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# **EVERYBODY'S OPEN** TOMORROW MORNING

BIG FIRE SALE STARTS AND IMMENSE CROWDS ARE EXPECTED

last, when Everybody's, the big store will abandon this test, and pull the of Elkin-Patterson Company, was so casing, though he has had no word damaged, mostly by smoke and wat- of authority in support of his guess er, speculation has been constantly -more of a "hunch," perhaps. rife as to what the future would For information of the outside hold for this establishment. This reader, the well is down 4460 feet; curiosity is to be satisfied tomorrow while in fine formation sulphur morning, when the business will water was encountered, which rose again open and is to inaugurate a high in the well and caused cavings. fire sale which Mr. Patter- A necessity to case off this water is son says, is to establish a precedent the cause of the present inactivity in Midland business circles. See the and possible abandonment. big advertisement on page 7 of this

T. S. Patterson and h's son, Tom, and his daughter, Mrs. Norma gretting that these gentlemen are the matter, and it is the opinion of ests of the Elkins, and, while renot to be identified with the establishment, we very heartily congratulate the Pattersons upon their good fortune in securing the splendid prospect. business. There is, perhaps, no better merchant in all West Texas than Mr. Patterson, while his son and daughter have a telent for the busimess that must be much gratifying tion is the cornerstone of agriculto the father.

Mr. Patterson is greatly pleased over the adjustment of his insurance, and he says they own their stock at a price that will enable them to put on a sale of seasonable merchandise, most of it undamaged and none of it materially, at prices that should bring hundreds of people to Midland, and from long distances, even in the face of a money stringency that might oterwise be

In a couple of weeks or so Mr. to be conservative, he promises will be such that will sustain the reputation of Everybody's as a quality store and that of himself as a merchant of long years of experience.

Again we congratulate the new owners of Everybody's and we sincerely wish for them the success that may be commensurate to the fine effort we know they will put forth.

#### LEGISLATION FOR FARMERS OF TEXAS

"Many people do not know that the instructor in agriculture, and in interesting. the field by the extension specialist are but results of research work done largely by the research specialists in the agricultural experiment station. There is real danger, openly recognized by the leading agricultural college authorities, that the teaching of agriculture will progress too fast for the research division. It should be the purpose and duty of every citizen of the State in supporting the work of the Agricultural Experiment Station to prevent its work from lagging behind the imperative needs of the teaching forces.

"If the work of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station is to be adequately supported, it must receive an ample appropriation to maintain its indoor laboratory work, and also its outdoor or field laboratory work. It must be provided with ample funds for the performance of necessary routine and tedious labor in connection with these experiments and finally the appropriation must be sufficient to retain the service of a staff of competent investigators of the highest type in order that the people of the State may receive the greatest benefits from their labor.

"The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has given to Texas and to the world the method of successfully combating Texas fever of cattle; it has added Sudan grass to our list of dependable crops; it has furnished information to the citizens of Texas on the values of feeding stuffs; it has developed a new berry, a new oat, a new cotton, and a new feterita. The Station is, in fact, a veritable mine of agricultural information.

### NOTHING TO REPORT ON BRYANT NO. ONE

We had brief conversation yesterday with Mr. Tennant, who is in charge of Bryant No. 1, the oil test nine miles south from Midland. His conversation was not very encourag-Since the fire on December 24th, ing. It is his guess that the company

The formation below the sulphur water was equally as encouraging as! that above, and an abandonment at this time will be a very great disap-Youngblood, have bought the inter- pointment. As we understand it, the company has not yet acted upon closely, that the decision will be favorable to further development of the

#### PROPER SUPPORT FOR EXPERIMENT STATIONS

"The agricultural experiment statural progress. It is the main source of perfectly reliable agricultural information, and better financial support should be secured for these stations. A serious situation has developed with reference to agriculturall research during the past few years on account of inadequate financial support. Hundreds of men trained for research work have been compelled to go into other work in order to meet the advancing cost of work further."

# CAR OF POLO PONIES

ponies in our stock pens, billed to may be restored to health. the New Orleans port, from whence they will be shipped to Cuba. Mr. the work of the Agricultural Experiation is an interesting one. Cuba is at 6:30. Special numbers by competation at a number of co-operation week, Mr. Taylor for a visit to ment Station is fundamental to the becoming a wonderful playground tent people. You are invited. other divisions of the Agricultural for the sportily inclined of America. and Mechanical College of Texas. Indeed The Reporter man feels that One can readily appreciate that the he would surely like to visit there from Sweetwater, to visit his par- Farm Bureau Federation at the city things taught in the class room by himself. It is said to b. wonderfully ents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. McClintic. hall in Dallas Wednesday afternoon. ing her visit for a longer time.

can be found at Whitmeyer's Shop.

## To Shippers of Live Stock:

You as a shipper are entitled to every cent the market will justify. You owe to your best interest to ship your live stock to the commission firm that will secure for you the

## The

#### NATIONAL

Live Stock Commission Company Fort Worth, Taxas

Gives you maximum at the minimum charge. NAT-IONAL salesmen are all men of recognized ability in their line and thoroughly seasoned by years of experience in the handling of stuff on this market, which insures you that your shipments to the NATIONAL will receive the attention of experienced men and the prices obtained by NAT-IONAL salesmen for you will reflect the full strength of the market. RESOLVED TO TRY NATIONAL SER-VICE is the best New Year's Resolution you can make. It will pay dividends all the year round.

#### GEORGE W. WOLCOTT VERY DANGEROUSLY ILL

Much anxious interest is centered about the bedside of our esteemed townsman, Geo. W. Wolcott, who, living and most of the positions vacated have been filled by men of less Beall, a specialist of Fort Worth, Beall, a specialist of Fort Worth, before me today, have to change that FROM MIDLAND TO CUBA for recovery. Despite discouraging on earth can keep the growers' With the addition of solo work of clared that it was an unwarranted, Our townsman, G. H. Coyle, last queed ones in the hope for an early lence I have never seen such a perchange for the better

Fifty people are to sing in the as and Texas farmers, get up and Methodist church. Coyle stated that these were a choir at the Baptist church Sunday take care of yourselves!" choice lot of animals. Their destin- evening. Service begins promptly So Aaron Sapiro, of California,

better.

## TELLS OF METHODS

age, alarmingly limits his chances News all pulling together, no power tense and dramatic. fect scene and setting for the attain-

Both of these good people have Delegates present, heated to a high been quite ill recently, but it is a pitch of enthusiasm by his remarks, A hat and a veil for every type pleasure to know they are now much cheered and applauded as he ceased talking.

# REDPATH CONCERT ORCHESTRA SATURDAY

FOURTH NUMBER OF LYCEUM CONTROL OF STOCKYARDS, COURSE PERHAPS BEST IN YEARS

In presenting this company to Midland, the high school is perhaps tion of the meat packers and other offering the best attraction in ten live stock marketing agencies was years and offering a group of artists passed Monday by the Senate. The with a knowledge that they will meet vote on passage was 46 to 33. with unbounded success. Strictly By a vote of 38 to 37 the Senate ensemble. The instrumentation is sons whose chief business is produca program the more beautiful and al products. harmonious in good music. The pro- By a vote of 43 to 34 the Senate dents of its beauty, but to all those gulation of meat packers. who enjoy and admire music because of its sweetness and harmony.

such members as: Miss Agnes Knofleckova, first violin; Lester Scoville, second violin; Edward Buck, cello; Gene Lyle, flute; Lillian Rose- bill, having been reported by Sena-

company, Mr. Edward Barrow, a tenthe best masters of America and Eu-stock commission of three members THAT MUST SUCCEED rope. His association with the best appointed by the President at \$10,musical organizations of the two 000 salaries. "There is nothing wrong with cot- continents, his experience in singing Besides power to prescribe reguthis morning the report is no more Philadelphia, and makes Southern mous singer that has ever visited Kenyon-Kendrick measure. Midland.

vous one largely, combined with his and such great papers as The Dallas pathetic and the arias of opera in-

reports, however, friends join his movement down. In all my exper- this splendid tenor to the well balwhole concert we are assured of an ment of success. You have the lead- evening of musical enjoyment and ership and you have the product Tex- pleasure, Saturday evening in the

J. Wiley Taylor and wife left last tive marketing associations in his Strawn and other points and Mrs. State, closed his address before the Taylor to visit her mother at Skip-C. A. McClintic is here this week first annual convention of the Texas per's Gap. Mr. Taylor returned last Sunday, but Mrs. Taylor is continu-

> When in need of good oak wood, sawed or in 4-foot lengths, ring 216 the present session. or 186. W. P. Nngent. adv 17-tf

# PACKER MEASURE PASSED BY SENATE

COMMISSION MEN AND OTHERS PROVIDED FOR

The bill proposing federal regula-

speaking, of course, this company is adopted an amendment by Senator not an orchestra, but it does form an Pittman (Dem.,) Nevada, providing exceptionally beautiful instrumental that the bill should not apply to perselected with a view to adapting to tion of live stock or other agricultur-

gram is adapted and will please not refused to strike from the bill the only those versed in music and stu- plan for voluntary licensing and re-

By a vote of 43 to 34 the Senate defeated the plan of Senator Ster-The artists are men and women of ling (Rep.,) South Dakota, to turn long and careful and varied exper- over administration of the proposed ience as concert artists and include law to the Federal Trade Commission instead of the new live stock commission authorized in the bill.

