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NEW LOCATIONS IN ECTOR AND CRANE

FOUR NEW WELLS TO BE PUT DOWN, ACCORDING TO REPORTS HERE

Timbers are on the ground for a test by the Magnolia University No. 1 Crane County, on the north-west quarter of section 38, block 30. Magnolia No. 2, also on the University, is to be located 330 feet from the south east corner of the same section.

The Davis Realty Co. No. 1 has made a location on Section 39, Block 30, University, Crane County. The location is said to be 330 feet from the northeast line of the southwest quarter.

The Tidal Oil Company, who is said to have bought half the acreage of Turman and Maxwell near the Church-Fields well, is reported to be moving stuff in for a test on section 34, Block 30, University, Crane Co. This is the same section that the Church-Fields well is on.

Both rigs are reported to be up for the Cosden tests, one on the north-east quarter of section 13, Block B-16, Ector County; and the other on the southeast quarter of section 16, Block B-16, Ector County.

The Cosden well in Crane County was reported to be at depth of 2650 feet last Sunday, with the hole full of water.

The Sims Oil Company test on the W. P. Edwards ranch was reported to be digging in a slush pit the first of this week.

Broderick and Calvert are reported to have made a sale of acreage to the Wrightsman Petroleum Corporation, of Tulsa, running about \$12,000.

New Location In Andrews & Winkler

Amon G. Carter, publisher of the Fort Worth Star Telegram, and Henry Zweifel, formerly United States District Attorney of the Northern district of Texas, now in Washington have made a location in the north-west corner of Andrews County, three miles from the Texas-New Mexico line. The test will be in the south-east corner of section 8, Block A-55, public school lands.

Six miles to the south-east, over the line of Winkler County, R. S. Matthews of Tulsa recently made a location in the center of section 7, block A-57, public school lands.

Six or seven miles farther south-east, also in Winkler County, George McCamey has made a location in the center of the south line of section 11, block 46.

These three wells in a north-west-south east line, are adjacent to the escapment that has been mapped by geologists and is considered promising territory. It will be probably sixty to ninety days before the Carter & Zweifel, Matthews and McCamey tests are spudded.

Man, Nearly 70 Clears Land Fast

W. R. Wallace, 67 years old, has been grubbing on the Sid Hudson place, and cleared four and a half acres in one day. In thirty eight hours, he cleared nine acres.

This would be a good record for a strong man half as old, but Mr. Wallace turns the work out easily. He was born in Blue Ridge, Collin County, in 1859.

Hog Prices Rise As Year Advances

Midland County Farmers and Ranchers can congratulate themselves for securing breeding sows early in the year. The hog market continues to advance as the year passes. This week the same quality sows that were shipped into Midland County by the Chamber of Commerce and county agent are quoted from 13.65 to 15.15, with the supply being rapidly exhausted. From all indications pork and pork products will continue to high for several years.

J. Eugene Cowden and family were in from the ranch yesterday.

McREA MOTOR CO. IS NAME OF NEW FIRM

WILL HANDLE HUDSON-ESSEX CARS IN THE MIDLAND TERRITORY

Announcement of the appointment of the McRea Motor Company as dealers for Midland and vicinity for the Hudson and Essex automobiles appears in an advertisement elsewhere in this issue. Mr. O. A. McRea, sales manager of the Cowden Motor Company will assume his new business within the next week or ten days, when he receives some cars; and will be located at present in the Currie building, just north of the Post Office.

The Ferguson Motor Co., of Dallas Texas distributors, have made the appointment of Mr. McRea. They were indeed fortunate in securing a dealer of his calibre, as he has made quite a reputation as an automobile salesman and as an executive.

He came to Midland several months ago from Big Spring, where he had been connected with the Wolcott Motor Company, Ford dealers, for several years.

The Hudson and Essex cars are big sellers wherever they are worked and will undoubtedly go well in Midland.

Make 12 Locations

Marland Oil Company of Texas engineers were in Upton and Crane Counties Monday, making locations for twenty new tests for oil, according to information from the field.

This is the first step in the expansion program recently announced here by E. P. Geyer of Fort Worth, president of the Marland Oil Company of Texas. He said that thirty to forty tests would be started within ninety days in this section of West Texas.

Five of the new Marland tests will be on the Bursleson tract in Upton County, where Marland already has two producers. The remaining seven will be in proven or semi-proven territory in Upton and Crane Counties, except one test, which will be two miles north of Marland's No. 1 Hughes.—San Angelo Standard.

Choral Society In Elaborate Program

Music lovers were entertained in a rare way at the new high school auditorium Wednesday night, when the Midland Choral Society gave its spring musical festival.

A number of splendid voices, under the able direction of W. W. Lackey gave evidence of the zealous practice that has been going on for the past few months. Among the songs rendered by the club were "The Miller's Wooing", "Grant Us Thy Peace", "Come Thou Fount", "Come Unto Me And Rest", "Nearer My God To Thee", and "Forget-Me-Not." "Sandman Am A Comin'" and "Summer Roses" were given by select women's voices.

Miss Marguerite Burkhead sang "The Kiss Waltz"; Mrs. Roy Parks sang "Butterfly."

A feature of the program, which brought forth great applause was the announcement of Rev. L. U. Spellmann that the new building had been accepted by the school board, and that the beautiful stage curtains had been donated by the Civic League for the new auditorium.

Ector County Location Reported

Reports are current this week to the effect that the Llano Oil Company will drill a well soon on the E. P. Cowden ranch, in Ector County, about a half mile north of the ranch headquarters.

Guy Cowden, who was here yesterday, stated that a party was to have surveyed for the definite location yesterday. W. T. Lewis, who has been in Midland for the past few months, is at the head of the Llano Oil Company. J. T. Cross has been connected with the company for some time also.

Ad Neal was here on business the first of the week, from Garden City.

SCHOOL CLOSING EXERCISES TO BE IN NEW HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Dr. Frederick Eby To Give Commencement Sermon. Dean E. V. White to Deliver The Graduating Address. Programs Begin Sunday

Closing exercises of the Midland city schools are to be given in the auditorium of the new high school, following the acceptance of the building by the board of education Wednesday afternoon.

Elaborate curtains for the auditorium are being installed and will be in readiness by Sunday, when the commencement sermon opens the exercises. These curtains are donated by the Civic League for the auditorium, and constitute one of the most handsome gifts ever presented to a community of Midland's size.

Dr. Eby To Preach

Dr. Frederick Eby, dean of the department of education of the University of Texas, has accepted an invitation to preach the Commencement Sermon, which will be in the auditorium Sunday Morning, May 23, at eleven o'clock.

He has chosen as his subject "The Calculating Mind In The Presence Of Divine Purpose," and his message will be an inspiration to the graduating class as well as to all who take advantage of hearing him.

Dr. Eby, besides being dean of the education department of the University, is also dean of the summer school there. He is an author of note, having published one book, "The History of Christian Education," which is a well known text book. Before assuming his present position with the University of Texas, he was connected with the education department of Baylor University. He has been in Midland before, and many will be pleased to hear of his coming.

Dean White To Speak

Dean E. V. White, of the College of Industrial Arts, is to deliver the literary address to the graduating class on Thursday night, the final program of the series.

He too is well known to many people in Midland, having been here at various times when connected with the State department of education. Prior to taking the position as dean of C. I. A., he was assistant State Superintendent, and has also served as assistant director of the extension department of the State University. He is believed to have been responsible in a great measure for the

Work To Be Started May 25 On Test Well

Actual work is scheduled to begin on the test well east of town near Cedar Lake on May 25th, according to information given us this week by parties closely connected with the affairs of this project.

Fuel Oil and all other supplies have been purchased, and it is the intention of the Hucony Gas Company, of Breckenridge, the new owners of this lease, to put the crew to work on the above date with the intention of bringing in a real gusher.—Seminole Sentinel.

