Estate of W. H. Wolcott, Deceased.

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George D. McCormick, manager of the Midland Hardware Company, attending the hardware dealers meeting in Big Spring Tuesday.

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County To Buy Quantity of Trees

The purchase of about 150 trees to be set out on the Court House square is planned by county officials, according to reports, plans being under consideration for beautifying the premises greatly.

SAVE MONEY BY TERRACING

Millions of dollars may be saved the farmers of Texas by the proper terracing of their land. This has been proved by the experience of demonstrators in the Extension Service and successful throughout the United States. There are thousands of acres of land in Texas which should be terraced. Men capable of doing proper terracing in each community are generally in the minority. To overcome this the Extension Service A. and M. College of Texas has arranged for a series of terracing schools in various counties in Texas. These schools will be in charge of the county agent who will be assigned by M. R. Bentley, Agricultural Engineer, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas, and A. K. Short, Conservation and Terracing Agent, representing the Federal Land Bank of Houston. These schools will be held in the following counties: Ellis County, October 17th and 18th; Denton County, October 19th and 20; Fannin County, October 24th and 25th; Grayson County, October 26; Rockwell County, October 27th; Taylor County, October 31st and November 1st; Mitchell County, November 2nd; Palo Pinto County, November 3rd; Young County, November 4th; Clay County, November 5th; Jack County, November 10th; Wise Co. November 11th; and other counties later in the year.

These schools should mean thousands of dollars in improved farm land in each county where held when proper operation is granted. Talk to your county agent and receive the full benefit of this instruction.

Tech Enrollment Reaches 1400 Mark

The official enrollment of students in the Texas Technological College at Lubbock was given out this week as 1403 by E. L. Dhoney, registrar.

J. A. Haley returned Tuesday evening from a month's visit in San Antonio. He enjoyed the trip and is feeling fine on his return. He was met in Big Spring by Mrs. Haley, Mrs. Chan C. Mason and Miss Thelma White.

Buck Myrick is back from a trip to Hillsboro and to the Fair at Dallas.

Standard And Humble Officials Visited The Fields

Ranking officials of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and of its subsidiary, the Humble Oil and Refining Company, made an inspection of the West Texas fields Tuesday and Wednesday, having been joined by representatives of the Standard of California.

George H. Jones, chairman of the board of the Standard of New Jersey, headed the party. Others from New York were S. B. Hunt, E. J. Saddler, S. C. Black, C. O. Swayne, directors; Orville Harden, Richardson Pratt, and E. P. Saulsbury.

Humble officials from Houston met the New York Party in Fort Worth, coming on out to West Texas fields on special cars which were set off Tuesday at Monahans. In the Houston party were R. L. Blaffer, H. C. Weiss, James Anderson vice-president, E. E. Townes, general counsel; Wallace Pratt, director; F. O. Freese, secretary; Hines Baker and S. A. Giraud.

At Monahans they were met by five Buick sedans sent out from Midland, and were taken over the Winkler County fields Tuesday. They were then taken around by Sweetwater and down to McCamey on the Orient, being met again Wednesday by the automobiles to be taken on a trip to the Yates field in Pecos County.

The Midland men returned late Wednesday evening. Kenneth R. Kingston, president of the Standard Oil Company of California met the party at Monahans. Twenty-four

were in the party, according to Midland men who drove the automobiles.

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A. & M. To Play Tech At Lubbock On October 28th

A number of Midland football fans are expecting to go to Lubbock next Friday for the football game between the Tech College and the A. & M. team.

Reservations for tickets are being made, and an attendance of 10,000 is expected.

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Big Activity In Cattle Trading

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As the season progresses, cattle trading in the Midland country becomes more and more active. Starting out with its activity confined principally to deals for steers and steer calves, the point has been reached where practically every ranchman has a demand for more cattle, resulting in the biggest trade in she stuff that has been seen since the War.

Big Operators

Among the big operators in the Midland country is the Livestock Exchange, a firm composed of Leon Goodman and Elkin Brothers, all of Midland. They also maintain an office in Des Moines, Iowa, and are in constant touch with the Corn Belt buyers and markets.

For the year 1927, according to a statement made this week by Leon Goodman to J. W. B. Hogan, inspector for the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, this firm will have handled 50,000 head of calves and 125,000 head of lambs.

The company also deals in big steers.

In a forty day period, from October 1 to November 10, cattle handled by this firm will reach 21,000 head, according to Mr. Goodman.

