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## FARMER'S NEIGHBORS GIVE TIMELY HELP

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TWENTY-TWO FARMERS AND TEAMS WORK OUT CROP FOR NEIGHBOR

With his wife seriously ill for three or four weeks, and having to undergo an operation Tuesday, J. M. Livingston was getting behind with his crop. The top of the ground was getting hard and weeds were making headway.

Mr. Livingston, who lives about seven or eight miles southeast of town, had to be with his wife constantly, and had no chance to cultivate his cotton crop.

In the face of his serious troubles, his neighbors came to his rescue. On Wednesday, the word having been passed around, twenty-two men with their teams, cultivators and go-devils assembled at the Livingston farm, divided the fields into sections, and started to work.

Every time they went across the field and back, four or five acres were cultivated. They worked a sixty acre field before noon, and another cotton field about the same size in the afternoon, then got on the feed crop.

The neighbors brought their lunches, and the Livingston boys also put up a good feed, so they had a great time at the noon hour.

Two of the men, John M. King and Ellis Howell, came in town at noon and told the County Agent about the big work. He came by and got the Reporter man and they went out to see what was going on.

It was an impressive sight to see those fellows going down the line, turning out so much work in so short a time, and all in a spirit of neighborliness. They were having plenty of fun out of the work, but were seriously striving to help out their neighbor who was unfortunate in having illness in his family.

Pictures were made of the men and their teams, to be sent to the daily papers. It was too late to have cuts made and get the picture in this week's issue of the local paper.

While waiting for the men to come in and assemble for the picture, the County Agent Snider was not idle. He found a hoe and fell in on those weeds like he might have knocked out many of them.

Those who were there to help were John M. King, Ellis Howell, Neal Staten, W. A. Eason, J. M. O'Neal, Bud West, Fred Truelove, Alvin McKee, D. McGee, Lowery Iglehart, J. B. Livingston, E. A. Livingston, Henry Lay, John Cox, J. C. Howard, Mr. O'Neal, George Harmon, W. E. Fluornoy, W. L. Ware, and Harry Richmond.

## Clarence Scharbauer Junior Born Tuesday

The Scharbauer Cattle Company now has a new general manager. On Tuesday morning, a young son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer, and is reported to be a fine husky fellow. He has been given the name of Clarence Scharbauer Junior.

Mrs. Scharbauer and the baby are getting along nicely, and the home has been made very happy by the new arrival.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Scharbauer congratulate them warmly, and the Reporter is glad to join them.

## Born Tuesday Night

Miss Betty Irene Cato arrived Tuesday night, about 8:30, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cato. Both the daughter and the mother are getting along nicely. Besides forgetting the combination to the safe, the baby's name, and where he worked, Mr. Cato was getting along about as usual Wednesday morning, and soon returned to normal.

## Wadley Wilson Sale Began This Morning

Wadley Wilson's big July Clearance sale, which has been extensively advertised for the last two weeks, opened this morning and is now in full swing.

With the number of clerks increased considerably, Midland people are being equipped with many summer bargains.

## Midland Won Both Games From Tahoka

Midland has certainly continued the winning streak, and Tahoka went down just like the rest of them have been doing. Their baseball team came over for two games Tuesday and Wednesday, having held Big Spring to a 1 to 0 score the day before.

In the first game with Midland, the local boys had just one bat-fest after another, running up a score of 19 to 3 at the end. Bell pitched and handled the mound in fine shape. Kimbrough knocked one homer with the bases full.

On Wednesday it was not quite so "unanimous", and Midland just beat them out 9 to 8. Cobb pitched, although not quite up to his usual form. Anyway, Midland didn't let them win, and the colts continued to hit. Old Abbott was on the receiving end of the ball both games.

Much interest is already being aroused in the games with Abilene here August 1 and 2. There will be a double header on the 2nd, and that will be the time to avenge the two defeats there on that memorable Sunday.

## Snyder To Play Ball Here Sunday

Snyder's baseball team will play the Midland Colts Sunday at the Fair grounds.

It is reported that Snyder has been playing good ball, and they are expected to make stiff opposition for Midland.

Winters was scheduled to come here this week, but arranged to come at a later date as they desire to strengthen their team before going up against the Colts again.

The Midland team will start on a road trip again next week. Lamesa is on the schedule for three games, and it is reported that games will be arranged with Lubbock and Amarillo. Abilene will be here August 1 and 2, and Lamesa will play three games here some time this month.

## Highway Work Is Now Into Ector

According to one of the workmen on the state's hard surfacing job, the crew is now over the line into Ector County, although the strip just west of town and on the city street is not yet completed.

They are expected to go to laying the asphalt in town any day now, according to N. W. Ellis, who is in charge of preparing the base in the city.

## Church Of Christ

Meeting place County Court Room. Bro. George Shelburne of Stanton will preach at 11 A. M. Sunday July 12 a series of meetings will begin July 19th continuing over the following week. Elderman R. T. Harris of Abilene will do the preaching.

Bryon Voliva and Jim Whatley recently left for a vacation, and their relatives have already heard from them when they were on Pikes Peak. They expect to see some great western country before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Half, Misses Ernestine and Ray Half, and Albert Half, arrived in the car Tuesday from Mineral Wells. They came around by the oil fields south of here, and also spent a little time fishing on Spring Creek.

Mrs. Addie Parks, of Altus Oklahoma, is here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. S. M. Francis. Her daughter, Mrs. Sam Henry, is with her, also Mrs. Henry's little daughter, Helen. Mr. Henry was here the first of the week but had to return to his business in Oklahoma.

Earl J. Moran and wife, Byron Bryant and Miss Annie Myrtle Moran went to Lubbock for the Fourth of July, and attended the rodeo there. They report a nice trip and that Lubbock is still growing fast.

Lane Deupree and Clifford Hill left yesterday for Mansfield, Nebraska, where Mr. Deupree and O. P. Jones are pasturing some cattle. They went in a car and expect to be gone a week or two.

## CLUB BOYS TO HAVE CHANCE AT PRIZES

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO DONATE PRIZES TO CLUB WINNERS

Boys who have entered the various club contests under the leadership of County Agent J. B. Snider will have an opportunity to win some valuable prizes this fall, chief among them being a trip to the State Fair at Dallas.

The best prizes are offered on cotton and maize. They are being given by the Midland County Chamber of Commerce, as follows:

Best club plot of Maize—Three days trip to Dallas, Fair worth \$30.00

Second best plot of Maize—\$5.00 in gold.

Third best plot of Maize—\$2.00.

Best club plot of cotton—Three days trip to Dallas, fair worth \$30.00

Second best plot of cotton—\$5.00 in gold.

Third best plot of cotton—\$2.00.

Best Pig project—\$3.00.

2nd pig project—\$3.00.

3rd pig project—\$2.00.

Boys who have joined the clubs at the various schools are as follows:

Club Members in Midland County MIDLAND SCHOOLS

Donald Brown

Oscar Hardin

Ben Ward

J. R. Ward

Don. Gwyn

Bush Elkin

W. F. Hankla

John King Jr.

Ulys Barber

Ray Gwyn

Alvine Bodine

Earl Ray

Benn Bizzell

Ordis Walker

David Allen

Tom Barber

Barley Hubbard

Elmer Shultz

Barnes Cauble

Walter Esbes

C. C. Foster Jr.

PRAIRIE LEE.

Eldred Hobbs

Francis Flourney

Boyd Flourney

Chilton Hobbs

J. C. Bradley

R. J. Eason

COTTON FLAT

Ernest Hall

Lonzo Mills

BOONE SCHOOL

Weaner Brown

Mallie Baze

Otha McCombs

VALLEY VIEW

Burnice Ray

Floyd Hudson

STOKES

Walter Gilmore

## New Law Partnership Is Formed

Bryan and Tate is the name of the newly formed law partnership in Midland. Judge E. R. Bryan has taken with him C. W. Tate, who has been practicing law in Odessa, and they are maintaining their office in the First National Bank building where Judge Bryan has been located for a long time.

Mr. Tate comes highly recommended and the new firm will undoubtedly have great success.

## Weather Prophet Gives His Guess

The weather prophet, although still on probation, hit the mark last Saturday when he forecast a shower. It fell!

His opinion is that Friday will be fair and hotter. Saturday will be still hotter with a few thunder heads slowly gathering. On Sunday, he expects it to be cloudy with possible showers.

## W. W. Lackey's Mother Is Reported Very Ill

According to a letter from W. W. Lackey to his friends, his mother is still very ill. Mr. Lackey went to her bedside about two weeks ago, to Caldwell Texas, and has been with her since then.

It is hoped that she will soon be on the road to recovery.

## CROWDS WILL SWARM HERF ON SATURDAY

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TRADES DAY AND SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE TO DRAW PEOPLE

Parking space is going to be at a premium here tomorrow, and Midland will have the appearance of fall cotton ginning time, when all the people come in to trade.

With the big summer sales going on at several stores, and Trades day coming along with more premiums than ever, Midland will be the center of attraction for this part of the country.

Farmers have been working their crops diligently for the past few weeks, and most of them have their cotton and feed up to a fine stand, with the ground cultivated and the weeds chopped out.

Ranchmen have been busy with their summer branding, but the bulk of this is now over, and they will have more time for leisure.

Consequently, there will be a lot of people who have time to come in. People from the neighboring towns are also expected here in numbers.

## Forfeit Title To School Land

Austin, Texas, July 9.—Title to 300,000 acres of public school lands has been forfeited thus far this month with more to follow, until the total will probably reach 500,000 acres by the last week in July, all for non-payment of interest on the purchase obligation, it was announced Tuesday by Land Commissioner Robinson.

Mr. Robinson said this land is located in all parts of the State, from the Sabine to Rio Grande and from El Paso to Duval County. In some instances the price may be lowered, while in others it may be raised, Mr. Robinson said, but at whatever price fixed the former owners have been given the preference right to purchase at the Commissioner's appraisal.

Wholesale forfeitures followed the lifting of the ban by the Legislature, which has been placed on the Commissioner for a while, preventing his taking such action. The interest has not been paid because of economic conditions in the West, where most of the land is located. Mr. Robinson said the drought left no cattle; that in Culberson County where there had been 150,000 head at one time, there are now only about 5,000 head, and that scores the ranches in Brewster, Hudspeth and adjoining counties had few or no cattle on them.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Tom are here today from Stanton, shopping.