Lenora Whitmire Is On Univ. Honor Roll

Austin, Tex. May 15.—Dean H. Y. Benedict of the College of Arts and Science of the University of Texas has just made public a list of 439 out of 3,243 registered in the College of Arts and Sciences deserving to be classed on the honor roll for exceptional averages during the winter term of the present session. The object of the honor list is to commend officially members of the student body whose grades during the term rank them scholastically above the average. The list has been divided into five groups, according to the scholastic rank of the students mentioned.

From Midland the honor roll contains the name of Miss Lenora Whitmire.

District Agricultural Agent T. B. Wood was here yesterday from College Station, conferring with county agent J. B. Snider.

NEW PHYSICIAN WILL LOCATE IN MIDLAND

DR. W. E. RYAN WILL COME HERE FROM DALLAS JULY 1st.

Dr. W. E. Ryan of Dallas will begin the practice of medicine in Midland July 1. Dr. Ryan has already arranged for a lease of offices in the Llano Hotel.

The new Midland doctor is an A. B. graduate of Baylor University and has his M. D. from Baylor Medical School of Dallas. He is completing a year as an interne in Baylor Hospital, where he has practiced in all of the various branches of medicine. Dr. Ryan is a surgeon as well as a physician.

Mrs. Ryan is a trained nurse, and is a graduate of the Baylor Nurses Training School. She will be in Midland the latter part of next month to arrange the offices.

Hoffman Case To Trial On May 24

Austin, May 12.—The state's suit against the Hoffman Construction Company for recovery of \$421,000 and cancellation of road contracts will be set for trial on its merits about about May 24, according to word from Attorney General Moody's office. The case is to be tried in the Travis Co. district court. No definite date is desired according to word from the attorney general's office, however, until final disposition is made of the Balfer \$50,000,000 oil land case set for trial May 17.

Sees Future In Potash Industry

Fort Worth, Texas, May 19.—There is a possibility of developing potash in West Texas to such an extent that it will overshadow the oil industry, it was asserted here Tuesday by M. T. I. Page, London. Page, a mining engineer and geologist has given much study to the potash deposits of Western Texas and Southwestern New Mexico. He represents English and Dutch interests.

Page expressed wonder that the Government has waited this long to make appropriations sufficient to make an exhaustive survey of the possibilities.

He pointed out that Germany in the past furnished and continues to furnish the world with potash.

Page has traveled all over the world for English, Dutch and American interests. Most of his activities in recent years has been confined to Texas, Mexico and South America. He said that some time ago he had inspected areas in West Texas that caused him to believe that large deposits will be found in that section.

Page expressed the opinion that the beds will be found from 300 to 800 feet under the surface but mainly at about 500 feet.

The natural resources of Texas are just beginning to be topped, Page declared. He said the future of the state could only be guessed, as there are yet to be developed many resources that will bring untold wealth.

Fishing Party Left Wednesday Morning

Addison Wadley, Jax M. Cowden, Dr. John B. Thomas, and W. J. Sparks left Wednesday morning for San Saba, following up J. A. Johnson, J. Homer Epley and another man, who left with the supplies on the preceding afternoon. They gave their destination as San Saba, and expected to be gone about a week.

Sartain & Davis Spudded In Well

The Sartain Bros. & Davis No. 1 Bull, on the W. W. Brunson, Upton County ranch spudded in last Friday, according to Mr. Brunson. The location is in the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 48, Block 41, township 5-south, T. & P. Railway Co. survey; and is said to be just twelve miles due east of the Magnolia's No. 1 University, Crane Co., formerly the Church and Fields well.

BOY SCOUT TROOP ORGANIZED HERE

THIRTY-TWO BOYS APPLIED FOR MEMBERSHIP FRIDAY NIGHT

Thirty-two boys in Midland applied for membership in the Boy Scout organization Friday night at the conclusion of an address by Scout Executive W. S. Barcus. Some of the boys will be ineligible to join as they do not come between the ages of 12 and 18, the national age requirement.

The Rev. L. U. Spellmann is Scout Master. First assistant Scoutmasters are Clinton Myrick and Clarence Ligon. Second assistants are George Glass and A. W. Cato.

The Scout Committee includes Dr. J. B. Thomas, George D. McCormick, C. T. Brazington, Judge J. M. Caldwell, T. Paul Barron, Addison Wadley, J. B. Wilkinson, and R. M. Mickle. The Rev. Mr. Spellmann, by vote of the people present was named an ex-officio and advisory member of the committee.

Dr. Thomas is chairman of the training committee; Mr. McCormick chairman of the troop organization committee; Mr. Brazington, chairman of the finance committee; Judge Caldwell head of the court of honor; Mr. Barron, chairman of the publicity and reading committees; Mr. Wilkinson and Mr. Wadley, joint chairman of the camping committee; and Mr. Mickle, chairman of the civic service committee.

Only five parents attended the meeting and about 35 boys were present when Mr. Barcus spoke Friday night. He was introduced by the Rev. Mr. Spellmann who presided and who founded the present organization of the Boy Scouts, the initial organization of which was sponsored by the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

The Scout executive spoke to a few business men Friday afternoon and outlined in detail some of the work of the organization. Mr. Barcus donated his time to assisting Midland and without his aid in suggesting committeemen and otherwise generally directing the organization, it would have been almost impossible to start the first troop.

The 25 boys who are eligible to join follow: Thomas Lee Speed, Leon Arnett, Paul Cole, Jack Wilkinson, Clint Irwin, Wade Stevens, Clarence Irwin, D. W. Brunson Jr., Robert Burwell, Leman Dameon, E. B. Estes Herschel Price, J. R. Smith, John King, Bush Elkin, Herschel Arnett, Maurice Woody, Wayne Hill, John M. Speed, Robert Caldwell, John Phillip Inman, Valton Ponder, Mike Allen, Joseph Dorsey, M. D. Johnson Jr.

Boys who have joined the Boy Scouts since the organization meeting include: Ford Schrock, Charles Sandidge, Madison Sandidge, Wright Cowden, Jax Cowden, David Allen, Thomas and Ulys Barber, C. C. Foster, Henry Lee Barber, and Walter Estes.

Monday night the boys heard "Arizona Bill," Col. R. E. Gardner, veteran of the Civil, Spanish American and Indian wars talk. The boys sat about a camp fire on the court house lawn. The Indian fighter was introduced by the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Following his talk, the boys played leaping the camp fire for a few minutes.

Horse Kills Cowboy During V. H. Roundup

Toyah, May 18—Roy Jennings, cowboy, who has lived in Toyah 14 years, was instantly killed by a horse falling on him while on a roundup on the V. H. Ranch. Funeral services were held here.

Our Want-Ads Get Results

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7.03 INCHES	
January	.52
February	.22
March	1.89
April	4.20
May 5	.20

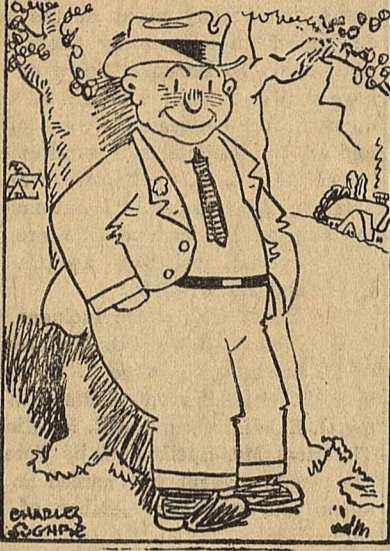
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CATTLE AND COTTON BRING SUCCESS

J. M. CALDWELL GROWS COTTON WHILE WAITING ON CALF CROP

(By M. R. Martin In The Progressive Farmer.)

