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BUILDING SECURED FOR AGRICULTURAL SHOW

SEPTEMBER 16 IS DATE OF FREE FARM SHOW IN MIDLAND

Midland's one day free agricultural fair will be held this year on Thursday, Sept. 16. The fair will be held in the H. B. Allen building, formerly the Ford Garage, adjoining the Kuykendall Motor Company.

Prizes have been offered by the Chamber of Commerce, and the prize lists completed by the county farm agent and Chamber secretary. Separate classes have been made for club members. This fair is absolutely free to everyone. As an expression of appreciation to the Midland business men for their support of the Chamber of Commerce, display space will be allowed free of charge to all business houses who are members of the Chamber of Commerce. First applicants for this space will get first choice and business houses are welcome to space free of charge, so long as there is space left.

The Allen building is now being improved. A new concrete floor is being laid, and the building has been donated for the free fair through the generosity of H. B. Allen of Sweetwater, the owner.

Many people are disappointed that Midland did not have a bigger fair this year. This movement was started by the Fair Association, but when it was determined at least \$5,000 would be required to rehabilitate the fair grounds, and committees made preliminary inquiries among the men who have heretofore financed the Midland fairs, they soon learned the money could not be raised this year, and since it takes money to run a large fair, the matter was postponed for a year.

While the free fair this year makes no pretence whatever of being a big attraction, it is considered eminently worth while, and, after all it's free.

The county agent points out that the fair is of value to farmers because they can compare their own products with the prize winning products. Then, too, an expert seed man will be brought here to judge the exhibits and will tell those who fail to win prizes, exactly their products are not of as high standard as the winning exhibits.

In addition to this, these agricultural fairs are the best means of collecting exhibits for the Dallas State and Abilene Fairs. All articles exhibited will be subjected to use by the Chamber of Commerce at Dallas and Abilene, except canned fruits, of which the organization already has or is promised a full exhibit.

Every farmer or truck grower in the county is urged to make one or as many entries as he desires. Farmers who enter products will be showing their public spiritedness through helping the Chamber of Commerce to collect exhibits to advertise Midland to the other people of Texas.

The prize list follows:

GRAIN SORGHUMS—

Best 15 heads of maize \$2, second \$1, third \$.50

Best 15 heads of kafir \$2, second \$1.

Best 15 heads of higari \$2, second \$1.

Best 15 heads of feterita \$2, second \$1.

FORAGE CROPS

Best bundle of red top cane \$.50

Best bundle of darso \$.50

Best bundle of sudan hay \$.50

Best bundle of black amber \$.50

Best bundle of seed ribbon cane (for hay) \$.50

SYRUP

Best 10 stalks seeded ribbon cane for syrup \$1.

Best half gallon seeded ribbon cane syrup, 1926 crop \$1

CORN

Best 10 ears of corn \$1.

PEANUTS

Best vine and gallon of peanuts, Jumbo or Spanish \$1.

SWEET POTATOES

Best peck of sweet potatoes \$1.

FRUIT

Best and biggest exhibit canned fruit, one jar each variety \$2.

VEGETABLES AND MELONS

Biggest and varied display of vegetables and melons \$2.

BROOM CORN

Best 12 heads of broom corn \$1.

COTTON

Best 20 open bolls of cotton \$2, second \$1, third \$.50

OTHER CROPS

Best and most varied display of farm products not listed in other classes \$2.

CLUB BOYS DIVISION

Best 10 heads of maize \$2, second \$1.50, third \$1.

Best 20 open bolls of cotton \$2, second \$1.50, third \$1.

Entries close at 10 a. m. Show open to public at 10 a. m. to 9 p. m.

NO ACTION TAKEN ON QUARANTINE LOCATION

ECTOR COUNTY NOT EXPECTED TO BE IN PINK BOLL WORM ZONE

Pink boll worms have never been found in Ector County, testimony given at a hearing in Odessa by State and Federal entomologists Wednesday, indicated. No legal action was taken at the hearing, as a quorum of the Pink Boll Worm Commission failed to appear, but moral assurance was given that the quarantine line would not be moved further east, and the chairman of the commission, Lee T. Beatty of Lockhart, declared he would oppose any movement to force Ector County even to take what he deemed the unnecessary precaution of sterilizing her cotton seed.

Various speakers, among them Henry Pegues, argued that the quarantine station should be moved back to Monahans. All of the delegates who spoke declared the Monahans sand constituted a natural barrier. There was some talk of compelling gins in an area contiguous to the quarantine line to sterilize cotton seed. This would not include Midland, and no action was taken to force any gin to sterilize seed.

Testimony tended to show the pink boll worms had never got any closer to Ector County than the infested areas at Barstow, about 60 miles distant. Among those who spoke were R. E. McDonald, state entomologist, George E. Becker, Federal entomologist from Houston, Mr. Beatty, Judge Charles Gibbs of Midland, B. E. Currie of Seminole, and Henry E. Webb of Odessa.

Those in the Midland delegation were: J. M. Moss, J. E. Hill, Ralph Barron, J. B. Snider, Virgil C. Ray, Judge Gibbs, Newt Snodgrass, Paul T. Vickers, J. B. Birge, Marvin C. Ulmer, Sam Preston, Addison Wadley, and H. A. Jesse.

JOCKEYS TRAINING FOR TRADES DAY RACE

BLOSS AND FLOYD TO RIDE APRON STRINGS AND FETERITA SEPTEMBER 11

Another treat has been arranged for the Trades Day crowds expected in Midland September 11.

"Doc" Bloss will stage a fast horse race between Feterita and Apron Strings.

Jay Floyd, first prize winner of the all-round best cavalryman, and a member of Texas A. & M. Polo team, will ride Feterita, and Dr. Bloss himself will ride Apron Strings. The two jockeys started training their mounts together this week. Feterita is an old time favorite, and a hot race is expected.

The race is free to everybody. Many farmers and ranchers are expected in Midland a week from tomorrow, Saturday, Sept. 11 to hold their tickets for the money given away by Midland business men, and to see the free horse race, arranged through the co-operation of the business men giving away Trades Day tickets, and Dr. Bloss.

Hamilton Gin Company Installing New Engine

The Hamilton Gin Company is completing the installation of a new Fairbanks-Morse engine, and will be ready to start ginning by September 9 or 10, according to Ira Cochran, manager of the Midland plant.

Last season there was a great deal of engine trouble at the new gin, but with the Fairbanks-Morse, all of this is expected to be eliminated. Murray Gin machinery is used in the Hamilton Gin, as advertised elsewhere in this paper.

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NOBLES LETS CONTRACT FOR NEW BUILDING FOR NOBLES MOTOR CO.

A. J. Nolan Of Colorado Is Successful Bidder

When Contractors Met Here

Last Friday

The Nobles Motor Company, local Chevrolet dealers, will be in a fine new home within the next three months, and will have one of the most desirable locations in Midland.

Mr. Nobles recently bought the fifty foot corner lot where the City Hall now stands, and let a contract last Friday for the erection of a building 50 by 130 feet.

Several contractors were present to bid on the job, one Midland contractor bidding, and A. J. Nolan of Colorado was successful. The contract price is approximately \$14,000, according to Mr. Nobles, and about \$2,000 more will be spent to equip the building. W. W. Whipkey of Colorado is the architect.

The structure will be built of brick and hollow tile and will have a concrete floor throughout. The northeast corner will be a drive in filling station. West of it will be a 20 by 36 show room, with plate glass front.

The parts room will be on the east, just south of the filling station, and will also have plate glass windows.

The office will be between the parts room and where the present vault is located.

There will be a ladies rest room in the building.

A inside wash rack will be built in, so that cars may be washed in the shade at all times, preventing damage to the finish of cars by the sun's rays.

Ample storage room will be in the building, and there will be two entrances on the east side for this department.

Under the southeast corner, a basement 12 by 16 feet will be located and will be used for a heating plant.

Mr. Nobles states that the contractor expects to break dirt for the job about Monday and plans to complete the building within seventy-five working days.

This will be one of the most modern and best equipped garage buildings in west Texas and is a credit to Mr. Nobles and to the community. The Nobles Motor Company is keeping pace with the development of the territory which it serves.

Funeral Of Miss McCormick Held

The entire community was shocked Sunday morning by the news of the death of Miss Willie McCormick who passed away about 8 o'clock that morning following an operation a few days before. Many had not heard of Miss McCormick's illness. She was apparently doing exceptionally well, but it is reported that weakness of her heart was fatal.

Miss McCormick had been living in Midland for about two years and was in the employ of the local post office. She lived at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. B. Dunagan, and had made a large number of friends during her residence here.

The funeral services were held Monday morning at the Dunagan residence at ten o'clock, and the body was laid to rest in Fairview Cemetery.

Besides Mrs. Dunagan, two sisters and two brothers survive, Mrs. C. E. Strickland of Brady, Mrs. C. A. Butts who lives in Arkansas, L. B. McCormick of Eola, and Leonard McCormick of California.

Directors Called At C. of C. Today

Directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce have been called to meet for a brief session this afternoon at 4 o'clock to discuss a matter of importance to the farming interests of the county, which requires settlement at once.

Reid Is Editor Colorado Record

W. E. Reid, for the past few years mechanical superintendent of the Colorado Record, has assumed the duties of editor of the paper, succeeding W. S. Cooper who recently resigned to become secretary of the Breckenridge Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Reid has had a great deal of experience on the editorial and news ends of papers in Bryan, Waco, Commerce, and other towns. The Record will continue to be newsy and of much usefulness to its territory.

