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## MIDLAND FAIR PLANS WELL UNDER WAY

### LARGE CROWDS EXPECTED AND ENTERTAINMENT BEING ARRANGED

Under the direction of the Midland Hereford Breeders Association and the South Plains Hereford Breeders Association there will be held in Midland during the month of October a fair and stock show of unusual interest to all people in our section of the State. Midland is far famed for her fine stock and this show will bring into our pens the finest cattle in this section. On the 25th of October the Midland Hereford Breeders Association will show 500 grade Hereford feeder calves. These calves will be sold on the day following in carload lots to the highest bidder.

The firms showing registered cattle on the 26th will be the following:

B. N. Aycock & Sons; L. B. Cauble, of Big Spring; E. T. Cobb, of Garden City; Hardy Morgan, of Lamesa; Henry M. Half; John M. Gist & Son; Rhodes & Smith, of Odessa. With this large and representative group of men showing it means success for the exhibit of fine cattle for they have among the finest in all Texas in their herds. In addition to these there will be other men to exhibit their cattle whose names we were not able to secure.

On the 26th there will be sold at auction 40 head of these cattle, contributed by 12 breeders, all members of the South Plains Hereford Breeders Association. Col. Fred Reppert, of Decatur, Ind., has been engaged to auction these cattle and thus a speedy sale is assured as he has the well deserved reputation of being the best and fastest seller across the block in the whole nation. It will be worth a trip to the grounds to hear him cry this auction if for no other reason. In addition to these shows it is being planned to have entertainment for the large crowds expected. Let us make this a great fair.

## THE POPULARITY OF AND WHAT RADIO IS

Interest in Radio continues to grow in Midland, and the local selling agency, Midland Light Company, is getting many inquiries. Mr. Williams, the manager, has one installed in his home, and that neighborhood is now nightly entertained with good concerts, music, lectures, world-interest announcements, etc. Especial attention is called to the advertisement of the Midland Light Company, which appears in another place in this paper, and in this connection we are reproducing the following article, which appeared in a recent issue of Southwestern Machinery:

### What is Radio

Radio is now playing such an important part in the center of the stage that we may all learn with pleasure and profit just what it is.

At a stockholders meeting of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, April 15, 1922, in his annual report President H. B. Thayer told what radio is. Here's what he said:

"In the ordinary alternating current electric light and power circuit, such as used to furnish light to homes and power to factories, the periodicity of the electrical current is almost universally sixty cycles per second. At this low periodicity or frequency practically all of the electricity energy is confined to the wire system and none of it radiated into space. However, by sufficiently increasing the frequency or period of oscillation of an electrical circuit and by suitable circuit arrangements a large portion of the electrical energy generated may be radiated into space as electro-magnetic waves. These electro-magnetic waves travel through space with the speed of light and have frequencies varying from around 15,000 to several million cycles per second."

There you are. We're going to take issue with Mr. Thayer. In fact we've always thought radio was something like that.

Seriously speaking, whether we are able to understand the scientific phases of radio or not, we can understand its message, and that is enough. We

don't have to know the technical phases of its operation.

In the afternoon the farmer gets market reports from all the world, by radio, as soon as they are known to anyone, and in the evening over the same instrument the farmer's family enjoys musical concerts by the world's masters. When it rains on Sunday, the farmer doesn't have to vacillate between bad roads and no church; he just decides where he wants to attend church—in Dallas, Memphis, Milwaukee, or Boston—turns a key and presto! his family hears, even participates, in the services.

A great thing is radio; not a thing to supplant wire service, we are told but to supplement it.

Elkin Bros. had a large shipment of cattle this week, billed for points near Des Moines, Iowa, going direct to the feeder. The Reporter was unable to get a full report of the shipment, but probably will for our next issue.

Commissioner Will Gates, of Andrews County, was in Midland this week. Reports the range dry, but cattle doing well and will go into the winter in good flesh.

John Scharbauer left the latter part of last week for his home in Ft. Worth, after being here and at Fort Stockton on business.

## A FORMER MIDLAND CITIZEN FOUND DEAD

W. G. Graves, age about 45 years, was found dead in his room in the 700 block of North Breckenridge Avenue Sunday morning about 11 o'clock and had been dead 12 or 14 hours when discovered.

Neighbors found the nude body of the man in the room on the floor with his head in a wash tub of water, which was about six inches deep.

An inquest by Justice of the Peace J. W. Castleman yesterday gave the verdict "death by epilepsy and drowning."

Graves was a bachelor and lived alone. All indications were that he was bathing when stricken.

It is said there was no evidence of foul play.

Surviving deceased is his mother, Mrs. A. C. Graves, in Salem, Arkansas, and a sister, Mrs. W. B. Spence, at Merkel, Taylor County, Texas.

The body will be shipped by the Barrow Undertaking Company to Merkel for burial.—Breckenridge American.

Graves was well known in Midland, where he resided a number of years. His affliction, epilepsy, was well known, too, and it is not surprising, but no less regrettable, that he died as a result of accident.

## DISTRIBUTION OF OUR NATIONAL WEALTH

According to the National Bureau of Economic Research, the national income in 1918 was \$61,000,000,000. There were in the United States at that time about 21,000,000 families. If this national income were equally distributed, it would provide for the support of each family about \$2,900 per year. But that of course was not the average income. According to the same authority, half of the national income of \$61,000,000,000 went to 22 per cent of the people; the other half was divided among the 78 per cent. Five hundred and twenty-one persons reported an income tax purposes single incomes of over \$500,000, totaling \$536,439,618. These 521 persons at the top received as much income as the two million at the lower end of the income scale. So rapidly has the concentration of wealth progressed that according to the best figures obtainable 2 per cent of the people now own 60 per cent of the wealth; 33 per cent of the people 35 per cent of the wealth, and 65 per cent of the people own 5 per cent of the wealth. Can America safely permit further concentration of wealth? Much of this enormous wealth has been gotten honestly and fairly under our present laws. But is not there some other way we can reward economic service than by money?

Frank Harding, of Lovington, N. M., was in town this week, for a day or two on business.

Frank Williams is out on the Holt ranch, helping to build a new home for Frank Cowden.

## MAKING BIG THINGS OUT OF LITTLE ONES

In a recent issue of System, the president of the Holeproof Hosiery Company told a very interesting story about the beginning of that great business whose products are now consumed throughout the world, writes Southwestern Machinery. Continuing:

He said that a great many years ago this country was swept with agents selling home knitting machines. His father bought one of those machines, and whereas nothing ever came of a majority of the machines sold, his father seemed to have a knack of operating this machine and actually made it pay from the beginning.

This little home knitting machine was the beginning of the Holeproof Hosiery Company.

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A few days ago the Roxton News printed a story that appeals to us as being a striking example of what can be accomplished by community spirit, teamwork and co-operation.

The story was as follows: "Some 20 years ago several bankers and business men met in a conference in the town of Rocky Ford, Colorado, for the purpose of finding a way to push their town forward. The town seemed to have got into a rut and it was doing nothing out of the usual in any line.

"Somebody suggested that they persuade the farmers to specialize on cantaloupes. The bankers pledged special support to the movement, and the farmers were persuaded to take it up. This led that town to gain a reputation all over the country for growing cantaloupes. From a little

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## CHURCH REFUSES TO ACCEPT RESIGNATION



Rev. O. J. Hull, who has been pastor of the Baptist church in Midland for the past four and one half years, tendered his resignation to the church on last Sunday at the morning service, same to take effect at the convenience of the church.

This act on the part of the pastor came as a very great surprise to many of the congregation. After he read his resignation he retired and left the matter for the church to act upon. The church was called in conference and to prayer by Deacon C. S. Karkalits, who had been appointed moderator, but it seemed that every one was so effected, many being moved to tears, no one was able to lead in the prayer. Finally a motion was made and carried that the matter be deferred until Wednesday night at the prayer meeting hour.

We understand that the church met

in conference on Wednesday evening with the larger part of the active membership present, and after a thorough discussion of the work of the pastor, it was voted unanimously to reject his resignation, and we understand that every legitimate means is being used by the membership of the church to induce Rev. Hull to stay in Midland with the church.

He has lately received a call from the Baptist church at Gatesville. At this time he, Rev. Hull, has not publicly announced what his decision in the matter will be.

## REVIVAL SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Plans have been made for a series of revival services at the Presbyterian church here. The services are to be under the leadership of Rev. A. F. Cunningham, D. D., assisted by Mr. C. L. Cunningham, who will have charge of the singing. Rev. Cunningham, who has recently accepted the work of Synod's evangelist, has been one of the successful pastors of the State, holding pastorates for a number of years each at Belton, Temple, and San Angelo.

Mr. C. L. Cunningham, who will come with Rev. Cunningham as a singer, is a brother of Rev. L. O. Cunningham, pastor of the Lovington and Seminole churches. The meeting is planned to begin on Sunday, October 1st.

## CATTLE TRADE ACTIVE HOGS, LAMBS HIGHER

Chas. M. Pipkin, general market correspondent of Kansas City, writing from that point on Monday, Sept. 18th, notes that the upturn in hog prices which started last week continued this week, with an additional gain of 10 to 15 cents. The top price was \$9.55 and bulk of sales \$9.10 to \$9.50. Cattle receipts though smaller than a week ago were about normal for the third Monday in September and trade remained active with no quotable change in prices. Sheep and lambs sold readily at last week's high price levels.

Receipts Monday were 31,000 cattle and 9,000 hogs, and 6,000 sheep, compared with 35,000 cattle, 8,000 hogs, and 9,000 sheep a week ago, and 30,925 cattle, 7,300 hogs, and 18,900 sheep a year ago.

Fed cattle were in light supply and prices were quoted strong to 15 cents higher. Some choice steers sold up to \$11. Short fed, wintered summer grazed and best grass fat steers were in active demand at strong prices. Common to fair quality grass fat strong prices steers were steady. The general market was in fairly good position. Improved labor conditions, more fuel in sight and the general view that the movement has reached maximum proportions were factors that inclined the buying side to a more active trade. Cows and heifers were quoted strong to 15 cents higher. Veal calves were generally steady.

An improved outlook in the car situation together with a moderate decrease in receipts compared with a week ago stimulated demand for stockers and feeders at strong prices. Most of the thin cattle came from the southwest. There was a good showing of quality.

Hog prices Monday were 10 to 15 cents higher than last week's close, and 75 to 85 cents higher than the low point of the season two weeks ago. The upturn in the market started a week ago and from the strength evident in demand today the rise in prices will continue. The top price today was \$9.55 and bulk of sales \$9.10 to \$9.50. Pigs sold at \$8.50 to \$9.25.

Native lambs sold at \$13 to \$13.50, and Arizona lambs \$13.25. No western lambs arrived, but choice kinds would have brought \$13.85 to \$14 or a new high price for the season. The general market was quoted strong to 25 cents higher. Sheep were steady.

About 100 horses and 300 mules were in sight for this week's auction. Inquiry was fairly large, and an active trade is anticipated.

Relatives have heard nothing definite relative to the condition of E. F. "Pa" Elkin, who was taken to the Temple sanatorium last week. Final examinations were expected to be conducted yesterday, we understand. In the meantime friends are devoutly hoping he may soon return to us, fully restored to health.

## NEAR EAST LECTURE VERY INTERESTING

### CONDITION THERE ILLUSTRATED TO LARGE AUDIENCE IN THE RIALTO

Last Sunday evening the three churches of Midland dismissed their usual services and all gathered at the Rialto Theater to hear an illustrated lecture by Dr. Tucker on the work being done by the Near East Relief Association. The service was opened by the singing of "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" and then prayer was offered by Rev. I. H. Teel of the Christian church. Dr. Tucker had a four reel picture showing the type of work being done for the Armenians and these reels made a silent yet impressive appeal to all to help these suffering people. During the running of the picture Dr. Tucker explained the many points of interest and thus made the picture more interesting. A silver offering was given during the picture, to be sent at once to the relief of the American girls who are working over there without compensation. They are now cut off from supplies by the advance of the Turkish army and are suffering for food.

Dr. Tucker also made an appeal through the women's organizations of the different churches for old clothes to be shipped to the Near East people whose only covering now is possibly an old grain sack. There will be many boxes of these old garments and shoes leave here, in fact it has been predicted that there will be a full car load of clothes out of Midland alone.

It is one of the worthy things that Midland has been called upon to support and all persons should esteem it a privilege to contribute what they can. Near East relief work is infinitely more worthy than contributing to beggars that infest our streets from time to time, many of whom deserve nothing at the hands of the public.

## YOUNG PEOPLE OFF TO SCHOOL AND WHERE

Elsewhere in these columns we mention the departure of many students to various colleges. Fearing we may have overlooked some we have a list this morning, furnished by Supt. W. W. Lackey, of our city schools, and are publishing it. The list tells who are going and where. It follows:

- To University of Texas—Franklin Whitefield, Mayer Half, Thord Dockray, Jim Gage, Golden Donovan, Herman Klapproth, Kathleen Eiland, Lenora Whitmire, Lillie Pliska, and Jessie Hale.
- To C. I. A.—Margaret Caldwell, Mabel Holt, Elsie Wolcott, Lady Connell, Leola Bigham, Betty Trammell, and Frances King.
- To A. & M.—Leslie Floyd, Jay Floyd and Carroll Coyle.
- To Baylor University—Bryan Hull and Geraldine Cowden.
- To Simmons College—Minta Aycock and Jessie King.
- To Baylor College—Gladys Buchanan.
- To Southwestern—Marion Allen.

On Wednesday, last, Mrs. Henry Thompson sustained a major operation. At this time she is reported to be in a most promising condition and it is expected that she will soon be restored to health.

Mrs. C. Q. Sewell, wife of our Elite Cafe proprietor, sustained a major operation a week ago today. Friends will be pleased to know she is getting along nicely.

The 7-year-old daughter of Fred Trulove and wife was operated on for appendicitis last Monday, and the little lady is now doing very nicely indeed.

Dr. L. B. Pemberton returned this week from Sweetwater, where he attended the West Texas Dental Association meeting. While there he was given a most important subject for the next annual meeting to be held in San Angelo.

Tourist travel increases through Midland daily, and dozens pass us every day. We are being advertised as a place of no camping accommodations, and such a reputation is not going to do Midland any good.

## CARTERS

### KNIT UNDERWEAR PLEASE



The Underwear of undisputed quality, and once you wear a Carters Union you will always call for them in preference to all others.

We ask that you give us an opportunity to show you the merits of this wonderful line of underwear.

Not high priced—but moderately priced  
We can fit the entire family

We have bought our fall merchandise with the view of giving to our customers the very best of quality at the least possible price, but we never sacrifice quality.