A thousand head of big steers have been put on a test this fall by the Livestock Exchange, on their ranches north and south of Midland, feeding the steers on cake and giving them at the last thirty day finishing period. The cattle are practically all sold to feeders in the Corn Belt, and will get the final finishing period there.

A shipment of 397 head of these steers, two years olds, went out of Midland Wednesday, billed to feeders in Iowa. They had been on cake for sixty days, and weighed 820 pounds at Midland. Figures will be available at the end of the finishing period to show what success the experiment has been.

Deals made during the past few days by the Livestock Exchange include the sale to F. F. Elkin of 292 head of the steer and heifer calves recently bought from the Circle Bar ranch, northwest of Midland.

The Livestock Exchange has bought from the Hutt Cattle Company 450 head of heifer yearlings, also the entire heifer calf crop from this ranch.

O. B. Holt Jr. sold to the Livestock Exchange 200 steer yearlings for May 1 delivery.

Other Deals Made

John Scharbauer and A. B. Cooksey have been active all the season, buying and selling cattle. A deal was reported last week wherein these cattlemen bought the Joe Caldwell ranch and cattle, located ten miles west of Midland. The deal included 330 head of cows and calves, also fifty six head of full blood heifer yearlings.

These heifer yearlings were sold this week to A. C. Francis.

Scharbauer and Cooksey also sold to Frank Ingham 122 head of the G. W. Tom cows which they recently bought.

They sold to a buyer named Ramsey, of Oklahoma, 275 head of the cows which they bought from Roy Parks and from Joe Caldwell.

Scharbauer and Cooksey bought 200 head of heifer calves from Scharbauer Norwood and Company.

The Scharbauer Cattle Company sold 300 head of steer yearlings to Foy Proctor, one of the biggest buyers of steer calves and yearlings this season.

Seven loads of cows and calves and other cattle were shipped by the Scharbauer Cattle Company the first of the week off of their Pecos Co. ranch, being loaded at Fort Stockton and going to Fort Worth markets.

Leon Bryant sold this week to W. C. Driver 125 head of choice two year old heifers with calves.

Foy Proctor sold to a Seminole buyer 225 head of the steer calves he bought from Doss and Dow of Seminole.

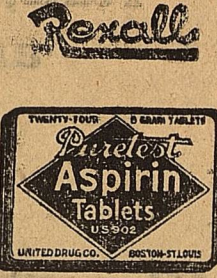
S. M. Halley sold to H. E. Llewellyn of Sweetwater 162 head of cows and calves, shipping them from Odessa.

Sheriff Frank House and Deputy John Lane of Big Spring were in Midland on business yesterday morning.

TEXAS CLAY PRODUCTS WORTH SIX MILLION

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 20.—Clay products in the State of Texas during 1926 were valued in excess of \$6,000,000, according to statistics which have recently been gathered by the Bureau of Economic Geology of the University of Texas in co-operation with the Bureau of Census of the U. S. Department of Commerce. Of the various clay products, common brick leads in value, the brick made in 1926 having a value of \$2,007,634. Face brick is next in value, amounting to \$1,455,455 and other clay products of which the production is large are hollow building tile, vitrified paving brick, or blocks, sewer pipe, fire brick, and pottery ware. The exact total value of all clay products made in the state during 1926 is \$6,029,209.

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Schools of Odessa Still Congested

ODESSA, Oct. 19.—Odessa's second "first day of school" since the formal opening of the fall semester, Monday found continued congestion despite the opening of two new buildings in different sections of the city.

While scores of new pupils were being enrolled at the city's first school in the south section of the city, space made available by transfer of students from a school in the northern part of the city, was in demand as soon as it was vacated. Although definite figures on Monday's increased enrollment as a result of opening of two new temporary school buildings were not available, Supt. M. H. Fly estimated that the day's increase would bring the total gain to more than 550 per cent over a year ago.

New buildings opened Monday were erected to provide quarters in addition to a \$25,000 fireproof annex completed to Odessa's high school building since opening of the fall term. Four new teachers were added to grade school faculties Monday, and others probably will be employed to care for the increased enrollment caused by the record growth of Odessa as a headquarters city for the West Texas oil fields, according to Superintendent Fly.

Witnesses For Kirk Case Are Given Summons

SWEETWATER, Oct. 19.—All witnesses called for the trial of L. Paul Kirk of Abilene, charged with murder in connection with the shooting to death of Crawford A. Tabor in Rummels county four years ago, are requested by George Mahon, district attorney, to be present in Sweetwater Wednesday morning October 26. The case is set for trial here at that time. Kirk was tried here last year on the charge, but there was a hung jury. The first trial of Kirk, held at Ballinger, also ended in a mistrial when the jury failed to reach a verdict.