Birthday Party For W. T. Beauchamp

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Beauchamp recently, celebrating the seventieth birthday of Mr. Beauchamp. A large crowd of friends, relatives and neighbors were present. An elaborate supper was spread, with every kind of good eats. Those who attended report a fine time and are hoping to help Mr. Beauchamp celebrate a number of birthdays.

WESTBROOK-HENDRIX SHOWING GAS AND OIL

BUCHANAN AND JOHNSON WELLS WAITING FOR PLUGGING ORDERS

One salt water well in Ector County and practically completed plans for a thorough test of the so far small Winkler producer are the principal developments in drilling operations in these two counties.

Eastland Oil Co. No. 1, Buchanan, section 20, block 44, Ector County, is waiting for plugging orders. The hole is flowing 350 gallons of salt water per hour, presumably by oil men from gas pressure. The well is 3,523 feet deep. The salt water sand was topped at 3,511 feet and starting running over at 3,518.

Westbrook-Hendrix, section 42, block B-5, Winkler County, is showing 250,000 cubic feet of gas and some live oil. The casing was cemented, the bridge drilled out and the well has been cleaned to within one foot of bottom. Drillers believe they have successfully shut off water from above and the hole is to be bailed and swabbed for several days to get all possible water out of the sand before it is put on pump.

Chesapeake No. 1, Johnson, section 42, block 43, Ector, is waiting for plugging orders. The hole is down 3,605 feet in anhydrite.

A record of the week's operations in other Ector wells shows Simms No. No. 1, Edwards, section 20, block 43, to be fishing for a string of 8 inch casing at 2,551 feet. The pipe parted while it was being set.

Exploration No. 1, Kloh et al, section 39, block 45, is shut down at 2,951 waiting for drilling line. Richardson No. 1, Henderson, section 3, block 43, had had considerable trouble with the hole and is now underreaming. Cosden-Connell No. 1 section 13, block B-16 is shut down at 2,525 waiting for an engine head. Cosden Connell No. 1-B, section 16, block B-16 is drilling in lime at 3,565. Llano Cowden No. 1, section 5, block B-14 is drilling in salt at 1,160. Anhydrite was topped at 1,095, and the salt was entered at 1,130.

A location has been made by the McCullough et al on the Tobe Martin place in Winkler County, public school land.

Taliaferro et al No. 1-Maddox, center of S. W. quarter of section 28 block A, Winkler County, was at 630 feet on last Saturday.

Reports from Winkler show Brandon-McCamey No. 1, Kloh et al section 11, block 46 to be drilling in anhydrite at 2,591. Ladd-Simms No. 1 Amberger, section 24, block B-7 is fishing for two strings of tools at 635 feet. Zoch et al No. 1, Sealey, section 33, block A is rigging up.

Magnolia No. 1-O'Keefe University section 38 block 30, Crane County which topped the pay at 3151 on August 25, swabbed 175 barrels on August 27.

Magnolia-University Survey in Crane County which topped the sand at 1165 stood at 2275 last week.

The Tidal Oil Co.-University, section 34 in Crane County, which topped the sand at 1135, topped the lime last Saturday at 2903 feet.

The Humble O. & R. Co.-McElroy, section 30, block 42 township 5-south stood at 1640 on August 27.

The Gulf McElroy No. 3, section 203 block F, Crane County, stood at 2916 feet on August 30.

The Davis Realty Company has made a location on University land, section 39, block 30.

The Dunning well, section 198, B-F, closed for repairs on rig with the hole 715 feet down.

The MacLain-Hughes No. 1-D topped the sand at 740 and on September 1 was drilling at about 980. This well is on section 88, block X. Oil men say that if a well is brought in here an entirely new field will be opened.

Church and Fields are to drill their first well since they brought in the discovery well on block 30, section 34, now known as Magnolia No. 1, University. Church and Fields sold this producer to Magnolia, but retained a small acreage near the well. Location for the well is 330 feet from the north and east lines of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 34, block 30, and is 1320 feet west of the Tidal, an offset to Magnolia No. 1, which is due to drill

DELEGATIONS GOING TO ODESSA AND ANDREWS

ROAD IMPROVEMENT AND PINK BOLL WORM DISCUSSED AT C. OF C.

Directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce Monday night authorized the president to appoint a committee to go to Andrews next Tuesday to talk to people of Andrews County about co-operative plan for improving the road to Midland.

W. F. Scharborough was chief spokesman for the Andrews people in urging improvement of the road. He declared it now required three hours to make 40 miles in an auto because of the ups and downs, bumps, jumps and humps in the road. J. C. Roberts added his testimony to the bad condition of the road.

Directors Marvin C. Ulmer, Ralph M. Barron, Ira F. Lord, Ben F. Whitefield and T. Paul Barron, present at the meeting, also encouraged the sending of a good delegation to Odessa to protect Midland's interests at the cotton zoning conference at Odessa.

The proposal of Ralph Barron that a Texas map showing the strategic location of Midland with reference to other cities, and the sources of Midland's income, be made into an electroplate and used on the backs of envelopes used by Midland business houses, was heartily approved.

The secretary reported definite progress on three roads in which the Chamber of Commerce is interested, one of which will be an entirely new road leading into Midland.

Dr. Hall Makes Big Land Trade

Dr. J. G. Hall has completed the details of one of the largest land deals recorded in this part of the country recently, having acquired 1,400 acres of land in Hale County valued at \$70,000 and a labor of land just east of Littlefield valued at \$5,000.

In the deal, Dr. Hall put his Midland home in at \$25,000, including his famous chicken ranch. This fine place is located just on the southwest edge of town.

The other contracting party was the Temple Trust Company of Lubbock, represented by Mr. T. P. Duggan, vice president.

Dr. Hall and Mrs. Hall retained possession of their home here until Oct. 1st, at which time they will move to Lubbock to live. Midland is losing valuable citizens in the departure of the Halls, but Lubbock is gaining the same.

George Weins Have Fine Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. George Wein have a fine baby boy. The young fellow arrived Wednesday afternoon and weighed 8 pounds. George says he has exceptionally strong lungs.

Going To McCamey

Henry Currie is moving to McCamey next week and will engage in the dairy business. He has leased a place and will take his sixteen good milk cows with some others he has bought.

Five other locations have been made near the Magnolia, but are waiting to see what the Tidal does before spudding.

Humble No. 1, section 30 block 42 Upton county, was at 1960 feet in hard lime yesterday.

The Humble No. --Ricker & Dodson, section 5-D & G. survey, Upton County, lost bit in the hole at 2160 feet and are fishing. Oil stood 1,000 feet in the hole.

1926 RAINFALL TOTAL IS 13.71 INCHES	
January	52
February	22
March	1.99
April	4.20
May	1.33
June	3.04
July	1.84
August 16	.14
August 18	.23
August 30	.30

When You Go In A Cafe What Do You Want?

Do you want good Food, well selected and properly Cooked?

Do you want Cheerful, Smiling, and Courteous Service?

Do you want a nice Cool and Comfortable place to Eat?

Do you want moderate and fair prices, and no Over-Charges!

IF YOU DO,—GIVE US A TRIAL!!

Crystal Cafe

Across Street from Post Office
Tom Flood, Proprietor—Midland, Texas

New Book-Keeper At Cowden Motor Co.

Mrs. Blanche Walker of Plainview arrived last week and took the position of book-keeper at the Cowden Motor Company. She has had considerable experience in this particular kind of work, having been connected with the Ford business in Plainview, and comes to Midland highly recommended.

Fred Allen of Sweetwater has been in Midland for several days looking after the improvements being made on the H. B. Allen building.

What's Doing In West Texas

White Deer—A contract for a new 45 room hotel has been closed here recently. Each of the rooms will have an outside exposure and will be equipped with all modern conveniences. This building will also be used for a number of offices, which will also have the advantage of an outside exposure.

Lubbock—Lubbock's new \$500,000 six story hotel will be opened September 1, according to the manager. The hotel is modern in every particular. There are 124 guest rooms, a large lobby and coffee shop on the main floor, a banquet hall, and three dining rooms. There will also be an open court for dancing and for public gatherings.

Big Lake—This city's paving program is to be gotten under way soon, following a recent meeting of property owners relative to carrying out the program which has been arranged, calling for paving from the Orient Ry. north on Main and one block each way on all streets at their intersection with Main Street.

Rising Star—Work on the Brownwood Rising Star state highway is making good progress. The right of way, which will go through fields will be delayed until crops are gathered. Three crews are at work on this project at present.

Clyde—Answering the call of W. H. Shanks of the Chamber of Commerce the Callahan County Sheep and Goat Raisers Association has recently been organized. The organization plans to build ware houses at Clyde and make the city a market center for their products.

Plainview—An incubator with a 12,000 egg capacity will be installed in Plainview by the Bonner-Price Co. of this city. The firm will have baby

chicks to sell in season. M. M. Bonner believes that there will be a good market for the custom hatching. The incubator, to be used is one of the largest of its type sold.

Sweetwater—Agitation is being started here for the establishment of a local creamery to be owned and operated by local dairymen. This project was started soon after the recent organization of the Nolan County Dairymen's Association.

Slaton—The Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. expects to spend an amount of \$77,000 in new building, new outside equipment, and the installation of the new common battery system here soon. The completion of the new system is expected early in the new year.

Almagorda, N. M.—Work on the new power and light plant for this city has begun. C. M. Einhart of this city is to be manager of the new plant. A total of 2300 volts of current will be generated by the plant. Lines are to be built immediately to Tularosa and to a shallow water pumping belt. They will be constructed to other cities later. The cost of the entire plant is to exceed \$200,000.

Stamford—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been instrumental in aiding the farmer to kill the leaf worm which has recently made its way into the bumper cotton crop of West Texas. The chamber has put those communities needing calcium arsenate or other poisons for this pest in touch with places where supply was in excess of the demand.