Mrs. Chas Edwards is in town from the ranch home near Monahans.

J. Eugene Cowden and family are here today from the ranch.

Some Stealing

A California woman chained her dog in the car to guard the car while she went shopping. When she returned, the dog had been stolen. She phoned the police detective and when he started out he discovered his spare wheel had been stolen. He phoned a patrolman who was off duty, and when he went to put on his clothes he found that they had been stolen. When you go to that city, keep your hand on your pocketbook.

Garrards Returned

Hon. T. T. Garrard Jr. came in Wednesday from Austin, where he has been Assistant Attorney General. He is now on his three month vacation, after which he will go to Lubbock, having formed a partnership with Judge Lockhart, famous in this section of the country as a criminal lawyer.

## Where Is The Land

An advertisement has been run in The Reporter three times, wherein a capitalist wants to buy from 10 to 50 sections of land in this vicinity. Only one answer has come in, and this land was taken off to the market before the buyers could be written. Big tracts are getting to be hard to find.

## May Oil Production Highest This Year

Austin, July 8.—In May 13,797,280 barrels of oil were produced in Texas, a new record for monthly production in 1925, the report issued Tuesday by the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad shows. In April the production was 12,416,272 barrels. March was the next high producer with more than 12,000,000 barrels.

Limestone County was the heaviest producer with 2,346,289 barrels. Freestone was second with 1,532,827 barrels and Reagan County third with 1,397,404 barrels.

The Reagan County production is from Texas University land, on which one eighth royalty is paid on production in addition to the purchase price of the leases. The royalties for May totaled more than \$600,000.

Liberty County produced 1,244,557 barrels; Wichita County, 914,551 and Navarro and Archer Counties produced more than 500,000 barrels each.

De Leon, Electra, Laredo, Luling, Pan-Texas and Ranger fields produced 1,734,543 barrels.

Some of the production in May was run in April, the report noted.

## Watson Pays Tribute To Local Advertiser

The following clipping from the Belton Journal of last week pays tribute to Addison Wadley and the success he has made with his advertising.

Our friend from Midland who visited us one day recently is a great advertiser, has built up a wonderful business for the size of town in which he labors, and he remarked to one Belton citizen: "The fellow who don't advertise reminds me of the fellow who threw kisses at his girl in the dark; he knew what he was doing, but what did she know about it?"

## Newest Town Is Named Flagg, Texas

A news story in the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News today written, by William U. Coughran, tells of the organization of the new town of Flagg, Texas in Castro County. It is on the old Flagg ranch.

Mr. Coughran is the Urban Coughran who attended school here and was associated with his brother, Anson Coughran, in the tailor business here. Urban is now Methodist pastor at Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Spires are in this week from the ranch in Andrews County. Mr. Spires is on crutches as a result of having his ankle broken when kicked by a horse.

Mrs. Kate B. Malone and Miss Elizabeth Randolph, of Plainview, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bigham. Stewart Malone, young son of Rev. Sam Malone of Abilene, is also with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cowden returned yesterday evening from Mineral Wells, where they have been for a few weeks. They made the trip in the car.

Mrs. J. M. Livingston, who is ill from an operation performed Tuesday, is reported to be better today, having had a good night last night.

B. N. Aycock has been busy branding calves this week, and it is reported that he has a good percentage of fine big calves. His range has good practically all along, and he has pastured some cattle for other ranchmen.

A. L. Duff and F. D. Mack, of Seminole, are here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Haley were here yesterday from Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hendrick are here today from Odessa, taking in the sales.

## Everybody's Store Began Sale Thursday

In accordance with their announcement last week and their circulars mailed out during the last few days, T. S. Patterson and Company started their big semi-annual clearance sale yesterday morning, and will continue it for several days.

The summer sales are bringing in many out of town people as well as giving the local people opportunities to stock up.

## TOURIST TRAVEL IS ON INCREASE

—  
CONSTANT PROCESSION OF AUTOMOBILES RUNNING ON BANKHEAD

Between 7:15 and 7:30 this morning, by actual count, there were fifteen tourist cars headed west by the court house, all of them having stopped in Midland last night.

No doubt they had been passing there for two or three hours before and there were still a lot of them that had not gone out.

If a check had been made on the cars going east that stopped here last night, there would probably have been as many.

This did not count the many cars coming in from neighboring towns, laden with people coming in to shop at the sales.

The routing of the Bankhead Highway through Midland a few years ago was one of the greatest things ever done for this country.

Little as it may seem at the time, hundreds of dollars are spent here per week by tourists, and this money is distributed through the various business houses, either directly or indirectly helping everyone.

Those few men who could foresee the development that would follow the designation of this great transcontinental highway through Midland deserve a lasting recognition from the people of Midland. One man spent his own money time after time, going to road conventions and pulling for the routing through Midland. He went before State Officials, entertained noteworthy men who came this way to inspect the route, kept in constant touch with the divisional highway engineer, and filled the place of a Chamber of Commerce when there was no such organization here.

His efforts should never be forgotten, nor should those of his fellow business men who helped to take hold of the proposition and put it over.

The State Highway Department is spending much money on this road, and is making a fine donation to the City of Midland in the laying of an asphalt surface from curb to curb on as many blocks of the highway as the city and property owners will prepare for it.

## Another Baby Girl Born This Morning

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Proctor became the proud parents of a fine baby girl this morning, the message having been phoned from Big Spring, where Mrs. Proctor was taken to a sanitarium.

Her sister, Mrs. Clarence Ligon is with her, and reports the mother and baby doing fine.

Midland is being smiled on this summer, with the arrival of so many fine babies, and these little citizens are welcome.

## First Baptist Church

Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11:00 A. M. Every member of the church is expected to be present.

Evening worship at 8:15. A place and a welcome for all. George F. Brown, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Preaching Sunday 11 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.

Sunday School 9:45. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 8:30 P. M.

You are invited to meet with us. L. U. Spellman, Pastor

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# Service

By service we do not mean simply the taking care of your Bank Account.

We offer you the help, the advice and the counsel of the Bank.

For Advice on—

Taxes and Insurance  
Legal Forms  
Wills and Trusts  
Safe Investments

—Ask any of

our officers—they are here to serve you.

**Midland National Bank**

"There Is No Substitute For Safety"

## AT NO Insurance!

Suppose this were the heading of a newspaper article referring to YOUR CAR!

After the fire, the burglary or the auto accident—words "no insurance" have a sorry sound. They are usually a frank admission of lack of foresight. Remember that regrets are unsatisfactory substitutes for sound insurance policies.

Call, write or phone this agency of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company make sure that you have complete protection.

**SPARKS & BARRON**

W. J. Sparks—E. H. Barron  
Phone 79  
Midland, Texas

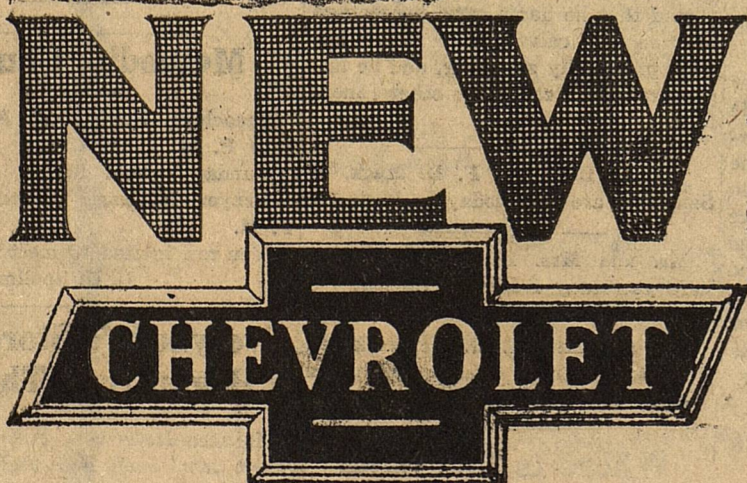
## Hall's Catarrh Medicine

will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.

Sold by druggists for over 40 years

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

New and Improved Disc Clutch That Requires No Lubrication.



Quality at Low Cost  
Western Auto Supply Co.

"Dependable Service"

## Report of Finances For State of Texas

Since assuming the office of State Treasurer, January 16, 1925, W. Gregory Hatcher has received through different sources of the States revenue nearly \$50,000,000.00.

The receipts and disbursements for the first six months of 1925 are as follows:

	Receipts
January	\$9,436,754.46
February	14,231,237.50
March	13,995,740.27
April	4,846,633.76
May	5,028,611.21
June	2,289,108.43

	Disbursements
January	\$5,126,815.75
February	9,076,635.33
March	13,307,289.35
April	5,345,851.69
May	4,814,643.03
June	3,710,112.83

Total Receipts \$49,828,085.63

Total Disbursements \$41,381,347.98

The State of Texas, on July 1, 1925 had cash on hand amounting to the sum of \$11,799,639.29 belonging to 46 different funds, the more important of which are as follows:

General Revenue fund	\$2,193,609.03
Available School fund	2,066,151.94
Permanent School fund	905,794.98
Confederate Pension fund	192,728.96
State Highway fund	4,663,698.76
Special Game fund	109,459.82
Live Stock Sanitary fund	44.72
Rural Sanitation fund	6,833.01
Sanitary Engineering fund	1,830.26
University of Texas Building fund	192,524.32
Social Hygiene Administrative fund	1,247.59
Childs Hygenic fund	18,531.20
Permanent University fund	251,584.34
Available University fund	37,006.68
Av. University fund Med. Branch	35,124.85
Escheated Estate fund	15,836.04
Endowment fund Medical Branch	1,191.87
University	1,191.87
Pure Bred Cotton Seed	660.77
Inspection fund	1,348.07
Special Malarial fund	1,348.07

Of this amount \$4,221,500.00 is deposited in 115 "State Depository" banks located in as many small towns scattered over Texas, and upon which the state receives interest at the rate of 4 per centum.

\$7,578,139.29 is deposited in 20 "Reserve Depository" banks located in the ten reserve cities of Texas. This money is subject to call and draws interest at the rate of 2 per cent annum. The interest rate is fixed by the Rate Making Board, and the difference paid by the State Depositories is due to the fact that the State Treasurer, before withdrawing from a "State Depository" must give certain notice, and can only draw a small per centage at a time, while money deposited in "Reserve Depositories" is subject to call, and is withdrawn without notice, and in any amount.

