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NOW IS THE TIME TO ACT

Midland, along with more than a dozen other towns and cities of West Texas, is bidding for the \$817,000 state hospital for the insane which is to be located at some point west of the 100th meridian, the location for the hospital to be selected by the State Board of Control which is composed of Claude D. Teer, chairman, John F. Wallace and Henry C. Meyer. Competition among the various cities asking for the institution is exceptionally keen, all of the cities involved putting forth intensified efforts to secure the hospital, appropriations for which were voted at the last regular session of the State Legislature.

Each town making application has its advantages, and these advantages will be brought out very strongly during the "fight" for the hospital. While it is thought that the hospital will perhaps be located somewhere along the Texas and Pacific railroad, it is said that there are no favorites in the race and that the town offering the greater number of advantages will be finally selected.

Midland has many advantages to offer in the way of healthful climate, abundant water supply, fertile farm land and rail and highway connections offering accessibility and convenience to inhabitants of West Texas, but no stone must be left unturned in striving to bring the hospital to Midland. There are many things yet to be done in this regard and plenty of hard work is in store.

The chamber of commerce hospital committee has been very active in the matter and is doing a good work but the unlimited support and cooperation on the part of the citizenry of Midland is needed. Additional information will have to be secured and drafted and money will have to be raised, and the cooperation of every loyal citizen of Midland is solicited in this highly important project. You will perhaps be called upon, and when you are solicited, do your part.

Most of the work done by the hospital committee to date has been on the brief which will be filed with the State Board of Control along with Midland's formal application, the dead line for the filing of formal applications having been announced as June 20. Detailed information regarding Midland will be listed in the brief in which the many advantages of the city as a possible location for the hospital will be pointed out.

At least 300 acres of fertile farm land must be offered without cost to the state, and a sub-committee has been busy for the past week securing options on suitable tracts near Midland. Several choice pieces of land are being considered, and the most attractive tracts will be submitted along with the application.

After the applications have been filed, the Board of Control proposes to visit all applicant cities getting first hand information in regard to the most suitable location for the hospital.

It is said that the hospital will bring an annual revenue of approximately \$500,000 in payrolls and maintenance expenses to the city of its location.

The institution is indeed well worth striving for. It seems the only thing in history that really repeats is the rapid-fire machine gun.

French caddies have been classed as farmers, and they do live a rather harrowing life.

The Town Quack



(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything).

zans and the visitors, come out and help support this going institution. Our Jim Harrison should be in New York by now. I wonder just how a country boy feels when he first steps out on the streets of Gotham. Maybe he will tell us when he gets back.

Once when Raymond Hughes was a country boy, he visited the city of Philadelphia and was stopping at the Spruce Hotel. He got about six or eight blocks away, forgot the name of his hotel and couldn't find his way back. He said he surely was up a stump when he forgot the name of the Spruce.

Over in Europe the war eagle looks well fed, whereas the dove of peace looks like a sick sparrow.

Jay Floyd wears his \$2.50 shirt around the horse lot, then comes to town wearing a four-bit one.

However, I knew one country boy who had funnier habits than that. While out in the country he wore his trousers hind part before, so when he came to town they wouldn't bag at the knees.

of George Washington. The first flag had thirteen red and white stripes, but also had only thirteen stars. As new states came into the Union—Vermont and Kentucky among the first, new stripes as well as new stars were added. In this manner, it was seen that the flag was losing its original symmetry and gracefulness. Thus, President Monroe signed a bill on April 4th, 1818, restoring the flag to the original thirteen stripes, adding a new star for each new State. Because of this, we have today, not an unsymmetrical, unwieldy flag of forty-eight stars and stripes, but a beautiful symbol of American ideals, a flag with thirteen stripes, red and white, and a field of blue containing the forty-eight stars; a flag representing Justice, Purity and Bravery.

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FLAG DAY

By Billy Noble

On June 14, 1777, Congress passed the following:

"Resolved: That the flag of the thirteen United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the Union be thirteen stars, white on a field of blue, representing a new constellation."

