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YOU WILL BE PLEASED WITH THESE WONDERFUL VALUES.

## Midland Mercantile Co.

Ben F. Whitefield

Willie Choate, H. R. 92 2-5  
R. C. Cauble, H. R. 92 2-5  
Marguerite Lee, H. R. 92 2-5  
Helen Foster, H. R. 92 1-5  
Ruthie Franks, H. R. 92 1-5  
Read Thomas 92 1-6  
Jene Dozier, H. R. 92  
Beulah Mae Johnson, H. R. 91 4-5  
Ben Hedges, 91 1-5  
Sherbet Malcom, H. R. 91  
Floyd West, H. R. 91  
Joan Arnett, H. R. 90 3-5  
A. W. Stanley 90 3-5  
Waddell Fernandes, H. R. 90 2-5  
C. H. King, H. R. 90 1-5  
Derve Simmons, H. R. 90 1-5  
Paige Wilson, H. R. 90 1-5

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 90)  
Pearl Beane 89 1-2  
Billie Orson, 89 2-5  
Jewell Perry, 89  
A. B. Cole, 88 4-5  
Clarence Shalls, 88 4-5  
Josephine Wilson 88 4-5  
Laura Shelbourne 88 3-5  
John Jr. Nobles 88 1-5  
Annie Maud Wesson 88 1-5  
Tom Potter 88 1-6  
Elva Smith 88  
Woodrow Stewart 88  
Elmer Jones 87 4-5  
Agnes Mae Tyner 87 3-5  
Ruth Jones 87 2-5  
Bernice Hill, 87 1-6  
Dorothy Womack 86 1-2  
Helen Clinger 86 5-6  
Ike Stovall 86 3-5  
Robert Rankin 86 1-5  
Ozelle Truelove 86  
Jeanette Tyner 86  
Clara Jesse 85 2-3  
Frank Trux 85 1-2  
Jewell Midkiff 85 5-6  
Charles Allen 85 4-5  
Willie Mae Wesson 85 4-5  
Gabe Wright 85 3-5  
Eulalia Whitefield 85-1-6  
Vivian Arnett 85  
Grammar School, South Ward

Summa Cum Laude (90-100)  
Ruby Jones, H. R. 96 1-6  
Billie Manning, H. R. 96 1-6  
Bush Elkin, H. R. 96  
Marie Hill, H. R. 96  
Teresa McQuatters, H. R. 95 5-6  
Dixie L. Davie, H. R. 95 2-5  
Louise Wells, H. R. 95  
Sudie Em. Haley, H. R. 95  
Jess E. Carlyle, H. R. 94 5-6  
Annie F. Dunagan, H. R. 94 1-2  
Helen M. Ulmer, H. R. 94 1-3  
Martha L. Nobles, H. R. 93 2-3  
Kittie Carpenter, H. R. 93 1-3  
Dorothy Cowden, H. R. 93 1-3  
Mammie Dale, H. R. 93 1-3  
Ida B. Cowden, H. R. 92 5-6  
Marion Wadley 92 5-6  
Louise Greenhill, H. R. 92 1-2  
Clint Irwin, H. R. 92 1-6  
Ida Mae Houston, H. R. 92 1-6  
Nell M. Carlisle, H. R. 91 2-3  
C. C. Foster Jr., H. R. 91 2-3  
Willie F. Neeb, H. R. 91 2-3  
Ruth Norton, H. R. 91 1-3  
Helen L. Stewart, H. R. 91 1-6  
Clarence Holman 91  
Alvin Bodine, H. R. 90 5-6  
Cody Simmons, H. R. 90 5-6  
Nellie Houston, H. R. 90 2-3  
Alvon Patterson, H. R. 90 2-3  
Edna Buffington, H. R. 90 1-6  
Hope Woody, H. R. 90 4-6  
Nell Boyd, H. R. 90  
Cecil Hale 90  
Fay Jones, H. R. 90  
Joe Roberts 90  
Lillian Wilson 90  
E. C. Zinn 90

Magna Cum Laude (85-90)  
Dorothy Weinstein 89 5-6  
Alma Lee Norwood, 89 2-3  
Mable Dale 89 3-5  
Jack Wilkinson 89 1-2  
Frankie Fernandes 89 1-3  
Adilose Haag 89 1-6  
J. E. Hill Jr. 89 1-6  
Merwin Haag 89 1-6  
Virginia Garrett 89 1-6  
Nancy Rankin 89 1-6  
Walter Fay Cowden 89  
Roy Irwin 89  
Faye Goode 89  
Louise Clayton 88 5-6  
Laudie M. Wilmoth 88 5-6  
Kathleen Brunson 88 2-3  
Marie Hamlin 88 2-3  
Rosie Pliska 88 1-2  
W. D. Clayton 88 1-3  
Gladys Norton 88 1-3  
Tiny Smith 88 1-3  
David Allen 88  
Adah Driver 88  
Mildred Wright 88  
Sam Brown 87 1-6  
Wayne Hill 87 1-6  
Anna Lee Haley 87 1-6  
Dean Bryant 87 1-6  
Donald Brown 87 1-6  
Margaret Tyner 87 1-6  
Clyde Chandler 87  
Kelley Jones 87  
Lonnie Smith 87  
Helen Buffington 86 5-6  
Marie Ponder 86 5-6  
M. D. Johnson 86 2-3  
Juanita Lee 86 1-2  
Ruby Pritchett 86 1-3  
Annie Laurie Hix 86 1-6  
Alice Buchanan 86  
Donovan Gwyn 86  
Pauline Wesson 86  
Wright Cowden 85 5-6

