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HALLOWEEN DANCE AND ENTERTAINMENT

The Seventh Cavalry at Camp Marfa have arranged a very interesting and instructive program for Halloween. Through the kindness of Col. Short, an excellent four-piece orchestra will be sent from Fort Bliss to supply music for the dance and the opening program. Several specialties and musical numbers have been arranged. One number will be a Flower Drill, executed by a group of soldiers. Harry Lauder's double will entertain with some Scotch songs. The committee has made every effort to give all the soldiers and their civilian friends an evening of jolly good fun. Mrs. Leon Kane, President of the American Legion Auxiliary, is assisting the committee in the entertainment. The program will begin at eight o'clock at the Service Club, Camp Marfa, Halloween. All are welcome, everything is free and everyone is promised good music, good eats and a good time.

NEW PARTNERSHIP FORMED

The Universal Garage has moved from in back of the Alamo Lumber Company into the T. V. Buck building adjoining the Crown Cafe. George Radolph has formed a partnership with Tom Musgrave and they have combined the two repair shops into one large business, which will operate under the name of The Universal Garage. Randolph and Musgrave promise to give all the work turned over to them their own personal attention, and they invite their friends and customers to call around and see them in their new quarters. These two mechanics will not confine their work wholly to automobile repair work, but will also do a general repair work, such as overhauling gas engines and other machinery. Both are experienced in this line and are not strangers in this city, but are well known as expert mechanics. —APPLES! APPLES! Starks Delicious. Phone 195.—E. H. Carlton at the Jordan Hotel.

FOOD SALE BIG SUCCESS

The food sale by the ladies of the Marfa Christian church last Saturday afternoon proved a big success. The delicious eatables offered the public were eagerly sought by the many customers who attended the sale, and it wasn't long before the supply was exhausted. The sale netted the church fund a little over one hundred dollars. The ladies in charge of the sale are very grateful for the liberal patronage accorded them and also to the many friends who so willingly assisted in the sale.

CATTLE CLATTER

J. C. Moore, of the Canyon ranch, near Casa Piedra, brought in a carload of cattle Thursday, which he shipped to market. Sheriff Jeff Vaughan is attending the Whitehead murder trial at San Antonio this week. Jack Knight is taking care of the jail in his absence. There are ten prisoners in the jail at the present time.

FASHIONABLE DRESS DEMONSTRATION

Last Thursday night the Mitchell-Gillett Co. of this city, held a fashionable dress demonstration under the able supervision of Mrs. Lucille Gardner Cavitt of New York, presenting the well known Betty Wales Dresses and coats. Mrs. Cavitt had a most attractive array of beautiful gowns on display which were indeed a pleasing sight for the ladies of Marfa to behold. The Mitchell-Gillett store was thronged to its capacity, making it quite difficult for the demonstrators to do justice in displaying her gowns. Manager J. R. Nash has decided to hold future demonstrations in the Opera House so that the ladies can get a better chance to view this wonderful line of merchandise. Manager Nash says he was well pleased with the orders he received for Betty Wales dresses and coats, and appreciates the interest manifested by the ladies of Marfa who attended the demonstration. Mitchell-Gillett Company have featured the "Betty Wales" ready-to-wear apparel for women quite a number of years and have built up a nice business on this popular brand of merchandise. They carry a complete line on hand at all times, but this demonstration gave the ladies an idea of how varied the Betty Wales line really is and what beautiful gowns can be procured from them through their local representative.

BUILDING ACTIVITY PICKING UP

That times are getting better in Marfa day by day, can be seen on every hand, by any careful observer, for when you hear the sound of the carpenter's saw and hammer, you can rest assured that there is something doing, and this is the case in Marfa at this time. We find that Gus Raetzsch is having four rooms remodeled, painted and papered in his office building, where Dr. Brown will have his new dental parlors. D. A. Flynt is doing this paper-hanging and painting and S. D. Miller is doing the plumbing work. John W. Howell is having his old home all remodeled and fixed up. Contractor John C. Bean and his carpenters are busy on the job and will soon have the place in fine shape. The ladies of the Marfa Methodist church have closed a contract with John C. Bean to re-model the parsonage adjoining the church. All the rooms are to be finished in hard plaster and newly painted. When finished the pastors home will be neater than ever before. Tom Ballew has been doing some repair work this week on the New Era building and also on the Marfa House. Tom says he is kept quite busy these days doing repair work on different homes. The Buck Building, adjoining the Crown Cafe, has been remodeled and a large front door put in, to be used by the Universal Garage and Repair shop, now under the management of George Randolph and Tom Musgrave. We hear that Contractor Bean is also figuring on several other buildings which are soon to be erected. It is a good sign of the return of prosperity and we hope the good work will continue, for things have been quiet enough in Marfa the past few months.

RETURNS OVERLAND FROM ARKANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cofield and daughter returned Monday from an overland trip to Little Rock, Ark., where they visited with relatives. Mr. Cofield drove a Cadillac car, Mr. Cofield drove a Cadillac car, and unreasonable as it may seem, he experienced not a bit of trouble on the entire trip, not so much as a blow-out. He made the last lap of the trip, from San Angelo to Marfa in just twelve hours. Mrs. Chas. Porter and little daughter of Little Rock, accompanied the Cofields on their return trip to Marfa on avist to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Kerr.

GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING TO VISIT MARFA AND CAMP ALBERTS

All Marfa is delighted with the news that General John J. Pershing of the American Army, will arrive in our city on the Southern Pacific 101 limited next Wednesday afternoon at 5:25 on an inspection of Camp Albearts. He will remain here until the following afternoon at 5:15, when he will continue his trip West to El Paso. General Pershing has been attending the American Legion Convention at New Orleans, La., and while South he will inspect the various Army Posts in the Eighth Corps Area. He will be met at the depot by the First Squadron of the Seventh Cavalry Regiment under Lieut. Col. Frank A. McNarney. In addition, the Local Post of the American Legion will be at the depot to greet the highly honored General; also the entire citizenship of Marfa will be there to greet him. Big preparations are being made by the Marfa Chamber of Commerce and the Carrol Farmer Post No. 151 of the American Legion jointly, to entertain General Pershing while a guest in our city. A big mass meeting was held Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Community Hall, which was attended by a large number of citizens and at which the plans outlined by the Chamber of Commerce were approved. All present at this meeting were anxious to entertain General Pershing with the very best that could be arranged in so short a time. A banquet was decided upon, which will be held at 7:00 o'clock next Wednesday night in the Opera House. It is the intention of the various committees that this banquet will eclipse everything ever attempted in Marfa before, for it is Marfa's desire to do our best in honor of one of the greatest Americans in our country today. The Central committee, appointed by the Chamber of Commerce, have in turn appointed the following chairmen of the various committees that will supervise over the entire entertainment. Each chairman will, in turn, be assisted by other citizens who have been assigned to co-operate with them. Mrs. R. H. Evans, Chairman Banquet Committee. Hans Briam, Chairman Finance Committee. N. L. Casner, Chairman Reception Committee. Mrs. R. B. Morris, Chairman Music Committee. Johnnie Malone, Chairman Transportation Committee. W. J. Yates, Chairman, Service and Floor Committee. John W. Howell, Chairman, Tables and Chairs Committee. V. C. Myrick, Chairman, Wiring and Lighting Committee. George Randolph, Chairman, Street and Building Decorating.

It is the desire of the Chamber of Commerce to have each citizen to do his part in co-operating with the different chairmen appointed in order to insure whole-hearted support to make this entertainment a big success. Every merchant is requested to decorate his place of business with flags and patriotic bunting. Let Old Glory fly from every housetop. Have your homes decorated with flags—also your cars. Each school child should have an American flag to wave; in fact it is Marfa's intention to display the Red, White and Blue like never before. J. R. Nash, manager of the Mitchell-Gillett Co., has ordered 1,000 yards of bunting that he will sell at actual cost, so that all persons desiring to be in line with the celebration, can procure as much bunting as they might need. It is the intention of the banquet committee to have about 300 or 350 plates. Every citizen who wishes to attend this banquet should sign one of the lists which can be found at both banks; the price per plate is \$3.00. This banquet will be attended by both men and women, but no tickets will be sold after Monday evening, October 23rd, six o'clock.

so be sure and get in line for a plate. This invitation is open to any citizen of Marfa, but absolutely no plates will be sold after the time set.

General Pershing will make a speech at the banquet and it will be a treat to hear this highly honored gentleman speak, so make all arrangements to be present. Every business house will be closed all forenoon of Thursday, October 26th. This is done to give everyone an opportunity to attend the field meet out at Camp Albearts, where General Pershing will inspect the troops. Ample transportation will be on hand to take the citizens out to the Post and everybody is requested to attend. It is also requested that every citizen be at the depot Wednesday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock to greet General Pershing when he sets foot on Marfa's soil. It will be a gala day, long to be remembered. The American Legion from Alpine will also be here to greet the General as well as many citizens from adjoining towns.

MURPHY-WALKER CO. SALE A BIG SUCCESS

W. P. Murphy, manager of the Murphy-Walker Company, informs us that the big stock reduction sale put on and managed by J. M. Creath of Connors Sales Co., of San Antonio, Texas, has proven a big success. Mr. Murphy says it is amazing the amount of merchandise that they have disposed of and the way the store has been crowded from the first day of the sale to date. The store has the appearance of a large city business. Additional clerks had to be hired to take care of the customers. Every day there are new specials thrown on the bargain counter, which are bought up just about as fast as they are put on. Thousands of dollars worth of dry goods have been disposed of. Not only has this sale been confined to dry goods, but the grocery department, as well as the hardware department have seen prices cut to pieces. Since going on a cash basis, Mr. Murphy says he thinks his sales have increased and he credits it to the fact that their cash prices on goods are an inducement to buy. Many customers from Fort Davis, Shafter, Valentine and Presidio have attended the big sale and seemed to be very much pleased with the bargains they found. This big sale will continue for one more week and the coming week will be the stem-winder. Mr. Creath says he will put on sale practically everything in the house, at prices that will astound the buying public. See their big page ad in today's New Era. Also look for their circulars this week—there will be bargain upon bargain offered, so be on the lookout and get in on the ground floor.

MORE GOOD STREETS

Day by day the city streets are being improved and put in first-class shape. City Marshal Avant is a very busy man these days supervising the work. The street that runs from the Ft. Davis lane to the L. C. Brite home has been finished and is now an excellent shape. Mr. Avant is also grading the alleys in various parts of the city where he finds it necessary to get the proper drainage. This week he graded the alley from the postoffice to the Crosson home. The city's money could not be put to better use than to use it in building good streets. We are glad to see the good work going on, for every citizen of Marfa profits by having good streets.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH NOTICE

Tomorrow (Sunday) October 22nd, Rev. F. M. Johnson will hold holy communion service at the St. Paul's Episcopal church. Morning service at 11 o'clock and evening service at 7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

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ONE MAN STORE SMALL EXPENSE

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25 years experience in the Jewelry game, a part of which has been in the big stores of San Antonio, El Paso, Beaumont and Bakersfield, California, should be guarantee of my competency. Railroad watch-work; Jewelry Repairing and Expert Engraving my Specialty.