District Court Convenes Sept. 6

District Court will begin September 6, and the list of petit jurors for that week and the next are given herewith.

List of Grand Jurors For September Term of Court Beginning on the 6th of September at 10 o'clock.

District Court.
E. P. Cowden,
R. O. Brooks,
C. W. Crowley,
Millard Eidson,
W. S. Hill,
M. D. Johnson,
C. W. Kerr,
Foy Proctor,
J. T. Ragsdale,
W. M. Schrock.
A. Wadley,
M. W. Whitmire,
Herd Midkiff,
K. S. Boone,
W. A. Hutchison,
W. W. Wimberley.

List of Petit Jurors for District Court—Second week, on 13th day of September at 10 o'clock.
H. W. Rowe,
Frank Smith, Jr.,
W. H. Strader,
Jno. P. Howe,
J. A. Andrews,
Joe Youngblood,
Tom Jones,
George D. McCormick,
Lon Roberts,
R. V. Hyatt,
S. C. Clark,
K. E. Nutt,
A. B. Cole,
E. B. Patterson,
J. T. Buffington,
C. B. Hill,
R. V. Lawrence,
F. H. Wilmoth,
W. C. Driver,
Horace Newton,
Curtis Nance,
Troy Eiland,
Neal Staten,
M. C. Ulmer,
W. L. Locklar,
A. W. Stanley,
A. F. McKee,
Joe Roberts,
A. G. Greenhill,
C. G. Walker,
R. M. Barron,
A. Fasken,
Edd Cowden,
H. M. Carpenter,
J. G. Arnett.

Rancher Slays Lion, Panther and Sees Bear

Ed Fowlkes, who owns the famous Top of Texas ranch in the Davis Mountains, killed a lion and a panther and saw a bear all at the same time within a half a mile of his ranch house, according to an article in the Alpine Avalanche. He could have easily shot the bear but the season is closed on bruins.

This ranch is being converted into a hunting preserve.

W. L. Graves and Misses Elma and Beulah Graves returned Saturday night from an extended automobile trip to south Texas and the Rio Grande Valley. They visited Calvin Noble and family in Harlingen, where Mr. Noble is advertising manager of the new daily paper, The Valley Evening Globe.



Peggy Paige Uses

Uneven Hemlines to Accent the Slender Grace of the New Full Skirt

The graceful fullness of the new short Skirt is a triumph of ingenuity for, as the cleverer designers treat it, it enhances rather than destroys the lissome slenderness of the prevailing Silhouette. With the new semi-fitted Bodice, it is particularly effective, as in these unusual Models for our Weekly Style Service.

Black Satin draped snugly over the hips and caught with a button in front, gives the new Blouse-back Silhouette to the Frock at the left. Rosetta Satin is used for Vest, and for facing on Cuffs and Bodice. The Collar effects a bow and long streamers in back.

Strawberry colored Georgette in combination with Chanel Red Satin achieves a triumph of line and movement in the smart Afternoon Frock at the right. A shaded Flower at the shoulder is the only trimming. The Shirred Skirt is edged with Satin, widely scalloped.

SPECIALY DESIGNED BY PEGGY PAIGE FOR THE WEEKLY STYLE SERVICE—EXCLUSIVE WITH THIS STORE

Jungle Green, Claret, Chatet, Spanish Raisin and Black are the New Fall Colors.

Black predominates, trimmed in almost any color, but exceptionally strong with flesh georgette.

Creme Satins, Flat Crepes, Frost Crepes, Crepe Failles, Satins and Georgettes are the most popular materials in silk.

Black Satin Crepe are the most popular at this time—Georgettes are growing in popularity.

The early demand for Maire is waning—in fact many of the better dress makers have abandoned Maire entirely.

Needlesheen-Flannels—Charmees in woolen materials and the wonderful non-sag, silk and wool Jerseys will prove the better items in woolen fabrics.

The Styles are New—in fact it seems that the authorities have combined to make the remodeling of last years dresses almost impossible, Full Sleeves, Jabot Collars, Bolero Effects, Bloused Waists, Tiered Skirts.

All the new fall ideas and creations are here for your inspection and approval.



Beautiful Millinery

And you may choose your style or hat to suit your self, large or small each are equally popular.

New Felts at \$2.85 to \$12.50
New Models from Fashion, Gold Medal,
Patricia and Harbel at \$5. to \$20.00

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Everything prepared right at our fountain.

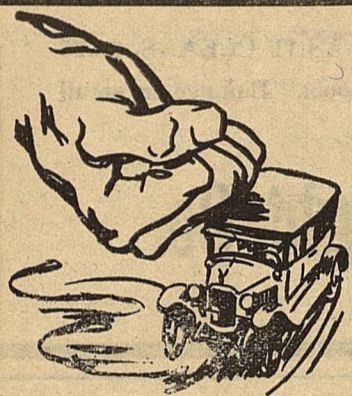
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Cars crash constantly. The clenched fist of carelessness—brakes that fail—slippery streets, drunken drivers, sudden turns,—you may escape disaster, but the odds are all against you.

Make sure of your insurance protection. Make sure that you carry Complete automobile insurance. Make sure that you consult this agency of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company. Call us up today. You may be glad you did tomorrow.

SPARKS & BARRON

Midland Texas
Phone 79

Big Spring To Have Tennis Tournament

Tennis players of Midland have been invited to enter a team in a tourney to be held at Big Spring Sept. 6 and 7. Several other surrounding towns have been invited to enter the tourney. If Midland has two tennis experts who would like to participate in the meet, arrangements for their entry will be made by the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

This Will Astonish Midland People

The QUICK action of camphor, hydragrist, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash, is surprising. One man was helped immediately, after suffering with sore eyes for 15 years. An elderly lady reports Lavoptik strengthened her eyes so she can now read. One small bottle usually helps ANY CASE weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE.—City Drug Store.

Miss Eddie Taylor of Alexandria, La., arrived the first of the week to visit her sister, Mrs. Ellis Cowden. She is also visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Taylor of Best.

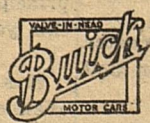
R. S. Yarbrough of Barstow was in Midland last Sunday.

These Added Touches To Insure Motor Car Satisfaction

In the 1927 Buick you will find a host of improvements. Here are some of the luxurious details.

- Balanced Wheels.
- Heel Operated Heater Control.
- Thermostatic Circulation Control.
- Giant Tooth, Quiet transmission.
- Jet Black Tires with Jet Black Rims.
- Suction Tip on Windshield Wiper.
- Exclusive Upholsterings and interiorware.
- Arm Rests on Rear Deck Seats.
- Recessed Windows.
- Coronation Colors in Duco.

The Greatest



Ever Built
CITY GARAGE
R. D. SCRUGGS, Proprietor

Scouts To Have Trip To Salt Lake Sept. 9

Boy Scout work which has been lying dormant for some weeks will come to life with a bang Thursday, September 9th with an all day outing at Salt Lake, south of town.

The scouts have been widely scattered during vacation days but with the opening of school and the return to regular habits scouting will be resumed.

The day at Salt Lake will be spent in games, swimming, scout drill, and a general good time. Any scout having surplus energy left may hike back to town in the evening.

Everybody from 12 to 17 years of age (inclusive) who expects to do regular scout work this fall and winter is invited to go on this outing. Trucks will be provided for transportation.

Be on hand at the Court House lawn, ready to leave at 9 o'clock sharp. Bring your scout rope and your lunch. Lunch should include bread, meat (uncooked) onions or pickles and anything else you may wish to bring.

Every scout who reads this is expected to do a good turn by telling some other scout.

Keep the date in mind, Thursday September 9th.

L. U. Spellmann.

Mr. Moss Writes On Cotton Shedding

Farmers of Midland County who have wondered why cotton sheds will be interested in hearing the explanation given by such an eminent expert as B. L. Moss, who is also a Midland farm owner. Mr. Moss has given Midland much publicity since he bought land in the county. The article on cotton shedding appears in the current issue of "Progressive Farmer," and is as follows:

The season for cotton to shed or throw off its little bolls is here, and many farmers will doubtless again wonder why their cotton does not hold and mature into bolls all the forms that are put on. It seems that nature puts two or three times as many squares on cotton as ever makes bolls, and that this is a sort of wise insurance against adverse weather conditions and various insect pests. If all our squares made bolls, many of us would make two or three bales per acre, and we do not expect it.

However, we should do all we can to hold all the forms possible, and when we remember that so-called "weather shed" is primarily due to plant starvation or malnutrition, the remedy naturally suggests itself. When in the later part of July, cotton begins to throw off its little bolls by thousands and millions, we may be sure this is happening mainly because the plants are not getting the plant food they should have. This may be due to the plant food not being in the soil; too deep, close cultivation that cuts the roots and cuts off the plant food supply; so excessively dry weather, furnishing insufficient soil moisture to carry the plant food from the soil to the plants; or to excessive moisture in the soil drowning the root system and thus cutting off the plant food supply.

Soil poverty, and particularly a lack of available nitrogen, I believe is probably the cause most responsible for excessive shedding. Certainly this is true on our average hill lands in the Cotton Belt, where most soils are naturally very poor. As I have pointed out before in The Progressive Farmer, the average fertilizer is much too low in nitrogen for our thin hill lands. I am convinced, and experiment station results bear me out that our average poor hill lands need as much nitrogen as phosphoric acid in a fertilizer for cotton, and I am regularly using equal parts nitrate of soda and acid phosphate in my mixtures, with some potash where needed. Not only should the proportions of acid and nitrate be about equal, but the actual amount of nitrogen applied should be heavy. Four hundred pounds per acre of nitrate of soda, half of it used as a side dressing, is none too much, my experience indicates.