Thalbert Thomas (5) 93 2-5  
Gladys Inman, H. R. (5) 93 2-5  
Louis Thomas (5) 93 2-5  
Lucile Thomas, H. R. (5) 93 2-5  
Margaret Francis, H. R. (5) 93  
Lucile Cole, H. R. (4) 93  
Emily Flanigan, H. R. (5) 92 4-5  
Dessie Paddock, H. R. (5) 92 3-5  
Dorothy Ratliff, H. R. (5) 92 2-5  
Lillie Moody, H. R. (5) 92 1-5  
Clinton Dunagan (5) 91 4-5  
Iola Lee, H. R. (5) 91 4-5  
Tommie Smith, H. R. (5) 91 4-5  
Nellie Dale, H. R. (4) 91 3-4  
Lois Bryant, H. R. (4) 91 1-2  
Lucile Lee, H. R. (4) 9 1  
Lillie Paddock, H. R. (4) 91  
Drotha Johnson, H. R. (4) 90 1-2  
Pearl Dale, H. R. (4) 90  
Felice Doekray, H. R. (5) 90  
Robert E. Lee, H. R. (4) 90  
Magna Cum Laude (85 to 90)  
Vernetta Ray (5) 89 4-5  
Eulalah Beauchamp (5) 89 3-5  
Pearl Wimberly (4) 89 1-2  
June Tucker (5) 89 2-5  
Irene Arnett (4) 89  
Gerald Bloss (4) 89  
Sadie Bradshaw (4) 89  
Luvenia Jones (4) 89  
Rena Armstrong (4) 89  
Lucile Dowdy (5) 88 3-5  
Hulon Davie (4) 88  
Floy Hawkins (4) 88 1-2  
Grady Henry (5) 88 1-2  
Barron Wadley (5) 88  
Florence Parr (5) 88 4-5  
Othell Wilmoth (4) 87 3-4  
Virgie Locklar (4) 87 1-2  
Paul King (5) 87 2-5  
Mary Pliska (4) 87 1-4  
Christine Brooks (4) 86 3-4  
Ruby Moore (4) 86 3-4  
Floyd Countiss (5) 86 3-4  
Francis Norwood (5) 86 2-5  
Velma Winborne (5) 86 2-5  
Sallie Ruth Lumpkin (4) 86  
Georgia Mae Lumpkin (5) 85 4-5  
Minnie Warren Pemberton (4) 85 3-4  
Velva Neeb (4) 85  
Althea Hines (4) 85 1-4

Grammar School, Central Ward  
Summa Cum Laude (90 or More)  
Stella Hines, H. R. 98  
Bessie Dale, H. R. 97 5-6  
Ruth Fernandes, H. R. 97 2-5  
Roberta Dunagan, H. R. 97 1-3  
Murray Fasken 97  
Berneize Pope, H. R. 96  
Helen Lumpkin, 95 3-5  
Kathleen Scruggs, H. R. 95 3-5  
Marguerite Brock, H. R. 95 1-5  
Eddie Blanche Cowden, H. R. 95 1-5  
Anabel Youngblood, H. R. 95 1-5  
Edna Mae Elkin, H. R. 95  
Frances Goggans, H. R. 95  
Dorothy Manning, H. R. 94 2-3  
Olga Trammell, 94 5-6  
Velton Hampton, H. R. 94 1-3  
Charles Gibbs, H. R. 94  
Madeline Bryant, H. R. 93 1-5  
Helen Fasken, H. R. 93 1-5  
Annie Johnson, H. R. 93 1-5  
B. C. Driver, H. R. 93 1-3  
Bennie Sue Ratliff 92 1-2

show high degrees of efficiency. Following appear the lists of those pupils in the three departments who won distinction in their school work. Those averaging 90 or more were recorded with highest honors. Those who averaged between 85 and 90 were recorded with high honors. Those in the first group who made grades in department of 95 or more were placed on the honor roll. This is indicated by H. R. after their respective names. The numbers after the names of the high school pupils indicate the number of courses carried by each pupil respectively. The lists follow:

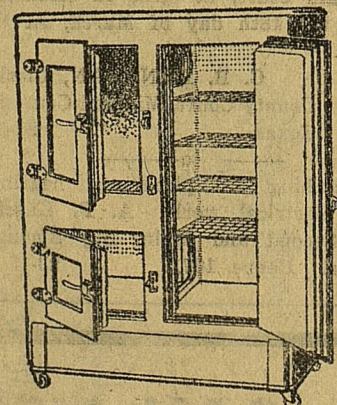
High School  
Summa Cum Laude (90 or More)  
Jeanette Waddell, H. R. (5) 95 2-5  
Georgia Kirk Davis, H. R. (5) 94 4-5  
Kitta Belle Wolcott, H. R. (5) 94 1-5  
Jennie Elkin H. R. (5) 94  
Merle Garner H. R. (5) 94  
Jessie May Estes, H. R. (5) 93 4-5  
Mary Fleenor H. R. (5) 93 4-5  
Frances Ratliff H. R. (4) 93 1-2

### DISTINCTION LISTS SHOW HIGH GRADES

219 WIN DISTINCTION ON SIX WEEKS WORK. REPORTS OUT LAST WEEK.

In the reports from our schools, which reports were issued last week and covered work done for six weeks, 219 pupils won distinction in their respective grades and courses. Of this number 58 were in the high school, 69 in central ward, and 92 in south ward. There were 147 reports issued in the high school, of which number 139, or 94.64 percent passed in all work. In central ward, 117 reports were issued, of which number 110 or 93.89 per cent passed in all their work. In south ward there were 241 reports issued, of which number 220 or 91.28 per cent passed in all their work. These are very gratifying figures and

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# Refrigerators

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## OUR PRICE CARDS

Point the way to reduced living expenses. Ever yarticle in the store is marked in plain figures.

One family moved away from Midland, but they still drive over 40 miles to buy their groceries from us. There's a reason.