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We are now Heavily Stocked in all COLD WEATHER GOODS

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Woolen Hosiery and Socks in Plain and Sport Styles, also Silk and Wool Shoes for the entire family.

All Grades and Styles in Men and Boys Caps

Gloves in Silk, Cotton and Wool lined, Woolen Knit and Auto Gloves.

We are stocked this year as in past years thus showing our confidence to the public.

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Do You Buy The Best

If so and it is an
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For an Automobile
we ask that you call at
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Prices.

We sell only the best Automobiles
and Supplies that money can buy.

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LOCALS AND PERSONALS

N. J. Hildebrand, speed cop, left for a few days visit to San Antonio.

—Sport Shirting, by the yard.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Miss Essie Thomason of Pleasanton, Texas, arrived Friday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. E. Stroud.

—New Wool Dress Goods.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

George Harper returned Monday from a short visit to El Paso, where he went to spend the week-end with his family.

—Sport hose in wool.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Quite a number of bargain hunters motored over from Fort Davis this week to take advantage of the big Murphy-Walker Co. stock reduction sale.

Hart Greenwood took a run up to El Paso to get acquainted with his new born son. He says he found both wife and baby doing nicely.

—Blankets and Quilts—all prices, new stock.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mrs. Clyde Griffith of Floresville, Texas, is visiting friends and relatives in Marfa. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Griffith.

—Complete assortment of Sweaters for Men, Women and Children.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Bob Russell, son of Bill Russell, arrived last Thursday from Old Mexico, where he and his father have large ranch interests near the city of Chihuahua. Bob says he likes in fine in Mexico.

—See our line of plain and fancy woolen hosiery for Men, Women and Children.—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

—See our Special on Ladies and Childrens Underwear at 48c. a suit.—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

The Borderland Motor Co. delivered this week a new Ford Touring car to the J. M. Radford Grocery Co., of this city.

—Leather and Sheep-lined and moleskin vests at \$6.50 and up.—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. Chas. Porter and little daughter arrived Monday night from Little Rock, Ark., on a few weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnos Kerr.

—Board by the week at \$7.50.—St. George Cafe.

Ramey, Chastain, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. George Chastain, has been quite ill the past week but from late reports, he is now on the mend.

—Munsingwear and Bradley Sweaters for the entire family in wool and cotton.—Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Co.

Dr. J. A. Simpson returned Wednesday morning from a few days trip to El Paso where he went in the interest of his political campaign for Congressman of the Sixteenth Congressional district.

—Make CANOVA your by-word for Coffee. It satisfies.—Griffith Grocery.

When In The Market For
Lumber
Shingles
Paint

Builders Hardware and other
material for construction work
call and see us.

Let Us Figure On Your Bill.

Alamo Lumber Co.
J. F. Fisher, Manager

PURE FOOD

Housewives often make the mistake of thinking that food does not depreciate in in flavor and in nourishment until it is unfit for use. As a matter of fact, it begins to spoil long before that. To have it fresh and appetizing you must keep it ice cold. That is just as true in Fall and Winter as it is in summer.

The cost of keeping milk, meat, butter and eggs in prime condition at this season of the year is so little that no family can afford to be without ice. It melts very slowly during cool weather

Marfa Electric and Ice Co.

Ernest Williams returned Friday morning from El Paso, where he spent several days on business.

—Hallowe'en novelties and masks at Bailey's Store.

C. R. Sutton, one of Marfa's leading attorneys, paid Valentine a professional visit last Thursday.

—Gifts that are different.—Prices that are right—at Bailey's.

Lewis Adams was in from the ranch last Thursday after supplies and to have a chat with friends.

—Everything for baby, at Baileys.

Mrs. Chas Bailey has been on the sick list this week. Miss Annie Williams has had charge of the store in her absence.

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

Mrs. W. J. Yates was the hostess to the regular bridge club at her home last Thursday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served.

—If your wheels are loose, let George Randolph repair them at the Universal Garage.

A son was born to Maj. and Mrs. Daly last Sunday at Fort Sam Houston. Maj. Daly and wife have many friends in Marfa who will be happy to hear of the good news.

—FOR SALE—A 30 Winchester rifle, second hand but in good shape, shoots the Government ammunition. Just the thing for ranch use. These rifles are scarce and expensive. If interested, see Schutze at the New Era.

H. M. Fennell returned this morning from San Antonio, where he has been attending the Whitehead murder trial for several days as a witness. He reports that the case would probably go to the jury late tonight.

10 DAYS ONLY
Special Wearever Sale

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To Get One Now

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We also have covers for these pans at the special price of 20c

Come to our store EARLY and get one of these genuine "Wear-Ever" TWO-QUART Stew Pans at the exceptionally low price of 59c. Try it on your stove and KNOW why it is that more than two million American housewives prefer "Wear-Ever" to all other kinds of aluminum utensils.

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Oils, Paints

Varnishes, Glass

Window Shades

Lumber, Doors

Sash, Shingles

A satisfied customer is our motto.

WEEK'S PROGRAM AT QUEEN

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23RD

Alice Brady

In

"THE KNIFE"

Also

PATHE NEWS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

An R. C. Picture

"THE BIGAMIST"

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

A Paramount Picture

"WHERE IS MY WANDERING BOY
TO-NIGHT?"

