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MAY ORGANIZE BOY SCOUT TROOP HERE

EXECUTIVE INVITED HERE TO EXPLAIN WAYS TO ORGANIZE

Organization of one or more Boy Scout troops in Midland is being planned by the Rev. L. U. Spellmann, assisted by the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

The Rev. Mr. Spellmann appeared before directors of the Chamber of Commerce in their meeting Monday night and discussed what he conceived to be the need of a Boy Scout organization in Midland. The directors indorsed the movement to organize the troop, and authorized the secretary to invite W. S. Barcus, Scout executive at Sweetwater, to come to Midland next Friday night, May 7 to discuss Scout work.

Every father and his son and any young man who wishes are invited to attend the meeting which will be held in the Court House. Boys of any church or no church whatever who may be interested in learning first aid methods, woodcraft, the Scout code of ethics, who like to hunt and fish and hike and camp out, all of these kinds of boys are invited to the meeting next Friday night.

Motion to investigate the requirements in organizing a Scout troop here and to invite Mr. Barcus was made by George D. McCormick and carried unanimously. The Rev. Mr. Spellmann is undertaking this work at a great deal of personal sacrifice, but believes a troop is so badly needed in Midland that he is willing to do a lot of work toward forming it.

DRILLING CONTRACTORS TO OPEN OFFICE HERE

BRANDON & McCAMEY LEASE OFFICE IN LLANO HOTEL BUILDING

Midland's first oil well drilling contractor office will be opened within a few days.

Brandon & McCamey, drilling contractors of Fort Worth, have leased a suite of offices in the Llano Hotel and expect to open their offices shortly. The lease is already in operation.

This company will likely operate in Crane, Upton, Ector and other counties of which Midland is West Texas headquarters.

W. B. McCamey, member of the firm, is the man after whom the town of McCamey was named and owner of the discovery well in Upton County.

Midland people are hopeful that this office is the first of many. Local people are doing their best to let the oil men know they are welcome.

Five definite steps have been taken to advertise Midland as the logical place for West Texas headquarters and now a sixth, suggested by Elliott F. Cowden, director of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, is contemplated, the publication of graphic distance maps. The other steps taken were the erection of signs in the oil fields by the Llano Hotel Co. and the Chamber of Commerce. Distribution of time cards to the major oil companies by the Chamber of Commerce; personal visits by the secretary, W. R. Chancellor and Elliott Cowden to the larger oil offices in Ft. Worth and San Angelo; letters and follow up letters to the big companies and improvement of two roads by public subscription and the County Commissioners.

Walthall Visited Midland This Week

A. M. Walthall, of El Paso, candidate for re-election as Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, and who is opposed for the office by Judge Chas Gibbs, of Midland, was in Midland Wednesday in the interest of his candidacy. He stated that Judge Gibbs had been out in his end of the line a great deal lately, and he was returning the compliment.

Miss Josephine Guly is visiting in San Antonio, having left for that city last week.

DIRECTORS HELD A BUSY SESSION

FAIR PROPOSITION TO BE INVESTIGATED BY COMMITTEE

Elliott Cowden, Marvin C. Ulmer and Bob Hill were appointed Monday night by president T. Paul Barron of the Chamber of Commerce as a committee to investigate the possibilities of holding a fair and stock show this fall. They are to make a complete investigation of the interest Hereford breeders will likely take, the expenses, amusements, securing the grounds etc. and make a report at the meeting next Monday night.

Motion to consider the matter of a fair and stock show was made by Bob Hill and carried unanimously. Elliott Cowden urged the making of a map showing distances from Midland to the various oil fields and locations recently made, for distribution among oil men in San Angelo and found they were interested in Midland as a possible location for branch offices. The secretary was instructed to investigate costs and details in having maps made.

George D. McCormick made a report for a road committee of which he is chairman. He said his plans were progressing satisfactorily.

The secretary made a report on progress made so far on getting the proposed new highway from Midland to Garden City designated as a State highway.

Hoover To Urge Potash Measure

WASHINGTON, April 27—Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover has agreed before the House Committee on mines and mining Thursday morning at 10 o'clock to urge immediate passage of the potash exploration bill. The secretary already has given assurance to Senator Morris Sheppard and Representative Claude Hudspeth co-authors of the bill, that he will favor an annual expenditure of \$100,000 a year for five years so that a thorough investigation can be made of the potash resources in the Southwest and determine their commercial capabilities.

Director Lord of the Budget Bureau has indicated he will look with favor on such a recommendation by Secretary Hoover and it is known that the members of the House committee having the bill in charge stand ready to vote on the measure.

Attorney Says Can Validate Bonds

AUSTIN, Texas, April 27—Because the United States Supreme Court has held that a legislative defect may be cured after bonds have been voted and issued, Assistant Attorney General L. C. Sutton today declared the Texas Legislature has the power to pass an act validating \$80,000,000 worth of Texas road district bonds that would be upheld by the courts.

Chevrolet Climbs Steps Of Capitol

The two millionth Chevrolet produced by the Chevrolet Motor Co. recently climbed the steps of the new State Capitol building at Jackson, Mississippi, while members of the adjoining state legislature viewed the performance.

A heavy rain preceding the event made the climb at a 45 degree angle, hazardous, but failed to scatter a crowd of more than 7,000 which waited throughout the downpour. Burned patches of rubber on the steps marked the progress of the coach up the steep incline, indicating the power necessary to make the ascent.

The climb has been negotiated only once before and several powerful types of cars recently failed to arrive at the top.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hughes and baby of Austin visited Miss Lillie Pliska last week. Mrs. Hughes, before her marriage was Miss Pliska's room mate at the State University.

A. P. and H. E. Hill were in town last week end from the ranch.

Well Located On Brunson Ranch

Sartaïn Bros. and Davis, of Okmulgee, Oklahoma, are reported to be getting ready to drill a test well on the W. W. Brunson, Butler ranch, located on Section 48, Block 40, Township 5-South, in Upton County. Mr. Davis was here this week rushing up work on the rig, and it is reported that they will spud in within the next week.

Negotiations have been in progress for this well for some time, and it will be watched with interest.

Inspector Slain In New Mexico

Albuquerque, N. M., April 26—San Diego Platero, a Navajo Indian arrested on a charge of killing J. M. Kimmell, government cattle inspector was taken from officers last night north of Crown Point, N. M. by a band which surrounded the car in which the prisoner was being rushed to Crown Point. Government posse today are searching for the fugitive. The officers are of the opinion that a number of white men and Mexicans, as well as Indians, were in the group which took the prisoner.

Kimmell was killed Friday when he stopped at a government outpost and discovered an Indian, believed to have been drunk. The Navajo retreated within the house and refused to come out.

Kimmell went to the window and was shot.

Searching parties from Crown Point recovered the body and took up the trail of the Indian. Platero was captured yesterday and was being brought to Crown Point when the party was intercepted.

Kimmell's body has been sent to Big Spring, Texas, for burial.

Farmers Enter Cotton Contest

Nine Midland County farmers have already signed to enter the Dallas News "More Cotton on Fewer Acres" contest. County Agent J. B. Snider has a supply of application blanks on hand and will furnish any farmer who wishes to enter with full information. Separate prizes are offered for the West Texas winner through the Dallas News.

Bushers Going To Texon Sunday

The Midland Bushers will play a return game with the Big Lake Oil Company's crack team Sunday, the game to be played down on the home grounds of the gushers.

This team gave Midland a most disastrous defeat two weeks ago, and the Bushers crave atonement.

Rainfall Record Exceeds Six Inches

Uu to 4:30 yesterday afternoon, the official rain gauge registered 1.17 inches of rain for the two days of precipitation.

The report up to and including April 20 was 5.46 inches for the year, and this spell brought the total down to 6.63 inches. This record will be published after each rain, and it is hoped that the year 1926 will run up the biggest total rainfall recorded here in years.

Midland People Were At Meeting

Bill Arnett, Miss Annie Lee King and Harvey Fryar were Midland young people who took part on the associational B. Y. P. U. program at Big Spring last Sunday. Interest has grown so in these associational meetings that 100 were present last Sunday. The next meeting will be held May 30 at Knott. Outside Big Spring Churches, the Prairie Lee Union which has been organized only three weeks, had the largest attendance at Big Spring, 12 young people from that progressive church attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Summerhill, of Merkel were here last week end on account of the illness of Mrs. Summerhill's sister, Mrs. O. M. Tyner.

Mrs. J. P. Collum Buried In Midland

The funeral services of Mrs. Jennie Collum were held here last Saturday afternoon; Rev. R. L. Owen of Big Spring officiating. He was assisted by Rev. L. U. Spellmann, and by Judge E. R. Bryan, who made a short talk as one who had been intimately associated with the deceased and her husband during the time they lived in Midland.

The following obituary, written by Mrs. C. L. Sterling, also a close friend of the deceased, is a fitting tribute to the passing of a useful and self sacrificing life:

"Another of the rare sweet souls of earth has slipped the mortal coil and folded her hands for the last long sleep. To those who knew her best, she was of a nature 'sans reproche'."