White House Grocery and Market  
SELF-SERVICE

Iver Hampton 85 2-3  
Algerene Feeler 85 1-2  
Elizabeth Hale 85 1-2  
Iva Hollyman 85 1-2  
Valton Ponder 85 1-2  
Marie Garrett 85  
Carrol Hollyman 85  
Robert Howe 85  
Leonard Harwell 85  
Odell Ponder 85  
Maurice Woody 85

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Midland County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Jim Dublin, Anne Dublin, S. D. Stennis, and B. A. Christmas, by making publication 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 holden at the court house thereof in Midland on the first Monday in September, 1925, the same being the 7th day of September, A. D., 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1738, wherein First National Bank of Midland, Texas, is plaintiff, and Jim Dublin, Anne Dublin, S. D. Stennis and B. A. Christmas are defendants. Said plaintiffs alleging that they are the owners of Lots Ten (10), Eleven (11), and Twelve (12) in Block Twelve (12), being the South-east One-fourth of Block Twelve (12) in West End Addition to the town of Midland, Texas, by virtue of having had peaceable and adverse possession of said premises, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, paying taxes thereon, and claiming under a deed duly registered

### Hacking Coughs

Can not be cured by a glass of water, but will disappear under the healing and soothing affect of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY Every user is a friend.

for more than five years; and that the defendants or some of them are claiming a lien upon said land, which is a cloud upon plaintiff's title, plaintiff suing to remove said cloud from its title, and to be quieted in its possession of said premises, and for judgment vesting title in it under the five years statute of limitation.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, C. B. Dunagan, Clerk of the District Court of Midland County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the town of Midland, Texas, this 14th day of March, A. D. 1925.

C. B. DUNAGAN,  
Clerk of the District Court  
of Midland County, Texas.

Issued this 14th day of March, A. D. 1925.

C. B. DUNAGAN,  
Clerk of the District Court  
of Midland County, Texas.

J. R. Arnett returned the first of the week from Robert Lee, where he went to attend the funeral of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mattie Brown. He was taken to Robert Lee by his son, Carter, of Lubbock.

### MEBANE COTTON SEED

I will have car of Mebane Long Staple cotton seed at J. A. Andrews' Cash Market after March 1st. Should make 500 lb. and up out of 1400 seed cotton. Price will be \$1.50 per bushel in any quantity, in sewed sacks. J. N. Wells, 22tf

Anything in plumbing, heating and electrical work. A. P. Kasch, corner Second and Main, Big Spring, Texas. Phone 167. 23-tf

### STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

For Sale By City Drug Store

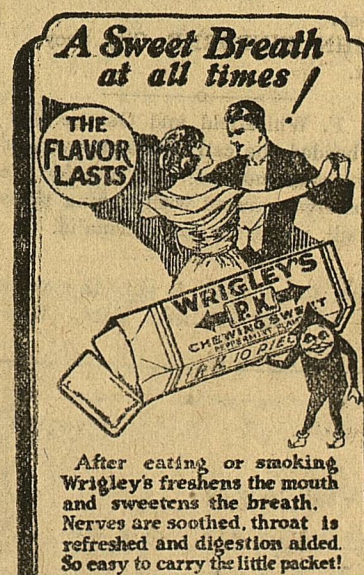
## EAT MORE MEAT

You get the best Veal here from home fed and home butchered calves.

Fresh country Butter received every other day, also fresh warm bread from Big Spring Bakery.

## KING'S MEAT MARKET

Free Delivery — Phone 87



WRIGLEY'S  
- after every meal!





## VISIT OUR New Fountain

We have just installed the best soda fountain that money can buy. It has all of the latest equipment, is sanitary throughout, and we offer our patrons the best of drinks.

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## City Drug Store

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## The Midland Reporter

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The Reporter strives to be clean and fair in the dissemination of news. Any errors will be cheerfully corrected. Suggestions or criticisms are welcome.

### Political Announcement

For City Marshal:

OSCAR HALE.

JOHN WINBORNE.  
(Re-Election)

CHARLIE McCLINTIC.

W. A. (BUD) ESTES.

### HIGH LINE TO BE CONSTRUCTED SOON

Erection of the American Telegraph and Telephone company's line through Midland will be started at an early date, according to R. M. Means, who is securing right of way for the big Bell system.

It is extending its line westward. The city council passed the necessary ordinance to permit its erection through the town of Midland at a meeting last week.

Ell Long was in Midland Wednesday on business. He is now located at Monahans, and is connected with the construction of that section of the highway.

Hayden Miles, of Andrews, and J. E. McAllister, of Shafter Lake, were in town the first of this week.

Mrs. J. M. Speed arrived Saturday from Dixon, Ky., reporting her mother Mrs. M. F. Sisk, much improved.

Mrs. W. A. Hyatt returned home Tuesday after an absence of 4 months on account of her health. She has spent much time in Mineral Wells, and although she is improved, her condition is not yet normal. Her friends are glad to welcome her home.

"Not what you get, but what you hold."  
Eases life's burden when you are old."

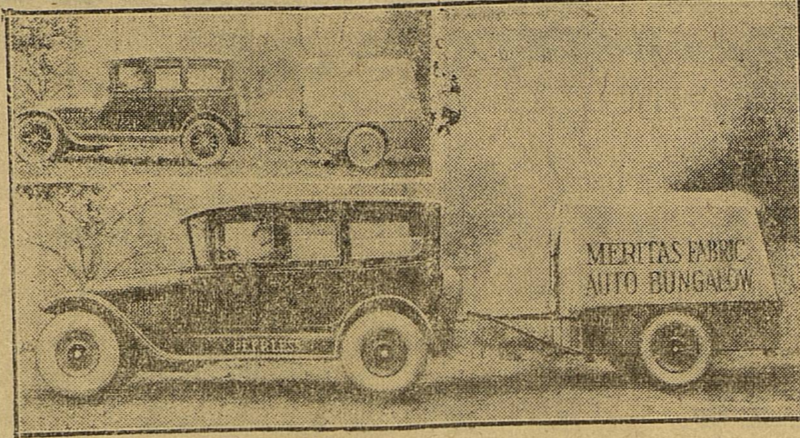
## Write a Check

And automatically receive a receipt for the bill which you have paid.