Also Star Comedy

"SHOULD WATCHMEN SLEEP?"

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26TH

Same as Wednesday, October 25th

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

Fox Picture

TOM MIX, in

"UP AND GOING"

Also PATHE NEWS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28TH

We Have a High-class Western

Drama

Also Two-reel of the Funniest

Comedy.

—Miss Pickett will teach a class in History of Music beginning next week. Anyone interested may see her at her studio or ring 269. She can also take a few more pupils in Piano, Violin or Clarinet.

Tom Ballew received a letter this week from his daughter, Edna, who is married to Jack Leddie, and living near Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, stating that they like it fine in the big mining camp, where Jack has a fine position. She also writes that the hills around Cananea abound in wild turkey and deer, while the mountain streams are alive with trout and other game fish.

—You will find us ready and willing at all times to do the right thing by our customers.—Griffith Grocery.—The Store of Satisfaction.

OUT IN THE COUNTRY

Out in the country at eve I stole,
To revive my body and renew my soul—
Out in the open beneath the blue,
Where the air is fresh and moist
with dew.

I like to stroll away from the city:
Away from its sorrows and those
I pity,
And from its rush and restless din,
Away from the city that's made
by man.

Out in the country, my native home
Grandly furnished, with plenty of
room:
Away from the city and away from
myself;
Closer to God and closer to His
help.

Let me walk in the country at the
close of day:
Away from the seller and away
from his pay;
Away from the buyer, with his bar-
gain close;
Away from business and away
from its host.

Go, walk in the country and lift
thy thought:
Above what you sold and above
what you bought;
Forget thy poverty or thy gold,
And fling wide open the door of
thy soul.

And sit you down on the near by
heights,
And watch the city turn on her
lights,
And contemplate for just a spell,
The many souls that therein
dwell.

How each one tells his separate
story,
Of life and death and love and
glory:
How the rich and the poor mingle
together,
With little pity one for the other.

And how He who numbers the
hairs in our heads,
Hears every word or prayer that's
said,
And sees the widow as she plies the
thread,
With her hungry children asleep
in bed.

And the rich, with their bank de-
posits,
And the skeletons that lurk in the
closet,
Where one and all can chose and
take
The path that leads them to their
fate.

Then turn thy face toward the
Western glow,
And watch the day take leave and
go:
How he strips from the earth the
garments of light,
And wraps her to sleep in the
mantle of night.

And then in the quiet of the gloam-
ing,
While thy soul is overflowing,
Stroll softly back to the city again,
And shed thy light in the hearts
of men.

Dr A. E. Brown.



Dr. J. A. Simpson is a native Texan. His father, J. H. Simpson, after serving in the Confederate Army during the Civil War, engaged in the mercantile business in Troy, Bell County, Texas, where Dr. Simpson was born January 4, 1874.

Dr. Simpson received his medical degree from Vanderbilt University in 1900, and has practiced medicine and surgery since that time. He has spent most of this time in the Medical Department of the United States Army.

He is a veteran of four wars and campaigns, having served in the Spanish-American war; the Philippine Insurrection; the Mexican Border Campaign, and the World War.

During the World War he saw service in five major engagements, and was wounded and gassed on the front line.

Since leaving the service he has been engaged in the practice of medicine and surgery in the Big Bend District of Texas.

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No Trouble to Show Goods or Answer Questions.

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Buy Your Candies From The Busy Bee Store

Where it's made fresh every day
And Your Trade Highly Appreciated

The Busy Bee Confectionery

O. L. SHIPMAN, Manager

Arthur Kerr and wife returned Friday morning from an overland trip to Fairview, Okla., where they have been visiting the past few weeks with Mrs. Kerr's parents. They encountered mud and rain from Lamesa, Texas, all the way into Marfa. Between Fort Stockton and Alpine they found the road very bad and could not make over twelve miles an hour.

—Our shelves are fast filling up with beautiful novelties from the European markets and the Orient as well as the best in the Middle States. Just the class of merchandise you will need for birthday gifts, prizes and Holiday gifts. Items that are both useful and artistically beautiful. Don't forget the place.—Bailey's Store.

Attention Women!

Three elements enter into every drama—the time, the place, and the girl. In the great American drama—the coming election—note:

The Time

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER SEVENTH, 1922.

The Place

The same polling place at which men in the neighborhood vote. If you will not be at home on election day, prepare in time to vote by an absent voter's ballot.

The Girl

That's YOU! Every woman in the United States is now a voter just as a man is a voter.

Vote the Republican Ticket

Because

1. It gave WOMEN the right to VOTE.
2. It is the protector of the CHILD.
3. It has continually forwarded EDUCATION.
4. It has always been generous with its VETERANS and their dependents.
5. It has made American LABOR the most prosperous in the world.
6. It PROTECTS the INDUSTRIES which supports the home.
7. It has distinctly proved to be a friend to the FARMER.
8. It stands for ECONOMY and has reduced Government expenses many millions a year.
9. It has stabilized conditions so that BUSINESS looks forward to an unprecedented era of prosperity.
10. It has been the Government for most of the past sixty-two years and has made AMERICA the richest, the happiest and the most respected nation on earth.
11. It called, directed and inspired the Limitation of Arms Conference, the greatest victory of the ages for the cause of PEACE. Had the Republican party in all the years performed no other service, this alone would mark it in history as having served a mighty mission.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT.