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Marked Decrease In Ginnings For October 1 Report

Cotton Ginnings for the State of Texas on October 1, 1927 totaled 2,301,157 bales as compared to 2,044,363.

However, in West Texas there was a decrease in the number as compared to a year ago.

In Midland County there has been 604 bales ginned on October 1, 1926, whereas in 1927 at that time there had been only 18 bales.

Miss Elsie Wolcott, who teaches school in Port Arthur, is in Midland visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Wolcott, and family.

BUICK BREAKS SALES RECORDS

Increase Averages 4,000 Cars a Month over Same Period in 1926

Flat, Mich., Oct. 15.—Buick sales since the introduction of new models in July have shattered all records in Buick history. C. W. Churchill, general sales manager of the Buick Motor Company, announced today. The July, August and September total this year is 82,957 cars, as compared with 70,941 cars sold during the corresponding period in 1926.

"The average monthly increase during the last three months, over the corresponding period in 1926, amounts to more than 4,000 cars," said Mr. Churchill. "This represents an average increase of 1,000 cars a week, or considerably better than 100 a day."

"When it is recalled that these are retail sales figures, and not mere production totals, such a record seems to us highly significant. It means that the instantaneous public reception of the new Buicks was not a mere flash in the pan, but rather the forerunner of a sustained demand for Buicks all over the country, based on the recognition that here was such style, comfort and performance as best filled the public's conception of value in a motor car."



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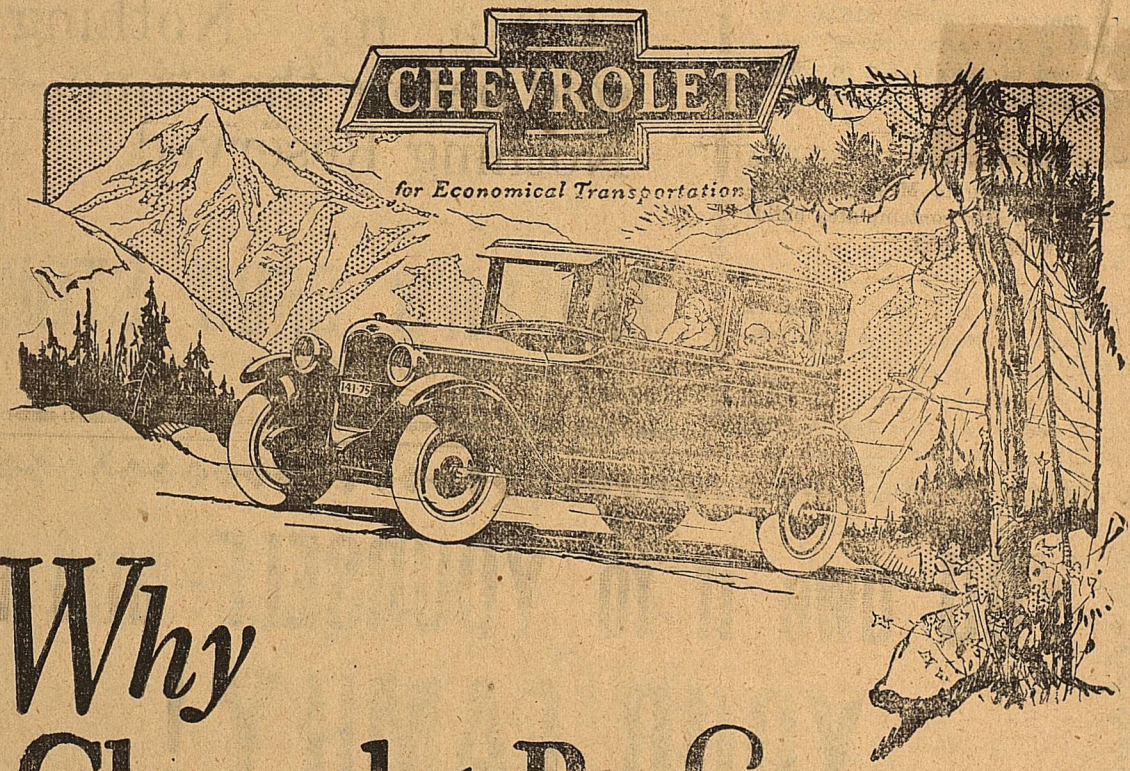
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- 1-Ton Truck (Chassis Only) \$495

All prices f. o. b. Flint, Michigan

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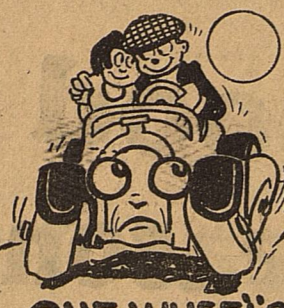
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Fancy Price Paid For Kansas Steers

Fed steers on the Kansas City stock market brought \$16.50 per hundred a few days ago, setting a few record of prices paid for cattle since pre-war times.

