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MARFA STREETS

To make mention of Marfa's streets, especially the streets leading to the Soldier Camp, has heretofore been a ticklish proposition, for if there ever was a rough road in Presidio County, this was the prize winner.

The continuous run of jitneys, army trucks and heavy wagons kept these streets in about the worst condition imaginable.

However, things have changed, for through the co-operation of our mayor John T. Hamie and Lt. Col. Frank A. McNarney of Camp Marfa, we now have the very best thoroughfare in the county.

Col. McNarney made it possible for the city to have these good streets for he not only permitted the use of the Government road machinery, but he cooperated in every way with Mayor Hamie to build these streets in the very best way possible.

The engineering and grading work was done under the able supervision of Mr. Propst, who has certainly built a road worthy of mention and who also offered his services free gratis to the city of Marfa, as his salary is being paid by the Quartermaster, Capt. Conlin, who is also aiding this good work by furnishing teams, wagons and water, for he too, is greatly interested in seeing this work finished in the best possible way. Capt. Conlin is another friend of our city and has often heretofore aided us in other good movements that were mutually beneficial to the soldier as well as civilian.

On every hand may be heard mention of the way Mr. Propst rebuilt our streets, for after the heavy steam roller, put the finishing touch to them, they looked like genuine macadamized roads.

Beginning at the North entrance of Camp Marfa and extending to in front of the Union Drug Store, every street has been worked on and put in A1 shape, and it is now a pleasure to run a car over them.

Mr. Propst has won for himself the admiration of every resident of Marfa for the good work he has done, and also are we thankful to Col. McNarney for his cooperation, for we all realize that through his kindly efforts the building of these streets were made possible.

Col. McNarney has always shown a spirit of co-operation with the city of Marfa. He has the interest of Marfa at heart—we know that from past experience, when he sent down the Camp fire fighting apparatus on several occasions when we had a fire in our city, also the way he assisted in the supplying of plenty of fresh water for the swimming pool, is proof that he is doing all he can to be of service to the community, as well as to Camp Marfa, thereby making things more pleasant for both soldiers and civilians.

Dr. J. A. Simpson Not Leaving

—Dame Rumor has it that Dr. J. A. Simpson will shortly give up his practice and leave Marfa. This is absolutely denied by Dr. Simpson, who says he has no idea of giving up his practice, nor does he intend to leave here. He says he cannot account for this sort of report getting circulated and he wishes to inform the public that he is in Marfa to stay and should he ever decide to leave he would personally notify the public through the press and not through unauthorized gossipers.

MOTHER'S DAY

Sunday, May 14th, is Mother's Day. Let's not forget this day. How fortunate we are who's mother still lives to brighten our hearts and to encourage our lives as we rock along with the waves of time. It is truly said: "There is no one that can take the place of mother. She is the ever guiding star of our progress and the inspiration to live good Christian lives."

Those who will wear the white flower next Sunday in reverence of their departed mother will remember her in the days of their youth when she ministered to them the care and love with a hand that was ever willing—with heavy hearts they'll look back to the days when she was still here on earth to gladden their lives. Mother's Day—let's not forget.

RED CROSS MEETING

The Red Cross Executive Committee met last Tuesday at the Community House for their regular monthly meeting.

Hon. K. C. Miller and Dr. J. C. Midkiff were invited guests, and their talks added a great deal of interest to the meeting in that they presented matters of vital interest to the Red Cross workers in the Local Chapter.

That part of Dr. Midkiff's talk dealing with the subject "Child's Health," was instructive, and his suggestions as to what the Red Cross can do to better the general health of school children was illuminating. It was suggested that every child entering school should have their eyes, ears, nose and throat examined. Then the necessity of having a Public Health Nurse, employed by the school Board or otherwise, in order to safeguard the good health and physical condition of children were recommended.

The Mexican situation was discussed, and the Red Cross pledged themselves to supply milk and food for Mexicans afflicted with tuberculosis, and the Doctors agreed to give one-half of a day each week, without charge, to caring for these helpless people.

The Red Cross is putting forth a definite effort to minister to those people in the community that needs its services.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Owing to the fact that the commencement sermon is to be preached Sunday at 11 a. m. at the Opera House, there will be no service at the Baptist church at that hour.

We will have our evening service beginning at 8 o'clock.

C. S. HARRISON, Pastor.

Swimming Pool Open to Public Soon

Oh Boy! Oh Joy! the swimming pool is to be opened to the public on Monday, May 15. Won't we have fun? The Marfa youngsters, as well as the grown-ups will welcome this good news.

Mayor Hamie informs us that through the ever willing co-operation of Lt. Col. Frank A. McNarney the pool will be replenished with fresh water, several times a week, which will make it more sanitary and pleasant than heretofore.

This swimming pool has been quite a source of amusement to the citizens of Marfa—many a pleasant afternoon has been spent there the past few years, and we look to see the pool filled to its capacity next Monday, especially so since we know that the water will be replenished more frequently.

PROGRAM FOR QUEEN

- Monday 15—
"Hush Money," with Alice Prady.
 - Tuesday 16—
"Face Between," with Pert Lytell.
 - Wednesday 17—
"Passing Through," with Douglas McLain.
 - Thursday 18—
"Beyond," with Ethel Clayton.
 - Friday 19—
"A Virginia Courtship," with May McAvoy.
 - Saturday 20—
"Madam Peacock," with Nazimavo. Feature Pictures.
- Big town theatres do not show a better program than this.

REWARD

—Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of party or parties who have been stealing parts from telephones, such as receivers, transmitters, coils, ringers and generators.

BIG BEND TELEPHONE CO.

The State of Missouri is paying a bonus to all ex-service men hailing from the "Show Me State." How much this bonus will amount to we don't know but all men who resided in Missouri at least 12 months just prior to April 6th, 1917, are eligible to receive their bonus. Application blanks can be had from the Bonus Commission, Jefferson City, Mo., by requesting same. No doubt there are quite a few soldiers here in Camp Marfa who will come in for this bonus.

Joe Espy of Fort Davis, was a visitor in Marfa last Wednesday.

MORE IMPROVEMENTS

It seems that every time we step out of our office we see evidence of more improvements going on in our city.

We cannot help but feel encouraged when we see these improvements, for they go to prove that we still have some live wires on the job who refuse to sit still and whine about hard times.

While out walking the other afternoon we happened to pass by the Marfa Electric & Ice Co's. plant and were surprised at the extensive improvements recently made by V. C. Myrick, the manager.