The Reserve Depositories are now located in the following cities: Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, San Antonio, Galveston, Waco, Beaumont, Wichita Falls and El Paso.

Prior to Mr. Hatcher's assuming the office of State Treasurer, the reserve funds of the State were always deposited in the city of Austin, Art. 2428 Texas Revised Civil Statutes, passed by the Legislature, several years ago, provides that the Reserve banks of the State shall be located in the "centrally located cities", and acting under this statute, Mr. Hatcher, after assuming the duties of office proceeded to distribute the funds over the state. It is pointed out that by placing the State's reserve money in the banks of the big cities of Texas the smaller banks are enabled to borrow money at a lower rate of interest, and this tends to materially reduce the interest rate, enabling the small country banks to lend to the farmers and others needing money in small amounts.

Discussing the probability of the State again going on deficiency, Mr. Hatcher predicts that there will be from four to five million dollars more in the Treasury at the beginning of the next fiscal year, September 1, than was on hand September 1, 1924, and it is his opinion that the state will not go on deficiency during the present administration.

During the month of March the State Treasury paid to the county and Independent School District over 8,000,000.00 and the school apportionment was paid about 30 days earlier than in previous years. Mr. Hatcher also announced that there had been an increase of \$1.00 in the Pension to be paid to each Confederate Veteran, since he had assumed the duties of office, and that he hoped that the State finances would so soon permit of an additional increase in the amount to be received by each confederate veteran.

## Beginning Friday Morning

### at 8 o'clock

# Wadley-Wilson Co.'s JULY CLEARANCE SALE

The Big Bargain Event of  
West Texas

Wadley—Wilson's Clearance Sale comes twice a year the end of each season—are held for a purpose and heralded far and wide as the Big Merchandise event of the year.

It's not economy to buy anything you do not need or cannot use merely because it's cheap.

On the other hand you cannot afford to overlook this opportunity to save on such Merchandise as you use every day or will need within the next six months.

Every Article in This Big Stock  
is On Sale at Bargain Prices

HERE IS OUR GUARANTEE.

If you buy anything at this store, during this sale or any other time, that is not a bargain, that you are satisfied with, BRING IT BACK. AND. GET. YOUR MONEY BACK.

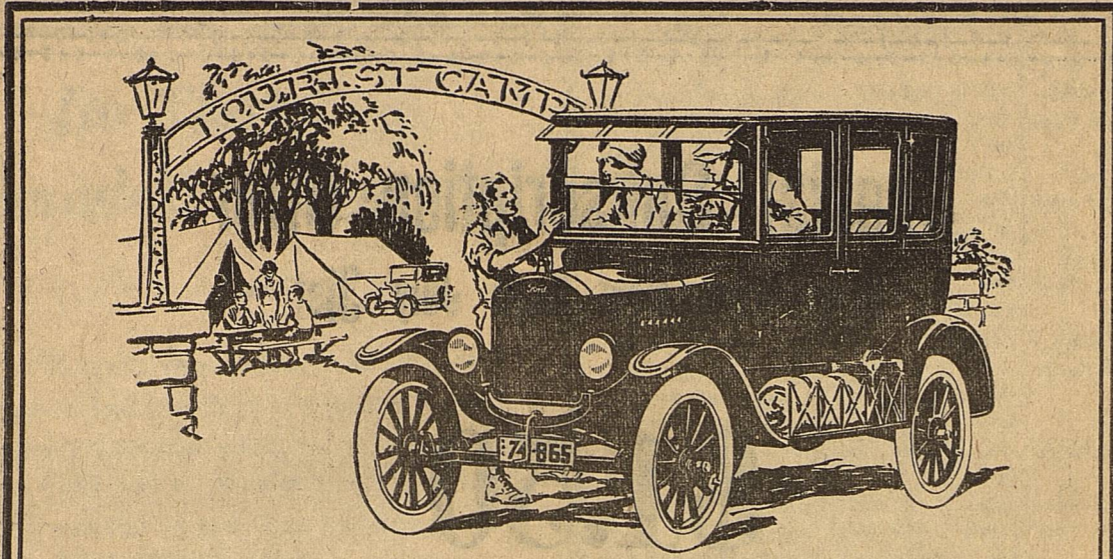
If you have not seen one of the big circulars, ask for one, phone for one, it has thousands of prices.

Our idea of advertising, is to tell you what we have for sale, what it is, how wide it is, what the color is and what the price is.

That's what this circular does. Read it. Remember the Sale lasts thru until Saturday Night July 18th.

**Wadley-Wilson Company**

One Price : : The Lowest : : For Cash Only  
MIDLAND, TEXAS



**The Tourist Camps Invite You!**

Thousands of them, hospitable and friendly, play a big part in the vacation joys of thousands of families every year.

Take advantage now of this interesting, economical way to travel! Get into your Ford and go—far away from the every-day haunts and the

working grind! All the family will enjoy the outing; everyone will be healthier, happier and better for a change of scene and life in the open.

No other car requires so small an investment as the Ford; none offers you such value for your money.



Runabout - - \$260 Coupe - - - \$520  
Touring Car - - 290 Tudor Sedan - 580

On open cars demountable rims and starter are \$85 extra. Full-size balloon tires \$25 extra. All prices f. o. b. Detroit.

SEE ANY AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER OR MAIL THIS COUPON

Fordor Sedan  
**\$660**  
F. O. B. Detroit

Please tell me how I can secure a Ford Car on easy payments:

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this coupon to **Ford Motor Company**  
Detroit N-10

**Fresh Meats**

AND  
**Good GROCERIES**

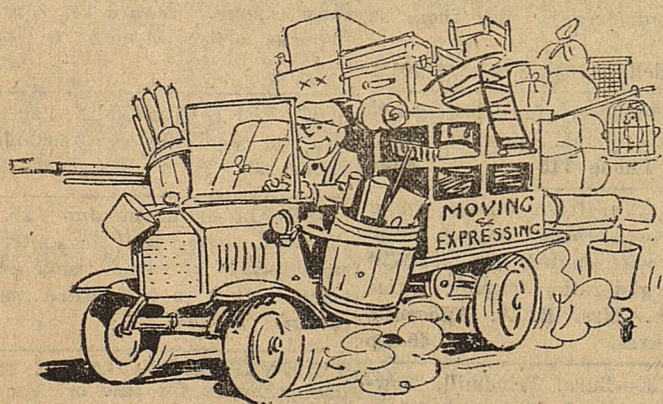
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found at

**J.A. Andrews**

Market and Grocery

The only meat market in  
Midland giving Trades Day  
Tickets.

Advertise It in The Reporter.



**IF IT'S  
MOVING OR HAULING**

PHONE 216  
**WILMOTH & ROBERTS**

Have you all the insurance you intend buying, if so, has your wife a policy? She has to die too, and you have to pay the funeral expense. When it is so cheap to put her in on an insurance contract with you, why not let my Insurance Company pay the bill? I can write a JOINT policy in Whole Life or Twenty Pay where the first one dies the survivor has the face of the policy to pay all expense. You can put your wife in on this contract from three to six dollars per one thousand (according to difference in age) over your regular rate. This is one of our best policies. See John Hix, Gen.



SEE JNO. HIX, GENERAL AGT. LAMAR LIFE INSURANCE CO.  
and let him explain it.

**What's Doing  
In West Texas**

**CASH**—For Dental Gold, Platinum, Silver, Diamonds, Magneto points, False Teeth, Jewelry, any valuables. Mail today. Cash by return mail. HOKE S. & R. CO., Otsego, Mich.

**DON'T DIE JUST YET** from RATTLE-SNAKE BITES, but order a SNAKE POISON KIT. Contains both External and Internal Antidotes, Blood Pump and Scurfier, used in all cases of VIPERUS POISONS. Complete Directions—what to do until the DOCTOR comes, or if he fails to come. No TOURING, CAMPING, FISHING or other PLEASURE TRIP safe without this SAFETY FIRST KIT. \$1.50 postpaid or \$1.00 without pump. Write today THE SULTANA CO., LOVINGTON, NEW MEXICO.

**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

**MIDLAND**—The Midland Chamber of Commerce in co-operation with local pastors here have organized a United Charity Association. This was done to protect the citizens of Midland against itinerant beggars who infest the Bankhead Highway.

**SWEETWATER**—Over 50,000 acres of cotton have been planted in Nolan County this year which makes an increase of ten per cent over last year. Indications point to the largest cotton crop in the history of this county.

**BROWNWOOD**—The first auto races ever held in Brownwood were recently when the Fair Park was formally opened by the Brown County Fair Association. Over 5,000 persons witnessed these races.

**SLATON**—A petition has been presented to the City Commission asking for bonds in the amount of \$125,000 for street paving in the business section of this city.

**AMARILLO**—At an executive meeting of the Texas Wheat Association plans were submitted for the organization to have a Finance Corporation. This corporation is to have a capital of \$10,000 which is to be used by the members of the Association.

**LUBBOCK**—Announcement has been made by the Garnett Reeves of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce that preliminary work has been started on the catalogue of the 1925 Panhandle and South Plains Fair. The premium list is much larger than ever before.

**PLAINVIEW**—A campaign has been launched here to raise \$150,000 for the building program of the Wayland Baptist College. The board of Trustees proposed to give this college \$50,000 building program.

**HEREFORD**—At a business meeting of the local Chamber of Commerce, T. D. Moss was unanimously elected secretary for the current year.

**COLORADO**—Bonds have just been voted here in the amount of \$38,000 for the purpose of constructing a new municipal building.

**PLAINVIEW**—At the request of the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Texas Railroad Commission will hold a hearing in this city on the application for the construction of three roads in the Panhandle. The date set for this hearing is July 20.

**BALLINGER**—The building committee of the Runnels County Fair Association have begun work on several new buildings, including a grandstand, stock sheds, etc. for the County Fair this fall. The dates are Oct. 13-14-15-16.

**CROWELL**—Foard County will be represented at the State Fair of Texas this fall with a large agricultural exhibit. County Agent Fred Rennels is now gathering products to make up this exhibit.

Kansas City buyer for more than \$100 per head. He received a total sum of \$6,040.77 for the steers.

