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## OPPORTUNITY OFFERED COUNTIES TO RE-SURFACE BANKHEAD HIGHWAY

JUDGE ELY SAYS HIGHWAY COMMISSION WOULD RE-TOP BANKHEAD IF THE COUNTIES IN THIS SECTION WILL HIRE OFFICER TO PROTECT THE ROAD

According to D. C. O. Wilson, District Maintenance Superintendent for the State Highway Department, who is in Midland today; Judge W. R. Ely of Abilene, member of the State Highway Commission, has stated that the State will resurface the Bankhead Highway from the east line of Howard County to the new road at Pyote, provided counties in this section will hire an officer to protect the road, to see that trucks do not transport excess loads.

Mr. Wilson attended a meeting of highway engineers and superintendents in Austin a few days ago, in conference with the highway commission, and he declared that West Texas was granted every thing that was asked for, and Judge Ely seemed anxious to assist these counties in protecting the surface of the Bankhead.

Traffic from Midland west to Pyote is heavier than in any road in this part of the State, Mr. Wilson said, on account of trucks transporting heavy machinery and rig materials; and the road will soon be worn away unless something is done toward re-topping it with asphalt.

The Highway Commission granted \$28,000 to re-top the road from Monahans to Grand Falls with caliche, Mr. Wilson stated. The new section of the Bankhead from Pyote to Barstow is finished, with asphalt surface all the way.

Mr. Wilson is here in consultation with W. A. Dean, highway supervisor. He is conferring with County Judge M. R. Hill on Judge Ely's proposal.

## BIG CROWD TO BE AT BANQUET TONIGHT

PRACTICALLY ALL TICKETS SOLD FOR C. OF C. MEETING

Practically all tickets for the Chamber of Commerce banquet to-night at 7:30 have been sold at noon today. The tickets were offered all members of the chamber of commerce and all of the new business people, and a few may still be available.

Kenneth E. Ambrose, chairman of the program committee, had his plans completed this afternoon, though he faced big odds in making arrangements to care of the 135 persons to whom tickets were sold. New assistants in making the banquet a success were Harry Tolbert, Chan C. Mason, M. D. Johnson, J. S. Atkins, W. A. Yeager, and W. I. Pratt.

The arrangements committee included Paul Young, Marvin C. Ulmer, R. M. Barron, and E. H. Barron.

## Webb Impressed With Buildings Erected Recently

Ollie B. Webb, assistant to the president of the T. and P. Railway Company, who is in the city today, states that he is greatly impressed with the growth and development Midland has made since he was here last. He commended the permanent type of buildings and houses erected recently, and stressed the importance of adhering to a substantial type of building, so that the job would not have to be done over.

## Sunday Schools Seeking Greater Attendance Sunday

The four Sunday Schools of Midland who are co-operating in a campaign for increased attendance are making great efforts to increase the enrollment and attendance for next Sunday.

This will be the second Sunday on which the reports will be made, and the first two Sundays of November will also be in the four week campaign.

Reports published the first of each week will give figures on the possible attendance, based on the recent census figures, on the enrollment for the day, the attendance for the day, and the percentage of attendance to the enrollment.

The Methodist, Presbyterian, Christian and Baptist Sunday Schools are working together in this campaign; and it is their desire to have every citizen and every visitor in Midland identified with the Sunday school of his choice.

## CONTRACTS LET ON THE SCHARBAUER

WATER SOFTENER AND REFRIGERATION ARE PROVIDED FOR

Two important equipment contracts were let recently for the Hotel Scharbauer, one being to the Worth Water Softener Company of Fort Worth for water softener equipment throughout the building, having a capacity of 20,000 gallons every twenty four hours; and the other to the United Iron Works of Springfield, Mo., for refrigerating equipment which will give an excess capacity of three tons over the requirements for the hotel.

Soft water and ice water will be in every room of the hotel.

## NEGOTIATING FOR GOLF PROFESSIONAL

MIDLAND COUNTRY CLUB MAY HAVE PRO HERE EARLY NEXT MONTH

Negotiations are under way by the ground committee of the Midland Country Club for a leading golf professional to take a position with the local club.