In front of the plant we found that a cement curbing and walk had been built, grass had been planted all along in front of the South side, with flower beds all along the walks; a new fence had been built encircling the entire property on the East side; all the junk machinery parts, and accumulation of worn out material had been neatly stacked away and in fact, the whole plant had a progressive appearance.

On entering, we had the pleasure of meeting the new engineer, W. F. Smith, who has just been in Marfa three weeks, and here we found everything in tip top shape. All of the engines had been repainted and polished up and looked like new. Even the cement bases or foundations of the motors and engines had been painted. All of the ice machinery had been overhauled and looked as if just installed. In fact, things looked as if somebody had hold of the plant that understood his business.

Before ever knowing that Manager Myrick had employed a new engineer, we had noticed in our shop that the power, light and water service had greatly improved over the way it had been running here of late, but did not know what the real cause was until we visited the plant, and then we soon found out.

Mr. Myrick certainly deserves credit for the way he has improved things; even the old ice wagon has the appearance of a new one, for Dad Rupert did the painting and spared no effort in making a good job of it.

The cement walk, approaches and curbing, was all done by expert mechanics and sets off the old power plant in a real artistic fashion. We had really no idea that the old plant could be so improved.

The grass in front of the plant is already green, but in another week or two the roses and geraniums that Manager Myrick planted will be in bloom and then things will have the appearance of a regular city power plant.

Mr. Myrick informs us that within another ten days Engineer Smith will have completed the overhauling of the large 400 horse-power engine and then Marfa will have more electric current than can be consumed.

We are glad we visited this plant for we like to see things improved, and every citizen of Marfa knows there was need of improvement in the service, for the former engineer was not the right kind of a man the plant needed, but Manager Myrick now feels like he has one of the very best men for the job in the South and he feels much relieved himself, for it is his desire to always give to the patrons service.

We received news this week that A. B. Couture has signed up with the Las Cruces base ball team as catcher. (We have known for some time that Couture is a good base ball player and we feel confident he will establish a record for himself as well as for Marfa, for we claim him as one of our citizens.

—If it's a gift for the June Bride or Graduates, you can find it at Lockley's "The Jeweler."

Mrs. W. M. Bradford, who has been visiting her father, Frank Russell at Presidio, for some time, returned to her delightful home this week in Placentia, California. Mr. Russell accompanied her as far as El Paso and from there he will go to Chihuahua, Mexico, where he has extensive ranching interests.

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Marfa Chapter No. 344 O. E. S.
Meets the third Tuesday evening in each month. Visiting members cordially invited to be present.
Mrs. Rada Humphreys, W. M. Blanche Avant, Secretary.

MARFA LODGE No. 596 A. F. & A. M.
Meets second Thursday evening in each month.
Visiting brethren are cordially invited to be present.
J. Anson Coughran, W. M.; J. W. Howell, Secretary.

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The Blackleg season is at hand. Consider the record made by the O. M. Franklin Aggression the past 8 years. Take advantage of our ceaseless efforts to give you a RELIABLE Blackleg Preventative. Your patronage will be appreciated by your local agent. Dr. A. J. HOFFMAN, Marfa, Texas, No Extra Charge for Administering Serum.

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F. C. MELLARD ANNOUNCES

Under the columns of announcements, the readers of the New Era will find the name of F. C. Mellard, who is seeking re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

Mr. Mellard is one of Presidio County's leading ranchmen, and very popular for the stand he has taken on various occasions on matters pertaining to the welfare of our county.

He is a man who has the interest of Presidio county at heart and has been relied upon to attend the Commissioners' Court at every meeting.

If re-elected, Mr. Mellard will give us the same service as has been rendered by him heretofore, and will back up what he promises to do.

Miss Susie Midkiff arrived Sunday from New Mexico, where she has been attending college.

Bathing suits, bathing caps, all BRAND NEW, at Bailey's.

Contractor J. C. Bean is now in a position to do cement work of all kinds. Also prepared to install the celebrated metal weather strips in houses to keep both rain and dust out. He has recently installed an electric floor dressing machine, which enables him to do this work better and more reasonable than heretofore.

Memory books for graduation gifts, at Bailey's.

BUSINESS STEADILY IMPROVING

We hear from every angle that times are improving, especially so since the rains. Business houses are stocking up with new merchandise and prices are being reduced to pre-war times.

This week the Marfa Manufacturing Co. are publishing in their big ad a new schedule of prices on automobile repair work, these prices are in line with the times before the great War, and it is thru these reductions that the people are loosening up and spending some of their savings.

We feel like Marfa will be itself again in another few months and things will be as good as they ever were.

Salesmen tell us frequently that Marfa is the liveliest city between San Antonio and El Paso, and surely they should know if anyone knows, for they get in direct touch with the merchants and can feel the pulse of business.

We feel very optimistic over the future of our city. Good times are sure to come, so let's cheer up.

"The Camouflage of Shirley" will be played at the Opera House on Tuesday, May 30th by the American Legion Auxillary. This will be one of the best talent home plays ever staged in Marfa.

Some unscrupulous person grounded both the Shafter and Casa Piedra telephone lines with bailing wire, causing much inconvenience to all parties owning phones. Any person who would stoop so low as to do this sort of a trick should be publicly horse-whipped.

Ivory toilet articles, silver novelties for graduation gifts, at Bailey's.

LOST—Gold watch—17 jewel American Waltham, somewhere on the Alamito road between Marfa and my ranch, on May 2nd. Finder please return to me and receive reward.—Tom B. Ballew.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society met with Mesdames J. H. Griffith and A. C. Easterling Wednesday afternoon, at the former's home. A very instructive and interesting program was rendered, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Silk hose, all colors, for the girl graduate, at Bailey's.

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WANTED—To buy clean, soft rags, worn out shirts, dresses, underwear and sheets, to be used in cleaning up printing machinery. Will pay 5 cents per pound. Bring to the New Era office.