So then, the remedies for excessive shedding are these: 1 plenty of quickly available nitrogen, especially on our poor hill lands; 2 careful cultivation so as to do the least possible injury to the roots of the plants; and 3, the control of moisture, so far as we may, by drainage, terracing and the maintenance of an adequate humus supply.

Chiropractic Adjustments, Phone 164

Idlehour To Have Attractive Program

"Black Pirate," "Sparrows" and "Stella Dallas," three recent releases will be shown on the screen at the Idlehour in the near future, according to Manager Williams.

Lee Bros. 4-Ring Wild Animal Show



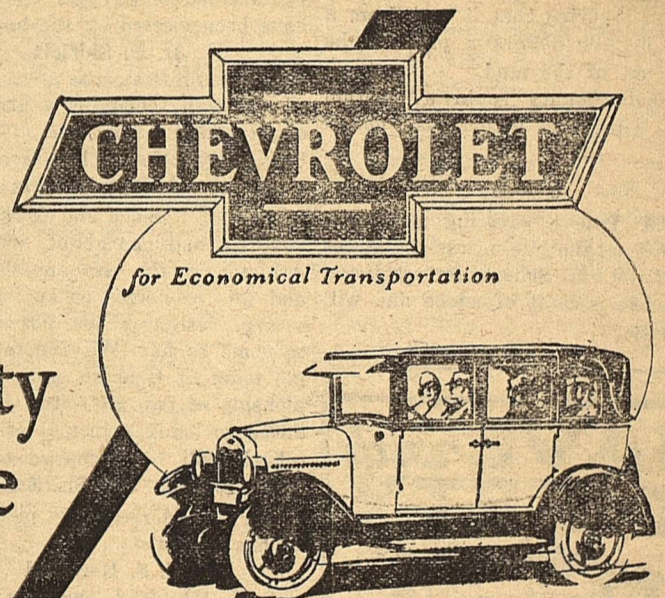
Former Movie Girls come with the Lee Bros. Show devotees of the celluloid form of amusement will recognize several of the girls of the Motion Pictures in the spectacle, *Cinderella in Jungleland* which will open the performance of Lee Bros. 4-Ring Wild Animal Show, A section of the Ballet of the extravaganza is shown above.

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BIG SPRING PAVING

Big Spring is making headway on the paving program, and will soon have fine streets there. At present their main street is awful and would cause complaint from almost anyone. Yet it isn't much worse than our own street is, and we have not started paving. Until the main street of Midland is paved it cannot be kept in good condition. The same is true of any street where traffic is heavy.

AFTER DELINQUENTS

Mitchell County is going after delinquent taxes, and eleven columns of the delinquents appeared in the Record last week. Last week we referred to Brewster and Pecos Counties and their work along the same line.

A local attorney referred to our editorial, using the term "such colossal ignorance." Fortunately we had informed ourselves before writing the editorial. The fact that the major part of the delinquent taxes are on property in the town of Midland does not alter the fact that the taxes are delinquent and should be collected.

IATAN FLAT MUD

Tourists coming into Midland Monday night from the east told some wild tales about the mud in the Iatan flat, and stated that they never felt better than when they got on the asphalt strip that starts in Howard County and comes on through Midland.

The Iatan flat in Mitchell County, and leaders there have repeatedly brought up bond issues which have been defeated. Nolan County, just east of Mitchell, is building a fine road. Taylor County has bonds voted for paved roads through the Co. From Midland to El Paso there are very few strips of bad road left and these are being improved.

Several tourists complained to the Reporter about the luck they had Monday night in the Iatan flat. Some of them reported that it cost from a dollar to five dollars a piece to be pulled out of the mud.

Mitchell County is in a position where immediate action is necessary.

W. M. Pyle is erecting a modern residence on the lots across the street east of the Phil Scharbauer residence. The house is built of adobe and will be stuccoed.

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OUR NEW TEACHERS AND WHO THEY ARE

VERY STRONG FACULTY ANNOUNCED FOR SCHOOL YEAR WITH TWO ADDITIONAL TEACHERS

It will be of interest to our readers, and especially to the patrons and the students of our schools to know who our teachers are for the coming year, and we are pleased to publish list of the new ones. We understand that two additional teachers will be in the number this year, one in the high school and one in the grades. The additional teacher in the high school will have charge of the courses in commercial arts, including short hand typewriting, book-keeping, commercial arithmetic, and allied subjects. The additional teacher in the grades became necessary on account of the increased enrollment and the necessary re-organization of that department. The organization of the school will be as heretofore: With a superintendent, three principals and nineteen or twenty teachers. The principals will be a high school principal, and two ward principals, but the central ward principal will have six teachers in his department instead of three, and the south ward principal will have six instead of eight teachers in his department. This will provide for all the grammar and primary pupils on the south side of the railroad track to be cared for at the south ward building, and all the corresponding pupils on the north side of the track to be cared for on the first floor of the new high school building. The senior high school, or the high school proper, will occupy the second and third floors of the new building. The assignment of teachers and pupils to buildings, departments, grades and half grades will appear in next week's issue of The Reporter. We are glad to give below a list of the new teachers who have been elected by the board:

D. D. Shiflett
D. D. Shiflett, the new principal of the high school, is a graduate of a good high school and of Simmons University. He has had several years of successful experience in the high schools of Lamesa and Graham. Last year he had charge of Science and Athletics in the Graham high school and was re-elected at an increase of salary, resigning his position there to come to us. We understand that his team at Graham won the championship of two districts. He, in addition to being principal of the high school, will have charge of science and athletics. Mr. Shiflett comes to us highly endorsed from places where he has taught.

C. S. Hereford
C. S. Hereford, the new principal of the south ward, is a graduate of a good high school and has had three years in Southwestern University. He has had several years of successful experience as grade school principal in the schools of Granger and Jonah, and comes highly recommended by those who have known his work. He was a star on the Llano high school football team the year it won the state championship, and has played on the Southwestern team in college. He will teach and direct the junior athletics at south ward.

F. S. CHEEK
F. S. Cheek is a graduate of the South West Texas Teachers' College at San Marcos and has had several years of successful experience, resigning a position in the San Marcos high school to come to us. He has had successful experience in coaching all forms of high school athletics, and will be in charge of the junior athletics of his building. He has been elected to take charge of one of the grammar schools of the city.

H. Clay Searcy
H. Clay Searcy, Jr., is a graduate of the Terrill school of Dallas and of Southern Methodist University. His specialty is mathematics and he will have charge of that department in the high school. One professor says: "Mr. Searcy is one of the very best men S. M. U. has ever graduated." The Dean says: "He is one of the best students I have ever had." He held the position of assistant in chemistry and math at S. M. U., and is rated as a first class man. Mr. Searcy has played football four years, two in high school and two on the S. M. U. team, and will be one of the

coaches in the high school.
Miss Mary Dodgen
Miss Mary Dodgen is a graduate of the Teacher's College at San Marcos and has had several years of successful experience. She had charge of the English in the Kingsville high school for four years. The superintendent there said of her: "I consider her one of the very best high school English teachers I know." Miss Dodgen is a mature, experienced, successful teacher, and comes to us with the highest record and endorsement. She will be in charge of the English of the high school.

Miss Quinnie Cordill
Miss Quinnie Cordill is a graduate of our high school and has had two or three years of college work at C. I. A. and Simmons University. She has specialized in Commercial Arts, and has been teaching those subjects successfully in the high schools of Duncan and Wilson, Okla. She will have charge of the commercial department of our high school, and will probably coach the girl's basketball team, having had good success in that field also, both as a player and a coach. The school board has purchased about fifteen typewriters and they are now in the building.

Miss Nell Herblin
Miss Nell Herblin has been invited to take charge of the Home Economics in the high school. She is a graduate of C. I. A., and has been doing this same work in the Brownwood high school for the last five years. She comes very highly recommended.

Miss Nannette Deucey
Miss Nannette Deucey is a graduate of the Waco high school and has had about two years in Baylor University. She is a professional grade principal, and was rated by the county superintendent of McLennan county as "the strongest teacher in the county." She has been principal of the same school for the last three or four years, but resigned to accept departmental work in the grades with us.

Miss Modelle Green
Miss Modelle Green is a graduate of the Waco high school and has had about two and a half years in Baylor University. She has had several years of successful experience as a departmental grade teacher, having taught last year with Miss Myrtle Tanner at Lorena, where she was re-elected for another year. Miss Green will do departmental work in the grades.

Miss Ruby Barham
Miss Ruby Barham is a graduate of the Stephenville high school and has had three years in the West Texas A. & M. there. She is a very successful teacher, and will be welcomed back to Midland by her many friends here, she having taught here formerly. Miss Barham is a professional departmental teacher and is good in all forms of junior athletics.

Miss Louise McClarty
Miss Louise McClarty is a graduate of the Henderson high school and has had three years in C. I. A. and the Teacher's College at Denton. She is a professional primary teacher, having done that work the past two years in the city schools of Gainsville. She has specialized in primary work, art, music, and writing. Miss McClarty will be one of our primary teachers.

Miss Leola Bigham
Miss Leola Bigham is a graduate of our high school and has had two or three years in C. I. A. and the University of Colorado. She has had several years of successful experience in teaching. Miss Bigham is accomplished as a reader and entertainer, and will be useful in all school and student activities. She will be assigned to work in the primary grades, she having specialized in that work.

Former Teachers Returning
The following members of the faculty are returning from last year: Mrs. E. R. Benedict, Mrs. Harry Tolbert, Miss Lillie B. Williams, all of the high school; Miss Eureka Bottom, Miss Ora Lee Allen, Miss Annie Lee King, Miss Christine Golliday, Mrs. E. R. Thomas and Mrs. Golden Donovan.