**LITTLEFIELD**—At a recent meeting of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce the following officers were elected for the fiscal year; President E. A. Bills; Vice President G. W. Shaw; Treasurer J. M. Pope. The Secretary will be selected by the Board of Directors.

**RISING STAR**—The Texas Company has just purchased 100 acre lease from the W. M. Armstrong tract. This lease is situated between the Pete Hoffman Well and Kilgore No. 1.

**AMARILLO**—Plans are already under way for the Eight Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which is to be held in this city next year.

**Edmund Andrews Is  
Expert Meat Cutter**

Edmund Andrews, son of J. A. Andrews, has become one of the most expert meat cutters in the state of California.

He is located at Los Angeles, and is assistant manager of one of the largest markets there.

His ability to cut meats fast and in all of the fancy cuts won recognition for him at once, and he is now directing the work of men who have been cutting meat all their lives, while he is very little over twenty.

A short time ago a wealthy man of that city entertained a large number of friends at his country home near there. He phoned the owner of the big market and ask him to send the fastest meat cutter he had who could handle all of the fancy cuts. Edmund Andrews was sent and filled the bill satisfactorily.

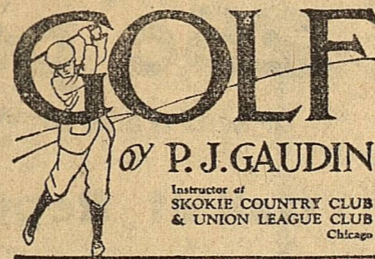
Edmund began the study of meat cutting under the direction of his father, who runs a market here, and rapidly improved his skill until he reached the position he now holds.

J. R. Arnett is moving a big herd of cattle from the Clabber Hill ranch to the Henry M. Half JM ranch down south of here.

W. F. Scarborough spent last week end in Plainview, visiting his daughter Mrs. Smith. They report the Plainview country in fine condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Driver left Tuesday for Texarkana, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Peyton.

W. E. Hankala, son of J. J. Hankala has been sick for the last few weeks, but is reported to be improving.



**11—"Off Days" in Putting.**

Now comes a point in the mechanics of putting that will cause all kinds of doubt, especially to the beginner. He will find that one day he is putting well and the very next day, apparently using exactly the same methods, he is putting poorly. That must be considered as no fault of the methods which have obtained good results the previous day, but requires some very studious practice.

It is more than probable that the trouble is caused by a change of methods not readily noticed. Begin at the beginning and get the stance you have found most effective. Keep your mental picture of every part of the swing and go through it slowly. Take your stance so that the eyes are directly over the line and try to find just what prevents the club being at right angles to the line throughout the whole swing. It may be you have transferred more of your weight to your right leg. Your right arm may not touch your right thigh and your elbows are akimbo; a position that lets the body sway. The cause may be that the left elbow is held in to the side instead of pointing out toward the hole.

If all these points are looked over carefully and finally found to be correct, there should be a very careful observation of the position of the putter during the back stroke and when it hits the ball. Have a friend watch it, if possible. The putter must be kept low on the back swing. It should barely leave the surface of the ground and should go straight back on this level as far as the wrists will permit. If the practice is indoors, there is no necessity of going back more than a few inches, it being understood that the length of the back swing is regulated to the force necessary in getting the ball up to the hole. The ball must not be hit above the middle of the back in the putt. Theoretically, the right point of contact is just below the middle. This will start the ball with direct overspin and should not start it with any loft.

If this does not locate the trouble, it may come from the eyes or bilious condition. If not, it almost certainly is the grip, the subject of another article.

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For glasses fitted correctly  
**See I N M A N**  
LICENSED OPTOMETRIST  
At the City Drug Store

Charter No. 6410 Reserve District No. 11  
**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE  
MIDLAND NATIONAL BANK**  
at Midland, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1925

**RESOURCES:**

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$201,863.77	
Acceptances of other banks discounted	125,811.43	
Total Loans		\$327,675.20
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	\$50,000.00	
Total		50,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:		
Furniture and fixtures, \$7,500.00		2,250.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		7,500.00
Legal reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		5,171.68
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		23,595.31
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12)		65,695.14
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, 13	60,509.62	851.17
Miscellaneous cash items	287.77	287.77
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Total		\$485,526.27

**LIABILITIES:**

Capital stock paid in	\$ 75,000.00	
Surplus fund	\$ 15,000.00	
Undivided profits	\$25,420.24	
Reserve for		\$25,420.24
Less current expenses paid	10,686.63	14,733.61
Circulating notes outstanding		50,000.00
Amount due to national banks		76,081.35
Cashier's checks outstanding		4,334.08
Total of items 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26	\$ 80,415.43	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		226,391.18
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or security bond		19,440.83
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32	\$245,831.96	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		4,500.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 33, 34, 35, and 36	\$4,500.00	45.27
Liabilities other than those above stated		
Total		\$485,526.27

State of Texas, County of Midland, ss:  
I, R. M. Barron, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
R. M. BARRON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1925.  
Mrs. Lucille Barron, Notary Public.

(SEAL)  
Correct Attest:  
J. V. STOKES,  
A. FASKEN,  
ROY PARKS,  
Directors.

Charter No. 4368 Reserve District No. 11  
**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE  
FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
at Midland, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1925

**RESOURCES:**

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$452,059.54	
Total loans		\$452,059.54
Overdrafts, unsecured, \$352.99		352.99
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	\$15,000.00	
Total		15,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:		
Banking House, \$28,750.00		\$12,019.64
Legal reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		28,750.00
Items with Federal reserve Bank in process of collection		40,917.19
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		1,633.94
Amount due from State banks, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, 10)		202,606.49
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12)		54,069.56
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$258,697.97	396.98
Miscellaneous cash items	63.00	63.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		750.00
Total		\$803,610.33

**LIABILITIES:**

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00	
Surplus fund	100,000.00	
Undivided profits	7,543.26	
Reserve for		7,543.26
Less current expenses paid	7,543.26	
Circulating notes outstanding		15,000.00
Amount due to national banks		20,152.48
Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in item 22 or 23)		9,988.08
Cashier's checks outstanding		8,572.00
Total of items 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26	\$38,712.56	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		378,902.71
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond		157,692.14
Other demand deposits		512.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32	\$537,106.85	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		5,247.66
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 33, 34, 35, and 36	\$5,247.66	
Total		\$803,610.33

State of Texas, County of Midland, ss:  
I, W. R. Chancellor, Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. R. CHANCELLOR, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1925.  
VESTA HARRIS, Notary Public.

(SEAL)  
Correct—Attest:  
ELLIOTT F. COWDEN,  
Jax M. COWDEN,  
M. C. ULMER,  
Directors.

## Save With Safety at Your Rexall Drug Store



MEN USE POWDER because it is cooling and refreshing after shaving, and allays the irritation caused by soap and razor.

GENTLEMEN'S TALC is especially made for men's use, it's a creamy tint that cannot be seen when used, and is only very lightly perfumed—in fact it's a man's talc—PRICE 25c

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## CITY DRUG STORE

MIDLAND, TEXAS

We Give Trades Day Tickets

### THE MIDLAND REPORTER PRINTERS AND PUBLISHERS

Official Newspaper and Advertising Medium for Midland and the Surrounding Territory

T. PAUL BARRON, Editor-Owner

Entered at the Post Office at Midland, Texas, as Second Class Matter.

SUBSCRIPTION IN ADVANCE  
ONE YEAR \$2.00 SIX MONTHS \$1.00  
Advertising Rates Upon Application.

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

#### FAILED TO MENTION IT

Several weeks ago, The Reporter had an opportunity to go into a contract with a certain mail order house the gross revenue from which would have run into something like \$500 in the course of a year.

Being strong for the encouragement of home trade and being against the idea of allowing hundreds and thousands of dollars annually to go to the mail order houses, The Reporter turned down the opportunity to land this advertising contract.

We regarded it as a matter of business and said nothing about it. Recently, we have read everything from a two line local to a page ad in our exchanges, wherein county papers have been informing their readers that they also turned down this advertising, their reasons being the same as our own.

What we need in Midland is a campaign for promoting more trading in Midland, and every merchant in Midland should use his influence to put over such a movement.

#### TIME FOR A CLEAN-UP

Unless radical changes are made immediately in the sanitary conditions in Midland, the health of the people is in serious danger.

Weeds should be cut in the alleys, on vacant lots, and around the homes; but this is not the serious part.

There are still many up ground closets, open cess pools, and similar unsanitary places in Midland that are a menace to health. The sewer system has been completed for several weeks and it is time that everyone should connect their property with it.

Until then typhoid and other serious diseases have a clear field. Such conditions will contaminate the water, mosquitoes will multiply, flies will swarm, and nothing can stop the possibility of epidemics but a general clean up.

Let Midland people do a good job

of this, just like they do of every movement that is taken hold of! The sooner the better! We have waited too long already.

DROP in at the ELITE and look for your favorite magazine or newspaper. They are there. 35-tf

#### Hereford Bull Pleases Owner

Previous publicity has been given to the campaign being conducted by County Agent J. B. Snider, with the aid of the Chamber of Commerce, wherein he is seeking to place Midland Hereford cattle in various parts of the country through the medium of his fellow agents.

A story was printed a few weeks ago about a letter coming in ordering a bull calf, to be selected by Mr. Snider. The calf was selected from the George Gray herd and was delivered to a man near Orange. The following letter from the buyer is of interest, and will undoubtedly lead to a bigger market in that section for Midland cattle.

Terry Texas, 7-7-25

Mr. J. B. Snider:-  
Midland, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I beg to advise the calf, Domino H arrived on Sunday P. M. after shipment. He came thru in fine shape, and we are well pleased with him. There is no doubt in our minds but that he is the best calf in the country, we put him with a Durham cow that had a Hereford calf about five or six weeks old, and next day sold her calf so domino H would have all the milk. We let him run in a 20 acre pasture with other calves so he would become immune to ticks. The cow claims him as her own calf and he has made a good growth, much better than we expected on account of change shipment etc. He seemed a bit droopy the past two or three days but I am sure it is caused by a few ticks that

are now on him. It is necessary to get him immune. We will put him on feed at proper time and show him at the South Texas State Fair at Beaumont, also our County Fair at Orange. He is getting all the milk he wants now as we feed the cow all the time.

We appreciate very much your kindness in selecting the calf for us, in every way he is just what we wanted. I will report on him later and keep you in mind when we buy in future.