J. Ellis Cowden and Tom Jones will go to Fort Worth the first of next week to see the big professional tournament, and they will confer with their "prospect" at that time.

If the negotiations are made, Midland will have one of the best available professionals, and golfers here will have an opportunity to improve their game along proper lines.

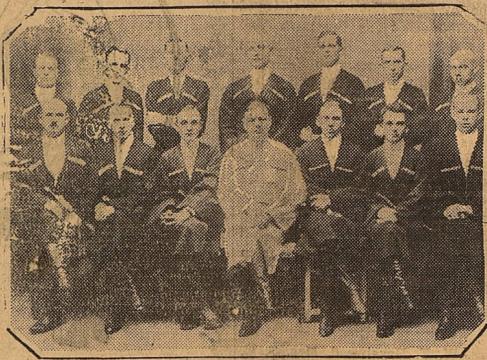
With one of the best and sportiest courses in West Texas, not to have running streams for rougher topography, the local club will be the scene of many tournaments to which the best golfers will come.

## Rapid Progress On Business Buildings

Progress on the Walker Smith building being erected by John Scharbauer, his building for the Kuykendall Motor Company and the one adjoining it on the east, is going ahead at a rapid rate; and the walls of these buildings are well up or completed.

The Hogan Building on Colorado Street, the Burton-Lingo building on Texas Avenue, and other buildings over the city are well under construction.

Mrs. W. B. Randolph of Sawtelle, California, is in Midland this week.



RUSSIAN COSSACK CHORUS

THE Russian Cossack Chorus under the personal direction of Sergei Socoloff, spent the years since the war in triumphant tours of Italy, France, Spain, Mexico and the Central republics. This is one of the most famous singing organizations in the world, with an unsurpassed technique in choral singing. Beauty of voice, remarkable ability in shading, purity of tone, and general excellence are outstanding features in the unusually brilliant program that will be held here.

In 1924 the group sang before the queen of Spain, and in Italy they won three gold medals at royal theaters, and a diploma from the Royal Conservatorium of Milan.

## BLACK ELECTRIC COMPANY GETS CONTRACT FOR ELECTRIC LIGHT FIXTURES IN THOMAS BUILDING

LOCAL FIRM IS SUCCESSFUL BIDDER OUT OF ABOUT TWENTY WHO MADE LAYOUTS FOR NEW BUILDING. INCLUDES 208 FIXTURES

The Black Electric Company of Midland was the successful bidder for the sale of lighting fixtures in the Thomas Office Building when the contract was let this week.

Several out of town firms were among the bidders, and about twenty different bids and layouts were presented for consideration. Mr. Black made only one bid, using Western Electric fixtures, and was awarded the contract.

There are 208 fixtures in all, those for the store buildings and offices being of the same variety but with various lengths of chains; and those for the bed rooms being of a different type.

Fixtures for the operating room, X-Ray rooms and other sections of the Thomas Sanitarium will be selected and furnished separately by Dr. Thomas.

The fixtures will be installed at once.

## FOOTBALL WARRIORS TO BATTLE TO LAST DITCH THIS AFTERNOON

ODESSA IN MIDLAND DETERMINED TO AVENGE RECENT DEFEAT. MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL BULL DOGS SAY "THEY SHALL NOT PASS"

A battle to the last ditch is promised this afternoon on the high school football grounds when the Odessa Yellow-Jackets seek to avenge their recent overwhelming defeat at the hands of the Midland Bull Dogs; and when the local boys carry out their determination to hold their supremacy on the gridiron.

Odessa has everything to gain, and Midland has everything to lose unless they repeat their defeat over Odessa. With the District Pennant in sight, and only Pecos undefeated at their hands, the Bull Dogs realize that they cannot afford to lose this game to Odessa.

Interest in football has reached a high pitch in Midland and among the school students as a result of the splendid showing made so far this season by the home boys; and they will have the backing of hundreds of loyal fans when they go up against the boys from Ector County.