She was the widow of Dr. J. P. Collum who died in Midland many years ago, leaving her a comfortable competence. She has friends in and out of the State of Texas, which made many doors open to her, and thus she came to cheer the homes of relatives and friends in and out of the State. She was no idler along the paths she traversed, but a helper, always alert and willing to help shoulder the cares, the common work of the average home keeper.

Of the Presbyterian Church she was a consistent member and helper. Her love and sincere desire for God's work did not limit her willingness to help all creeds.

When the writer recalls that long touring on sea and land of that Dunning tour of 1910, it is to remember the marvelous patience, the love illimitable to which all were subjected touched her. She was for a time prostrated by sea sickness which her more traveled friend did not feel.

As she lay in her casket in the funeral parlors in this city this morning, her face was in sweet repose as her many friends gathered to look upon her for the last time. Death seemed not an enemy but a friend who helped her in transit from a care gift world to her home in her Father's mansion of Peace.

It is sweet to know that her last days were spent with friends tried and true, with nurses sympathetically capable and skilled. And that the best of medical skill was used to save her life.

In Midland, Texas, she is laid to rest until the Resurrection Morn. "None knew her but to love her. None named her but to praise." Auntie Sterling, San Antonio, Texas.

Through Stage From El Paso To Ft. Worth

The bankhead Coaches, a new stage line operating between El Paso and Fort Worth, connected with the Red Ball system, is now running through cars, making Midland the overnight stop.

Mr. Carl was here yesterday evening, attending to business in connection with the line, and states that good automobiles will make the trip daily, both ways, and will double up whenever the passengers justify it.

Rev. Brown Ends First Year Here

Rev. George F. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Midland, is completing his first year; and Sunday will be the anniversary of his coming.

He has not announced the subject of his sermon, but intimated that it would have something to do with starting the second year's work.

During this time the Midland Church has done some excellent work, with harmony existing in and between the various branches of church work.

As a preacher, he has not only pleased the regular Baptist congregation but also the visitors who have heard him. He has been a strong factor in the betterment of the community.

J. O. Nobles reports the recent delivery of a Chevrolet Coupe to Scharbauer Cattle Company, a Coupe to E. R. Bryson, of Crossett, a Touring to T. O. Midkiff, and a Touring to F. C. Dale.

JOHNSON WINS MEDAL AT DISTRICT MEET

ONE FIRST PLACE, THREE 2NDS, FOUR THIRDS AT SAN-ANGELO

Midland won first place, three second places, and four third places at the district meet at San Angelo last week. Kenneth Johnson won the pole vault at 10 feet, and is the proud possessor of a gold medal as material evidence of his supremacy in this art. Lynch King won second place in pole vault at 9 feet 10 inches. He also won third place in running high jump. Earl Klebold won third in shot put. Our debating teams both won second place in the district participating in the final debate in the high school auditorium on Friday evening. Pearl Wimberly and Frances Ratliff were our girls team, and Louis Thomas and Radney Ellison were our boys team. There were five teams of girls and five teams of boys at the meet, and they had won out in the various county meets before going to the district meet. It might be interesting to know that we secured one judge for first place in the final debate with one of our teams.

While our delegates who were present to the number of about 35 thought we won all the declamation contests, the judges did not seem to agree with them. Clinton Dunagan our senior boy, winning third place, and Wright Cowden, our junior boy, also winning third place. Suffice to say that our contestants gave a good account of themselves, and would have looked good and sounded just as well in a meet in Dallas or any other larger city. In fact, all the Midland delegation received favorable press comment on its size and good behavior. Those who attended the meet from Midland, including the contestants and those who went with them were:

Superintendent W. W. Lackey and Miss Lillie B. Williams, of the faculty Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cowden, Mrs. F. Norwood, Mrs. J. P. Collins, Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, Mrs. A. W. Stanley, Mrs. P. T. Vickers, George Buchanan, Nolan Williams, Carroll Hill, Clinton Dunagan, Ruth Norwood, Louise Brunson, Kitta Bell Wolcott, Kenneth Johnson, Earl Klebold, Robert Caldwell, Lynch King, Wright Cowden, Dorothy Bess Stanley, Sallie Ruth Lumpkin, Al Cowden, D. H. Haley, J. C. Roberts, Foster Brown, Pearl Wimberly, Frances Ratliff, Radney Ellison, Louis Thomas, and Barron Wadley. This was the largest delegation at the meet, and mention of this, fact, together with the names of all the delegates, appeared in the San Angelo daily paper on Friday. Judge Caldwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Jax M. Cowden were also in Angelo on business Friday and Saturday.

Sunday School Meet In Midland In 1927

The West Texas Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. convention will hold its 1927 convention in Midland.

The delegates in convention at Big Spring this week voted unanimously to come to Midland after Abilene, Lubbock and San Angelo received a few scattered votes on the first ballot.

More than 100 delegates attended the Big Spring meeting from all over West Texas, as this district includes all that territory from Abilene west to El Paso and from Lubbock south to San Angelo. Even larger crowds are expected at Midland next year as plans are being made to give wider publicity to the convention.

Denominational leaders in Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. work, as well as West Texas preachers were on the program. Two of the speakers Wednesday were from Midland Baptist Church.

This is the second big religious convention to vote to come to Midland next year, the Rev. L. U. Spellmann having brought a big gathering of Methodist leaders of the West Texas district to Midland next Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Jax M. Cowden returned last Saturday from a visit and business trip in San Antonio and other points.

MAGNOLIA STORING CRANE PRODUCTION

MARLAND REPORTED CONTEMPORARY PIPE CONNECTION TO WELL

The performance of the Magnolia Petroleum Company's University No. 1, section 34, block 30, University lands, Crane County, formerly known as the Church and Fields well, continues to hold keen interest. Since going on test under the Magnolia handling the well has made considerable oil and some water, the water showing coming every other day, as a rule, but being of comparatively slight volume in ratio to the oil production.

Probably no other operation in that particular section of West Texas is being observed with such interest at this time as the Magnolia University. It is located in the northeastern corner of Crane County and several of the major companies have become entrenched in the vicinity of the well with large holdings. A very noticeable play in acreage is going on, for that matter, all along the west side of the encampment that runs northwest from Upton County, through Crane and Ector and into Winkler County, where it turns east into Andrews County, extending from the Independent Oil and Gas Company's Taylor well in the Sapp survey, southeastern part of Crane County, on past the Magnolia University No. 1.

Forty Barrels Monday

Reports on the Magnolia University No. 1 are that it made forty barrels of oil Monday, no water showing being made. The operators were engaged pulling rods again. From April 19 to April 23 the well made in excess of 500 barrels of pipe line oil. During the twenty four hours ended in the afternoon of April 20, it made 145 barrels of oil and 60 barrels of water. During the following twenty four hour test, it made 190 barrels of pipe line oil, with no water. During the following fifteen hours, ending the morning of April 22, it made 45 barrels of oil and sixty barrels of water. For the test period ended last Friday morning, it made 125 barrels of oil with no water and Monday it made 40 barrels of oil with no water.

Uncertainty appears to prevail as to where the water is coming from, some expressing the opinion it is from the bottom of the hole, while others suggest it is leaking from above. The correct gravity of the oil is 32.

Oil Going to Storage

Production at present is being run to storage tanks on the lease, the Magnolia having two 1,000 barrel tanks up. It is understood the Magnolia may erect a 55,000 barrel tank if conditions appear to justify. It is also reported that the Marland Pipe Line Company is contemplating laying a four inch extension to the well from its six inch line in Upton County. The well is about thirty miles from railway line. The Magnolia holds only part interest in the well, having acquired the interest of Church and Fields, together with considerable acreage from those operators, recently. The deal gave the Magnolia one sixth interest in the well and operating control.—Dallas News.

Married Monday

The wedding of Miss Eloise Good and Mr. Martin McGee was solemnized last Monday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Roberts.

Rev. L. U. Spellmann performed the wedding ceremony. A few immediate friends attended the wedding.

Roxanna Scout Is Located Here Now

Roxanna Oil Company is the newest concern to locate a scout at Midland to work in Crane, Upton, Ector territory. Mr. Logan of Amarillo has been stationed here and his wife will join him at Midland in two weeks. Mr. Logan says the Roxanna owns acreage in the territory of which Midland is headquarters, but he does not know the plans of his company.

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Midland's Actualities And Potentialities

(Second Prize Essay)
By Marie Hill

The greatest actuality of Midland is ranching. The young steers are shipped to northern feeders for fattening. They are shipped to the packing plants in the spring. They are vaccinated in the fall of the year to prevent Blackleg, a fatal disease to young cattle.

Midland has one of the best school systems in Texas. The high school has twenty seven units of affiliation with the State University. Midland has three ward buildings besides the new one hundred and fifty thousand dollar high school building. Midland schools are famous throughout West Texas.

The Three largest churches of Midland are the Baptist, Christian and Methodist. These churches would grace a city of ten thousand people. The Catholic and Presbyterians also have buildings here in Midland.

Midland also has a telephone system. This system is owned by Midland people.