Yours Truly,  
L. Singleton.

DON'T forget the good magazines at Elite. 35-tf

#### Adolph Hoffman Here To Organize Texas Pioneers

Mr. Adolph Hoffman, Field Secretary of the State Association of Texas Pioneers is in Midland. He wishes to organize the pioneers of Midland County and have them affiliate with the State Association.

This body of men and women represent and embody the spirit of Texas. Our ancestors who fought with Sam Houston, our forefathers who endured the dangerous trail herds to north of 36, and our Rangers who brought law and order, all who helped in placing Texas in its present enviable position, deserve to be represented in this esteemed organization. According to the Romans—"To the victor goes the spoils." To this group of illustrious people the highest praise and commendation is insufficient.

#### Stanton Barbecue Has Been Cancelled

The barbecue which was to have been held at Stanton on July 16 has been called off, according to a communication from there yesterday.

It has been advertised over the country, and readers of the Reporter are asked to note the change.

Advertise It in The Reporter.

## Special Subscription Offer

Open from Now Until July 31st

# \$1.50

Will Send You, for Seven Full Months,

## The Midland Reporter and The Semi-Weekly Farm News

Regular Price of The Midland Reporter - \$2.00 per year  
Regular Price Semi-Weekly Farm News - \$1.00 per year

Send Your Subscription and Check at Once to  
The Midland Reporter

#### CLASSIFIED ADS

FRUIT TREES—Nursery stock of all kinds, suitable to this section. I represent the Ramsey Nursery, of Austin. Let me take your order now for fall delivery.—V. C. Ray, Midland, Texas. 42-tf

COTTON SEED  
I hope those that wish cotton seed will inspect those at Andrews Market. They will produce equal to seed selling for \$3.00 per bushel. \$1.50 per bushel will get these while they last. These seed are extra good Upland long staple Mebane. 30-tf

SIX ROOM BUNGALOW FOR SALE, fresh painted; furnished or unfurnished. Some cash, balance easy. Phone 161 or Box 145. 30-tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain, second hand Soda Fountain. Part cash, balance on easy terms. City Drug Store, Midland, Texas. 33-tf

LADY AGENTS to sell LISTER'S SPECIAL COMPLEXION CREAM, a highly satisfactory Requisite, yielding BIG PROFITS. Retail-50 cents THE SULTANA CO. LOVINGTON NEW MEXICO. 38-4p

FOR SALE: Fresh pure bred Jersey milk cow. I have just received a real load of Jerseys. See them at my place. John Waddell. 401-tf

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished apartment; kitchen sink, private bath, garage. Phone 115 40-tf

FOR SALE: Fifteen young single comb White Leghorn roosters, from Tom Barron's English strain. Will furnish registration papers. Price \$5.00 each. Mrs. R. A. Anderson, Odessa, Texas. 40-4tp

FOR SALE—Barn, Windmill, Tower and Tank. C. Holzgraf 1t-p

ROOMS and board for several working men, garage if desired. Phone No. 37 40-2t

FOR SALE—150 Breed to Lay White Leghorn hens, one and two year, at \$1.00 each.—200—8 to 12 weeks old pullets from same stock at \$1.00 each. I also have a few choice 10 weeks old cockerels at \$2.00 each. These are bargains and will not last long. Address: Fred Powell Westbrook, Texas 41-2t

Come to BOONE BROS. Healthatorium, Christoval, Texas, (20 miles south of San Angelo) Famous Christoval mineral baths, followed with scientific adjustments and massage treatments. Ideal climate, swimming, boating, fishing. Open the year round. 41-tf

WANTED TO PASTURE—300 to 500 head of cattle, 75c per head. Cody Bell Rankin, Texas 41-2t-p

LOST—One \$10.00 bill and one \$1.00 bill. Reward offered for return to Reporter office 41-1t

LOST—Brown Leather Bill Fold. Contained \$10.00 bill, \$5.00 bill and some change. Reward for return to Reporter office or to A. D. Newby. 41-1t-p

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment also bed room. Price reasonable Phone 195 41-1tp

LOST—On or about June 25, Bar Pin with oblong ruby in center, has small pearl on each end. Finder please return to this office and get reward 41-1t

TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE: Royals and Coronas for sale or for rent. Elite Confectionery. 32-tf

## OLD NEWSPAPERS

For Sale

# 25c per 100

or will trade for clean cotton rags

Call at Reporter Office

#### Army Society Wed- ding Of Interest

An interesting service wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rice Short on Scott street recently, when Mrs. Short's sister, Miss Anita Birney, became the bride of Fitzhugh Lee Rhea, ensign United States Navy. The bride is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Orel Goldaracena, former council of Uruguay. She is an attractive girl and a graduate of the Dominican College at San Rafael.

Rhea is a member of an old Virginia family. He is the son of Colonel and Mrs. J. C. Rhea, United States Army, and a grandson of General Fitzhugh Lee, a Governor of Virginia and Governor General of Cuba during the Spanish American war. Rhea is attached to the U. S. S. West Virginia.

Mrs. Short was her sister's matron of honor. The other bridal attendants were Mrs. John Donald Campbell and Miss Wilhelmina Wilson. John Donald Campbell was best man. Little Miss Betty Bell and Nancy Elyse Short were flower girls at the wedding.

Ensign and Mrs. Rhea will be at Coronado for the next few months. —San Francisco Chronicle

Ensign Rhea is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rhea, of Midland, and the wedding is of interest to their many friends here.

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Wenner Wood, who played third base on Baylor University's baseball team this spring, is now in Midland working out with the colts. He played the last two games and made a very creditable showing, batting 1000 so far.

#### F. H. Soult Giving Trades Day Tickets

F. H. Soult, who recently bought the Neblett drug store, is now one of the merchants giving Trades Day Tickets, as will be seen in his advertisement this week.

The number of out of town customers calling for tickets has increased considerably, according to several of the merchants.

#### Contest Is On Between Classes

The T. E. L. class of the Baptist Sunday School challenged the Baraca class for a contest during the month of July, on the six point record. This includes attendance, being on time, studying the lesson, bringing bible, bringing contribution, and staying for church.

The Baracas accepted this challenge and the record for last Sunday began the contest.

Both sides are working to build up their attendance and to perfect the six point record of the class.

#### Furniture Sale Opened This A. M.

With price reductions on furniture and rugs, the Midland Hardware Company is opening a summer sale today, their advertisement in this issue giving the details of it.

Midland merchants state that they expect to stock up more heavily this fall, as it looks like business is going to be much better than usual, and they are making way for new goods. This gives their customers a chance to lay in a supply of household necessities at lower prices.

Advertise It in The Reporter.

## Getting Along Safely

The sure way to get along in this world is to save some money ALL the time. It isn't necessary to make large deposits, as small and frequent additions to your bank balance grow amazingly fast.

The safe way is to deposit this money in this bank.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
MIDLAND, TEXAS

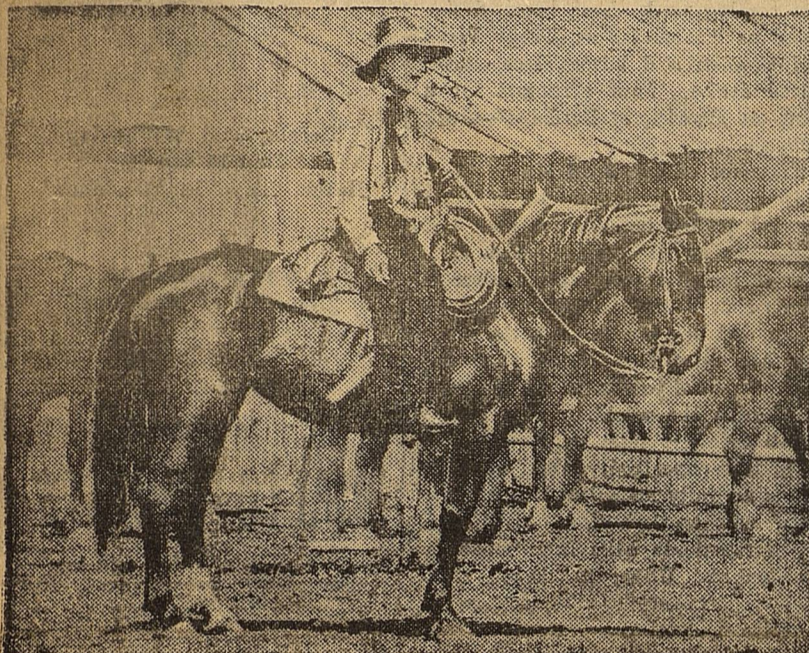
## Do That Remodeling Now

A New Porch will make your Home more attractive. There is comfort and health in a sleeping porch. A coat of Sherwin-Williams paint on the Roof and Walls will do wonders. Right now, this summer is the time to have the old home worked over. Bring us your building problems we will be glad to help.

**ROCKWELL BROS. & CO.**

Building Materials  
PHONE 48

## SECRETARY LIKES THE RODEO



In the West he's "Bill." But in official Washington he's William Marlon Jardine, secretary of agriculture, a member of President Coolidge's official "family." Secretary Jardine has been invited to attend the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, to be held for nine days, beginning August 15. Those who know him say that he will be on hand for this greatest of all cowboy contests, as Secretary Jardine has not lost the spirit of the West where, years ago, he rode the range and punched cattle with the best of them.

Back in Idaho they like to tell how the secretary of agriculture busted bronchos and threw a rope. They're proud of their "Bill" and they're willing to wager that he could ride into the arena at the Chicago Rodeo and make some of the expert cowhands hustle for honors. The competitions will be held under the direction of Tex Austin for the world's championship titles, belts and trophies and \$30,000, the largest cash purses paid anywhere.

## Writers Conference

The Fourth Annual Session of the Texas Agricultural Writer's Conference will be held at College Station during the farmers short course July 27-August 1. The session will be held in the Conference Room of the Extension Building every afternoon of the Short Course week. The forenoons are left open to enable the Press people to attend the several meetings of the Short Course proper. The writers and school Superintendents will dine together as here-to-fore and social entertainment, will be provided at the noon and evening meals under the direction of Mrs. M. R. Bentley of Bryan, and Miss Violet Short of College Station. The program will allow liberal time to each number to give opportunity for all who attend to take part in the discussions.