The bills known as the Gronna tor Gronna (Rep.,) North Dakota, as In addition to this unusual organ- a substitute for the Kenyon-Kenization of artists there is with this drick bill. The Gronna measure provides for federal regulation of meat or of international reputation and packers, stock yards, commission experience. He is an American men and other agencies of the meat though he has studied with some of industry by a new government live

ballads, oratorios, church music, lations for the industry, reviewable ton itself. Every crop you produce with symphonies and in opera, as-by the federal circuit courts, the for many days past has been critimakes millionaires in England, adds
sure us that this, his first western Gronna bill proposes a voluntary syscally ill. For some days past his to the already enormous wealth of tour, will be crowned with success. tem of licensing packers instead of condition has been most serious, and certain families in New York and This man is doubtless the most fa-

The legislation has been advocat-Mr. Barrow has a robust tener ed, because it was said, the supply-Patterson will leave for the markets, training ability than their predecesand while his purchases he expects and while his purchases he expects training ability than their predeceswas called in consultation with local before me today, have to change that voice with a splendid range and his ing of meat to the public is clothed physicians, and his decision was that condition. It can be done through work is equally effective in sweetwill no doubt provide sufficient funds the sufferer had about one chance in leadership. And, thank God, you ness and tenderness as well as in of the bill contended that the legisso that it will not be necessary for three to recover. Mr. Wolcott's have that! With the A. & M. Colvolume of sound. His voice has in Lation was necessary because of the the Texas stations to curtail their health has been poor for two or three lege, the State Agricultural Departitude which make the alleged monopolistic and unfair years, and this break-down, a ner- ment, the Farm Bureau Federation rendition of ballads sweet and sympractices of the so called "big five"

unconstitutional and dangerous precedent in government control and interference with private business likely to be extended to other lines of industry.

Numerous amendments were before the Senate today for disposition before the final vote. Senator Sterling (Rep.,) South Dakota, also had pending a substitute bill transfering powers of the proposed live stock commission to the Federal Trade Commission.

Supporters of the bill hope for action by the House before the end of

Opening the final day's debate Senator Smoot (Rep.,) Utah, denied charges of collusion and monopoly made against the "big five" packers by Senator Kenyon (Rep.,) Iowa. The Utah Senator said the Federal Trade Commission's investigation of that industry was an ex parte inquiry and that the commission charge of monopoly was based only on circumstantial evidence and unwarranted interferences.

The packers have no agreed percentage of purchases of live stock, Senator Smoot declared. The much discussed memorandum of percentages taken from packers' files, Mr. Smoot said, was a basis for collection of joint funds by the packers to fight harmful legislation and to apportion expenses of their litigation.

Senator Kenyon replied that he would demonstrate that one use of the percentage memorandum was to apportion packers' funds "used for election of members to Congress."

Fifty people are to sing in the choir at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Service begins promptly at 6:30. Special numbers by competent people. You are invited.

P. Watson, of Oklahoma, but who is at present ranching near Pyote, is here this week with a view to buying some cows. To date he has made no deal, but is continuing his inquiry.

T. W. Slack, representing the North Texas Trust Company, of Ft. Worth, is here this week, to investigate the company's investments in

# Off to Market Next Week

We leave next week for the markets north and east, would be glad to do any special service for our friends and customers they may desire. Is there not something you have in mind? It will be a pleasure to attend to it for you.

# Careful Buying

We are going to do that, but we are going to supply the needs of our customers fully. In the meantime if there are bargains in Midland, and there are, plenty of them, you'll always find them at our store, both in Dry Goods and Groceries.

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

# Midland Mercantile Company

Grocery Phone No. 6

The Appreciative Store

**Dry Goods Phone 284** 



Skovgaard, the Danish violinist, programs to suit the various requirewho will appear here on Thursday ments to be reckoned with in touring evening, Feb. 3rd, under the auspices the United States, the most versatile of the senior class of Midland Col- of all countries. Skovgaard carries lege, is an extremely large man, with him an able pianist and accom- move in getting them here if they weighing nearly 300 pounds and panist, and a delightful singer. measuring six feet and three inches Copenhagen, Denmark (Vort Land) work. terpret the soul of music, and from compositions. the first stroke of the bow on the Berlin, Germany (Lokal Anzeiger) comes to you not as a musical no- ledge of his art. vice. His training under the greatest masters of Europe stamp him as Skovgaard's musical characteris- No. 1 on the Cushing ranch south-"a consumate musician, the finished, tics are genuiness and sincerity, east of this city, continues steadily, Skovgaard is an artist whose power broad tone and a technique that is to the tendency of the formation to has had time to mature and to gain always made to subserve his ends cave. those finer qualities of balance and and not to be itself in evidence. resource of interpretation which can come in no other way than by the steady development of the musician where he is above criticism. His hard formation is encountered.

in height. Physically he is a worthy Artistically the most brilliant decendent of that powerful race of event of the season was the Skov-Vikings whose commanding statues gaard violin recital last night. From caused a feeling of awe even to the the time this artist begins to "talk" sturdy Romans of Ceasar's time. to you with his violin until he stops, new owners. Conforming to the proverbial good you are compelled whether you will nature of most large people, Skov- or not, to listen. His art is mature, gaard is also a most likable man and and his playing last evening was makes friends wherever he goes. But virile, magnetic and deeply emotion- with eager interest. within his powerful frame is secret- al. His program embraced charmed a more potent force than any ing selections from Mendelssohn, which the exercise of muscle alone Chopin, Sarasate, Schubert, Wienia- future operations. could produce. It is the power to in- wski, and others besides his own

strings of his matchless Stradivar- The concert by Skovgaard, the ius violin, all sense of form and size Danish violinist, was a rare musical gradually give way to a delightful event. Skovgaard is a perfect massense of rhythm, melody, music ter of his instrument and his aud-Standing on the stage this colossal ience is involuntarily drawn into a Dane is only music. Each movement state of perfect harmony with him. of the body, while he is playing, is He overcame the greatest technical uable considerations. nothing but music, and the expres- difficulties with ease and the taste sion on his face tells you plainly and thorough comprehension which that he is far away from you deep characterized his playing proves fining Company. The properties inin "the land of tunes." Skovgaard that he possesses a complete know-

New York (Herald) polished, purposeful." Moreover, coupled with adequate strength, but slow progress is being made, due

New York (Evening Sun) himself in devotion to his inborn and training is that of the consumate chosen art. His repertoire is practi- musician—the finish, polish, purposecally unlimited and years of exper- ful. The innate genius of the player ience on the concert platform has is that which attracts. It is the genmade him an adept in arranging his ius of a lover of music intellectually.

Taking your hat off when the band you anything with Uncle Sam unless time of peace as in time of stress. you pay your income tax.

Have you paid your income tax?

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A name stands for characer; that is synonymous with integrity; is the best advertisement in the world.

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# ACTIVITIES AT BIG SPRING CONTINUE

NEW COMPANIES IN FIELD AC-MORDING TO BIG SPRING HERALD

Oil activities both at Big Spring and Pecos, to the east and west of Midland continue steadily, but with no particular excitement. The following is from the last issue of the Big Spring Herald:

The trustees of the Big Spring Production Company closed a deal Thursday whereby a big oil company is to take over the holdings of the Home Company on a fifty-fifty basis, complete the present test well and do other development work on the company's holdings.

While most of us regret to see another company take over this proposition, yet all agree that the trustees have adopted the one sensible and practical course. It was either take this method of having the well completed or be compelled to give up the job completely.

The company had just about gone the limit as our people had donated to keep work going when they could hardly afford to spare the money and then too there was a debt of \$15,000 outstanding, and which was guaranteed by our citizens.

The company taking over the proposition is able to finance the proposition and it will prove a wise decide to do additional development

The deal was practically closed on Thursday but several days will be required to make up all the papers and turn over the property to the

Our folks have all kinds of confidence in this test and we will all watch the future work on this test

Work will be suspended until the new company makes their plans for

S. E. J. Cox, organizer and president of the General Oil Company, which has been involved in Federal Court bankruptcy proceedings for the past forty-five days, on Wednesday, concluded arrangements for Columbia Oil and Refining Company at a price of \$100,000 and other val-

The negotiation ended the receivership of the Columbia Oil and Reclude nearly 50 gasoline stations in Texas and Louisiana.

Work on the Enders-Cushing well

It is necessary to continue underreaming in order to make the ten-Skovgaard has reached a point inch casing follow the drill until a

A showing of oil and gas was encountered in this well last Sunday at

A double shift of drillers is on the

job at this test. The Neal well No. 1 of the General Oil Company has now reached a It's a shallow brand of patriotism depth of 2690 feet and the formation plays the national anthem doesn't get that doesn't burn as brightly in is gray lime. A minor fishing job held up work a while this week but the tools have been recovered.

Preparations are being carried forward to start work on cleaning out McDowell well No. 1.

All is in readiness to start work on Roberts well No. 1 as soon as the new cable arrives.

Major Earl C. Popp, in charge of operations for the Cox Realization Company is completing all arrangements for drilling operations to be started on the Wolcott ranch in Martin County at an early date.

Timbers for the derrick for test well No. 1 were purchased from Burton-Lingo Company here this week and shipped out Wednesday.

Methodist Church

Good services were held on last

old-time way.

L. C. KILGORE, J. P.

We are very glad indeed to have A. E. Blitch and family as citizens cently from Andrews County, and are Midland.

the week from a month spent in published in the leading newspapers. Southern California, Long Beach, The Rialto management has not re-Los Angeles, and other points. His ceived confirmation of the particular wife is still there, to remain for picture to be shown Sunday, but the some time yet.

# This Is the Store of Values

Every day in the week---every week in the year---you will find that this little cash store leads in value giving.