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Marfa, Texas.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

County of Presidio }
THE STATE OF TEXAS }

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution and order of sale issued out of the honorable District Court of Bexar County, Texas, 45th Judicial District, on the 10th day of April A. D., 1922, by Osceola Archer, clerk of said court, for the sum of Nine Hundred and Fifty Two and 92/100 dollars, interest and cost of suit, under a judgment in favor of Mrs. Rachel Z. Furnish and Mrs. Elizabeth H. Furnish, Independent Executrix of the estate of Nannie R. Harper, deceased, in a certain cause in said court No. B. 42622, Vol. 22, page 604-607, and styled Mrs. Rachel Z. Furnish and Wrs. Elizabeth H. Furnish Independent Executrix of the estate of Nannie R. Harper, deceased, together with a foreclosure of a lien against Carl F. Gross, R. J. Scarborough, T. L. Griffith, James Marshall, George M. Clifton, Charles Ernest, Mary R. Street, Sam A. Street, Don T. Meeks and E. J. Buckingham, on the following described real estate situated in Presidio County, Texas, to-wit: Survey 15, Block 343 T. C. Ry. Co., containing 640 acres and all improvements situated thereon as said lien existed on the 29th day of October A. D., 1913, and placed in my hands for service, I, J. E. Vaughan, as sheriff of Presidio County, Texas, did on the 1st day of May, A. D., 1922, levy on the following described real estate situated in Presidio County, Texas:

Survey 15, Block 343, F. C. Ry. Co. and all improvements thereon, and on the first Tuesday in June A. D., 1922, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the court house of Presidio County, in the city of Marfa, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., by virtue of said levy, execution and order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate and all improvements thereon at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of R. J. Scarborough, Carl F. Gross and T. L. Griffith, jointly or severally.

And in compliance with the law, I give this notice by publication in

the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the New Era, a newspaper published in Presidio County, Texas. WITNESS my hand this 1st day of May, A. D., 1922.

J. E. VAUGHAN,
Sheriff of Presidio County, Texas.

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K. C. MILLER

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Quart size. Refrigerators

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Quarterly Report

Of J. H. Fortner, County Clerk of Presidio County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures, from February 1, 1922, to April 30, 1922, inclusive.

JURY FUND—FIRST CLASS		
Balance	\$4,289.99	---
To amount received during quarter	6,426.49	---
By amount paid out during quarter	189.00	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	96.40	---
By 1½% commission on amount paid out	2.85	---
Amount to balance	10,428.23	---
To Balance	\$10,716.48	\$10,716.48
	\$10,428.23	---
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—SECOND CLASS		
Balance	\$4,150.57	---
To amount received during quarter	6,519.06	---
By amount paid out	4,613.00	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	97.79	---
By 1½% commission on amount paid out	69.65	---
Amount to balance	5,859.19	---
To Balance	10,669.63	10,669.63
	\$5,859.19	---
GENERAL COUNTY FUND—THIRD CLASS		
Balance	\$ 2,931.04	---
To amount received during quarter	11,331.13	---
By amount paid out during quarter	5,860.39	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	169.97	---
By 1½% commission on amount paid out	87.91	---
Amount to Balance	8,143.99	---
To Balance	14,262.17	14,262.17
	8,143.99	---
FOURTH CLASS		
Balance	612.14	---
To amount received during quarter	5.20	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	.08	---
Amount to Balance	617.26	---
To Balance	617.34	617.34
	617.26	---
FIFTH CLASS		
Balance	3,115.63	---
To amount received during quarter	1,713.43	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	25.70	---
Amount to Balance	4,803.36	---
To Balance	4,829.06	4,829.06
	4,803.36	---
SIXTH CLASS		
Balance	1,671.59	---
To amount received during quarter	1,281.93	---
By amount paid out	1,300.00	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	19.23	---
By 1½% commission on amount paid out	19.50	---
Amount to Balance	1,614.79	---
To Balance	2,953.52	2,953.52
	1,614.79	---
SEVENTH CLASS		
Balance	2,996.35	---
To amount received during quarter	1,923.24	---
By amount paid out during quarter	1,615.00	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	28.85	---
By 1½% commission on amount paid out	24.23	---
Amount to Balance	3,251.51	---
To Balance	4,919.59	4,919.59
	3,251.51	---
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND		
Balance	152.37	---
To amount received during quarter	11.83	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	.18	---
Amount to Balance	164.02	---
To Balance	164.20	164.20
	164.02	---
HIGHWAY		
Balance	1,661.47	---
Amount received	742.93	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	11.14	---
Amount to Balance	2,393.26	---
To Balance	2,404.40	2,404.40
	2,393.26	---
COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND		
Balance	136.17	---
To amount received during quarter	3.33	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	.05	---
Amount to balance	139.45	---
To Balance	139.50	139.50
	139.45	---
COURT HOUSE AND JAIL SPECIAL FUND		
Balance	2,585.46	---
To amount received during quarter	6,780.49	---
By amount paid out during quarter	3,553.91	---
By 1½% commission on amount received	11.71	---
By 1½% commission on amount paid out	53.31	---
Amount to Balance	5,747.02	---
To Balance	9,365.95	9,365.95
	5,747.02	---
NINTH CLASS		
Balance	26	---
To Balance	26	---

Respectfully submitted,
 J. H. FORTNER, County Clerk, Presidio County, Texas.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 8th day of May, A. D., 1922.
 (SEAL) K. C. MILLER,
 County Judge of Presidio County, Texas.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Associate Justice—

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary I announce for re-election to the office of Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, Eighth Supreme Judicial District of Texas

E. F. HIGGINS.

For District Judge—

The New Era is authorized to announce C. E. Mead as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the 83rd Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Subject to the action of the Democratic primary, I announce as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the 83rd Judicial District of Texas.

W. A. HADDEN.

Subject to the action of the Democratic primary, I announce as a candidate for the office of judge, 83rd judicial district of Texas,

C. R. Sutton.

The New Era is Authorized to announce L. F. Elliott of Sonora, as a candidate for Judge of the 83rd judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

The New Era is authorized to announce Judge Brian Montague of Brewster county, as a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 83rd Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

For District Clerk—

The New Era is authorized to announce as a candidate or the office of District Clerk of Presidio County, the name of Miss Pauline Quick, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

The New Era has been authorized to announce as a candidate for the office of District Clerk of Presidio County, Miss Anita Young, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on the 22nd day of July, 1922.

For Sheriff—

The New Era is authorized to announce J. E. Vaughan as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries on July 22nd, 1922.

The New Era is authorized to announce H. A. King as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July next.

For County Treasurer—

To the voters of Presidio County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer at the July 22nd election, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

W. A. KERR.

The New Era is authorized to announce Mrs. Troxie Daugherty as a candidate for County Treasurer of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July next.

The New Era is hereby authorized to announce Sam W. Wooley as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July next.

The New Era is hereby authorized to announce Sam Neill as a candidate for the office of treasurer of Presidio county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

For Tax Assessor—

The New Era has been authorized to announce E. T. McDonald as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Taxes of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July next.

The New Era is hereby authorized to announce Robert Greenwood for Tax Assessor of Presidio County, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

The New Era is authorized to announce as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Presidio County, the name of G. T. Grubb, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 22, 1922.