## Attended Christoval Baptist Encampment

Rev. George F. Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Vickers drove to Christoval Monday, and attended the Baptist encampment there. This is growing into one of the biggest annual encampments in the state.

They returned Wednesday night and report a fine trip.

ST. LOUIS Post Dispatch, New York Times, Star Telegram, El Paso Herald, Midland Reporter, and good magazines at the Elite. 35-1f

## DANCING

MONDAY NIGHT  
JULY 13  
At Brown Hall

Music by  
Bob Miller's Orchestra

With "Six Wheels and No Breaks"

Everybody Invited

Theo Ray went to El Paso last week end.

Holt Jowell was in this week from the ranch.

John M. Gist was here Tuesday from Odessa.

Max Agress, of Dallas, is here this week on business.

Chas. Tom, of Stanton, was here yesterday on business.

J. M. Speed made a business trip to Barstow Wednesday.

R. C. Harlan was a business visitor from Rankin yesterday.

Frank Wolcott was in from the ranch the first of the week.

Frank Boyd was in Wednesday from his ranch near Stiles.

Dick Houston was a business visitor from Stanton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kelton were in from the NA ranch Tuesday.

M. C. Ulmer made a business trip to Odessa yesterday morning.

J. B. Snider went to El Paso for the Fourth of July celebration.

N. E. Lawrence went to El Paso Friday, returning Monday morning.

J. Homer Epley and Geo. D. McCormick went to Abilene last Saturday and Sunday.

S. W. Estes was in town on business the first of the week, from his ranch west.

Mrs. Lee Bell arrived last week from El Paso, and is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bates and their young daughter were here today from Odessa.

Myrl Jowell took in the rodeo on the Fourth and as usual annexed his share of the prize money.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Lamar and their young daughter were here yesterday, from Big Spring.

Mrs. Paul Slaton and Miss Dorothy Halley were among the early arrivals here today to patronize the sales.

Mrs. Lee Heard went to Abilene last week and her daughter, Miss Lela Mary returned with her for a few days.

Mrs. Barbara Patterson, mother of T. S. Patterson, came in Wednesday from Fort Worth for a visit. She is 88 years old and has lived in Texas 84 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dublin are here this week visiting relatives. They have been in Artesia recently, and Dick reports the new oil field growing rapidly.

A. A. Price and family went to Scurry County on July 4th, and Mrs. Price with one of the boys stayed for a visit. Mr. Price and the other boys returned Sunday.

Herman Klapproth, who since his vacation from State University last month has been in Lubbock, returned to Midland yesterday and is visiting his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cummins and Ed Cole and family are in today from the ranch. They report their cattle getting along well, although a little rain would be welcome.

Ab Cooksey, who has been in Lubbock for two or three weeks, returned the first of this week. He came by Big Spring and won some of the Fourth of July rodeo money.

Henry Rodes and family were here today from Odessa.

Cal Smith was a business visitor from Odessa yesterday.

Mrs. M. C. Ulmer will go to El Paso Sunday with Mrs. Lee Bell and Miss Eula Lee Bell.

G. H. Cowden returned the first of this week from San Antonio, where he has been for the last few weeks.

"Dr. Jack" Postpones Showing in Midland

In the Rialto's Theater's ad this week, it is stated that Harold Lloyd will be shown Tuesday and Wednesday nights in "Dr. Jack."

Last minute notice has been received that the film co-operation could not get it to Midland until July 28. It is said to be great.

# Stock Clearing Sale Of Furniture and Rugs

BEGINNING FRIDAY JULY 10th—AND ALL NEXT WEEK

FOR QUICK SALE AND CASH ONLY  
Here are a few of the Bargains We Offer

### FOR THE BED ROOM

4 Pc Suite Bow End Bed and vanity Dresser, in either ivory or Walnut, regular \$127.50 Cut to \$98.00  
4 Pc "Showers" Twotone Walnut Suit regular \$187.50 Cut to \$140.00  
4 Pc Two-tone French Grey Suit Hand Decorated regular \$200.00 Cut to \$160.00  
Odd Dressers can be had at Greatly Reduced Prices

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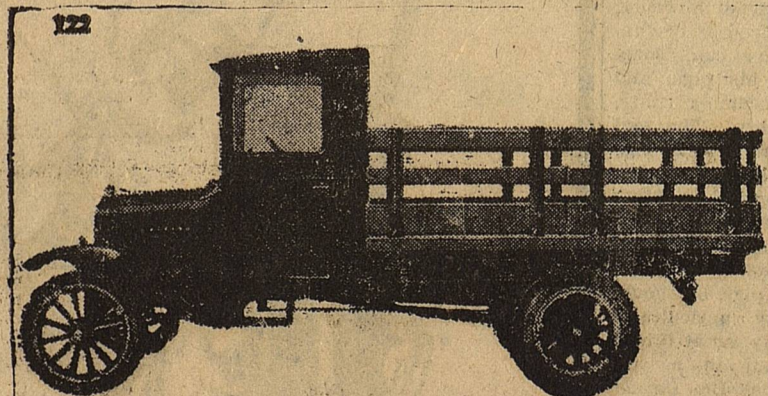
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#### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	123,204.00	
Total Loans		\$123,204.00
Overdrafts, unsecured, \$250.64		\$250.64
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	\$35,000.00	
Total		35,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:		1,850.00
Banking House, \$6,500.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$2,250.00;		8,750.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		1.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		12,037.13
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		51,233.08
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, 13	\$51,233.08	
Miscellaneous cash items		\$1.68
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,750.00
Other assets, if any		2,434.00
Total		\$236,541.53

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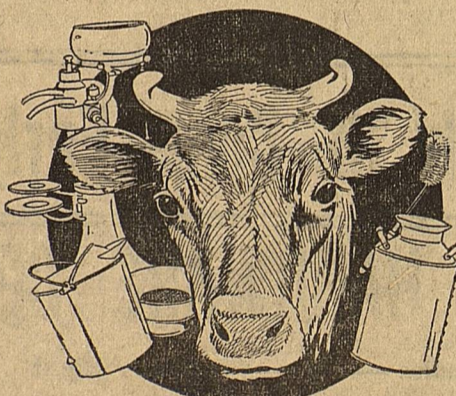
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00	
Surplus fund		11,000.00
Undivided profits \$3,210.77		
Less current expense paid	3,210.77	3,210.77
Circulating notes outstanding		35,000.00
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check	134,830.76	
Dividends unpaid		2,500.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32	\$137,330.76	
Total		\$236,541.53

State of Texas, County of Ector, ss:

I, Henry Pegues, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
HENRY PEGUES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1925.  
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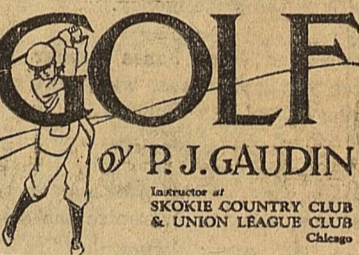
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#### 12—Grip for Putting Stroke.

This is offered as a suggestion in case the golfer cannot find a dependable putting stroke; if he uniformly is a poor putter, or if he has off days without apparent reason. Also, it is offered as a good method if one finds that he can putt accurately at the shorter distances, but that he cannot make the ball keep the line on a 50-foot putt.

The outward change is to overlap the little finger of the right hand with the first finger of the left. It completely changes the feeling of the putt, making it naturally right-handed instead of left-handed. It is no experiment, Walter Hagen uses it almost constantly, and so does Abe Mitchell. Try this grip and test it by swinging the club back and forth, slowly, along the line. It may be there will be an immediate improvement in the ease with which the club-face is kept at right angles to the line. If so, try hitting the ball into the hole, or into the disc if you are practicing indoors. Keep on with the practice and note carefully which hand is doing the work. You are fortunate if you find the left hand is taking the club back, and the right hand is doing the job of keeping the club at right angles to the line on the forward swing. There is no necessity of changing, however, if the right hand is doing it all. If so, it will be necessary to grow accustomed to controlling the club entirely with the right hand, the left hand being almost negligible.

Try this, however: Make the swing two-handed by taking the club back with the left hand and then transferring the work to the right at the end of the back swing. It isn't hard to do unless you think it is. As a matter of fact, it is the natural thing to do. If you succeed in getting the "feel" of the club with this grip, you have added something of real value to your golfing skill. There is no harm using the grip all the time. That is the better plan if you can make the grip automatic. In any event, try it on the long putts which require a brisk hit to get up to the hole. If you succeed, it is entirely possible you will never use any other grip on the long ones, no matter what grip you prefer on the "wag" ones.

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#### Care for Sow and Litter

The sow and litter can be left in the small pen until the pigs are five to eight days old, after which both sow and pigs should get a little exercise. Care must be taken not to feed the sow too heavily on rich feed or she will produce so much milk that the pigs will very quickly become too fat and some will be lost simply because they get too fat. Once a litter of pigs has reached two weeks of age losses should be very small.

### Dubbing Used to Avoid Injury to Hen's Comb

Dubbing to prevent freezing and suffering due to frozen combs has been practiced very successfully in the Purdue university poultry flocks. Freezing results in much suffering of the birds and consequently loss in fertility of eggs and hatching results. Dubbing is not new but a remedy breeders of fighting birds have always practiced to prevent injuring of combs and to conserve vigor of the males.

The operation is extremely simple and a sharp razor is used first to cut off the wattles and later to remove the comb starting at the front end. The wattles are cut quite close and the comb reasonably close to the head. The blood will flow freely but if a body fluff feather is held over cut part of the comb coagulation will soon take place and the bleeding cease. Seldom do the birds suffer from the operation and free bleeding should cause no worry. A treated bird should not be placed in an extremely cold room until the wound has healed nor should they be placed together.

It is well not to practice the operation until after the birds have been selected for the breeding pen in order to permit normal appearance of the head to be a guide in making selections.

### Hen's Drinking Water

Preparations advertised as being effective in ridding hens of lice simply by placing the preparation in the drinking water or in the feed are not generally to be recommended for this purpose. Such material in the drinking water will cause the hens to drink only a limited amount of water and, as a consequence, egg production will be reduced, advises J. H. McAdams, extension poultryman, Kansas State Agricultural college.

The sure method for killing lice at this time of year is to dust the hens thoroughly with sodium fluoride, using the pinch method. Or blue ointment may be used, mixed half and half with vaseline and applying a circle of the ointment around the vent, says McAdams.