# Prices of Dry Goods have about reached their Level

We believe that prices have about gone as low as they will be likely to go for a number of years, in fact, we would not be surprised to see a re-action in some lines, and these go a bit higher than present prices.

# Read These Prices---

They are real values, even below present market prices, but there is not an item in this store, but has been reduced to less than present replacement value.

|   | 81 inch (9-4) Bleached Pepperell Sheeting, the same quality that did sell as high as \$1.25 the yard.  Our price today, the yard 55c |
|---|--|
|   | 81 inch (9-4) Unbleached Pepperall Sheeting, the yard45c   |
|   | Extra quality, yard wide, Bleached Domestic (Hope brand) sold as high as 35c the yard; our present price, the yard 17 1-2c           |
|   | BERKLEY 60, Fine Cambric, sold as high as 65c the yard, priced special, at the yard 19c  |
|   | 33 inch INDIAN HEAD, sold as high as 50c the yard; our present price, the yard 19c   |
| X | 36 inch, Androscoggin Pillow Tubing, sold as high as 75c the yard; our present price, the yard_ 35c                                  |
|   | Fancy OUTING FLANNELS, sold as high as 35c the yard; our present price, the yard12 1-2c  |

# Every Item Has Been Reduced

Men's Shirts, Boys' Shirts, Boys' Blouses have been marked down to almost pre-war prices.

What few Sweaters that we have left, have been reduced to half price.

EVERY Garment in the Ready-to-Wear Department (except the new Spring numbers just in) AT HALF PRICE. This includes Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts, Petticoats, Children's Dresses, Kimonas and Bath Robes.

Middie Blouses, each 95c

# Wadley-Wilson Company

One Price--- The Lowest--- For Cash

SUNDAY MATINEE FOR EUROPEAN RELIEF WORKERS

On next Sunday afternoon at 2.30 Sunday evening with a packed house o'clock there will be a benefit matinee for the European Relief Com-We are sorry to announce that on mittee. The motion picture theatre next Sunday the visiting brother owners of America have made a from Jayton, Bro. Davis, will not be pledge to raise \$2,500,000 to save with us. He is detained on account 250,000 starving children and Sunof sickness. The junior preacher day, Jan. 30th has been selected as will preach at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. the day for the benefit performance. Come and hear the gospel in the There will be a very good picture program as well as added musical attractions and singing. A contribution will be taken up and we will depend upon the generosity of the people to help in this worthy cause. Ten of Midland County. They moved redollars will save a child. Think of your own kiddies and give until it now located seven miles north of hurts. Help Midland to "go over the top" in this campaign as the results

J. W. Parks returned the first of of these benefit performances will be program will be announced later.

Camels, Lucky Strikes Chesterfields

Buy your Cigarettes here.

C. A. TAYLOR

The Old Reliable Druggist.

# Allen & Lawrence

# Tinners, Plumbers Radiator Specialists

When any of your plumbing freezes, or gets out of order, we will make it good as it ever was. ¶ We do all kinds of sheet metal work. We will not "fix" your radiator, but we repair it and make it like new. We can weld anything that can be welded anywhere.

## "WATCH US GROW"

J. S. ALLEN E. C. LAWRENCE

Phone 77

Junior Endeavor Topic: "Women of the Bible." Leader-Ellen Potter. Scripture lesson-Leader. Song-"I Love to Tell the Story. Prayer-Dorothy Ratliff. "The Story of Esther"-Birdie

Bradshaw. "Who was Miriam?"-Olivia Mc-

was the only woman judge?"-Eulalia Whitefield. "What woman gave her little boy to the Lord?"-Bush Elkin. "Tell the story of Ruth?"-Ruth

"What woman risked her life to save the people?"-Lysle O'Brien.

"Who was Jesus' Mother?"-V. R. Dockery. "Who were His two friends a

Bethany "-Archie Estes. "Who came first to the tomb?"-T. T. Garrard. Sentence prayers.

Song No. 220.

Business, roll call, benediction. Remember how you cheered on Armistice Day? Paying your income

tax is evidence of real patriotism.

B. Y. P. U.

Subject: "Dr. John A. Broaddus." Hymn: "Love is the Theme."

Invocation-Mr. Arrant. Leader-Mr. Laney.

Scripture flesson, read in concert. "Birth and Childhood Broaddus"-Mr. Laney.

"Conversion and Personal Work" -Lillie Kelton. "Teaching and Studying"-Thomas Schrock.

Piano solo-Margaret Caldwell. "Preacher and Teacher"—Thad

"Beginning of the Seminary"-Bryan Hull. "The Seminary a Hot Bed of Missions"—Willie Ramsay. Reading-Leola Bigham.

"Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Leadership"—Clinton Myrick. "Fore-told Experience" - Annie this and for past favors, I am,

Conclusion and talk about Dr Broaddus—Rev. O. J. Hull. Hymn: "Where Love Shines In." Benediction.

FARMER'S BULLETINS FOR FREE DISTRIBUTION

Congressman C. B. Hudspeth writes us the following self-explan-

atory letter: Dear Sir: I have to my credit a limited number of Farmers' Bulletins in the form of an Agricultural Almanae containing much practical information of the agricultural handbook type, and for the reader's convenience is arranged according to the month or season of its interest. This publication will be ready for distribution about the 25th of this month and copies will be mailed to those

Will you be kind enough to cooperate with me in this connection by publishing the above informaton in order that I may distribute my quota of these valuable almanacs to those who most desire them?

who request same from my office.

Thanking you for your kindness in Very truly yours, etc.

Be thankful you are paying an income tax to Uncle Sam and not an indemnity to William Hohenzollern.

# HOW MUCH DID YOU MAKE LAST YEAR?

REPORT AND TIME NOW TO START

Work has begun on the collection f the income tax for the year 1920. Uncle Sam, through the Bureau of Internal Revenue, is addressing to the question, "What was your net income for 1920?" The answer permits of no guesswork. Every single person whose net income for 1920 was \$1,000 or more and every married person whose net income \$2,000 or more is required to file a return under oath with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which he lives on or before March 15th, 1921.

The penalty for failure is a fine of not more than \$1,000 and an addithe amount of tax due. For willful not exceeding one year's imprisonof fraudulent return, together with cent of the amount of tax evaded.

The income tax applies to women as well as men. Husband and wife must consider the income of both plus that of minor dependent chil-preach hell "to preach hel dren, and if the total equals or exceeds \$2,000 a return must be filed. A minor who has a net income in his own right of \$1,000 or more must file a separate return. To be allowed the \$2,000 exemption a married it. vorces, persons separated by mutual agreement, widows and widowers, unless they are the sole support of others living in the same household, in which case they are allowed the \$2,000 exemption granted the head of a family, are entitled to \$1,000 exemption.

The normal tax rate for 1920 is the same as for 1919-4 per cent on the first \$4,000 of net income above the first \$4,000 of net income above the exemption and 8 per cent on the may pave the way. Don't neglect a remaining net income. This applies to every citizen and resident of the United States. In addition to the normal tax a surtax is imposed upon net income in excess of \$5,000.

Persons whose net income for 1920 can depend on to do me good. There was \$5,000 or less should use Form lifetimes when I do a little heavy lifting or too much housework that I to the court, such a said term of the court, such lifetimes with incomes in ex-

Revenue officers will visit every county in the United States to assist taxpayers in making out their returns. The date of their arrival box of Doan's on hand." fices of collectors. This advisory burn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. 18-2t service is without cost to taxpayers.

## FLORIDA RANGES PRODUCING.

As a result of a study of beef cattle production on the ranges of Florida, it was found by the United States Department of Agriculture that in Palm Beach County approximately 12 1-2 acres appear to be required to carry an animal through the year. It also was learned that a calf crop of 50 to 60 per cent may be expected annually; rapid improvement of the native stock can be made by the use of purebred bulls; the mortality is no higher on these ranges than on the western ranges; the use of nitrogenous concentrates in connection with winter grazing the most practicable solution of the winter feeding problem; utilization of the native grasses with the object of gradually improving the pastures may be considered one of the chief

It appears that the ranges can best be utilized in units of considerable size; 10,000 acres has been taken as a convenient unit on which to base estimates. There is great need for further investigation work on range problems in connection with large operations, not only in Florida, but in the entire Coastal Plain area, the specialists say.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor Subject: "Accomplishment and Possibility."

Leader-Thord Dockray. Talk on "Accomplishment and

Possibility"-Leader. Song: "He'p Somebody Today." Scripture reading-Geneva Shaw.

Sentence prayers. Clippings Nos. 1, 2, and 3. Bible readings, Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4. Clippings, Nos. 4, 5, and 6.

Songs, business and benediction.

METHODIST CHURCH

WEEKLY REPORT The State of Texas,

Rev. Kilgore, J. P., preached both morning and evening to a large audience. Subject Sunday morning, ALL MUST MAKE INCOME TAX "Prayer," text: And when they had prayed the place was shaken where they were gathered. Extracts from its Heavenly Father . It does not take words to make prayer. How do Christian religion; the Bible promises answer to prayer. Theory: Look rect answer to prayer-Abraham, Heyikish by a prayer of 19 words added 15 years to his life; Elijah prayed and caused a drouth of three and

The speaker gave many examples of direct answer to prayer of modern times.