I suppose some people would call Joe M. Caldwell, Jr., of Midland, Texas, a "book farmer" since he was reared in the city of Midland, and never spent one day on a farm until he finished college. His father a very successful lawyer, did not attempt to influence Joe's choice of a vocation. A large number of "father lawyers" oftentimes want their sons to adopt their vocation. Joe finished A. & M. in the class of 1921, majoring in animal husbandry. It is very gratifying to find young men who have graduated from the A. & M. College of Texas that have gone back to the farm, and are making use of the knowledge gained in successfully solving farm problems. It is even more gratifying to find a town reared boy who has graduated from the college and is succeeding on the farm by using the information gained while in college. Since Midland is known everywhere as a "cow town" and since ranching has been the chief occupation in that section ever since there has been a Midland, we suppose that Joe just naturally absorbed some of the ranching atmosphere, which has been very evident out there during all these years. Anyway Joe majored in animal husbandry, and when he finished school, he had a very definite ambition to put into practice the information which he had secured. Joe's ambition was to own some of the best Herefords in Midland or any other county. His ambition was not hampered by the fact that he was not endowed with unlimited capital to begin with, or that his father did not have a ranch for him to begin with. He immediately began working on a ranch as a "cow puncher". He served six months in this apprenticeship. About this time Joe had decided where he wanted to begin his career as a ranchman. The ranch which he wanted happened to be under lease to a man who was running about 400 head of cattle. In order to get the lease, Joe had to buy the cattle. Although the cattle in question were not as well bred as he wanted, he bought them hoping that he would be able to sell them and break even on the purchase price. He finally disposed of all the cattle without any loss, then purchased 350 heifer yearlings, most of them purebred. He then bought 20 purebred bulls. The knowledge which he had gained pertaining to livestock judging proved very valuable in the selection of his foundation breeding stock. He has 20 range bulls that are exceptionally good individuals.

The ranch has 17½ sections, most of which is used for pasture. One serious mistake which a great many stockmen make is to overstock the pasture. Joe thinks about 18 cows to the section is about the right number. His contention that, he had rather have 18 cows with sufficient grass to carry them in good condition so that he can expect about 95 per cent calf crop with small loss during the winter, than to have 25 cows on the same pasture with insufficient grass, poor per cent calf crop and heavy loss in winter, is well taken.

How He Got By First Two Years

I was interested to know how Joe had "weathered" the first two years of his ranching career when there was no revenue coming in from the cattle. He had just told me that he had borrowed the money from a Midland bank to buy his foundation stock. This question brought out the interesting information that Joe is succeeding in making the cattle baron and "King Cotton" work together harmoniously in his schedule of ranching. Most of the "Cattle Barons" of the old school resent the intrusion of cotton farming in the admitted cattle country of the west. Here, however, we found cotton paying expenses of the ranch and helping to carry the interest burden of the cattle during the time while they were getting age and growth. Each year Joe cultivates 100 acres, 70 acres of cotton and 30 acres to feed. The cotton produced 3-8 of a bale per acre last year. The 30 acres in feed produced sufficient to keep his work stock during the winter and also to

feed many cows that got too "thin" to endanger a good calf crop.

Without these 100 acres in farming, Joe would have found the going rather heavy and uncertain these past five years due to the uncertain and rather low prices which have prevailed, and to the extreme dry weather during two of the years.

Joe estimates that the entire overhead per cow costs about \$8 each year. This includes the repair and upkeep of the windmills, the cake which he buys to feed weak cows during the winter, the lease price on the ranch, and a charge of 2 per cent on depreciation. The past year his calf crop showed a net profit of about \$12.50 per cow. He had been marketing the calves at 8 to 10 months of age when they usually weigh about 400 pounds average.

West Texas News

San Antonio—U. S. Pawket, chairman of the Traffic Bureau and R. Q. Lee, President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will represent that organization at the cotton compress hearings to be held in Dallas on June 4th. Chairman Pawket has already represented the organization at past hearings at Houston and New Orleans.

Stamford—The brief of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce supporting the application of the Southern Pacific Lines to build a new line of railway from San Antonio (Falfurrias) to the Rio Grande Valley has been prepared and filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington to argue the case both on behalf of the San Antonio and West Texas Chambers of Commerce.

Alpine—The application of the Davis Mountain region for the location of the University of Texas Astronomical Observatory was stressed at a special luncheon meeting of the Alpine Chamber of Commerce held here Monday. Among those to speak on the subject was Porter A. Whaley, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce who advocates that all the towns in the Davis location, letting the selecting Board pick the particular mountain or peak best suitable for the location.

Lubbock—The West Texas Technological College announces the staging of a stupendous West Texas pageant at the close of the present College year. This Pageant will deal with some of the big accomplishments of West Texas during the past ten years, including the securing of the Texas Technological College itself.

Abilene—The Abilene Chamber of Commerce announced today that Abilene would take two hundred and fifty memberships in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Haskell—The first Air Mail Letter received in Haskell over the Fort Worth-Chicago service was received here today by B. M. Whitaker, Exhibit manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and was sent to Mr. Whitaker by the Chamber of Commerce of Oklahoma City.

Wichita Falls—J. W. Catham, Traffic Manager of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce has returned from Austin where he attended the hearing before the State Railroad Commission regarding regulations governing the operations of motor trucks in Texas. Two committees were appointed as a result of the program of discussion at Austin and a later meeting is to be held at Dallas when rules and regulations will be drawn up. Traffic manager Catham will attend this Dallas meeting, as will F. A. Leffingwell, Traffic manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Chillicothe—The United States Agricultural Experiment Station, located here, and the first place in the U. S. where the Sorghum grains were grown, immediately following the importation of the seed from Southern Africa, announces that special work in propagation of kafir and feterita seed will be undertaken as a part of the advanced program for 1926-27.

Roswell, N. M.—A special train shall be operated over the Pecos Valley Lines of the Santa Fe Railway to the Amarillo Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, according to announcement made by the Roswell Chamber of Commerce.

Abilene—Building operations have passed the \$1,500,000 mark for the first four months of 1926, a record for a Central West Texas City. San Angelo permits are also in the neighborhood of a million and a half dollars for the same period.

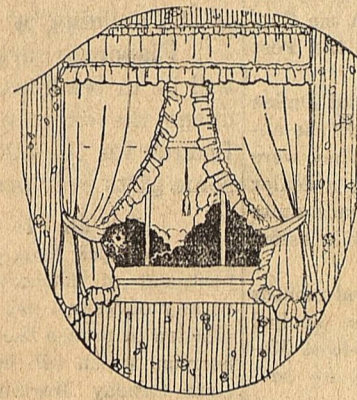
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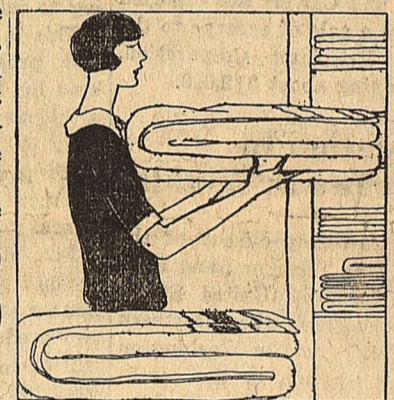
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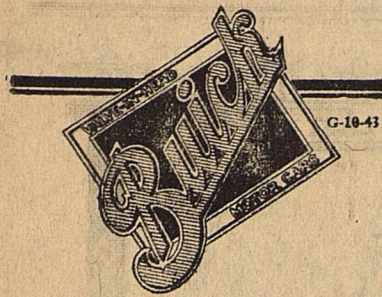
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After careful observation and much contemplation of a vexing situation regarding sanitation that should concern our population I am filled with consternation at the lack of inclination to comply with the proclamation asking for co-operation in the City's renovation.

With fond expectation that there would be more emanation or increased animation which would cause rejuvenation of the "burg" of our creation by a prompt reclamation from its filth and all stagnation the cause of tribulation in my imagination is a thrill of exhilaration and a spell of aberration result of constant cogitation of the need of purification I made visitation to the place of publication of the "weekly" summation of the news in circulation and with fear and trepidation and a state of palpitation placed a communication containing recommendation that you put Midland station under proper regulation as concerns sanitation for the present generation.

