### **GOVERNMENT** "RABBIT KILLER" HERE TONIGHT

DISCUSS RABBIT EXTERMIN-ATION AT COURT HOUSE

ment is intervening in the case of the was soon practically a total loss. jack rabbits vs. farmers.

County Judge Charles Klapproth.

meeting tonight.

citizens has taken the lead in obtain- partially covered by insurance.

It is estimated that from 36 to 50 cure a good reduction on rates. rabbits eat as much grass as one stee.r Ranchers who have hundreds of jack rabbits on their places can form their own deductions as to their annual

la losses. It is urged that the courtroom be crowded to capacity to impress the government man with the dire need of rodent control here.

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FERGUSON NAME APPEAR-ING ON BALLOT

Papers have been served on Sheriff Enthusiasm for the year's work such a great success. cratic nominee for Governor of Tex- ing this a great school year.

was filed in the district court at Aus- capacity. With a large enrollment tin last week by Charles M. Dickson, of students and a crowd of visitors. of San Antonio. It alleges that the the need of a new school building with State constitution makes no provis- an ample auditorium was keenly felt. ion for the holding of the governor's Supt. W. W. Lackey conducted the office by a woman. It also claims that exercises. Rev. W. B. Blount read her husband, James E. Ferguson, was scriptunre and led in prayer. Mayor impeached and forever debarred from T. Paul Barron made a brief talk of that office or other public office in welcome. Readings were given by Texas, consequently her name should Mrs. Creola Richbourg Vickers and be kept off the ballot as he would be Miss Leona McCormick. Miss Marthe real governor.

yers have proffered their services to students were rendered in as good Mrs. Ferguson to fight the injunction style as if they had been out of school

## Road To Oil Field

from his new home in Best, Texas, in the summer was complimented by the the big oil field south of here. The superintendent. new town now has a post office, and is a big volume of business brought hopes for a great year's work. on by the fact that the field has been proven. It now extends eight miles school often this year as in the past. by two and a half, and the wells are good producers. Midland will soon be ready to build her part of the road, George Bingham to because of the fact that the county is to purchase a tractor right away.

Thaibert and Lewis, are here for the Bingham, to be held at the court him to take a large number of Demo- licity on this cotton, including a story break land. This is the second one The cotton market in Midland has cently from a visit to Oklahoma.

### SOUTH SIDE DWELLING **BURNED TUESDAY**

RODENT CONTROL EXPERT TO HOUSE OWNED BY MRS S. O. RICHARDSON WAS RUINED BY FIRE

Jack rabbits ought to be getting all For the third time in two weeks, of the fun out of their hopping they the big electric siren pealed forth the fire alarm Tuesday morning at Because a lot of them have just 1 o'clock. The dwelling, occupied by about hopped their last hop. It's all L. M. Bratton, belonging to Mrs. S. because the United States govern- O. Richardson, was in flames, and

B. F. Ward, who lives next door, L. C. Whitehead, U. S. leader of ro was awakened by the smell of smoke, dent control in the United States, will and on looking out of the south winbe in Midland tonight at 7:30 to talk dow, saw the flames spreading. The to farmers and ranchers about rid- Brattons were out of town, having ding this country of rabbits, accord- left early Monday morning, and there ing to a letter received from him by was no one at home. The alarm was quickly turned in and the fire truck The Chamber of Commerce has ar- reached the place with speed. The ranged an open meeting of farmers, volunteer fire fighters were there ranchers and business men at the about the same time, and only their court house. If the farmers and fast work and the hard fighting of ranchers are genuinely interested in the neighbors prevented the loss of having the Federal Government help Mrs. Denton's house on the south. B. them fight the rabbit pests, they can F. Ward, with the aid of Les Brown, show that interest and make Federal kept buckets of water thrown on the aid more certain by attending the roof of the Ward home, and prevent-

ber of Commerce, and various local were practically total losses, and were

ing government aid in ridding this Midland should be on the lookout section of jack rabbits. It is pointed for fires. The record has been good out that Mr. Whitehead, who writes for several months, and the local fire ALL MIDLAND PEOPLE URGED GREAT AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT he is coming to Midland to make a insurance agents are working with personal survey, will be much more the city council to secure a good fire greatly impressed with the serious- credit in insurance rates for next Janness of the situation, and will be aid- uary 1st. This credit will be based

THE USUAL GOOD ENROLLMENT

years in the history of the school, signed up to go. APPLICATION FILED PREVENT judging by the number of new stustudents and old teachers.

A. C. Francis and on the sheriffs of was expressed in every song, every other counties in Texas wherein an recitation, and in every talk made by injunction is sought to prevent the student or teacher. The visitors were name of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson be there in a goodly number and added ing placed upon the ballot as Demo-their words of co-operation for mak-

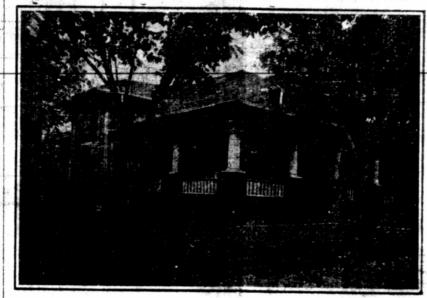
The high school opening exercises The application for the injunction crowded the small chapel room to its

garet Caldwell gave a piano solo. It is reported that many able law. Readings and songs by the high school for only the week end. Interesting talks were made by Mrs. George Ratliff and several members of the Mothers Club. The school board was well Badly Needed represented, although none of the members made talks except to say Dr. F. E. Gibbons was here today strong as ever. Their work through who will be there that day are urg-

The new teachers favored the audbusiness is getting lively there. He ience with interesting talks. Miss states that Midland is overlooking a Gladys Rose, Miss Leon Hanson, and big thing if the road is not put in Mr. M. P. Baker, being the new high good condition for trucking down to school teachers, complimented the the oil field at an early date. There student body and expressed their

Visitors are invited to visit the

Mrs. E. R. Thomas and her sons, Tickets for the lecture by George The Republicans are counting on Anderson has received some good pubschool term. They have returned re- house under the auspices of the Civic cratic votes, stating that he stands on the front page of Thursday's Fort to be located near Florey, L. C. Ar- held up better than that in other League are now on sale at the drug for clean politics. He is new as an Worth Star-Telegram. stores and on the streets. Mr. Bing- office seeker, and agreed to accept the Loriso Eartalite left this ham will present "Something Else," nomination after much deliberation, for Wace, where she will at- and it will be thoroughly humorous according to reports from Republican mire are leaving today for Austin to and interesting from start to finish. newspapers.



#### **HUGH GOGGANS BUYS CLAYTON HOME**

Hugh Goggans has bought the home of R. M. Clayton, Jr., and is mov- in Texas, according to Mr. Clayton no inconvenience or hardship worked ing his family there this week.

This is one of Midland's best residences, and is located in a very desirable part of town, on Wall Street.

It was built by O. B. Holt, who lived there for several years, prior building the magnificent home he now has in West End Addition.

# virgil Ray, assisted by the ChamBoth the dwelling and the furniture BIZZELL LEAVING

TO ATTEND FAIR WHETHER SOLICITED OR NOT

Elmer Bizzell states that he and Paul T. Vickers will ship the Mided in his work much more if a large on the net premiums and fire losses his wife will leave about Wednesday land County agricultural exhibit to crowd is present than if farmers and for three years. Unless the fires are for Colorado, to take the Midland the West Texas Fair at Abilene Satranchers fail to attend the meeting. kept down, it will be impossible to se- County exhibit to the Mitchell County urday afternoon. The exhibit con-Fair. They will have charge of the sists of the best there is to be found are soon to move here.

chell County Fair Thursday, Septem- Vickers has put forth untiring work and as an encouraging sign to those well as on Sunday, and The Reporter MANY NEW STUDENTS ADD TO go, even though they have not been the county. Midland will receive ing the names of those pupils, together ered that the employees are entitled Visitors at the opening of the pub- see fit to go down for a day at least. lene Fair. lic schools last Monday morning saw Since the first list was circulated, B. From there it will be taken to Dal-

dents, the first appearance of the new fine Stetson hat by Wadley-Wilson hibit will be untold, and should be reteachers, and the return of many old Company, in appreciation of his un-flected in the number of new people tiring work in making the exhibit for many months to come.

W. O. Cox was in from the George duction to the Abilene Fair.

### 'FRIENDSHIP'' BANQUET AT COLORADO FAIR

GUESTS AT PARLEY WITH WEST TEXAS PEOPLE

night, September 26th, according to tions extended them for the respec a letter received by the local Cham- tive fairs. ber of Commerce from W. S. Cooper, At Abilene, there will be a big pa-

will entertain representatives from Alice Haley will be her maid of honor. eight or ten of the West Texas coun- Miss Hale will be escorted by Mr. ties in this district.

ed to see Secretary Vickers and let These two society events will do

#### **Butte Selected Re**publican Candidate

Dr. George Butte, head of the law, department of the State University, has been nominated for Republican candidate for Governor of Texas. He R. A. Anderson, of Odessa, has Be At Court House has resigned his position with the grown a stalk of cotton with 350 with a vim.