## LADIES READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT

We are very enthusiastic over this department, and the rapidity with which merchandise has been selling from this department, convinces us that we have the right garments at the right price.

Our racks are not full of last season's merchandise either.

Yours for Better Service,

# Midland Mercantile Company

Grocery Phone No. 6      Dry Goods Phone 284

"The Appreciative Store"

## APPEALS TO FARMERS AND BUSINESS MEN

COMMISSIONER TERRELL URGES CONDITIONS JUSTIFY 30-CENT COTTON

Geo. B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture, reviews the cotton situation and urges bankers, merchants and farmers not to force cotton upon the market, depressing the price and causing heavy losses to the producers. He said: "I do not advise, I give facts and sensible men ought to reach sensible conclusions. The cotton crop this year, as estimated by the government in the report of September 1st, indicates a yield of 10,375,000 bales. The Texas crop is estimated at 3,644,000 bales, which I believe to be one million bales too high. The reports furnished my office from reliable men in all parts of the State indicate a crop of 2,462,400 as compared with a crop of 2,179,145 last year. The average cost of producing this cotton crop is estimated to be 22 cents per pound. The spot market is below this price now, and cotton has lost more than five dollars per bale in the last few days, caused by the rapid gathering and selling of the Texas crop.

This crop is several million bales short of the world's needs, and every consideration justifies a price of thirty cents.

I appeal to the farmers, merchants, and bankers, not to force all the cotton upon a declining market, causing lower prices, and the loss of millions of dollars so badly needed to pay the farmers' debts and revive the business of this country.

The total crop of the South last year was 8,039,675 bales. The domestic consumption and exports for the year just closed are 11,799,381 bales, or nearly 4,000,000 bales more than was produced last year. The big surplus of 1920 is practically used up. The crop this year will possibly not reach ten million bales, or nearly two million bales less than consumption this year.

Nothing could keep the price from going to 30 cents, if it were not dumped upon the market as fast as picked.

Don't take my word for it. Consider the facts I have given and take the word of P. H. Naughton, a cotton manufacturer, as published in the Daily News Record of New York.

He says: "The world's annual requirement consumption of cotton is 20,000,000 bales. This quantity of cotton cannot be produced today from the cotton growing countries of the world. A liberal estimate of the world's cotton crop for 1922 would be about 15,500,000 bales. The United States will produce about 9,000,000 bales. With all due respect to Mr. Wallace, United States secretary of agriculture at Washington, and his various theoretical bureaus, issuing kaleidoscopic estimates for Wall St., fluctuating, liquidating, profit-taking, erroneous big crop estimates emanating from Washington are prejudicial and a deterrent factor in the dry goods business. The legitimate business in dry goods is halted by, 'crying big crop of cotton, lower prices.'

All cotton growing countries indicate poor crops—cotton famine is inevitable. The whole world wants cotton. The world is hungry for cotton goods. Middling cotton will sell at 30 cents before the beautiful snow flies.

In view of these undisputed facts, it seems to me that the business interests of Texas and the South, which must depend upon cotton for existence could not afford to force this crop upon the market at prices less than cost, causing a loss of millions of dollars to the farmers, and all interests dependent upon the cotton crop. As soon as pressing debts are paid, all interests should unite to stop the rapid sale of cotton, and the price would reach 30 cents in 30 days if the sale of cotton could be stopped that long."

### NOT ALL ARE IN ALABAMA

Birmingham has been beset with an epidemic of whippings. According to one statement, made by Birmingham citizens in an address to the municipal commissioner of safety:

It has come to pass that to beat a man up, take him away from his family and flog him unto death, and even to murder a man, is a mere pastime, free from danger. We understand the mob spirit running through the community. We understand your limitations, your small police force. At the same time we are impressed that a larger force would probably not greatly mend matters. Any force you could get would be too small, and hence we appear, representing some thousands of good citizens from every every walk of life, to make the fight with you. The men associated in the movement will undertake to help you find the criminals; but more than that, they will furnish every protection to witnesses to the end

that the murderers, beaters and floggers get a swift trial and justice.

Since that offer, a tremendous mass meeting of law-abiding citizens has been held in Birmingham and arrangements have been perfected to clear the name of the city of stigma which has attached by reason of the scourgings. It is said that scores of people, both men and women, have been taken out by masked gangs and whipped. The people of Texas can not plead ignorance or inexperience with regard to such occurrences. Houston and Dallas and Fort Worth know altogether too much about such things. Fortunately there was a lull in whipping operations in Texas. The fact that the lull came during the primary campaign and terminated shortly thereafter may be purely fortuitous, just as the fact that Alabama has been especially favored in the organization of invisible government may be co-incidence only.

However such things may be, there is no denying that Birmingham has suffered because of these whippings a loss which it will take a long time to live over. People don't care to move to a city where the knout is in social vogue and the assault of citizens is considered commonplace. There are many businesses now seeking locations which consider such disorders indications of an unsafe risk. Confronted with conditions of this sort, they go elsewhere. Birmingham faces this attitude and is acknowledging frankly that it is just, as indeed it is. Birmingham has no desire to be a city of programs and vendettas. Birmingham is for stamping out the floggings and jailing the floggers. But the lesson for Texas is that not all the floggers are in Alabama. Nor are the business, civic and social losses resulting from their operations confined to Alabama.—Dallas News.

### SOMETHING ABOUT SUL ROSS NORMAL

The Sul Ross State Normal College is the State's educational provision for that vast section commonly referred to as "Southwest Texas." The State has been generous with this infant institution as is shown by the following facts: More than \$200,000.00 has been spent on buildings and equipment. The grounds, 110 acres, were donated by a generous, big hearted ranchman, W. B. Hancock. For the coming year, the faculty totals 23 teachers and officers. All teachers of both academic and special subjects are college graduates and of the number ten have masters degrees, from the universities of the United States.

Alpine is in the Davis Mountains and occupies a broad sweeping valley surrounded on all sides by lava capped peaks. The college buildings occupy a position above 4,500 feet with a view of the town below and a wonderful mountain panorama for a horizon. This section has long enjoyed a wide reputation for its delightful and healthful climate. Truly it would be difficult to overstate the delightful year-round climate of this Texas Alpine region.

Young people who need 10th and 11th grade work will find it offered as the normal school work. Two years of college work is provided for those who are high school graduates.

Since this is a State built, State equipped, and State maintained institution placed in this section to serve this section, we believe you citizens should have this brief statement of facts.

Do the ladies of the Invisible Eye wear these invisible eyebrows?

Birmingham's "flog-the-floggers" campaign may soon develop into a merry-go-round attack.

Tillie Clinger says that last night she dreamed she was a candidate for office, and when she waked up she was shaking hands with the bath towel.

### Uncle Si Moralizes

Uncle Si Perkins moved his chair to keep pace with the creeping shade of the store awning and resumed his discussion of the divorce problem. "When I was a little chap," said he, "my pa had a practice o' buying' sugar by the barrel. When a new barrel was fatched home, he'd tell us chaps to dig in an' eat all we could hold, an' we done it. Once we got filled up, we didn't want no mo' sugar fo' a spell an' he knowed we wouldn't be stealin' it.

"Gittin' fed up is what makes this here divo'ce business. Love is kind o' like excitement. It's mighty thrillin' fo' a while, but it ca'ms down after a bit. When married folks gits to naggin' at one another, the' ain't nothin' wrong except they done got fed up. Keep 'em apart fo' a month an' they'll kiss like they done on the' honeymoon.

"Lots o' folks gits a divo'ce when all they needs is a vacation."

# 100 Cents Value for a Dollar Basis of this Business

Never before so early in the season have we enjoyed such a wonderful business and the basis of this, the reason for it, is our value-giving, a hundred cents of value for every dollar.



## ON SALE SATURDAY MORNING

And as long as there is any of these left, we offer twenty-two of the choicest hats we have had this season, ranging in price as follows: Four hats at \$11.00 and \$11.75; three hats at \$12.50; three hats at \$13.75; eight hats at \$15.00; three hats at \$16.50; one hat at \$18.75. Choice of this lot of hats

# \$9.85

Please note that only the higher priced numbers are reduced and these for quick selling.

New Numbers are constantly arriving in the Millinery section and we invite you to see the new ones from day to day.

## A Showing of the New Fall Dresses, Suits and Coats that surpass any previous effort

This store has certainly outdone itself this season in its assembly of the wonderful new fall lines of Ready to Wear.

### Featuring Wooltex and Peggy Paige

And at no time since pre-war days have prices been so appealing as you will find here this season.

Dresses of all wool Tricotine, Perlet twill and all wool serges begin as low as \$6.85, \$11.85, \$12.50, \$16.75, \$18.75, \$19.85 and up to \$39.75.

Wonderful suits are priced at \$22.50, \$26.75, \$29.85, \$32.50 and up to \$59.00.

Never has there been so wonderful a display of coats in the community as you will find here at \$18.75 to \$59.00.

We invite you to inspect these and know that you will be delighted



## Special Values Offered for Saturday Morning and the Following Week

Take advantage of these business-building, trade-making specials. They are intended for you. Get the habit of shopping at this store, it is a money-saving habit.

### \$7.50 Patent Pumps \$3.95

19 pairs of this one strap cut out design, covered Spanish heel, patent leather pump, one of the season's favored design. Priced to close, for Saturday and one week, the pair.....\$3.95

### Two-Clasp Kid Gloves \$1.19

A very special value in this two clasp, over-seam, real kid glove in black and brown, sizes 6 1-2 to 8, offered Saturday morning and for one week, at the pair.....\$1.19

### Extra Value Gingham 35c

Full 32 inches wide, smooth, soft finish, colors fast, patterns are new and clear cut. The quality is the same as brought 50c the yard last season. A very special value at the price offered, the yard.....35c

### 32-Inch Solid Gingham 12 1-2c

We have accumulated too many solid color gingham and to clear these out, have selected such as we can best sacrifice and offer them special for Saturday. These are all regular 25c and 35c values and will go quickly at, the yard.....12 1-2c

### Yard Wide Percales 19c

Every piece of this warranted absolutely fast color and every piece of this is a regular 25c value. Twenty new fall designs from which to select. The yard.....19c

### Palmolive Hard Water Soap 5c

Just received ten more cases of this wonderful value in the best hard water soap we have ever seen. Remember this is put out by the Palm Olive people and they guarantee it to contain the very purest ingredients, absolutely pure, the cake.....5c

## Extra Special Value in Misses Sport Suits of Tweed

in sizes 13 to 18-year, made of all wool tweeds, of combination plain cloth and plaid to match. Skirts are pleated, jackets in both slipover and tuxedo styles. One of the most wonderful suits for school wear and the biggest value we have ever offered at.....\$9.85 and \$11.75

### Yard Wide Outings 20c

No more outings that cut to such poor advantage and take so much more yardage. Buy the new yard wide outings in dainty patterns of pink, blue, tan, lavender, stripes, checks and plaids. The quality is splendid and the price very little more than the narrow width...20c

### Children's School Shoes

Send the children to this store for shoes, both boys and girls; they will be properly fitted in good shoes that we warrant to give satisfactory wear and at a saving to you. \$1.85 to \$4.00 for boys and girls' shoes and Oxfords.

### Children's School Sweaters

The new season's assortment of school sweaters for boys and girls is larger and better than we have ever shown before. Coat style, slip-over style and Tuxedo styles; these are priced at \$1.95 to \$6.85. Men's and women's sweaters of all kids, at \$1.95 to \$11.85.

THIS STORE ASKS FOR YOUR BUSINESS ON A BASIS OF BETTER MERCHANDISE FOR LESS MONEY.

### Winter Underwear

Stocks of winter weight underwear for all the family are complete and the values are the best we have shown in many seasons.

# Wadley-Wilson Company

MIDLAND, TEXAS

ONE PRICE THE LOWEST FOR CASH ONLY

# Every Commercial Account

Large or small—given our very best attention and all of the courtesies and services which go hand in hand with a connection here.



**First National Bank**  
Midland, Texas



## Job Insurance

Some employers refuse to hire men who have never saved money. It is their belief that anyone who has not learned to save something out of past earnings will not progress. A good bank account is always an asset in forming new business relations. It is even of greater value as a safety factor against the possibility of unemployment. Let us suggest ways for building up a strong bank account.



**Midland National Bank**  
Midland, Texas

## LITTLE PROGRESS IN THE PECOS OIL FIELD

Following is the report of the Pecos oil field, as given by the last issue of the Pecos Enterprise:

### Willoughby Well

C. H. Willoughby, manager of the Willoughby Petroleum Company interests, was in town Wednesday and stated to the Enterprise that they hoped to have a complete water shut-off by the end of the week. Most of the rock which prevented the casing from going down had been successfully shot away with dynamite and the work was progressing satisfactorily.

Owing to the very encouraging formations and prospects for an oil well at an early date drilling will not be renewed on this well until a complete water shut-off is made.

### Hershenson Well

The Hershenson well has had a fishing job during the past week, having lost their 1800-pound bit. Recovery of the bit was made, and the drillers are now in El Paso having it rethreaded. Work will be resumed the first part of next week.

### The Laura Well

According to the best information obtainable drillers at the Laura well of the Sunshine-Federal interests were again filling the hole yesterday with clay and adobe in order to get enough of this mixture in the hole to mud off the quick sand which has been coming in as fast as they could take it out. It is understood that Messrs. Granger and Green have ventured to promise some real good news from this well by next publication day.

### The Bell Well

After striking another strata of water in the Bell well and successfully shutting that off the drilling crew there is busy today, according to reports from the office of that company, trying to handle the immense gas pressure so as to use what is needed for fuel and in some manner get rid of the balance so that it will not interfere with the workmen.

### LAME EVERY MORNING

A Bad Back is Generally Worse in the Morning. Midland People are Finding Relief

A back that aches all day and causes discomfort at night is usually worse in the morning. Makes you feel as if you haven't slept at all.

You can't get rid of kidney backache, until you reach the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for weakened or disordered kidneys—have been gratefully recommended by thousands.

Testimony of Midland people proves the merit of Doan's.