All the states in our nation are giving consideration to the cause of education along the lines of restoration to a healthful situation around every store and habitation regardless of location if it needs an application of the rules of sanitation to correct the conglomeration of all useless accumulation of filth and degradation.

After repeated notification and fervent exhortation by printed compilation of more than one declamation done to cause realization and to arouse to stimulation and a thorough investigation that would be a revelation to your imagination if you would see the accumulation of junk that needs transportation to its proper destination in some deep excavation made calculation that without hesitation or further vacillation in your mad infatuation for an improved situation around your own habitation that with firm determination you would make a demonstration that you had had an inspiration to make a concentration of all junk in abomination the it caused agitation and perhaps slight perspiration but alas in desperation I make the exclamation that I am driven to exas-

peration by your non-participation in such a delightful avocation which would cause jubilation and intense gratification if without further solicitation you would perform your obligation and clean your own reservation.

Our city corporation has no surplus accumulation of funds raised by taxation for the city's re-habilitation but has made an appropriation to pay for the operation of the means of transportation of your junk aggregation to a more a desirable location and this without compensation more than a profound gratification and a great admiration for your application to the needed mitigation and help in amelioration of an horrible situation that questions our civilization and should cause deep mortification if you are in the classification of a man of cultivation who believes in healthful regulation and home ornamentation.

Without reiteration or further dissemination for fear of obfuscation or perhaps your irritation or unjust indignation at my continuation of this lengthy declamation of my dream of idealization of thorough sanitation in my estimation it is my prognostication without exaggeration that our only salvation is a complete elimination and total obliteration of all junk and vegetation causing fermentation looks like hades and desolation causing nervous prostration and great deterioration.

In making cessation of this earnest peroration I extend all an invitation to join in association for a happy culmination of our plans for sanitation then we will have a reputation of profound signification that we are a part of civilization and worthy of commendation.

Excuse the preparation of this awful communication for I had justification to make this expostulation or rather supplication for our mutual preservation.

With Felicitation for a successful Termination,

I am your for service,
J. M. GILMORE,
City Secretary.

Knowles, Taylor & Knowles white Dinnerware one of the best on the market, 48 piece set \$3.98.—Morrison Variety. 34-1t

Henry Scott was in from the ranch the first of the week.

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- Living Room Suits, regular price \$135.00 to \$150.00 will go at **\$98.50**
- Bed Room Suits, regular price \$90.00 to \$135.00 will sell for **\$102.50**
- 1-3 Piece Dining Room Suit (French Walnut) regular price \$135.00. Sale Price **\$105.00**
- Breakfast Room Suits as low as **\$15.00**
- 45 lb. Cotton Mattresses regular price \$9.85 while they last **\$7.50**

Beginning Thursday, May 20

Lasts All Next Week

You'll be surprised when you see these Special Prices on everything in the house.

Meeks Furniture Company

MIDLAND, TEXAS

PHONE 54

No. 88. THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Ector County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Midland, Texas, (no newspaper having been published in Ector Co., such period) State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice Of Appointment Of Temporary Guardian.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Upton Hammett and Ethel Hammett, Minors, Mrs. A. W. Hammett was, by the County Court of Ector County, Texas, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the estate of said minors, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in August A. D. 1926, the same being the 2nd day of August A. D. 1926, at the Courthouse thereof, in Odessa, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such appointment, 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.

Witness, Carl Akin, Clerk of the County Court of Ector County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Odessa, Texas, this 18th day of May A. D. 1926.

Carl Akin, Clerk County Court, Ector County Texas. 34-3t

Will Attend The C. M. T. C. In July

Several Midland boys will go to Fort Bliss in July to attend the Citizens Military Training Camp. Ray Coleman, Grady Cole, Jackson Parker, and Earl Klebold have their stripped down "fliver" all tuned up to make the trip, and all four will pile on it.

Aaron Damron has also signified his intention of going, and Scharbauer Eidson will probably go.

Ray Coleman and Scharbauer Eidson were there last year, as was Alec Brandon.

If Its Job Printing, We Can Do It

Epworth League

Leader—Louis Thomas.
Song.
Scripture—Rom. 1:5 8:16:25-27.
Song.
Prayer.
Talk—Miss Christine Allen.
Song.
Announcements and Benediction.

Jack Kuykendall and R. E. Johnson went to Monahans Wednesday to see the shooting of the Gulf well.

Bratcher: Runyan and Miss Winnie Runyan arrived Tuesday from Las Vegas, N. M., and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

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KEMPER KIMBERLIN
302 Rust Bldg.
San Angelo, Texas
P. O. Box 181
Telephones: 1699
343

Mrs. Audrey Smith of Las Cruces, N. M. visited friends in Midland for a few hours Monday.

Chiropractic Adjustments, Phone 164

Miss Quinnie Cordill returned the first of the week from Wilson, Oklahoma, where she teaches school

Graduation Time Is Here

We have provided a number of articles suitable for graduation gifts, and cordially invite you to see them before making your purchase.

Make this your "Drink" Headquarters

Elite Confectionery
W. S. Hill and Sons

Curb Service A Specialty

Graduation Gifts

The time is at hand, and as usual you will find this store foremost and able to meet the demand for Gifts that are both useful and economical.

Visit our store and inspect our most complete line.

OVER NIGHT BAGS fitted with EASTMAN KODAKS, CONKLIN fountain pens, LARGE ASSORTMENT OF Compacts Traveling sets.

EXQUISITE PERFUMES: Coron Narcisse Noir, Shari, Houbigants Cotys.

STATIONERY, largest stock in town.

CITY DRUG STORE

(THE REXALL STORE)

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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.

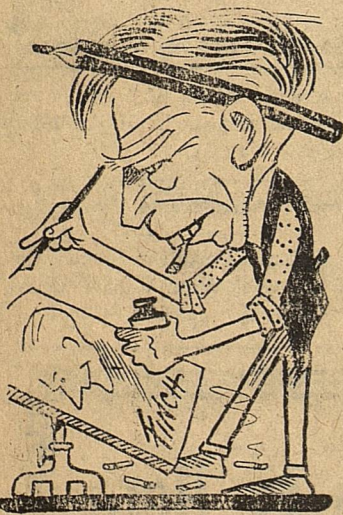
SHERIFF TAKES CHANCE

Sheriff Reeder Webb of Ector County continues to address the Midland Reporter, Midland, Texas, adding on his envelope "First Small Town East of Odessa, on T. & P. Railroad."

This designation is all right so far, but the "car-thief catching sheriff" is taking a chance.

In these days of fast spreading oil fields, a new town is likely to spring up on the T. and P. over-night, and Reeder's mail directed in that manner might go astray. We suggest that he use his old style address, making it just "Twenty Miles East of Odessa." The only way he can go wrong then is for Midland and Odessa to grow so much that they will be a few miles closer together.

Who's Who TODAY



The First National Bank of Midland will present these interesting and instructive caricatures of famous folk as seen and drawn by Finch himself.

These men and women have arrived at the "hall of fame" and should be an inspiration to every American.

A different caricature and editorial will appear each week in this newspaper on a timely topic:

Find out Who's Who Today

First National Bank
MIDLAND, TEXAS

City Property Changing Hands

Midland city property has seen more changes during the past few weeks that has been seen here for some time. Three lots on Main St. were sold this week, J. B. Wilkinson buying lot 21 in the block east of the post office from the Scharbauer estate; and C. L. Sinclair buying lots 19 and 20 from the Boaz estate. These three lots are in the heart of the business section, and it is reported that buildings will be erected if suitable rent contracts are made.

R. L. Porter has sold his home in the west end to John Edwards, who will move here soon with his family.

C. C. Hoffman of Slaton sold a residence in south Midland to C. G. Morrison.

Smith Umberson sold two lots in the west end to Foy Proctor and one to A. D. Wisdom.