## VICKERS WILL LEAVE FOR COLORADO SUNDAY FOR ABILENE

MADE UP BY HIS UNTIRING EFFORTS

exhibit from start to finish, in com- in the county of all sorts of agriculpany with W. H. Brown and wife who tural products, fruits both fresh and and to the people of Midland generally ever rather than to make it inconven-Quite a number of Midland people ples of various kinds to demonstrate have entered our schools from other oil just as usual. Surely we can all have been signed up to go to the Mit- Midland's true worth. Secretary schools this fall. For that reason, buy our gas during the week just as ber 25th. Mr. Bizzell states that on this exhibit,, and he has had the of us who are hopeful for the future commends these business men in their every body is welcome and urged to hearty support of the farmers of our fair little city, we are publish- action especially when it is considpersonally solicited. On account of great benefit from the advertising of with the schools and towns they are to their day of rest just like the rest lack of time, many people were not this exhibit when it is witnessed by from: seen but it is hoped that they will thousands of people daily at the Abi-

the beginning of one of the greatest N Aycock and C. S. Karkalits have las, where will be set up in the new agricultural building of the State Mr. Bizzell was presented with a Fair of Texas. The value of this ex-

> Mr. Vickers will leave Sunday morning, taking advantage of the rate re-

### MIDLAND'S SOCIETY REPRESENT'VE CHOSEN

MIDLAND ASKED TO HAVE TEN MISSES JESSIE HALE AND ALICE HALEY CHOSEN AS MIDLAND

Reservations for ten Midlalnd Society at the Abilene and Coloraguests have been made at Colorado da fairs will be well represented by for the "West Texas Friendship Ban- Midland's duchesses next week folquet," given by the Mitchell County lowing the acceptance of Misses Jesfair association, and to be held Friday sie Hale and Alice Haley of invita-

secretary of the Mitchell County Fair. geant on Monday night, to open the The banquet will be held in the West Texas Fair. Miss Jessie Hale basement of the Barcroft Hotel, and will be Midland's duchess, and Miss Clyde Cowden.

This banquet is open to men and Then Miss Alice Haley will be the women both, and it is hoped that Mid-Midland duchess at Colorado, to open that they were back of the school as land will be well represented. Those the Mitchell County Fair, and Miss

> him have their names, or if this is a great deal toward making the fairs not convenient, just attend the ban-enjoyable, and many of the best peoquet and tell them you are from Mid- ple in West Texas will take part. The last spring: duchesses will stay in the best homes of Abilene and Colorado, and will be royally entertained.

## Stalk of Cotton

University to enter the campaign bolls on it. He figures that an acre

Misses Lenora and Myrtle Whitattend the State University.

### D'ARMOND APPOINTED GARAGE TO CLOSE FINANCE CHAIRMAN

WILL HAVE CHARGE OF RAISING CO-OPERATION OF PUBLIC ASK-FUNDS FOR CAMPAIGN IN MIDLAND COUNTY

According to a letter from W. L. Midland people are asked to co-opas for the Democratic National Com- serving the Sunday closing law, as mittee, J. M. DeArmon's has been will be seen in an advertisement in selected as Midland County chairman this issue. to a sist in raising finds for paying These garage owners point out that the expenses of the Democratic Nat- their men work six days out of each J. ! Campaign.

ferent parts of the county, and will employees of various other lines of secure all available funds for help- business. president.

and the funds must come from peo- on anyone. like the Democratic party does.

The hopes of the Democrate are driving. running high with John W. Davis as This action is taken by these garthe Presidential nominee. He has ages after much thought and delibbeen recognized as a man of great eration, and they have found a large ability long before his nomination. | number of people to commend them

SCHOOLS-INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR

canned, garden products and exam- to know that approximately 40 pupils jent for anyone to get his gas and

Robbie Bledsoe, Colorado, Texas. Gerald Bloss, Jackton, Ohio. . Deon Bryant, Almagordo, N. M. Doris Bryant, Almagordo, N. M. Lois Bryant, Almagordo, N. M. Estelle Davie, Shepherd, Texas. Hulen Davie, Shepherd, Texas. Eklin Denson, Rural School, Midland County.

Gladys Denson, Valley View, Midand County. Clarence Ervin, Sulpher Springs,

Clint Ervin, Sulpher Springs, Tex Roy Ervin, Sulpher Springs, Tex. Carroll Hollyman, Crosbyton, Tex. Clarence Holman, Rural School, Midland County.

Fay Jones, Ardmore, Okla. J. L. Jones, Ardmore, Okla. Can McCrary, Toyah, Texas. Monroe Hurt, Van Horn, Texas. Gladys Norton, Eunice, N. M. Ruth Norton, Prairie Lee. Billie Orson, Stanton, Texas. Henry Orson, Stanton, Texas. Sallye T. Orson, Stanton, Texas. Wilton Orson, Stanton, Texas. Bill Price, Rural School, Midland

Earl Ray, Stephenson School. Ruth Smith, Silver, Mitchell Co. John M. Speed, Andrews. Thos. Lee Speed, Andrews. Ike Stovall, Warfield. Floyd Stovall, Warfield. Jeanette Waddell, Big Spring. Jack Watson, Andrews. Louis Wells, Stanton. Floyd West, Warfield.

Johnnie Mae Wilson, Cisco, Texas. Gabe Wright, Iowa Park, Texas. The following have returned to Midland after a few months' absence cently on account of the wet weather,

Ida Beth Cowden, Odessa Wright Cowden, Odessa. Bush Elkin, Plano, Texas. Jennie Elkin, McKinney, Texas.

The enrollment in the entire schools has been increased this year, about than our present record, and it is be-Breaks Record 15 per cent, and it is estimated that lieved that the total number of bales before Christmas it will be at least will amount to at least 3,000 for the 100 above last year.

like this would produce five bales. Mr. 10-20 McCormick-Deering tractor, and remote parts of the county, but it will go into the Florey country to is hoped that this will not continue. rington having purchased one of the towns, according to reports believed same kind a short time ago.

> Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Cooper were here from Odessa yesterday.

# DOORS ON SUNDAYS

ED IN OBSERVING SUNDAY LAWS

ton, director of finance for Tex erate with the local garages in ob-

week, and are entitled to their day He is to appoint assistants in dif- of rest, just like the managers and

ing to elect John W. Davis for presi- They also express themselves as bedent, and Charles W. Bryan, vice- ing in favor of the Sunday laws and customs and feel that with the co-It is necessary to raise \$250,000.00 operation of the people there will be

ple of the Democratic party. He They are to stay open till 9 o'clock points out that the Republican party every Saturday night, giving everyis financed by big business, and does one a chance to have his car filled not have to call on the individuals with gas, oil and other needs, so that all cars will be in shape for Sunday's

The success of this Sunday closing rests with the people, and it is believed that with a little co-operation every car can be filled easily during the week, especially by Saturday

ABOUT 40 ENROLL FROM OTHER light the support of their customers, It will be of interest to our patrons the public as well as or better than

# LIONS CLUB HOLDS

INFORMAL DISCUSSION OF HOW CLUB WILL BENEFIT MIDLAND

Thursday's luncheon of the newly organized Lions . Club was largely made up of discussion of the plans to be pursued in setting the club actively to work for Midland. The literature has not yet been secured from International headquarters, consequently the programs have not been worked out in real Lions Club style.

Good talks were made by several members of the club about making the organization be for everything worth while and against nothing that will be to the constructive development of Midland.

Most of the reserve and timidity of the members had worn off to the extent that everyone there expressed himself freely on each question brought up for discussion. The next meeting was set for two weeks off on account of the fact that so many of the business men are to be in Colorado next Thursday.

#### Eighty-two Bales Ginned To Date

According to J. M. Flanigan, there had been 82 bales of cotton ginned up to about 8 o'clock this morning. Cotton has not been opening as fast reand the ginning record had let up a little, but it is expected to pick up much faster than ever now that the warm dry weather is on again. Several so-called cotton counties

east of Midland have not ginned more

It is reported that some cotton is Dee Montgomery has just bought a going to neighboring towns from the to be authentic; and Midland County farmers will hardly be taking their cotton somewhere else when it sells as well or better here.

## **COUNTRY HAM!**

Nothing is more palatable for those who cannot raise their own meat, nor more profitable for those who can, than good old home-cured products.

A few killing hogs will not only care for home consumption but will add materially to the income as well.

If you would like to try it and can use us in your plans, you have a standing invitation to do so.

#### Midland National Bank

"There Is No Substitute For Safety"

# **BOOSTERS READY FOR**

HARRY NEBLETT SELECTED AS MARSHALL IN CHARGE OF MIDLAND PARADE

It looks as if everybody's going to Colorado to attend the Mitchell County Fair next Thursday. Next Thursday, September 25th, is Midland County Day.