And thusly, "Old Glory" became our official flag.

June fourteenth is the flag's birthday, the birthday of the flag of the United States of America. Therefore, on each and every flagpole "Old Glory" with forty-eight stars, should fly.

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Rehearing Asked On Bank Nite Case

Motion for re-hearing of the "bank nite" case, following the ruling last week by the Supreme Court of Texas that theater bank nights constitute a lottery, has been filed by attorneys for the theaters involved. It was announced Saturday by J. Howard Hodge, manager of the Yucca

and Ritz theaters here. Hodge said the Midland theaters will continue to stage bank nights each Thursday night until the muddled situation is "cleared."

Proposed bank night legislation in the Texas legislature was halted with the action of the state's highest court, declaring the practice to be a lottery.

Hodge said that if the motion for a new hearing of the Texas case is not granted, it probably will be appealed to the Supreme Court of

Get The Idea?



Gregory Ratoff and Doris Nolan, two of the featured players in the new Universal sparkling musical, "Top of the Town," playing today at the Ritz. Faye Cotton of Borger, also is in the picture.

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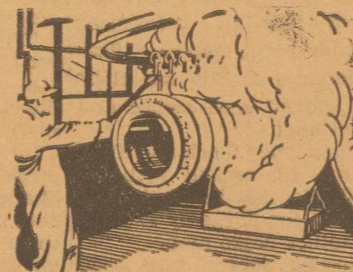


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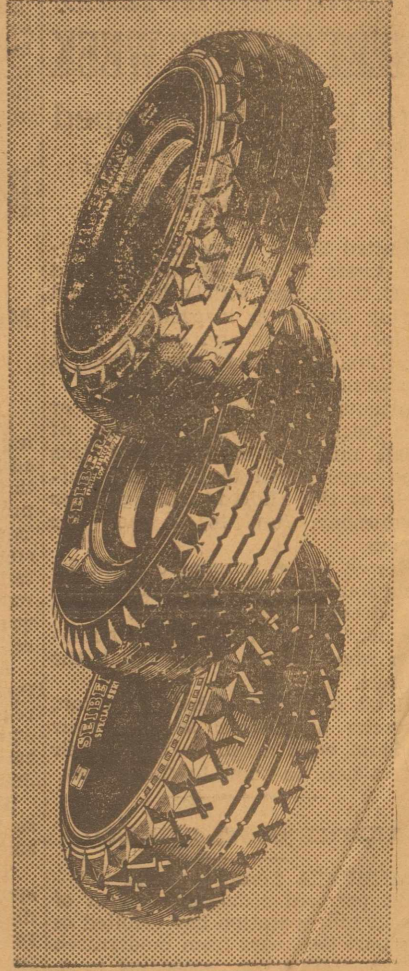