### Use Well-Shaped Eggs

In selecting eggs to place in an incubator only average-sized well-shaped eggs should be used, as extremely large or small eggs, or eggs that do not conform to normal shape, will hatch a low percentage of chicks of irregular size. Do not delay the starting of the incubator for the first hatching beyond April 1, as the possibilities for profit are much greater with early-hatched chicks than with later ones. The early pullets are the ones that will be fat and winter layers.

### For Setting a Hen

For a sitting hen choose one of medium weight such as are found in the American or English breeds. Make the nest at least six inches deep and sixteen inches square. For a nesting material choose something like oat straw, wheat straw, or hay. Make the nest so that the eggs will roll apart readily when the hen steps upon them, but not so flat but that they will roll together of their own accord when the hen leaves the nest. Choose a cool place, set from 11 to 15 eggs.

Guinea will remain closer to the farm buildings if only one male bird is kept for every three or four females.

### There Are Two Types of Runty Pigs, Says Peters

W. H. Peters, head of the division of animal husbandry at the Minnesota experiment station, University Farm, St. Paul, says there are two types of runty pigs—one the pig that is born small and weak, of which there are from one to three in a litter, and the other the pig that has become runty after getting a good start from its mother.

The problem as to what to do with the runt of the first kind is not difficult. If the litter is small, such a runt will probably do fairly well and make nearly as good a pig as the rest. If the litter is large, it will probably be starved out, or it may be destroyed on the ground that it will not pay to attempt to raise it "by hand."

Runts of the other type, however, are more serious. Their presence indicates that the owner has made some mistake in caring for his pigs, and instead of one pig's becoming runty, all are likely to be runty. The real cause for the presence of such pigs is likely to be either lack of proper care and feed or else lack of attention to sanitation and health.

Mr. Peters believes that if the farmer is not able to determine the cause of lack of thrift among pigs, he should appeal to his county agricultural agent, and, if the county agent thinks it advisable, should call in a veterinarian. He says that the farmer cannot afford to ignore unthriftiness among his pigs, as it removes any chance of profit. A normal healthy pig should weigh about 200 pounds when 200 days old.

### Healthy Hogs Best

"The three first principles for healthy hogs are segregation, sanitation and vaccination," said L. E. Drury, a farmer of Morgan county, Ill., who markets about 1,000 head yearly. Cleanliness, sunlight, and plenty of commercial disinfectant he cited as necessities in sanitation. He regards it of importance to have the farm fenced in small well-watered fields with portable hog houses, and also to keep the herd assorted according to size.

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"Measure of A Man"

Saturday July 11,  
"Thundering Hoofs"

Monday, July 13,  
Ponjola"

Tuesday and Wednesday  
July 14 and 15  
Harold Lloyd In "Dr. Jack"

Thursday, July 16,  
"Ruggles of Red Gap"

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### Letter of Thanks

I desire to thank those who have made it possible for me to go on the summer trip furnished by the Lomar Life Insurance Company, to Trout Lake Wisconsin.

The Company is giving this trip to its agents who have written a certain amount of business. They will combine with the outing a school of life insurance salesmanship, and I hope to be better fitted to serve the community and my patrons.

I especially appreciate the fact that you have helped me write enough business to take my wife and daughter.

Sincerely,  
John Hix

O. P. Jones came in the first of this week.

### MOTHERS

Watch for symptoms of worms in your children. These parasites are the great destroyers of child life. If you have reason to think your child has worms, act quickly. Give the little one a dose or two of White's Cream Vermifuge. Worms cannot exist where this time-tried and successful remedy is used. It drives out the worms and restores the rosy hue of health to baby cheeks. Price 25c. Sold by H. J. Neblett Drug Co.

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### Taking Summer Trip

Mrs. John Hix and Miss Annie Laurie Hix left Tuesday for Commerce and Dallas. They will be joined in Dallas in a few days by Mr. Hix and will go to St. Louis, Louisville, Chicago, Trout Lake, Wisconsin, and will come back by New Orleans.

Mr. Hix has written enough life insurance to get the trip for himself and his family to Trout Lake, and they are making several other stops, expecting to be gone two or three weeks.

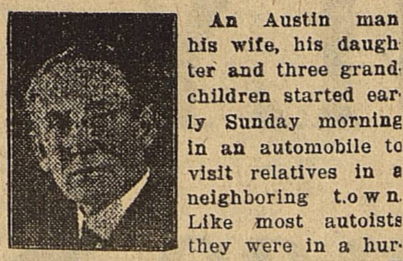
This is the second trip Mr. Hix has won from his company this year, having gone to Jackson, Mississippi, in the winter.

Judge Higgins, of El Paso, was in Midland last Friday. He went on to Big Spring for the Fourth of July celebration.

## THE PASSING DAY

**WILL M. MAYES**  
Department of Journalism  
University of Texas

### Careless Auto Driving.



An Austin man his wife, his daughter and three grandchildren started early Sunday morning in an automobile to visit relatives in a neighboring town. Like most autoists they were in a hurry, and though their car was small and light, they rushed past others on the road. Suddenly there was a blow out, the light car swerved and pitched headlong over a bridge. The wife and daughter are dead, the driver and two grandchildren are in an Austin hospital, and relatives are mourning because of the hurry of the party to get to the end of their journey, for which, after all, there need not have been any haste. The Sunday night before, near Austin, a party of five young people attempted to pass another car with their car, turning their car over and killing one of their party. These are not unusual stories—such things are almost constantly happening somewhere—and they are given only to add the statement that all this rush to get somewhere is sheer madness.

### Why So Much Speed?

In both the cases mentioned, and in nearly every other case, the parties need not have been in a hurry. In one they were going for an all-day trip and had the whole day for a short trip, in the other they were near home after an outing, with no need to hurry. Just because an automobile can be made to go fifty miles an hour, it does not follow that its utmost speed must be developed on a drive. There is really little pleasure in a drive at a speed exceeding twenty miles an hour, for when going more rapidly most of the beauty of the scenery is lost. Most of us waste time every day—much of it—and seldom think of hurrying until we start some where, when we suddenly become almost crazy to annihilate distance. Something drastic is going to have to be done to compel people to use common sense in driving.

### Celebrating July Fourth.

But for the World War, interest in celebrating the fourth of July as a national holiday would almost have ceased before now. In fact before that war it had become difficult to get crowds together for such a celebration. The Revolutionary War is too far in the past to arouse much enthusiasm even from the most patriotic citizens. Only the political orators seemed to care a great deal for the day and their oratory did not enthrall the masses. While July 4 has no direct or immediate connection with the World War, it seems a good time to celebrate and to renew the spirit of defense that is a bit hard to keep alive, even with the world's greatest conflict only a few years behind. July 4 has come to be known as Defense Day, a day in which we as a people get together to keep reminded that we need to be ready to defend our country so long as other countries are prepared to attack us. Some of us are hoping that we may live to see the day recognized as Peace Day throughout the whole world.

### Auto Bus Transportation.

There is such a decided increase in auto bus transportation that a demand is being created for union bus stations at connecting points and in many places such stations are being operated. Some modern hotels are providing for direct passage of auto buses into the hotel buildings in order that passengers may alight near the hotel office. Bus lines are becoming financially responsible and some are carrying or contemplating accident insurance for their passengers. Railroads are coming to recognize the inroads upon their business and some are paralleling their short distance lines with bus transportation. It is stated that a passenger can go from Brownsville, Tex., to Denver, Colorado, by bus in about the same time as by rail and at about the same cost and can sleep in a hotel every night while en route. Whether that can be done now or not, it will soon be done, and the railroads are going to have to meet this new and powerful competition.

### The Pullman Car Surcharge.

Railroads are putting on summer excursion rates to many points that make one think of the old times when it did not take a fortune to get anywhere if only he watched for a chance to get special rates. But about the time that he thinks he can afford to travel he finds that the sleeper fare is all out of proportion to the railroad rate, and that he must still pay the old war-time emergency surcharge on a sleeper ticket. The railroad commission or whatever body has authority to regulate railroad traffic owes it to the public to see that at least the Pullman car surcharge is removed, for it is an oppressive burden on the traveling public. To the traveler the Pullman fare seems high enough without a five per cent additional tax.

### The Comforts of Home.

Yours must be a very uncomfortable place, if it hasn't far more comforts than most of the resorts one finds when out on vacation. The greatest advantage from a summer vacation is that it brings a person to at least a temporary appreciation of the ordinary comforts of home, however humble it may be.

### Caddies Get the Edge

The caddy has the edge. One day get the best exercise out of golf. *Dallas Herald.*

### Moving to Robstown

Messrs Purcell and Lange have acquired the ownership of a garage there, having returned the first of this week from a trip of prospecting. They shipped their household goods and other effects Tuesday, leaving Wednesday in the car.

Midland people greatly regret to lose these valuable citizens. The Purcells are among the pioneers of the Midland country and have a host of friends. Mr. Lange, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Prucell, has been in the garage and battery business here for several years and recently sold his business to W. F. Roberts. The Reporter wishes them the greatest of success and happiness in their new home.

### Book-Keepers Change At Cowden-Ulmer

C. F. Malone, who has been keeping the books for Cowden and Ulmer, local Ford dealers, for several months has accepted a position with the Ford Garage at O'Donnell. The Ford business there is operated by Ben Cowden and C. I. Kuykendall, both former Midland men. A. G. McDaniel has come here from Hearne and is assuming the duties of book-keeper for Cowden and Ulmer. Mr. Malone's new position will begin on August 1, but he will probably go there a short time before.

W. H. Cowden arrived the first of the week from San Antonio to visit his sons here and to meet with his old friends.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

State of Texas: County of Midland. Whereas by virtue of an order of Sale, issued out of the District Court Hunt County, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 19 day of May 1925 in favor of W. F. Cornelius and against C. C. Bryant and Chas. H. Baxter, No. 14783 on the docket of said court, and to me as sheriff directed and delivered, I did on the 29th day of June 1925 levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land, situated in Midland County, Texas, and belonging to the said C. C. Bryant and Chas. H. Baxter:

A certain section of land situated in Midland County, Texas, containing 640 acres of land about 10 miles South 42 deg. east from the town of Midland known as Texas and Pacific Railway Company Survey No. 3 township 3 south block 38 containing 640 acres of land more or less, it being the same tract of land surveyed by virtue of land grant certificate 3035 issued to the Texas and Pacific Railway Company by Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas May 25th, 1878 and patented to Texas and Pacific Railway Company on the 2nd day of February, 1884 by patent number 589 volume 68, said patent record in volume 6 page 150 deed Records of Midland County, Texas.