Evening subject, "What are We and Where are we Going?" Text: s a fine of not more than \$10,000 or sermon—old time gospel. Rev. Kilment, or both together with the for an hour. He has no regard for Witness C. B. Dungern costs of prosecution. A similar pen- the "hold up finger" religion. He the County Court of Midland County, alty is provided for making a false closed by drawing a word picture of Texas. where are we going, prepared or unan additional assessment of 50 per prepared. The picture of the prepared was beautiful. We leave it to the A. D., 1921. reader to guess the horribleness of preach hell, "to preach hell."

made for the publication of the sermon, but the speaker very timidly declined, as "he did not speak from manuscript" and could not furnish Midland church feels very for-

#### A STITCH IN TIME Midland People Should Not Neglect

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I get a catch in the small of my back and my kidneys begin acting irregenced and acted upon by the court as For such spells I take a prescribed by law. Given under my

and the location of their offices will be announced by the press or may be ascertained upon inquiry at the of-Foster-Mil-

Ladies are requested to please leave their hats at home when they BETTER GRADE OF CATTLE attend the lyceum tomorrow night. has had years of experience. If your Of course your hat is pretty and windmill needs "fixing," I know very becoming, but people pay their how and will do it right, at live and money on occasions like this to be let live prices. All work attended entertained and not to look at a mil- to promptly. W. H. Nixon, phone No. inery display.

Citation by Publication

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County-Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Vern Smith by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your sermon. What is prayer? It is the county, if there be a newspaper pubdirect communication of a child with lished therein, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Midland County, Texas, to be holden Internal Revenue, is addressing to we know prayer will avail us anythe question, "What was your net ining the seventh day of February, A. D., 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the\_\_ to past experience, examples of diday of January, A. D., 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1605, wherein Ola Beatrice Smith is plaint of and Vern Smith is defendant, and said petition alleging the lawful marriage of plaintiff one-half years to cease; Daniel and defendant on or about the 11th day others of the Bible time were mentioned. defendant about four years ago, she asks that the bonds of matrimony be dissolved between the plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief, special and general in law and in equity that she may be entitled to. refusal to make a return the penalty Gen. 1:26-27. This was a wonderful said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with gore preached to a capacity house your return thereon, showing how

Given under my hand and seal of

Texas, this the 13th day of January, C. B. DUNAGAN, Clerk.

After the sermon a request was District Court, Midland Co., Texas.

The Commissioners' Court of Midand County, Texas, will, at the regular term of said court, to be held at person must be living with husband or wife on the last day of the taxable year. December 31. 1920. Dithe \$2,000 exemptor.

the first rectangled the court house in the town of the land, Midland County, Texas, on the second Monday in February, A. D.,
tor.

—Reporter. said month, receive proposals from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in Midland County, Texas, that may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of said county for the ensuing two years as provided by law.

Any such banking corporation, as sociation or individual banker in said county, desiring to bid, shall deliver to the county judge of said county on or before the first day of the said term, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest that the said banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay on the funds of the county for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for the selection of a deposi-Said bill shall be accompanied by a Full instructions for making out returns are contained on the forms, copies of which may be obtained from collectors of internal revenue.

Doan's kluney First. For 50 years, balf of one per cent of the county revenue of the preceding year, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, and that if his bid should be accepted by the court, he should be accepted by the court is the should be accepted by the court is the should be accepted by the court, he should be accepted by the court is the shoul

Given under my hand and official seal of office at Midland, Texas, on this the 18th day of January, A. D.,

J. M. DeARMOND, County Judge, Midland County, Tex.

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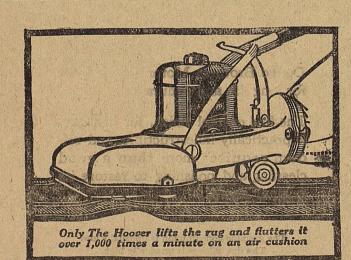
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that they might come again.

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their most delightful meetings on

Thursday afternoon of last week in

the attractive home of Mrs. George

Mrs. W. S. Werela, of Marshall,

famaliarly known to Midland friends

week to visit her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. J. Wiley Taylor. She left for

home again on the evening train yes-

Miss Rowena Pemberton, of Fort

Worth, arrived Wednesday to visit

in the homes of her uncles, Messrs.

Y. W. A.
On Tuesday afternoon at 3:30

o'clock the members of the Y. W. A.

met with Miss Jessie Hale. After

being cordially greeted by the hos-

tess and her mother. Mrs. Clarence

Hale, no time was lost in getting

right to work for we had decided at the preceeding meeting to piece a

quilt for the orphan's home. Much

work was accomplished for all hands and tongues were kept busy

for an hour and a half. Miss Mar-

garet Caldwell helped to make our fingers fly the faster by playing

some favorite selections on the pia-

no. The hostess, assisted by Miss Annie Wall served delicious refresh-

ments consisting of hot chocolate. bread and butter sandwiches and

doughnuts. Only a few of the mem-

bers were absent. All are urged to

be on hand next Tuesday week. It's

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Pastor Owen J. Hull at the Baptist church Sunday evening discuss "A

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duction he will tell of one that lives

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# MIDLAND SOCIETY

MISS LYDIE G. WATSON Editor

Phone No. 88

A Six O'clock Dinner

One of the most enjoyable funcon the occasion of the six o'clock on the occasion of the six o'clock of interest was made.

dinner given by Mrs. O. J. Hull to the board of deacons of the Baptist Summers took personal charge of the

uary 20th. It must be conceded that Mrs. Hull is much more successful in get-ting this board of ten men together than her husband has ever been. It is not believed that he has ever been Worth Record. In the office of the able to get the ten men together at Telegram they got their papers off prayer meeting at any one time, but the press. At King's Candy Factory Mrs. Hull, without apparent effort, a pound box of chocolates.

The Apache ments were served. The children stayed until a late hour, then thankhad them all together on this occa-

In the table talk, it developed that seven states were represented by the seven states were represented by the Westbrook Hotel and Friday afpastor and the 10 men present; these ternoon they went to see an excellent bill at the Majestic. The party reiana, Alabama, Georgia, Tennessee, turned to Mineral Wells on the evenand New York, and it also developed trip had been an all round success." that three of the men present were sons of preachers, and one was the Messrs. Kilgore and Laney Hosts at son of a preacher and a grand- Delightful Dinner Party son of a preacher. According to the smoothly on this board.

e dinner served, and notwithstanding the fact that one of those pres- "dimpled lily-white hands." ent claims to rarely eat at all, and The Methodist parsonage was the Mrs. M.W. Whitmire Loses Mother the evening.

Miss Ruth Montgomery, of Lovington, N. M., has been an attractive Mr. John Sloan, of Dallas, has as Miss Eddie Taylor, arrived last

The Midland Reporter Mineral Wells Index Comments at Length Upon Miss Viola Coyle

The Mineral Wells paper this week land, who is a senior in Southern & By D. O. W. contains the following interesting Methodist University at Dallas, is The Mineral Wells paper this week feel justly proud of the young lady's age of 90. Miss Klapproth is also orchestra with his clarinet. success for she is a Midland girl- playing on the girls' basket ball our girl-and one of the fairest and brightest of which we boast:

"The visit of the Civics Class of the Mineral Wells high school to Ft. Worth on Friday and Saturday of last week was a great event indeed. The trip was made that the students might have the opportunity of seeing some industrial plants in operation and of visiting other points of civic

importance in a city.
"Miss Viola Coyle, teacher of civics in the high school here, planned the trip, and deserves great credit from junior colleges. The faculty is over the history department of the for the progressive work of the class considering an entrance examination college. and she has done much to build up the interest in this very important

"She began this work outside the dlass room, by taking the pupils on rounds of visits to places of civic interest in Mineral Wells. They visited the bakeries, the ice cream fac-tory, the post office, the ice and electric plants, the bottling works and the office of the Daily and Weekly

'The visit to Fort Worth besides being profitable from an intelectual standpoint, was a most delightful experience to the young people. They a decree that women must pay their interesting. were chaperoned by Miss Coyle and poll taxes just as the men-so were accompanied on the trip over by the manager of the Chamber of Comtions in the Baptist church circles, Car Company. Cars were supplied by this company for a tour over the that the writer ever remembers, was city and a round of visits to points lieves can do most for the develop- flight to a remote part of the coun-

church on Thursday evening, Jan- class, conducted them over the great plant and invited them to lunch. The Fort Worth Star-Telegram featured the class and their visit very espec-

'At every place they visited cour-

Yes, they were, and like the far- Gray. Mrs. J. M. Caldwell very inold tradition about preacher's sons, famed Gold Dust Twins of song and structively conducted the study after this may explain some of the reas- story, they did the work themselves. which the hostess served the most ons why things do not always go Cooked and served a most delecta- licious refreshments. The next ble and altogether beautifully ap- meeting will be with Mrs. N. G. The hostess surpassed herself in pointed dinner, these two young de- Pearsall, with Mrs. A. N. Brown as bonair

another never eats in the evening, setting for the delightful affair and Friends will deeply sympathize the elegant spread which was placed the time was last Tuesday evening. with Mrs. M. W. Whitmire in the rebefore them, tempted each away The menu was cooked to such a point cent passing of her aged mother, from his fixed rules, and both, along of perfection and so deftly served Mrs. W. P. Shelton, of Whittier, N. with the others, partook most hearti- that the guests were kept in a state C. She was 71 years of age and her ly, after which there was a flow of of amazed delight and wondering death was due to pneunonia. Just good feeling until a reasonably late what new accomplishment these ver- three months ago Mrs. Whitmire rehour when all departed deep in their satise young hosts would develop ceived the message of her father's appreciation for the kindness and next. The guests who enjoyed this death and now that she is so doubly hospitality of the hostess and her charming hospitality were: President bereft, The Reporter with others exesteemed husband, and with due ap- and Mrs. J. T. McKissick, Dean and tend an expression of condolence to preciation for the good fellowship of Mrs. Wooten, Mrs. Francis, Misses her and other sorrowing ones. One Present. Ownsby, Greenwade and Mary

guest of Miss Ora Mae Terry this been a guest of Miss Thelma White

Miss Theresa Klapproth, of Midland, who is a senior in Southern WIDLAND COLLEGE NOTES

article about Miss Viola Coyle, the shown by the records for the fall. Jimmy Knox, of Sherman, is a charming and intelligent daughter term to be one of the fifty students new matriculant this week. He makes of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Coyle. We in the University who made an aver- a valuable addition to the college

By a typographical error, we had team this year in the position of Dedan Buford taking "janitor" jumping center. She has made the work last week. As a matter of fact he is taking commercial work.