Methodist Church
The regular schedule of services will be observed next Sunday. We are making a special call for the members of the church to attend services during September and October. Be on hand next Sunday. Visitors always welcome.
L. U. Spellmann.

Notice to the Public
Until further notice the office of the City Secretary will be in the building occupied by the Midland Mercantile. All persons having business with the City are hereby advised to that effect.
J. M. Gilmore,
City Secretary. 49-11
J. H. Epley returned the first of the week from Abilene, where he spent several days with his family.

Lee Bros. Show Coming Monday

The remarkable and complete collection of trained wild animal actors, comprising the most important specimens of zoology, assembled in the wild beasts performance of Lee Bros. Wild Animal Show, which will exhibit in Midland on Monday September 6 has never been equaled in the history of the world. No corner of the globe has been considered too remote to make this collection the most unique on earth.

Chief among the wonderful creatures is a hybrid lion-tiger, a magnificent animal of feline grace and terrible power, with all the peculiarities of both lion and tiger, but wearing the tigers stripes upon the lion's skin. One of the most important groups is composed of two lions, three Bengal tigers, two India Leopards, two pumas, two enormous polar bears, and the singular hybrid lion tiger. Here too, we are confronted with the incredible spectacle of six different species and the aforementioned remarkable inter mixture of two of them, each naturally the instinctive, implacable foe of the others, and some of them hitherto considered by the best masters of zoology as wholly untamable, performing together in a colossal steel girt arena, which absolutely insures the safety of the public, there bearing toward their trainer and one another being as amiable and considerate as characterizes the intercourse of an assemblage of human beings at a social function.

Imperceptibly directed by a single trainer and of seemingly happy accord and eager unity, these formerly dreaded kings and queens of the seething jungle, the howling wilderness and the remote accessible frozen wilds of the poles build their sky scraping pyramids, balance with a skill rivaling that of the human acrobat upon barrels, play rollicking games of see-saw; with courteous consideration for the luxurious comforts of their masters from soft living couches of themselves and invite his confidence by opening their terrible blood-red mouths for the temporary insertion of his trusting head.

It would require pages to tell in advance all the startling novelties introduced in Lee Bros. Wild Animal Show, which, besides the many trained wild animal features, has domestic animals, vastly superior to any organization now traveling.

Lubbock Catalogue Advertising Midland

A full page of display advertising in the fair catalogue which is sold at a considerable rate to regular advertisers has been given to Midland Co. free by the Panhandle South Plains Fair Association at Lubbock. The page advertisement was prepared for the catalogue by the Midland Chamber of Commerce and tells of the agricultural possibilities of this county. The advertising will be of immense benefit to Midland County in view of the fact that the catalogue has a large circulation outside of this section in addition to the large distribution of the books in every community in the Panhandle South Plains section. The catalogues are sent to all exhibitors of previous years and to a large number of prospective exhibitors over the entire Southwest. All the leading stock raisers in the Southwest will receive a copy of the catalogue which carries the page ad.

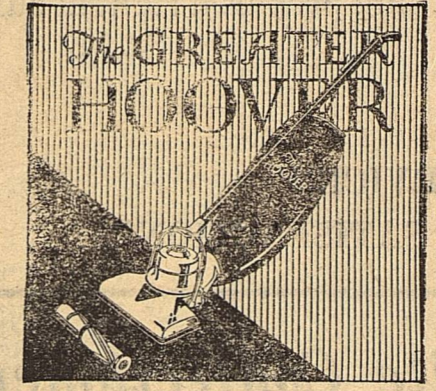
TO MY DEAR FRIENDS:
Words are inadequate to express my deep and sincere appreciation for your many thoughtful words and deeds of kindness and sympathy during the long illness and late home going of my precious Mother. Your tender sympathy and thoughtful kindness have been a joy and a comfort to me beyond words. May God bless you all.
W. W. Lackey.
J. H. Williamson bought a new Chevrolet Landau Sedan this week.

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Quarter block of land
Two blocks from Churches
Close to School
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The HOOVER
IT BEATS—AS IT SWEEPS—AS IT CLEANS. \$6.25 down; complete with dusting tools. Balance in small monthly payments.

Midland Light Co.

Got Third Bale
W. F. Myrick, who farms and grows truck just west of town, brought in the third bale of Midland County's cotton Monday.

Miller Compliments King's Maize Seed
E. A. Miller, agronomist, who held the seed demonstration in the Stokes School Community and on the Booth farm last Tuesday had approximately twenty at each meeting. He came by the J. M. King farm and pronounced his maize crop as good as he had seen in West Texas. This crop was grown from the seed produced last year by John King Jr. The crop was grown from the seed produced last year by John King Jr. The crop made 2700 pounds to the acre and won a trip for the boy to the Dallas Fair.

Wickmeiser Boy Was Buried Monday
William Wickhiser, small son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wickhiser who live at the Gist Hereford Farm, passed away Saturday and the funeral was held here Monday afternoon at two o'clock. The little fellow died in Fort Worth. The many friends of the Wickhiser extend their deepest sympathy.
Mrs. Chas. Gibbs, Mrs. W. L. Holmsley, Miss Lydie Watson, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rowe attended the reception given in honor of Miss Lillian Frances Gary, whose wedding occurred at Big Spring yesterday evening.
Jim Waddell was in from the ranch yesterday.
Dan Rose was painfully burned about the hands and neck Wednesday morning when he started a fire at the Llano Cafe, using kerosene oil.
Jack Kuykendall delivered a Chrysler "60" sedan to F. C. Norwood and a "50" sedan to Judge E. R. Bryan this week.
R. D. Scruggs delivered a Master Buick sedan to T. S. Patterson and family this week.
Mrs. E. R. Thomas has returned from Alpine where she studied in Sul Ross College this summer.
R. D. Scruggs made a business trip to McCamey Tuesday.
Chas. Miller of Barstow was a business visitor to Midland the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Yarbrough of Barstow were here yesterday.
Rev. L. U. Spellmann and family returned yesterday from a trip to the Davis Mountains. They went out by Rankin, McCamey, Crossett and Fort Stockton, going then to Alpine. They visited Marfa and Fort Davis and returned down the canyon road to Balmorra and Pecos.
John W. Hix and family returned Wednesday from a trip to the north and eastern states.
Miss Josephine O'Brien spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McSpadden in Lamesa.
E. J. Handley arrived the first of the week from Ballinger, visiting C. E. Trammell and family.
Miss Maurine Winborne left Tuesday for El Paso where she has a position teaching school.
Miss Margaret Caldwell left for Freeport last Sunday and will teach in the public schools there.
J. T. McCrea of Houston and Van P. Fristoe and family of Dallas passed through Midland Monday enroute for Los Angeles.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eiland of Stanton were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of Miss Willie McCormick.
W. D. Bond and family of Abilene are here visiting Mrs. Bond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Brunson.
Will Manning was here the first of the week from Crossett and reports much building going on.
Horace Eiland of Stanton was a business visitor to Midland Wednesday.
J. H. Floyd returned Monday from Fort Clark, where he has been in cavalry training this summer.
Merritt Hines left yesterday for Eastland where he will be assistant principal in the south ward school this year.
Mrs. D. E. Carter and Mrs. W. E. Wallace went to Big Spring Tuesday and attended a style show.
Miss Eulalah Beaucham returned this week from a three week's visit in Baird and Cisco.
Miss Dorothy Comper, who has been visiting Miss Leona McCormick, returned to her home in Abilene Tuesday.

School Begins Sept. 13

Eliminate the usual trouble and worry of school shopping by bringing the children in to select from our complete stock of clothing, Shoes, Hosiery, Hats, and everything needed.

We have bought a well selected lot of school supplies—The Kind of Merchandise that Looks Well and Wears Well.

Cooperative Buying Reduces the Cost! Our buyers select and buy goods for eight stores, and our customers get the benefit of prices much lower than the average.

Come In And Bring The Children

THIS IS "SCHOOL SHOE WEEK"

Soon the school bell will call boys and girls back to their class rooms. They must go well prepared, and nothing is of more importance than the proper footwear. With this in mind we are giving special emphasis to School Shoes, and the proper fitting of children's shoes this week. Parents will find some excellent values, that make it well worth while to outfit the children now instead of waiting until the last minute.

With every pair of school shoes we will give one school tablet and pencil box free, don't fail to ask for them.

"THESE HOSE EXACTLY MATCH YOUR SHOES"

It's a hobby of ours, keeping a hosiery stock that compliments our shoes. And so, when we select the new fall slippers and oxfords, we took particular care to select also new hosiery shades that would match exactly. When you come to select your new lizard calf pumps you know you must have an exact shade of hose to make them show to advantage, we have it. And they are good hose, made to wear well and not just look well.

THE SHOES YOU SEE IN OUR WINDOWS

You can depend upon the shoes you see in our windows—not for quality alone though that's important, but for authenticity of style which is almost equally important if one is to be well dressed.

Season after season the styles we have introduced have been the favorites. Now when the season is just beginning it is comforting to know that you can select footwear with the positive assurance that one month from now it will not appear faddy or out of place in comparison with later styles.

You will find in our piece goods department every thing that is new in the way of silks and woolen materials, beautiful patterns in satin, back crepe and crepe Elizabeth in all the wanted shades at prices that can't be equaled elsewhere.

English Prints in Beautiful Patterns and guaranteed fast colors at per yd. 25c
18x36 Turkish Towels at, pair 39c
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, per yd..... 39c

36 Inch Pepperell Linen Finish Pillow Tubing per yard 35c
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Labor Day Excursion To El Paso

The Texas and Pacific Railway announce they will operate an extremely low rate Special Train Excursion to El Paso, Labor Day.