A modern light plant is located at Midland. This plant furnishes electric lights for Stanton, Odessa and Midland.

Midland also owns its own sewer and water systems.

A public library, ball park, and several hotels are located in Midland. A public library is a great benefit to the people.

The Bankhead Highway and the main line of the Texas and Pacific Railway pass through Midland. Four daily passenger trains give excellent service.

Midland has a mild, healthy climate. The first fall frost begins about October the thirtieth and ends about April the first. The altitude of Midland is about two thousand seven hundred and sixty feet.

The trading center for a large belt of country is Midland.

Midland has a fair ground and buildings which are privately owned.

The banks of Midland would do credit to a much larger city than Midland.

Midland's greatest potentiality is farming. Experts say that the boll weevil will never appear in Midland. This is a great advantage because this pest destroys at least one third of the cotton. Three thousand four hundred and eighty seven bales of cotton were ginned last season, and four thousand one hundred and fifty bales were ginned this season, while only a very small acreage has been put in cultivation. Watermelons thrive in the sandy loam soil of Midland. It is not uncommon to grow melons from fifty to seventy pounds in weight. Peaches and other fruit are found in abundance on the farms that have orchards. The peaches raised in Midland are much sweeter than those raised in rainy sections.

Kershaws, cantaloupes, and punkins produce enormous crops in the sandy loam soil of the Midland country. Sweet potatoes can be grown at the rate of eight hundred dollars per acre. Grapes are grown abundantly. Maize feterita, Kafir and hagari make big crops. These are the main feed crops as wheat, corn and oats do not thrive in this country.

Midland needs paved streets very badly as the streets are very rough.

Another need of Midland is an ice factory. The ice is very high when it is shipped. If there were an ice factory it would lower the price.

Midland also needs a laundry. A laundry would be very helpful to the women of Midland.

Midland is going to have a sugar mill. Mr. Hankla of Midland is going to build one.

Midland also needs to rebuild the M & N. W. Railroad to Seminole, also many more roads or highways. Rural Routes should be established.

The most important of all this time, is the oil and potash prospect.

Zach Martin Here

Zach T. Martin, of the firm of Martin Bros. & Lee, was here the first of the week from Kansas City, looking over the supply of yearlings for immediate delivery. He bought 200 head of steers from W. W. Brunson and they were loaded out Tuesday.

He has been buying from 2,000 to 3,000 steers here each year for four years, for feeders in Missouri, Iowa, Illinois; and states that he can depend on these cattle to make more high priced cuts and put on more pounds in a given length of time than any he has found.

These steers are taken to Kansas pastures for the summer, and are delivered to the respective feeders in the fall.

If Its Job Printing, We Can Do It

Fruit Is Wanted For Fair Exhibit


Wanted 10 quarts of 1926 fruit. The Midland Chamber of Commerce and the County Agent are worried about qualifying in the fruit class at the Dallas State Fair this year. Any person in Midland County who has promise of getting any peaches, pears, apples, grapes, plums, cherries, apricots, quinces or any other fruits this year, and who will be willing to furnish one or two quarts is asked to see the secretary or county agent. There is so little fruit because of the freeze that this early call is being made so the Chamber of Commerce may know what to count on for the exhibit. Five different varieties are required.

Evenin Rain

With my night horse staked out
And the thunder rolling about
I totes in a bag of chips and bark,
For the clouds are hanging low and dark.
I whittles off some shavins o'pine,
Just as the wind begins to whine.
Then comes a flash of lightning thar
While I kindles up a little fire.
I eat my flap jacks and lasses
And watch the lightning as it passes,
My little six by twelve window pane,
And sit and listen to the rain.
I bites off some terbacker and chews my cud,
And kinder dozes as I naturally would,
Till my head gets heavy and my chin hangs low,
And my eye lids say in bed I must go.
I hooks my heel in the old boot jack,
And unrolls my scant beddin pack,
While the lightning flashes and the thunder pops,
And my little den quivvers and rocks.
Outside the rain is patten down,
Outside the wind is howling round,
An with the night as black as tar
And all the earth a jagged jar,
I lays myself at peaceful sleep,
As the aged roof begins to leak.
Foster F. Breazeale.

San Angelo People Intend Moving Here

Five families from the San Angelo section were in Midland last week investigating land prices with a view of buying. They found land which they said suited them exactly and they plan to return to buy. These five families represent another five who will likely move here later, according to the first investigators.



Monday, May 3rd to Saturday

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By M. Peek

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Ed Cole was in from the ranch Tuesday.

Vickers To Talk At Convention

Paul T. Vickers, secretary of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, has been asked to appear on the program of a regional park conference to be held in Amarillo May 18 and 19. The conference will include West Texas and all of Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico. D. E. Colp, chairman, writes that this is hoped to be one of the best park conferences ever held in the United States. The main object of the conference is to discuss state parks. Mr. Colp was in Midland more than a year ago when then governor Pat M. Neff and Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner spoke in Midland under auspices of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Colp wanted Baird Lake as a park site.

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There is good reason to believe that the University of Texas will in time be one of the wealthiest schools in the world. Perhaps its grounds and buildings at Austin are worth now about \$10,000,000. The income from oil is now approximately \$3,000,000 a year, and it is thought that this represents but a small part of what the oil income will be when the university lands are developed as they will be in time. No one would be surprised if oil income should reach ten or even twenty times its present proportions. Geologists say that the potash on university lands may prove even more valuable than the oil. With all this wealth in prospect the university is what is ordinarily called "hard up." It hasn't the money for erecting buildings that are much needed, and it can't use its oil money for buildings, but must be content to use the income from that money when invested in bonds. The regents are trying to find a legal way to pledge the oil money as security for money with which to construct the buildings now most needed, and the university still must depend on legislative appropriations for the payment of salaries.

Texas Centennial Director.
Jesse H. Jones of Houston has consented to become director-general of the proposed Texas Centennial. Mr. Jones is perhaps the greatest structural builder of Texas or the Southwest. At present he has several immense buildings under construction in New York, in Houston and in other cities. As a business executive he has few superiors. He is a man of immense fortune and has the confidence of the business world. His opinions in matters of business carry weight with those accustomed to handle large financial affairs. With his committee of 100 men and women carefully selected from all over Texas with a view to having every section and every interest ably represented and with plenty of time in which to plan, to finance, and to get ready, Texas should have a Centennial celebration of a magnitude to attract people from all parts of the world.

An early start should be made in order that there may be ample time for the best preparation it is possible to give a movement of such magnitude and that the wealthiest liberation may be given to every undertaking, and then there must be most persistent work until the effort is crowned with success. The Sesqui-Centennial at Philadelphia has made the mistake of hurrying into an exposition without being prepared and without having the people prepared. The San Francisco Exposition, the Jamestown Exposition, and others made the same kind of mistakes, but Texas should be able to profit from the mistakes of all others that have preceded it with great expositions.

Anti-Prohibition Arguments.
The "wets" in congress are spending a great deal of time to show that in order to get liquors of some kind the people are violating the law and crime is increasing. Of course crime of all kinds has increased in the last few years, but that does not prove that laws against crime should be abolished. Criminals have robbed more banks to get money than ever before, but nobody is advocating the abolition of banks because they tempt money seekers to commit crime. More stores have been burglarized recently than ever before, but no one wants merchants to quit business because they tempt men and women to violate law. Divorces have increased, but there is no demand for repealing marriage laws. The argument that because all people do not obey or respect laws, laws that are violated should be repealed, if followed to its logical conclusion, would lead us into anarchy of the worst kind.

Preaching Irrigation.
J. A. Kemp of Wichita Falls, an apostle of irrigation, has been to Brownwood to talk to the people about water conservation and irrigation. Mr. Kemp presents an argument fortified by figures and experience at Wichita Falls. Brownwood has been considering irrigation of Pecan Valley for more than thirty years, but every time the people have almost reached the point where they are ready to vote bonds for an irrigation district, rains come as they have recently to dampen their ardor. So the rich Pecan Valley has gone along with its recurrent periods of drought and the soil has been allowed to produce about one-tenth what it should. Had the district undertaken irrigation thirty years ago when it was first discussed its wealth would by now have been almost beyond estimation.

Florida Boom Headed This Way.
Reports are that the Florida boom has busted and that most of the professional boomers are headed this way in the hope of starting something of the same kind in Texas.

Now For Another Commission.
From the newspapers we learn that Prof. W. E. James, newly appointed director of the Texas Safety Council, is going to ask for a law requiring medical examination of all persons before they are licensed to drive autos, to test their hearing, sight, nerves, etc. If passed, such a measure should prove good picking for medical specialists and should make a place for a few politicians on a safety commission.

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IN MIDLAND

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Midland in the State of Texas, at the close of business on April 12, 1926.