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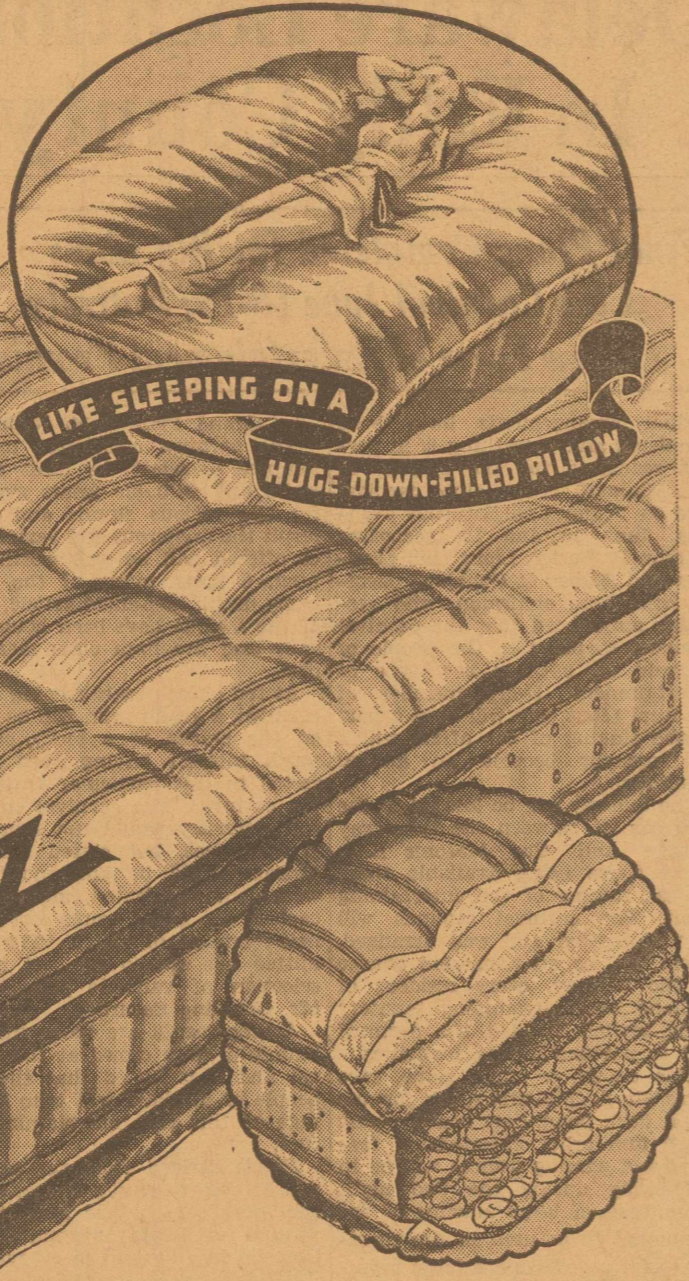
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CARDINALS AND ROSWELL SUNSHINERS IN DOUBLE-HEADER TODAY

DAISS AND BREWER TO DIVIDE MOUND DUTIES FOR RED BIRDS, DEVINE AND SCOTT TO HURL FOR VISITING CLUB

The Midland Cardinals and the Roswell Sunshiners, two of the top notch clubs of the league, will meet here today in a double-header, yesterday's game being called off because the Roswell club was delayed in arriving because of car trouble and a strong south wind whipping clouds of sand across the infield. The first game starts at 2:30.

Spectators will get to see four of the outstanding hurlers of the league in action this afternoon. Manager Brewer will divide duties for Midland and Manager Rabe reported Scott and Devine would be on the mound for the Sunshiners.

Daiss is generally wild but when right is one of the toughest pitchers in the league. Opposing players say he has more "stuff" on the ball than practically any other hurler in the league and only wildness has kept his average from being higher than it is. His present record is six games won and three lost.

Like Daiss, Devine, Sunshiner left-

it will be more than satisfactory to Davis. In his only game to date Brewer shut out the strong Wink Spudders with only two hits, one of them a scratch hit.

Scott, another Roswell left-hander, is the leading pitcher of the league at the present time, boasting 10 wins and only 1 defeat. He captured 10 straight before having a bad day and falling a victim to the Cardinals in his home park last week. Some shoddy work by his team mates aided in his downfall or he might have made it 11 in a row.

The Sunshiners will be out to avenge three straight defeats handed them in Roswell by the Cards last week while the Red Birds will be attempting to increase their league lead over the second place Odessa club.

Stressing the importance of a large crowd attending the games today, President Query of the local club, said that the club had been losing money all month and that a large crowd was a necessity.

handers, is greatly troubled by his lack of control but when he has his fast ball under control he is practically unbeatable. Twice this season he has struck out 14 men in one game. He will probably be nominated to oppose Daiss in the first game.