For County Clerk—

The New Era has been authorized to announce the candidacy of J. H. Fortner for re-election to the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

For County Judge—

Henry W. Reynolds announces as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 22nd, 1922.

To the Voters of Presidio County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on July 22nd, 1922.

K. C. MILLER.

For Tax Collector—

To the Voters of Presidio County:— I hereby wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Presidio County, subject to action of the Democratic primary on July 22nd, 1922.

O. A. (Jack) KNIGHT.

To the Voters of Presidio County:—

I hereby announce as a candidate for County Tax Collector of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on July 22, 1922.

GEORGE HARPER.

For County Attorney—

The New Era is authorized to announce to the voters of Presidio County, J. C. Fuller as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 22, 1922.

For County Attorney—

The New Era is authorized to announce H. H. Kilpatrick as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 22nd, 1922.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2—

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner Precinct No. 2, subject to the Democratic Primary July 22, 1922.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—

The New Era is authorized to announce D. D. Kilpatrick as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, of Presidio County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

H. G. Thompson of Jeff Davis County, spent Monday in Marfa.

—Bathing suits—good quality—prices to suit you.—Wm. Harper.

C. M. Roper is driving a new roadster, which he recently bought of the Casner Motor Co., say.

—Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide, at Livingston-Mabry Co.

N. L. Casner spent a few days in El Paso in the interest of the Casner Motor Company.

—Boss leather-faced work gloves, worth 50c., special at Block's, 55c.

E. F. Hill, manager of the Del Norte Company, of Shafter, Texas, passed through Marfa en route to California on an extended business trip.

—Window shades and curtain rods at Livingston-Mabry Co.

Miss Ollie Wease* is visiting friends and relatives in Dallas, Tex.

Capt. J. B. Gillett and wife are in San Antonio visiting. They recently returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where they spent a few weeks enjoying the celebrated hot baths.

—Only complete line of Arrow Collars (old Halper Building)

Right Rev. Frederick B. Howden D. D. left Monday morning for his home in Albuquerque, New Mexico, after having spent a very serviceable week in the Big Bend country.

—Plants ready for setting out—Tomatoes, Beets, Chili Pepper, Sweet Peppers, Lettuce.—J. R. Jacobs.

M. A. North, one of Ake's popular barbers, has purchased an auto and is now putting in his leisure hours making short trips and enjoying the scenery in and around Marfa.

—Gifts for the boy graduate—Sterling Silver Belt Buckles, Scarf Pins, Cuff Buttons. If you will drop in our store we will gladly show you a very large assortment of gifts that make suitable gifts for boys.—Anderson's Gift Store.

What CERTO is and What it Does

CERTO is a standardized concentrate of that substance found in some fruits that makes jelly. It's "Mother Nature's Jell Maker" and contains no gelatine or preservative.

By old methods, jells and jams could only be successfully made from those fruits rich in this substance; and as ripe fruit contains less of it, housewives were obliged to use under-ripe, under-flavored fruit. Moreover, they had to boil it from ½ to ¾ of an hour, thus destroying both color and flavor. Failures were frequent and the cost high.

By the CERTO Process, jells, jams and marmalades can be made from any fresh fruit as well as from canned or bottled fruit juices, canned fruits and dried fruits. Only one minute's boiling is required, thus saving color, flavor and time. Every batch is a success, thus saving needless worry and loss. Moreover, you get 50 per cent more jam or jelly from the same amount of fruit because you save the juice formerly boiled away, thus saving money.

Jams, Jellies, and Marmalades are healthful, appetizing and strengthening foods; and when made by the simple easy CERTO Process are inexpensive.

Get a bottle of CERTO and book of CERTO Process Recipes today; also some grape juice, canned pineapple, some oranges, grapefruit or strawberries today, and get the economical habit of serving CERTO Process jams, jellies and marmalades with every meal.

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 DR. E. H. CHURCH, Osteopath. Office phone No. 28.

Soldiers Training Camp

Tentative plans for the summer Citizens' Military Training Camp for this area were announced at the Eighth Corps Area Headquarters yesterday by Lieut. Col. George Chase Lewis, C. M. T. C. officer. Orders were received at the headquarters from the War Department authorizing recruiting for the summer training camps.

Four big citizens camps will be conducted in the Eighth Corps Area for one month beginning July 27th and closing August 26th. The camps are: infantry, cavalry and artillery branches; at Fort Sill for infantry and artillery; at Camp Travis for infantry; at Fort Logan, Colo. for infantry; and at Fort Bliss, El Paso, for infantry, artillery and cavalry.

The C. M. T. C. Camps last summer proved such a great success that the War department has made recommendations for 27,000 civilians taking training or about three times the number provided for last summer in the nine corps areas. In 1921 only two camps were conducted in this corps area, at Camp Travis and Fort Logan.

Ther number will be increased to four this year, one in each corner of the area.

As announced yesterday by Lt. Col. O. P. Robinson, assistant G-3 for operations and training, all plans will tentative until final action by Congress, making appropriations and providing for the care of the full quota for the camps.

In the Eighth Corps Area 3000 youths will enter the summer camps if the plans of the War Department are not changed because of lack of finances. Of this number 1200 are expected at Camp Travis. These 3000 will be selected from more than 20,000 applications which are expected to be received in this corps area.

Last year there were 5500 applications received and only about 1200 of the number could be admitted to the camps. The War Department has already forwarded 20,000 application blanks for physical examination to the corps area headquarters here, also 10,000 pennants and stickers for the students to place on their luggage while enroute to the camps.

The plan of having four training camps instead of two will make it possible to have a camp in each section of the corps area alleviating unnecessary training expense for the students in going from their homes for the training period.

All students allotted to the camps will attend the one nearest home, and they will be paid mileage of 5 cents per mile over the most direct route to and from the camp.

All students will be encouraged to pay their own fare to the camp and receive cash reimbursement on arriving. Commutation for rations will be paid at the rate of 82 each day on the road.

It was announced yesterday that 250 applications for prospective students have been received at the Citizen's Military Training Department of the Eighth Corps Area. And within a few weeks thousands of applications will be received in the belief of Col. Lewis. In selecting the students to attend, careful consideration will be used and the first applications will be given some preference over the later ones. Physical fitness and general qualifications will figure in the selection of the 3000 students soldiers from the 20,000 applications expected.