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)	\$581,177.68
Total Loans	\$581,177.68
Overdrafts unsecured \$1,359.25	1,359.25
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. Bonds Par Value)	15,000.00
Total	15,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc	11,619.64
Banking House	23,750.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	32,922.65
Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection	601.17
Cash in vault and amount due from National Banks	67,551.78
Amount due from state banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10	470.13
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12)	526.40
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$69,149.48
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	750.00
Total	\$735,728.70

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund	\$100,000.00
Undivided profits	\$15,834.42
Less current expenses paid	6,757.20
Circulating notes outstanding	14,200.00
Amount due to National Banks	30,491.74
Amount due to State Banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in items 22 or 23)	8,593.66
Cashiers Checks outstanding	6,286.09
Total of items 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26	45,371.49
Individual deposits subject to check	294,036.20
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	93,191.35
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32	\$387,227.55
Certificates of deposits (other than for money borrowed)	4,852.44
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, Items 33, 34, 35, and 36	\$4,852.44
Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts)	75,000.00
Total	\$735,728.70

State of Texas, County of Midland, ss:
I M. C. Ulmer, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
M. C. Ulmer, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of April, 1926.

(SEAL) VESTA HARRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
O. B. Holt,
Elliott F. Cowden,
E. R. Bryan,
Directors.

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Midland.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Writ of Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Midland County, of the 24th day of April 1926, by C. B. Dunagan, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Fifty Dollars and cost of suit under a judgement, in favor of Balentino Sanchez in a certain cause in said court, No. 1653 and styled Balentino Sanchez versus Juan Sanchez, placed in my hands for service, I, A. C. Francis as Sheriff of Midland County Texas, did on the 24th day of April 1926, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Midland County Texas, described as follows, to wit: Lots 1 to 6, Blk 20, Original town of Midland, and Lots 8 and 9, and 10, Blk 6, Moody Addition to the town of Midland and levied upon as an undivided one half interest in the property of Juan Sanchez and Balentino Sanchez and that on the first Tuesday in June 1926, the same being the first day of said month, at the Court House door, of Midland County, in the town of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at Public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said Juan and Balentino Sanchez, an undivided one half interest in said property described above.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Midland Reporter, a newspaper published in Midland County.

Witness my hand, this 24th day of April 1926.

A. C. Francis,
Sheriff, Midland County, Texas.
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Pemberton Installs New Office Equipment

Only one dental office between Ft. Worth and El Paso equals Dr. L. B. Pemberton's office now since he installed about \$2,000 worth of new equipment last week. The Midland office is as well equipped as any in West Texas. The most expensive piece of new equipment is a high powered X-Ray which is the most modern money can buy. Mayo Bros. at Rochester have 12 machines just like the one in Dr. Pemberton's office. The Midland dentist recently completed a post graduate course in X-Ray, anesthetic and tooth extraction work. This new machine locates the exact spot of any tooth trouble. In connection with the powerful X-

Ray, Dr. Pemberton has installed a developing cabinet in which he develops his own x-ray pictures.

He has installed the newest type of electric engine, equipped with the finest vitrolite containers and very modern device used in drilling known to dental science.

Dr. Pemberton's office has been re-decorated throughout. Sanitary covers have been placed on the dental chair, foot levers operate the engine and even the water hydrant, so that everything may be kept absolutely clean. He has installed a bookkeeping record giving exact data on just what he does to every patient's teeth. Then in order to make his office the last word for comfort, convenience and efficiency in dental work, he has installed new furniture and floor covering.

Chiropractic Adjustments, Phone 164

Senior Christian Endeavor

The ten most important kinds of work—How to make them Christians? (Ex. 20:9; 2 Thess. 3:6-13.)
Leader—Bennie Sue Ratliff.
Song.
Sentence Prayers.
The Blessing of Work—Miss Miriam Pemberton.
How Choose A Vocation—Dorothy Ratliff.
Special Music—Eulalia Whitefield.
Full Time Christian Service—Sadie Bradshaw.
Jesus as a worker—Helen Hodges.
Business.
Song.
Benediction.

Junior Christian Endeavor

Scripture Lesson
Song.
Sentence Prayers.
The water that was turned into wine—Ada Driver.
The stranger at the well—May Howe.
The Fishermen—Burton Bradshaw
The Sermon on the Mount—Nancy Rankin.
Business.
Song.
Benediction.

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302 Rust Bldg.
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New Stairs Put In On Bank Building

New stairs have been installed at the First National Bank, leading to the second floor of the bank building and the annex. Improvements to buildings will prove profitable now, as there will likely be several oil companies seeking offices in Midland in the near future.

An Exclusive Dempster Feature
The Dempster No. 11 Windmill is the only Direct Stroke windmill on the market that has the handy and practical annu-oiled feature. Oil it only once a year. This is only one of the many Dempster features you should know all about. Write us for complete description of the

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Ball-bearing, self aligning turn table, accurate balance, improved regulating device.

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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.

Big Cattlemen Were In Midland

Ten million dollars was "represented" in the lobby of the Llano Hotel several days this week while wealthy cattle buyers were here to receive their cattle bought for spring delivery.

The personell of the crowd changed perhaps hourly, but sauntering through the lobby about 5:30 o'clock Wednesday one saw such prominent cattlemen as J. O. West, Englewood Kan.; L. G. Davis, representing his father, G. R. Davis, Abilene; J. F. Sizeleve, Englewood, Kan.; W. L. Jones, Lebo, Kan.; J. L. Bivins, Amarillo; George A. Pemberton, Denver. And the following local cattlemen were in the lobby at the same time: Clarence Scharbauer, Elliott F. Cowden, O. B. Holt, Joe Ragsdale, Jax Cowden, Marcus Gist, A. C. Francis and Frank Orson.

Elite Owners Reach First Anniversary

According to Carroll Hill, the firm of W. S. Hill and Sons reach the first anniversary of their operation of the Elite Confectionery tomorrow. He states that they have done an excellent year's business. The Elite doesn't miss a week of advertising in the Reporter.

Many Cattle Shipments

Many shipments of cattle are going out every day, and a summary will be published in The Reporter next week.

STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week for ten days, exclusive of the first day, of publishing before the return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation published in said county for a period of not less than one year the following notice:

The State of Texas. To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. J. P. Collum, Deceased: You are hereby notified that E. R. Bryan, has filed in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Mrs. J. P. Collum, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary of the estate of Mrs. J. P. Collum deceased, which will be heard at the July term of said Court commencing on the second Monday in July A. D. 1926, the same being the 12th day of July A. D. 1926 at the Court House thereof in Midland, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the estate are hereby cited to appear and contest said application if they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at my office in Midland Texas, this the 29th day of April A. D. 1924

C. B. Dunagan,
 Clerk County Court, Midland County Texas. 31 3-t

Tom Harris was here yesterday from Odessa and reports good rains from Crosssett to Odessa.

Mrs. Chas. Gibbs and Mrs. J. M. Moss returned Tuesday from Barstow where they visited Mrs. Birge Holt.

Lane Deupree came in last week from Fort Worth.

Friendly Service

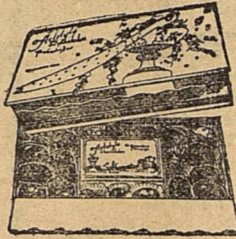
It has always been our aim to give our patrons the best possible service.

We are here to serve you, and we will serve you as a friend should be served.

First National Bank

Midland, Texas

ONE CENT SALE!



Candies

The best candy values we have ever offered on sale. Liggett's Par Value 1 lb. assorted chocolates, \$1. Sale price 2 lbs. \$1.01. Wrapped Milk Caramels 60c per lb. Sale price 2 lbs for 61c. Liggett's Mints, assorted 5c, sale price 2-for only 6c. Milk Chocolate Bars, Standard price 35c half pound, sale price 2 for 36c. Fenway Chocolate Cherries, cherries dipped in chocolate cream; one lb. box \$1. One Cent Sale 2 lbs. \$1.01. HARD CANDIES, 1 lb. jars of the finest assortments of hard candies made, just the thing for parties. Standard price on jar 75c; One Cent Sale 2 jars for 76c.



Complexion

Jonteel Compound face powder. One of the best face powders on the market today, the odor of 26 flowers, blended in a high grade face powder. Standard price per box 50c, One Cent Sale 2 Boxes for 51c. Boquet Ramee Face Powder, high grade powder, \$1 box, Sale price, 2 boxes for \$1.01. Georgia Rose Cold Cream Face Powder in decorated metal boxes, something new, box 50c; One Cent Sale 2 boxes for 51c. Alma Zada Face Powder, one of the best 50c boxes, Sale Price 2 for 51c. Rickers Rice Powder, 50c; Sale Price 2 for 51c.

House Hold Remedies

Charcoal Tablets, 60s, 30c; Sale price 2 for 31c. Potassium Chlorate Tablets, 15c; Sale Price 2 for 16c. Mentholine Balm, 2 oz. 60c, Sale Price 2 for 61c. Cherry Bark Cough Syrup, 4 ozs, regular 35c; sale price 2 for 36c. Foot powder 30c; sale 2 for 31c. Aspirin Tablets, boxes of 24, 50c; 2 for 51c.