Special train will be operated Saturday, September 4th, arriving El Paso early Sunday morning September 5th. Returning, Special Train will leave El Paso 9:00 PM Monday, September 6th, allowing two full days in El Paso.

The special train will carry coaches, chair cars, diner and both standard and tourist sleeping cars.

Previous Excursions of a similar nature to El Paso have been very successful, and the outlook is very bright for the forthcoming Labor Day Excursion, according to George D. Hunter, General Passenger Agent, Dallas. Ample accommodations will be provided to insure absolute comfort and an enjoyable trip to those who go on the excursion.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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

STOCK NOTICE
Don't be pestered with Stray Stock Phone 67 or 342 and Pound Man will come get them.
J. M. GILMORE,
City Secretary. 33-1f

ROOMS FOR RENT—Furnished either for light house keeping or bed rooms. Close in. Roy E. Johnson at Llano Barber Shop or phone 171. 44-1f

M. S. Hines represents the Frankston Nursery Co. Everything kept in a first class Nursery. Price very reasonable. Feb. 27

FOR RENT—Four room house unfurnished, 2 blocks S. E. of Depot. Barn, Garage, lot with water and trough, Garden. See R. E. Crowley Midland, Texas. 45-1f

FOR SALE—Real estate Lots 7, 8, 9. Block 102. Southern addition. Midland, Texas. Make offer to Homer deAnguera 57 West 51st. St New York City, New York.

FOR SALE—Good close in residence. Well improved place. J. H. Willite Phone 261. 44-1f

FOR RENT—Bed rooms, second house back of Library. Mrs. Ben Stanley. 47-1f

FOR SALE—Good Deering Binder. Practically new. See J. D. Glass. 46-1f

WANTED—By experienced man, position as scout for some oil company within radius of 100 miles of Midland. Have my own car. Answer P. O. Box 536. 48-3tp

FOR SALE—Good Milk Cow with young calf. Apply to E. B. Patterson. 48-2tp

FOR SALE—My residence in Midland on three acre lot, \$10,000.00, terms. Henry M. Half, P. O. Box 105, Mineral Wells, Texas. 49-1f

LOST—Black Mare Mule about 15 hands high, from Polo pasture. Branded J-Bar on hip. \$5 reward for information leading to recovery. W. F. Myrick. 49-4t

FOR SALE—Six extra good work mules, two horses, 900 bundles of feed, mesquite grubs, farm machinery. See Robert Currie. 49-1f

FOR SALE—Five room house, bathroom, screened in back porch, garage barn, tank and windmill. Three blocks east of depot. Write or see E. N. Benedict. 49-1tp

Judge E. R. Bryan received Midland's first Chrysler "50" sedan this week.

Mrs. Lewis Sharp of Abilene is visiting her mother, Mrs. Klapproth. 49-2tp

C. M. Goldsmith and family are in central Texas, having left last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Johnston were here last Monday from Rankin.

Mrs. Will Elkin of Lubbock was in Midland several days this week.

Clarence Hale was a visitor to McCamey this week.

Who's Who TODAY



The Prince of Wales

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Prepare right now to make your bank account bigger than ever.

If extra money invested in your farm will increase your income next year, confide in us. Because we have

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on good security. Your prosperity is our prosperity.

First National Bank

"The Bank of Personal Service"

For Over 36 Years

Capital and Surplus \$200,000

Carroll Coyle Is Star In Polo Game

Carroll Coyle, formerly of Midland, continues to star as a polo player. The Dallas News is writing about Houston's 11 to 7 victory over Dallas last Sunday afternoon has the following to say about Coyle, who is playing with Houston:

The individual star of the game was the yellow helmeted Carroll Coyle one of the prominent young stars of the game. A daring rider and a brilliant shot, he was never checked by the Dallas team. Weaving in and out from one end of the field to the other, Coyle made one sensational shot after another. Yet he did not score a single point. He was content to let his teammates do that. Defensively, Coyle shone even more brightly than offensively. Whenever Dallas came within scoring distance that yellow helmet was almost certain to block the way.

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Address _____ 49-2tp

Misses Ruth and Gladys Inman, Thomas Inman, Misses Julia, Cassie Lee and Mary Jane Potter, Mrs. Golden Donavan, Miss Evelyn Estes, and Miss Goliday returned last week end from Alpine where they have been in Sul Ross College this summer.

Miss Lydie returned last week end from a pleasant summer vacation in Arkansas.

Democratic Nominees For Nov. Election

For District and County Clerk: J. M. (Jim) Shelburne.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector A. C. Francis

For County Treasurer Mrs. Mary L. Quinn

For Tax Assessor Ed Dozier

For County Judge M. R. Hill

For District Judge Chas. L. Klapproth

For District Attorney Henry Russell

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1 I. W. Towers

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4 Holly E. Roberts

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

To The People Of Midland

Having resigned as water works man after fifteen years of service without losing but ten days, I wish to thank the people of Midland for their good treatment to me. We all have our ups and downs but after all I can truthfully say that I love the people of Midland and have always loved to live in Midland. I was invited to Midland by a man who signed his name in this way (I hope to be your friend) and I have never regretted accepting his invitation and have found him to be a true friend in every way. His name is W. J. Moran.

Since I have been in Midland I have found many friends that would do any thing for me. I am glad that I have never had to call on any one of them for anything but their good will which I have had at all times.

Since I have been in Midland I have tried to live a life that I wouldn't be ashamed of in after life. Of course I have made mistakes but I have no apology to make for them. I made them just because I was human. It is human to err. There has been things said about me that was untrue as is said about all people. I have cultivated a disposition not to let such bother me. It makes no dif-

ference with me what any one says about me. Let it be as bad as can be. If I know it is untrue it don't bother me one bit, and I am not hurt by it. My wish is that the people of Midland will have a man that will give them better treatment nad service than I have. You may hear one thing and another why I resigned. Conditions was the cause of my resignation. I want the people of Midland to know that I shall never forget them but will never be able to repay them for their kindness to me and my children. I want you to know that I have felt the weight of your influence many times which has been worth more to me than anything. My labor has been hard at times to keep up with but I have always managed to get by even if it takes me until midnight to do it. The people of Midland will always have a warm place in my heart.

Again I thank you one and all, I remain your servant,
B. F. WARD.

Miss Leona McCormick, her guest Miss Dorothy Compere of Abilene, Messrs. Bill Bryant and George D. McCormick returned the first of the week from a trip to Carlsbad Cavern, Roswell, the White Mountains, Cloudcroft, El Paso and Juarez. They report a fine trip.

BEST PICTURES

Monday, September 6,
A THIEF IN PARADISE
With Doris Kenyon

Tuesday, September 7,
Bebe Daniels In
THE SPLENDID CRIME

Wednesday, September 8,
GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE
Florence Vidor

Friday, September 10,
Reginald Denny In
SKINNERS DRESS SUIT

Saturday, September 11,
Richard Talmadge In
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Colorado Fair To Be Held This Month

The annual Fall Festival and fair that will be held in Colorado on Sept. 23, 24, and 25 under the supervision of the Orah C. Hooker Post No. 127, American Legion will undoubtedly be one of the greatest entertainments ever held in this city according to Post Commander Judge C. C. Thompson and other legion officials.

This is a continuation of the Co. fairs that have been held in this city for the past three years. A very fine display of agricultural, oil, art, merchant, automobile exhibits is being gathered by the American Legion, Chamber of Commerce, and County Farm Agent, and will be shown at the Union Tabernacle which will be especially arranged and decorated for the occasion.

The first day, Monday, September 23, a mammoth parade of gaily decorated automobiles and floats will be staged, and prizes of \$7.50 and \$5.00 will be given to the two best decorated cars. The Queen of the festival will ride in the parade that morning and that evening will be coronated amid the pomp and glory of a gorgeous pageant. This will be the supreme social event of the season.

An old time Indian fight in which some of the early west Texas rangers and Indian fighters will take part will be the main event of the second day. This will be one of the most spectacular events held in West Texas, according to those who are arranging this historical reproduction of the frontier days of Texas. Thrills galore are assured the spectators with this presentation.

A big rodeo with some of the best talent in this part of the country will be another event of this days program. An old fiddlers contest and a square dance will be some of the third days program.

The Chamber of Commerce is co-operating with the American Legion to help make this one of the best fairs and festivals ever held in this section. All proceeds will be used to help pay for the American Legion Hut which cost \$14,000 and is said to be one of the best in the state.

T. M. Waldrop and family and Mrs. Enzer of Altus, Oklahoma, have been in Midland for the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Embry and Walter Beauchamp and family.

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West Texas Fair Ad Man Was Here

Will Watson, advertising manager of the West Texas Fair at Abilene, was a business visitor to Midland Tuesday. The fair will be held Sept. 20 to 25, and is expected to be greater and better than ever. This is the tenth annual fair there. A \$25,000 amusement program is promised this year.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer and son returned last week end from a pleasant vacation in Colorado Springs. They made the trip by automobile.

W. W. Lackey returned Monday night from San Marcos, where he has taught in the teacher's college this summer.

When--

You Pick Your Cotton

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You can't get money for your cotton crop until you pick it—and if you want to get the most money for the cotton you've picked, pick your gin, too.

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G. Mont Adams, the man who won over \$2,500 in prizes in the Texas Cotton Contest last year, had his cotton ginned on a Murray—and won first prize both for pounds per acre and quality of staple. Also eight of the thirteen prizes went to farmers who had their cotton ginned on Murrays. Isn't that proof enough.