The figures from the registrar's Bro. and Mrs. H. E. Luck, of office of the University show that as Gatesville, are new additions to the a whole the student average for last administration this week. Bro. Luck term was high. Out of about 4,500 is noted all over the State for his grades turned in about 10 per cent evangelistic and pastorate work, and were A's. What failures and condi- with his many years in Chicago Unitions there were, were to a large ex- versity, where he took his M. A. detent among freshmen or transfers gree, he is well qualified to take

Rev. and Mrs. I. H. Teel and Mrs. which will weed out those freshmen improperly trained for university Holloway were pleasant visitors at work. A rule has already been ad- chapel Monday morning. Bro. Teel opted compelling every person who gave a very forceful talk, the trend takes a degree after June 1921 to of which was, "The need of trained pass special examination in the sub- men as leaders." By special request ject in which major work has been Bro. Teel came back again Tuesday morning and addressed the Platonian -Ermine Stone, Journalism Class. and Philadelphian societies jointly pictures. on the subject of "Educating Newly Acquired Emmigrants from Foreign Cast Monday night at the Christian The attorney general has issued Countries." This talk proved very church. Although five or six were

men it is urgent that you do so be- into the order of "The Apache Blood picture. merce, the editor of the Index and fore Monday so that you can help Boiler," a new organization among Every college student has indicat-Moore, of the Fort worth public schools, Leon Gross, chairman of the entertainment committee of the Ft. der. It is really a God-given duty late only a few minor details of the No one who likes music of the best Worth Chamber of Commerce, and that every woman should arm her- initiation. They first seized the vic- kind can afford to miss hearing Mr. Davenport of the Texas Motor self with a poll tax receipt and help tim, bound and gagged him and these great artists. ment of Midland. So pay up before try, where the victim was first subjected to violent treatment and set church Sunday evening discuss "A loose on a lonely road to come home as he thought best. Then Mr. Laney The seventh grade grammar pulled a good one on his tormenters; in Midland. school literary society of north cen- he "shook" them, and slept soundly tral ward was entertained at the at the home of a friend while his beautiful home of Mrs. E. R. Thom- would-be tormentors grouped about a story of the trip, as did the Fort as Friday night Jan. 21st. Many in the dark for the balance of the jolly and interesting games were night in order to find and inflict played after which dainty refresh- more initation on him. The "Apache stayed until a late hour, then thank- their bloody operations, and the hand your work quickly and satisfactorily. ing Mrs. Thomas for a most pleas- of fate points to Mr. Kilgore as the Will call for and deliver. A special-

ant evening they returned to their next victim. homes full of good cheer and hoping -Minnie Rieta Hutchison, Reporter.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Monday taking the club and society phone 445.

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The orchestra picture was taken absent, thirteen members of the or-Mr. Laney has been duly initiated chestra were present to be in the

It might be interesting to hear Pastor Owen J. Hull at the Baptist Bird that Flies High." In his introduction he will tell of one that lives

Announcement I have opened a cleaning and pressing shop in the Llano Hotel building, next door to Wall Street entrance, and am prepared to do ty of ladies' work. A nice line of

CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S BOARD OF MISSIONS

The Christian Woman's Board of Missions of the Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30, o'clock, Feb. 3rd, at the home of several others. At the station in Ft. Worth they were met by Supt. Moore, of the Fort Worth word word word and economic conditions the proceedings of this order are when he appears at the Christian Wilhite as leader. Following is the

> Special business session. Devotional period.

Bible study-Mrs. J. V. Stokes.

"For all who are teaching the Bible in China"-Mrs. Ed Eriksen. "For the Native young man and

woman who are preparing for Christian service"-Mrs. I. H. Teel. Special papers:

"Translation of the Bible into Chinese"-Mrs. T. T. Garrard. "Hidden Answers in World Call"

-All present. Special paper: "The Bible in China"-Mrs. J. N. Wooten. Benediction.

It might be interesting to hear Miss Mary Swimme spent the spring samples for gentlemen's Pastor Owen J. Hull at the Baptist. week-end with Miss Mary Ethel made-to-measure clothing. Will ap- church Sunday evening discuss "A preciate an inspection of my lines. Bird that Flies High." In his intro-Miss Lois Prothro was here last Will T. Brooks, Merchant Tailor, duction he will tell of one that lives adv 17-2t pd in Midland.



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TUESDAY, Feb. 1

MATINEE AND NIGHT

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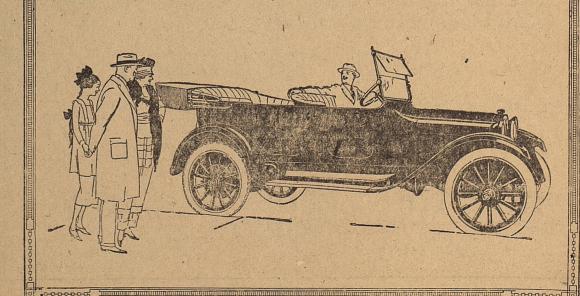
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all persons interested in the estate of Marie J. Riggs, deceased, to appear at the next regular term of the county to court, of Midland County, Texas, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Midland, on the second Monday in March, A. D., 1921, the same being the 14th day of March, A. D., 1921, the contest, should they desire to do so, the application of S. R. McKinney, filed in said court on the 30th day of December, A. D., 1921.

C. B. DUNAGAN, Clerk, County Court, Midland County, Tex. Issued this, the 13th day of January, A. D., 1921.

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this citation is returnable, to-wit, the 14th day of March, 1921.

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

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the Herein fail not, but have you be-

overlooked the arrival of an heir in the home of Attorney and Mrs. H. Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cite ing your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Merica I. Picture and Mrs. H. G. Russell about two weeks ago. Our congratulations this late, are no less cordial.

this citation once in each week for Sunday, Feb. 6th: four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspa-

District, to appear at the next regu-lar term of the District Court of An-drews County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Andrews, Texas, on the third Monday in March A. D., 1921, the same being the 21st day of March A. D., 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in day of March A. D., 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of January, A. D., 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 240, wherein C. H. Jameson is plaintiff, and J. P. Beckley and D. Hill Jameson, trustee are defendants, and said potitions allowing that beard ecuted his certain promissory note for three hundred and thirty dollars bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum from date until due and due in six months which was later extended for three more months

situated on said land or to be there-

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Andrews. Texas, this the 19th day of January, Mrs. Frank Elkin next Thursday af-

A. D., 1921.
R. M. MEANS, Clerk,
District Court, Andrews County.

+ SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES + \*\*\*\*\*\*

Baptist Church

Bible school at 9:45 a. m. The teaching service of the church is getting "bigger and better" all the time. The superintendent is to exchange reports next Sunday with all the Sunday Schools between Abilene and El Paso. Come and let's make our report the best along the line. Organized classes for men and women. W. A. Dawson, Supt.

Preaching hours at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Good music at both hours furnished by choir and orchestra that make preparation. Forty-eight people sang in the choir last Sunday evening. You are invited to come early and enjoy this part of the ser-

B. Y. P. U. meets promptly at 5:30 p. m. Interesting program for Sunday evening. Mr. Arrant, pres. Ladies Auxiliary and mid-week rayer service at usual hours. OWEN J. HULL, Pastor.

Christian Church

Our orchestra of five pieces at their rehearsal shows continued progress. Our chair adds materially to the worship and is much appreciated. Gospel sermons on practical subjects are expected from the pulpit.

Preaching on next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Morning theme, The prayer Jesus taught his disciples to pray, but never offered such a prayer Himself. Evening theme World Progress."

Sunday School under capable leadership meets at 9.45 a. m. Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday even-

I. H. TEEL, Pastor.

Epworth League

Leader-Mary Stanley. Subject: "Missionary Work in the Vear East."

Song service. Scripture. Isa. LII:7-15.

Prayer-Bro. Kilgore. "A Land of Traditions"-Mary

"Racial Contrasts (Turks)"-Her-

man Klapproth. "Racial Contrasts (Armenians) and Greeks)"-Laura Gay Allen.

"Religious Backgrounds (Mohammedans, Jews and Christians)' -Lenora Whitmire. Piano duet-Mabel Holt and Lillie

B. Williams. "Blasted Hopes"-Marion Allen. "A Light From the West"-

"Will There be a New Day?"-Myrtle Whitmire.

Announcements and benediction.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY DAY AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The following program will be rendered in the Christian church on

(a) Priest's March (Mendelssohn) (b) Barcarolle (Offenbach)—Orches-

Song: "All Hail the Power of Jesus Scripture reading: Matt. 9:32-38 -Mrs. Ed Eriksen.

Missionary solo-Miss Wilhite. Prayer-Mrs. H. M. Horton. Special song-by the Children. Announcement of Missionary

Sketch: "Whithersoever Thou Goest" -Mrs. I. H. Teel. "Whithersoever Thou Goest"-

Scenes 1, 2, and 3. Offering. Benediction-I. H. Teel.