Harry Neblett is marshal of the day. He will ride in the lead car, and will give directions for the monster Midland parade. The cars will desired number, for everybody is not line up between the First National only welcomed but urged to get in

go in a body to Colorado. The Midland boosters will halt on bridge to form in line of parade, and your hat bands from Harry Neblett companies reported losses aggregatwill then invade Colorado to let at his drug store. Mitchell County know all the "dope" on Midland County.

autos are expected to be in come as these: the parade. Elmer Bizzell and Secretary Vickers of the Chamber of Commerce worked only a few hours, and Dale, Lon Roberts, B. S. Davies, M. D. 560 reported net losses aggregating visited only the business houses Johnson, Don Davis, "Cap" Wallace, \$189,439,330. signing up people for the trip. They Bratcher Runyon, Bill Collins, Merfailed to see many farmers, ranchers and professional men as well as boys and girls who will make the trip. They want everybody in Midland County to dison Wadley, E. D. Brooks, W. C. panies, lighting and power compango to Colorado next Thursday.

truck Wednesday. He will also have liams Je Wiley Taylor, Charles Wat- not suffer as much from the deprea big supply of Midland literature. son, Joe Roberts, F. A. Early, E. B. ciation of inventories. Other reas-Mr. Bizzell knows scores of Mitchell Early, Sam Weinstein, B. H. Blake ons are that they met the falling off County farmers personally. Midland ney, Rube Clayton, J. F. Barber, Mel- of receipts in part by drastic reducwants Mitchell County farmers. It vin Hill, John Dublin, T. B. Little, tion of maintenance expenditures, and is a matter of good business for Mid-Judge J. M. Caldwell, Percy Mims, in some instances were able to get land to have a great parade in Col- Ben F. Whitefield, W. P. Bodine, Foy prompt permission to increase chargseeing the parade will say, "By gosh, McCormick, Andrew Fasken, Audie railroads fell off about 2' per cent Midland is showing off so here today. let's go down to the fair grounds and see if 'old' Elmer Bizzell has got anything to prove all these claims about what will grow on that cheap farm-

ing land in Midland."

Whereupon, ergo, they'll flock here and buy these lands.

The Chamber of Commerce is furnishing Midland hat bands to everybody. Business men should have their own signs and banners made to boost their own business houses among the prospective new farmers.

Get in the band wagon! Let's all go. If there ever was a time to boost Midland it's now.

Over 50 men have already said they'd go, and this is only half of the

Elmer Bizzell will take the Midland Johnson, Earl Moran, Elliott Barron, as manufacturing companies gener-Francis, Jax M. Cowden, H. B. Dor- and of the 609 companies reporting,

> Mrs. John Edwards was here last week from Odessa, shopping.

### PROFITS AND LOSSES **DURING YEAR 1921**

BY GEO E. ROBERTS, ISSUED BY NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Lumber, Paper and Pulp Corporations making saw and planing mill products reported to the number of 3,366, of whom 1,475 reported incomes aggregating \$38,722,938, upon which they paid Federal taxes amounting to \$5,762,634. The remaining 1,891 companies reported los aggregating \$76,359,114.

All corporations manufacturing lumber and lumber products, including furniture, auto, carriage and wagon bodies, numbered 6,733, of whom 2,984 had profits aggregating \$70,-511,051, upon which they paid taxes aggregating \$1,247,073, leaving them a net of \$59,263,978. The remaining 3,749 companies had net losses aggregating \$120,219,887.

In paper, pulp and paper products 1,676 companies reported, of whom 730 had net incomes aggregating \$44,881,837, upon which they paid Federal taxes aggregating \$7,584,062, while the remaining 946 companies reported losses aggregating \$49,178,

Logging companies reported to the number of 364, of whom 138 reported profits aggregating \$2,816,401, and 226 reported losses aggregating \$6,-

Leather, Rubber and Products

Corporations reporting in the leather and leather products industries, in-Then, they'll go to the fair, and cluding boots and shoes, gloves, sad-Mr. Bizzell, a former Midland County dlery, valises, etc., numbered 2,154, COLORADO TRIP man will shoot them full of Midland of whom 981 had net incomes aggregating \$57,064,636, upon which they gating \$57,064,636, upon which they paid Federal taxes aggregating \$11 .-814,847, leaving them a net of \$46,-249,789. The remaining 1,203 companies reported losses, aggregating \$105,909,355. Moreover these companies had about the same kind of a year in 1920, when the profit-making group had net incomes aggregating \$46,216,818 after Federal taxes, and the remaining companies had net losses aggregating \$103,921,945. The leather industry has made but slight recovery since 1021.

Clothing and Textiles

In the clothing industry, 6,161 cor-Bank and Midland National Bank at the Midland parade, boost, and have a porations reported, of whom 2,819 re-6 o'clock next Thursday morning, and good time at the feir. The parade ported net incomes of \$65,050,616, upwill be at 11 a. m. Autos will line up on which the Federal taxes amounthere at 6 a. m. and meet at the Coled to \$12,954,843, leaving a net of the west side of the Colorado River orado river bridge at 10:30 a. m. Get \$52,095,773. The remaining 3,342 ing \$80,788,402.

Here's a partial list of men who The total number of corporations say they'll go; if your name isn't reporting in textile fabrics and prod-More than 50 cars have already signed to make the trip, and at least didn't get to see you, you are as welaggregating \$327,356,083, on which Dewey Stokes, Clifford Hill, J. B. they paid Federal taxes aggregating Wilkinson, W. R. Chancellor, Frank \$67,216,070, while the remaining 5,-

Public Service Corporations

Corporations engaged in selling Campbell, J. V. Stokes, Jr., Arthur ies, etc., do not show as heavy losses County exhibit to Colorado in a J. V. Gowl, Fred Leonard, W. H. Wil- ally, for one reason because they did orado. The Mitchell County people Proctor, Dr. Pemberton, George D. es. The gross earnings of the steam sey, J. V. Hobbs, and Frank Cowden. 268 reported net incomes and 341 reported deficits. The net incomes aggregated \$291,113,607, upon which they paid Federal taxes aggregating \$29,650,857, and the deficits aggregated \$323,364,793.

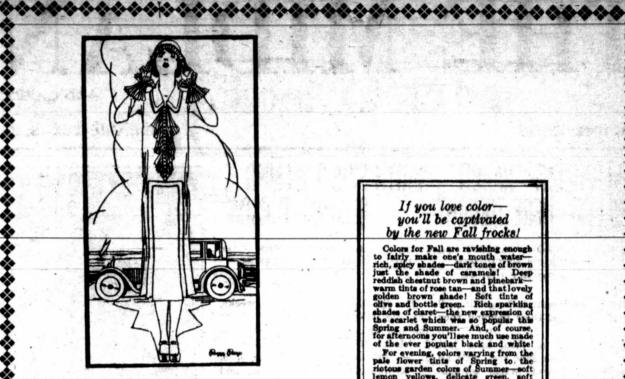
> The grand total for transportation and all other public utility corporations shows 19,105 returns, of which 11,831 reported net incomes aggregating \$821,871,454, upon which the Federal taxes were \$101,021,765, while7,274 reported deficits aggregating \$323,368,793.

Banking, Insurance, etc.

In "banking and related business the number of reporting corporations 77,920, of whom 51,293 reported net incomes aggregating \$573,873,438, upon which the Federal taxes were \$59, 071,00, while 26,627 reported that the net results of their year's business had been losses, aggregating \$169,-626,660.

The insurance companies did not fare so well as the banks. The number reporting was 2,010, of whom 1,-110 had net incomes, aggregating \$127,797,828, upon which they paid Federal taxes aggregating \$12,670,-544, while the remaining 1,209 all had net losses, aggregating \$142,453,-

Jack Edwards left Odessa Tuesday for Terrell, where he will again enter the Texas Military School. He finished his academy work there last year, and is beginning his college work this



If you love color you'll be captivated by the new Fall frocks!

Colors for Fall are ravishing enough to fairly make one's mouth water-rich, spicy shades—dark tones of brown just the shade of caramels! Deep reddish chestnut brown and pinebark—warm tints of rose tan—and that lovely golden brown shade! Soft tints of olive and bottle green. Rich sparkling shades of claret—the new expression of the scarlet which was so popular this Spring and Summer. And, of course, for afternoons you'll see much use made of the aver normies black and whits! hades of claret—the new expenses he scarlet which was so popular the pring and Summer. And, of cours or afternooms you'll see much use mast the ever popular black and white For evening, colors varying from the pale flower tints of Spring to intotus garden colors of Summer-lemon yellows, delicate green, lemon yellows, delicate green, shades of mauve, Olympiade, shrint corail, powder blue, nattier, Furli Vernese green, Orient blue, fire, I deaux and mordore—the most quisite colors imaginable!

Can you imagine those rich shades in the loyely new silks—be lines, ottomans, crepe marocain satin crepes, with touches of he color found in fancy buttens, gay briddery or touches of lace and rich Allin those slender, straight silhor—which give such delightful pit the depth of color and richness of ture of the fabrics?

And those evening shades—in hones those evening shades—in Peggy Palge

**EVERY WEEK BRINGS** 

## New Dresses

COATS and MILLINERY You Are Invited to See These New Arrivals

HATS AT \$3.50 TO \$18.75 SILK DRESSES \$13.75 TO \$59.00 CLOTH DRESSES \$11.75 TO \$45.00 COATS AT \$13.75 TO \$89.00

No other store in West Texas shows so many Nationally known and Nationally advertised High Grade lines of Merchandise as does this store.

And no other store in Texas sells you these Styles and Quality known lines of merchandise at prices as low as this store does.

MADGE EVANS

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> **STETSON** MUNSINGWEAR

> > SCHLOSS BUSTER BROWN

**PEGGY PAIGE** RODEO WAYNE KNIT

> BRADLEY CLOTHCRAFT GOLD MEDAL SUREFIT

> > STERLING COATS STANNOX

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This store stands squarely behind every dollar's worth of merchandise that it sells with a guarantee of satisfaction or money back.

SELLING BETTER MERCHANDISE FOR LESS MON-EY IS BUILDING A BIGGER BUSINESS EVERY

Wadley-Wilson Co.

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## A STEAK YOU'LL ENJOY

There isn't a person in town who wouldn't enjoy sitting down to one of Our Choice Steaks.