Mrs. B. W. Lee, Midland, says: "I was troubled with an attack of lumbago. Mornings I could hardly get up my back was so sore and stiff and I had to brace myself in getting out of bed. I got terrible headaches and the least thing upset me as I was so nervous. Another thing that bothered me was the irregular action of my kidneys. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and on using two boxes I was rid of the misery of lumbago and all the other symptoms. Occasionally now I take a few Doan's to keep my kidneys normal and always buy them at Taylor's drug store."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Lee had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. adv 50-25

## OIL DEVELOPMENT IN BIG SPRING FIELD

The Big Spring Herald reports on oil operations in that vicinity for the week past as follows:

With the La Sure well No. 1 north of Westbrook, and a mile or so south of the Morrison No. 2 and T. & P. No. 2, both commercial wells, showing to be a real producer the outlook for this field continues to grow bright indeed. Oil has been flowing over the top of the casing the past few days—not sufficient to cause it to be classed as a gusher—but sufficient to cause oil men to conclude that it would make at least 200 barrels per day on pump—and it is an especially high grade oil. It was planned to give the well a shot in an attempt to cause it to flow a greater production but the inspector of the oil division of the State railroad commission has ordered that it not be subjected to a shot. Plans are going forward to arrange for storage and to place the well on pump.

On account of the slump in the price of crude there is not much interest in oil development just at present. If this well had been showing as it now is about two or three months ago, there would have been a grand rush to the Westbrook section. As it is, the development work is going to be carried forward but at a slower pace. The number of deep tests now going forward in the Westbrook and Iatan section will prove up a large territory—but it will take an enormous gusher to attract any attention to the field while the present slump in the oil business is in evidence.

### In the Westbrook-Iatan Section

It is stated that the Underwriters Company are planning to start one new test well per month in the Westbrook territory since the fine showing made by La Sure and T. & P. No. 2.

T. & P. No. 2 is being rigged up to be placed on pump and it is thought will prove a better well than Morrison No. 2, which has been pumping about 180 barrels daily since it has been brought in.

The Etta Brennand is drilling below 3290. This well had a good oil showing at 2590 feet and a good gas showing around 3100.

The Murphy well is being cleaned out and will be placed on the pump.

The Jones No. 1 of the Maxwell-Johnson Company is drilling right along and will soon reach a depth when developments may be expected.

The Capps-Lucas No. 1 and Stewart No. 1 are not drilling just at present due to a water shortage.

The Fensland Company's Read No. 1 is drilling and is being watched closely as much is expected from the test.

We were unable to secure late reports on other tests in the Westbrook Iatan section.

### At the Enders-Cushing Test

The drill is being sent down slowly in the Enders-Cushing well No. 1 on the W. F. Cushing ranch on account of the hard formation, and the further fact that the officials of the company believe that they will soon penetrate a productive oil sand.

The lime formation is showing to be considerable darker and more bituminous. They are drilling around 3970 feet and it is planned to give the well a shot within a few days if the formation continues as at present.

All the officials of the company as well as the workmen on the job are optimistic over the outlook for bringing in a good producer.

### At McDowell No. 4

Drilling in a hard lime formation is the report from McDowell well No. 4, of the General Oil Company. This well has reached a depth of about 8720 feet and the formation seems to be softening slightly.

The crew at work pulling casing at Neal well No. 1 have been making progress this week, and have recovered the eight and ten inch casing.

### Notice of Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between S. H. Stamps and J. D. McDurmon and doing business under the firm name and style, City Meat Market, did, on the 11th day of September, 1922, dissolve by mutual consent, the said S. H. Stamps selling his entire interest in said business to the said J. D. McDurmon, and the said Stamps is now and since the above date in no way connected with said business. All accounts due City Meat Market are to be paid to the said J. D. McDurmon, and likewise he is responsible for and will pay such obligations as City Meat Market may have incurred.

Witness our hands this 11th day of September, 1922.

S. H. STAMPS,

J. D. McDURMON,

adv. 51-4tpd.

## PATRIOTIC ADDRESS TO TEXAS LEGIONAIRES

"Service" is the motto and business of the Salvation Army today just as it was during the war, Lieut. Col. George Wood, commander of the Salvation Army in the Southwestern division, told former service men recently when he addressed the Texas State convention of the American Legion at the meeting in Waco.

Col. Wood conveyed to the Legionnaires the "heartfelt greetings and felicitations of your buddies of 1917 and 1918, the Salvation Army," and said that the friendship born amid the stress of those days in the front line trenches shall continue unbroken and bearing fruit through the years to come. The motive that actuated the Salvation Army in going overseas, he said, was only that of service.

"I want to assure you," Col. Wood continued, "that 'service' is still our motto and business in the world, and when the service is asked by a man who belongs to the Legion or who has his discharge papers, our instructions are to go the limit in our endeavor to give him the needed aid. Throughout this country last winter when so many were out of employment we were enabled to help our buddies by the thousands and this we will continue to do. If there is any way in which we may be of greater service to you and your organization, let us know."

"I want to take this opportunity of expressing our strong gratitude for the splendid help in return you have rendered us. I never see a buddy in civies throw his bit on the old drum in the open air services, but what I say, 'there are the doughnuts coming back.'"

Col. Wood expressed the hope that the Legion "may more and more become a force in our country for the building up of a genuine sense of responsibility among our citizenship, both native and foreign born, to the end that the sacrifices made in France shall not have been in vain, and that the torch of patriotism, brotherhood and liberty thrown to us by our buddies who paid the supreme price shall be carried forward."

## THE FARMER'S RIGHT TO A JOYOUS EXISTENCE

Of course the man on the farm lives more cheaply than the man in the town. It is not so easy for the farmer to spend money. There is no fifty-cent moving picture show inviting his purse every night, there is no 50-cent ball game or \$1 matinee almost constantly asking the patronage of himself and his family in the afternoon; a thousand other things which are regarded as necessary expenses of town life are not found in the country.

But if the farmer spends less than these so-called "advantages" of modern life than town people spend, says the Progressive Farmer, is that any

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reason why he should receive less for his day's work? Rather should he not receive equal pay for his work and be able to use his surplus in developing in the country a compensating and parallel system of advantages adapted to the conditions of rural life—public and private libraries, individual and community music, community meeting places for music, sports, recreation, community drama, etc.?

In short, the public must not assume that all the agencies for social pleasure are the peculiar right and privilege of the town worker, and therefore no allowance need be made for such expenditures in the country. On the contrary, the farmer must demand and get such wages as will enable him to realize upon the profound declaration which former Secretary of Agriculture David F. Houston once made to the writer:

"The farmer is entitled to a joyous existence."

Among the inalienable rights that our Revolutionary ancestors named as the heritage of every freeman are "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." But to what extent, we may ask, has the pursuit of happiness been recognized as a right of the American farmer, the farmer's wife, and the farm children? Too often the farmer has been abused because—receiving a decent wage for once in his life during the world war and just after—he indulged in the purchase of a cheap flivver! And even the flivver in this case was two-thirds an agency of business, for it saved him and his teams much valuable time by his quick trips to market, and only one-third an agency of pleasure—whereas the majority of town cars are almost exclusively pleasure cars.

The public must indeed recognize "the farmer's right to a joyous existence" including reasonable recreation, social inter-mingling, music, play, and a vacation once a year.

## MARVELOUS GAIN IN HUPMOBILE SALES

WEST TEXAS DISTRIBUTOR SEE WONDERFUL FUTURE FOR INDUSTRY

What would you say if your business showed a gain over last year of 2000 per cent? Not 200—two thousand!

Well, that's just the good news that J. R. Overstreet's August report brought to him—a gain of 2000 per cent in Hupmobile sales in West Texas over August of last year.

And best of all Mr. Overstreet attributes his remarkable record to consistent, unremitting newspaper advertising.

"Of course," says Mr. Overstreet, "I realize that conditions are on the improve all over the State, but I can not attribute the remarkable gain in Hupmobile sales to this condition alone, otherwise all other lines of business and all other motor car distributors would be feeling the same reaction."

"I learned through careful experimentation that to create a market that would consistently grow, I had to give printer's ink an important place in my selling organization."

"Well," concluded Overstreet, "figures talk, and I believe the Hupmobile gain in sales for August of this year over those of a year ago will stand for some time as a real business record."

## Frequent Headaches

"I suffered with chronic constipation that would bring on very severe headaches," says Mrs. Stephen H. Kincer, of R. F. D. 1, Cripple Creek, Va. "I tried different medicines and did not get relief. The headaches became very frequent. I heard of

## Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

and took it for a headache, and the relief was very quick, and it was so long before I had another headache. Now I just keep the Black-Draught, and don't let myself get in that condition."

Thedford's Black-Draught (purely vegetable) has been found to relieve constipation, and by stimulating the action of the liver, when it is torpid, helps to drive many poisons out of your system. Bilioussness, indigestion, headache, and similar troubles are often relieved in this way. It is the natural way. Be natural! Try Black-Draught.

Sold everywhere.

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## A BIG TIME FOR BUDDIES IN TULSA

90TH DIVIS'N RE-UNION THERE NEXT WEEK WILL DRAW BIG CROWD

The Texas-Oklahoma veterans' re-union of the 90th Division scheduled here for September 25-26 is arousing a great deal of interest among the ex-service men. This Tulsa, Okla., is planning to entertain them royally and the officers of the 90th Division Association have some special stunts that will appeal to all the buddies.

Headquarters will be maintained at the Hotel Tulsa. Great emphasis is being placed on the social and entertainment features and the business sessions will not last more than a few hours.

Mr. Frank Bryan, of Tulsa, chairman of the committee on arrangements, announces that the chamber of commerce committee is enthusiastic over the convention plans. "The former service men," says Mr. Bryan, "appreciate more every year the opportunity to renew friendships formed in service. It is taking them a few years to get the true perspective of their service and to laugh as they live over again in memory and remember the hardships of the old days."

Continuing he explained that he was just in receipt of a telegram from a rump banquet of 90th Division men that was held in Waco, on September 13th while the American Legion Convention was in session, to the effect that Texas would be well represented at the re-union.

More than 50 of the 90th Division men took part in this rump banquet, including Major Sim Souther, of the 358th Inf., Major Ike Ashburn, now civilian commandant at Texas A. & M., Major Fred Lemmons and Arthur J. Reinhart, secretary of the 90th Division Association. Major Fred Lemmons was assigned to duty with units that remained in Germany long after the 90th was relieved from the army of occupation, and Major Lemmons returned to the United States only a few weeks ago. He is authority for the statement that the 33 bucks a month which the doughboy gets in Germany will buy as much as the pay check of a shave-tail in the U. S. A.

All men who were in the 90th Division are urged to attend the re-union and a good time is assured to everyone.

## BUSINESS OUTLOOK GREATLY IMPROVED

R. G. Dunn & Company's weekly summary of general business conditions follows in part:

The business outlook has been measurably improved by the progress recently made in adjusting protected labor controversies.

The resumption of coal mining after months of curtailed or suspended operations, the ending or abatement of strikes in the New England textile field and the announcement of a partial settlement of the railroad troubles are developments which can not fail to benefit conditions generally. Recovery already has come quickly in some quarters where the labor difficulties had caused a distinct setback and the increased production at mills

and factories and the return to work of many employes who had long been idle will substantially augment the public purchasing power. As the end of the summer approaches and with industrial disturbances being eliminated or modified, there is more disposition to undertake commitments which have been held in abeyance of various uncertainties and buying anticipation of forward requirements now is enlarging in some instances.

While the prevailing policy remains one of conservative action, confidence in the future is a conspicuous feature and the forecasts of a broadening of activities after the strikes are fully settled, reflect a strengthened sentiment. The unsettled European situation, with sharply fluctuating exchange rates, is an obstacle to a full measure of progress in domestic business, yet the abundant grain crop and easier financial conditions in this country are constructive forces whose effects may conceivably be manifested in a further extension of the commercial revival.

Despite the restraints and hesitation resulting from the labor troubles, encouraging advices have come from different trades and geographical sections, with prospects in the south improved by the higher prices for cotton and good returns on some other products.

The weeks' failure record is featured by the fact that the number of defaults for this time of a year, shows a reduction from the 1921 total, there being a decrease of 30 insolvencies. Dun's comprehensive list of wholesale commodity quotations reflects a continuance of the rising tendency, 47 advances comparing with 23 declines this week.

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#### SUCH IS LIBERTY

Where the spirit of the Lord is there is liberty.—Paul.

We are constantly and always in the service of either good or evil, love or hate, God or devil.

There can be no halfway ground, no compromise, no neither-good-nor-bad deeds.

All that is done or said counts on one or the other side of the spiritual ledger.

Every word or deed is either a credit or a debit. In the service of the Master one can not carry water on both shoulders; he can not go up and down, east and west, at the same time. "Ye can not serve God and Mammon."

Every day is a new page in the book of life. It begins with a clean, white sheet, but how different it is when nightfall comes, even when we strive our utmost to keep it unspotted!

What an amazingly disappointing record we would discover of ourselves were we at the close of each day compelled to read an impartial and faithful record of the day's words and deeds! And how greatly that disappointment would be intensified were there a record of our thoughts also!

"The heart is deceitful above all things and desperately wicked." Thus we find that only those whose hearts are aflame with love for God and His children could possibly be satisfied, or even partially so, with their words and works of a day. There are few in deed, did they not know they were reading a record of their own making, would recognize it as theirs. In deed, it is doubtful if they would believe it to be theirs were it not presented in a way that would leave no doubt. The loving heart will be constantly striving to be helpful—doing loving deeds, serving humanity, obeying God. This thought is given splendid emphasis by George Eliot in these words:

If you sit down at set of sun And count the acts that you have done,

And, counting, find One self-denying deed or word, That eased the heart of him who heard—

One glance most kind That fell like sunshine where it went, Then you may count that day well spent.

Only in obedience can liberty be found.

Only in true service can we find rest.

"The glorious liberty of the children of God" referred to by the Apostle is that liberty which comes of their obedience to Him. The rest offered by the Man of Galilee, who was never idle, was that rest which He promised when He gave the invitation, "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

Real happiness is found only in right living, and it is as necessary to do the right thing morally as it is to take physical exercise, and is of vastly more significance. Vain, valueless and pitiful indeed must be that life which does not find its work; which makes no particular effort to do some thing promotive of the common good; which does not undertake to comfort some heart; to allay some pain, to encourage some discouraged one each day!

The frivolous, airy, frothy life is

a failure—worth nothing to the world or to the one who lives in it. Such a one is eating husks while believing they are substantial food.

"The life that counts must toil and fight; Must hate the wrong and love the right; Must stand for truth by day and night—

This is the life that counts."

Idleness always, sooner or later, brings trouble. The old adage that "An idle brain is the devil's workshop" contains much of truth; and idle hands are just as sure to do evil deeds as the idle mind is to conceive them. The mind of the idler is not occupied with good; if it were it would get busy and do something really worth while. The idler's mind is sure to dwell too much on sinful things; his feet are sure to lead him into sinful ways; his hands are sure to perform sinful deeds. The ancient wise man was right when he said of man, "As he thinketh in his heart, so is he." It is absolute truth. Indeed, what a man thinks is what he is. That sinful deeds are the result of sinful thoughts is inevitable. Men were given minds to use and use rightly. The ability to think—that which makes man God-like—was not given us to think evil. No talent was given to aid us in the achievement of sinful things, and doing nothing is little less than doing wrong—it is doing wrong conceding that there is such a thing as sins of omission.