Fifty people are to sing in the choir at the Baptist church Sunday said petition alleging that hereto-fore on or about the 13th day of March, A. D., 1915, J. P. Beckley ex-tent people. You are invited tent people. You are invited.

> BEN ETHRIDGE OUT FOR CITY MARSHAL

by plaintiff, securing said indebtedness by giving to the said plaintiff a deed of trust with D. Hill Jameson as trustee of said deed of trust on the following described land lying in and being citated in Androrus therefore, appears in the proper The Reporter this week is authortherefore, appears in the proper in and being situated in Andrews County, Texas, to-wit: The south one hundred acres of the east one- Midland a good many years, and is half of section five, block A thirty-quite well known to most of our five, together with all improvements people. He has had much experiafter erected or situated thereon. That the sum of two hundred dollars has been paid on said promissory note and the balance of the principal nounces that he is running strictly and interest are still unpaid.

Plaintiff prays for judgment for his debt, interest, and foreclosure of criticism that might be made of any the deed of trust lien on the above other candidate. In the event of his described land and premises.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regulated to duty and to serve the people to lar term, this writ with your return the utmost of his ability. We comthereon, showing how you have exemend him to your consderiation.

> ternoon at 2:30. All members are requested to be present.-Mrs. Leonadv 16-4t ard Pemberton, president.

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Aubrey Brown h. r.-94 1-3.

Grace Brandon h. r.-93 5-6.

Frances Ratliff h. r .- 93 5-6.

Kitta Belle Wolcott h. r .- 93.

Annie Laurie Hix h. r-92 2-5.

Olivia McKissick h. r.-92 1-5.

Alma Lee Norwood h. r .- 91 4-5.

Laudie Mae Wilmoth h. r .- 91 3-5.

Frankie Fernandes h. r .- 90 3-5.

Lillie Mae Norwood h. r .- 90 1-2.

Joe Bailey Young h. r .- 90-1-2.

Annie Julia Aycock h. r .- 90 1-5.

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Virginia Hale h. r.-90 1-3.

Gladys Inman h. r.-90 1-6.

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 89)

Elizabeth McKissick-90.

Jackson Parker h. r .- 90.

Nancy Rankin h. r .- 90.

Allene Boone-89 4-5.

V. R. Dockray-89 4-5.

Lonnie Smith-89 4-5.

Robert Moore-89 2-3.

R. B. Covington-89 3-5.

Rita Merle Young-89 3-5.

M. D. Johnson-89 2-5.

Clinton Dunagan-89 1-6.

Virgie Locklar-89 1-6.

Fred Girdley-89 1-3.

Jessie Moore-89 1-3.

Marie Andrews-89.

Donovan Gwvn-89.

Ben Smith-88 4-5.

Jane Jones-88 3-5.

Essie Long-88 2-5.

Frankie Long-88 2-5.

Lysle O'Brien-88 1-3.

Cassie Lee Potter-88 1-6.

Wallace Wimberly-87 5-6.

Author Greenhill—87 1-2.

Mary Bradshaw-87 1-6.

Georgia Brown-87 1-6.

Maggie Wright-86 5-6.

Van Lee Estes-86 1-2.

Gladys Midkiff-85 5-6.

Horace Rankin-85 1-3.

Othell Wilmoth-85 1-6.

Willie Pearl Dockray-85 1-3.

Christine Brooks-86 1-3.

Cecil Roberts-86 1-2.

Clida Belle Reynolds-86 2-3.

Paul King-86 2-3.

R. J. Webb-86.

Stella Woody-86.

R. D. Lee-85 5-6.

Ted Dozier-85 2-5.

E. B. Estes—85 1-5.

Upton Hammett-85.

Ethel Railey-88 1-5.

J. R. Smith-88 1-5.

Valta Covington-88.

Elizabeth Crews-88.

Ethel Long-87 4-5.

Allen Cowden-88.

Helen Margaret Ulmer-89 3-5.

June Tucker-89 2-3.

Cecil Long-89 4-5.

Martha Nobles h. r.-92 3-5.

Ike Ethridge h. r.-92 1-6.

Winston Elkin h. r .- 92.

Hazel Hill—91 4-5.

Allene Terry-91 4-5.

Rosie Pliska-91 1-5.

Ila Brown-90 3-5.

David Allen h. r.-91 4-5.

Grady Henry h. r.—91 2-3.

Bernetta Ray h. r .- 91 1-2.

Louis Thomas h. r.-91 1-2.

Helen Manning h. r .- 91 1-3.

Dora Wall h. r .- 95.

Jessie Mae Estes-94.

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## DISTINCTION LIST FOR FOURTH MONTH

ENROLLMENT 573, MONTHLY ATTENDANCE 532, DISTINC-TION LIST 251

The fourth month of the present session of our public schools closed Friday, January 7th, 1921, with a total enrollment of 573 for the term and a monthly attendance of 532 for the fourth month, and a distinction list of 251 for the same month. This distinction list was divided as follows: In the high school, 65; in Central Ward, 93 and in South Ward, 93. The attendance for the month was also good, seven rooms averaging more than 98 per cent in this respect. The seven highest rooms in attendance, together with their averages, were as follows:

Miss A. M. Patterson's room 99.03 per cent. Miss Boyce's room, 99.03 per cent.

Miss L. Patterson's room, 98.54 Miss N. Elkin's room, 98-51 per

cent. Miss Melson's room, 98-09 per

cent. Miss Talley's room, 98-04 per cent. Miss Pickerell's room, 98-04 per

There were only 12 tardies for the entire month, and 133 visitations were made to the schools during the

month. Below is given the list of those pupils in the public schools who won distinction in their studies for the fourth month; those averaging 90 or more being recorded with highest honors (Summa Cum Laude,) and those averaging 85 or more and less than 90 being recorded with high honors (Magna Cum Laude.) Those in the first group who also made 95 \*\*\*\*\* or more in deportment were on the honor roll, this fact being indicated by h. r. after their respective names. The list follows, by buildings and de-

> High School Summa Cum Laude (90 or more) Florence Manning h. r. 5-98. J. Wiley Taylor h. r. 5-96 4-5. Leonora Whitmire h. r. 5-95 2-5. Kathleen Eiland h. r. 5-94 3-5. Laura Smith h. r. 4-94 1-4. H. B. Dunagan h. r. 5-94 1-5. Lady Connell h. r. 5-93 4-5. Oriel Horton h. r. 5-93 4-5. Quinnie Cordill h. r. 5-93 1-5. Margaret Caldwell h. r. 5-93. Evelyn Estes h. r. 5-93. Ruth Lewis h. r. 4-92 3-4. Clifford Heath h. r. 4-92 1-4. Bryan Hull h. r. 5-91 4-5. Myrtle Whitmire h. r. 5-91 4-5. Fayette Clark h. r. 4-91 3-4. Winnie Runyan h. r 4-91 3-4. Izetta Lee h. r. 5—91 1-5. Loucille Williams h. r 5-91 1-5. Mae Bryans h. r. 4-90 3-4. Johnnie Roberts h. r. 4-90-3-4. Evelyn Scarborough h.r. 4-90 3-4. Thomas Schrock h. r. 4-90 3-4. Quintie Thomas h. r. 4-90 1-2. Betty V. Trammell h. r. 5-90 2-5. Thomas Inman h. r. 5-90 1-5. Elsie Wolcott h. r. 5-90 1-5. Louise Karkalits h. r. 5-90. Rebecca Underwood h. r. 5-90.

Thelma Anderson h. r 4-90. Magna Cum Laude (85 to 89) Annie Wall 4-89 3-4. Jessie Hale 5-89 3-5. Johnnye Preston 4-89 1-2. Lillie Kelton 4-89 1-4. Lillie B. Williams 5-89 1-5. Freddie Bradford 5-89. Alice Haley 4-89. Herman Klapproth 5-88 4-5. Marion Allen 5-88 3-5. Bernice Norwood 5-88 2-5. James Harrison 4-88 1-4. Jessie King 4-88 1-4. Benjamin Fleenor 5-88 1-5. Maude Price 4-88. Garvice Dockray 4-87 3-4. Lyman Hyatt 5-87 3-4. Jewell Collins 4-87 1-2. Julia Potter 4-87 1-2. Mabel Holt 5-87. Olive Allen 5-86 4-5. Annie Lee Brunson 5-86 4-5. Geneva Shaw 4-86 3-4. Leola Bigham 4-86 1-2. Lillie D. Midkiff 4-86 1-2. Lillie Pliska 5—86. Margaret Currie 4-86. Cora Mae Halev 5-85 3-5. Inabeth Whitefield 5-85 3-5. Gladys Buchanan 4-85 1-2. Venna Crowley 4-85 1-2. Minnie Foster 4-85 1-2. Willie Preston 4-85 1-2. Blanche Moran 4-85 1-4. Helen Winborne 5-85 1-5. Florence Kilcrease 4-85. Grammar School Dept. (Central

Ward) Summa Cum Laude (90 or more) Forrest Biard h. r.-97 4-5. Bush Elkin h. r.-97. Thalbert Thomas h. r .- 95 5-6. Velma Winborne h. r.—95 5-6. Revice Brumley h. r.-95 2-3. Ray Gwyn h. r.—95 1-2. Wright Cowden h. r.-95 2-5.

Dorothy Tucker-85.