The Murray is the most modern and scientific gin ever built—and it has been designed and built to clean the seed, preserve the staple and deliver a good sample. It does!

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Rankin Asks For Road Designation

Definite agreement of the Upton County Commissioners to seek designation of the Midland-Rankin road on which the Midland Chamber of Commerce has been working for more than a year, was made last week by the Upton Court. Ellis Howell transmitted through the local organization a signed document from the Upton Commissioners asking designation and authorizing Henry E. Webb to represent Upton County before the State Highway Commission, when he returns to Austin for the special session of the Legislature.

Mr. Webb expressed the belief that with the same authority from Upton County as he had from the Midland County commissioners court he can obtain state designation of this important oil field road.

Card of Thanks

We greatly appreciate and thank the good people of Midland for their kindness, sympathy, and prayers in the recent illness and near death of our little girl. It is a great pleasure to live among such people.
W. F. Scharborough and family.
49-1tp

Big Lake Looking Out For Oil Trade

Big Lake took notice of the Midland oil field good will tour last week as is evidenced by the following editorial in the Big Lake Wildcat:

That Midland has a real set of boosters who are going after the oil field trade in Reagan and Upton counties is evidenced by the crowd from that city who were on the trade

trip Tuesday of this week. There were fifty in the crowd who ate a barbecue dinner at Rankin. They also paid a visit to Best, Santa Rita, Texon, McCamey and Crossett. If Big Lake holds the trade to which she is justly entitled she will have to look to her laurels. This is a job for our chamber of commerce and unless they get busy and that soon, it may prove everlasting too late. Certainly, we are getting a good portion of this trade now but we will have to keep busy to hold it.

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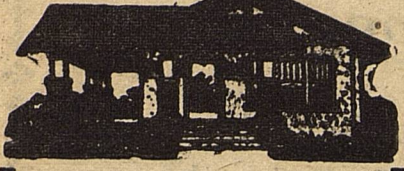
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defendant nor is there any children belonging to them. Plaintiff prays the court for judgment dissolving the marriage relations existing between plaintiff and defendant and that plaintiff be given a decree of divorce, for cost of suit and for such other relief, special and general in law and in equity that he may be justly entitled to.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in Midland, Texas, this 12th day of August, A. D. 1926.

C. B. Dunagan,
Clerk of District Court, Midland County, Texas.

Issued this 12th day of August A. D. 1926.

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

46-4t

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF MIDLAND.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon Charles D. Norris, Jr., by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Midland County, to be holden at the court house thereof in Midland, Texas, on the first Monday in September 1926, the same being the 6th day of September A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 12th day of August A. D. 1926 in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said court No. 1928, wherein Ruth Norris is Plaintiff, and Charles D. Norris, Jr. is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in El Paso County, Texas, on or about the 13th day of August A. D. 1923, and that they lived together until on or about the 20th day of August A. D. 1923, when defendant left plaintiff with the intention of abandoning plaintiff and did so abandon plaintiff on said date and that she has never seen, nor heard from defendant since the said 20th day of August A. D. 1923. Plaintiff prays the court for judgment dissolving the marriage relations existing between plaintiff and defendant and that plaintiff be given a decree of divorce, that her maiden name be restored to her, for cost of suit and for such other relief, special and general in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Midland, Texas on this 12th day of August A. D. 1926.

C. B. Dunagan, Clerk,
District Court Midland Co., Texas.

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WHAT DO YOU GET FOR YOUR USED CAR

You are going to buy a new car. Why are you considering the purchase of a new car? Probably because of one or more of the following reasons.

- (1) Your present car has reached the age where it does not render satisfactory service.
- (2) You want a larger or smaller car.
- (3) You want a different type of body.
- (4) You consider your car no longer in style.
- (5) The dealer representing your present car does not render service which is satisfactory to you.
- (6) You believe another make of car will be more satisfactory to you.

Unless you have decided to keep your present car for purely business use, you are going to dispose of it.

Naturally you will expect to sell it to the dealer from whom you buy your new car. The next question is, what are you going to get for it? If you sell your present car to the dealer from whom you buy your new one, the dealer will have to find a buyer for it.

The dealer buys your present car and resells it merely to help in selling you a new car. He would be only too pleased to have you dispose of your own car and purchase his new one at the advertised delivered price.

Taking into consideration the age, mileage and condition of your present car, and comparing the price you paid for it with the price of a new one of like type and make, you estimate roughly what your present car is worth. To the best of your own judgment, your price is fair; but it is entirely possible that a dealer in new cars cannot afford to pay the amount of your estimate.

WHAT IS YOUR OLD CAR WORTH? Now, what is your car actually worth? There is but one answer. Your car is worth exactly what someone else is willing to pay for it. Not one dollar more.

That is exactly the basis on which an honest, fair dealing motor car merchant is going to negotiate with you. Any dealer doing even a fair amount of business can make an accurate appraisal of your car, because he knows what it can be sold for.

One of the reasons for the rapid development of the automobile and its universal adoption is the fact that from the beginning, automobiles have been manufactured and sold on a very narrow margin. Practically all delivered prices of automobiles are based on full cash payment, and in most cases these prices provide only a legitimate margin for the operating expenses and profit of the dealer.

However, all manufacturers have not followed this policy, especially during recent years when an increasing percentage of sales involve the purchase of used cars. With the effect of misleading the customer who has a used car to dispose of, they have raised list prices higher than costs or value warrant. This helps their dealers to make the customer think they are giving more for the used car than it is actually worth. But now thinking buyers are prone to shy at an offer that appears to be giving more for the used car than it is actually worth.

CAR YOU BUY SHOULD BE GREATEST FACTOR.

Also the buyer today is not concerned merely with the allowance for his car. His greatest interest should be in the car he is going to own, its record in the hands of owners, the reputation of its manufacturer, the reputation and standing of the local dealer, and the dealer's facilities for rendering prompt and efficient service.

It is probably true that 75 per cent of the people driving Chrysler cars in this vicinity had used cars which they purchased. Of this number, probably 50 per cent were solicited by other dealers, who bid from \$50 to \$200 more for their used cars than we paid for them.

Yet they bought Chrysler cars. Why? Because, after thoroughly analyzing all the propositions submitted to them, they decided that our offer of a new Chrysler for their car and the little cash difference represented the best value they could find within their purchasing means.

Very frequently it happens that a salesman will say that if you are going to buy a touring car, you will be allowed \$200 for your used car, but if you want a sedan, the allowance will go up to \$300. This can prove but one thing. The sedan is overpriced at least \$100. Surely the used car value isn't in any way increased or decreased by the body type of the new car purchased.

One of the best ways to determine the actual value of a used car is to offer it for sale to a used-car dealer who pays cash for used cars. The new car dealer cannot afford to pay

any more for the used car than the used car dealer, as the new car dealer must sell used cars in competition with the used-car dealer.

We are in this business to stay. To do so, we must make a fair return on our investment, and render a genuine service to our customers. Our success depends on giving every customer a square deal, selling automobiles that are as represented and rendering the best possible service to our customers. Our obligation to the customer begins with the delivery of the car and continues as long as the car operates in our territory, whether it be one year or ten. **CAN'T GET SOMETHING FOR NOTHING.**

The basic principles which determine our policies are in no way different from those that govern any successful business. We don't believe in attempting to make the public think we are giving something for nothing. We will never attempt to run our business on the basis of giving something to one customer and making the next customer pay for it.

Let us take a situation that occurs daily in the automobile business. There are but two classes of automobile buyers—those who have a used car to replace and those who do not.

Customer A hasn't a car to replace. He decides to buy a Smith six and pays the regular price of \$1250.

Customer B has a used car to replace. He has been offered \$200 cash by two different used car buyers. These offers represent the true market value of the car. He takes the car to the Smith six dealer who offers \$300, not cash but in trade, provided customer B buys a Smith six. The dealer has \$100 greater gross profit on the deal with Customer A than with customer B. Actually the dealer has a normal profit on customer B and an abnormal profit on customer A.

Has the Smith Six dealer been fair with both customers? If you had happened to be Customer A, how would you feel if you learned about the deal with Customer B? How much confidence would you have in the Smith Six dealer? Could you possibly feel you had received full value for the price you paid?

HOW WE MUST OPERATE We are interested in selling you a Chrysler car. We are in business primarily to sell new cars.

We seek nothing more than our new car income, which must pay both our expenses and our profit. If you prefer to sell your used car to us, for us to re-sell to another customer, rather than sell it yourself, which we would much prefer you to do, we buy it at its market value.

Perhaps you think it has a greater market value than we may offer. If after you have delivered your used car to us, you are able to sell it for more than it has cost us, we will gladly give you all of any amount you are able to sell the car for, over and above our investment in it.

We have enumerated the reasons or reasons why you desire to dispose of your car. The objections you have to the car as an owner are the same objections the prospective buyer will have to it. He too, wants a new car, one that is up to date. He takes as much personal pride in owning a new car as you do. He will be uncertain as to its mechanical conditions. He will be fearful of excessive upkeep expense.

The person to whom we sell your used car must be convinced that it represents more value than an equal amount invested in a new car. In making our appraisal of your car, we take into account the labor and new parts necessary to put your car into good condition. Whether or not you may buy a new car, your car should have this service. We will have to do this work in order to sell your used car. It is our policy to put used cars in the best possible condition or also sell them as is.

In either case, the customer is fully advised of the true condition of the car, so far as we know that condition. Suppose we were to take your used car, allowing you from \$100 to \$200 more than it is actually worth. Would you want this car sold at its allowance price to a near relative or friend? You certainly would not have a great confidence in our business methods if we did so.

CAR FAIRLY PRICED IS A "BARGAIN."