#### WOULD BE SECOND TO NONE

James Shelley, Phoenix, Sent to West Point, Wishes to Be First-Class Officer.

President Harding has appointed another World War veteran to West Point. James Shelley of Phoenix, Ariz., told a "white lie" and at sixteen was enlisted as a regular in the army. He served nine months overseas with the artillery. He is now a "plebe" at the academy where after four years' hard work he will be graduated a second lieutenant.

The stuff that is Shelley's and which made him enlist when under age evidenced itself when he answered the telegram of West Point officials who asked: "What is your ambition?" Shelley had to make his answer in seven words, but it was to the point. He said: "I want to be second to none."

#### FOR LEGION POST IN KOREA

Application for Charter is Made to the Legion's National Organization Department.

An application has just been received for a charter for an American Legion post in Korea by the Legion's national organization department in Indianapolis. There are 15 persons eligible for membership in Korea and the application bears the names of those 15 persons. The local post will have its headquarters at Kwangju, Chosen. The post in Korea is being organized by M. L. Swineheart, treasurer of the South Presbyterian mission in that country. In his letter accompanying the application for a charter, Mr. Swineheart said: "Please have the application acted upon as quickly as possible as we have good reason for wanting to get busy and get the post organized into a going concern."

It is unfortunate that some World War veterans in the United States, where it is harder to stay out of the Legion than it is to get into it, don't get some of this enthusiasm manifested by their erstwhile comrades in arms in far away Korea.

Another way to prevent our citizens from being whipped to a frazzle is to urge the floggers to soak the rope's end first.

### BURDEN OF TAXATION SHIFTING TO THE POOR

The burden of taxes—the responsibility of paying the expenses of government—is being rapidly shifted from the shoulders of the rich to the shoulders of the poor, and all because of the iniquitous laws which permit the issuance of tax-free bonds and securities, writes Farm and Ranch.

It was recently related in Farm and Ranch that the will of the late Jacob H. Schiff disclosed the fact that more than two-thirds of his many millions was invested in tax-free securities. Had his wealth been taxable, he would have paid the federal government over \$600,000 annually in income tax instead of approximately \$150,000, while his State, city and county taxes would have been three times greater. Furthermore, his great wealth would probably have been invested in industry which would have provided work for many thousands.

James J. Hill left an estate valued at \$12,000,000. The net income from this estate amounted to \$365,000. The executor invested the estate in tax-free securities and increased the income to \$730,000, by avoiding paying a just portion of government expense.

The amount of money invested in tax-free securities in the United States is not known, but it is variously estimated from fifteen to thirty billion dollars, and the loss to the federal government alone amounts to more than \$600,000,000 annually. The loss to cities, counties and States is equally as much, if not more.

Besides the fact that the power to issue tax-free securities encourages extravagances in public expenditures, it increases the interest on other securities, according to the best authorities, to the extent of over \$100,000,000 annually taking that much money out of the pockets of those who must borrow to conduct their legitimate enterprises. It keeps billions of dollars out of the legitimate channels of trade and is one of the prominent factors in increasing the cost of living.

The poor man may say: "I do not pay taxes, why should I worry?" But the poor man pays the tax in a higher cost of rent because the landlord must receive a net income from his investment equal to or greater than the income from tax-free securities. He pays it in a high cost for clothing; for machinery and the tools of his trade—in fact for everything for which he buys. He pays an amusement tax and a lot of other special taxes which would not be necessary if all the money invested in tax-free securities paid a fair portion of government expense.

A law prohibiting tax-free securities would probably raise the rate of interest on the Federal Land Bank bonds, but in the end the farmer would profit because of a reduction of his taxes on income and on the things which he purchases.

S. H. Purcell made a business trip to Big Spring this week.

Homer Epley is a pleasant visitor among his friends this week.

J. S. Hereford, of Dallas, was a business visitor in Midland last Saturday.

Hon. Dayton Mezes, of Ft. Worth, was in Midland this week on legal business. He is the attorney for the State Cattle Raisers Association.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ethridge are moving this week to the Poole ranch south.

B. R. Adams, court stenographer, is visiting his father in Central Texas.

Mr. Hayne, representing the Rock Island railroad, is in Midland this week soliciting business for his road for the shipping of cattle.

S. H. Purcell and daughter, Mrs. C. E. Lange, returned Sunday from Fort Worth. Friends of Mrs. Lange will be glad to know that she is convalescing rapidly from a recent operation.

Chas. Dublin has returned to his ranch west, after spending a week in Midland with relatives and on business.

Frank and Jess Prothro are both at work on the building of a new home for Frank Cowden on the Holt ranch, known as the Dunn place.

If clients were rich, there is no telling what lawyers wouldn't charge.

And if it is true that the cause of our baldness have been found, we hope the cure doesn't require a monkey operation and a lot of publicity.

Probably the Sing Sing convicts who ran a still inside the prison are being "held."

### GETTING A LINE ON THINGS YOU CAN DO

At best, man is an egotistic creature, says Southwestern Machinery. We all think we can do a lot of things that we can't, and some of us waste much valuable time worrying about the things we can't do. But the first and foremost failure is the fellow who tries to do everything, and never learns to do anything well.

We all recall Switzer's doctor who thought he was a good automobile mechanic and eventually was spending more time mending cars than people. When a good doctor came along he took the practice of the community, and when a regular automobile mechanic opened up a garage he got the automobile business, and the old doctor was left without a job.

Andrew Carnegie attributed his success to his ability to select men to do certain things better than he could do them himself. Henry Ford is an outstanding example of a successful man who has hired men to do things, while he was stuck to the task of planning things for these experts to do.

The man that makes a success is the one that finds something that he can do and learns to do that thing better than anybody else. His services are always in demand.

Dr. Frank Crane, the great philosopher, whose inspirational sermonettes are read by millions every day, has written a wonderful sketch on "What I Can Do." It has food for thought for all of us. He says:

"As I begin to take stock of the years and their attainments I have become more and more conscious of the many things I cannot do.

"I can write passably enough to make a living and can make a fair speech. That is about all.

"I cannot dance or sing a song, or play a piano.

"I cannot run a race on foot or excel in wrestling or jumping or athletic exercises.

"I cannot manage any piece of machinery from a tack hammer to a locomotive.

"I cannot add a column of figures correctly and never hope to be able to do so.

"I cannot tame wild animals, break a horse or train a dog.

"When I go to lay a book on the table I am never certain that it will not fall off.

"I love chess and games of cards, but play them all poorly.

"When in Italy I used to buy a one lira ticket in the national lottery every day for a period of some months and never won a solitary prize.

"I cannot fix a clock or hang wall-paper, or paint a picture, or put up a stove pipe with any degree of success.

"I was never able to become popular in a club, party, church or community, so that I was never elected to anything in my life, except to some position no one else wanted.

"I am wholly deficient in the power of competition.

"I am fond of women, but have never been popular among them so that I could really call myself a ladies man.

"When I was young I had as many ambitions as there are divisions of human activity. At different times I thought I would be a lawyer, a physician, a botanist, an entomologist, a Greek scholar, a professor of modern languages, a business man, a great orator, a writer of novels and plays, a wit, a politician, and a preacher.

"One by one I have taken in my sails. By infinite experimentation I have discovered that there are but a few simple things that I can do.

"The world has assisted me in making this discovery by the very simple method of paying me for what I can do and ignoring me for what I cannot do.

"I suppose everybody, in a way, undergoes this process of coming to himself. And the man who arrives is to be congratulated, even if he finds out that the one big thing other people are willing to pay him for doing is laying brick or trimming whiskers.

"I sometimes wonder how many people really find their pigeonhole.

"Emerson said: 'Few men find themselves before they die.'"

#### FIRST PRIZE STORY IN JUDGE'S WEEKLY

In carrying a woman down the ladder from a burning building, Pat, a gallant fireman, slipped and fell to the ground. The woman following landed heavily but safely upon the prostrate hero. A doctor summoned pronounced Pat uninjured.

"You're a brave gentleman," said he. "Brave, begorra, but no gentleman," said Pat, rubbing his injuries, "or I'd of let the lady go first."

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#### GREAT PICTURES SHOWN THIS WEEK AT RIALTO

There has been no lack of entertainment at the Rialto this week and ever since they have moved into winter quarters, for that matter. This week especially has been a good one. "Beyond the Rainbow" was a masterpiece and the scenic effects were very beautiful. An all-star cast presented this play and the acting was artistic and showed a new phase in filmdom.

Pauline Frederick was shown in a vehicle early in the week that brought this wonderful woman out in a most fascinating style. As the character of a highly intelligent woman with a great amount of common sense and far-sightedness Miss Frederick displayed a character that was entirely natural with nothing of the modern flapper to disgust and nauseate sensible people.

"A Certain Rich Man" on Wednesday night was another play that was "different," and Mr. Newton is to be congratulated upon his selection of such plays.

Tuesday night "The Girl with a Jazz Heart," by its name would make you think something flappery. Well, the flappers were there, all right, but the work of a young girl from the rural districts made all the flappers flap their wings and flap out.

We can truly say that the moving picture is undergoing a change.

#### SPENT MONTHS IN AN ASYLUM

New Zealand Government is Probing Case of Subject Imprisoned at Elgin, Ill.

The New Zealand government is investigating the case of Robert M. Thompson of Christchurch, World War veteran, who has just returned to his home in New Zealand, after having spent several months in the asylum for the insane at Elgin, Ill.

Thompson came to the United States after having his health shattered in the war. Acting on the advice of the Canadian government, which looks after New Zealand military pensioners in America, he called at the office of the veterans' bureau in Chicago. A week after Thompson first called at the office of the bureau, he says that he found himself a regular inmate in the asylum at Elgin, receiving very poor food and indifferent treatment.

He finally succeeded in smuggling letters out to a former college friend who took the matter up with the asylum authorities. His release was arranged on the condition that he leave the United States immediately.

#### Carrying On With the American Legion

Jesup, Ia., with fewer than 800 population has 130 American Legion members.

Strangers seeking help in Correctionville, Ia., must be passed on by a committee of leading citizens, the business men and American Legion posts of the city have decided.

Out of 550 men 276 were found to have some kind of physical disability in a canvass of former service men in Clay county, Iowa, conducted by the American Red Cross and the American Legion.

A delegate at the state American Legion auxiliary convention at Cedar Rapids, Ia., was enthusiastically applauded when she stated on the convention floor that she was "German in birth but wholly American in spirit." She had two sons in service.

The Arabs traded with India in 1000 B. C. What close traders they were is shown by the fact that neither side has recovered financially yet.

#### WILL THE SORGHUMS POISON LIVESTOCK?

A reader, says the Progressive Farmer, asks: "Will orange cane or sorghum kill or injure horses or cattle in any way?"

Under certain conditions the sorghums sometimes develop a deadly poison (prussic acid) in sufficient quantities to kill livestock that eat even a small quantity of the plants. It is also claimed that Sudan grass and Johnson grass, which are non-saccharine (not sweet) sorghums, also sometimes develop this poison, but it is probably safe to state that the sweet sorghums more frequently develop the poison than do the non-saccharine sorghums, although it is comparatively rare than any of them poison livestock.

The poison seems more likely to develop in the second growth, especially if this second growth is stunted by dry weather or other causes. In fact, a stunted growth, or injury of the growth from any cause seems to favor the development of the poison. It is rare, if it ever occurs, that there is any poison in sorghum when it makes a free, or rapid, or natural growth.

There is no record, so far as we can find, of sorghum made into hay or silage injuring livestock in this way.

It is so rare that poison develops in sorghums that it is doubtful if this should lessen the growth or use of this excellent forage crop for the south. But when the growth is stunted and especially when the second growth which comes on after it has been cut once is stunted in any way care should be exercised in grazing such stunted growth while it is green. It should not be grazed under such conditions unless first tried out with an animal of little value. Possibly the best plan is not to pasture a stunted growth of sorghum, but to wait until it starts growing freely again or to make it into hay.

#### THE PIONEER

"He is swart from the glow of the merciless sun, And his muscles are sore from the work he has done; He has builded his home where the prairie wolves roam— He's the Hower, the Blazer of Trails."

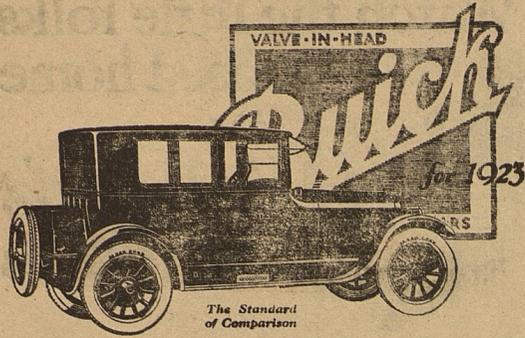
"He is crude with the strength of the seeker of toil; From the hot, barren wastes he is gathering spoil For a nation that lives from the bounty he gives— He's the Builder, the Winner of Ways."

"Where the silent wastes bake in the summer's hot glow, Where the forests are choked in the shroud of snow, By his brain and his brawn a new nation is born— He goes forward to conquer new realms."

"And the world has its heroes of lace and gold braid, That are honored and wined for the waste they have made; But the world little knows of the debt that it owes To the Hower, the Blazer of Trails."

**A Pronounced Success**  
The uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the relief and cure of bowel complaints, both for children and adults, has brought it into almost universal use, so that it is practically without a rival and as every one who has used it knows, it is without an equal. adv Sept 1st

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For touring to the "Big Game" this fall, driving on the boulevard, or slipping along a country road in the hazy sunshine of Indian Summer, this smart new Buick six cylinder touring sedan offers a degree of comfort that cannot be surpassed.

Long and low in appearance, it affords perfect riding ease and comfort for five passengers. Its well-knit chassis, new cantilever springs and strong frame take up the jere and jolts of the country road.

Broad plate glass windows give a wide vision to all occupants, while protecting them from chilling winds. Added warmth is provided by a heater. The interior of the Fisher built body is finished in handsome plush with individual seats in front. Driving convenience is assured by a longer steering column at a lower angle, complete instrument panel and longer gear shift lever.