Rexall Hair Tonic

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic \$1, sale price 2 bottles \$1.01. Harmony Quinine Tonic, \$1, 2 for only \$1.01. 25c Klenzo Tar Shampoo Soap, 1c sale 2 for 26c. For treatment of the hair. A very large cake.) Hair Rub, regular price 50c, sale price 2 bottles 51c. These preparations make the hair stay in place and are delicately perfumed. Bay Rum, Imported, Fine quality. Sprinkle Top bottle, 16 oz. One Cent Sale, 2 for \$1.01.

3-BIG DAYS-3

Thursday, Friday, Saturday

May 6, 7, 8

WHAT IS A ONE CENT SALE

It is a sale where you buy an item at the regular price, then another item of the same kind for 1c.

FOR EXAMPLE:—THE REGULAR PRICE OF GEORGIA ROSE TALCUM IS 25c, AND BY PAYING 1c MORE, OR 26c, YOU GET TWO CANS.



Pep Tabs, just the thing to pep you up for the spring. Standard price box 50c; One Cent Sale 2 boxes for 51c. Nuxated Iron Tablets, \$1; 2 for \$1.01. Spring Tabs, 35c; sale 2 for 36c. Larkspur Lotion, 35c; 1c Sale 2 for 36c. Syrup Hypo Comp. Cir. 16 ozs, for \$1.26. Peptonized Iron Tonic \$1.25; 2 for \$1.26. Kidney Pills, 60c; 2 for 51c. 25c Corn Solvent, 2 for 26c. 50c Dypsia Tablets, 2 for 51c. Peptona, our best tonic, regular \$1.25 1c Sale, 2 for \$1.26. Aspirin Tablets, bottle of 100, \$1 2 for \$1.01. Carbolic Salve, 25c; Sale 2 boxes for 26c. Rexall Eye Wash, 25c; 1c Sale 2 for 26c. Mineral Oil 16 oz. \$1; 1c Sale 2 for \$1.01. Cascara Pills, Hinkles, Bottle of 100, 50c 2 for only 51c. Maltolium, a powerful tonic to ward off colds and build up the body. Regular \$1.25 Sale price 2 for \$1.26.

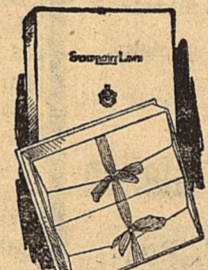
Georgia Rose Talcum

Georgia Rose Talcum, one of our leaders, 25c can, sale price 2 cans for 26c. Dariza Boquet, Imported Talcum, regular 75c bottle, sale price 2 bottles for 76c. price per can 25c, One cent sale 2 cans for only 26c. The Talcum Season is just ahead, lay in your supply at these prices. Zinc Stearate, you will need it this summer, 25c can, sale price 2 cans for 26c. Sodium Phosphate, Granular Effervescent, 75c bottle, sale price 2 bottles for 76c. Cathartic Compound Pills, bottle of 30s, 25c, sale price 2 for 26c. Iron Cascara with Celery Tonic, \$1 per bottle, sale price 2 bottles for \$1.01. This makes a fine spring tonic, you need something like this to get your system in condition after the winter colds and flu.



Dental Cream

Klenzo Dental Cream, large 50c size 2 for 51c. This is one of the highest grade tooth paste on the market. We are fortunate that we are able to offer this on sale. Rexall improved tooth paste This is one old stand by. Better paste than ever. Large 25c tube, sale price 2 for 26c. Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic Mouth wash one of the Klenzo family. Large bottle regular 50c, Sale Price 2 bottles for only 51c. Tooth Brushes, extra good bristles, made in Japan, standard price 35c, One Cent Sale 2 brushes for 36c.



STATIONERY

We are showing the highest grade assortment of box stationery ever offered for sale, lay in your supply. Arabesque, decorated and bordered edges, \$1.25 box, price 2 boxes \$1.26. Cascade pound paper, 50c, one Cent Sale 2 for 51c. Envelopes to match Cascade Pound Paper. If it is true that the good taste of a person is expressed by the quality of their stationery, then your taste will be established with your friends.

FOOD ITEMS

A blend of high grade coffee of exceptional value, roasted and packed by the latest machinery. During our One Cent Sale we are offering 2 lbs. for 86c. 50c Symonds Inn Vanilla Extract, 2 for 51c. 40c Symonds Inn Lemon Extract, 2 for 41c. 50c Truefruit Raspberry Jam, 15 oz. 2 for 51c. 50c Truefruit Pure Grape Jam, 15 oz. 2 for 51c. 40c Cocoa, 2 for 51c. Olive Oil Imported, \$1.25, Sale price 2 bottles for \$1.26.

REXALL TOILET SOAP

A splendid grade hard milled soap. Does not become soft and wasteful. A clean, fragrant, and absolutely pure soap. Standard price 1 cake, 15; this Sale, 2 for 16c. 25c Rexall Medicated Skin soap 1c Sale, 2 for 26c. (Keeps the Skin Soft and Healthy) Boquet Ramee Soap, 50c, sale 2 for 51c. Jonteel soap, 25c, Sale 2 for 26c. Flemish soap, 25c Sale 2 for 26c. Rexall Shaving Lotion, standard price 75c during this 1 cent sale 2 for 76c. Rexall shaving stick, one tube 35c; Sale price, 2 tubes 36c. Rexall Shaving Powder, one box regular 35c, Sale Price 2 boxes for 36c.

Many Other Useful Items Will Sell Under This Plan

SAVE with SAFETY CITY DRUG STORE **SAVE with SAFETY at your Rexall DRUG STORE**

The Rexall Store
 Midland, Texas

"Where You Get The Most Change Back"

Willis Woody was in from the ranch Wednesday, and reports fine conditions for cattle and crops down his way. He is a candidate for County Commissioner from his precinct in Glasscock County. He expressed much enthusiasm over the designation of the road from Garden City to Midland by the state.

W. F. Scarborough was in from his Shafter Lake ranch the first of the week.

Claude "Chunky" Cowden has returned to his home in Mineral Wells after visiting relatives here for several days and looking after property interests here.

Cleve Baker returned the first of the week from Pecos, where he put in a week helping out the print shop there.

D. H. Haley Jr. underwent an operation for appendicitis the first of the week, and is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. W. H. Cospser arrived this week from Abilene, where she has spent the last few months with her son.

Clyde Willingham arrived last week for a visit with his family. He has been in Florida for several months, in the real estate business.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The announcements given below are for Democratic preference in the July primaries. Candidates will be required to pay in advance, and at the following rates:

District and County.....\$15.00
Precinct Officers.....\$ 7.50

For District and County Clerk:
C. B. DUNAGAN
(Re-Election)
J. M. (Jim) SHELBURNE

For Sheriff and Tax Collector
A. C. FRANCIS
(Re-Election)

For County Treasurer
MRS. MARY L. QUINN
(Second Term)

For Tax Assessor
ED DOZIER
(Second Term)

For County Judge
W. H. SPAULDING
M. R. HILL

For District Judge
CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH
B. FRANK HAAG

For District Attorney
HENRY RUSSELL

For Public Weigher
Precinct No. 1
A. B. COLE

W. E. (ELLIS) HOWELL
CLEM DAUGHTREY
LON ROBERTS

For Justice Of The Peace
Precinct No. 1
JIM FLANIGAN JR.

I. W. TOWERS
Re-Election

County Commissioner
Precinct No. 2
A. B. COLLIER

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED—To buy Poultry and Second Hand Sacks. Terry Elkin Phone 113 49-tf

If you want a good home in Midland why not see H. A. Jesse or ring 85. H. A. JESSE, Midland. 17-tf

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, burns wood or coal, also hot water boiler, good condition.—R. V. Hyatt, phone 396 or 24. 21-tf

S. J. MCKENDLES, Midland, Texas. Any time—Any where.—Well Driller. 3mo pd

Two nicely furnished bedrooms for rent, on highway 4 blocks west of Main Street. See J. V. Stokes Jr. or phone 45. 24-tf

Will do plain sewing at the Terry place north of old High School. Mrs. C. B. Ponder. 28-4tp

LOST—Roll of screen wire, between town and John King's farm east of town. Finder please leave same at Reporter office. 30-2tp

Unusual Business Opportunity

Would you be interested in an automobile franchise that offers a line of cars second to none. A line that covers 95 per cent of the automobile buyers and for years has enjoyed the confidence of the motoring public. To a business man who knows retail merchandising, who can build a representative organization and who has sufficient capital and financial backing this franchise is now open in Midland and offers unusual profits to the right man. For full information for Willys-Overland Inc., Dallas, Texas get in touch with F. N. Payne factory representative, Lubbock, Texas, Box 1807. 31 1tp

Piano Tuning, Pipe Organ Tuning, and all repairing by factory Piano Builder. Player Piano repairing also Leave orders at Llano Hotel Lobby or Hardware store. All work guaranteed or no money. Harry Mitchell. 30-2tp

FOR RENT—Rooms with or without board. Mrs. C. C. Holman. 31-1tp

FOR SALE—4000 bundles of cane feed, 5 cents per bundle. Phone 312 F 31 4tp

LADIES We pay straight 40c hour, advertising and distributing samples homes and offices. Send addressed stamped envelope. Denison, Beckel Bldg. W 4322 Dayton, Ohio. 31 1tp

FOR RENT—Nice cool furnished rooms. South Side. See Mrs. C. E. Smith. 31 1tp

Steel Tank Sprinkler and team of Missouri Mules, with harness. Bargain if sold at once. J. B. Winn Big Spring. 31 2tp

Good fresh jersey milk cow for sale or trade, also some good pigs. See T. D. Jones. 31 2tp

FOR SALE—Cedar Posts, at wholesale cost. Buy direct and save the difference. Watkins Cedar Company Burnet, Texas. 31 1tp

FOR RENT—Six section pasture with good grass and plenty of water. Want to pasture cattle. See R. A. Young. 31 2tp

FOUND—One hand saw, west of town near ball grounds. Owner may have same by identifying it and paying for this ad. Call at Reporter office. 31 2t

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished for light house keeping to couple without children. Apply at Crawford Hotel. 31 1t

West Texas C. of C. Field Man Was Here

K. Goodman, field representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was in Midland last Saturday in the interest of his organization, and stated that he is always at the service of Midland and other towns in his territory.