A checking account not only affords this convenience and protection but it means instant recognition of your financial possibilities.

We furnish our customers a check and bank book free of charge.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
MIDLAND, TEXAS



### PROMINENT TOURIST COMING

What is probably the most unique and completely equipped automobile is shown in the photograph here, the design and work of Major Chas. G. Percival, late of the A. E. F. and now on his way from N. Y. City to the border.

This car which cannot be told from a 1925 model Sedan is an 1918 Peerless Sedan, had gone 100,000 miles when it was revamped and rejuvenated by its owner who installed new 1925 fenders, hood, and radiator, shell of a 1925 design together with steel disc wheels and popular balloon tires.

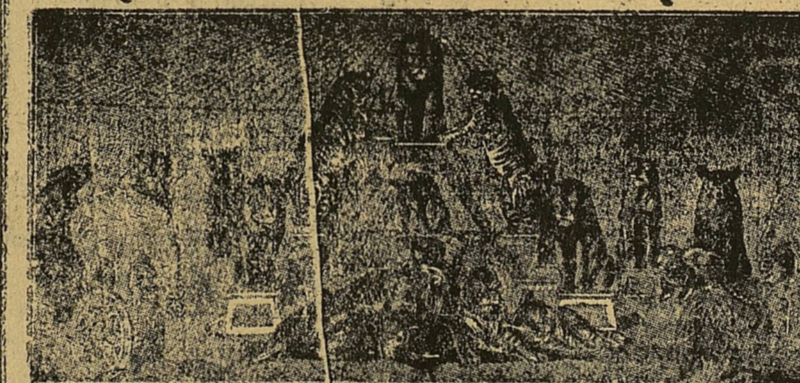
A vacuum wind shield was attached to the front of the body and the roof extended out to it making the body longer and up to date. There is not a particle of paint on the car, the body, hood, cowl, and fenders being covered with black Meritas artificial leather fabrics which is cemented into the metal surface of the body and which is polished daily with good shoe polish (as one shines his shoes.) Offset with a sterling silver one inch mounting the car presents a very handsome and striking appearance and the "leather planting" has already outlasted paint and varnish and has stood the mud and elements much better besides obviating the creaking and rattling so common to most closed bodies made of metal.

In the rear of the front drives seat is a six tube Radio set flanked by an altitudometer, a barometer, and a chronometer. Beneath is a large medicine chest. A rosewood door covers a suit case locker and instantly converts into a table. Directly in front of the driver and between two 20 inch mirrors is an electrically lighted Auto compass. The passengers can listen to the radio, observe the direction the car is travelling, the altitude above the sea level, the weather for the next 24 hours and the mean temperature. Beneath the running board are tanks containing liquid soap and hot water which with automatic faucets and a wash basin which gives ample washing facilities. There are Red and Green periscopes on the headlights. A highly ornamental whistle on the radiator gives warning if overheated. Road lights of novel design on fenders and running boards illuminate both sides of the road. The interior of the car upholstered in 23 removable wood-veneer panels allows instant removable and replacement for cleaning. The collapsible chenango camp trailer which is also covered with meritas leather fabrics is fitted with 2 double spring beds, electric lights, and fan, gas stove, ice chest, kitchenette, clothes lockers, and screened doors and windows.

It can be put up in half a minute into a 10x14 foot cozy insect and damp proof permanent bungalow.

Major Percival has already covered 24,000 miles in his unique outfit since returning to the U. S. from Germany in 1920 and is on his way to Midland where he expects to spend some time with J. V. Stokes, Jr. of Midland, Texas, one of the boys in his old outfit in France.

He expects to leave N. Y. City around June 1st on his trip across the continent via Dallas, Ft. Worth, Austin, San Antonio, Uvalde, Midland, El Paso and other Texas towns. The Major was in Midland in April 1911 with the famous Abbott Bull Dog car which he took on a 3 year tour of the North American continent covering 143,000 miles and the first to take an auto from Mexico to Dawson, Yukon, Territory and North of 64 degree in Arctic Circle.



### Variety of Animals With Christy Circus

The menagerie of Christy Bros. big five ring trained wild animal show that is presented this year is one of interest and study for the lovers of both wild and domestic animals. It is the greatest zoological collection ever brought together. It is an important department with Christy Bros. and it offers not only features of interest and wonder, but recommends itself pre-eminently as a superior source of study and information. In point of sizes as well as in rare and exclusive features it is beyond comparison with any other wild animal collection in the United States. It possesses so many rare specimens of animal life not to be seen in any other collection, that it is the most distinctive and valuable menagerie in the world and will be seen in its entirety when Christy Bros. exhibit in Midland on Friday, April 3rd.

All the animals are trained to do something out of the ordinary. A troupe of six performing Elk is a newly added feature. For the first

time two big collections of twelve have been made to perform. This is the first time these animals have ever been educated, two different collections of black bears are also a newly added number. Three big groups of lions are introduced at different times and a big mixed collection of tigers, leopards, lions, with two dogs and a cat is a remarkable scene. Elephants galore are also performing new stunts and all kinds of domestic animals do something that attracts attention. Dogs, goats, sheep, rabbits, cats, rats, horses, ponies, and in fact every animal that can be collected is made to perform. Naturalists, scientists and students will find many specimens of almost extinct types of animals, like the eland, the Yak from the highlands of Thibet, the black vaark from South America, Polar bears from Alaska, and many other animals that will attract. The menagerie is not the only wonder of Christy Bros. Shows, they have a new three mile gorgeous parade every day, and a most dignified production of that famous Biblical event, "Noah and the Ark", with a company of over five hundred animals and people.