You will also find a nice list of Chops, Roasts, Omelets and every kind of delicious and satisfying meals on our Menu.

> The Elite Cafe J. D. McDURMON, Proprietor

# The West Texas Fair = ABILENE ==

## SEPTEMBER 22-27

SIX DAYS ---

--- SIX NIGHTS

At an expenditure of a tremendous sum of money and the combined efforts of hundreds of Abilene and West Texas citizens, both men and women, serving without compensation, we have succeeded in organizing and will open Monday, September 22.

### THE GREAT WEST TEXAS FAIR

Its object is the development of West Texas and the entertainment of West Texas citizens. The program is varied, covering every phase of interest, entertainment and endeavor. A brief of the program follows:

MONDAY—Opening Pageant, crowning the Queen of West Texas. TUESDAY—Public School Day. Football Abilene High vs. Stamford High.

WEDNESDAY—Automobile Races.

THURSDAY — Football—Abilene Christian College vs. Clarendon College.

FRIDAY—Shrine Day. Automobile Races.

SATURDAY—Travelling Men's Day. Football—Simmons vs. Baylor. Anson High vs. Big Spring High.

## EVERYDAY

Gates Flying Circus, Agricultural Show, Manufacturers' Exhibition, Automobile Show, Dog Show, Con. T. Kennedy Shows on the midway, fireworks every night, Al Sweet's Chicago Cadet band, Abilene Concert Band, Simmons College Cowboy band, Abilene Christian College Band, McMurry College Band, Hippodrome Amusements furnished by The World Amusement Company. Live Stock and Poultry Shows.

Reduced Railroad Rates, the Lowest Ever Given, to Abilene For

## The Great West Texas Fair SEPTEMBER 22-27

## Program of

According to Secretary T. N. Cars- 2:30 p. m. Hippodrome at Grandwell, the West Texas Fair is all set for the dates September 22nd to 27th. Following is an outline of the official program for the week:

Monday, September 22 8:00 a. m. Completion of entries in 4:30 p. m. Gates Flying Circus in 9:30 p. m. Fireworks-Breath-taking 9:30 p. m. Carnival night on the midall departments. Livestock, Agriculture, Merchants and Manufacturers Exhibits; Automobile Show, Home Economics and Educational Exhibits.

2:00 p. m. Judging Agricultural Exhibits.

of the Queen of West Texas. 8:00 p. m. Opening Pageant at the grandstand, "The Court of the

Queen" of West Texas. 10:00 p. m. Gates Flying Circus and Fireworks.

Afternoon and Night: Con. T. Kennedy Shows on the Midway. Tuesday, September 23-Public School

Day; Stamford Day; Clyde Day 8:00 a. m. Gates open. 9:00 a. m. Judging swine department.

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tary. Our prices are low.

ter, Eggs, and Milk.

10:00 a. m. Grand parade of Public Cattle. West Texas Fair (All children in parade issued free \$225.00 in prizes. tickets to Fair.)

> stand; Five Normandy Girls; Gun- 5:00 p. m. Gates Flying Circus. Troupe; Chicago Cadet Band. vs. Stamford High.

spectacular stunts, wing walking,

in mid-air. Cadet Band. Hippodrome. 8:30 p. m. Gates Flying Circus. Night 8:00 a. m. Gates open.

Flights with Fireworks. 5:00 p. m. Grand Decorated Parade 9:00 p. m. Fireworks-Breath-Taking Thrills Galore.

Afternoon and Night: Con. T. Kennedy Shows on the Midway. Wednesday, September 24-Abilene Day; Albany Day; Cross Plains Day; Baird Day; Merkel Day, Confederate Veteran's Day;

Automobile Race Day

8:00 a. m. Gates open. 9:30 a. m. Second Annual Dog Show of Abilene Kennel Club; Judging of Shorthorn and Aberdeen Angus

drome acts between races.

Night Flights with Fireworks. thrills galore.

trapeze work and changing planes Afternoon and night, Con. T. Kenne- Afternoon and night Con. T. Kennedy land County, Texas, an application dy Shows on the Midway .

8:00 p. m. Special concert by Chicago Thursday, September 25th-Christian College Day; Clarendon Day

9:00 a. m. Second Day of Dog Show. 9:30 a. m. Judging of Hereford, Jersey and Holstein Cattle. Judging of Sheep and Goats, all breeds.

10:00 a. m. Abilene Christian College Parade. 2:30 p. m. Hippodrome at grand-

stand. 3:00 p. m. Football, Abilene Christian College vs. Clarendon College. 4:30 p. m. Gates Flying Circus. :30 p. m. Special Concert by Chic-

ago Cadet Band. Hippodrome Acts. 9:00 p. m. Gates Flying Circus. 9:30 p. m. Fireworks-thrills galore.

Afternoon and night, Con. T. Kennedy Show on Midway. Friday, September 26-Shrine Day; Ft. Worth Day; Breckenride Day;

Cisco Day; Colorado Day; Sweetwater Day; Automobile Race Day 8:00 a. m. Gates open.

9:30 a. m. Last day of Dog Show; Judging Horses, Mules and Jacks. 10:00 a. m. Shrine Parade.

to all visiting Nobles.

2:30 p. m. Automobile races; Hippodrome acts between races; Gates Flying Circus

:00 p. m. Special concert by Chicago Cadet Band; Hippodrome acts. 9:00 p. m. Gates Flying Circus. 9:30 p. m. Fireworks-Thrills ga-

Afternoon and nights, Con. T. Kennedy Shows on the Midway.

Saturday, September 27-Traveling Men's Day; Simmons College Day; Carnival Day; Big Spring Day Anson Day

8:00 a. m. Gates open. 10:00 a. m. Traveling Men's Parade and Revue. 10:30 a. m. Football: Anson High vs.

Big Spring High.

2:30 p. m. Automobile races; Hippo- 3:00 p. m. Football: Simmons College vs. Baylor University.

:00 p. m. Gates Flying Circus. powder & Company; De Koe 8:00 p. m. Special concert by Chic-8:00 p. m. Special Concert by Chi- The State of Texas, ago Cadet Band; Hippodrome Acts. cago Cadet Band; Hippodrome Acts. 2:00 p. m. Football: Abilene High 9:00 p. m. Gates Flying Circus; 9:00 p. m. Gates Flying Circus and To all Persons Interested in the Wel-Fireworks.

Shows on the Midway.

The State of Texas, County of Midland. To the Sheriff or any Constable

Midland County-Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause to be posted for ten days exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, in three of the day in November, A. D., 1924, the return day hereof, in three of the most public places in Midland Coun- the same being the 10th day of urday from Odessa. ty, Texas, one of which shall be at the court house door, and no two of town, copies of the following notice: The State of Texas.

County of Midland. To all persons interested in the welfare of the estate of Jimilee Poole, a minor:

You are hereby notified that Jno. B. Thomas, has filed an application for letters of Temporary Guardianship upon the estate of Jimilee Poole. a minor, and on the 4th day of September, A. D., 1924, by order of the County Judge of said Midland County, the said Jno. B. Thomas, was appointed temporary Guardian of the estate of said Jimilee Poole, a minor, and at the next term of said Court, commencing on the 2nd Monday in November, A. D., 1924, the same being the 10th day of November, A. D. 1924, at the Court House thereof, in Midland County, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare 12 m. Shrine Dinner, complimentary of minor, may, and are hereby cited to appear and contest such appointment, if they so desire, and if such appointment is not contested at the said term of said court, then the same

shall become permanent. Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereshowing how you have executed

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Midland, Texas, this 11th day of September, A. D., 1924.

C. B. DUNAGAN, Clerk, County Court, Midland Co., Texas.

The State of Texas, County of Midland. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week

the first day of publication, before of November, A. D., 1924, at the Court School Children of West Texas. 10:00 a. m. Monster School Parade, 2:30 p. m. Hippodrome at grand- the return day hereof, in some news- House thereof, in Midland, Texas, at in said county, wheih has been con-

than one year the following notice: County of Midland.

fare of the Estate of J. T. Poole, Deceased:

You are notified that Francis Poole, has filed in the County Court of Midfor letters of temporary administra-tion upon the estate of J. T. Poole, deceased, and on the 30th day of August, A. D., 1924, by order of the County Judge of said Midland County, the said Francis Poole was appointed temporary administratrix of the es-to tate of the said J. T. Poole, deceased, and at the next regular term of said

paper of general circulation published which time all persons interested tinuously and regularly published in by cited to appear and contest said said county, for a period of not less appointment, if they so desire, and if such appointment is not contested at the said term of the said Court, then

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

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Midland, Tex as, this the 11th day of September, A. D., 1924.

C. B. DUNAGAN, Clerk, County Court, Midland Co., Texas.

J. T. Cross, Jack Bowden and S. R. McKinney were in Midland last Sat-

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1924

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES FOR NOV. GENERAL ELECTION while.