Odessa on the other hand will come to Midland fortified by a fond citizenship that is bent on seeing Midland suffer defeat.

Midland people are called upon to attend the game and carry the Bull Dogs to victory.

## Demonstrates Plan For Cleaning Street

Several business houses in one block on Main Street have demonstrated a plan this week whereby the paved street has been cleaned each morning. When their representatives swept the sidewalks each morning, they spent about five minutes sweeping the dirt and trash to the center of the street, taking it up in shovels and carrying it out with trash which is hauled away.

Ollie B. Webb, assistant manager of the L and P R R, arrived this morning from El Paso. Mr. Webb will speak to the open meeting of the chamber of commerce to night.

Mrs. George Burton of Odessa was shopping in Midland yesterday.

## Lumbermen To Go To Crane

A number of lumbermen from the various Midland yards will go to Crane tomorrow night for the district convention of dealers.

The last meeting was held in Midland, with a big attendance, and an invitation from Judge Ben Allen of Crane was accepted for the October meeting.

A barbecue and other entertainment features are planned for the meeting tomorrow night.

C. M. Goldsmith is in from the ranch after spending several days delivering his calf crop to Foy Proctor.

Miss Rosalie Orson visited friends in Stanton the first of this week.

## MIDLAND TO HAVE MAIL ROUTE TO PECOS COUNTY OIL FIELD

POST OFFICE INSPECTOR WILL GO OVER PROPOSED ROUTE NEXT WEEK, MIDLAND MAN IS ADVISED

Ellis Howell, manager of the Howell Bus Lines, was advised Wednesday morning by U. S. Post Office Inspector Cole that he would inspect the proposed Star Route from Midland to Sheffield next week, and is interested in receiving bids for carriers.

The new Star Route will go from Midland by way of Rankin, out through the Yates Field, and will carry mail to and from Sheffield which is just within the Pecos County boundaries, being adjacent to both Crockett and Terrell counties.

Committees of the Rankin and Midland chambers of commerce have been working on this route for some time, and have given all possible assistance to the Post Office Department. Petitions were signed by residents of the country which will be served by this new route.

## BRICK WORK STARTS ON HOTEL SCHARBAUER

FAST WORK EXPECTED AS WALLS BEGIN TO BE BUILT UP

Laying of brick has started on the Hotel Scharbauer, and the marble and granite trim has been laid at the base of the building.

With all of the concrete frame work for the six stories completed, some fast work is expected by the contractors during the next few weeks.

## Additional Tanks Will Be Built On Farms Near Midland

Construction of six additional 55,000 barrel tanks by the Magnolia Petroleum Company, and the possibility of ten additional tanks of 80,000 barrel capacity by the Atlantic Oil Producing Company, on their tank farms just east of Midland was reported in Midland this week.

Midland has three tank farms, the first one having been built by the Gulf Pipe Line Company early this year.

## Repairing Rough Place On Street

A rough place on Wall Street, a half block east of Main, is being repaired this morning where a ditch was recently dug for a water main.

Chat was put in to fill up the sunken place, and a good coat of asphalt was added.

## Council May Enact New Late Hour Law For Parking Cars

Members of the City Council are considering the enactment of an ordinance to prohibit parking cars on the streets from the hours of 12 o'clock at night to five o'clock the next morning. This measure would make it possible for the streets to be swept regularly, whereas at present there is never a time when the sweeper can be operated without roping off a block at a time and pushing cars to the center of the street while the sweeper runs along the sides.

## Nobles Reports Much Interest In Turkey-Bean Contest

J. O. Nobles, of the Nobles Motor Company, attended a sales conference at Fort Stockton Tuesday night, and reports much enthusiasm on the part of Chevrolet dealers of this territory in the Turkey-Bean contest, Midland and Odessa are pitted against the McCamey, Crane and Rankin dealers in this contest. The winner will eat turkey at the expense of the loser, and the loser will eat beans at the same table.