John Hix has sold his home on Missouri Avenue to Mrs. C. A. McClintic. Mr. Hix contemplates building a new home soon.

Choc Bailey was here this week from San Angelo, transacting business.

Call Reporter for your Job Printing

You can do your house work with Fuller Brushes with half the work necessary with other brushes. T. A. Hale, salesman, General Delivery, Midland. 8-1t

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Byers returned today from a three week's automobile trip to Kentucky and other states. They will go to Odessa where Mr. Byers will be connected with the new M System grocery. They expect to open the store about November 1.

WANTED—Cotton pickers close to town. Phone F. C. Dale, 255-B 8-4tp

Mrs. Lee Bell and Miss Eula Lee Bell returned to El Paso yesterday after visiting for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer.

Mrs. W. E. Wallace is leaving today for Dallas, where she will visit friends and relatives for a few days.

The Fuller Brush Man will give a Fuller Handy Brush to every customer he calls on. T. A. Hale, salesman, general delivery, Midland. 8-1t

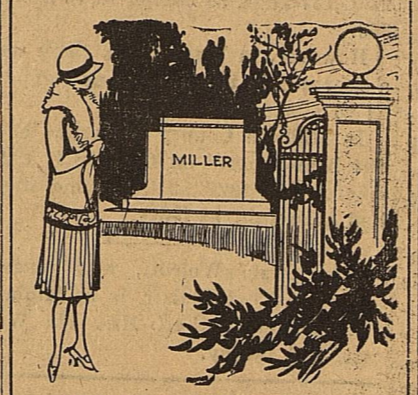
Mrs. Ed Darnell, formerly Miss Juanita Lee of McCamey is visiting her father, George Lee here this week.

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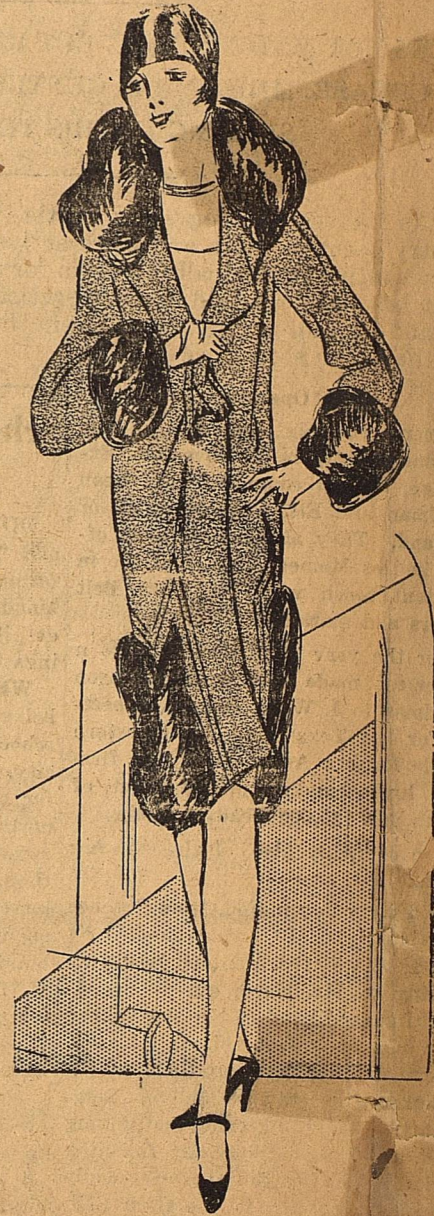
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- Small cans 2 for 11c
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- Pink Salmons, No. 2 Cans 14c
- Delgados tamales, No. 2 Cans 15c
- Highest Patent Family Flour, 48 lbs \$1.89
- Large package good fresh stock OATS 19c
- APRICOTS, fancy peeled, DELMONTE or SUNKIST, No. 2 1-2 cans 27c
- Muscat Grapes No. 2 1-2 cans 18c
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