For County Judge: CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH

For District and County Clerk: C. B. DUNAGAN

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: A. C. FRANCIS

For Tax Assessor: ED DOZIER

For County Treasurer: MRS. LIZZIE QUINN

For Justice of Peace Precinct No 1: I. W. TOWERS

#### ANONYMOUS LETTERS

The thug who would hurl an infernal machine into the room of some person he desired to kill would not care to have his identity disclosed.

children of rich parents ,and holds try. There are times when eggs are them for ransom, does not sign his so scarce that the majority of the name to the letter in which he offers people have to depend on those that to deliver the child for a fabulous are shipped in. It is true that the sum of money.

bank cashiers at the point of a pistol and chickens that there is market for; and hurry away with all currency but this should be a year round state within reach have never been known of of affairs. leave their address.

house in the wee small hours of the kets for poultry and eggs every- To The Democrats night and loots the silver drawer does where. There is one county about a not go out of his way to make him- hundred and fifty miles north of

writes an anymous letter, even duced more poultry and eggs than the on. We have in John W. Davis, of the Davis Mountains and El Paso. though it be clothed with polite wheat production of that county and West Virginia, and Charles W. Bryan, phrases and friendly advice, evidently another wheat county adjoining it. has some sound reason for keeping And the poultry and eggs brought in may justly be proud. his identity secret and is not sent in the money. It was produced on a the friendly manner it sometimes as- much smaller acreage than the wheat

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whose pass-book shows a deposit each

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#### MORE THAN JUST A **NEWSPAPER**

There are publishers who issue each week a certain number of printed pages, containing a certain amount of advertising, news or clippings, and call it a newspaper.

Others issue the same number of land, Texas, as second class matter pages, but their product is called an

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> Although the primary object of the paper is to print the news, there will be something interesting in the editorial columns each week. There will be advertising of a high grade that will offer bargains to the readers in every issue. There will be little articles about interesting people in and about interesting things that are being done.

> But in addition to being a newspaper, The Midland Reporter is going to be a factor for good in the community, an indispensible institution. The readers are invited to offer suggestions at any time that might be instrumental in making a better paper.

#### PRODUCE POULTRY FOR **PROFIT**

The bandit who carries away small | Midland does not raise enough poulopposite condition sometimes pre-Masked bandits who "stick up" prevails, when there are more eggs

Midland is on the main line of the The burglar who slips into your T. & P. railroad, and there are mar-Midland that is in the wheat belt. In the same way, the man who Abount two years ago the county pro-

In the opinion of the editor, such Within five miles of Midland, there letters are a menace to civilized are several ten, twenty, and forty acmethods of communication, and their re tracts of land belonging to non-superior merit of the Democratic cancontents should be completely ignored. residents. They are too small to didates. Any man who has something worth- farm, and their owners are holding while to write does not hesitate to af- them in the hope that they will realize a fair value in a few years. Those Democrat in Texas to respond as gen- will do even better at home.

little tracts of land would make ideal poultry farms if properly developed. Turkeys, chickens and eggs could be marketed the year round, with a good truck patch to help pay the living expenses. A few dairy cows would help materially also, as it is a question of only a few months until cream stations will be located out this way, where the cream can be shipped to Fort Worth or El Paso; or even to Abilene, Sweetwater and other towns where there are ice cream factories and plants that consume a volume of

But getting back to poultry, there are few industries that pay so well on the amount invested and the acreage taken in, provided the owner of the poultry farm is willing to work. Midland could handle a number of such farms, and they would contribute a great deal toward the rapid development of this diversified farming country.

All students desiring to study voice r expression with Mrs. Paul T. lickers, call 237.

Misses Mary Louise and Ruth Graham, of Loving, N. M., were the guests of Miss Anne Wall last week.

Dick Graves left Monday for Fort Worth, where he will enter his second year's work at T. C. U.

B. N. Darling, of Chicago, was a business visitor to Midland Monday.

Bill Wyche was in from the Ellis Cowden ranch the first of the week.

Mrs. J. V. Stokes, Jr., left Monday evening for Mineral Wells.

Homer Ingham has returned from a summer spent at the ranch, and is entering high school again.

Judge Littler, of Big Spring, has been attending court here this week

Bass Bryant has moved here from Alamogorda, N. M., and has put his Midland and the neighboring country, children in school. He hopes to make this his home.

> All students desiring to study voice expression with Mrs. Paul T. Vickers, call 237.

> Dug Hart, of Toyah, was here last ek, visiting his brother, Tom Hart,

Miss Oriel Horton will leave Surfday for Denton, to attend C. I. A.

George Buchanan has re-entered school after spending most of the summer at the ranch

pleasant summer at the ranch home. ing been away from Midland for

about twenty years. He is thinking are much better out there. of locating here.

## Of Midland County

Another presidential campaign is of Nebraska, a ticket of which we

Our National leaders believe this ticket will be elected if the voters in was, and paid several times as much. doubtful states can be made fully the Goldsmith ranch. acquainted with the real issues of the presidential campaign and the

> erously as possible. At least \$250,-000.00 is expected from Texas, the banner Democratic State of the Un-

the people alone for funds to meet its actual campaign expenses. The Republican party as a party, of privilege has long since been financed by big business which profits as a result of Republican tariff legislation.

The Democratic National Committee of Texas has divided the quota of Len Reader is near Plainview, this State among the several counties breaking land with his McCormickand has asked Midland County to con- Deering tractor. tribute \$500.00 as her part of the

quota fixed for the State. sires to see a return of Democracy to it today. power in the fight may be aggressively waged and that Midland County John Morrison, of Temple, formermaking victory possible.

Let's make Midland County the first county to raise her quota in the State.

Yours for success in November, J. M. DeARMOND, Chairman of Finance for Midland

land Thursday en route from the R. Frank Waddell, of Crane County, W. Cowden ranch to Dallas, where he were in Midland on business Thurswill be in school this year.

## FILL UP SATURDAY

We, the undersigned, desire to close our Place of Business on Sundays.

Because we desire to observe the Sunday laws:

Because our men, after working six days should be entitled to one day of rest;

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B. N. Aycock, with his family, has or expression with Mrs. Paul T.

Ellis Knight returned from Jal. N. is ill. He says the range conditions

Alvin Williams is here today from the Elkin ranch near Andrews.

Herman Spaulding and wife left this merning after a visit of a few days, returning from their trip to

Marcus Gist was here vesterday

John Francis and wife are in from

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Scharbauer have returned from Mineral Wells and will be in Midland permanently now. This will require much money. It Their friends are glad to see them is necessary, therefore, for every loyal in better health and hope that they

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends The Democratic party must look to for their kindness since the fire. So many nice things have been sent us besides the money that was made up. Words can't express our thanks to the good people. MR. and MRS. WILL WESSON.

C. R. Flesher, a fire insurance spec-I therefore appeal to every loyal ial agent from San Antonio, remem-Midland County Democrat, who de- bered the editor with a personal vis-

may occupy a place in the front ranks ly a resident of Stanton, arrived on with the other counties of the State Tuesday for a visit with W. C. Ray-

> Miss Gladys Manning returned on Monday from Shafter Lake, where she has been visiting Mrs. Will Gates.

Mrs. Jno. P. Howe is reported to be County Democratic National Commit-better, after an illness of about two

"Beakie" Cowden was through Mid- Richard Waddell, of Odessa, and

#### All students desiring to study voice Laboratory To Be Lo- Kennimore Grows Fine cated At Big Lake

University lands, which heretofore have been made in Austin will now

watermelons Tuesday.

It is announced by E. H. Sellards, N. R. Kennimore brought some fine M., last night, where his grandmother geologist of the University of Texas, sweet potatoes to town yesterday that a field laboratory will be open- morning grown on his truck patch in ed in the Big Lake oil field on Uni- the north part of town. They are versity lands by the Bureau of Eco- smooth and well formed, and he has nomic Geology. Examinations of a good early crop. He also had some cuttings from wells being drilled on fine okla and tomatoes.

Henry George is here this week be conducted by the field laboratory. from San Diego, California. His father was formerly a part owner of O. W. Watlington was in from his the Five Wells ranch, and Mr. George farm near Andrews with a load of lived in Midland several years ago. All of the old timers know him.

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Buy your tractor for keeps. Buy a McCormick-Deering 2 or 3-plow tractor, and be in a position to say "I told you so," next year and the year after, etc. Buy it now and let it earn its way.

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day for Las Cruces, N. M., where she cotton crop near Big Spring, and is in Wednesday. wil give a concert Saturday night. Midland this week. He lives near She will return Sunday.

Miss Lela Mary Heard left last during the last few years. Sunday for Abilene to attend Simmons College this school year.

Friday for Abilene to be in Simmons A. and M. Colege. College this school year.

cott this week.

Miss Mabel Holt left Wednesday for University.

next Monday for Denton, where she this week from California, attending will be in C. I. A. again this year.

Creola Richboug Vickers leaves to- Tommie McReynolds has sold his John Epley was over from Stanton Florey, and has worked for the Schar-

John M. Gist has been over from bauer Cattle Company a great deal Odessa several times this week.

Earl Williams and Jay Floyd left tin Monday afternoon, where she will for College Station Sunday evening, attend Texas University this year. Miss Evelyn Scarborough left last and will again take up their work in

Jack Medlin and wife returned last D. M. Trammell has bought eighty week from a visit in Floresville. Jack head of heifers from Mrs. G. W. Wol- is again connected with The Reporter

Hermann Klapproth and Thord Dallas, to enter Southern Methodist Dockray left Monday for Austin, and will again attend State University.

Miss Margaret Caldwell will leave Mrs. Lou Holloway Thorpe is here to her business and visiting relatives.