John Dublin is reported to have bought the fifty foot lot north of his residence from Keller Hoffman, of Springfield, Ill.

It is reported that the C. S. Karkalits home was sold yesterday, but that details of the deal were not completed.

Mrs. Thomasson Entertains

On Saturday the 15th Mrs. Thomasson entertained on the ranch with a picnic.

Fishing was enjoyed in the morning. Othell and Mrs. Ethridge having caught their first fish. Mrs. Maggie Locklar was champion fisher woman with Lilly Hamlin next about 36 being caught.

We think Mrs. Thomasson much of a marksman as she shot a Jack Rabbit and a snake at the first shot. Fish Sandwiches, Pickles, Tea, Lemonade, Cake and Cream were served to the following guests:

Mesdames Maggie and Pearl Locklar, Louise Moore, Ruby Gee, Ruth Ethridge, and Othell Wilmoth, Virgie Lockler, Lilly Hamlin and the hostess Mrs. Thomasson.

Everyone present are hoping there will be more picnics in the near future if Mrs. Thomasson has anything to do with them.

One o s enihfte
One of the picnics,
Lily Hamlin.

Mrs. Walter Williams

Mrs. Walter Williams passed away last Monday night, at the Long S ranch, near Big Spring. She had been ill for several months, and it was known for some time that the end was near.

Her husband, Walter Williams, and her two daughters, Mrs. Harley Meeks of Midland and Mrs. Flint Cosby, who also lives on the Long S ranch, survive. The body was taken to Bronte for burial.

THE NEXT WEEK

Monday, May 24
THE SPLENDID ROAD

Tuesday, May 25
Bebe Daniels In
THE MANICURE GIRL

Wednesday, May 26
EVE'S SECRET

Thursday, May 27
Buck Jones In
DURAND OF THE BAD
LANDS

Friday, May 28
FIFTH AVENUE MODELS

Saturday, May 29
THREE WISE CROOKS

AT THE
IDLE HOUR THEATER

Stanton To Vote On More School Bonds

Stanton, May 19—An Election has been called in Stanton Independent School District to determine on issuance of \$40,000 in bonds for a high school building.

Three years ago the district erected a new \$45,000 building, with \$15,000 in equipment, and its citizens thought then they were building for many years in the future. Increase in population has made the proposed new building necessary.

Former Midland Man Died In California

Burl Holloway, who was well known throughout West Texas as one of the builders of Midland, passed to his reward in Gardena, California, last Tuesday after a lingering illness. He had been living there for three or four years, and his body was laid to rest at that place.

The deceased came to Midland from Colorado about thirty eight or forty years ago, and was engaged principally in the cattle business until he moved away. He was also connected with mercantile and banking institutions during his residence in Midland, and was at all times a public spirited and useful citizen.

One daughter, Mrs. M. R. Hill resides in Midland, and a son, Roy Holloway, lives in Abilene at present. Other members of his family are living in California.

Mrs. Josie Quebedeaux passed through Midland last Friday, en route to the McGonagill ranch near Lovington, coming from her home in Winslow, Arizona.

W. S. Hines, banker, and John Windham, cattleman, of Baird, were here Wednesday on business.

It costs you more to go without lubricating your car than it does to keep it well greased. You are paying for this service whether you are getting it or not.

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35c PER DOZEN

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At
Graduation Time

Remember Your Friends With

Gifts That Last

Gifts of Jewelry are appropriate for Girls or Boys and are sure to please.

We invite you to look over our stock. It is a pleasure to help you make your selections.

D. H. Roettger

Midland, Texas

W. T. Whittenburg and Bud Ratliff were here from Odessa Tuesday. R. T. Waddell was a business visitor from Odessa the first of the week.

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Low Prices —amazing values!

Touring or Roadster \$ **510**

Coach or Coupe \$ **645**

Four Door Sedan \$ **735**

Landau \$ **765**

1/2 Ton Truck \$ **395**
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You get every essential improvement developed by automotive engineers during the last twelve years of progress.

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50---Beautiful Dresses
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Remember we are headquarters for ladies Novelty Foot wear. Be sure and see the New Styles we are showing and at prices we can all afford to pay.

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A. P. BAKER, Mgr. MIDLAND, TEXAS

Holt Home Scene Of Club Breakfast

Maytime with its gift of wild flowers was transferred from the prairies to the home of Mrs. O. B. Holt on last Wednesday when the Wednesday Club were the guests of Mmes. Holt, Holmesly, Jax Cowden and Thomas. The already lovely home was made more so by the profuse use of wild flowers, from the spacious front porch throughout the whole house making it a bower of springtime beauty.

The breakfast was the last in the series of properly prepared and served meals that has constituted part of the study course of the club this year. Mrs. Hill acted as hostess and graciously conducted the formalities. After a refreshing appetizer served in the living room breakfast was announced and the guests passed into the dining room and found their places at the table by means of unique place cards made of palm leaf. The table laid with Italian cut ware centered with vari-colored lark spur and corn flowers was a thing of beauty; and with its sparkling crystal and gleaming silver surrounded by beautifully gowned women made an ensemble long to be remembered. The menu from cocktail to coffee was tastefully prepared and was as follows:

Fruit Cocktail, Breaded Lamb Chops, Hot Rolls, Potatoes, Creamed Peas, Asparagus, Mint Jelly, Baked Banana, Heart of Palm Salad, Cream Cheese, Guadaba Jelly, Toasted Cracker, Coffee.

After returning to the living room tables were placed and the guests played bridge. Those enjoying this delightful affair besides the club members were Mrs. H. C. Barnes of Andrews and Mrs. J. E. Taylor formerly a member of the club.

City Drug Is On Rexall Honor Roll

Information was received this week by the City Drug Store that it had been placed on the International Rexall Roll of Honor for 1925.

This is the second time this honor has been conferred upon the City Drug, having been received also in 1924, and bespeaks the good business and the fine record of the store.

—FOR SALE OR TRADE—

Good Hotel

22 Rooms Furnished
Six Lots—Well and Windmill
In Good Town
Want To Trade For Farm

Write W. O. WILLIAMS, OWNER
315 S. E. 5 Ave. Mineral Wells, Texas

A Reputation Almost Lost

It was rumored on the streets recently that one of our oldest citizens had been seen at work in his yard, so foreign to his nature was this that his friends flatly denied it. That one of his standing should risk his reputation was unheard of, though bets ran high. One man who knew his reputation in Georgia and Stevens County said he had never known him to work and he was sure it was a mistake. Finally one of his friends got in his car and went to ask his wife if this could be true. She said it was that she was hoeing weeds when Bill saw some men coming. He asked for the hoe until they passed. So you see he made his reputation and his friends are all relieved.

Contributed.

Rev. Brown Returns

Rev. George F. Brown returned the first of the week from Houston, where he attended the Southern Baptist Convention. He states that it was a great meeting, and much good was derived for Baptist churches of the south.

In commenting on the conditions in that part of the state, Rev. Brown stated that too much rain had fallen in the Houston and Waco country, and crops were suffering as a result.

Our Want-Ads Get Results

North Ward Defeats South Ward Players

The North Ward baseball team defeated the South last Wednesday, the final score being 9 to 8.

The North Ward line up was Maurice Woody, pitcher; Bennie Bizzell, catcher; Ray Parker, first base; Whitten Pinnell, 2nd base; Robert Fleenor, third base; David Allen, short-stop; Ordis Walker, left field; Clint Irwin, right field; Lloy Long, center field.

Line up for South Ward was Marvin Hedges, Catcher; Wayne Hill, Pitcher; Joe T. Underwood, first base; E. B. Estes, 2nd base; Allen Dorsey, 3rd base; Joseph Dorsey, short-stop; Herschel Price, left field; Foree Early, center field; Valton Ponder, right field.