Pat Curten of the Prairie Oil and Gas Company has bought the Thompson place in West Midland, on the highway, just north of the new Foley residence.

## WEBB ADDRESSES THE HIGH SCHOOL

Students of Midland High School and the Junior Hi heard Hon. Ollie B. Webb, assistant to the president of the T. and P. Railway Company, this morning in an inspiring address; and there were over 400 students in the auditorium.

Mr. Webb was presented by Paul T. Vickers, who eloquently eulogized the speaker.

Others who addressed the students were Rev. R. O. Wilson, pastor of the First Church of Christ, and Rev. T. D. Murphy, pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

Concert readings and choruses were given by the students as only Midland High School students can give them.

Mr. Webb said it was the "best spirited outfit he had ever bumped into."

He also addressed the students of the economics and sociology classes, and was heard by over one hundred.

## Building In The Belmont Addition

C. George is building a new home in Belmont, on Loraine Street.

W. J. Strawn is building his new home on Big Spring and Griffin St.

C. H. Bird will start soon on a brick home on Main.

J. Lee Kelly is completing his new home on Colorado.

## Warns Against Fake Solicitors

Clarence Scharbauer, owner of the new Hotel Scharbauer which is under construction, states that so many advertising propositions are being brought to him that it is likely Midland merchants will be approached to buy ads on various things in connection with the hotel.

Although he wants Midland merchants to get the benefit of any desirable advertising medium in connection with the hotel, Mr. Scharbauer advises that all solicitors should be required to show credentials or authority, so that the business men may know whether Mr. Scharbauer himself has authorized the advertising.

## Pemberton Will Deliver Oratory

Dr. Leonard B. (Doc) Pemberton, Midland's candidate for the Shrine ring during the El Madias temple's ceremonial at El Paso next week, is rehearsing daily on oratory, hand shaking, extemporaneous speaking, and on every form of self-advertising available; because indications are that he will go up against a number of candidates from Odessa, McCamey, and other points who are equally anxious to make a fine display.

"Doc" is expected to make a strong showing, and his friends and "backers" who will accompany him to the ceremonial are counting on him to win.

Miss Clifford Heath left on Wednesday morning for Dallas where she will spend several days visiting.

## TUESDAY LAST DAY TO ENTER CONTEST

### FOUR MIDLAND COUNTY MEN IN THE TON LITTER CONTEST

Four Midland men are entered in the Ton Litter contest, and all who are interested are advised by County Agent that Tuesday, November 1, is the last day to get in.

Those who have entered are J. G. Arnett, with a litter of seven pigs; Lloyd Long, with nine pigs; R. D. Hamlin Jr. with nine; and Marvin Bryant with seven.

Mr. Atkins states that he hopes to have enough pigs entered to make up a full car to the Stock Show in Fort Worth in March.

More information about the contest follows:

Bumper crops are usually disposed of at depressed prices, but Texas farmers have the opportunity of disposing of the largest corn crop that they have raised in the past five years at a comfortable margin of profit. Not only does the corn raiser enjoy this privilege but the producers of a grain sorghum crop bearing similar proportions have the same opportunity of substantial profit from this grain crop. The Progressive Farmer considers the opportunity for winter finding of hogs excellent this year, and this publication, through the co-operation of the A. & M. College Extension Service, is sponsoring the first ton litter contest for fall farrowed litters to be held in the U. S. The better hog feeders of Texas have learned that gains produced quickly from properly balanced rations are the cheapest that can be obtained, states Paul Huey, field editor of the Progressive Farmer. Mr. Huey reports that an average of all completed records on the spring contest show that the cost of production per pound of pork is slightly above 6 cents. When compared with the average cost of pork production on Texas farms, this shows a cost reduction of approximately 50 per cent due to better feeding and management along with improved breeding stock. The present feed crop on hand if consumed in part by hogs under those ton-litter methods will net the farmer vastly more than if sold as grain or fed to swine in a careless manner, says E. R. Eudaly, Swine Specialist of the A. & M. Extension Service.