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 A Big Lot Of All Wool
 Government O. D. Blankets
 Which we will sell at the low Price of
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 The **POPULAR DRY GOODS STORE**

**ARE YOU BUYING YOUR GOODS
 AT HOME?**
 If not, why not figure with our home
 Merchants.
RETAIL MERCHANTS ASS'N.

**A Guaranteed Repair Service
 That Has Stood The Test**
**OUR WORK
 Is The Best
 OUR PRICES**
Are The Cheapest
**Anderson's Gift Store
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 of
Aluminum Ware
 Tea Kettles, Muffin Pans, Roast-
 ers, Waffle Irons, Etc. Also a
 nice line of Cooking and Baking
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FALL TERM BEGINS SEPTEMBER 14.

**PLATFORM DEMAND
 TO BE EXPLAINED**

Texas Highway Association to Con-
 duct Campaign of Education.

Waco, Tex.—The Texas Highway As-
 sociation, with headquarters here, is
 preparing to conduct a campaign of
 education between now and the regu-
 lar session of the Legislature to call
 attention to the full meaning of the
 highway plank in the Democratic
 platform adopted at San Antonio.

The platform declares in favor of
 a State system of highways but re-
 cognizes that without Federal aid such
 a system cannot be built. It then ac-
 cepts the provisions of the recent act
 of Congress, "which declares that in
 the near future Federal co-operation
 in road building will be extended to
 those States only that provide that
 the State, through a properly au-
 thorized and equipped agency, shall
 finance from funds under the direct
 and exclusive control of the State the
 construction, maintenance and op-
 eration of a State system of public
 highways." The platform then adds
 the following:

"We therefore recommend and urge
 upon the 38th Legislature the neces-
 sity for favorable action on all leg-
 islation, whether constitutional or
 statutory, that may be deemed requ-
 site to enable the State to take over
 the construction, maintenance, con-
 trol and operation of a system of
 public highways without prejudice to
 the constitutional rights of the coun-
 ties and of the State."

The Texas Highway Association
 calls attention to the fact that what
 this proposes is to give the State
 Government the authority to construct
 a State "system" and to maintain
 and operate that system. Under the
 Federal law such a "system" shall
 not exceed seven per cent of the to-
 tal post road mileage of the State,
 so far as Federal aid is concerned.
 In Texas this seven per cent sys-
 tem would embrace about 12,000
 miles of highways, touching practi-
 cally every county in the State. The
 authority it is proposed to give the
 State over to this system would not
 interfere with the powers and jur-
 isdiction of the counties over the re-
 maining 93 per cent of the roads nor
 disturb any of their present revenues
 nor their powers of raising revenue.
 The Association points out that it
 is necessary to pass such legislation
 in order to continue to receive Fed-
 eral aid for highway construction in
 Texas, and it is necessary also if a
 State system of highways, such as is
 being constructed in other States,
 is ever to be a realized fact in Texas.

**WILL TEXAS FORFEIT FEDERAL
 AID?**

According to the Texas Highway
 Association, Texas receives five dol-
 lars from the Federal Government
 for highway construction for every
 dollar which this State contributes
 in taxes to the Federal highway fund.
 The other four dollars are paid by
 other States. Texas receives more
 Federal aid for highways annually
 than any other State in the Union.
 But this Federal aid is threatened,
 the association points out, unless the
 laws of Texas are changed to con-
 form to Federal regulations. The
 States that are paying the extra
 Federal taxes being spent in Texas
 have conformed. The association is
 carrying on a campaign to have the
 necessary changes made in our laws.

**HIGHWAY CRISIS
 IS NOT REALIZED**

Highway Association President Says
 Organization Needed to
 Waken People.

Waco, Tex.—The chief reason Tex-
 as is still without adequate highway
 laws, and is now threatened with a
 discontinuance of Federal aid unless
 those laws are modernized, is that
 the facts have never been properly
 presented to the people. In the opin-
 ion of W. V. Crawford of this city,
 President of the Texas Highway As-
 sociation.

And the chief reason for this is
 that there has never been the prop-
 er organization to perform this task,
 he declares.

"The people cannot be expected to
 comprehend the highway situation
 unless somebody places the facts
 before them," says President Craw-
 ford in a statement just issued. "And
 placing such a question before the
 people of a State the size of Texas
 is a big job. That job can be per-
 formed only by means of organiza-
 tion, and organization on a scale is
 keeping with the size of the job.
 The Texas Highway Association has
 been organized to undertake this
 work and it has tackled it with ac-
 cision as to its size. We know
 it is a big job, that it will take work
 and money to get the information
 to the people. And we know that
 it will require the co-operation of
 everybody who is alive to its im-
 portance. We need the co-operation
 of the newspapers, of chambers of
 commerce and other civic bodies,
 and most of all we need the co-op-
 eration of individual citizens who want
 to see Texas go forward and not
 backward. We want every such
 citizen to join the association."

"It is fashionable to blame the
 Legislature when there is failure of
 necessary legislation. We don't think
 the Legislature should be blamed.
 The average member of the Legisla-
 ture wants to do the will of his con-
 stituents. But when his constituents
 have not been informed on a ques-
 tion, when they have false ideas
 about it, we cannot blame a member
 of the Legislature for reflecting that
 condition. We must discuss this mat-
 ter with the people, and that takes
 organization. The man who wants
 to solve our highway problems in a
 way to promote the general welfare,
 therefore, can help in no better way
 than to join the Texas Highway As-
 sociation and thus assist in the work
 it has undertaken."