The Buick line for 1923 comprises fourteen models: Four—2 Pass. Roadster, \$865; 5 Pass. Touring, \$885; 3 Pass. Coupe, \$1175; 5 Pass. Sedan, \$1295; 5 Pass. Touring Sedan, \$1325. Sixes—2 Pass. Roadster, \$1175; 5 Pass. Touring, \$1195; 5 Pass. Touring Sedan, \$1295; 5 Pass. Sedan, \$1385; 6 Pass. Coupe, \$1895; 7 Pass. Touring, \$1435; 7 Pass. Sedan, \$2195. Sport Roadster, \$1625; Sport Touring, \$1675. Prices f. o. b. Buick factories. Ask about the G. M. A. C. Purchase Plan, which provides for Deferred Payments.

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**FURNISHED ROOMS**—For light housekeeping, with sink in room, electric lights, phone, bath etc. Close in. Mrs. W. N. Connell, phone 71 47-7f

**ROOMS**—I have rooms to rent, and they are furnished for light housekeeping. See Mrs. Clara Terry 49cf

**LOST AND FOUND**

**FOUND**—Pair shell or horn rimmed spectacles. Owner may recover by calling on J. P. Inman and paying 25 cents for this notice.

**FOR SALE**

**COWS FOR SALE**—A few white face cows for sale. Phone 96.

**FOR SALE**—Model N Hupmobile. See R. P. Rankin. 51-2t

**FOR SALE OR LEASE**—The Post Office Confectionery. Apply to J. W. Cook at the Home Bakery.

**FOR SALE**—No. 2 Eclipse gasoline engine, with pump jack, complete. Apply to Butler's Jersey Dairy. Phone 298. 47-7f

**FOR SALE**—My home one block south of the dept. Will sell at a sacrifice. Joe C. Burman, phone No. 34. 47-7f

**FOR SALE**—750 yearling steers, 750 yearling heifers, 800 calves, 1200 cows, excellent grade, well marked Herefords, all deborned, good condition; prompt delivery. Inquire of A. E. McMillen, Albuquerque, N.M. 46f

**FOR SALE**—My home, just two blocks west and two blocks south of Llano Hotel, or lease.—J. A. DOWDY, Stanton, Texas. 46-7t

**FOR SALE**—Two 2-horse Fairbanks pumping engines, one a No. 2 and the other a Jack-of-All-Trades, both in good repair. Price \$75 each.—WILL MANNING. 45cf

**COAL AND WOOD**

**WOOD OR COAL**—Place your order for wood and coal with W. T. & J. L. Locklar. Good sawed oak wood and both nut and lump coal. Phone 216 or 56. 9tf

**WANTED TO BUY**

**WANTED**—Clean, cotton rage. Must not be smaller than 15 inches square. Old dresses, gowns, shirts, etc., of cotton mixture will do, but they must be clean. Will buy limited quantity at 5 cents per pound at this office.

**His Complaint**

"As the song has it, we are only poor weak mortals, after all." "Admitted," said Mr. Grumpson. "What I object to is the large number of persons with no other visible means of support who draw fat salaries for telling us how weak we are."

**WILL CONDUCT BAND CONTEST**

Charles E. Boehler, Veteran Musician, Selected to Direct National Convention Feature.

Judging a baby show is an easy task compared to the role assigned to Charles E. Boehler, who will conduct a prize contest among the 100 bands and drum corps expected at the American Legion national convention in New Orleans next October.



Prizes for the band contest will be: First, \$1,000; second, \$500, and third, \$250. The bands will be judged on the following basis: Playing, 75 points; appearance, 10 points; marching, 10 points; number of instruments, 5 points.

The winner of the drum corps contest will receive \$250, with a prize of \$100 for second place. Playing will count for 50 points; appearance, 20 points; marching, 20 points; number of instruments, 10 points.

Mr. Boehler is a former president of the New Orleans branch of the American Federation of Musicians. He served as a band leader in the Spanish-American and World wars and on the Mexican border. During the World war he was senior band master of the Thirty-first division.

**The Private's Dilemma.** I'd like to be a corpril and with the corprils stand, A chevron on my coat sleeve and a warrant in my hand, But when I think it over all my hope to gloom descends, I'd like to be a corpril—but I'd rather have my friends.

The private marches dumbly—this way, that way, what's the odds? While the corpril joins the shouting when "The order's "Right by squads!" But when the drill is over then the corpril's glory ends, Oh, I'd like to be a corpril—but I'd rather have my friends.

The extra pay comes handy and the chevron makes one proud, But it's tough to be a noncom when your heart is with the crowd, To persecute your buddies with commands the captain sends, Yes, I'd like to be a corpril—but I'd rather have my friends! —Gleason Pease, in American Legion Weekly.

**Whaddya Mean, Hard Luck?** The colonel had heard of two recent disasters in the family of his colored orderly and was surprised to find him apparently as cheerful as ever when he returned to duty after a brief furlough home.

"Well, Sam," said the colonel sympathetically, "I hear you have had some hard luck." "What, me, sah? Nossuh, Ah ain't had no hard luck."

"Why, wasn't that your brother who was killed in a railroad wreck recently and wasn't that your wife that was hurt in an automobile accident?"

"Oh, yassuh, yassuh—but dat's deir hard luck—not mine."—American Legion Weekly.

We could settle the strike so much easier if there were fewer people muddying the waters.

**MIDLAND DISTRICT CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR**

The Midland district of Christian Endeavor will have its annual convention in Lamesa, Sept. 29th and 30th and October 1st. The Lamesa folk are preparing to entertain a large crowd. It is hoped and urged that delegates from every society will attend. Midland expects to send 18 or 20.

**Program**

Theme—"Obedience." Text: "Behold to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams." 1 Sam. 15:22. Motto: "Thy Will Be Done." Friday Evening:

7:30: Song service. 7:45: Devotional and prayer—Lamesa pastor. 7:55: Our Town is Yours, Welcome—J. D. Dyer, Lamesa. 8: We're glad, so glad, so very glad, that you are glad we're here. Response, Thelma Anderson, Midland; Leighton Wolf, Coahoma; Chas. Dunn, Big Spring. 8:10: A Heart to Heart Talk—Field Secretary.

8:15: Announcements; appointment of committees on nomination, place, and resolutions.

8:25: A familiar tune with a strange note—Mittie Owen, Big Spring; Presentation of Southwestern News Campaign.

8:45: Special music. 8:50: Address—Rev. W. A. Smith, Midland.

9:20: Social period. 10: Mizpah—Good night.

Saturday Morning: 8:30: District council meeting. 9: Quiet hour. 9:15: Report of district work. 9:35: Conference hour—Field Secretary. (expert Endeavor.) 10:35: Song.

10:40: Enlist for I. T. C.—Mrs. Russell Jones, Midland. 10:50: Discussion of denominational programs—Mrs. L. C. Majors, El Paso.

11: Song. 11:05: "The Big Four." Decision service—Mrs. F. C. Neidermuer, Van Horn. Presentation of quiet hour, Tenth Legion, Pocket Testament, League and personal covenants.

11:25 The Christian Endeavor nell. World—Miss Rosa Schooler, O'Donnell. 11:40: Publicity and poster contest—Euphie Pemberton, Midland.

11:55: The C. E. library—Field Secretary.

12: Literature on display. 12:30: Luncheon.

Saturday Afternoon: 2: Song service. Devotional. 2:15: Better Endeavor hour—District president. Questions—Mrs. Randle, Miss Harris, Mrs. Jones, Ruth Lewis. Answers: Johnny Roberts, Charlie Ethridge, Marion Pursler.

3:15: Song. 3:20: Religion in the home—J. H. Willhite and Rev. I. H. Teele, Midland. 3:35: Junior demonstration period—Miss Lula Jenkins, Big Spring.

4:05: Mizpah. Off for an outing and recreational period.

Saturday Evening: 7:30: Song service. 7:40: Devotional.

7:50: Announcements and offering. 7:55: Report of nominating committees and election of officers.

8:05: Our missionary program—Rev. J. F. Lloyd, Balmorhea. 8:20: Texas first in line. 8:35: Special music.

8:40: Address—Rev. B. K. Tenny, Barstow. 9:10: Your district and the State union—Field Secretary.

9:40: Closing song and mizpah. Sunday Morning: 9: Quiet hour—Field Secretary.

9:30: Delegates attend Bible schools of their choice.

Sunday Afternoon: 2:30: Song service. 2:40: Devotional. 2:50: Grades C. E. and the church service.

3:05: Intermediate hour—Mrs. W. L. Randle, Lamesa. 3:35: Sherman in June, 1923. 3:50: Address, "Citizenship 100 per cent."

4:20: Decision service. Mizpah. Sunday Evening: 6:30: Christian Endeavor hour. 7:30: Song service. 7:40: Devotional—Rev. Etheridge, O'Donnell.

7:50: Report of committees on resolutions and place. 8: Presentation of convention committee.

8:10: Installation of officers. 8:20: Song and offering. 8:30: Address—Field Secretary. 9: Decision service.

9:15: Mizpah circle. "Blest be the tie that binds." "God be with you till we meet again."

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**HOMESICK FOR THE ARMY**  
Ah Han Kook, Korean With Honorable Record in the U. S. A., Returns to the Service.

Born in Korea, taken to Hawaii when a child, without any trace of relatives, an honorable record in the United States army behind him, Ah Han Kook, a little brown man, called at the American Legion headquarters in Indianapolis the other day and declared his intention of "going back home" to the army.

"I was a dental officer's assistant in San Francisco," Kook, private first class and specialist fourth class, medical department, said, producing an honorable discharge to prove it. "The officer was Dr. H. C. Feyler, now of 822 Gay street, Portsmouth, N. H. He asked me to come to see him when I got out of the army. He is in private practice now. So when my enlistment expired in San Francisco, I got on a train and went to Portsmouth. The officer said he would like to have me work for him. He treated me very good and I had a pleasant visit with him, but I got homesick. The army is the only home I know. I am a member of the American Legion, Schofield Barracks, H. T., post No. 6, and I heard a lot about Legion headquarters in Indianapolis, so I thought I would like to see them."

Kook was shown about the offices at Legion headquarters and the various phases of the work explained to him. Then this little brown man, now an American citizen, who first entered military service in the National Guard at Hawaii in August, 1917, and continued the service through the national army and the regulars until May 28, 1922, departed for Fort Benjamin Harrison, at Indianapolis, to re-enlist.

"Sure, he was homesick for the army," the recruiting officer at the fort said later over the telephone. "We welcome him back."

**MAKING BIG THINGS OUT OF LITTLE ONES**

(Continued from page one)

mediocre town, Rocky Ford grew to a place of handsome streets and business blocks and hotels. Specializing on one product, and getting out a superior article, did it. Any town can make some degree of progress by doing the same thing."

The other day the Manufacturers' Association of Dallas ran a full page advertisement, one of a series of 75, in the Dallas News. This advertisement had the following lead: "Did you know that Texas produces nearly one-third of all the cotton grown in the United States, yet Texas has today only one-third of one per cent of cotton spindles in the United States?"

"If Texas manufactured all the cotton grown within her boundaries she would have 1,500 cotton mills where today she has but 21.

"Texas produces more than half the mohair of the United States—15,000,000 pounds annually, and a large per cent of the wool as well, yet there is but one woolen mill in Texas.

"Texas has 1,300 square miles of iron ore field, estimated to contain from 1 to 2 billion tons of ore, averaging from 60 per cent to 60 per cent metallic, containing a very much higher ore content than the ores used in England, France or Germany.

"Texas has 30 billion tons of coal deposits, lignite and bituminous, an inexhaustible supply for factory use.

"Texas has millions of barrels of crude oil available for fuel.

"Texas has 500,000 undeveloped water horse-power.

"What, then can keep Texas and the southwest from becoming the manufacturing center of the world? "But one thing—the lack of energy, will power, vision and initiative upon the part of its citizenship. "Cotton factories, woolen factories, steel plants—dozens of different enterprises are within the reach of Texas and the southwest, all possible of attainment. "Are we going to secure these plants? "The surest way to insure new plants is to support existing factory institutions. "Are you supporting the plants we

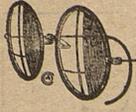
have today?"

Recently we heard a well known Texas coffee man say: "We have as good coffee as any on the market. We compete in quality and price with three or four leading brands. Yet, we are not selling the bulk of the coffee by any manner or means. The retailer will not push our coffee. If you enter his store and call for a can of coffee, specifying no particular brand, nine times out of ten you will be given a coffee not even made near this State. The grocer will push a coffee roasted a thousand or two thousand miles away, in preference to our coffee. And strange to say, the average person seems to care nothing about where a product is made. The fact that it is a home product cuts no ice with him. The grocer fails to appreciate the fact that when a local factory succeeds it means more employes, more people coming to his town to live, and consequently more customers for his business. The customer—the property owner—fails to take into consideration that a growing industry makes the town grow, and thus make his property more valuable."

The people in Florida won't buy California fruit, and the people in California won't buy Florida fruit. The citizens of each State believe their product is the best. They'll talk your right arm off on the superior quality of the home-grown product. They are proud of their product and they sell it to the world. When the people of a community become enthusiastic about products grown or made in that community, look out! the town is going to grow and everybody will reap a share of the benefits.

**SECOND PRIZE STORY IN JUDGE'S WEEKLY**

A beautiful girl who lived in a seaport town was in a dire dilemma; and in her extremity she took her trouble to the village astrologer and soothsayer. "My Jack's ship is due here the day after tomorrow," she stated, "and oh, I just can't see him this time." "Oh, never mind," replied the wise one, who divined how the land lay. "They say a sailor has a girl in every port; surely, then, a girl may have a chap on more than one ship." "Yes, I know," sobbed the girl. "But you see, I've got two ships in port already."



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## EVIDENCE OF BETTER BUSINESS OUTLOOK

### COTTON FACTOR URGES FARMERS OF GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY ENDANGERED

W. B. Thompson, at the head of prominent firm of cotton factors of New Orleans, urges that the south should not sacrifice its cotton this year and that for the farmers to rush their crop to market is but playing into the hands of their enemies. Proceeds this writer:

The carry-over from last season is in no sense a burden.

The coming crop will hardly amount to more than 10,500,000 bales, and probably will be less.

The available supply of American cotton for the coming twelve months will be approximately fifteen million bales, at the maximum.

The boll weevil precludes the possibility of any other than short crops for some years to come.

During the past year the consumption of American cotton both at home and abroad has been materially increased. It is true that the European situation is bad and that conditions in this country are somewhat unsettled at the present time, but the foreign problem will be adjusted, as forecast by recent more encouraging developments, and the domestic disturbances are in a fair way to be composed.

Reaction is imminent and the signs of the times unquestionably point to a boom in productive and industrial activity, in the United States at least. It is therefore reasonable to suppose that the world consumption of American cotton for the coming year will not be very far from fifteen million bales.