### BAPTISTS CONSIDERING CALL OF PASTOR

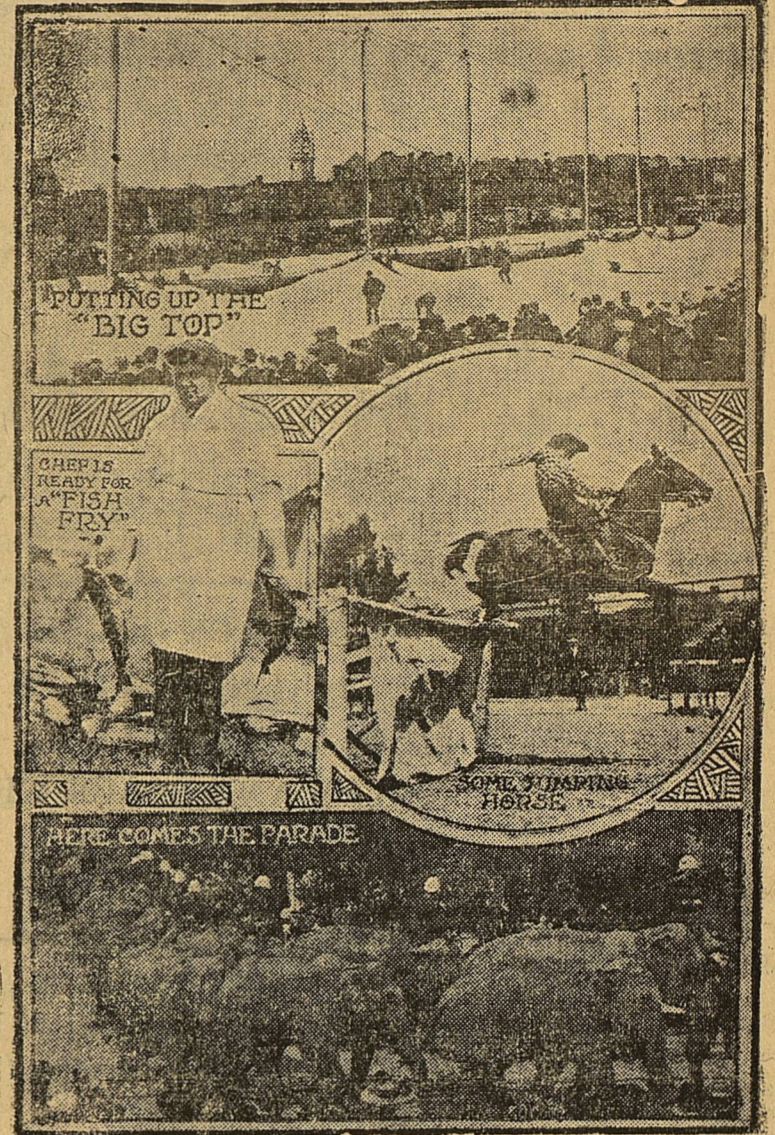
A full attendance of the members of the Baptist Church has been called for Sunday morning, at the eleven o'clock service, for the discussion of the vital question of securing a pastor.

Many of the members have felt that the Church is losing valuable time and work by being without a leader, and a special prayer meeting was held last week for the purpose of bringing about a better condition.

This meeting was followed up by a conference of church members last Sunday, but on account of the small crowd, definite action was deferred till the following Sunday morning.

The board of deacons and the church members who were present urgently request that all members be present next Sunday.

Get a real CHICKEN Dinner Trades Day, April 11, at the Basham-Shepherd building. Parent-Teachers Association. 26-3t



Scenes in Christy Bros. Shows, Midland April 3rd

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of this notice in the County of Midland, State of Texas, and you will cause said notice to be printed once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice on Application for Probate of Will.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Midland.

To all persons interested in the estate of Susie Dowdy, Deceased, Jesse A. Dowdy has filed in the county court of Midland County, an application for the probate of the Last Will and Testament of said Susie Dowdy, Deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1925, the same being the 11th day of May, A. D. 1925, at the court house thereof in Midland, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

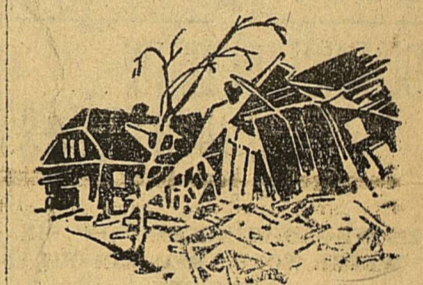
Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Midland, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1925.

C. B. DUNAGAN, Clerk,  
County Court, Midland County  
Texas. 25-2t

Anything in plumbing, heating and electrical work. A. P. Kasch, cor Second and Main, Big Spring, Texas. Phone 167. 23-tf

If times get dull, people have more time to read. That's a good time to advertise.

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Windstorms turn attractive dwellings into huge rubbish heaps — great mounds of torn, splintered joists and clapboards that are useful only as firewood. Some day your home may be in the path of a storm.

This agency of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company will see that you are protected against wind-storm losses. Call, write or phone today.

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**DURANT AND STAR**

Sales and Service

**Speed and Pinnell**

Phone 84

**Gwyn Enlarging His Fine Orchard**

S. H. Gwyn is preparing to put in another five acres in peaches, plums and apples. He bought 500 trees one day last week from Virgil C. Ray. Gwyn now has an orchard about an acre and a half in size.

Gwyn values his orchard now at \$1,000. He refused \$100 an acre cash for the 20 acres on which his acre and a half orchard stands.