Is Elected To Honorary Club

Miss Lenora Whitmire, Midland girl attending Texas University at Austin, was signally honored last week by her election to Alpha Phi Epsilon, honorary debating and forensic society. Requirements for membership in the fraternity are scholarship, debating experience, and general interest; manifested in literary and debating societies. Miss Whitmire is also secretary of the Versus Club, the only girls debating club on the campus.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The announcements given below are for Democratic preferment 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

For County Commissioner
 Precinct No. 4
JOE M. CALDWELL JR.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McAllister, Miss Callie Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Miles were here Tuesday from Shafter Lake and Andrews.

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED—To buy Poultry and Second Hand Sacks. Terry Elkin Phone 113 49-1f

S. J. MCKENZLES, Midland, Texas. Any time—Any where.—Well Driller. Box 613-F, Shreveport, La. 3mo pd

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

FOUND—Two keys, just alike. Owner may have same by calling at Reporter office and paying 25c for this ad. 32-1f

FOR SALE—Lumber and Building material delivered your station direct from mill at wholesale prices. Mail us list of material you want. **BUILDERS LUMBER CO.** Box 613-F, Shreveport, La. 32-3tp

FOR SALE—Pepper and Tomato Plants hardy field grown, best varieties. 10c a dozen. 50c 100, \$4.00 1000. Roy Johnson Box 128, Abilene, Texas. 33 2tp.

If you want some dwarf Feterita seed to plant, I have it. H. A. Jesse 32 1f

DROP in at the ELITE and look for your favorite magazine or newspaper. They are there. 35-1f

I haven't sold that Fordson Tractor and two row planter yet. Do you want it on easy terms? W. A. Hyatt. 33-3t

Light house keeping rooms to rent. **J. H. WILHITE**, Phone 261. 33-1f

FOR SALE—Hegari Cane Seed. See Holt Jowell 33 2-tp

STOCK NOTICE
 Dont be pestered with Stray Stock Phone 67 or 342 and Pound Man will come get them.
J. M. GILMORE, City Secretary. 33-1f

FOR SALE—I have a good seven year old mule for sale. Weight about 1100 pounds, height 15½ hands Also a few bushels of good Mebane Cotton Seed. See J. E. Wallace, one mile west of Prairie Lee School House. 34-1tp

NOTICE—FOR SALE
 Two bred gilts, nine months old. Will farrow in July. Also 3 pigs two weeks old. \$25.00 each for gilts, \$5 each for pigs. C. M. J. Stringer, Box 204, Midland, Texas. 34-1t

FOR RENT—Furnished bed rooms. Phone 195, Mrs. W. H. Cosper. 34-1f

WANTED—Experienced house keeper. Apply at old Henson Place on Wolcott road. F. H. Haynes, Stanton Texas. 34-2tp

FOR RENT—Downstairs Apartment. Phone 195. 34-1tp

FOR SALE—Two John Deer Cultivators, perfect condition, run one and three years. Pat Bodine, Midland, Texas. 34 -1tp

Little Damage At Fire Yesterday

The fire alarm sounded yesterday evening following a report of a fire at the Dr. C. G. McCall residence. A blaze had started in some way in the kitchen, but was extinguished before it did much damage. Wall paper was burned off of part of the room.

Mrs. Tommie Preston is in Midland this week, following the closing of her school.

M. C. Ulmer and family were in Abilene last Sunday.

J. M. Morgan and son were here on business Wednesday.

Smith Umberson made a business trip to Rankin Wednesday.

S. R. McKinney and family were here from Odessa Wednesday.

C. S. Aycock has been in from the ranch this week, and reports grass and cattle in fine shape.

Oil not, neither do you spin—We keep you spinning. The Ever-Ready Bunch.

A. D. Martin Here

A. D. Martin, supervising engineer of the Southern Ice & Utilities Co., of Dallas, was in Midland this week on business with the Midland Light Company.

He states that an order was placed about a month ago for new equipment for the Midland Light Plant, and he expects to have his engineers here within two weeks to look after the installation.

TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE: Royals and Coronas for sale or for rent. Elite Confectionery. 32-1f

The New **CHRYSLER 60**

Again Chrysler Quality and Performance
New Lower-Priced Six

A SENSATIONAL VALUE

Touring Car \$1,075
 Roadster \$1,145
 Sedan \$1,295
 Coach \$1,195
 Coupe \$1,165

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At last, all of the supreme value and performance you naturally expect from CHRYSLER, in a size and at a price that revolutionize values and quality among lower priced sixes.

And in this new Chrysler, the new "60" all of the Chrysler superiorities, features and new results combined in a quality six which upsets all previous standards in the lower priced fields.

Never before such a six at such a price as the CHRYSLER "60".

See the new CHRYSLER "60". Drive it. Don't be satisfied with anything less than CHRYSLER "60" value, quality and performance.

Price reductions ranging from \$50 to \$200 are now in effect on all model "70" CHRYSLERS.

Crysler "60"—Quality Features

- 6-Cylinder Chrysler Motor.
 - 54 brake horse power.
 - 60 miles per hour and more.
 - 5 to 25 miles in 7¾ seconds.
 - Easily 22 miles to the gallon.
 - 7 bearing crankshaft.
 - Aluminum alloy pistons balanced to sixteen one hundredths of an ounce.
 - Impulse Neutralizer—Not a balancer, but a device that absorbs the natural impulse reactions common to all internal combustion engines.
 - Puralator—filters all crankcase oil.
 - Centrifugal air cleaner—protects cylinders and pistons from road dust and grit.
 - Full pressure oiling system—a film of oil for all bearings, insuring long life.
 - Semi-automatic plus manual spark control.
 - Manifold heat control.
 - Chrysler roadability—easy to steer easy to handle at all speeds, always safe.
 - Chrysler hydraulic four wheel brakes
 - Levelizers, which eliminate road shocks at both front and rear.
 - Chrysler dynamic symmetry of body design.
 - Great roominess combined with Chrysler compactness for easy parking.
 - Duco finish in striking color combinations.
 - Full baloon 30x5.25 tires.
- We are eager to demonstrate the above features in the New Chrysler "60". Arrange to drive this sensational car yourself.

KUYKENDALL MOTOR CO.

MIDLAND, TEXAS

Poultry Money vs. Pin Money

Once poultry raising was "the old lady's job"—in that way she made pin money. Now it pays the grocery bill on prosperous farms and provides enough ready cash to keep the old man's name off the "dotted line."

Want to tackle it—Lets go over the plans together.

Midland National Bank
"There Is No Substitute For Safety"

A. C. Parker Clear Of All Charges

A. C. Parker, minister at Oak Cliff Church, Dallas, Texas, stands foursquare before the world after such a trial as has befallen few preachers of the Word. A quiet, consecrated, unassuming minister, every one who knew him rejoiced in 1920 when some lands he owned became suddenly the center of one of the most remarkable oil developments in the Southwest. Almost overnight this unselfish preacher found himself rated as a millionaire. He continued to live as modestly as ever, sharing the stream of wealth flowing to him with the cause so dear to his heart. Then came one of those tragedies of oil pools—the wealth ceased to flow as suddenly as it had started. Within a few months more than \$1,500,000, his whole fortune, and even his home were swept from him. With the failure, a technical charge was placed against him. He offered to resign his pulpit, but his resignation was unanimously rejected. He insisted that the case come to trial, and the facts be all placed in the open. After five years of delay and postponement the case finally came before the court and Bro. Parker received publicity the complete exoneration that was already his in the minds of all his friends.—Exchange.

Miss Georgia Bryant arrived this week from Cedar Hill, where she has spent the winter.

Announcing the Appointment Of

McRea Motor Company

Midland, Texas
As Dealer For

**HUDSON-ESSEX
Motor Cars**

In The City Of Midland, Texas

Hudson-Essex owners, present and future, in Midland, Texas will be pleased with the arrangement here announced by which McRea Motor Company in the future is to represent these cars.

The guiding policy of the new dealer will be to give Hudson-Essex owners throughout the territory the sort of service that will represent a real value in the ownership of these cars.