The salient features of the outlook insofar as the cotton producers are concerned, are therefore:

First, a shortage in supply; Second, an enlargement of demand, and

Third, an ample supply of money in this country to finance a sane and orderly marketing and distribution of the crop and the consequent maximum price justified by the more or less acute supply and demand situation.

In view of this outlook why should cotton, at the very beginning of the season, be in a panic stricken haste forced upon a market from which demand has been temporarily withdrawn? And yet, this very thing is being done. Not only are spots being offered at lower and still lower prices, but what is even worse, the future market is being stamped down by offers to sell future deliveries at lower and still lower prices, in the face of the strongest cotton situation known for many years.

The owners of cotton, presently in hand and in prospective possession, are by their frantic efforts precipitating a radical depreciation in the present and future values of their own property. But this is not all that cotton owners and merchants are doing in the hysterical sacrifice of their present and future holdings. Bear speculators who have too much sense to dare, in the face of the supply and demand outlook, to initiate a raid on values, are, by the reckless actions of the owners of cotton, given the very lead and opportunity they desire, and

are, by a volume of speculative offers to sell, accelerating and intensifying the decline.

I do not approve the holding of cotton when there is a demand for it, simply for the speculative purpose of advancing prices, but on the other hand I am strongly against the policy of forcing sales upon a stagnant market, either spot or future. In view of the existing outlook the present stampede to sell is little short of commercial insanity. It is not only the worse possible business policy for the individual practicing it, but it is a crime against the great product upon which the prosperity of the south is founded. If this halter skelter sacrifice is continued, the south will lose hundreds of millions of dollars and the losers cannot shift the responsibility to bear raiders and spinners' combinations. They must bear the burden and ignominy themselves.

It is hard to believe that the cotton people of the south will, through fear and folly, throw away the golden opportunity which is theirs for the taking, when through a little clear thinking and a little courage, they can, by an orderly marketing of the present short crop in step with demand, insure the exactly opposite result and give to the cotton producer the remuneration he requires, and to the south, its share in the prosperity which is surely on the way to those who by their faith and courage deserve it.

### The Ideal Purgative

As a purgative, Chamberlain's Tablets are the exact thing required. Strong enough for the most robust, mild enough for children. They cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without any of that terrible griping. They are easy and pleasant to take and agreeable in effect. adv Sep 1m

### Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Midland. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain alias execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Midland County, of the 7th day of September, 1922, by the Clerk of said Court for the sum of five hundred forty-two & 66-100 dollars with 8 per cent interest thereon since May 29, 1922, and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. E. Parker in a certain cause in said Court, No. 760, and styled J. E. Parker vs. J. Roland Dublin, Annie Mae Jenkins, (nee Annie Mae Dublin) and W. J. Wooten, placed in my hands for service, I, W. E. Bradford, as sheriff of Midland County, Texas, did on the 7th day of September, 1922, levy on certain real estate, situated in Midland County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: West 1-2 of the northwest 1-4 of section No. 23, block No. 39, township 1-south, containing 80 acres of land, and levied upon as the undivided property of J. Roland Dublin and Annie Mae Jenkins, in the proportions of 2-3 in the said J. Roland Dublin and 1-3 in Annie Mae Jenkins, and that on the first Tuesday in October, 1922, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the court house door, of Midland County, in the city of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. Roland Dublin and Annie Mae Jenkins.

And in compliance with 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 Midland Reporter, a newspaper published in Midland County. Witness my hand, this 7th day of September, 1922. W. E. BRADFORD, Sheriff, Midland County, Texas. adv 49-4t

## DELINQUENT TAX LIST

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1922, for the taxes of 1921, in Andrews County, to date of attached certificate, reported in compliance with provisions of law.

(Name of owner; Abs. No.; Surv. No.; Blk. No.; Original Grantee; No. acres; total taxes.)

O. D. and MYRTLE COOK: Abs. 598, W. 1-4 sec. 8, blk. A 19, O. G., A. Hollebecke, 160 a.; abs. 650, sec. 35, blk. A 19, O. G., F. von Hollebecke, 715 a.; abs. 651, W. 1-2 sec. 9, blk. A 19, O. G., do.; abs. 652, sec. 7, blk. A 19, O. G., do.; abs. 640 a.; abs. 653, N. E. pt. sec. 1, blk. C 45, O. G., A. Hollebecke, 132 a.; abs. 955, E. 1-2 sec. 9, blk. A 19, O. G., R. H. Howell, 320 a.; abs. 977, W. pt. sec. 34, blk. A 19, O. G., H. Williamson, 320 a.; abs. 1494, E. 3-4 sec. 8, blk. A 19, O. G., do., 480 a.; total taxes, \$213.70.

E. R. CREWS: Abs. 257, N 3-4 sec. 10, blk. A 34, O. G., E. R. Crews, 480 a.; abs. 358, W. 1-4 sec. 11, blk. A 20, G., do., 180 a.; abs. 359, E. 3-4 sec. 1, blk. A 34, O. G., do., 480 a.; abs. 476, N 1-2 sec. 9, blk. A 34, O. G., do., 320 a.; abs. 522, W. 1-4 sec. 1, blk. A 34, O. G., Ed Murphy, 160 a.; abs. 558, SW 1-4 sec. 2, blk. A 34, O. G., I. R. Wallis, 160 a.; abs. 698, pt. sec. 14, blk. A 36, O. G., E. Bustin, 320 a.; abs. 699, S 1-2 sec. 15, blk. A 36, do., O. G., 320 a.; abs. 700 pt. sec. 10, blk. A 36, do., O. G., 80 a.; abs. 701, N. 1-2 of NE 1-4 sec. 11, blk. A 36, do., O. G., 80 a.; abs. 702, pt. sec. 12, blk. A 36, do., O. G., 240 a.; abs. 703, W. 1-2 sec. 4, blk. A 34, do., O. G., 320 a.; abs. 735, blk. 4, Gaines Co. school land, league 314, of 492 a.; abs. 735, blk. 9, league 314, Gaines Co. school land, 492 a.; abs. 864, N 1-4 sec. 8, blk. A 34, O. G., R. Cleveland, 160 a.; abs. 940, NE 1-4 sec. 2, blk. A 34, O. G., T. J. and J. Grigg, 160 a.; abs. 968, SE 1-4 sec. 2, blk. A 34, O. G., J. W. Priest, 160 a.; abs. 1284, S 1-4 sec. 10, blk. A 34, O. G., L. P. Barnhill, 160 a.; abs. 1676, S 3-4 sec. 8, blk. A 34, O. G., A. S. Cleveland, 480 a.; abs. 1713, pt. sec. 11, blk. A 36, O. G., E. R. Crews, 240 a.; total taxes, \$306.64.

R. H. EASTMAN: Abs. 1517, sec. 26, blk. A 36, O. G., N. N. Bailey, 640 a.; abs. 1680, S 1-2 sec. 10, blk. A 43, O. G., T. H. Eastman, 320 a.; Andrews lots 7 and 8, blk. 19; all blk. 7, Whites add.; total taxes, \$100.86.

W. V. GATES: Abs. 716, sec. 24, blk. A 48, O. G., L. Crowder, 640 a.; abs. 717, sec. 25, blk. A 48, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 760, sec. 10, blk. A 47, O. G., E. Kutch, 640 a.; abs. 761, sec. 9, blk. A 47, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 774, sec. 7, blk. A 47, O. G., J. E. Lowe, 640 a.; abs. 776, sec. 6, blk. A 47, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 784, sec. 27, blk. A 48, O. G., F. F. Murphy, 640 a.; abs. 786, sec. 23, blk. A 48, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 787, sec. 26, blk. A 48, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 865, sec. 15, blk. A 48, O. G., T. L. Crowder, 640 a.; abs. 866, sec. 16, blk. A 48, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 868, 869, 870 and 871, sec. 17, 19, 14, and 18, blk. A 48, O. G., D. Dillard, 640 a. each; abs. 1331, S 1-2 sec. 8, blk. A 47, O. G., H. N. Jones, 320 a.; Andrews lots 3 and 4, blk. 26; total taxes, \$351.07.

EMMA M. ALBERS: Abs. 1809, W 1-2 of NW 1-4 sec. 21, blk. A 31, O. G., J. Gamon, 80 a.; total taxes, \$2.06. E. R. ALEXANDER: Abs. 455, N 1-2 sec. 1, blk. A 29, O. G., C. Wood, 320 a.; abs. 839, S 1-2 sec. 1, blk. A 29, do., O. G., 320 a.; abs. 840, sec. 2, blk. A 29, do., O. G., 640 a.; total taxes, \$29.72.

GEORGE CAVENER: Abs. 594, SE 1-4 sec. 12, blk. A 32, O. G., J. E. Harvey, 160 a.; abs. 596, sec. 20, blk. A 31, do., O. G., 640 a.; total taxes, \$17.95.

R. FASKEN: Abs. 718, SW 1-4 sec. 22, blk. A 29, O. G., W. Daugherty, 160 a.; abs. 494, W. 1-2 of N 1-4 sec. 1, blk. A 33, O. G., J. S. George, 80 a.; Andrews, lots 7 and 8, blk. 7; total taxes, \$5.54.

T. T. GARRARD: Abs. 1590, sec. 20, blk. A 47, O. G., H. Miles, 640 a.; abs. 1591, sec. 21, blk. A 47, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1592, sec. 14, blk. A 47, O. G., T. M. Moore, 640 a.; abs. 1604, sec. 19, blk. A 47, O. G., M. I. Phillips, 640 a.; abs. 1605, sec. 18, blk. A 47, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1606, sec. 2, blk. A 41, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1607, sec. 1, blk. A 41, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1637, sec. 2, blk. A 47, O. G., C. G. Stewart, 640 a.; total taxes, \$261.67.

JOHN COBB: Abs. 1733, pt. N 1-2 sec. 23, blk. A 22, O. G., Emma Felton, 42 a.; total taxes, \$1.29.

J. S. DONALDSON: Abs. 1638, E. 1-2 sec. 8, blk. A 53, O. G., J. C. Thomas, 320 a.; total taxes, \$6.48.

L. B. ELAM: Abs. 492, pt. sec. 16, blk. A 22, O. G., L. B. Elam, 160 a.; Shafter Lake, lots 5 and 6, blk. 19; total taxes, \$3.87.

JOHN C. HART: Abs. 1624, sec. 4, blk. A 48, O. G., A. W. Sears, 640 a.; total taxes, \$22.85.

E. M. JONES: Abs. 712, sec. 18, blk. A 40, O. G., B. F. Cox, 640 a.; abs. 714, sec. 18, blk. A 40, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 715, sec. 17, blk. A 40, do., Andrews, Lot 2, blk. 4, blk. 115; total taxes, \$43.93.

A. R. KING: abs. 1614, sec. 11, blk. A 46, O. G., W. R. Rhodes, 643 1-2 a.; total taxes, \$22.35.

J. B. LONGFORD: Abs. 769, sec. 18, blk. A 53, O. G., J. B. Lenamond, 675 a.; abs. 783, sec. 17, blk. A 53, O. G., J. D. Moore, 496 a.; abs. 816, sec. 10, blk. A 53, 451 a.; total taxes, \$32.79.

LONE STAR FARMS Co.: Abs. 1552, sec. 18, blk. A 34, O. G., J. V. Gowl, 640 a.; abs. 1671, sec. 11, blk. A 34, O. G., I. J. Bell, 640 a.; abs. 1683, sec. 12, blk. A 34, O. G., J. V. Gowl, 640 a.; abs. 1684, sec. 13, blk. A 34, do., O. G.; abs. 1685, sec. 14, blk. A 34, do., O. G.; 640 a.; total taxes, \$102.96.

A. L. MAYHEW: Abs. 1506, S 1-2 and NE 1-4 and E 1-2 of NW 1-4 sec.

17, blk. A 43, O. G., J. E. Adison, 560 a.; total taxes, \$19.50.

G. E. MICKLE: Abs. 409, S pt. sec. 8, blk. A 26, O. G., H. T. Hodge, 405 a.; abs. 410, S. pt. sec. 9, blk. A 26, do., O. G., 218 a.; abs. 411, sec. 12, blk. A 26, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 412, sec. 13, blk. A 26, do., O. G., 640 a.; total taxes, \$48.39.

J. K. PARR: Abs. 1452, sec. 10, blk. A 46, O. G., J. E. Griffith, 640 a.; total taxes, \$26.33.

NATHAN POWELL: Abs. 1608, NE 1-4 sec. 16, blk. A 41, O. G., N. Powell, 480 a.; abs. 1609, sec. 15, blk. A 41, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1623, sec. 24, blk. A 44, O. G., J. H. Shafer, 640 a.; abs. 1629, sec. 23, blk. A 44, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1648, E 1-2 sec. 26, blk. A 44, O. G., C. L. Willis, 320 a.; Andrews, block 27, Whites NW Add., total taxes, \$91.51.

GEO. STILES: Abs. 1233, sec. 8, blk. A 38, O. G., Geo. Stiles 640 a.; abs. 1747, S 1-2 sec. 6, blk. A 37, do., O. G., 320 a.; total taxes, \$21.56.

W. O. STEVENS: Abs. 835, sec. 10, blk. A 48, O. G., C. D. Westcott, 640 a.; total taxes, \$15.77.

G. C. SPIRES: Abs. 1509, sec. 13, blk. A 46, O. G., H. S. McNeese, 640 a.; abs. 1510, sec. 20, blk. A 46, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1511, sec. 12, blk. A 46, do., O. G., 640 a.; abs. 1447, sec. 14, blk. A 46, O. G., M. H. Dunn, 640 a.; abs. 1615, E 7-8 sec. 21, blk. A 46, O. G., W. R. Rhodes, 523 1-2 a.; total taxes, \$106.88.

JESSE M. SPINKS: Abs. 459, E. pt. sec. 13, blk. A 20, O. G., J. W. Bennett, 400 a.; total taxes, \$12.87.

P. K. THOMPSON: Abs. 1642, NE pt. sec. 34, blk. A 19, 160 a.; P. G., P. K. Thompson; total taxes, \$5.37.

### Unknown Owner

Abs. 339, S 1-2 of NE 1-4 sec. 4, blk. A 30, O. G., H. L. Calloway, 80 a.; total taxes, \$1.34.

Abs. 456, sec. 12, blk. A 20, O. G., W. Bennett, 640 a.; total taxes, \$20.59.

Abs. 457, E. 3-4 sec. 11, blk. A 20, O. G., W. Bennett, 680 a.; total taxes, \$15.44.

Abs. 459, N 1-2 of NE 1-4 sec. 13, blk. A 20, O. G., W. Bennett, 80 a.; total taxes, \$2.57.

Abs. 466, sec. 21, blk. A 43, O. G., A. I. Boyd, 640 a.; total taxes, \$22.35.