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## ning the construction. The following article emphasizes the

of the ones he loves best, and for

cases of typhoid fever in Texas last year. It is little less than criminal negligence that conditions are allowed to exist that contribute to the spread of this disease. The source of typhoid fever has many times been traced to dairies that had in their employe typhoid carriers. When buying milk, it is your duty to ascertain whether the dairy patronized requires health certificates from all employ-

Among the major activities of the State Board of Health for the following year will be the control of typhoid Paragrafs and Punkinville Paragrafs. Thomas Henry Stephenson, 39 years fever. This can be accomplished by nsist on the doctor sending speci- laugh-maker to appear here. valescent patient is capable of dis- Miss Peaches Sime and others. eminating this deadly germ.

sanitary science; it is unsanitary, she'd cut another ham. spread of not only typhoid fever, but accompanies Miss Peaches Sims down In late years Mr. Stephenson has been eral approved types of privies for ru- the ice cream parlor."

of fitting the wonderful "Spirella" ter. corset and accessories, also children's waists, phone or see me for your

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carlock are

## Blinding

Headaches "For about twenty years," says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-

says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg.
Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. . I use it for colds, bilicusness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headsches when my liver would get out of order. I would have blinding headsches and couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

Miss Clifford Heath left for Aus-

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and it relieved me.

"About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble... We tried all week to help her,... but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She be-gan taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up."

Try Black-Draught. It costs

## Will Begin Soon

Actual construction on the sewer system should have started in the ext two or three weeks. The city council still has some purchases of materials to make, after which the laborers will be hired, machinery will be unloaded, and actual work will be begun. The Municipal Engineering Company's men are expected to aralmost any time to complete the preliminary work incidental to begin-

eed of the system in Midland: That rural districts are more unhealthy than well regulated cities is fact to which attention is called by Dr. Malone Duggan, State health officer. Dr. Duggan states that this condition is caused by the DEADLY open pit closet. How many of these menaces have you in close proximity o your home? Thousands of families build homes each year without making proper provisions for the disposal of night soil; this being especally true of homes in small towns country communities. No man would knowingly have his family exposed to contagious diseases, then it s indeed strange that he will build a home, provide for parlor, sleeping rooms, dining room, kitchen and in many instances a bath room, then in the rear of this comfortable building, construct DEADLY open pit closet, which is a direct menace to the health whom he has spent much time and money in providing the comforts of

There were approximately 20,000

#### NOTICE

MRS. E. W. COWDEN.

this week from the Ingham ranch.

### CLASSIFIED ADS

FRUIT TREES-Nursery stock of all kinds, suitable to this section. I represent the Ramsey Nursery, of Austin. Let me take your order now for fall delivery.—V. C. Ray, Midland.

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Get ready to laugh!

George Bingham is coming! smiles and laughs daily to the people spring. ing. He is the author of Dog Hill Dallas News tells of his funeral:

Bingham once wrote that Clab Han- Mr. Stephenson was born near The DEADLY open pit closet must cock's ma got to wantin' to see him Waxahachie, Ellis County, and spent for its ex- after he'd been working in the city a his youth on the farm. He came to istence with the present knowledge of spell so she set down and wrote him Dallas in 1904 with Col. J. F. Strick-

unsightly, and may be the cause of the And again: "Washington Hocks Strickland's interests for four years. dysentery, hookworm and other in the Main street of Bounding Billows connected with the Great Southern fectious diseases. There are now sev- yesterday as far as the front door of Life Insurance Company. He is sur-

tion of a closet of this approved type funnier than his writings. He daily Dallas, and a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth will be furnished by this department makes millions all over America Knight of Wichita Falls. laugh. He will make Midland laugh so hard the night of September 20th | Ben Mitchell was in from the Davis that a lot of sides will ache happily- ranch Tuesday. if there is any happiness in aching

#### T. H. Stephenson Dies In Dallas

John Dublin received a telegram Sunday morning advising him of the las a prominent life insurance company organizer, and well known in Midland.

He has visited the Dublins on various occasions, and they paid him a Bingham probably brings more visit in his home in Dallas last

of America than any other man liv- The following clipping from the

The world-famous humorist will old, organizer of the Southland Life abolishing the DEADLY open pit clos- speak in Midland the night of Septems, Insurance Company, died at his home, et and the control of typhoid (muman) ber 20th under the auspices of the 2215 Moser avenue, Saturday morncarriers. Every man having a case Civic League, Mrs. Harry Tolbert having. The funeral will be from the of typhoid fever in his family, should ing made a contract this week for the residence at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning, with Dr. William M. Andermens to this department for exami- Bingham created such characters son, pastor of the First Presbyterian nation to determine whether the con- as Clab Hancock, Washington Hocks. Church, officiating. Burial will be in Grove Hill Cemetery.

ral homes. Plans for the construc- Bingham's lectures are said to be thers. John B. and Joe Stephenson, of

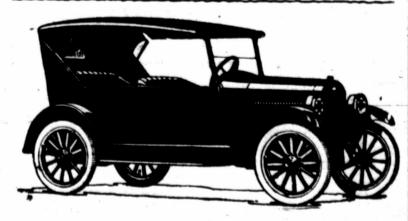
I handle and have mastered the art sides caused by hearty, honest laugh- Don Davis went to the ranch last Tuesday.

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had planned going to T. C. U., chang- sightly small city I have seen in the joicing over the arrival of a young Mrs. E. S. Martin has returned ed their plans and left for Austin on great State. They claim 22,000. It son, which made his appearance last home after several weeks visiting Monday afternoon, and will enter the is verdure clad throughout; its State University. They accompan- streets paved, its public buildings of ied Miss Clifford Heath, who is also majestic proportions and modern going to school there.

Hugh Goggans, with his wife and daughter, Frances, returned from Dal-spread, and is destined to be the las and other points Tuesday, and have moved into their new home recently bought from R. M. Clayton, Jr.

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#### **Auntie Sterling** In Amarillo

Hoping that the columns of the still, I avail the opportunity it offers to tell my many Midland people and friends that I am still in Texas, is an artist at his game. Wade Heath and Carroll Hill, who and in the most complete, the most

> characteristics. Several fine structures are now in process of building. It has illmitable space, in which to monumental city of the vast cattle industry that has made it what it is.

In the home of J. W. Puckett. find luxury, comfort and comradeship. Jack says he is not growing Oh no, but it can be safely said he is growing portly. The same old hail fellow well met, characterizes his greeting.

His home is spacious, luxurious and attractive; he has domain large enough for garden, orchard and berry patches. He has his business office in his own large brick building; evidently he is more or less busy collecting rents from his properties. However, his home and family has his first attention.

Also in this city I find another good Owen, my own cousin whom I have never seen before. He is all and more than I pictured him. He is of Revolutionary stock. His ancestors (and mine) helped to establish American Independence.

In a few days I shall Mrs. S. F. Culberson in her home at Gaibon, N. M. Please to send me there or here, a Midland Reporter. I find here Mid-

Very truly, AUNTIE STERLING.

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Thursday evening. He tops the friends and relatives at Marfa. Frank Ingham was in from the scales at 8 pounds. Mother and babe ranch Tuesday and Wednesday and reports a five inch rain in his country. Judge E. R. Bryan went out the "Y" ranch for Jno. T. McElroy, children could attend school. with Mr. Ingham Wednesday, he havhad the misfortune to have a horse ing received a fine rain on his place fall on him last week, thereby sus- iness trip up to Lovington, N. M., the taining some pretty severe bruises, first of the week. Lovington is the

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#### **Breezy News** From Odessa

By E. L. Kelly

Col. W. N. Waddell, returned last week after having been in Ft. Worth, his former home, for several weeks. He also attended the State Convention, and reports having a splendid time while down there.

Brown expects to move to the new town of Best, near the Texon Oil Well, in Reagan County. Mr. Brown has acted in the capacity of chemist for the Farmers Oil Co., of Lancaster, Pa., together with their interests here for the past two years. The Browns are real fine people, and Best can congratulate herself on win- in the garage business at Loving.

ing her pasture to Buck York, at pri- the lower place. vate terms. Two of her sons, Euter Sul Ross

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Harve Mayfield, who is manager of has moved back into town so the

then just a few days following this county seat of Lee County, where Mr.

horse was jerked down on him sprain- ager of the Keystone Cattle

ing his ankle. So the two accidents Company's interests, was called to has almost put him out of commis- Fort Stockton the first of the week on

The "Old Reliable" Spence Jowell, Our county clerk, Carl Akin, also of Midland, was seen on Odessa's Mr. W. E. Carter, who is Burton-

streets last week. When you have Lingo's local representative, were any live stock for sale, see "Spence" called to Fort Worth last Sunday as

for he is authority on their market witnesses in the Hatfieul case, which

made a business call over to Pecos County, were seen on the streets again

last Friday. Mr. Rhodes has a buyer this week, sporting a new model Max-

for 1500 good cattle, so you sellers well. Jay reports cattle in fine shape

Dr. Thomas, of Midland, was call- Mr. Harve Mayfield, who is and has

ed to Odessa last week on profession- been manager of the McElroy ranch

al business. While here he was call- for the past quarter of the century,

ed to see Paul, the young son of Mr. is gathering fat cattle to ship to El and Mrs. Red Graham, who has had El Paso, to McElroy's Packing Co.

quite a seige of it here lately with a Mrs. Jno. T. McElroy, who has nightly fever, however, he is report- spent the summer at their NAN ranch,

The citizens of Odessa are regret- Mr. A. G. McKee, who is working ting the loss of Dr. F. E. Gibbons and for the State Highway department,

his wife, who left here last week to was transferred from the Pyote and

make their home in Best, Texas. They Monahans district to Marathorn dis-became firmly established in Odessa trict last week.

friends. They were progressive peo-ple and were behind every movement from Jal, N. M., last Saturday.