"Our sales and service program is built around the principle of satisfied ownership, ahead of every other consideration," said Mr. McRea.

"We are thoroughly in accord with the high standard of responsibility towards the owner, which the company requires of its representation, and believe that Hudson and Essex owners will find advantages of genuine value in the service our unusual facilities afford. In all ways we intend to render owners of Midland and vicinity the same high character of service that has won such recognition for Hudson-Essex service everywhere."

All Prices A. Y. D. (at your door)

Including freight, war tax and the following equipment—Bumpers Front and rear—Automatic Windshield Cleaner—Rear View Mirror—Transmission Lock Built in—Radiator Shutters—Motor Meter—Combination Stop and Tail Light.

ESSEX "6" COACH \$874.00
HUDSON COACH \$1,324.00

HUDSON BROUGHAM \$1,579.00
HUDSON 7- Pass Sedan \$1,820.00

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TIRE DEALERS
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Our experience and equipment help you get the most mileage, comfort and safety from tires.

Gum-Dipping—the only known method of insulating every fiber of every cord with rubber—gives the strongest construction possible. And the special Steam-Welding process makes Firestone tubes both leak-proof and long-wearing—further increasing the life of the tire.

The proof is demonstrated by the biggest taxicab and bus fleets—by race champions and in everyday service of hundreds of thousands of motorists.

Let us see that your tires are properly mounted, inflated and cared for.

We repair your tires, when necessary, by the new and better Firestone method.

Equip your car with these famous Gum-Dipped Cords and Steam-Welded Tubes. *We will take your old tires in trade*, giving you liberal allowance for unused mileage.

We Also Sell and Service Oldfield Tires and Tubes

These well-known tires are built in the economical Firestone factories and carry the standard guarantee.

We offer them at these low prices.

HIGH PRESSURE CORDS

30x3 1/2 Regular Cl.	\$10.25
30x3 1/2 Extra Size Cl.	11.40
30x3 1/2 Extra Size S.S.	14.00
31x4 S.S.	18.00
32x4 S.S.	19.20
32x4 1/2 S.S.	23.70
33x4 1/2 S.S.	24.75
33x5 S.S.	31.50

OVER-SIZE BALLOONS

29x4.40	\$14.05
29x4.75	16.75
30x4.75	17.50
29x4.95	18.55
31x5.25	21.95
32x6.00	25.15

Western Auto Supply Co.

Amarillo Convention Will Draw Thousands

Amarillo, May 17.—It is now but four weeks until Amarillo will entertain the eight annual convention of West Texas Chamber of Commerce which takes place here June 21-22-23. Preparations for this mammoth gathering of the West Texas Citizens are being started in earnest with a general program already outlined in its main features, a program that promises, to say the least, the most attractive features of any program yet carried out by the West Texas organization during its annual gatherings.

All the experience that has accrued from seven preceding conventions has been brought to the task of formulating this program. Every feature that has contributed to the success of a past convention has, whenever possible and practicable, been incorporated; and in a like manner every feature that has proved a detriment has been eliminated.

With such a wealth of experience, and with the hospitality and resources that Amarillo has to offer, there is no doubt, it is declared, but what the big gathering will this year prove amply true to expectations.

One of the biggest tasks that confronts the committee in charge of the general arrangements is the problem of properly housing the guests of Amarillo during the three days. "Amarillo is going to take care of

her obligation in this respect with the full assurance that every man, woman and child will be accommodated," asserted O. V. Vernon, chairman in charge of housing.

The detail that must be disposed of in the preparations are multitudinous. O. C. Goodwin, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development of the City of Amarillo, and his assistants are being kept strenuously busy in attending to the numerous matters that come up for decision. Homer D. Wade, Assistant Manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who has established offices in the Chamber of Commerce here, is giving full co-operation to the local organizations in their work of preparation.

Mr. Wade has announced that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has secured convention rates, a fare and one half for the round trip, to apply to the convention here on all railroads in the state. This, it is pointed out, will mean a vast saving to those who attend the big gathering.

One new feature incorporated into the program of the convention this year is the "My Home Town" Declaration Contest in which school children, taking the legend above as their subject, will declaim for cash prizes, and loving cups to be awarded by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Information on this contest can be secured from the headquarters of the West Texas organization at Stam-

ford, Texas. Another feature that has been made paramount in past conventions, is the band contest. Already 40 bands have entered, more than ever before, while it is anticipated that there will be at least 60 before the opening date.

There are but two details out of a mass. To judge from the intense preparations that are being made there will be lack of stint of legitimate amusement or profit. Never was greater enthusiasm shown in the development of plans, and never a greater interest displayed in fulfilling the obligations that have been assumed by the City of Amarillo in inviting the great organization that is building West Texas into a mighty empire of the future to bring its annual gathering this year into the hospital capital of the Panhandle.

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Fishing Down On The South Llano

H. J. Neblett, Clyde Cowden, Hezekiah Baker, Roll Bell Cowden, Percy Mims, and Dick Cowden left last Saturday for the South Llano river, where they should be catching some fine fish by this time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eidson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bell, of Miami, Arizona, are visiting Millard Eidson and family.

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Forest Ward, who is now working at Crossett, is to be employed to work a new road to be built from Crossett to the Church & Field well, he reported while on a visit here this week. Mr. Ward has been pitching ball for some of the oil town games and has chalked up some good wins.

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Flowering Time in Texas.



Just now Texas is fairly ablaze with wild flowers of every kind. Florists with all their skill are unable to cope with Nature in the variety and profusion of blossoms that everywhere delight the eye. And Nature in Texas when at her best is so lavish with her offerings that one never ceases to wonder how so much can be offered. Almost every field and hillside and waste place affords a different view, each vying with the other in its charms. The University of Texas is to have a great botanical garden at Austin, and it is hoped that spaces may be set aside for the preservation of every kind of native shrub and flower known to Texas so that none of the beauties of plant or bloom may be lost to future generations, a place where Nature lovers may come to admire and to study all that the Giver of All Good has to offer those who live in Texas.

Growing Interest in Chickens.

To some it may be a rather prosaic turn from flowers to chickens, but the newspapers will not let us forget that Texas is paying more and more attention to the growing of chickens and that the chicken business is becoming one of the great industries of the State. There is hardly a county now that hasn't a number of "commercial" incubators, where eggs are hatched and young chickens are sold by the thousands and tens of thousands. The time is soon coming in Texas when a farm without a flock of chickens will be the exception and the farmer without an interest in chickens will be regarded as wholly unprogressive. There are now hundreds of families in Texas that are making chicken farming their major interest, and all of them appear prosperous and contented.

The Harvest of Grain.

Texas has never before had such an abundant crop of wheat and oats as most ready for the harvest. In some parts of the State the binders are already running and with a few weeks of fair weather the great crop will be harvested. The winter rains gave more encouragement to diversified farming than all the preachment of the platform and press and the late season, while deplored by many, will further encourage the extensive planting of many acres to feedstuffs that would otherwise have been put in cotton. When the farmers learn to practice diversification in a businesslike way, without being forced to it by the seasons, farming in Texas will become a more stable and satisfying occupation.

Maintaining Public Roads.

With few exceptions there is general complaint about the upkeep of Texas highways under the system now in practice of letting contracts for maintaining the roads to individuals or corporations. It is impossible to determine whether a road is being kept up to the right standard, and it is but natural for contractors to give themselves the benefit of the doubt and to make all the profit possible out of their contracts. In this way some have come to regard a road contract as a sort of private snap, if reports are to be credited. In other words, some contractors are tempted to do as little work as possible for the pay they receive. Some counties are now asking that they be allowed to bid on the maintenance of their own roads in order that there may be a sense of local community responsibility for proper road upkeep at the lowest cost to taxpayers.

Fleeting Reputation.