And on the 4th day of August 1925 being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day at the Court House door of said County, in the city of Midland, I will offer for sale, and sell at a public auction, to the highest bidder therefor, for cash, all the estate, right title and interest of the said C. C. Bryant and Chas. H. Baxter in and to said property, above described, which was levied on to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$8085.60, with interest and cost of suit in favor of said W. F. Cornelius.

Given under my hand this the First day of July 1925.  
A. C. Francis  
Sheriff Midland County, Texas

### Citation on Application for Letters of Guardianship THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County, Greeting. You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Midland County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the welfare of Al Laura Brookman, a minor, J. F. Brookman, has filed in the County Court of Midland County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the person and Estate of said minor which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the 2nd Monday in July, A. D. 1925, the same being the 13th day of July, A. D. 1925, at the Court House thereof, in Midland, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minor, may appear and contest said application if they see proper to do so.

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. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Midland, Texas, this 19th day of June, A. D. 1925.

C. B. Dumanag, Clerk  
County Court Midland, County, Texas.

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### So Weak Couldn't Stand

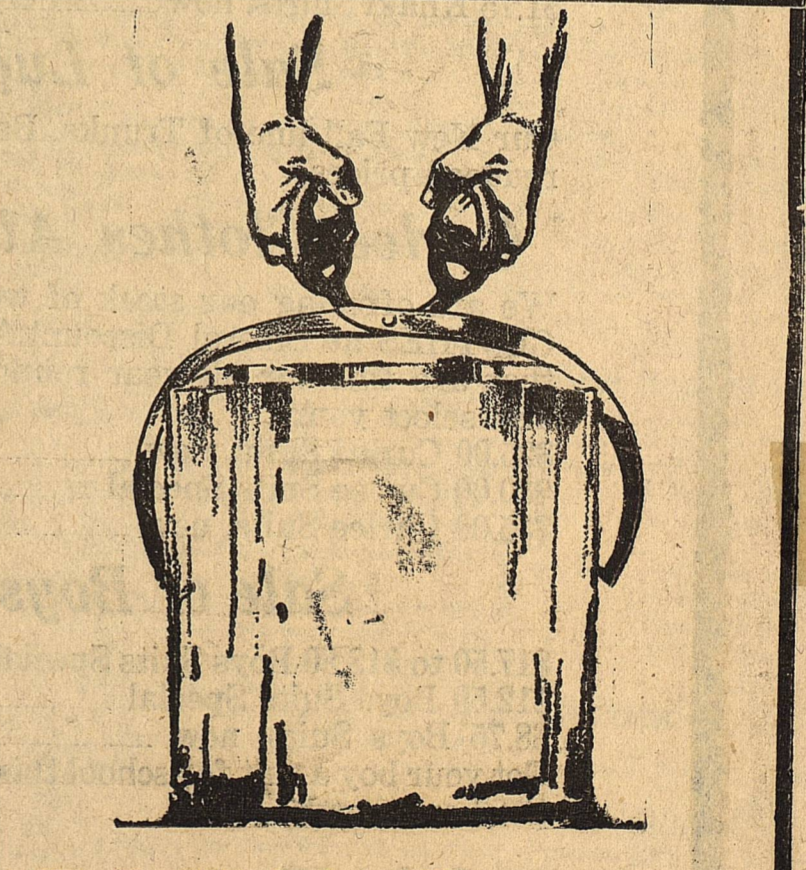
"My wife's health broke down and for years she was just a physical wreck," says Mr. Thomas Glynn, of Gibson, La. "We did everything we knew, yet she seemed to get worse and worse. She was so weak till she couldn't stand, and had to be carried like a baby. It looked like nothing would save her that had been done."

## CARDUI

For Female Troubles

"I began looking around. I knew that Cardui was for women. I decided to try it for her as all else had failed. She couldn't eat, she couldn't sleep, and I was desperate. After taking a few doses of Cardui, we were so glad to note that she wanted something to eat, and with each bit of nourishment, and each day's doses of Cardui, she grew stronger and got up out of bed. She is now able to cook, and stronger than in a long time." Cardui has been in successful use for nearly 50 years in the treatment of many common female troubles.

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# Everybody's JULY Clearance Sale

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WITH THE OPENING OF OUR 1925 JULY CLEARANCE SALE, You will find the most drastic reductions that we have ever offered. We are determined to sell all Spring and Summer Merchandise to make way for our FALL STOCK. To Do so we are selling every article in the Store at UNHEARD OF PRICES.

## July Clearance-Mens Furnishing

1 Lot Mens Dress Shirts worth \$1.50 to \$2.00 now ...\$1.10

1 Lot Mens Dress Shirts worth \$2.50 to \$2.75 now .. \$1.49

Stock up on SHIRTS. These are Real Values

## Special Prices on all Hats

### Underwear-Mens Hosiery

Quick close out prices on all mens furnishings offer every man in this section a chance to obtain good year round merchandise at very low prices.

Anticipate Your Needs For Months to Come

## July Clearance of Mens Work Clothing

Every Article in the house reduced for this sale even to Staple Work Clothing.

### Sale Of Work Pants

\$1.50 Work Pants, now .....	\$1.10
\$2.00 Work Pants, now .....	\$1.45
\$2.50 Work Pants, now .....	\$1.85
\$3.00 Work Pants, now .....	\$2.20

### Sale of Work Shirts

\$1.00 Blue and Grey Shirts, now .....	79c
\$1.25 Blue and Grey Work Shirts, now .....	95c
\$1.75 Khaki Shirts, now .....	\$1.25

### Sale of Luggage

Our New Fall line of Trunks, Bags, and Suit Cases at reduced prices.

### Curlee Clothes At Sale Prices

We are offering our stock of well known CURLEE CLOTHES at Liberal Discount. Among these are suits that are fine for all year round use. Come in early and select yours.

\$25.00 Curlee Suits, now .....	\$19.75
\$30.00 Curlee Suits Special .....	\$24.75
\$35.00 Curlee Suits, now .....	\$26.75

### Sale of Boys Suits

\$17.50 to \$18.50 Boys Suits Special .....	\$12.75
\$12.50 Boys Suits Special .....	\$9.75
\$8.75 Boys Suits, now .....	\$6.75

Get your boy a suit for school this fall at a fraction what they are worth.

### July Clearance of Mens Shoes

Regular \$5.00 mens Shoes and Oxfords special .....	\$3.95
Regular \$6.00 mens Shoes and Oxfords special .....	\$4.45
Regular \$7.50 mens shoes and Oxfords, now .....	\$4.95

Bion F. Reynold Shoes and Oxfords reduced accordingly

\$10.00 Bion F. Reynolds special .....	\$7.95
\$12.00 Bion F. Reynolds special .....	\$9.85

1 Lot of Bion F. Reynolds Fine Shoes worth up to \$12.00 only a few pairs to a style, now .....

## July Clearance Sale of Our Piece Goods Section

We are offering absolute clearance prices on every piece of dress goods, linens and etc. in our house, and it will pay you to buy everything you will need for months to come. Everything new, clean, fresh merchandise from this season.

32" wide tub silk, regular \$2.25 the yard special .....	\$1.59
36" Linens worth 89c up to \$1.50 per yard, now .....	65c
36" Novelty Ratines and voile ratine \$1.00 to \$1.50 now .....	69c

40" white and pastel voiles regular 50c now for .....	39c
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### NOVELTY AND PLAIN WOOLENS AT JULY CLEARANCE PRICES

54" Plain and Fancy Woolens worth \$5.00 now .....	\$3.65
54" Plain and Fancy Woolens regular \$3.95 now .....	\$2.25
Wool Jersey ideal for early fall regular \$2.50 now .....	\$1.85

Sale of every piece of Staple Merchandise in our house. Absolute rock bottom prices on Sheeting, Domestic, Gingham and all White goods. Get our prices on these items.

### July Clearance on Hosiery--Underwear

#### LADIES AND CHILDRENS HOSE

Regular \$2.50 Chiffon Hosiery also heavier weaves Special .....

Special .....	\$1.85
\$1.65 to \$1.85 Silk Hosiery very good quality .....	\$1.39
An extra heavy silk hose easily worth \$1.35 now .....	79c

And two very heavy reductions on childrens Hosiery and Ladies Mercerized and lisle Hose.

### Vanity Fair Silk and Crepe Underwear

A radical mark down on all Silk Underwear for this Sale. Every piece of this Underwear is new, no old Stock.

Regular \$7.50 gowns and Teds July Clearance .....	\$5.95
Regular \$5.00 Gowns, Petticoats and Teds .....	\$3.95
\$3.50 to \$3.75 Teds in knit silk and crepe special .....	\$2.85

### Clean Sweep Sale of Our Ready-to-Wear Department

VALUES — BARGAINS — In High Grade Ready-to-Wear.

Sale of Silk Dresses worth up to \$16.75 now .....	\$6.95
A group of about 40 High Grade Dresses light and dark colors worth up to \$39.50 out they go for .....	\$16.75
About 20 beautiful individual Dresses worth up to \$59.50. July Clearance Sale clears them at only .....	\$24.75
10 Flannel Dresses worth \$22.50 up to \$30.00 very Special .....	\$12.95
1 Ensemble Suit Navy Charmeen size 36 regular .....	\$49.50
Special .....	\$24.75

### Close Out Prices on Womens and Childrens Shoes

We are putting prices on Ladies and Misses pumps and Oxfords that should absolutely clean our stock of these with in this sale. You have never seen such values in foot wear as we are now offering.

Shoes worth \$8.50 up to \$10.00 out they go for .....	\$4.95
Pumps and Oxfords worth \$6.50 up to \$8.00 July Clearance .....	\$3.95

One lot odds and ends one and two pairs of kind worth up to \$10.00 now .....

Be here early Thursday and get at least one or two pairs of these shoes. Good Shoes, Good Styles at ridiculous prices.

Misses and Childrens Shoes Marked accordingly. Be sure and get the school children a pair of shoes to start school this fall. You will save at least one half.