South Ward Summa Cum Laude (90 or more) Lella Swilling-97 4-5. Mary Fleenor h. r .- 97 1-6. Maurine Tigner h. r.-96 1-2. Barron Wadley h. r .- 96 1-3. Richard Ramsay-94 5-6. Dorothy Manning h. r.-94 5-6. Mattie Elkin Biard h. r .- 94 1-3. Minnie Rieta Hutchison hr-93 1-6 Marie Hill h. r .- 94. Tommie Smith h. r .- 93 5-6. Ainslee Estes h. r.-93 2-3. Ruth Shaw h. r.-93 2-5. Margaret Francis h. r.-93 1-2. Lela F. Irwin h. r.—93 1-6. Harwell Whitmire h. r .- 93. Jennie Elkin h. r.-93. Scharbauer Eidson h. r .- 92 5-6. Iola Lee h. r.-92 5-6. Bennie Sue Ratliff h. r.-92 5-6. Sadie Bradshaw-92 1-2. Jeanette Waddell h. r.-92 1-2. Addilese Haag h. r.—92 2-5. Bernice Hill h. r.-92 1-3. Tom Potter h. r.—92 1-3. Dorothy Ratliff h. r .- 92 1-3. Witzel Whitmire h. r .- 92 1-3. Ruby Moore h. r.-92 1-6. Velva Neeb h. r.-91 5-6. J. C. Roberts h. r.—91 5-6. Pearl Wimberly h. r.-91 2-3. Emily Flanigan h. r.-91 2-3. Leah Edwards h. r.-91 1-2. Juanita Johnson h. r .- 91 2-5. Otho Moore-91 1-3. Noreen Haley h. r .- 91 1-6. Dennis Fleenor h. r .- 91 1-6. Clarice Hull h. r.-91. Eulalia Whitefield h. r.-90 5-6. Eloise Goode h. r.-90 5-6. Jimmie S. Brown h. r .- 90 4-5. Vance Hyatt h. r.-90 2-3. Louise Hill-90 2-3. Ida Mae McKinney h. r .- 90 2-3. Sidney House h. r .- 90 1-2. T. J. Stokes h. r.—90 1-2. Susan Cowden h. r.-90 1-2. Robert Caldwell-90 1-4. Ruth Norwood h. r .- 90 1-6. Kenneth Johnson-90 1-6. C. C. Foster, Jr., h. r.—90. J. H. Fine h. r.-90. Wayne Hill-90. Magna Cum Laude (85 to 89)

Earl Ray-89 5-6. Eulalah Beacham-89 5-6. D. H. Haley—89 5-6. Katie R Anderson-89 5-6. Alta M. Johnson-89 1-6. Lucile Thomas-89 1-6. Johnnie D. Underwood-89. Louise Greenhill—88 5-6. Earl Klebold-88 5-6. John W. Crowley-88 2-3. Margaret Crooks-88 1-2. Irene Jay-88 1-2. Drotha Johnson-88 1-3. Thelma Railey-88 1-3. Thomas Aycock—88. Mary Norwood-88. Ford Schrock-87 5-6. Robert Fleenor-87 4-5. Ora Mae Parks-87 2-3. Nellie Mae Wilson-87 1-3. Jax Cowden—87. D W Brunson\_86 Ray Parker-86 4-5. Hope Woody-86 4-5. Ethel Rayburn-86 3-5. Dorothy Cowden-86 2-5. Charles Brown-86 1-2. Rowena Daniel-86 1-3. Archie Estes-86 1-4.

Thomas Barber-86 1-6.

Jewell Midkiff-86 1-6.

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Today (Friday matinee and night) the Rialto is offering a big Metro special attraction, "Burning Daylight," from the story by the famous author, Jack London. Also "The Moonriders" and International News

'The Lost City."

shine Sambo comedy.

'Under Crimson Skies," Katherine McDonald in "The Turning Point," said court, at its aforesaid next reg-Anita Stewart in "The Yellow Typhoon," Harold Lloyd and Bebe Dan-cuted the same. iels in "Bumping into Broadway."

FACTS IN A NUTSHELL ABOUT YOUR INCOME TAX 1921.

final date for filing returns and making first payments.

person resides. How? Full directions on Form

and regulations. What? Four per cent normal tax on taxable income up to \$4,000 in excess of exemption. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxable in-

Mary Allen-85 5-6. Thomas Barber-85 1-6. Johnnie Pliska-85 1-6. John Wisdom-85 1-6. Carroll Tigner-85 1-6. Maurice Woody-85. Lynch King-85.

summon the Lone Star Farms Company, a corporation, patrnership or joint stock association, the stock-holders of which or the partners

will be shown. Saturday there will be a matine big Bill Russell in a live Western comedy drama, "Six Feet Four.' You saw him in "Slam Bang Jim," now see 6'4. Also the kid comedy

Monday the emotional Pauline

Death." This screen drama is a lien were transferred to plaintiff.

That the Lone Star Farms Comthrilling romance of India, replete pany thereafter acquired said land in with mystery and powerful love in- consideration of the assumption of terest. Also Snub Pollard and Sun-shine Sambo comedy said note. Plaintiff prays for judgment for

Who? Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more for the year 1920; married couples who had net income of \$2,000.

When? March 15th, 1921, is the

1040A and Form 1040; also the law

come. Surtax from 1 per cent to 65 per cent on net incomes over \$5,000.

Robert McKissick-85 5-6. Agnes Allen-85.

Frank True-85.

Citation by Publication

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Andrews County-Greeting. You are hereby commanded to

thereof being unknown, 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 at 3 o'clock on account of the lyceum course appearing at the Methodist church that night. See him Pill Presell in a live Western regular term of the district court of Andrews County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Andrews Texas, on the third Monday in March, A. D., 1921, the same being "Edgar's Jonah Day," featuring Ed- the 21st day of March, 1921, then and gar Pomeroy and an interesting there to answer a petition filed in Prizma Scenic. ber, A. D., 1920, in a suit, numbered Frederick will appear in a murder wherein J. S. Means is mystery story, "The Woman in plaintiff, and James V. Gowl Room 13." A Star Comedy and International News, together with the big feature make a very interesting program.

defendants, and said petition alleging that heretofore on the 1st day of November, 1915, defendant James V. Tuesday and Wednesday the Rial-to management are offering another to A. A. Horne his promissory note big Tarzan picture, "The Revenge of Tarzan," from the story "The Return of Tarzan," by Edgar Rice Burn of Tarzan, "by Edgar Rice Burn of Tarzan," by Edgar Rice Burn of Tarzan, "by Edgar of Tarzan," by Edgar Rice Bur-at rate of 10 per cent per annum roughs. A big story, a splendid cast and 10 per cent additional as attorand good direction. Sixth episode of "The Lost City" ney's fees, and simultaniously therewith executed a deed of trust to secure said note on section No. 18, blk. Thursday is your opportunity to see Nazimova in "Stronger Than County, Texas, and which note and

Coming—Norma Talmage in "The Way of a Woman." Elmo Lincoln in "Under Crimson Skies." Kathorical Trust lien.

Herein fail not, but have before ular term, this writ with your return

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Andrews, Texas, this the 8th day of January,

R. M. MEANS, Clerk, District Court, Andrews County

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# A Bargain Event Without Parallel

At last we have gotton our fire loss of December 24th adjusted, and it is now READY TO GO! We want you to come, EXPECTING BARGAINS, AND WE SHALL NOT DISAPPOINT YOU. This stock invoiced Thirty Thousand Dollars in Staple Dry Goods---men's women's and children's shoes, men's and boys' clothing, shirts. trousers, overalls, underwear, hosiery, including the famous Iron Clad line, for all of the family.

# A Double Reason for This Eventful Sale

FIRST: We made a satisfactory settlement with the Insurance people; one that will enable us to sell this stock for less than such splendid merchandise was ever before offered in Midland.

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# Only Smoke and Water Damage

The fire of December 24th did not reach our main floor, but was confined to the Balcony, our Ready-to-Wear and Millinery Department, and the only damage sustained in our General Departments was through smoke and water; enough to give us an excellent insurance adjustment, enough to enable us to own the splendid stock, most of it undamaged, at a wonderfully low price, and to enable us to launch the Wonder Bargain Event that Midland has ever known.

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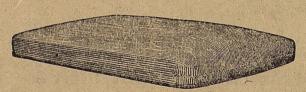
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### STRONGER TONE ON ALL PRINCIPAL MARKETS

hogs. His report is as follows:

fairly active and prices were strong- success. er than last week's close. The bulk of the offerings drew killers' bids. be allowed by the European Relief or before the first day of the said of a week ago. Sheep were 10 to full, it has been announced. 15 cents higher, and lambs strong. The undertone was firm.

Receipts Monday were 11,000 cat-

bulk of the steers sold at \$7.25 to are the best friends in the world. \$8.50, a few loads \$8.75 to \$9.50. Butcher grades sold more readily than last week, though at unchangsteady.

Stock and feeding cattle were in adv 17-tf Good to choice thin steers that have had no dry feed are scarce and they are selling relatively better than weightier kinds that show some grain. Not many steers are moving to feed lots and the bulk of the outgoing supply will be roughed through to grass.

> Late last week hog prices were sharply lower. On the close best ary 14th, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., hogs were selling up to \$9. Today receipts were materially short of expectations. Prices were quoted 25 er, sealed bids or proposals as the deto 35 cents higher. The top was pository for the funds of said county \$9.40, and bulk of the hogs sold at for the next succeeding two years \$9.15 to \$9.35. Pigs sold up to \$9.65. thereafter. Because of the light receipts both shippers and packers were unable to fill all their orders.