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF
 PARTNERSHIP AND INTENTION
 TO INCORPORATE UNDER
 FIRM NAME**

Notice is hereby given that the
 partnership heretofore existing be-
 tween the undersigned in the oper-
 ation of a cold drink and con-
 fectionary business in Marfa, Presidio
 county, Texas, under the firm name
 of "The Busy Bee Store," has by
 mutual consent of the partners,
 been dissolved, and it is the inten-
 tion of the undersigned, after the
 publication of this notice for the
 time and in the manner as required
 by law, to incorporate said business
 under the laws of the State of Tex-
 as, without a change of said name,
 such corporation to be known as
 "The Busy Bee Store."
 September 15th, 1922.

J. E. CASNER,
 N. L. CASNER,
 S. W. CASNER,
 R. S. CASNER.

—We are still selling all goods
 that have been in stock some time
 AT COST and BELOW COST. Our
 new goods were bought right, and
 we invite comparison both as to
 prices and quality.—Bailey's Store.

NOTICE TO MY CUSTOMERS

—Beginning on Tuesday morning,
 October 10th, the prices on my milk
 will be slightly increased on ac-
 count of the increased cost of pro-
 duction. Milk will sell as follows:
 Per pint, eight cents, per quart fif-
 teen cents, and by the gallon, fifty
 cents. I ask the indulgence of my
 customers at this slight increase,
 which will stay in effect until prices
 on feed stuff comes down. Our over-
 head expense will not permit me
 to sell my dairy products as hereto-
 fore, so I must charge such prices
 that will be in line with the cost of
 production.

CHARLEY FREEMAN, Proprietor,
 Former Mimms Dairy.

In the United States District Court
 For the Western District of
 Texas, El Paso Division

In the matter of)
 Mendias Bros) In Bankruptcy
 Bankrupts) No. 306

**NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY SALE
 OF REAL ESTATE**

I, A. S. Gold, the duly qualified
 trustee in the above bankruptcy pro-
 ceedings in obedience to a certain
 order of C. R. Isaacks, Esq., Referee
 in Bankruptcy, issued on the 21st
 day of September, 1922, will sell at
 public auction to the highest bidder
 for cash, the following described
 realty:

All of lots 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32,
 Block 27 of the town of Marfa, Pre-
 sidio County, Texas. The North
 2-3 of lots 11, 12 and 13 and all of
 lot 14 in Block 26, of the town of
 Marfa, Presidio County, Texas,
 between the hours of 10:00 a. m.
 and 4:00 p. m., on Monday, October
 16, 1922, at the door of the Court
 House of Presidio County, Texas, at
 Marfa, Texas.

A. S. GOLD,
 Trustee in Bankruptcy.

POSTED

—This is to notify the public that
 my pasture just north of town is
 posted and no hunting will be tol-
 erated therein. This is final and all
 violators will be prosecuted.
 W. A. MIMMS.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Murphy Walker Company
 wishes to make the announcement
 to their customers and friends that
 they will go on a strictly Cash Basis
 on Monday morning Oct. 16.

We will close our books on Satur-
 day night Oct. 14th but will con-
 tinue our charge accounts up to
 that time, and on Monday morning
 Oct. 16th this firm will sell on cash
 basis only, and will have all goods
 marked at cash prices.

We want to extend our hearty
 thanks and appreciation for your
 patronage and kind support you
 have given us in the past and ask a
 continuance of same on our cash
 business.

Soliciting your business, and
 promising you Quality goods, cour-
 teous and efficient service, on cash
 basis. We are, Yours very truly
 Murphy Walker Company

ATTENTION PUBLIC

—Owing to the steady increase in
 the most of feed stuff and the lack
 of grass in my pasture on account
 of the drouth, I am compelled to
 advance the price of my dairy prod-
 ucts slightly. Beginning on Tuesday
 morning, October 10th, the following
 prices will be in effect: Milk, per
 pint, eight cents, per quart fifteen
 cents and per gallon, fifty cents.
 These prices are consistent with the
 cost of production and as much as
 I hate to increase the price of my
 milk, I am forced to do so under
 existing circumstances.

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Mens Flanel Shirts \$1.85	42in. Pillow Tubing 34c	EXTRA! EXTRA! Monday morning begining at 9 a. m. we will place on Sale for just ONE HOUR 10 1-4 Monarch Sheeting At 42cper yard. 81x90 Pepperall Sheets - - - \$1.48 FROM 2:30 TO 3:30 Monday Only.		1 Special Lot Royal Gray Enamel Ware On Sale at 58c	4 lbs. X X X X Coffee 88c
Mens and Boys PANTS At a Bargain.	Mens Dress Shirts 14 to 16 Special \$1.32	And each day during the continu- ance of this Sale, which is just a few days more we will place on Sale values beyond these.		SPECIAL MONDAY 1 Lot of Grey Enamel Ware at 99c	Laundry Yellow Soap, 30 bars \$1.00
10-4 Pepperell Sheeting 52c	Mens Dress Shirts 14 to 15 1-2 Special \$1.49	COME DAILY.		SPECIAL MONDAY 1 Lot of Enamel Ware at 38c.	40 lbs. New Irish Potatoes For Only \$1.00
One lot Womens Low Quarters SPECIAL \$1.98	Ladies Durham Brand FIBER SILK HOSE 49c	Special in MENS SUITS \$8.00 \$14.00 \$15.00 \$16.50 \$19.00	Mens 1-2 Fire Silk Hose, Durham-Baand SPECIAL 49c	Alumenum Self Basting Roasters \$6.00 Values \$4.48	4 lbs Jewel Compound Lard on sale at 4lbs 61c. 8lbs. 1.13
One Lot Womens High Tops SPECIAL \$1.78		Bargains in Mens SHOES.	Ladies Union Suits one lot Special \$1.38		All Dishes On Sale at Cost Prices.