Three courses of study will be offered this summer, the red, white and blue courses. Only the red course was given last year. Those eligible for the red course must be between 17 and 25 years of age. They must be less than 69 inches in height at 17 years of age and not less than 60 inches at 18 years and must have at least a two inch expansion. Eyesight and hearing must be good, applicant must be able to withstand long marches and other physical exertion. They must be intelligent to understand, execute orders, obey and give commands.

The object of the red course will be to provide elementary training in military and camp life suitable for the training of a private in the Organized Reserves. However, in attending the summer C. M. T. C. no obligation to join the reserve force will be incurred, it is announced.

The white course will be for those who wish to qualify as non-commissioned officers of the reserve forces. The applicant must be between 18 and 27 years of age with physical requirements slightly higher than for the applicants for the red course. Educational requirements must be met with a grammar school education or its

equivalent and applicant must be of sound moral character. Students in the white course will be given the opportunity to act as non-commissioned officers in the training camps. Special encouragement will be given those who graduated from the red course last year, also privates of the National Guard, regular army.

In the blue course, third and highest course to be offered, applicants must be between 19 and 27 years of age. But graduates of the two preceding courses will not be barred because of age. The physical requirements will be the same as for the white course and the applicants must have had a minimum high school education. This course is designed for non-commissioned officers of the National Guard, regular army organized reserves, and students of military colleges, who desire to qualify for commissions in the reserve forces.

Is This Keen Slang?

WANTED—First class, high class stenographer; salary no object; this stenographer must get it as fast as I talk and get it right; must be absolutely accurate; must have human intelligence. If you are not a crackjack, don't bother us—Settle Auto Co.

Answer: I note your requirements as aired in the newspaper, and hasten to make inquiry as to this strenuous business that takes such an extraordinary appeal to me strongly—stronger than prepared mustard, as I have searched Europe, Airape, Irope and the States in quest of some one who could use my talents to the best advantage.

When it comes to this chin music proposition I have never found a man, woman or dictaphone who could first base with me, either fancy or catch as I can. I write shorthand so fast that I have a specially prepared pencil with a platinum point and a water cooling equipment that I have had constructed at an exorbitant expense, a note-pad made of asbestos composition, covered with human hide, ruled with sulphuric acid and stretched with cat gut.

I use the A.-W. ignition double unit exclusively, and will guarantee to deliver my rated horse-power under either the A. L. A. M. or S. A. E. standard. I have been passed by the National Board of censorship and am guaranteed by the Pure Food and Drug Act of June 30, 1916. I run with my cut-out open at all speeds and am, in fact, a guaranteed, double copper-riveted, seamless, hand-buffed, hydraulically welded, drop-forged and oil tempered specimen of human lightning on a 45 fram, ground to one-thousandth of an inch. At hot air juggling, you have nothing on me.

If you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of a lifetime, wire me, but don't waste time unless you have a real job.

Who Has it in for Norma and Constance?

Some time ago Mr. Orgain had Constance Talmadge at the Queen in "Scandal." It was the first time that Constance had appeared in Marfa in a long time. The play was going fine; Constance was at her best; and many of her most ardent fans sat spell-bound with interest in the production, when something very unusual for Marfa happened—the Light Plant went on the blink, and a crowded house reluctantly filed out of the Queen, and needless to say, the air was permeated with ill feeling toward that something or that somebody who had it in for Constance.

Then last Saturday Mr. McMath had Norma in another popular little drama—"The Moth." Norma also has a very strong following, and again the Queen was filled with expectant fans. No one was disappointed. Norma was measuring up to her old standards, and interest was high when the infernal machine got in its work and wrought vengeance against Norma. The lights went out. The crowd lingered long—even more than an hour, awaiting the return of the "treasured juice" that would enable the operator to portray Norma on the screen. Finally, after all hope was gone, and with many complimentary remarks for the Light Plant, the crowd embarked through a most pleasant rain for home.

Mr. McMath received a storm of requests to get those pictures back here and finish the story. So he has asked the distributor to book them back, and already he has heard that Constance will be back in "Scandal" soon, and Norma will come too.

Mr. Myrick has stated that the Light Plant is now in better position than ever to give service, and that in the future, the chances of being disappointed in seeing your favorite star is very unlikely.

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The House That Quality Built
One Buick Six Roadster 1919 and 20 model, good condition, new paint new upholstery, good top and good tires, a snap at \$900.—\$250 down, balance 10 payments. Or we will take your old car as cash payment.

FORD Coupe that looks like new. Price \$450. You can't duplicate this car at the price anywhere. Easy terms.

One Dodge five passenger 1918 and 19 model, good mechanical condition, good top, good paint, good tires and everything that makes it a good buy at \$650. Terms.

One Ford Coupe, good condition, new tires, A snap at \$125—\$125 down, balance easy.

One Dodge Roadster in first-class condition. Looks like a new one. A Bargain at \$575. Easy terms.

One Ford touring, without starter, good condition \$290.00
One Ford Roadster, with starter, and truck attachment—a dandy at \$325.00

One Ford touring, with starter, good condition at \$325.00

All of the above listed cars are in good condition and we will absolutely guarantee them.

Cars listed below are in very good condition but not guaranteed nor recommended by us.

One Oakland six, looks and runs good \$300.00

One Overland Ninety, new paint, good tires and runs good \$250.00

One Studebaker, looks and runs like a top, price \$250.00

Five or six Fords, price ranging from \$75 to \$250.

All of above listed cars will be sold on easy terms.

We have a number of factory built bodies that will fit Ford Touring Cars, Roadsters and trucks for sale at the right prices.

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NOTICE

Girls between the ages of 17 and 18 should be members of the Girl Scouts. You're missing some good times! cheating yourself of pleasure. Join now.

Mrs. E. R. Mabry, Scout Master.

READ THIS

We did not succeed in selling out so we have proceeded in our same old way to provide for the Marfa public many new and classy items for all occasions.

We Offer for Mother's Day—

Beautiful cards of greeting to Mother, also framed mottoes.

For Graduation Day—

Congratulatory cards for the graduate, also a full line of brand new gift goods for graduation gifts. Come in and inspect our new merchandise.

The Bailey Novelty Store.

The community has helped the school send its delegates to Austin and we feel that we are due you thanks for this hearty co-operation. The proceeds received from the Fats and Leans baseball game, the Seventh Grade play and the amount received from the Popular theatre Monday night, have all made it possible for our representatives to go to the Meet. While at the Stockton Meet the delegates could not have been more courteously treated. Each representative was taken care of in a private home in the most elegant manner possible. We hope the contestants we are sending to Austin will be treated just as nice and will enjoy the trip accordingly; but most of all we are grateful for the loyal support of the citizens of the town, whose aid has made it possible to send our delegates.