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is being tried there.

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accident, he was roping calves out Gann's ranch is located.

with the wagon on the range, and his

W. H. Rhodes, and two cow buyers

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that stood for the development of the ed at any time, regardless of weather year. conditions, or personal comfort, and many people owe their health or even their lives to his efficient care and their new location a pleasant one, and the week. will continue to prosper and render service wherever they may go.

Mrs. Earl Brown and children, left back to El Paso. He reports range fine. last Thursday for Bisbee, Ariz., vis- in good shape in and around Midland, iting friends and relatives. Mr. and has shipped quite a few cars from

Mr. W. M. Grover, the Texas & Pato report him back on the job within to 28. a few days.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson, of Loving, N Odessa hates to give them up, how- M., is here visiting friends and relaever, they have the good wishes of tives. L. E. Johnson, who was our their many friends left behind, and sheriff for several years, is engaged

Paul Slator and Geo. Waggoner, Mrs. Daisy Kelly, was over last were down from the upper ranch last reek from Alpine, making a visit with week, on their way to lower ranch, her brother, Dr. R. G Wilson, at the and reported a nice rain on his home same time selling her cattle and leas- place, but that it was much better on

W. H. Rhodes was real busy the gene and R. G., accompanied her back first of the week getting a crew of to Alpine, where they will again en- men together to build a concrete tank down on O. P. Jones' ranch.

Mr. D. A. Thomason and family are A tourist, headed west, who was to move to Toyah, Daye having pur- driving a Ford coupe, and who was date.-W. S. Hill. chased the Henderson barber and tail also unaware of the fact that gaso-Midland Reporter are open to me or shop there. Ye roundhouse boys line and these abrupt turns are inand ye real cowboys, need have no compattable, turned turtle near Carl fear of his tonsorial abilities, for he Akin's home sometime last night. There was no one hurt, however the Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bagley, are re- car was considerably damaged.

DOWN TO DATE?"

Mrs. Harve Mayfield, who has been

Mr. John H. Edwards, who is man-

Jay McGee and wife, of Crane

near Deming, N. M., has returned to their famous "Y" ranch in Upton

Jim Dublin and wife were here

Miss Lorainne Davis left last Friday community. Dr. Gibbons was ready evening for Dallas, where she will to go to the aid of the sick or injur- again teach in Dallas city schools this

Hub Castleberry, Ben Kelton and Buck Kelton were in from the 5 Wells skill. It is hoped that they will find ranch north of Midland the first of

Henry Cummins and wife were in Mr. Simpson, who is the Peyton from the ranch last week. Ed Cole, Packing Company's local beef buyer, with his wife and children, was alsowas in Odessa last week on his way in. They report their country doing

J. E. Goodell, chairman of the exposition auto committee of the El Paso Automobile Club, wants Midland cific local pumper here, is on the to run a motorcade to the Internatsick list this week, however, we hope ional Exposition at El Paso, Sept. 18

> I. N. Wilkinson, cashier of the First State Bank, of Ovallo, was here Monday and Tuesday visiting his father, J. B. Wilkinson. He was accompanied by Mr. McElroy, of Oval-

A Mineral Wells man wrote here this week seeking a job on the Midland & Northwestern Railway as engineer, in the event of its rehabilita-

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R. M. Clayton, Jr., and family, are now living in the Henry M. Halff nome in northwest Midland

W. O. Hale was in Midland first of the week from the Long ranch, at Soash.

Notice To Receive Bids

County of Midland.

Pursuant to law, notice is hereb iven that the Commissioners' Cour

of Midland County, Texas, will at it regular session in October, 1924. Texas, on October 13, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m., receive bids for one (1) Ten Top (or its equivalent) caterpilar tractor. Dated this the 9th day of Septem

ber, 1924. CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH, County Judge, Midland Co., Texas.

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J. M. Speed and family are now living at the Otis Ligon place, and will be here for the school term. Mr. Speed spends the greater part of his time first of the week after a visit to Callooking after his business interests ifornia, and left Monday evening for in Andrews, but will be in Midland Hedrick, Iowa, where she will stay for as much as possible.

#### **Compound Interest**

A boy left the ranch at Elida, N. M., and got a job in Denver. He wrote a letter to his brother, who elected to stick to the ranch, telling the joys of city life in which he said:

"Thursday we autoed out to the Country Club where we golfed until dark. Then we motored to the beach for the week-end."

The brother on the ranch wrote back:

"Yesterday we buck-boarded to town and baseballed all afternoon. Then we went to Jim Hunters and pokered until morning. Today we muled out to the kaffir field and gehawed until sundown. Then we suppered and piped for a while. After that we staircased up to our room and bedsteaded until the clock fived."

Clipped from a market report of the Kansas City Livestock Commis-

Mrs. Martha Holloway was here the several months

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#### THE PASSING DAY ALTON A. GAULT

By Will H. Mayes, Department of Journalism, University of Texas

The State Democratic convention at Austin proved that it is possible to keep Texas "dry, sober and clean," to use the words of Governor Neff. In advance of the convention Neff announced through the papers of the State that rangers would be on hand to see that the prohibition and other laws were enforced. There were about 3,000 persons in Austin for the convention either as delegates or as visitors. About a dozen rangers mixed freely in the crowds wherever they were congregated in the city. They were dressed like convention delegates and talked and acted like delegates, but all the time with eyes and nostrils alert for liquor. They arrested two delegates on whose breaths they detected the liquor smell, but they were afterwards released because it could not be established that they were intoxicated. One Austin citizen was arrested on a charge of having a quart and a half of whisky in his office, and a hotel bell boy was charged with peddling booze. That was the sum total of law violation so far as vigilant officers could find.

The convention crowd was to all appearances as well behaved as if it had been a church conference and was just as orderly except for occasional outbursts of political enthusiasm, and that despite the fact that it was expecting a "bear fight,' and most of the delegates and visitors were out for a good time. What was done in Austin can be done anywhere if only the local officers will be vigilant enough. When the people know that the law will be enforced most of them try to observe the law. If they think that law breaking will be overlooked, they are encouraged to go just a little beyond the limit of the range. When they come to learn that Texas C. I. A. Ex-Students expects its laws to be observed all the time and everywhere, they will show respect for laws, and not until

Prohibition laws in Texas have been reasonably well enforced from the time of their passage, despite the oft-repeated assertion that they have not been, and certainly drinking has been reduced to almost nothing. We hear more of liquor selling now than presenting the local association: formerly because when a person is arrested for making, selling or drinking booze, it is a news item and the papers publish it. Before prohibition such things were not matters of news Gentlemen: because they were the ordinary and enting the C. I. A. Ex-Students' Asand expected do not make news. To sociation, of Midland, Texas, desires prohibition went into effect would all the local ex-students on accoun. Commerce office have filled more than the space of an ordinary newspaper and the papers of the space of an ordinary newspaper and the papers would have appeared ridiculous. Now the public eagerly reads and talks about such news items and gets the gents in selecting a competent presi- ers at 16 cents a pound. impression that there is still a great

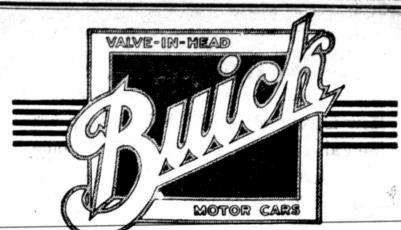
sions, and one hardest to overcome, great work of the College and will is hatred. Many persons, who might have the hearty support of all forotherwise be classed as Christians, are full of hate toward some one or more persons. They seldom are willing to admit it, even to themselves, give him our unqualified endorsement. for they know that hatred is the antithesis of Christianity, which is universal love. Often they try to salve their conscience by saving that they do not hate any one, though there are some whom they dislike exceedingly. There is so little difference between hatred and exceeding dislike that the latter term is given as one of the definitions of the former. Christ clearly taught that his followers should love one another and that love should be all-inclusive. Measured by this standard, which after all was about the only doctrine Christ taught,

self a Christian? We often talk about "serving God," as though we could render some dinot be given to those we hate. We

have you the right to believe your-

The papers report that a Brownawoke he was in a hospital in Fort is Midland proof: Worth. He had been walking in his bad spell of kidney trouble about two sleep. Knowing that railroad as I bad spell of kidney trouble about two years ago. Whenever I stopped, it was hard for me to straighten as beat the train into Fort Worth.

went to visit his parents. Mr. Mid-pains, regulated my kidneys and made dleton carried Midland propaganda me feel better in every way." of Midland literature.