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MARFA'S FIRST ENDS IN DEFEAT

Marfa Hi's football team played the Fort Stockton aggregation today, the score being 19 to 0 in favor of the visitors.

With only two weeks of stiff practice behind them, Marfa Hi found the experienced club from Fort Stockton with lots of fight and the small score tells the tale more than anything else. It was a good, clean, hard-fought game from start to finish. The Marfa Hi team is to be complimented for its first football game and the players have told everyone to "watch their smoke" in the next game.

HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB

Last Thursday afternoon the Household Science Club met with Mrs. Jack Rawls at the ranch home of Mrs. Tom Rawls.

Twelve members reported present and one guest, Mrs. Chas. Porter attended.

It was a very interesting meeting. The report showed that forty dollars were added to the Tourist Camp fund by the recent sale of Queen theatre tickets.

The lesson, "Harmony of Dress," was led by Mrs. J. A. Hoffman.

A delicious course of refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Harry Hubbard entertained the regular Forty-two club last Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the home of Judge and Mrs. W. W. Bogel. The home was beautifully decorated with pretty white chrysanthemums. Four tables were arranged for the players. Mrs. M. E. Bownds and Mrs. N. P. Barclay were guests.

Refreshments, consisting of pear salad, cheese sandwiches stuffed with hot tea and cake were served.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and the good people of Marfa who were kind to us during the recent illness and death of our little baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee S. Evans, Capt. and Mrs. J. B. Gillett.

WANTED—Salesman for Marfa and vicinity. Commission contract only, for spare or full time. We will teach you to sell income protection through our free school of instruction and help you build a profitable business. Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company, Accident and Health Department, Saginaw, Michigan. Capital, \$1,500,000.

The Sixth and Seventh grade pupils of the Marfa school painted the window display cards advertising today's football between Marfa and Fort Stockton. The cards were indeed neat and right up-to-date. Some were more artistic than others but every card was a novelty in itself.

—Young woman desires position as tutor in private family. She holds permanent certificate and has had experience in the best city schools of Texas. Can teach music also. If interested address the Marfa New Era.

—Fall Goods arriving daily at—Livingston-Mabry Co.

CHICKEN SUPPER

"It is an ill wind that blows nobody any good." The boys in the Sunshine Class of the Methodist Sunday school were the favored ones in the last "sand storm." It must have been an East Texas wind for it was laden with chicken. The boys had won in the class contest and were given a chicken fry by the losers—the girls. On Saturday evening at 6:30 all chicken lovers were stacked on trucks and trundled out to Jones' pasture.

The proverbial man asserted himself immediately—food was demanded and it instantly appeared. Chicken! No man need ever fear to trust his fate into the hands of any of the girls that were present, for verily they are good providers. No one knows how many chicken roasts were completely destroyed but it must have been several. In addition to chicken there were pickles, fruit salad, coffee, cake and ice cream.

Later in the evening a special stunt program was given: Miss Williams featured latest siren calls, Charlie Thomas, the latest angles in printing.

Everyone managed to turn in by twelve, perfectly contented and satisfied with such a "wild life."

MISSIONARY SOCIAL

Tuesday afternoon, October 17th, the Young People's Missionary Society attended their social meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Rosson.

The hostess welcomed the guests at the front door and ushered them into the warm living room, which was beautifully decorated with white canopies and where five card tables were arranged for the players. In a short space of time everyone was sharing equally in the excitement of the game of buncle. After playing eight games, a delicious course of refreshments was served to the twenty members present.

It was now growing late and cold, so the grateful guests reluctantly took their leave, after bidding their kind hostess goodbye.

THE NINTH GRADE CANDY PULL

The Ninth Grade girls and boys and a few invited guests, gathered at the Community House Friday, October 6th, for a candy pull.

Fudge, Patience and taffy were made.

After the candy making, games and popular music were enjoyed by all.

At the late hour of eleven o'clock all departed saying that they had enjoyed their first party very much.

NEW SPORT IN HIGH SCHOOL

The High School students have found a new sport this year. Every time it rains the study hall is turned into a swimming pool, and we have the most delightful times. If it should ever happen to rain very long, we fear swimming will have to be given up and boating started.

Many have had to hang their desks on account of the water and books have also been ruined.

We would appreciate very much if these leaks in the roof could be patched up, as we would rather walk to classes than swim.

—The Shorthorn.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

B.T. Corder of Sanderson, was a visitor in Marfa this week.

—Buster Brown School Shoes, the Very Best, at Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ware Ford were up from the ranch Friday on a shopping trip.

—Just received—a big assortment of Sweaters for ladies, men and children.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Orr Kerr and wife left today for El Paso, where Orr will take the Shriners degree.

—For that ravenous appetite, we have the remedy. Phone us your wants.—Griffith Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson were in from their ranch Friday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ake.

—Ladies Coats and Dresses—new stock—Prices Very Low.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mrs. Bob Speed returned this week from an extended trip to Shafter, where she visited with relatives.

FREE—El Paso distilled water for your batteries, at J. B. Davis filling station.

A. S. Gage of San Antonio, and a large ranch owner of Brewster county, was in Marfa on business this week.

Rubber Stamps made to order. Send us your copy.—New Era Printing Co.