—The Shorthorn

PROGRESSIVE IMPROVEMENTS EVERYWHERE

Contractor John C. Bean has completed quite a bit of work the past few weeks. Among the finished jobs may be mentioned the following:

J. R. Love, repairs on home, cement walks and outhouses plastered and pebble-dashed. He also installed metal weather strips throughout the home.

Cement curb around the Ben Joe Buchanan and Will Shannon's graves.

Mrs. Lizzie Crosson, repairs and remodeling of home.

Johnnie Roark, residence plastered and pebble-dashed.

Chas. Bishop home remodeled and repairs made.

Mrs. D. V. White is visiting friends and relatives at Gonzales, Shiner and other East Texas cities.

—Sealing wax sets Dainty books, latest fiction, at Bailey's.

O. L. Nicolls of Marathon, spent several days in Marfa visiting with his children.

—Beautiful jeweled combs and barrettes, novelty beads and earrings for the "sweet girl graduate" at Bailey's.

Mayor Hamie is spending a few days in San Antonio this week. While away he will also visit Del Rio.

—Party favors, place cards, tally cards, birthday cards, party invitations, birth announcements, dance programs and colored pencils at—Bailey's Novelty Store.

Dad Rupert certainly did a fine painting and decorating job on the Queen theatre. He is an artist when it comes to this kind of work.

—Fine box stationery and correspondence cards, at—Bailey's.

—Fountain pens, Eversharp silver pencils, 65c., \$1.00, \$1.50 and up, at—Bailey's.

Contractor E. Sample did the repair work at the Queen theatre.

—Gifts for girl graduates—hand bags, Ostrich fans, Iridescent glass perfume bottles, vases, etc. Perfumed pottery pieces, Pearl necklaces, Wrist watches, and a score of other gifts that will be appreciated.—Anderson's Gift Store.

William Jennings Bryan stopped over in Sierra Blanca Tuesday of this week and lectured for one hour and a half. He is en route to California from Washington, accompanied by his wife. They are traveling overland by auto. The trip is being made for Mrs. Bryan's health. The stop in Sierra Blanca was made to consult Dr. Dunn of that place, who is a most noted physician and has a reputation from coast to coast.

When you need a gift and you want something new and attractive—something different—a gift that will last, at a price you will want to pay—then visit Anderson's Gift Store.

E. E. Williams and Johnnie Saere have formed a partnership in the cattle sales business. They will operate out of Marfa and the Big Bend country. Most of their shipments will go to California. Mr. Saere is a popular young cattleman of El Paso and understands the cattle buying business from A to Z. Mr. Williams is also known as a man who understands the cattle marketing business, for he has represented many of the local stockmen for years.

Gifts for the graduates. New things Attractive little novelties, of the better class. Gifts that will last, you will find a big array of these gifts at Anderson's Gift Store.

A WONDERFUL BARGAIN

J. M. Hurley has bought this week an assortment of Mens' tailored suits from one of the local tailor shops and is now offering them at the ridiculous price of \$7.50 up. Some of these suits were priced as high as \$40.00 and are all tailor made. Mr. Hurley says—quick sales and small profits—is his motto, and he expects to sell these suits in a very short time, so come and get your choice. They are real bargains.

Bill McGhee was in from his ranch this week and says things are getting along fine down his way.

—Dress making and fancy sewing neatly done.—Mrs. C. B. Huckeba, care New Era office.

Your Vote and Influence Will be Greatly Appreciated

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Summer's the time for "safety first" with family stomachs! Every one feels a lot better with lighter food on the hot days! And, crisp, delicious Kellogg's Corn Flakes are everything that can be desired—for health, for enjoyment, for nourishment!

Realize what proper diet means to health in summer. Cut down on the heavier foods that upset physical and mental energy and eat Kellogg's Corn Flakes! They're extra delicious with the luscious fruits now in season.

Kellogg's Corn Flakes are sold only in the RED and GREEN package that bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. None are genuine without it!



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Mrs. S. A. Martin and daughter, Alice, of Shafter, spent Tuesday in Marfa visiting friends.

—Only complete line of Arrow Collars (old Halper Building)

Johnnie Sacra of El Paso, spent Wednesday in our city on business.

—Big assortment of Gingham Dresses.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

James Halper of Presidio, spent several days in El Paso, where he purchased quite a line of merchandise for his store down on the river.

—HEADQUARTERS FOR BATHING SUITS.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kranshor, of El Paso, are visiting friends and relatives in Marfa. They are the guests of Mrs. Mary Young.

—One lot Ladies' Oxfords and Straps—Special price.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

W. T. Jones Cattle Co. shipped out 2,000 head of three, four and five year-old steers Wednesday. They were delivered to buyers in Kansas.

—Silk Shirts—Oh Boy! just the thing for that graduation present.—Wm. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brite entertained twenty of their friends at an elegant dinner party Friday evening, May 5th, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Opie Reed and Mrs. Brice Smith, local director of the Ellison-White Chautauqua.

—Need Tennis Shoes? Just received a large shipment of Champion Keds, for the whole family. Call at Stool's Bargain Store

Mrs. Vera Longyear reports business increasing right along in the Palace Cafe. Since the Crown Cafe closed down the Palace is getting quite a lot of their former patronage.

—Wanted to buy from 50 to 100 good young cattle—cows preferred or steers, if priced right.

W. H. FUNK,
 P. O. box 237, Alpine, Texas

E. W. King, county commissioner of Precinct No. 4, came up from Presidio this week to mix with his friends and take in the Chautauqua.

Accordion, Box and Knife plaiting; Hemstitching and Picotting; buttons and buttonholes made.

MRS. H. B. HOUSTON,
 Uvalde, Texas,

A. L. Block, who recently embarked in the dry goods business in our city, reports business increasing daily. Mr. Block expects his family down from El Paso soon, for they intend to make Marfa their future home.

Spring Goods in all departments now in and on display.—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

W. W. Weatherford is one of the new subscribers to the New Era. Mr. Weatherford is now in the ranching business near Kent, Texas. For years he was in the butcher business in Marfa and has many friends here.

—Don't fail to see the "Camouflage of Shirley" at the Opera House on Tuesday, May 30th, given by the American Legion Auxillary. It will be a good play.

O. C. Dove and family came up from Ruidosa this week. Mrs. Dove is quite ill and possibly has to undergo an operation. They are domiciled at the home of Mrs. Dove's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson.

—FOR RENT—Phonograph and records, Iron safe, Show cases, Shot guns, Rifles and Piano. See Schutze at New Era office.