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## **Endorse Dean White**

Dean E. V. White, of the College for the presidency of the College to trip to the Davis Mountains, and also take the place of Dr. F. M. Bralley, who recently died, by the local C. I. A. Ex-students Association. The following letter has been sent to the They stopped in Midland to rest a Board of Regents by a committee re-

Board of Regents, College of Industrial Arts,

The undersigned committee represto convey herein the deep regrets of full information at the Chamber of

dent to fill his place. In our opinion, there is not but one logical successor, and that is Dean E. Worth last week, where she teaches V. White. We believe he is equipped in the city schools. One of the most elemental pas- in every respect to carry forward the mer students, patrons, State authorities, and the present student body. It is with great pleasure that we

Yours very truly. Mabel Holt. Margaret Caldwell, Mrs. T. Paul Barron

Lillie B. Williams. Mrs. Percy Mims. J. Wiley Taylor and wife went to Austin last week, where Mrs. Taylor will stay through the coming school term. J. Wiley, Jr., will attend State

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DANGER SIGNAL NO. 2 comes can't serve God while hating any one. from the back. Back pains, dull and heavy, or sharp and acute, suggest weak kidneys and in that case warn wood man went to sleep on a train and Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney going to Fort Worth and when he Pills are endorsed by thousands. Here

pains shot through my kidneys. I had headaches at times and my nerves Mr. and Mrs. Fred Middleton and made me irritable. The action of my son, Fred Gordon, returned this week kidneys was too frequent until I startfrom Sulphur Springs, where they ed the use of Doan's Kidney Pills,

signs on his car, and said he had many inquiries about Midland farming lands. He distributed 200 pieces that Mrs. Barber had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. 50-2t

#### Visited Davis Mountains and El Paso

Herman Spaulding and his wife reof Industrial Arts, has been endorsed turned Tuesday from a honeymoon to El Paso. They went by way of Ft. Stockton, making visits in Alpine and Fort Davis, then drove to El Paso. few days before going on to their home in Midland

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#### Unable To Deliver Package

Addison Wadley states that someone sent a package to Fishburn's, at two, before going on to Galveston to Fort Worth, suposedly to have some pursue his study of medicine clothing cleaned or dyed, and was sent under the Wadley-Wilson label. It has been returned to Wadley-Wil- making his usual rounds to sell son's, but there is no name on it to gloves to local merchants. He lives in show the person for whom it is in- California, and has been coming to er it to the rightful owner.

## **Important Business**

Changes in the personnel of two real estate firms have been made during the last two weeks. Hugh Goggans has sold his interest in the C M. Clayton, Jr.

the same to Judge M. C. Lindsey, of week beginning his duties as princi-Lamesa, and J. B. Birge, of Midland. pal of South Ward school. He has also sold his interest in Birge, Goggans and Davis to Messrs. Hugh Goggans and J. B. Birge.

L. M. Bratton and wife left Monday morning for Ballinger.

MISS LYDIE G. WATSON

of Galloway College, Searcy, Ark.; Landon's Conservatory, Dallas, Texas, and American Conservatory, Chicago, Ill., now has her studio open for 1924-25. Those wishing to study piano will please phone 88.

Luther Tidwell and family left last Friday for Clyde, where they will visit relatives. They will also visit in Abilene and attend the West Texas

#### FOR SALE

Two 1925 model Royal Typewriters, absolutely new and up-todate.-W. S. Hill.

Wiclif Curtis arrived Wednesday morning from Dallas, for a day or

Albert Penny was here last week, Cleve Baker Becomtended. Mr. Wadley desires to deliv- Midland for over thirty years. He pleased to hear of his good success. has many friends here.

> from an automobile trip to Sulphur one of the large churches of Fort Changes Made Springs. On account of the muddy Worth. The leader of the choir there roads, Mrs. Middleton and Fred Gordon came back on the train. Fred

Ranch Cotton Lands Company to R. month old baby arrived Sunday evening, and will live in Midland this year. dict for him an enviable career among Don Davis has sold his interest in Mr. Moody had been here for over a some of our better singers.

> from Wichita Falls, where they have been for some time, and went on to El Paso the following day.

> Thomas Burwell Aycock is in for the school term, after spending the summer on the ranch.

Judge M. C. Lindsey, a member of . The building is all white inside, and

Ralph Barron and Elliott Barron all times. motored to Lamesa last Sunday. They brick mercantile buildings.

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#### Mrs. Stokes Entertains Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Stokes Jr., honored a number of their friends Thursday evening of last week with a chicken barbecue and bridge party.

The guests gathered on the lawn at 7 o'clock for the sumptuous feast where Mrs. J. V. Stokes and Miss Juliette Wolcott and Miss Cecil Peyton served one plate consisting of real barbecued chicken and sauce, toast, tomatoes, olives, and iced tea, and another of watermelon.

The party was then invited into the ouse where nine tables were arranged for bridge. The rooms were made attractive by large baskets of autumn leaves and colors.

Mrs. Chas. Goldsmith won ladies high score, Mrs. Guy Cowden low, and Mr. Billy Bryant low.

Another plate consisting of cherry nut ice cream and angel food cake with pink icing was served to the following guests: Mesdames Joe Youngblood, Ellis Cowden, Elliott Cowden. Harry Neblett, John B. Thomas, Allen Tolbert, Guy Cowden, Frank Cowden, Homer Rowe, Lane Dupree, Chas. Goldsmith; Misses Leona McCormick, Juliette Wolcott, Lorrainne Davis, CClifford Heath, Anna Merle Moran, Fannie Bess and Cordelia Taylor, Elma Graves, Leon Hanson; Messrs. Joe Youngblood, Ellis Cowden, Elliott Cowden, Harry Neblett, Allen Tolbert, Frank Cowden, Homer Rowe. Donald Hutt, W. R. Chancellor, Dola Roettger, Homer Epley, Dee McCormick, Billy Bryant, Billy Sparks, Don Davis and Tom Patterson

#### MISS ANN WALL Teacher of Piano

North and South Side Studios Classes Begin Sept. 1st

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## ing Noted Singer

Cleve Baker's many friends will be A program has just been received by some of his friends here, which shows Fred Middleton returned Sunday that he sang a solo last Sunday in splendid voice, and has offered to give him special training in voice and has Mrs. M. L. Moody and her six ularly. We congratulate Cleve upon

## **New Grocery Store**

M. R. Hill is preparing to open a bright and shining new grocery store about October 1st. It is to be located Sunday of the month. Beginning of in the Garrett & Brown building next mass at 10 a. m. door to Wadley-Wilson's, and he is now making extensive improvements

the firm of the C Ranch Cotton Lands the front has been painted white. All Company, was over from Lamesa last of his fixtures are of the same hue. He states that cleanliness will be m maintained to the highest degree at

Mr. Hill advises that the store is reporte about 40 new dwellings to be operated as a self service grounder construction, as well as several cery, where the customers wait on themselves. He believes that his customers may get the pick of the market by making their own selections and that shopping will be a pleasure in this new store.

It is to be managed by Clifford Hill, who has had considerable experience in the grocery business, being associated with the Hill & Youngblood store for several months, and and Sunbeam Band will meet as usalso with other stores at different ual.

Cleanliness and service will be the night will begin at 7:45. motto of the new store, according to Mr. Hill, and he states that his prices on standard products will be lower on account of the reduced operating cost.

#### Miss Bradford Secures Good Position

Miss Freddie Bradford has recently accepted a secretarial position in Phoenix, Ariz., at a salary of \$125.00 per month, or about \$1500.00 per music at both services. year. Miss Freddie is a graduate of our high school, and taught successfully last year in the public school at Monahans, where she was offered reelection for the second year. Her many friends here will be glad to hear of her success, and we join with enter Texas University, them in extending heartiest congratulations and best wishes.

Mrs. Chas. Edwards was in from the ranch near Monahans, the first

Mrs. G. R. Brumley and Miss Revice Brumley are here this week.

Bill Preddy, of Marfa, was a busi

## **Authentic Styles** In Fall and Winter Apparrel

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#### CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A hearty welcome to all. Teachers and strangers are especially invited to meet and worship with us. W. B. BLOUNT, Pastor

Phone 133.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH

Bro. Garnett will be out of town next Sunday, and there will be no preaching service at the Baptist He is goin; to Big Lake for a few church. The Baraca class will meet days before returning to Breckenridge. at the Rialto Theatre at 10 o'clock, and the Sunday School, B. Y. P. U.

Prayer meeting next Wednesday

### METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. T. King, presiding elder of this district will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Bro. King is completing his 4th and last year on the district, and the entire membership is urged to be present in this, his last service with us. The pastor will preach at 8 o'clock. Special Sunday School and League at the

L. U. SPELLMANN.

H. B. Dunagan, Jr., left Tuesday afternoon for Austin, where he will

Miss Lois Hutchison will leave about the 23rd for Alpine, where she will attend the Sul Ross Normal this

> J. H. WILHITE CARPENTER, BUILDER

#### Record Giving Midland Good Publicity

Midland is receiving a great deal

#### of publicity during the past two weeks in to: Fort Worth Record. From two to three stories are appearing nearly e ery day. Wednesday's

paper carried the well known domino playing picture in which Messrs. Wesson, Smart and Glenn are battling for the title. The Chamber of Commerce which has taken over correspondence for this paper solicits Midland people to give in all information they have that can be converted into a newspaper story. The Record is a Hearst paper and is especially keen for feature and freakish news of the sensational character.

Arthur Taylor is here this week from Breckenridge, visiting his sister, Mrs. Alvin McKee. His people are still in Breckenridge, and he reports that all of them are doing well.

Mass Alice Haley has returned from a vacation spent in Mineral Wells, a guest of her sister, Mrs. West Ay-

Glenn Allen was over from Judkins

### **USEFUL GIFTS** For Every Occasion

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Frank Cowden is driving a new Buick Six touring car this week.

Roll Bell Cowden left Thursday for Dallas in his car, accompanied by 'Beakie" Cowden.

## COWMAN!

Globe Vaccine is Beyond any Doubt the Greatest Guard Against Dreaded Blackleg known today. The price was cut from 15 cents to

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