J. E. Casner of Alpine, Texas, was a business visitor in Marfa last Thursday. He reports business in the sister city as holding its own.

—Am selling out all my stock of Men's shirts, worth from \$2.50 up to \$10.00, at half price and less.—Schutze's Cozy Corner Store.

J. B. Scott, manager of the Murphy-Walker Grocery department, is in San Antonio attending the Whitehead murder trial as a witness.

—**APPLES! APPLES!** Starks Delicacies, Phone 195.—E. H. Carlton at the Jordan Hotel.

Mrs. Jack Casper and two little sons left Friday for her home at Del Rio, after spending two weeks in Marfa, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weber and family.

—"Book of Knowledge," 20 volumes, for sale at a bargain for cash. Apply or phone New Era office.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Bunton and little daughter were up from the ranch for a few days visit to relatives and friends.

—All the late styles of Onyx hose, silk and wool sport hose in the new shades, at Bailey's Store.

Mrs. Frank Rosson entertained the Young Ladies Auxillary of the Methodist church last Monday afternoon at her home. All reported having had a good time.

—**FOR SALE** at a bargain, for cash only, 20 volumes "Book of Knowledge" Cost originally \$90.00. Good as new. Apply or phone New Era office.

H. E. Middleton left Tuesday for his home at Phoenix, Arizona, after spending several weeks visiting in Marfa. While here he was the guest of Judge and Mrs. W. A. Wells.

—**FOR RENT**—October 1st, furnished or unfurnished cottage. Enquire at the New Era office.

Bill Cotter, brother of Mrs. Frank L. Anderson, stopped over in Marfa last Friday en route home to Alpine from California, where he had been visiting. He is carried away with the grandsons of the Golden State.

—Oregon City Blankets, the best— at Livingston-Mabry Co.

News has been received from San Antonio that Harry Young will have to undergo an operation for gall stones. He has had several X-ray examinations made and his ailment thoroughly diagnosed. He is registered at the Gunther hotel. N. G. Hildebrand is in San Antonio with Harry and will care for him during his illness.

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Meets fourth Thursday night in each month. Visiting companions welcome.
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3rd Tuesday night 3rd Degree
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\$390,000.00 GIVEN T. C. U. BY EIGHT WEALTHY TEXANS

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Texas Christian University held in the office of Harry H. Rogers of San Antonio, six men, representing some of the largest business interests in the Southwest, together with two other business men, pledged themselves Friday to give a total amount of \$390,000.00 to the University, which is sponsored by the Christian church of Texas of which these men are members and active workers in their districts.

Rev. Hugh McClellan, in speaking of the large amount raised said: "To the best of my knowledge it represents the largest amount ever made up on an hours notice by any six men in the State of Texas."

The gift which was made without any conditions attached to it, will be used for two purposes. The actual debt of the college will be paid off to the amount of \$165,000 and an endowment of \$225,000 is to be made with the remainder.

The occasion of this conference of capitalists was to devise means to celebrate the 50th anniversary of Texas Christian University, which takes place next year. No more fitting manner of celebrating the jubilee year of the university could be observed than by paying a part of the remaining principal and adding to the school endowment, thought the members of the directing board of the T. C. U.

In addition to this large gift by the board, a sum of \$275,000 will be campaigned for in the various Christian Churches over the State. Those making the donation placed no restrictions upon its acceptance but expect to see the remaining \$275,000 pledged by the congregations in the denominational churches of Texas.

Informal discussion governed the meeting, at which the following men were present: E. M. Waits, president of Texas Christian University; Sam J. McFarland, prominent banker of Dallas; Van Zandt Jarvis, Fort Worth financier; Ross Stirling, president of the Humble Oil Company; David Reed, Austin cotton broker, and Malcolm Reed, also of Austin.

Tom Reed, wholesaler of Beaumont, and Luke Britte, extensive ranch owner and cattleman of Marfa, were not at the meeting, but expressed themselves as in sympathy with the movement and took part in the raising of the money to be given to the school.

A new campaign will be mapped out in the near future, allotting the different church districts their portion in the \$275,000 to be added by congregations. It is expected that little trouble will be met in receiving pledges for the above amount.

—San Antonio Express.

RETURN FROM LONG AUTO TRIP

Judge and Mrs. K. C. Miller and little son, Henry, returned Monday from quite an extended trip thru North and East Texas.

They report having had a wonderful trip, which they enjoyed immensely.

While away they visited San Angelo, Waco, Dallas, Stephenville, Ft. Worth and many other cities, and during the entire trip the only mishap they encountered was a broken spring.

They found the roads very good in spite of the fact that they are extensively used by tourists at this time of the year.

Between Alpine and Fort Stockton they experienced a little difficulty on account of the recent rain, which made the road very slippery and it was hard to keep the car in the road.

DEATH OF INFANT

Last Sunday afternoon at four o'clock, little Betty Evans, the two weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee S. Evans and grand-daughter of Capt. and Mrs. J. B. Gillett, passed away quite unexpectedly at the home of her grandparents.

Heart failure was given as the cause of the child's untimely death. Mr. Evans, the father just arrived from his home in El Paso one hour before his little daughter passed to the shores beyond.

The New Era joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Evans in expressing our deep heartfelt sympathy in their great loss.

Henry W. Reynolds returned last Friday morning from a business trip to Sanderson. He found that the recent rain had pretty well covered the entire stretch from Marfa to Sanderson.

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