Clay Pool has been confined to his bed the past week suffering with a severe case of the Flu. He is up again, however, but very weak, and unable to drive the Shafter-Presidio stage, so his father is making the trip every day instead of every other day until he is able to get back on the job. This 140 mile stage trip is trying on Jim, for it takes a man of much endurance that can stand up to it.

—FORSALE, Rebuilt, guaranteed drop-head sewing machine \$15.00. One Edison Phonograph, 15.00.—Sewing Machine Exchange.



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Few realize, however, that much depends upon the agency and the company with which they deal.

This agency represents the Hartford Fire Insurance Company

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J. Humphris

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Albert Karstendeik is repairing and remodeling the C. O. Thomas home.

—Union Drug Store wishes to announce to their trade that they are selling that ever-famous, delicious and refreshing Alamo Ice Cream. Call and try it out.

C. A. Brown is building a new home at Alpine. Gus Maurel is doing the painting.

—Our exclusive line of stationery Old Hampshire Vellum, packed in pound boxes, will meet with your approval.—Anderson's Gift Store.

Valentine Masons are contemplating the erection of a fine Masonic building. John Bean is bidding for the work.

—The St. George Cafe will be glad to fix up your sandwiches for party or picnic. Phone us our order.

A new Baptist church is to be built at Valentine to cost about \$8,000.00.

—Only complete line of Arrow Collars at Blocks—old Halper building.

Mrs. L. C. Brite has been called to Nevada to the bedside of her mother, who is quite ill.

—The St. George Cafe, across from Murphy & Walkers store, is the place to get a first class meal, served right.

Harper's Business Mens' Team and the High School Team crossed bats last Wednesday on the school ground diamond. The High School team won by a score of 22 to 11.

NEED A PAINTER?

—If so, see Dad Rupert and have him give you a figure on your painting job. Also signs.

FOR SALE

—One W. & L. E. Surveying Instrument, complete with chain and target pole. Cheap for cash. Address

—J. C. BEAN, Marfa, Texas.

MATLOCK—MORTON

Mr. Henry Matlock and Miss Gladys Morton were quietly married in El Paso by the County Judge, May 10, 1922. The sister of the bride, Mrs. D. M. Logan, of Colorado, Texas, was present at the marriage.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS, EL PASO DIVISION

In the matter of Mendias Bros. Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy No. 306.

To the Creditors of the Above Named Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, a meeting of the creditors of the above named bankrupt will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee, 603 Martin Bldg., El Paso, Texas, for the following purposes, especially those checked:

To declare a dividend and order the same paid.

Dated at El Paso, Texas, this the 11th day of May, A. D. 1922.

C. R. ISAACKS,
 Referee in Bankruptcy.

MEMORIAL DAY—MAY 30. On Tuesday, May 30, will be Memorial Day. The American Legion will prepare a big program for the occasion. They will bedeck the grave of every ex-service man in the entire country, as well as those of Jeff Davis county.

Joe Dean, local manager of the Western Union office, returned Monday from a week's vacation spent in the Republic of Mexico. Joe reports having had a real good time while away, but says a week's visit in Mexico is enough for any ordinary man, unless he wishes to learn the Spanish language.

Ranches Wanted—Have buyers for ranches worth the money. Also clients willing to trade farms and city property. If your ranch is for sale or exchange at reasonable price I want to list it. No charges unless I furnish buyer. Fifteen and a half years of fair dealing. Write full description. Fennell Dibrell, Brady Bldg., San Antonio, Texas.

—Silk sport socks, silk sport ties for the boy graduate at Bailey's.

—Tennis rackets, kodaks, kodak albums, at Bailey's.

—Unique novelty candles in all colors, birthday candles and candle holders, at—Bailey's.

An even hundred names were signed to the Chautauqua contract for next year. This year's Chautauqua was certainly enjoyed by everyone. It was quite instructive and very entertaining.

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Bathing Suits

Get your bathing suits, caps and belts. We are showing a beautiful line in colors and styles that will please you. Suits for children, misses and grown-ups.



LET us show you how skillfully with a Gossard Front Lacing Corset we can coax your figure to the very most of which it is capable. Question your fitting in the truth-telling mirror. What you see will convince you that while we all can't be eighteen forever and ever the charm of graceful lines and slenderizing proportions may be ours if we buy the right corset.



GOSSARD Brassieres are designed with scientific exactitude to fit the various types of figures. They give the sustaining comfort of a perfect, natural support, assure the trim firmness of youth and are an un-failing protection against the settled lines of maturity.



We are always featuring to Newer Styles in Merchandise. See the New Sport Shoes we have on display.

Our Sport Styles are in Patent Kid, Brown Calf and Satins.

Mitchell-Gillett

Dry Goods Co.

Stylish Merchandise

No. 499.

Official statement of the Financial Condition of the
Marfa State Bank

at Marfa, State of Texas, at the close of business on the Fifth day of May, A. D., 1922, published in the Marfa New Era, a newspaper printed and published at Marfa, State of Texas, on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$251,677.09
Loans, real estate	00
Overdrafts	80.99
Bonds and Stocks	824.00
Real Estate (banking house)	19,000.00
Other Real Estate	00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,445.75
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	57,660.87
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	5,455.13
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	7,189.06
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	00
Other Resources	00
TOTAL	\$347,332.89
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	55,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	3,421.41
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	00
Individual Deposits, subject to check	151,692.39
Savings Deposits	00
Time Certificates of Deposit	16,136.00
Demand and Other Deposits	35,933.07
Cashier's Checks	9,150.02
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	25,000.00
Certificates of Deposits, issued for money borrowed	00
Bonds Deposited	00
Other Liabilities	1,000.00
TOTAL	\$347,332.89

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Presidio.

We, T. M. WILSON as President, and KARL H. WORD, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. M. WILSON, President.
KARL H. WORD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, A. D., 1922.

ORRILL P. McHENRY,
Notary Public Presidio County, Texas.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
T. C. MITCHELL,
W. M. ELLISON,
J. W. HOWELL,
Directors.

JUDGE H. H. KILPATRICK ANNOUNCES

In this issue of the New Era will be found the announcement of Judge H. H. Kilpatrick for the office of County Attorney of Presidio County.

Judge Kilpatrick is known to every man, woman and child in Presidio County, having lived here over thirty years, during which time he has served the public in various capacities, and has won for himself many a friend and admirer.

Judge Kilpatrick is a great scholar and one of the most highly educated men of our County, for he is a graduate of one of the leading universities of our land. He is well read and a man posted on all the big questions of the day.