He says it would take \$150 an acre to buy his place. Mr. Gwyn's peaches won second prize at the Dallas State Fair last year.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

In the United States District Court For the Western District of Texas.

In the matter of Joseph Louis Jay, Bankrupt.

No. 46, In Bankruptcy.

The creditors of said Joseph Louis Jay, are hereby notified that he has filed a petition for a certificate of discharge in bankruptcy, and that the same, under an order of said court, will be heard before Ben Randals, referee, at his office in Pecos, Texas, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 28th day of April, 1925, at which time and place the creditors of said bankrupt may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

D. H. HART, Clerk.  
By W. W. DEAN, Deputy Clerk.  
Date March 18th, 1925.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nance are registered at the Llano Hotel this week. Mr. Nance is a prominent steer buyer from the Panhandle.

**ELECTION ORDER**

Be it ordered by the board of trustees of Midland Independent School District that an election be held at the Court House, in the town of Midland, Texas, in said Midland Independent School District on the fourth day of April, 1925 for the purpose of electing three School Trustees for said Midland Independent School District.

W. L. Graves, Miss Lotta Williams and Joe Youngblood are hereby appointed to hold said election, and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

The returns of said election shall be made to the Board of Trustees of said Independent School District in accordance with law.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of this board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election, to be given in accordance with law.

In testimony whereof, witness the signatures of the President and Secretary of said Midland Independent School District and the seal thereof hereunto affixed this 24th day of April, 1925.

J. E. HILL,  
President Midland Independent School District.

Attest:  
JNO. P. HOWE,  
Secretary.

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J. H. Patterson and wife, with Herbert Patterson and his wife, drove to Snyder last Saturday, returning the following day. They visited relatives and friends and report an enjoyable trip.

**Crowd Heard the University Band**

A number of our citizens motored to Abilene last Friday to hear the University of Texas band which played there. Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunagan, Little Miss Annie Faye Dunagan, Clinton Dunagan, Wallace Wimberly, Nolan Williams, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Dockray, Miss Willie Pearl Dockray, Mrs. J. Wiley Taylor, Miss Lotta Williams and Miss Willie McCormick.

Out of the 125 members of the University Band, 25 were selected to make a tour of Texas, and among the 25 were five Midland boys. They are H. B. Dunagan, Jr., J. Wiley Taylor Jr., Thord Dockray, Garvice Dooockray, and Jack Archer. This is no small feather in Midland's cap, and congratulate ourselves. These boys were glad to see their Midland friends in Abilene.

The following is a full account of the event, as written up by those whose names appear below:

On Friday March 20th a party from Midland motored to Abilene to hear the Longhorn Band with Varsity's Premier Entertainers of the State University.

The Longhorn band paraded at four p. m. The band is composed of thirty-two members, five of which are Midland boys: H. B. Dunagan, Jr., Garvice and Thord Dockray, J. Wiley Taylor, and Jack Archer.

At eight p. m. at the Simmons College auditorium, a splendid program was given. The program was divided into two parts.

The first part was a band concert under the direction of Burnett Pharr. One of the most interesting numbers was a saxophone solo by Hon. J. Wiley Taylor. The second part was in six acts. The first act was an orchestra selection "Narcissus". The second act was "This an' That" by Garland Porter and Evelyn Farrell, Porter was a negro character and Miss Farrell, a singer. The third act was "A-Sittin' Pretty" by Bus Edens and his girls. The fourth act was "From Heartburn to Barnhardt" by Miss Margaret West, a wonderfully accomplished reader. The fifth act was given to selections by "The Varsity Peacocks". In the sixth and last act the entire company was on the stage, in the center of the stage was a white "T" illuminated by orange lights; "The Varsity Peacocks" played, "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You" while the remainder of the company sang.

The members of the party from Midland were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunagan and Annie Fay, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Dockray and Willie Pearl, Mrs. J. Wiley Taylor, Miss Lotta Williams, and Messrs. Clinton Dunagan, Nolan Williams, and Wallace Wimberly.

We enjoyed seeing the boys from Midland and were proud of the way they deported themselves and the honors they had won and were winning. They asked about their Midland friends and asked to be remembered to them. They looked fine. Every person in Midland would have enjoyed the program and would have been proud of our boys.

Following is the program as it was given in the auditorium of Simmons College:

**PART I**

- THE LONGHORN BAND
- Burnett Pharr, Director
- "Conqueror" (March)—Teike.
- "Opera Mirror"—Tobani.
- "In the Garden of Tomorrow"—Deppen.
- Saxophone Solo—J. Wiley Taylor
- "Wagner" (March)—Troutman.
- Saxophone Sextette—Selected.
- "Cavaleria Rusticana"—Mascagni.
- "Slidus Trombonus"—M. L. Lake.
- Trombone Solo—S. W. Ruff.
- "A Southern Wedding"—Lotter.
- Humorous Descriptive Sketch.
- Overture, "Narcissus"—Schlepegrell.
- Orchestra
- "This an' That"
- Porter and Farrell
- "A-Sittin' Pretty"—Bus Edens and His Girls.
- Price, Edens, Sanders
- Graham—Dencer
- "From Heartburn to Barnhardt"—Margaret West
- "The Varsity Peacocks"—Direction, Gertrude Schott.
- Schott, Laurie, Gilbert, Dillard, J. W. Taylor, Barber.
- "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You."
- CLINTON DUNAGAN,
- WALLACE WIMBERLY,
- NOLAN WILLIAMS,
- WILLIE PEARL DOCKRAY,

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Witcher were in town Wednesday, from the Ector County ranch.

Mrs. Ida B. Mims returned Tuesday from a visit of two or three months in Fort Worth, Tyler and other points.