Mr. Carter, Lincoln salesman for the Wolcott Motor Co. of Big Spring was in Midland Monday, conferring with O. A. McRea, sales manager of the Cowden Motor Company.

E. W. Cowden made a trip to the ranch Monday, incidentally going to see what progress has been made at the Westbrook well two miles from his place.

Chas Brown was here the first of the week from Cisco.

J. T. Massingale was in from Rankin Wednesday.

RAIN!

Great Things Are In Store For Midland

RAIN!

WITH THIS GREAT SECTION OF WEST TEXAS THOROUGHLY SOAKED WITH RAIN, AND A FIRST CLASS SEASON IN THE GROUND, IT LOOKS LIKE A BANNER YEAR FOR FARMERS, RANCHMEN, MERCHANTS, CLERKS, LABORERS, CAPITALISTS—IN FACT FOR EVERYBODY.

WE ARE GLAD FOR EVERYONE. COME IN AND LET'S TALK ABOUT PROSPERITY, PROGRESS, AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

In Order To Give The People of Midland and Vicinity Something Else to Smile Over, WE ARE Going To Keep REAL BARGAINS Before You all the Time.



For The Ladies

- Ladies Cotton Crepe Gowns at 65c
- Ladies Light Weight Bloomers 75c
- Pure Silk Rayon Bloomers in the Well known Gordon Line at \$2.25
- Pure Silk Rayon Combination, Assorted Colors at \$2.25
- Pure Silk Rayon Vests at \$1.25
- Pure Silk Rayon Slips at \$3.50
- Pure Silk Rayon Gowns at \$3.50

- 60 Inch Table Damask, the yard 59c
- Good Quality LL Unbleached Sheeting 36 inches wide, the yd. 15c
- 32 Inch Gingham in Checks and Plaids, the yard 19c
- 36 Inch percale in all the Spring Colors, the yard 18c
- Duchess Satin for making slips, in all colors, the yard \$1.50
- Extra Good Quality 40 inch flat crepe all the new spring colors, yd. \$2.50



Hats

Just received about 50 Ladies Hats all good shapes and colors and is a hat and price to please every one, don't fail to see them.

- Mens Summer Unions at only 49c
- Mens Sox at only, the pair 10c
- Mens Silk Sox at only, the pair 39c
- One lot of Mens Dress Shirts at only 98c
- One Lot mens Dress Shirts at only \$1.65
- One lot of mens Dress Shirts at only \$1.89

BEFORE YOU PLAN YOUR SPRING WARDROBE visit our Butterick Department and ask the Saleslady to tell you all about the wonderful money-saver, the Deltor—Don't Wait!—Visit our Butterick Department Today.

Shoes

Men come in and let us show you our line of mens Oxfords. Every shoe we carry is guaranteed to be solid leather and all we want is a chance to show you that our prices are right.



Shoes

Ladies if you have a dress that you want to match with shoes, don't fail to visit our shoe department and see all the new colors we are showing and at prices any one can afford to pay. Priced at \$3.95 and up.

Attention Men

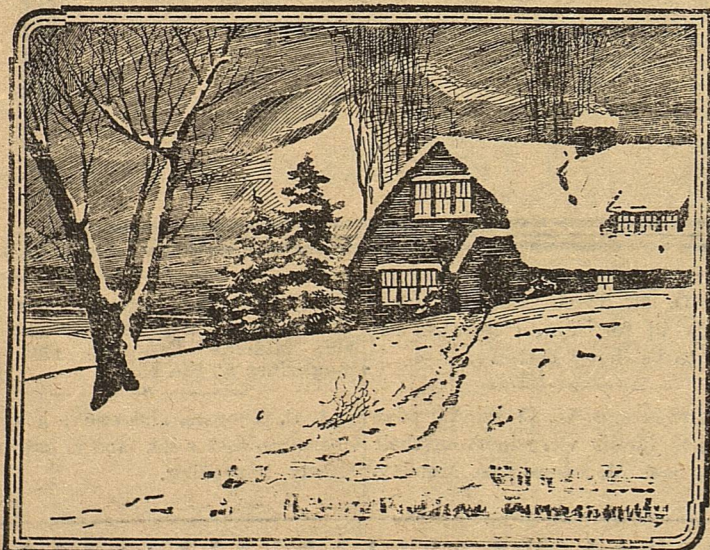
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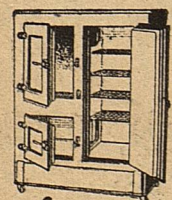
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the Howard Automobile Company, Buick distributors, solved the problem. The Buick used by the Twins has double control, and is used to teach new drivers how to handle a car. Violet is seen giving Daisy her first lesson in driving at the wheels of the double control Buick. These charming young girls are high school graduates, talented musicians and accomplished entertainers.

Who Pays For The Stockings

We're wrong! We are informed that only \$12.00 has to be sent in before the alleged stocking selling companies send out the hose, whereas last week we estimated that it was \$13.00. Not a big difference at that! According to reports, some people have been getting five pair of hose for \$1.00. Now who pays for the hose, or whatever the article might be?

Suppose you give a friend \$1.00 for a coupon, then send in \$3.00 more to the alleged company to get a contract with three coupons. You sell these three coupons to three friends for \$1.00 each, and keep the \$3.00. You have therefore been out only \$1.00. Do you then get your stockings? We understand that you do not till your three friends have sold three coupons each to their friends. So far, your friends have paid for your stockings.

Suppose that you sell their coupons, but the next group of coupon sellers falls down on the job, breaking the chain. Would your three friends get their stockings, or would they just stop by paying for your stockings? The company has its \$12.00 before they send you your five pair of hose which cost you only \$1.00, so "they should worry" about your three friends.

Ponzi doesn't have anything on the originator of that chain selling idea, but where will the majority be when the chain breaks. Will you be in it, or will you have your stockings which your three friends bought for you?

E. E. Dickenson was in from his ranch Wednesday, and reports fine grass with cattle in great shape.

J. O. Nobles made a business trip to the oil fields south of here last Friday, delivering a Chevrolet Coupe.

Messrs. Dodson and Griffin, of El Capitan Oil Company, were here yesterday from San Angelo.



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Olton—The citizens of Olton have voted bonds amounting to \$75,000 for the construction of a new modern school building. The bonds have already been sold and work will begin immediately. Olton is growing so rapidly that it has become necessary to have more room to take care of the children.

Amarillo—A carbon black plant to cost approximately \$1,000,000 is under erection in the Panhandle oil field by the Western Carbon Company. Officials of the company here declare that the first three units of the enormous plant will be ready for operation by June 15th. Six units will comprise the entire plant. The site of the plant is on the Burkburnett ranch in Carson County. Fifty million feet of residue gas will be handled daily by the complete plant which will turn out about three carloads of carbon black per day.

Ralls—The Ralls Chamber of Commerce has just completed arrangements for trade trips to the fourteen neighboring communities. These good will trips are made every year and this time the Ralls Fair will be discussed and plans made for the communities to bring in their exhibits. Diversification will be urged by I. C. Byerley, director of the Ralls Chamber of Commerce and chairman of the agricultural committee, who has actual experience to prove that diversification is beyond a doubt the most profitable way to farm.

Moran—E. F. Davis has received the contract for the road bed work on the Callahan strip of Highway 23. The bids were let recently and it is expected that work will begin immediately. The strip will be finished by the state with the understanding that Callahan county purchases the right-of-way and puts down the road bed. The strip is only about three miles in length, and will connect the Shackelford and Eastland County Road.

Childress—Plans have been completed for the erecting of what is known as the Woodridge long staple gin. The stock necessary to build the gin has been purchased entirely by Childress capital. The gin will have a capacity of 120 bales per day. The machinery is of a different type than now used and is built especially for handling bollie cotton and long staple varieties of the better quality varieties of cotton. The company expects to interest sufficient capital within a few months to build a large factory in Childress.

Del Rio—Announcement has been made by L. G. Dubus that the Val Verde Wool & Mohair Company has sold a little over 100,000 pounds of mohair to Boston buyers for 65c for the grown hair and 75c for the kid hair. This is the highest price reported in Texas this year.