Texas will soon be in a fever of excitement over politics and much interest will center around various candidates for office. In all campaigns the people come to think of the election of their candidates as essential to the public welfare and candidates themselves are likely to regard their personalities as of great importance. Only those who have already served the people and stepped aside know just how insignificant the service of any one person can be. It takes at least a majority of the people to make a good government. Some may be of more help than others, but all are needed. We are too inclined to elect men to office and leave to them all the burdens. After they have served either as candidates or as officials they are soon forgotten.

The death of Judge A. B. Parker in New York is a reminder of the quickness with which men are forgotten. How many persons would recall him to mind, without being told, as the democratic candidate for president against Roosevelt. He soon passed out of mind, as all others pass, of his most enthusiastic supporters, and the world moved on as before.

Texas Soon Recuperates.

Hailstorms, winds, and torrential rains have partly devastated some small sections of Texas this spring, but almost before they had passed over the work of recuperation had started. It is fortunate that the things that appear for a time as insurmountable difficulties may soon be overcome where the right spirit exists, and Texas may be relied upon for that spirit. A few of the weak-hearted give way under depression, but the great masses only strive the harder when troubles come.

LIGHT PLANT POWER IS TO BE DOUBLED

EARLY DELIVERY OF NEW MACHINERY EXPECTED BY DAWLEY

The capacity of the Midland Light plant is to be more than doubled, according to a letter received from C. S. Dawley, vice president of the Southern Ice & Utilities Co., addressed to the Midland Chamber of Commerce. Manager Mickle also received word from Dallas headquarters this week saying plans were going ahead for the installation of the new machinery.

The letter to the Midland Chamber of Commerce was in answer to a communication from that organization pointing out what was said to be totally inadequate service. At the instigation of the Midland Chamber, Stanton City officials and the Stanton Chamber of Commerce also wrote the Southern Ice & Utilities, and Odessa was also urged to write.

The letter from Mr. Dawley to the Midland Chamber of Commerce Secretary follows:

Dear Sir:—
This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 13th inst., reciting at considerable length the status of our company in Midland and the poor quality of our light service.

"Needless to say, it is with regret that we learn that our company is in such bad repute for this reason, and if conditions are half as bad as outlined in your letter, the people in Midland have been very indulgent and patient.

"In this connection, however, some time since authorization was made for additional equipment to be installed in the generating station to more than double the power capacity of that plant, and specifications have about been completed. We are advised that we can secure early shipment of all this material from the factories, and therefore we do not anticipate any serious delay in getting new equipment installed.

"We do not want to ask too much from our good patrons, but hope we can secure their indulgence for the short time necessary to make these changes, as the season is at hand when the load is becoming less heavy and the serious condition you mention will be remedied by the middle of the summer.

"The writer will also accept your invitation to visit Midland at an early date and bring this matter under personal observation, and will make it a point to call upon you at that time."

Miss Evelyn Estes returned Tuesday from Valentine, where she has been teaching school since January.

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Curtis Thornton, of Barstow, was brought here by Dr. Black of that city Wednesday, for an operation for appendicitis. He is at the Llano and is reported to be doing nicely.

Claude Duffy in charge of operations of the McCamey interests in the oil fields spent the week-end with his wife in Midland.

H. W. Rowe made a business trip to Mineral Wells the first of the week.

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L. C. Clevenger and wife, of Sanco, have been in Midland a few days visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ira Lord.

Miss Leola Bigham, who has been teaching school at Fasken, is back in Midland.

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Mrs. Ed Allen of Junction is here for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends. She was formerly Miss Winnie Carlisle, of Midland.

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R. M. Evans and family were here Wednesday, returning from Mineral Wells to their ranch near Valentine.

Allen Connell and family were in from the ranch Wednesday.

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Mrs. Oran Collins and children are here from Amarillo, visiting Spence Jowell and family.

Miss Wall's Recital Highly Commended

Those who attended the studio recital given by Miss Anne Wall last Saturday afternoon report it to have been a highly enjoyable affair.

Piano solos and duets by a number of her pupils were rendered, showing excellent training and commendable talent.

Miss Wall opened her class in January, not having been in the city last Fall, and immediately built up a fine patronage.

Woodman Circle Had Entertainment

The Ladies of the Woodman Circle entertained Mrs. Tressie Goldsticker, of Stamford, with a little social at the City Drug Store Wednesday evening, serving cream and having a pleasant chat over the work for the future Midland.

Mrs. Goldsticker is district manager for the woodman circle and has been here for a few days looking after the interests of the lodge here. She leaves Mrs. W. H. Cosper in charge of the work here and if you are interested in the woodman circle in any way call Mrs. Cosper and she will be glad to give any desired information.

We have a good membership here and let's not forget that if we as members are interested in the lodge it is our duty to attend the regular meetings to make it go. Let's make it go.—Contributed.

New Baby Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Benedict are the proud and happy parents of a fine baby girl who was born a week ago Tuesday. The mother and the baby are said to be getting along fine.

Pipkin Returning

Fred Pipkin, who has been catching for a ball team in Phoenix, is said to be on his way back to Midland with his family, on account of the illness of his baby.

Pipkin was a strong man on the Colts team last season and if local fans are going to get up the much talked of club, it wouldn't be a bad time to have a proposition ready.

J. R. Arnett was in from the ranch the first of the week.

Porter Rankin went to Monahans Wednesday to see the Gulf Well shot.

Miss Jerra Edwards is back at work with Sparks and Barron, after a vacation of a few weeks.

John Speed was a business visitor from Andrews Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Whitmire, who has been teaching school in Rankin, returned home this week.

Miss Geraldine Cowden, who has been in Waco for the past few months, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Aldredge Estes and Mrs. Oscar Yates were here Wednesday from Monahans.

Mr. Reg Voss and Miss Juanita Lee attended the Watson's musical program in Odessa Monday night.

A. L. McCauley was in from his ranch in Andrews County Wednesday.

F. L. Britton and Mr. Fowler were among those from Andrews County on business here Wednesday.

Mrs. S. M. Francis is visiting her son in Ballinger.

R. S. Denn was in from his place near Warfield Wednesday.

J. E. Hutt of Kansas City has been in Midland this week on business.

Mrs. W. S. Hill has been seriously ill this week, but is reported to be somewhat better at present.

John Hix returned the first of the week from a business trip to Dallas.

Mrs. F. E. Rankin came in this week from Rankin.

Tom McKnight was here Wednesday from the ranch west of Odessa.

County Judge S. E. Umberson of Andrews was here on business Wednesday.

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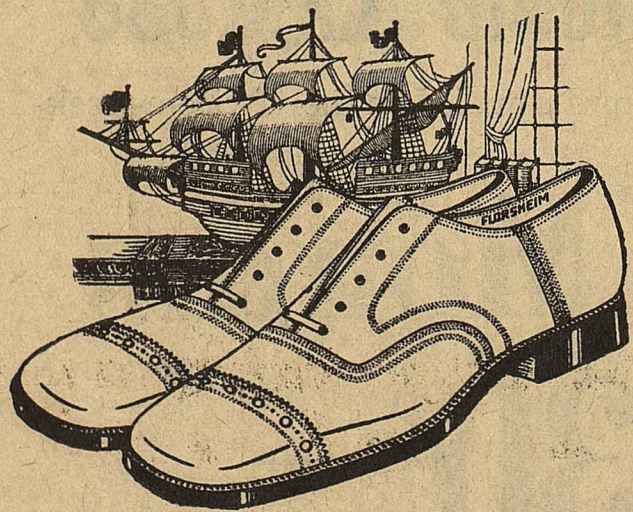
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Miss Frances King Wins Scholarship

Denton, Texas, May 15.—Miss Frances King of Weatherford, a senior in the college of industrial arts, has been awarded a scholarship for one year by the New York Art Students League. Only ten were given in the United States.

Miss King submitted paintings of flowers, two landscapes and a bowl of fruit. She has majored in drawing and painting at C. I. A. Authorities of the fine arts department consider it doubtful whether any one in Texas has previously been awarded this honor. A four year course in fine arts is offered at the State college for women.

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