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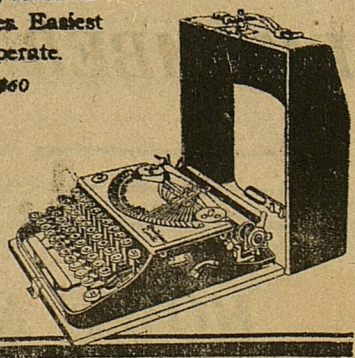
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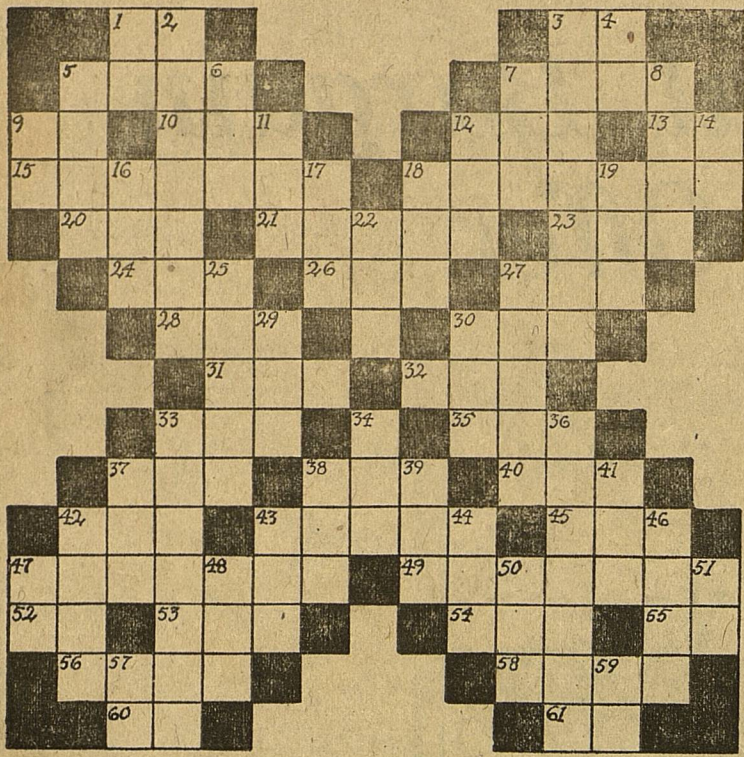
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MIDLAND, TEXAS

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- Horizontal.**
- 1—Member of English governing body (abbr.)
  - 2—Southern state (abbr.)
  - 3—Earth
  - 4—Jewels
  - 5—Three-toed sloth
  - 6—Auditory organ
  - 7—Color
  - 8—Each (abbr.)
  - 9—Obliterate
  - 10—Guarantee
  - 11—Mound of earth
  - 12—Animal
  - 13—Small particle
  - 14—Chopper
  - 15—Bind
  - 16—Unity
  - 17—Rap
  - 18—Expire
  - 19—Beam
  - 20—Companion
  - 21—Aged
  - 22—Humans
  - 23—To peep
  - 24—Pine tree
  - 25—Remnant
  - 26—Snake
  - 27—Burdened
  - 28—A marker
  - 29—A train (abbr.)
  - 30—Flesh of the deer
  - 31—Printing measure
  - 32—Small particle
  - 33—Also
  - 34—Month of Hebrew calendar
  - 35—Sharp decline
  - 36—Insect
  - 37—Article
  - 38—Roadway (abbr.)

- Vertical.**
- 1—Note of musical scale
  - 2—Excuse
  - 3—Real
  - 4—Part of verb "to be"
  - 5—Course of nourishment
  - 6—Black, viscous substance
  - 7—Motorfuel
  - 8—Observed
  - 9—Commercial announcement (abbr.)
  - 10—Steal
  - 11—An explosive
  - 12—Like
  - 13—Ocean
  - 14—Still
  - 15—Suffix meaning make into
  - 16—Fish eggs
  - 17—To feel bad
  - 18—In plenty of time
  - 19—Device for providing lubrication
  - 20—Pillow
  - 21—Obstruct
  - 22—Speech
  - 23—Invitation
  - 24—Countries
  - 25—Container
  - 26—Distant
  - 27—Minister (abbr.)
  - 28—Same as 7 vertical
  - 29—Ring
  - 30—Boy's name
  - 31—Meshed material
  - 32—Animal
  - 33—Note of musical scale
  - 34—Cut off
  - 35—Wooden block size of a brick
  - 36—Take notice
  - 37—Sun god
  - 38—Preposition

The solution will appear in next issue.

**CITATION FOR NON-RESIDENTS AND THE UNKNOWN HEIRS.**

STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Midland County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Thomas D. Ross, R. T. C. Lord, and E. N. Waldrep, if alive, and if dead, then the unknown heirs of Thomas D. Ross, R. T. C. Lord and E. N. Waldrep, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Midland County, to be held at the court house thereof in the town of Midland, on the first Monday in September, 1925, being the seventh day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 14th day of March, 1925, in a cause Numbered 1737, wherein Jax M. Cowden and M. C. Ulmer are plaintiffs, and Thomas D. Ross, R. T. C. Lord, and E. N. Waldrep, if alive, are defendants, and if dead, then the unknown heirs of Thomas D. Ross, R. T. C. Lord, and E. N. Waldrep are defendants.

The cause of action being alleged as follows: Suit to remove a cloud upon plaintiffs title to Lots Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), and Twenty-three (23), in Block Sixty-five (65), in the Original town of Midland, Texas, as per map and plat of said town on record in book 3, pages 232 and 233, Deed Records of Midland County, Texas, and situated in Midland County, Texas, and for title to said property under the five and ten years statute of limitation.

Plaintiffs hereby notify defendants that upon the trial of said cause they will offer in evidence certified copies of deeds from the records of Midland

County, Texas, as follows:

Deed from Abe Lewis to W. K. McClintic, dated October 19, 1906, recorded in Book 12, page 586.