Abs. 468, SE pt. sec. 22, blk. A 34, O. G., Emma Bustin, 400 a.; total taxes, \$12.87.

Abs. 490, E 7-8 sec. 6, blk. C 45, O. G., J. L. Eidson, 560 a.; total taxes, \$18.79.

Abs. 491, E 7-8 sec. 7, blk. C 45, O. G., J. L. Eidson, 560 a.; total taxes, \$13.42.

Abs. 523, E 1-2 of NW 1-4 sec. 5, blk. A 35, O. G., D. M. Pinnell, 80 a.; total taxes, \$2.46.

Abs. 524, N 1-2 sec. 4, blk. A 85, O. G., D. M. Pinnell, 320 a.; total taxes, \$9.79.

Abs. 569, W 1-8 sec. 6, blk. C 45, O. G., Worthy Bennett, 80 a.; total taxes, \$2.68.

Abs. 570, W. 1-8 sec. 7, blk. C 45, O. G., W. Bennett, 80 a.; total taxes, \$2.68.

Abs. 641, SW 1-4 sec. 25, blk. A 23, O. G., S. C. Sherrod, 160 a.; total taxes, \$4.18.

Abs. 665, SE 1-4 of SE 1-4 sec. 12, blk. A 40, O. G., J. W. Brown, 40 a.; total taxes, \$0.68.

Abs. 678, SW 1-4 sec. 8, blk. A 51, O. G., W. B. Burns, 160 a.; total taxes, \$3.60.

Abs. 732, sec. 16, blk. A 40, O. G., A. C. Francis, 611 a.; total taxes, \$10.77. Abs. 733, sec. 15, blk. A 40, O. G., A. C. Francis, 611 a.; total taxes \$10.77.

Abs. 734, sec. 14, blk. A 40, O. G., A. C. Francis, 640 a.; total taxes \$10.77. Abs. 735, blk. 1, league 314, Gaines Co., school land, 129 a.; total taxes, \$4.29.

Abs. 735, blk. 2, league 314, Gaines Co., school land, 492 a.; total taxes, \$16.51.

Abs. 735, blk. 3, league 314, Gaines Co., school land, 492 a.; total taxes, \$16.51.

Abs. 735, blk. 8, league 314, Gaines Co., school land, 492 a.; total taxes, \$16.51.

Abs. 768, sec. 19, blk. A 53, O. G., J. B. Lenamond, 640 a.; total taxes, \$12.96.

Abs. 777, sec. 13, blk. A 40, O. G., E. Maddox, 640 a.; total taxes, \$10.77.

Abs. 816, sec. 4, blk. A 29, O. G., L. T. Terrell, 640 a.; total taxes, \$14.35.

Abs. 817, sec. 5, blk. A 29, O. G., L. T. Terrell, 605 a.; total taxes, \$13.46.

Abs. 818, sec. 25, blk. A 28, O. G., L. T. Terrell, 604 a.; total taxes, \$13.46.

Abs. 819, sec. 24, blk. A 28, O. G., L. T. Terrell, 640 a.; total taxes \$14.36.

Abs. 828, pt. sec. 26, blk. 40, T. 1. N., O. G., B. A. Tolliver, 73 a.; total taxes, \$4.98.

Abs. 837, sec. 9, blk. A 48, O. G., C. D. Westcott, 640 a.; total taxes, \$15.77.

Abs. 917, E 3-4 sec. 22, blk. A 43, O. G., J. Quebedeaux, 480 a.; total taxes, \$16.76.

Abs. 960, sec. 4, blk. A 53, O. G., A. C. Lantz, 640 a.; total taxes, \$12.96.

Abs. 974, NW 1-4 sec. 9, blk. A 49, O. G., W. A. Thomasson, 160 a.; total taxes, \$3.94.

Abs. 1095, sec. 7, blk. A 37, O. G., P. Ingle, 640 a.; total taxes, \$15.77.

Abs. 1329, sec. 5, blk. A 49, O. G., R. Jones, 640 a.; total taxes, \$15.77.

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Abs. 1420, SW 1-4 sec. 9, blk. A 49, O. G., W. A. Thomasson, 180 a.; total taxes, \$3.94.

Abs. 1504, pt. NW 1-4 sec. 4, blk. A 30, O. G., R. F. Wright, 118 a.; total taxes, \$2.02.

Abs. 1529, W 1-2 sec. 24, blk. A 31, O. G., M. A. Brown, 320 a.; total taxes, \$7.19.

Abs. 1633, sec. 23, blk. A 43, O. G., C. E. Spath, 640 a.; total taxes, \$22.35.

Abs. 1634, W 1-2 sec. 22, blk. A 43, O. G., C. E. Spath, 160 a.; total taxes, \$5.59.

Abs. 1635, sec. 18, blk. A 43, O. G., C. E. Spath, 640 a.; total taxes, \$22.35.

Abs. 1636, sec. 19, blk. A 43, O. G., C. E. Spath, 640 a.; total taxes, \$22.35.

Abs. 1648, W 1-2 sec. 26, blk. A 44, O. G., C. L. Willis, 320 a.; total taxes, \$13.41.

Abs. 1678, NW 1-4 of NW 1-4 sec. 4, blk. A 30, O. G., Mima P. Cruze, 40 a.; total taxes \$0.90.

Abs. 1711, W 1-2 of N 1-4 and E 1-2 of E 1-2 of N 1-4 sec. 5, blk. A 44, O. G., R. M. Yarbrough, 120 a.; total taxes, \$13.97.

Abs. 1716, N 1-4 sec. 4, blk. A 31, O. G., H. L. Ham, 160 a.; total taxes, \$3.60.

Abs. 1722, SE 1-4 and S 1-2 of NE 1-4 sec. 11, blk. A 51, O. G., T. B. White, 240 a.; total taxes, \$4.04.

Abs. 1726, SE 1-4 sec. 22, blk. A 49, O. G., Mrs. N. W. Mahone, 160 a.; total taxes, \$3.95.

Abs. 1741, pt. sec. 17, blk. A 19, O. G., Mrs. E. T. Love, 320 a.; total taxes, \$10.74.

Abs. 1748, S 1-2 sec. 23, blk. A 22, O. G., H. H. Swindle, 320 a.; total taxes, \$10.30.

Abs. 807, sec. 4, blk. A 40, O. G., Wm. Spain, 640 a.; total taxes, \$14.35.

Abs. 808, sec. 8, blk. A 40, O. G., Wm. Spain, 640 a.; total taxes, \$14.35.

Abs. 809, sec. 7, blk. A 40, O. G., Wm. Spain

# CORE DRILL AGAIN HITS HARD SHALEY FORMATION NEWNHAM NO. 1

## May Mean Salt Formations are Near. Delayed Oil Shipments is Retarding Progress

From The Odessa Times.

The Newham No. 1 of the Farmers Oil Company, Inc., two miles north-east of town encountered a hard shale formation at slightly better than 900 feet early this week, much to the relief of the drillers who have been wallowing in red clay now, during the last 500 feet of formation passed through.

The fact that the drill hit a solid formation is also welcome news to the geologists as it probably means the end of the large bed of red clay and the solid cap may mean the covering on the salt, under which lies the coveted potash.

There is now, apparently little doubt that the drill will encounter potash. Continued investigations by government men, and a vast checking up of all data establishes beyond reasonable doubt that some potash will be found under the salts. The salt deposit here is the identical age with the salt formation in the German beds, and many thousand times larger. If the potash deposit is found to be in proportion to the other signs that count, Germany will be struck the greatest blow since the fall of Hindenburg, that it could conceive.

The main advantage of finding the potash at a shallow depth is in the saving of money and labor to be expended in sinking shafts necessary to mine the mineral. If the potash is found under 1400 or 1500 the cost of a shaft to that depth will be approximately half the cost of a shaft to 2000 or 2200. In Germany and Alsace different strata are found and mined from 1000 to 4000 feet.

### Lost Shipment Delays Work

Work on the core drill was impeded this week by a lost shipment of oil. The company changed from coal to oil two months ago and the change has been a distinct advantage. The railroad strike and subsequent tie-ups in the handling of freight has caused innumerable difficulties, the first of which was experienced by the crew this week. The oil should have been here last week, and Mr. Dunks, the T. & P. agent here has been bending every effort to locate it, having had tracers out all week.

In view of the change in the formation, the crew was particularly anxious to proceed with the work, and there was much disappointment expressed when it was necessary to shut down and await the arrival of the fuel. The week was spent in cleaning out the pit, putting everything about the rig in ship-shape order and in cleaning out the boiler. All things considered, it may prove to be a profitable delay, as it gives the crew an opportunity to thoroughly overhaul the equipment.

The order of last week that only visitors with cards would be admitted, has had a noticeable effect in the number of visitors. All persons who have membership cards to the Commercial Club will be admitted, however, and others desiring to see the outfit in operation may see Sam McKinney, president of the Commercial Club, or Foreman Dougherty, and if passed, they will be admitted inside the gates.

### German Trust Announcement

The announcement this week, printed in another part of this paper, to the effect that the German and French potash interests have organized a trust to "bust" all American potash projects, has created a stir in the circle of interested parties. It almost seems that congress must take some action, and it is known that the officials of the U. S. Geological Survey are watching the proceedings here with hungry eyes, praying that a rich bed will be discovered. Higher up officials, have no hesitancy in saying unofficially, that should a rich bed be found here, there is little doubt of the government assisting in the development, even to the extent of putting a bonus on every ton of potash mined here. This is merry music to the producers, and if true should cause an avalanche of drillers and prospectors to migrate to these parts.

No word was received from the Dancers this week. Max Agress, the hustling representative, is working on the rate problem still. In this connection railroad officials advised the writer this week that should potash be encountered, there will be no difficulty in establishing a rate which will enable competition with the for-

eign interests. Agress, however, expresses doubts on this score and wants to be assured of a rate before commencing operations.

### To Look for More Equipment

H. F. Dougherty, official doctor of borings for the Farmers Oil Company who returned early last week from a hurried trip made to Lancaster, departed this week for Wichita Falls, to look at some drilling equipment. The connection between Dougherty's hurried trip to Lancaster and the inspection of new drilling equipment is not lost to the local people, and while they are in the dark as to the real motive of the men, they are considerably heartened and are confidently expecting the starting of a new well soon.

Dougherty would have nothing to say in this respect. He did mention that he can easily convert a rotary drill into a shot core drill and cut perfect cores. The Farmers Oil Company has a lot of new production in Pennsylvania and Kentucky and is in a position to carry extensive development here.

The fact that there may be a "nigger in the woodpile" is emphasized by the fact that Dougherty took his two drillers with him on the trip, and they will be there for several days.

Conditions here this week, have, on the whole, been very satisfactory, and the people are keen with anticipation. There has been a noticeable increase in the price of acreage, the past week. Some land, within two miles of the well jumped \$12.00 per acre, and there has been a corresponding increase in other parts of the field.

### Cutting the Cores

Mr. Hartzell, president of the Farmers Oil Company, will be in Odessa in a short time, according to a message received last week. He has been delayed several weeks in making the trip by the pressure of business at home.

The cold weather of last week while a welcome change, hit the night crew hard, and there was a rush for heavier clothing. "Slim" was looking for a pair of hip boots this week for use in cleaning out the pit. "Too cold without them," was Slim's comment.

Doc Dougherty's return was joyously received by the crew, especially the Pennsy boys, who wanted to know all the news from back home. Doc wore a very gloomy face in his recital of events. "I'll tell you, boys, it's getting drier than ever. A man can't even get lemon in his grape juice up there now. Don't know what the world is coming to." And he shook his head wearily.

Doc brightened up, however, in talking of the natural beauty of his country. "I saw trees and just stood and looked at them for hours," he recited, glibly. "A creek runs near my home and I went out and listened to it and the sound of running water was music to my ears. I spent a half day just looking at it. If I could only find a creek of some kind here, or a couple of man-sized trees, I'd feel perfectly at home, because otherwise it is as dry there as it is here."

Joe Dougherty, Doc's "Swedish" brother-in-law, and Marple Lewis, head of crew No. 2, made the trip with Doc to Wichita.

John W. Buchanan is one of the few residents of the community who has yet to see the well in operation. J. W. has planned several trips there, but either his jitney broke down or something else prevented his going. "But," says John, "I'm a-going, if I have to walk, unless some of these solid-fisted fellows give me a lift."

Oil operations all over Texas have been greatly curtailed this month by the drop in the price of crude. Colorado, just east of Odessa, and Kosse, near Mexia, are getting a good play. Odessa is by long odds the most important wildcat in the State.

### The Key that Unlocks the Door to Long Living

The men of eighty-five and ninety years of age are not the rotund, well fed, but thin, spare men, who live on a slender diet. Be as careful as he will, however, a man past middle age will occasionally eat too much or of some article of food not suited to his constitution, causing indigestion or constipation and will need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets to move his bowels and invigorate his stomach. When this is done, there is no reason why the average man should not live to a ripe old age. advSep 1mt

# WEST TEXAS COUNTIES AT STATE FAIR SHOW

West Texas Chamber of Commerce Cooperating With State Fair Officials.

In full cooperation with officials of the State Fair of Texas, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Porters A. Whaley of Stamford, manager, is hard at work to the end of fullest representation at the forthcoming Fair, Oct. 6-15.

Mr. Whaley has advised State Fair officials that B. M. Whitaker, exhibit manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is now in the field on an automobile tour. He is visiting various West Texas counties encouraging them to line up and send exhibits to the State Fair. He will also place exhibits in the hands of competent persons and raise funds with which to transport them to Dallas.

Oct. 13 is West Texas Chamber of Commerce Day at the Fair, and the Fourth Annual Exhibitors' Banquet will be held that night.

## MAGNIFICENT FIRE SPECTACLE TO BE STATE FAIR FEATURE

Before a built-up back-scene 500 feet long, constructed of heavy timbers and carrying the impression of distant mountains, there will be given at the State Fair of Texas, at Dallas, Oct. 6-15 this year, what is declared to be the most magnificent fire or pyrotechnic spectacle, even seen in the southwest.

Called "Mystic China," this year's State Fair "fire festival," it is said, is enacted to a carefully constructed scenario and by a number of real actors. It depicts an assault on an ancient Chinese city by a Tartar band; a repulse by the inhabitants and the subsequent celebration of the victory.

There is shown in a wonderful fire display the temple of the purple and gold Buddha; the "Feast of the Lanterns," the "Festival of Spring," the "Feast of the Dragon," and many other spectacles.

An elaborate daylight program has also been arranged for the grand stand enclosure, including Lillian Boyer, girl flyer, and the "Aerial Circus" of more than twenty thrilling acts.