Wellington—C. C. Small, Mayor of Wellington, recently sold water and sewerage bonds amounting to 160,000 to Brown-Crummer Company, Wichita Kansas, for the City of Wellington.

Plainview—A carload of fine regis-

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tered Jerseys have just arrived in Plainview. These animals were imported into this territory thru the efforts of the County Agent of Hale County, Mr. E. J. Huey. The shipment consists of nine mature cows, twelve heifers ranging from ten months to two years of age, five baby calves, and one bull. These animals are descendants of animals that have figured prominently in the Jersey history of America. All these cows were taken before they arrived and Mr. Huey is of the opinion that another car can be placed here.

Mineral Wells—In last week's issue of "What's doing in west Texas" we referred to the cost of the New Baker Hotel at Mineral Wells as being \$500,000, but this should have been \$1,000,000 according to information received from L. E. Seaman, president of the Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce. All of West Texas is looking forward with a great deal of pride to the opening of this very fine hotel.

A. L. McCarley and family were here Monday from Andrews.

R. V. Lawrence and family returned last week from San Antonio, where they attended the Texas Lumbermen's Convention. They made the trip in the car, and reported a fine time.

Mrs. C. D. Adams left last Saturday for Mineola, on account of the death of her brother-in-law there.

George Pemberton, of Denver, is a business visitor to Midland this week, looking for steers.

Mrs. O. M. Tyner, who has been seriously ill for several days, is reported to be doing better.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Estes, Aldredge Estes and family were in from their ranches near Monahans last Monday.

ST. LOUIS Post Dispatch, New York Times, Star Telegram, El Paso Herald, Midland Reporter, and good magazines at the Elite. 85-1f

J. C. Thomas underwent a serious operation last week, and is said to be slowly improving.



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Walls Almost Up On Weinstein Building

Work on the new building of Sam Weinstein's, next door to the City Grocery, has been progressing rapidly this week, and the walls are almost up. The contractor J. H. Williamson, has a good force of workmen and is rushing the job to completion. It will be quite an addition to the business section of Midland and will furnish a desirable location for some mercantile establishment.

W. W. Brunson arrived the first of the week from an extended business trip to Fort Worth and other points.

DISTINCTION LISTS FIFTH SIX WEEKS

90 PER CENT PASS IN WORK AND 282 WIN DISTINCTION IN THEIR STUDIES

The fifth six weeks of this session of our public schools closed Friday, April 16. Reports for that six weeks show that 90 per cent of the pupils who were in school passed in all their work and 282 won distinction in their respective studies. The enrollment to that date was 670. Mrs. Benedicts room made the highest average in attendance, her room's per cent in attendance being 99.10.

Following is the list of those who won distinction in their respective grades. Those who averaged 90 or more were recorded with highest honors (Summa Cum Laude); those who averaged from 85 to 90 were recorded with high honors (Magna Cum Laude.) Those in the first group who also made 95 or more in department were placed on the honor roll, same being indicated by H. R. after their names. The numbers after the high school pupils indicate the courses by each respectively. The list follows by departments:

HIGH SCHOOL Summary

Summa Cum Laude 49
Magna Cum Laude 32
Total 81
Number of reports 160
Number passing 153
Per cent passing 95.62

- Summa Cum Laude (90 or more.)
Dorothy Manning, H. R. (5) 98 3-5
Bennie Sue Ratliff, H. R. (5) 98 1-5
Jeanette Waddell, H. R. (5) 97 1-5
Margaret Francis, H. R. (5) 96
Dorothy Ratliff, H. R. (5) 96
Elma Collins, H. R. (5) 95 3-5
Bernice Hill, H. R. (5) 95 2-5
Kitta Bell Wolcott, H. R. (5) 95 2-5
Iola Lee, H. R. (4) 95 1-5
Venoy Parr, H. R. (5) 95 1-5
Elva Smith, H. R. (5) 95 1-5
Francis Ratliff, H. R. (5) 95
Lucile Thomas, H. R. (5) 94 2-5
Eulalia Whitefield, H. R. (4) 94 1-4
Louis Thomas, H. R. (5) 94 1-5
Louise Hill, H. R. (4) 94
Jennie Elkin, H. R. (5) 93 4-5
Jessie Mae Estes, H. R. (5) 93 4-5
Mary Stone, H. R. (4) 93 3-4
Luna Fae Knight, H. R. (4) 93 1-4
Nellie Dale, H. R. (4) 93
Clinton Dunagan, H. R. (5) 93
Clara Jesse, H. R. (4) 93
Lucy B. Myrick, H. R. (5) 92 4-5
Jewell Midkiff, H. R. (4) 92 3-4
Teresa McQuatters, H. R. (4) 92 3-4
William Arnett, H. R. (5) 92 1-2
Lois Bryant, H. R. (4) 92 1-2
Sarah Stanley, H. R. (5) 92 2-5
Barron Wadley, H. R. (5) 92 2-5
Jeanette Tyner, H. R. (5) 92 1-5
Lonzo Mills, H. R. (4) 92
Golia Morelan, H. R. (5) 91 4-5
Dessie Paddock, H. R. (5) 91 3-4
Doris Bryant, H. R. (4) 91 1-4
Mabel Dale, H. R. (4) 91 1-4
Ray Gwyn, H. R. (4) 91
Annie Laurie Hix, H. R. (4) 91
Josephine Skeene, H. R. (4) 91
Lois Stone, H. R. (5) 90 4-5
Velma Winborne, H. R. (5) 90 4-5
Lora Medlin, H. R. (5) 90 3-5
Geraldine Brooks, H. R. (4) 90
Winston Elkin, H. R. (5) 90
Virginia Hale, H. R. (5) 90
Emily Flanigan (5) 95 4-5
Tommie Smith (5) 93
Ford Schrock (5) 91 1-5
Johnnie Mae Wilson (4) 9 0

GRAMMAR SCHOOL Summary

Summa Cum Laude (85 to 90)
Floyd Brown 89 4-5
Annie W. Wesson 89 3-5
C. C. Foster 89
Lita M. Ferguson 89
Jewell Perry 88 4-5
Ed Bradford 88 3-5
Ester Lee Cook 88 2-5
H. B. Cook 88
Herman Watson 87
Lottie Fay Wright 86 5-6
Cleo Brown 86 4-5
Alvon Patterson 86 1-3
Wanda Cowden 85 2-3
Ulmer Iglehart 85

GRAMMAR SCHOOL South Ward Summary

Number of reports 266
Number passing 253
Per cent passing 95.11
Summa Cum Laude 80
Magna Cum Laude 65
Total 145

Distinction List

- Summa Cum Laude (90 or more)
Billie Manning, H. R. 97 1-6
Marie Hill, H. R. 96 1-2
Bessie Dale, H. R. 96 1-2
Frances Fulton, H. R. 96 1-5
Roberta Dunagan, H. R. 96
Olga Trammell, H. R. 96
Ella Mae Newland, H. R. 95 5-6
Dorothy Dunagan, H. R. 95 1-2
Dorothy Bess Stanley, H. R. 95 1-3
Kathleen Scruggs, H. R. 95 1-6
Colia Bledsoe, H. R. 95
Mary Elizabeth Howe, H. R. 95
Stewart McGinley, H. R. 95
Helen Margaret Ulmer, H. R. 94 1-2
Marie McKinney, H. R. 94 1-5
Leonard Howell, H. R. 94
Lela Roberts, H. R. 93 5-6
Sammie Lane Cobb, H. R. 93 2-3
Alma Lee Norwood, H. R. 93 2-3
Dorothy Cowden, H. R. 93 2-3
Joel Weathered 93 3-5
Mamie Dale, H. R. 93 1-2
Alvin Bodine, H. R. 93 1-2
Sam Midkiff, H. R. 93 2-5
Martha Louise Nobles, H. R. 93 1-3
Roy Irwin, H. R. 93 1-3
Louise Wells, H. R. 93 1-6
Marian Wadley, H. R. 93
Ike Stovall, H. R. 92 2-3
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Mary Jane Dunagan, H. R. 91 3-5
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Lorene O'Neal, H. R. 91 1-5
Hope Woody, H. R. 91 1-6
Laudie Mae Wilmoth, H. R. 91 1-6
Katie Belle Long H. R. 91 1-6
Hallie Jean Cowden, H. R. 91
Mildred Lynch, H. R. 91
J. E. Hill, H. R. 91
Read Thomas, H. R. 91

Magna Cum Laude 14
Total 56
Number of Reports 88
Number passing 70
Per cent passing 79.55