Demand for fat sheep was much lambs \$9.75 to \$10.25. Inquiry for and all bids. half fat grades was small.

and mule division opened with about 1921. 400 head available. A good many County Judge, Martin Co., Texas. buyers were here. First sales were

#### CHILDREN OF U. S. PLAN MEMORIAL AT ST. MIHIEL

Children of the United States will soon be represented with a unique memorial on the famous battlefield of St. Mihiel, where American troops carried out their first great offensive, according to an announcement by the Junior Red Cross of America, which has just made an publication of this citation once in appropriation to be used in connec- each week for four successive weeks tion with the French government in establishing on the historic battleground a model children's hospital.

Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas. County of Martin. ing foreclosed as to all defendants in ing foreclosed as to all defendants in said suit and levied upon as the property of J. L. McCullough and Gertrude McCullough, and that on the first Tuesday in March, 1921, the same being the 1st day of said month at the court house door, of Martin County, in the town of Stanton, Texas, between the hours of 10 a m and 4 n, m by virtue of said a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the high-est bidder, as the property of said J. L. McCullough and Gertrude McCul-

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

Witness my hand, this 27th day of January. 1921.

v. Y. SADLER,
Sheriff Martin County, Texas.
adv 17-3t

RED CROSS AID EFFORT FOR EUROPE'S CHILDREN

Active co-operation of the American Red Cross through its 630 chap-Our Kansas City market corresters throughout the Southwest is bepondent, writing under date, Jan. ing furnished the great canvass for D., 1921, same being the 14th day of 24th, notes a stronger tone on all \$33,000,000 to save the 3,500,000 said month, receive proposals from the principal markets, especially on children of Europe from starvation any banking corporation, association this winter. As one of the eight re-Hog prices Monday were 25 to 35 lief organizations co-operating to cents higher than last week's close. raise this sum, Red Cross chapters funds of said county for the ensuing Receipts were light and demand ur- and members have been asked to lend two years as provided by law. gent. Demand for fat cattle was their best efforts to accomplish its

Stockers and feeders sold readily. Council or its individual members Receipts at all markets were short until the money has been raised in

#### Card of Thanks

tle, 8000 hogs, and 9500 sheep, com- week, to extend our thanks to the by a certified check for not less than pared with 14,000 cattle, 13,000 hogs people of Midland for their help one-half of one per cent of the counand 7000 sheep a week ago, and 22, when we recently lost our home and the preceding year, as 000 cattle, 28,500 hogs, and 4290 its contents, by fire. The Reporter A moderate decrease in fat cattle the people to know how grateful we he will enter into the bond as requirweek ago, and about half as many what we feel, but our profoundest who what we feel, but our profoundest bids as may be presented will be opened and acted upon by the court as receipts today compared with a are. We have no words to express ed by law. ging condition in the market. Prices helped, either materially or with exshowed no material rally, but the pressions of sympathy. Friends are steadier tone gave an improved out- the greatest comfort that life holds, look. Trade was fairly active. The it would seem, and Midland friends 1921.

C. C. JOHNSTON and Family.

Gentlemen's tailored shirts and aled prices. Most of the fat cows so repair work of all kinds, for both brought \$5.25 to \$6.50, and heifers ladies and gentlemen. Mrs. B. P. \$6 to \$8.25. Veal calves were fully Harrison, at the old Elliott resi-

#### Notice to Banks and Bankers

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with Art. 2440 et seg., Vernon's Civil Statutes, the Commissioners' Court of Martin County, Texas, will at the February term of said court, to be held at the county court house in Stanton, Texas, on Februreceive from any banking corporation, association or individual bank-

All such bids to be sealed and delivered to the undersigned not later than 10 o'clock a. m. on February 14, 1921, and to be accompanied by a better than last week and prices certified check for not less than oneruled 10 to 15 cents higher. Lambs half of one per cent of the revenue were steady, ewes sold at \$5.00 to of said county for the year 1920. Said \$5.35, wethers \$6.00 to \$6.40, and court reserves the right to reject any

Witness my hand at Stanton, Tex-This week's auction in the horse as, this 20th day of January, A. D., A. G. ODOM,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Andrews County-Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Lone Star Farms Company, a corporation, partnership or joint stock association, the stockholders of which or the partners thereof being unknown, by making 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; to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Andrews County, to be holden at the Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable district court of Martin County, of the 27th day of January, 1921, by Jno. F. Epley, clerk of the said court, for the sum of \$4,363.29 and costs of suit, under a foreclosure of Deed of Trust lien in favor of Mrs. Florence Konz in a certain cause in said court. No. 866, and styled Mrs. Florence Konz vs J. L. McCullough and Gertrude McCullough, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, V. Y. Sadler, sheriff of Martin County, Texas, did on the 27th day of January, 1921, levy on certain real eseate, situated in Marein County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: South half (S. 1-2) of Sec. 16, block No. 35, Tsp. 2 North Grantee T. & P. Ry. Co. with all improvements thereon. Said lien being foreclosed as to all defendants in grid and therefore of the same being the 21st day of March, A. D., 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 28th day of October, A. D., 1920, in a suit, numbered on said docket of said court No. 238, wherein J. S. Means is plaintiff, and James V. Gowl, A. A. Horne, Ira J. Bell, the Lone Star Farms, Company and W. E. Bell are defendants, and said petition alleging that heretofore on the 1st day of November, 1915, defendant James V. Gowl made, executed and delivered to A. A. Horne his promissory note in writing in sum of four hundred twenty-six and 80-100 (\$426.80) dollars, due in one year after date and providing for interest from date at rate of 10 per cent per annum and 10 per cent additional as attorney's fees, and sim-Notice is hereby given that by virtee of a certain order of sale issued at the first thouse thereof, in Andrews, Texas, on the third Monday in March, at of the honorable district court of A. D., 1921, the same being the 21st ditional as attorney's fees, and sim-ultaneously therewith, executed a deed of trust to secure said note on section 12, block A-34, public school land. Andrews County, Texas, and which note and lien were transferred to plaintiff.

That the Lone Star Farms Company thereafter acquired said land in consideration of the assumption

Plaintiff prays for judgment for his debt, interest and attorney's fees and for foreclosure of the deed of

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next 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 Andrews, Texas, this the 8th day of January,

R. M. MEANS, Clerk. District Court, Andrews County

The Commissioners' Court of Andrews County, Texas, will, at the regular term of said court, to be held at the court house in the town of Andrews, Andrews County, Texas, on the second Monday in February, A. individual banker in Andrews

Any such banking corporation, asterm, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest that the said banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay on the funds of the county for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for the selection of a disposi-The Reporter was requested, last tory. Said bid shall be accompanied guarantee of good faith on overlooked the matter, but we want bid should be accepted by the court, miles from Bryant No. 1 well annual

prescribed by law.

J. W. IRWIN.

Watch the screen for announcement of new arrivals of hats, suits MINORCAS—Single comb black dresses, skirts and blouses. Many Minorcas, the B. P. Harrison stock. I pretty numbers already await your approval. Very soon we shall go to market. Can we assist in your plans for the summer wardrobe? Whitmeyer's Shop for Milady.

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FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE CHEAP-A Detroit gasoline stove, two burners and oven. City Drug Store

FOR SALE—Two good, second hand, 10-foot Standard windmills and towers, for sale at half the cost of new ones. See R. A. Young. 16-4tpd

FOR SALE OR TRADE-One 32 sociation or individual banker in said and one 38 caliber Winchester rifle. county, desiring to bid, shall deliver Both in good condition. Jack Biard.

> FURNISHED ROOMS-Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, very close in. Phone 176. 16-2tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE-A 9-room house furnished, at Cisco. It is close in and rents at \$200 per month. Will in and rents at \$200 per month.
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13-tf

#### MINERAL LEASES

miles from Bryant No. 1 well, annual rental \$1 per acre. Price \$20°. Henry M. Halff, Box 307, Midland, Texas. 5tf

#### STRAYED OR STOLEN

STRAYED OR STOLEN-Span of Given under my hand and official small mules, light brown in color, a seal of office at Andrews, Texas, on horse and a mare mule. One brand-this the 18th day of January, A. D., ed "C" on thigh and other branded ed "C" on thigh and other branded "I H X" on hip. Disappeared from my home in Midland about December County Judge, Andrews County, Tex. 20th. Will gladly pay for information or trouble in locating same. Jax M. Cowden. 13-tf

#### POULTRY AND EGGS

will have a few settings of these eggs for sale, \$2 per 15. Place your order now. H. H. Meeks, phone

ROOMS-At the Dyer Hotel. Nice and comfortable and close in. Prices Accommodations for transients, ranchmen, and others so-

going to do it. Try us on your next job and we guarantee satisfaction. Phone 36. Greenhill & Sharp. 16tf

WANTED-A second hand bath tub. Must be in good condition. J. L. Jones phone 201. Jones, phone 201.

WANTED-I am in the market for an up-ground, second hand, cypress tank. G. A. Glaser, Stanton, Texas.

BORROWED OR STOLEN-A Peter Schuttler 3-inch wagon, from the gin yard, about two weeks ago. End tongue has splice about a long. Cotton frame on wagon when taken. If borrowed please return. If stolen will appreciate any information. W. G. Jackson, Midland,

BIG JACK SALE AT AUCTION—At Baird, Callahan County, Texas, by W. T. Wheeler on Tuesday, Feb. 22nd. 1921, in barn two blocks from depot promptly at 10 o'clock rain or shine: 28 head of registered jacks and 50 head of jennets. There will to come and buy them at your own price. Don't forget the date. 17-4t

The reader will note, elsewhere in The Reporter, an advertisement, showing the purchase of the dray and transfer lines of both L. E. Klebold and W. P. Nugent by J. L. and W. T. Locklar. These brothers are fine men and can be depended upon to serve the public in a most satisfactory way. We wish them much

Good, sound oak wood, sawed or in lengths. Phone No. 216. adv 17th

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