## FOOTBALL GAMES ALREADY SCHEDULED DURING THE FAIR

Five football contests have already been scheduled between rival teams, to be played in the big athletic stadium at the Fair Grounds, during the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 6-15. There are several open days, but these are expected to be filled shortly. Games already scheduled include:

- Oct. 10—A. & M. of Texas vs. Tulsa University, Tulsa, Okla.
- Oct. 11—Oak Cliff High vs. Waco High.
- Oct. 12—Grubbs Vocational School vs. East Texas Normal.
- Oct. 13—Waco High vs. Tulsa High, Tulsa, Okla.
- Oct. 14—S. M. U. of Dallas, vs. Louisiana State University.

A notable art collection will be on exhibition at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 6-15 this year. Julian Onderdonk, Texas artist, has secured a collection of pictures said to be valued at five million dollars. They will come to Texas with the option of purchase of any among the collection, and the return of those not purchased, after the Fair is over.

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His work did not end with the cessation of hostilities. Perhaps this was the most interesting role played by any member of the A. E. F. after the armistice. When President Wilson went to France the story of his activities was photographed by Captain Jackson. Whether the president shook hands with a European soldier, signed an important paper or had dinner with a king, Captain Jackson was there with his camera.

Today, the official photographs taken by Captain Jackson and his staff are to be found in galleries, libraries, public buildings and private homes in every part of the United States. Mr. Jackson, no longer a captain, is now clicking the shutter as one of the staff photographers of the New York Daily News. He spends his spare time at the clubrooms of the American Legion, Signal post No. 343, in New York city.

## GREETINGS TO THE TOMMIES

Vice Commander Jackson Carried Commander MacNider's Message to the British Legion.

The first man to cross the American continent in an automobile was the first man to cross the Atlantic ocean with a message from America to British Tommies. That man is H. Nelson Jackson of Burlington, Vt., one of the national vice commanders of the American Legion, who recently represented the Legion at an annual meeting of the British Legion, made up of World War service men of the British Isles.

During the war Mr. Jackson served in the Medical corps and for gallantry in action was decorated with the D. S. C. Croix de Guerre and the Legion of Honor of France. He was promoted through the various ranks from first lieutenant to lieutenant colonel.

The greetings which Mr. Jackson presented to the British Legion in behalf of Commander Hanford MacNider declared that: "No generation of our nations have been so closely bound together. Through the coming years it must be our mutual duty to so strengthen and cement these ties that from this great undertaking may come peace to all the world."

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MIDLAND, TEXAS

## STATE FAIR READY FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Annual Encampment of Young Texas Farm Folk To Be Big Fair Feature.

Boys and girls from Texas farms will attend the State Fair of Texas at Dallas this year in number. Dates for the annual encampment and prize-winning contests at the Fair have been announced and officials of the extension department of A. & M. College are active in preparation for the events.

Members of accredited Boys Farm Clubs will encamp at the Fair Oct. 9-11. Members of girls' clubs will be at Dallas Oct. 12-14. Both boys and girls will be guests of the Fair in the big encampment building, and will contest for the three prize scholarships in Texas colleges offered by the Fair Association. In addition they will contest for the handsome prizes offered by the Dallas County Seed Breeders' Association.

The Fair scholarships in A. & M. College, John Tarleton College, or Grubbs Vocational school, will be offered first, for the best record in corn production; second, for the best record in grain sorghum.

Visiting boys and girls will be looked after while in Dallas by duly appointed chaperones and guides, in whose charge they will be while at the Fair, and under whom they will take in all the sights and see all the instructive exhibits.

R. W. Persons of A. & M. College, will be in personal charge of the boys' encampment, while Miss M. Helen Higgins, also of A. & M. will have charge of the girls. Full particulars may be had by applying to either of these college officials.

## SPECIAL DAYS AT STATE FAIR SO FAR DESIGNATED

Several weeks before the opening of the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, a number of special days have already been designated. They include designations that will be of interest to people in various walks of life throughout the state. The Fair opens Oct. 6 and continues through Oct. 15, inclusive, and the special days thus far assigned are as follows:

- Oct. 6—Children's Day, Music Day, Boy Scouts Day.
- Oct. 7—Press Day, with Texas editors attending as guests of the Fair Association; also Travelling Men's Day.
- Oct. 8—International Day; first Sunday concert; amusements and exhibits open as usual.
- Oct. 9—Boys' Educational Encampment opens; Texas Women's Press Association Day; Grand Army of the Republic Day; Orphan's Day.
- Oct. 10—Dallas Day; Patrons of 1898 the first State Fair; second day of Boys' Club Encampment.
- Oct. 11—Confederate Day; Boys' Educational Encampment Closing Day.
- Oct. 12—League of Texas Municipalities Day; Cattlemen's Day; League of American Pen Women's Day; Dallas Pen Women's Day; Thirty-Sixth Division Day; Opening Day of Girls' Encampment.
- Oct. 13—Chambers of Commerce Day; Oklahoma Day; Gainesville Day; Oil Men's Day; Mexico Day; West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Exhibitors' Banquet at night.
- Oct. 14—Social Welfare Day; "Fun Fest" beginning at 9 p. m. Other special designations to be made later.
- Oct. 15—Closing Day; second Sunday concert program in Coliseum; all exhibits and amusements open as usual.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS  
DALLAS OCT. 6-15

Railway engineers occasionally run across old friends at grade crossings.

## MAINTENANCE OF ROADS IS BIG TEXAS PROBLEM

"A permanent road is a road that is permanently maintained. We want and must have permanent roads," said George A. Duren, first State highway engineer in Texas. "There is a movement on foot now to create a gasoline tax for highways. I am for it as all such revenues are to be used for maintenance only. No one has determined exactly the cost of road maintenance but for a practical discussion we may say that it costs one-half of one cent a gallon for the gasoline used in motor vehicles using the road.

"If a gasoline tax of that amount should be levied and expended on maintenance only then with the present provisions for construction we would have all our roads as permanent roads. Direct or real estate taxation should provide for construction. But the user of the road should pay for its upkeep—which brings us directly to the gasoline tax and regulation of vehicles that are for hire as common carriers of freight and passengers.

"Following the construction of good roads came the jitney between cities and the motor bus carrying freight. These agencies are wearing out the highways without adequate payment for the use of the highways. They are competing with the interurban and steam railways without contributing to the support of the government as the latter do and without regulation as to service that is imposed on the railroads. It begins to be a question of whether we shall regulate the truck and jitney bus or junk the steam and electric short line railroads."

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Also our position is that just because some people live in their cars most of the time they don't really hate their homes.

Furthermore, the woman who wears her skirt to her heels will have to be well heeled if she makes much of a hit.

Judging by some of the motoring couples we see, it looks like some girls are willing to ride with nearly anybody.

### Good Wishes

A couple of Irishmen who had not been long in this country met at an inn and called for dinner. As it happened there was a glass of horseshoe-shaped grater for dinner. Pat, thinking it was something to be eaten with a spoon, put a large spoonful into his mouth. The tears immediately filled his eyes and rolled down his cheeks. His companion saw it and said: "Pat, what's the matter?" "I was just thinking of me poor father that was hanged in auld Ireland," answered Pat. But Jimmy soon filled his mouth with the same and as the tears gushed from his eyes also, Pat says: "What's the matter? What has happened to ye?" "Ah," says Jimmy, "I was just thinking what a pity it was that you were not hanged when your father was."

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Misses Kathleen Eiland, Lenora Whitmire, Lillie Pliska and Gladys Buchanan were a group of girls who left Monday afternoon—the first three for Austin to attend the State University and the latter for Baylor, Belton.

Messrs. Meyer Half and Franklin Whitefield left Tuesday afternoon for Austin to enter the State University.

Miss Vernon Hill left Thursday of last week for Duncan, Okla., where she will teach in the city schools.

Miss Gladys Basham has gone to Florey to teach this winter.

Messrs. Leslie and Jay Floyd left on Saturday for College Station to enter A. & M.

Nell Ruth, is the pretty name given to the seven pound daughter who arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hilliary Bedford, Jr., on Sept. 14th. The Reporter with other friends extends congratulations to the young parents and best wishes for a long happy life to the winsome little miss.

Miss Jessie King left Sunday night for Abilene to enter Simmons College.

Mrs. Mary E. Hill, to the sorrow of many relatives and friends, continues critically ill. This week her brother, Mr. J. W. Mayfield and his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayfield, of Sonora, and Mrs. Hill's daughter, Mrs. Cap Yates, of Rankin, arrived to take up their sad vigil by her bed of suffering.

Mr. Joe Fasken, after a visit to Midland relatives and friends, left last Saturday to resume his work in T. C. U.

Mr. Thord Dockray, Host

A beautifully appointed dinner was given last Thursday evening at six o'clock, in the attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Dockray, when their son, Thord, was host to a number of his class mates, a group of fine, manly young fellows, who have gone through high school together and now after their graduation, they have come to the parting of the way. They are all going away to school, but possibly their paths will diverge and never again will they meet in quite the same old way. It was a joyously delightful occasion and covers were laid for the host, his younger brother, Garvice, still a high school boy, and Messrs. Joe Fasken, Herman Klapproth, Golden Donovan and Jim Gage.

Miss Lenora Whitmire Complimented Miss Bessie Johnson entertained in a very happy manner last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Lenora Whitmire, who was leaving Monday for the State University. Miss Whitmire, who was the honor pupil of the graduating class last June, as well as the three preceding years in high school, is a favorite among her young friends, hence about twenty of them met in a farewell party for her. The hostess planned many delightful things for their entertainment and a happy informal evening was enjoyed.

Mr. Marion Allen, one of the honor pupils of the June graduating class and a young man who has always been characterized by success and splendid achievement, will leave Sunday for Southwestern University at Georgetown.

A beautiful new line of pattern and sport hats will arrive at Whitmeyer's shop this week. Don't miss seeing them. Whitmeyer's Shop. adv

See Inman's dollar window Saturday. adv

Al Long was in, the middle of the week, having brought part of the Elkin cattle to the shipping pens.

Skete Denison, of the Holt ranch, north, was in Midland visiting friends this week.

Frank Roberts left Wednesday afternoon for Kansas City and Des Moines, Iowa, with a train of cattle which are being shipped to feeders by Elkin Bros.

Lige Davis and family spent last Sunday on the ranch north.

A dollar will buy a dollar's worth from Inman Saturday. adv

E. R. Crews spent the first of the week in town with his family. Reports the range dry out in Andrews County, but cattle still in fine shape.

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In very clever models of Tricotine Poriet Twill Catton Crepe and Crepe Satin at full range of prices starting at \$7.75 and up to \$49.50. Our first shipment of fine coats from Manhattan came in this week. Wonderful garments, we know they are right for many of the better numbers were sold before they were in the house twenty-four hours. Hats priced within the means of every customer, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.50 and up to \$29.50.

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**CHURCH NOTICES**

**Methodist Church**

Sunday morning we will have the privilege of hearing the presiding elder, Rev. J. T. King, of San Angelo. This will be his last visit for this year so it is hoped that all of you will be present to hear his message. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be served at the morning hour at the conclusion of the service. The fourth quarterly conference will be held on Saturday night at the church at 7:46. All are invited to be present to hear the last reports of the organizations in the church. The pastor will preach Sunday evening on "Life's Dreams Completed." This is a sermon for both young and old and will deal with a theme of interest to all. The worship will begin at 7:45.

Do not fail to be present Sunday morning at 9:45 prompt for Sunday School. The work is going forward in a splendid way and you will be greatly blessed by joining a class and doing some real work.

W. ANGIE SMITH, Pastor.

**Christian Church**

The increase of attendance at prayer meetings is very encouraging. Keep coming to this service every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School is also improving. Arrangements are being made for promotion day.

Preaching services at 10:50 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Congregational singing of gospel songs.

Revival services previously announced has been postponed to Nov. 1st.

I. H. TEEL, Pastor.

**Catholic Church**

Mass will be on every third Sunday of the month and on the fifth Sunday when there is a fifth Sunday in the month. Beginning of mass at 10 a. m.

**Baptist Church**

Last Sunday was a good day in our Sunday School. A substantial increase in attendance was noted. However, we have room for others. Let all the members of the church be present. Visitors welcomed. C. S. Karikalts, Supt.

Preaching hours 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. A real religious program, sufficient in length to be worth your coming to hear, will be carried out at both hours. You are cordially invited to worship with us. All other services of the church at usual hours of meeting.

OWEN J. HULL, Pastor.

**METHODIST LADIES TO CONDUCT MARKET**

The ladies of the Methodist church will conduct a market in the office of The Midland Reporter, Saturday, September 30th, and will have everything you will need for your Sunday dinners. There will be fine home baked cakes, delicious pies, fine chickens, etc., so be present to buy your needs. If you care to leave an order for any of these things phone one of the ladies during the week and your order will be filled. These ladies are also looking forward to the preparation of a Thanksgiving dinner and ask that you be thinking seriously of eating that meal with them at a reasonable price.

Wm. Russell, of Lubbock, was a business visitor to Midland for a few days during the week.

Mrs. C. M. Donovan and son, Golden, left last week for Austin, in their car. There, Golden will be in the State University this year.

Herman Klapproth left the first of the week for Austin to enter the State University.

A. W. Stanley left Wednesday afternoon for Fort Worth to attend to business.

Dr. Tucker left the first of the week for Pecos to again present the claims of the Near East Relief Association.

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**NEWS NOTES FROM SOUTHSIDE SCHOOL**

With a pep that foretells success and a corps of teachers that can't be surpassed, Southside school has swung into the 1922-23 school session. At the end of two weeks the enrollment has reached the 239 mark and new pupils are coming in all the time. Every phase of the work bespeaks the heartiest co-operation between teacher and pupils. On Thursday afternoon South and North side met in the first of those traditional foot-ball clashes which take place every year between the two schools. This time both dope and tradition were upset, Southside winning by a score of 12 to 6. Both teams played splendidly considering the time they have practised. —Principal.

Mrs. Donald Hutt spent the week end in town, the guest of Mrs. Henry M. Half.

Elkin Bros. have shipped a train load of cattle this week to feeders in Iowa.

Kirby Nutt was in town the first of the week from his ranch north.

John Bludworth and family are returning to the ranch this week after having stayed in the town home for two weeks.

E.W. Nicodemus has returned from a business trip to Fort Worth.

John Dublin and family have returned to their ranch northwest after visiting in Midland.

Miss Mary Bingham has returned to Midland after visiting in Lovington, N. M.

Andrew Anderson has returned from a business trip to Big Spring.

Attorney Jno. B. Howard, of Pecos, was in Midland this week on professional business.

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