Deed from G. T. McClintic and W. K. McClintic to Rose K. Points, dated October 3, 1908, recorded in Book 18, page 134.

Deed from Sallie E. Kyle, B. Watson Points and Lizzie McClung to W. K. McClintic dated March 18, 1920, recorded in Book 30, page 360.

Deed from Andrew Allen to Mrs. Rose K. Points, dated July 14, 1906, recorded in Book 12, page 322.

Deed from Rose K. Points to Mrs. W. K. McClintic, dated February 15, 1909, recorded in Book 18, page 423.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing same once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in said county, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

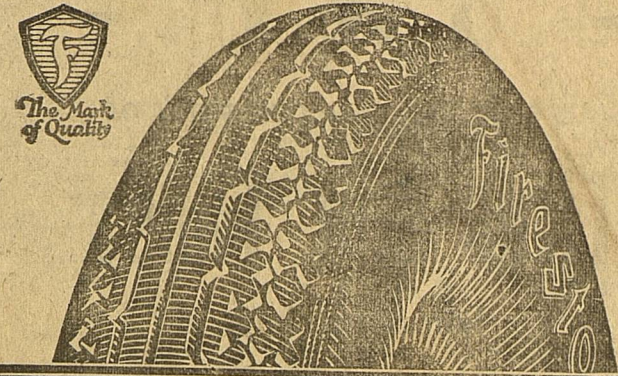
Witness, C. B. Dunagan, Clerk of the District Court of Midland County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the town of Midland this 14th day of March, A. D. 1925.

C. B. DUNAGAN, Clerk of the District Court of Midland County, Texas.

Issued this 14th day of March, A. D. 1925.

C. B. DUNAGAN, Clerk of the District Court of Midland County, Texas.



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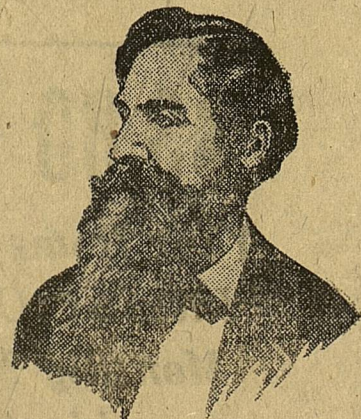
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Chas. Holzgraf, of Barstow, was in Midland Tuesday, en route to Houston on business.



**DR. H. S. THACHER**  
**Do You Feel All Tired Out?**

When your appetite is gone and your digestion bad; when your food sours on your stomach, causes gas to form and makes you nervous and feel like smothering; when you feel all tired out and unfit for work you need Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup.

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If you have something for sale, advertise it in The Reporter.

**Gave Party To Sunday School Class**

Mrs. J. H. Barron was hostess to the ladies of her Sunday School class last Thursday afternoon, and the guests had a very enjoyable afternoon.

All of them brought "their work" along, and made things merry. Pleasing refreshments were served, adding to the attraction of the party.

**Thanks For Help**

The people of the Valey View community, through an official representative, have asked that thanks be expressed to the people of Midland who so generously attended the rabbit drive Wednesday of last week, and assisted the people of that neighborhood in exterminating so many of those deadly pests. The Valey View folks appreciate the cooperation from the town people and those from other sections of the county.

**Married Last Saturday**

Mr. Joe Lane, of Arizona, and Miss Clela Bess Holmes, of Rankin, were married in Midland last Saturday, Judge Chas. L. Klapproth performing the nuptial ceremony.

Mr. Lane is a son of John Lane of Upton County, and is well known in this section of the country.

Miss Holmes is a member of one of the best families in Rankin, and is likewise popular in this section of the state.

They went from here to Rankin, where it is reported they were royally entertained by their relatives and friends.

**Entertained Club**

Miss Elma Graves entertained the girls club Tuesday night of last week, with a bridge party. Delicious refreshments were served, and the guests were presented with beautiful linen handkerchiefs as favors. All of them enjoyed the party immensely and will be glad when it is Miss Graves' time to entertain again.

**SPRINGTIME IS ABOUT HERE**

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**Lamesa Banker Was Here Tuesday**

W. V. P. Baker, president of the First State Bank of Lamesa, was a business visitor to Midland Tuesday. He is an old timer among the Midland people, having lived here about twenty five years ago, and is more familiarly known as "Billie."

He gives glowing reports of business conditions in Lamesa and Dawson County, and backs them up by showing a healthy statement of his bank. He also holds great hopes for the future of Midland.

**Clyde Crowley Writes**

R. E. Crowley has received the following letter from his son Clyde: Manila, P. I., Sat. 21-25

"Dear Dad: Will drop you a few lines to let you know that I am getting along fine. Received your letter today. Sure was glad to hear from you, and to know that you are getting along fine.

"Was sorry to hear that the cotton gin where Chas. worked burned down. How is John Wesley getting along? Guess he is almost grown up now, isn't he? I wish I could be at home now. But as soon as I get out I am going to come home on a visit if I can see my way clear. I sure wish I could have made that trip with Homer. But tell him he ought to be out here where there are no game laws. He could kill all the deer, wild hog and wild animals he wants. He might get one of those big 40-foot snakes, too, that swallow pigs and deer whole.

There isn't much going on out here now. Haven't been ashore for about two weeks.

"Everything is awful dull. We go out for torpedo practice next week again. Will be out all week.

"Give my regards and love to all. As ever, your son, Clyde E. Crowley."

**THE NEXT WEEK**

Friday, March 27:

"ROUGH RIDER"

Saturday, March 28:

"ONE LAW FOR THE WOMAN"

Monday and Tuesday, March 30 and 31:

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Wednesday and Thursday, April 1 and 2:

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