In your negotiations for a new car you want to obtain the best car and the best service facilities you can for your used car and the amount of cash you can afford to invest. You are going to look for a bargain. Just what is a bargain in a motor car? Is it necessarily the car you buy from the dealer who apparently allows you the most for your used car? It is not.

A bargain is a car fairly priced, produced by a reliable manufacturer doing a sufficient volume of business to produce economically; who has a reputation for honest dealings; who doesn't make the frequent, radical changes in design which rapidly depreciate cars early in owners hands;

and who is financially sound. Such a car, purchased through a local dealer who has adequate service facilities, who has a reputation for fair dealings and is in every way reliable, is a bargain.

The Chrysler Sales Corporation has a fixed standard to which it closely adheres in its selection of dealers. Chrysler dealers must be thoroughly reliable in every way and provide service facilities which must measure up to the high Chrysler service standards.

In the event that we should sell you a new Chrysler car, we will do so only on a business like basis. We know that we sell an honest car at an honest price. Our list prices are not and never have been inflated in order that we may be able to offer you what appears to be more for your used car than it is actually worth. It is our fixed policy to be just as fair to the customer who does not have a used car which he wishes us to purchase as we are with the one who does have a used car.

We are going to be fair with you and every other customer with whom we do business. We will give you what your car is actually worth.

That is all any other dealer is going to give you, regardless of his appraisal. Be sure to remember that fact. The amount by which any other appraisal may exceed our offer, represents at least a part of the inflation in the list price of a willingness to take a less profit, which must be reflected in decreased capacity and ability to give service.

ONE PRICE IS TRUE BASIS OF VALUE.

It is invariably true that the best value in any commodity class is sold on a one price basis. Fortunately for you, as well as ourselves, Chrysler cars are held in such high regard, and successfully sold in such a business like manner, that it is not necessary for us to resort to subterfuges in order to sell them. When any dealer offers you what appears to be more for your used car than it is actually worth you can be sure that at least in the same or greater proportion, the list price of his new car represents more than it is actually worth.

Just how are you going to know the extent to which a car is overpriced? Are you getting full value when some dealer bids \$100 more than your used car is actually worth? Perhaps he should bid \$200 more than your car is worth, in order that his over allowance may equal the amount of inflation in the list price of his new car. The dealer selling a new car with an inflated list price has an advantage over the customer.

The dealer knows the actual value of your used car as well as we do; and he knows how much more he can bid for it than it is actually worth. However, that is something you do not know. The best you can hope to do is to guess. This you cannot afford to do as there is too much money involved for you to get into a guessing game with all the advantages on the other fellows side.

Someone or more of the following reasons must exist when a dealer offers more for a used car than it is actually worth:—

- (1) List Price inflated by manufacturer.
- (2) Excessive freight and handling charges added to the delivery price to permit overallowance for used cars.
- (3) Reduction of wholesale price by manufacturer to the dealer, before announcing a reduction in list price to the public.

This list is a procedure very often employed, to enable the dealer to reduce his new car stock. In order for the dealers to be ready to accept shipment of new models, the manufacturer will make a proportionate reduction in wholesale price before making public announcement in the change in list price. This enables the dealer to make what appear to be very attractive allowances for used cars when as a matter of fact the dealer in many cases is not offering as much as another dealer representing a car on which the price is not going to be reduced.

The customer with a used car to sell can be sure that one or more of the above conditions exist when a dealer offers what appears to be substantially more for the used car than it actually worth.

Regardless of what car you buy, be sure you buy from a dealer selling a car that is honestly made, honestly priced, that has made good with its owner; a reputable dealer who has his money invested in a going business, who renders efficient service, and who has an interest in the owner not merely in the buyer.

Chrysler cars are honestly made and sold at an honest price. Their price represents nothing more than the manufacturing cost, plus a reasonable manufacturing profit, plus a legitimate dealer profit.

Chrysler cars have made good in every sense of the word.

We provide the best possible service. We have a genuine interest in every Chrysler we have ever sold,

and we will have the same interest in your Chrysler car and your satisfaction with it.

Our obligation to you as a customer, our obligation to the Chrysler factory, our continued success in the motor car business demand first that we sell our cars on the right basis, and second that we stand back of them after they are sold and in the hands of the owners.

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Card Of Thanks

To our friends and neighbors who were so kind and sympathetic to us during our recent bereavement, we extend our heartfelt thanks. The floral offerings were beautiful. May God bless all of you.
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunagan and family.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strickland and family.
L. B. McCormick.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to thank the voters of Midland County for electing me to the office of public weigher. I will give my full time and best efforts toward making good at all times. Your confidence is greatly appreciated.
A. B. COLE 49-1t

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H. B. Dunagan Jr. left yesterday for Austin where he will begin his third year in the State University. Dunagan plays in the Majestic Orchestra, one of the leading theatres in Texas, and received notice of a substantial raise in salary just before leaving. He has been on The Reporter's news staff this summer. Clinton Dunagan will leave in a few days to enter the University.

An item was inadvertently omitted last week about the trip from which Roy McKee had just returned. He attended a salesmans' meeting in Brownwood and went on to Ft. Worth and Dallas for a vacation. He reported a fine time.

Cleve Baker left Wednesday night for Hurley, N. M. on the east end of the west bound Sunshine Special to accept a position with the Cheno Copper Company. More power to Baker.

Roy E. Johnson and family returned the first of the week from an enjoyable trip to San Antonio. Fishing trips, airplane rides and golfing in Brackenridge Park were some of the diversions.

Frank Deering, who is connected with the Abilene Printing Company and was formerly with the Midland Examiner, passed through Midland Tuesday en route to the Carlsbad Cavern.

Mrs. W. D. Price, Mrs. J. P. Strong and her baby left the first of the week for Mrs. Strong's home in Miami, N. M. They recently returned from a trip in Taylor, Galveston and other points.

Roy Lee who has been in California for three years, employed in a large bank, returned last week and will spend the winter with his parents at the ranch near Lovington. He is in Midland for a few days this week greeting old friends.

David Ramsey who has been ill with typhoid fever for the past three weeks was able to sit up a while this week.

Miss Teresa and Lela McQuatters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McQuatters left Saturday afternoon for Roscoe, Texas where they will visit Miss Pearl Anderson and others.

R. W. Hyatt, sign painter and paper hanger of Midland, took several photographs, complimentary, for the Chamber of Commerce last week.

Miss Jessie Mae Whitte returned Monday from San Angelo, where she visited her parents for a few days.

Mrs. Vicker's classes in expression and related arts will open Sept. 13. Class will be limited. Telephone 376 Y. 49-1t

Miss Ruth Whitmire who for the past two weeks has been visiting her sister in San Angelo, returned to her home here Monday night.

A. P. Baker and family made a trip to Colorado last Tuesday.

Presbyterian Church

August 8
Sunday School 10:00
Preaching 11:00
Preaching 8:15
Special Sermon on "Inspiration of the Scriptures" at the evening service. Every one cordially invited to worship with us.
S. C. Guthrie, Pastor.

Church Of Christ

Bible study each Lord's day at 10 A. M.
Claude Duffy made a business trip to Fort Worth this week.

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

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Social and Workers Council 9:30
Bible School 9:45
Communion 10:40

Will you please come and bring another?

Read the 33 chapter of Exodus and lets see how many hands up Sunday.

Catholic Church

Mass on every first and third Sunday of the month.—Hours 8:00 and 10:00.

Everybody welcome.
Remember the Catholic Church teaches divine truth with authority. Stands for justice toward all, is the Church principally for the man in the overall.
Rev. S. Kistner, O. M. I.

WE BUY, SELL OR TRADE, new and second hand furniture and stoves. What have you. Key and Yeats. 48-4t

Library

Why did the committee of The Book-Of-The-Month-Club consisting of Henry Seidel Canby, Christopher Morley, Heywood Brown, Dorothy Canfield, William Allen White choose "Teetfallow as the best book of the month. It will be in the library Saturday.

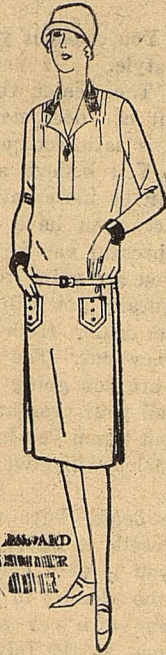
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New Sport Dresses

Practical and smart are the new jersey and knit dresses new in our dress section this morning, featuring the newest style tendencies at very popular prices.



Sport Dresses at \$6.85

All new shades in the cleverest of two piece dresses in Jersey. Sizes from 14 up to 40. All at the very low price of\$6.85

Sport Dresses and Suits at \$12.75

A good heavy quality Jersey in two piece sport suits in all the new shades, Red, Tan Greens and Blues. Each styled different, but all equally smart. Ideal for school or sport wear and priced very reasonably at \$12.75.

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The heaviest quality of Jersey to be had guaranteed not to stretch or sag, beautiful styles and colors all sizes at the very low price for these garments of\$18.75



Scarfs and Ties

New hand painted scarfs and ties of crepe, the newest styles in these items at \$1.50 and\$2.50



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Never before has our Millinery section been so busy as the past few days, and never have we shown such a large selection of popular priced millinery.

The large felt hats, the small close fitting felt or ve-lour all equally smart this season at prices more reasonable than ever before shown starting at \$2.85 and up.

In all this section of the State, there is to be found no better assortment of Ready to Wear and Millinery than that shown here in our store. Featuring beautiful new merchandise, identical in style and quality as shown in the larger shops and department stores through out the country and at decidedly cheaper prices.

We invite your inspection of these lines for we are confident you will find just the dress or hat you will want this fall.

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