- Summa Sum Laude (90 or more)
Bush Elkin, H. R. 97 1-2
Clarence Holeman, H. R. 97 1-5
Lucile Sailing, H. R. 97
Eddie Blanch Cowden, H. R. 96
Anabel Youngblood, H. R. 95 4-5
Marguerite Brock, H. R. 95 3-5
Clint Irwin, H. R. 95 1-2
Juanita Johnson, H. R. 95
Doris Tidwell, H. R. 95
Dorothy Fay Hawkins, H. R. 95
Marie Garrett, H. R. 94 3-5
Charles Gibbs, H. R. 94 2-5
Ida Mae Houston, H. R. 93 5-6
Brookie J. Dozier H. R. 93 4-5
Agnes M. Tyner, H. R. 93 4-5
Elmer Jones, Jr. H. R. 93 4-5
Raymond Mickle, H. R. 93 4-5
C. A. Goldsmith, H. R. 93 3-4
Janelle Slaughter H. R. 93 3-5
Madeline Bryant, H. R. 93 3-5
Helen Faskin, H. R. 93 3-5
Edna M. Elkin, H. R. 93 2-5
Odell Ponder, H. R. 93 2-5
Joan Arnett, H. R. 93 1-5
Ottie Williams, H. R. 93
Melba Lee H. R. 93
R. D. Hamlin H. R. 92 4-5
James Franklin Cowden, H. R. 93
Woodrow Wilson Gwyn, H. R. 93
Lonnie Smith H. R. 92
Annie Johnson, H. R. 92
Frankie Fernandes, H. R. 92 5-6
Elkin Denson, H. R. 92
Waddell Fernandes, H. R. 91 4-5
Robert Rankin, H. R. 91 3-5
Lorina Dunagan H. R. 91
George Hardin, H. R. 91
Elbert Greenhill, H. R. 91
Ray Preston, H. R. 91
J. B. Thomas, H. R. 90 3-5
Lillie Pearl Whatley, 90
B. W. Jones 90

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Stewart McGinley, H. R. 95
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Marie McKinney, H. R. 94 1-5
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Kathleen Brunson, H. R. 90 5-6
Marguerite Rose, H. R. 90 5-6
John Jr. Nobles, H. R. 90 5-6
Helen Foster, H. R. 90 5-6
Ruth Norton, H. R. 90 2-3
Addilese Haag 90 1-2
Virginia Garrett, H. R. 90 1-2
Dean Bryant, H. R. 90 1-3
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Elizabeth Hale, H. R. 90 1-6
Leora Skaggs, H. R. 90 1-6
Marie Hamlin, H. R. 90
Clyde Chandler, H. R. 90
Terry Smith 90
Anna Lee Haley, H. R. 90
Willie Farrah Neeb, H. R. 90
Gladys Norton, H. R. 90
Nell Louise McRea, H. R. 90
Olen Fryar, H. R. 90

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 90)

- Vernon Hartwell 89 2-3
Anna Belle Johnson 89 2-3
Mack Riddell 89 1-2
Ella Margaret Tyner 89 1-3
Edwin Echols 89 1-3
Allie Mae Early 89 1-3
Dan Jr. Rose 88 1-5
Annie Hankla 89 1-6
Ada Belle Hawkins 89 1-6
Dorothy Howell 89 1-6
Hoyt Baker 89 1-6
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Course of Study For High School English

For the information and instruction of those who may be interested we are pleased to publish brief outlines of the course of study in our high school. Many requests, we understand, come to our schools for copies of the course of study, and we are using this as an additional reason for publishing outlines taken from the courses in the high school. Our high school has four units of credit in English, the maximum amount held by any high school, and we are giving below the outline of the course in that subject for the first two years. It is given in the following form for each half year:

Literature.
Class Study.
Individual Reading.
Grammar.
Composition.
The outlines which follow will be self explanatory.
Course of Study
English.
First Year
First Half

Literature.
Class Study.
The teacher is required to choose one work each from Group A, Group B and Group C.
Group A, Stevenson's Treasure Island, or Kidnapped, or Elliotts Silas Marner.
Group B, Shakespears Julius Caesar, or Romeo and Juliet.
Group C, selections from Whittier, Lanier, Longfellow and Bryant.

2-Individual Reading. The allotment or reading for each pupil is a credit of ten points per term, at least one book of which must be non-fiction. (Selected list is prepared.)
II Grammar
Clippinger, Written and Spoken English, Book one, Grammar Review and pages 151-158-176-179 and 190 191 and 218-220.

Much attention should be given to the study of sentence structure.
III Composition
Each pupil should write outside of class a minimum of six formal themes one hundred to one hundred and fifty words, and in class numerous informal themes, fifteen to one hundred words. Themes should be based upon

the literature read and upon subjects with which the student is familiar in his own life. Each student should give at least four oral themes, two or three minutes in length.
Second Half

Literature.
Class Study.
The teacher is required to choose one work each from Group A, Group B, and Group C.
Group A, Dickens Oliver Twist, or Scotts Guy Mannering, or Short Stories, about 150 pages from any standard selection, with special attention to Hawthorne, Irvin, Poe, O'Henry and Mark Twain.
Group B, Shakespears The Tempest or the Merchant of Venice.
Group C, Scotts The Lady of the Lake or any ten lyric and short narrative poems, with special attention to Burns, Kipling, Browning, Lowell and Coleridge.

2 Individual Reading
The list of books of fiction and non fiction for the second half is the same as that for the first half, with the understanding that the pupil must select in his second half year books which he did not read in his first half year.
II Grammar
Clippinger, Written and Spoken English, Book One, Pages 159, 170 and 180, 182 and 187, 190 and 221, 228 and 233, 235.

III Composition
The requirements in composition are the same as those for the first year.
Second year—First Half
Literature.
Class Study.
The teacher is required to choose one work each from Group A, Group B, and Group C.
Group A, Scotts Ivanhoe, Irvins Sketch Book, or Poe's Prose Tales (about 150 pages)
Group B, Shakespears as you like it or King Henry V.
Group C, Goldsmiths The Deserted Village or Tennysons Enoch Arden.

2 Individual Reading.
The minimum of ten points, representing different types of literature should be required. Pupils able to earn more than ten points satisfactorily should be encouraged to do so.
II Grammar
Clippinger, Written and Spoken English, Book One, Pages 171, 175

and 184, 186, and 192, 201, and 229, 232, and 236, 239, and 78, 112.

III Composition
Each student should write outside of class hours a minimum of eight themes one hundred to one hundred and fifty words, and in class numerous informal exercises, fifteen to one hundred words. About one fourth of the themes may be based upon the literature read, three fourths should be based upon subjects with which the student is familiar in his own life. In the composition work of this year especial attention should be given to letters. Each student should give at least four oral themes, two or four minutes in length.
Second Half

Literature.
Class Study.
The teacher is required to choose one work each from Group A, Group B, and Group C.
Group A, Parkman's Parkmans Oregon Trail or Blackmores Lorna Doone or short prose selections from Emerson, Franklin, Holmes, Lowell, and Thoreau.
Group B, Shakespears Midsummer Nights Dream or Twelfth Night.
Group C, Arnolds Shorab and Rustum or Lowells the Vision of Sir Launfal.

2 Individual Reading
The requirements for individual reading are the same as those for the first half of the second year with the understanding that the pupil must select in his second half year books which he did not read in his first half year.
II Grammar
Clippinger, Written and Spoken English, Book one, pages 113, 150, and 201, 217 and 225, 229.

III Composition
The requirements for composition are the same as those for the first half of the second year, including business letters and argumentative talks.

Davy Crockett

(Mrs. C. L. Sterling)

Davy Crockett and family had a cabin in Texas woods,
Had a garden and a corn patch,
Rifle brought in other food;
Was a lawyer and a sharp one,
Though he seldom had a brief,
But at length there came a call
To defend a petty thief.
Three days off, ten miles away,
His only pants in tatters;
Consulted with his wife, 'twas his habit in most matters.
Honey, can you tailor-make that deerskin into breeches?
I will cook the meals if you will make the stitches.
Surely I can make them, if only I had a pattern.
That's poor excuse, you good for nothing slattern.
I can stretch upon the floor, you can make the lines by me,
The best pattern ever, no chance to gang alee.
The pants were duly made, buttons, button-holes and all.
He was proud as Lucifer, strutting through the hall.
He won his case in court and was called "Attorney Crockett"
Of deer-skin memory breeches, with money in his pocket.

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John 9:35-38, Acts 16:28-33; Acts 18 2, 3.—Mary Francis Norwood.
Talk—Leader.
Song.
Announcements and Benediction.

R. D. Scruggs left Wednesday for El Paso, to attend a Buick dealers meeting. He reports the sale of a touring to Clarence Scharbauer and a sport roadster to Allen Connell this week.

Z. T. Brown, who has been ill for the past few weeks, is able to be up, and was down on the streets this week.

Church Of Christ

Bible study each Lord's day at 10 A. M.
Preaching second and fourth Sundays and our summer meetings will be held July 23 to August second.

Methodist Church

Next Sunday will be observed as Sunday School Day and our goal is "every member of the Sunday School present." Bring a visitor along with you.
Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. L. U. Spellmann.

Miss Alice Haley, who with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Aycock are operating the principal hotel of Breckenridge, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Haley the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. King were here last Sunday from Stanton.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Social and Workers Council 9:30
Bible School 9:45
Communion 10:40
Junior C. E. 11:00
Senior C. E. 6:45
Special Mother's Day program May 9. Every body be present.

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