By profession he is a lawyer, but has been, until recently, editor and manager of the New Era, during which time he always strived to encourage progressive movements that tended to further the interests of the people of Presidio County.

If elected, he would no doubt, make Presidio County a good attorney, for his knowledge of law and his acquaintanceship of the greater part of the residents of our county would go far toward aiding him to give efficient service in the office he is seeking.

—FOR LEASE—Oil and grazing or both, for 1922, ten sections South of Marfa, Presidio County, Texas. Terms reasonable. Write at once. John E. Jordan, P. O. box 316, Fond du Lac, Iowa. 31-41

When we meet with a child that has won the honors of valedictorian of their graduating class, we certainly feel proud of them, and so we have in mind this year, Miss Irma Aiken, who has not only won this great honor, but who holds in addition the record of having attended the Marfa school the entire seven years without ever being absent nor tardy. Indeed, we feel proud of her and also her good mother who has coached her through her school days. Mrs. Aiken has reared quite a family and several of them have gone through school with good records and have grown up to be the pride of her life.

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STOCKYARDS LOAN COMPANY.
By James English, Manager.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Buck Pool left Thursday for San Antonio on a visit to her mother.

—Beach style Bathing Suits, caps and belts at Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

Capt. Conlin and wife will leave Sunday on an extended trip to East Texas. They will visit San Antonio, Yoakum and other parts.

—You will not feel out of place in one of our All Wool Bathing Suits.—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

W. R. Smith and wife were in from the ranch buying supplies this week. They report things moving along nicely out their way.

—Every woman wants a string of Pearls such as the La Tansca, shown at Lockley's, the Jeweler.

Dr. Moore of Presidio, arrived Thursday and departed the same day for El Paso to attend the medical Association that meets there this week.

—New line of Ladies and Misses Sport Shoes—Browns and Combinations.— Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

Gus Elmendorf, Jr., was quite painfully hurt at the school house last Monday night while playing and wrestling with other boys. We hope that he had several ribs broken.

—A Special Invitation to examine the many things suitable for presents. NEW GOODS, NEW PRICES— at Lockley's the Jeweler.

Ed Nevill, the jovial proprietor of the Long Horn Cafe, paid El Paso a short business visit this week. Ed promised to travel the narrow path while away. We wonder if he meant the narrow board foot path that leads across the Rio Grande into Juarez?

—FOR WEDDING AND GRADUATION—JUST WHAT YOU WANT at the Price You Wish to Pay.—At Lockley's the Jeweler.

Mr. Buck Casner of the Casner Motor Co., was telling the editor of four United States Nobby tires on the H. & K. Truck lines at Las Cruces, that had gone 30,000 miles and still running. Mr. Casner states that this was not one tire but four, and on account of the wonderful mileage rendered, he has decided to carry the United States line of tires, including the Royal Cord.

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Charter No. 8674 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Marfa National Bank

At Marfa, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on May 5, 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	\$440,678.73
Overdrafts, unsecured	1,272.34
U. S. Government securities owned:	
Deposited to secure circulation (U.S. bonds, par value \$70,000.00)	
All other United States Government securities	25,000.00
Total	95,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc	3,760.00
Banking house, \$8,587.32, furniture, and fixtures, \$3,083.62	11,670.94
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve bank	16,261.15
Cash in vault and amount due from National banks	28,066.22
Checks on other banks in the same city as reporting bank	60.00
— Totals of items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13	\$28,116.31
Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank	320.82
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	3,500.00
Other assets, if any	107.15
TOTAL	\$600,677.46
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 70,000.00
Surplus fund	\$ 55,000.00
Undivided profits	16,971.46
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	8,868.75
Circulating notes outstanding	70,000.00
Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries	433.73
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	2,303.97
— Totals of items 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25	2,737.70
Individual deposits subject to check	204,803.01
Total of demand deposits	204,803.01
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	14,201.95
Other time deposits	56,254.94
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve	70,456.89
United States deposits (other than postal savings, including War loan deposits and deposits of United States disbursing officers)	25,000.00
Notes and bills rediscounted, including acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of his bank	92,850.00
Liabilities other than those above stated	961.11
TOTAL	\$600,677.46

STATE OF TEXAS
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I, M. D. Bownds, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. D. BOWNDS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, 1922.

F. W. BARTON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
Thos. C. Crosson
H. M. Fennell,
C. A. Brown, Directors.

—FOR RENT—Several neat cottages, furnished and unfurnished—close in, first block West of post-office. Rent very reasonable.—N. F. Wilkins.

J. C. BEAN
Contractor and Builder
West of the Pecos
Estimates made free of charge

MARFA LODGE NO. 64 I. O. O. F.

1st Tuesday night 1st Degree
2nd Tuesday night 2nd Degree
3rd Tuesday night 3rd Degree
4th Tuesday night initiatory Degree. All visiting Brothers are cordially invited to be present.

J. E. Vaughan N. G.
R. N. Settle Secretary.

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Old Noah Said:

It was going to rain, and Noah knew. But the wise ones stood around and geyed him. Later
THEY GOT DROWNED

Right here is where you come in. Everybody is holding back and letting their automobiles run down. And now Spring is here and the public has started to buy cars; the factories are swamped with orders and deliveries for standard cars are getting slower every day.

GET BUSY--DONT WAIT

Place your order now for your car, even if it is 4 or 5 months from now.

PROTECT YOURSELVES

Step into the Ark by sending in your order. It's starting to rain business.

CasnerMotorCo

Bring Your Auto Repair Work To

Marfa Manufacturing Co.

Beginning Monday, May 15, the following reduced pre-war service rates will go into effect:

Automobile Repair Work, \$1.00 per hour

Reinsulate Battery	\$10.00 for Six Volts
Re-insulate Battery	\$12.00 for 12 Volts
Re-Charge Your Battery	\$1.50 for Either 6 or 12 Volts
Testing of Battery or Filling With Distilled Water in Battery	FREE
Take off Your Battery, put Rental on Car	25c. for Labor
Rental Batteries	25c. Per Day

Repair work on Ford and Dodge cars at manufacturers contract prices, or by time, whichever suits the customer

We do all kinds of machine and forge work and Acetylene welding. Pre-heating and brazing equipment. We still have the same force of expert mechanics who will now do your repair work at the above prices instead of the War prices.

Marfa Manufacturing Co.
Marfa, Texas

POSTED

This is to notify the public that my pasture is posted and there will be no more fishing or hunting permitted in same. All violations will be prosecuted.

J. W. (Buck) Pool.