Brewer will be making his second appearance of the season before a local crowd, having only joined the club last week, but if he does as well as he did in his initial go-

FRIDAY'S GAME

	AB	H	P	A
Wink	4	2	5	4
Barnhill-2	5	1	2	0
Grider-3	2	0	0	2
Wano-3	3	1	0	1
Hood-r	4	0	0	0
Herrick-m	4	1	0	0
Guyne-ss	4	0	1	4
Bryce-c	4	2	6	1
Bailey-1	2	0	10	0
Christy-p	2	0	0	0
Atkinson-p	1	0	0	2
x-Fullenwider	1	0	0	0

TOTALS 36 7 24 14

	AB	H	P	A
Midland	5	2	4	0
Murphy-r	3	1	3	5
Orr-2	4	1	1	0
Randell-m	3	1	1	0
Nook-L	4	1	0	2
Searfline-3	4	3	5	6
Stein-ss	2	1	1	0
Schiffner-1	4	0	5	0
Potocar-c	4	0	0	2
Davis-p	4	0	0	2

TOTALS 33 10 27 15

x-Fullenwider batted for Bailey in ninth.

Wink 000 000 013-4

Midland 301 020 00x-6

Summary: Runs batted in—Serafline, Stein 2, Nook, Schiffner; Wano, Brown 3. Errors—Bailey; Stein Orr. Home run—Nook. Two base hits—Randell, Murphy, Stein, Serafline; Barnhill, Wano, Brown. Stolen bases—Murphy. Struck out—By Davis 4, Christy 3, Atkinson 3. Base on balls—Davis 3, Christy 3, Atkinson 1. Wild Pitch—Christy. Double plays—Stein to Orr to Schiffner, Davis to Stein to Schiffner; Guyne to Barnhill to Bailey. Left on base—Midland 6, Wink 8. Earned runs—Midland 5, Wink 1. Umpires: Hunter, Smith and Reeves. Time: 1:37.

'CALF ORPHANAGE' URGED

DULUTH, Minn. (U.P.)—A plan for a "calf orphanage" is being pushed among dairy herdsmen in the Arrowhead region of Minnesota as a means of improving dairy herds. Under the plan calves from the better cows of a herd would be farmed out to the orphanage at a nominal cost to be later brought back for use in the herd.

KNOWS BABIES

TORONTO, Ont. (U.P.)—Photographers know more about babies and understand them better than the average mother does. Thornton Johnson, Toronto Society of Photographers convention here. "I ought to know," he said. "I've handled thousands of children. The average mother has only one, two or three."

Cheese consumption in France amounts to 16 pounds per capita annually.

WINK OUTFIELDER LEADING PARADE ON .397 AVERAGE

Latest figures from the Texas Statistical Bureau show that Hood, Wink outfielder, is leading all other hitters in the West Texas-New Mexico league with a mark of .397. Hoffman of Odessa is batting second with a mark of .383 and Nook of Midland is third with a .373 average. All of the hitters are topped by men who have been at the bat far fewer times, so they are accorded the real leadership.

Individual leaders are: runs—White (Odessa) 53; Hits—White (Odessa) 23; 3-base hits—Reinhardt (Roswell), Brown (Wink) Landthrip (Mondahans) 5; home runs—Hood (Wink) 9; stolen bases—Smyly (Roswell) 27; runs batted in—Hood (Wink) 47.

Scott of Roswell has won 9 games without a loss (since the release was made Scott has lost 1) to lead in pitching. Manager Joe Davis has five wins without a defeat for a perfect record.

Social Security Made Simple

Question No. 12
QUESTION: Who administers the Social Security Act?

ANSWER: Various parts of the Act are administered by various governmental agencies. The federal old-age benefits portion of the Act is administered entirely by the Social Security Board and its Federal Old-Age Benefits field offices. These field offices assist the public by supplying general information about the Act, aid employers and employees with account number problems, and receive applications for claims for old-age benefits.

Taxes under the Social Security Act are collected by the Bureau of Internal Revenue. In Texas, contributions for unemployment compensation are collected from employers of eight or more by the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission. Employers may credit against the tax required under Title

IX of the Social Security Act their contributions to the State unemployment compensation fund, up to 90 per cent of the federal tax.

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