The contest which is conducted in owners in Texas and liberal cash premiums are being awarded for highest total weight and highest weight in the various sized litters by: The Texas Cottonseed Manufacturers, The Progressive Farmer, Swift and Co., Armour and Co., Purina Mills, Universal Mills and the Port Worth Stock Yards Company.

The contest, which is conducted in view of stimulating a more widespread adoption of improved methods, has demonstrated during the past few months through contests in fifty-seven Texas counties that by observing the fundamental principles of hog feeding, the average farmer of our state can greatly increase his income from this source.

## Stolen Car Suspect Hits Lovington "Law"

Tom Bolden, held here in connection with the theft of the George Ratliff car, "got rough" with the sheriff at Lovington, according to the following article from the Lovington Leader:

About two weeks ago a car belonging to G. O. Ratliff of Midland was stolen while standing in front of the church. Mr. Ratliff wrote to D. C. Berry in regard to the theft of the car, giving him a description of it and asking him to be on the lookout for the automobile and also for the thief.

Tuesday morning Mr. Berry saw a Buick car standing in front of the restaurant which answered the description of the stolen car, and upon examination of the license plate and engine number, he found it to be the car wanted.

The matter was reported to Sheriff Cain and upon inquiry he found that the car was being driven by Tom Boldin of Sulphur Springs, Texas. In the mean time Bolding who had been notified that the officers were watching the car, started south through the pastures on foot. Sheriff Cain and deputy sheriff Hand followed after ad found Bolding hiding in the brush in Music's pasture. He was arrested, brought back to town, placed in jail and the officers at Midland notified.

Wednesday morning when sheriff Cain took his breakfast to him Bolding knocked him down and succeeded in locking him in the cell and then made his escape. Deputy Sheriff Hiram saw him leaving the jail and it was an easy matter to recapture him and place him again behind the bars.

Sheriff Francis of Midland county came over Thursday and took the prisoner back with him to Midland, where he will be held to answer a charge of theft.

Bolden was willing to go back to Texas without extradition papers. It is understood that he claims to have bought the car.

Mrs. L. G. Spires and son of Andrews were in Midland Wednesday. They met Mr. Spires here on his return from a business trip to Sweetwater.

Harper—Work under way on construction of new light and power line of Texas Power and Light Company south of this city.

## Midland People To See Big Tech Game

A number of Midland people are in Lubbock today to see the big football game between the Tech College and A. & M.

Ben Wall, Paul Berthelot, Miss Leola Bigham, Louis Douglas, and C. M. Barfoot are there for the game, and it is likely that others left at the last minutes.

The A. & M. Exes have reserved about 750 seats for the game and among other things, they will stage a big barbecue at noon on Friday.

Several special trains will bring crowds into Lubbock for the occasion. At least 10,000 are expected to witness the clash which will be easily the biggest football event ever staged on the Plains.

Business manager, E. W. Provence, says reservations have been pouring in from almost every point within 100 miles of Lubbock and many from more distant places. Visitors will see one of the best football fields in the state.

Mrs. W. E. Hazelwood, Mrs. S. E. Davis and Mrs. W. H. Williams were here Wednesday from Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Wadley went to Pecos and Pyote Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Klapproth and daughter, Miss Theresa, are in Abilene this week end.

Frank Orson and W. A. Hutchison were business visitors to Stanton Wednesday.

John C. Greenwood is a business visitor to Midland this week.

Eddie Harrison is now connected with the City Drug Store.

George Buchanan is back from a trip to Houston and other points.

J. Wiley Taylor was here yesterday from Best.

Will Manning of Crossett has been in Midland for the past few days.

Addison Wadley made a business trip to Pyote Wednesday.

Marshall—Contract awarded for construction of new Texas and Pacific Hospital to be erected here at approximate cost of \$200,000.

## FIVE UNUSUAL VALUES

Every car we deliver is exactly as we represent it.

Right now we are offering 5 unusual values that will please particular buyers.

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Dodge Roadster	\$300
Ford Coupe	\$185
Essex Coach	\$385

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- Fenders
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# THE NEW FALL Hosiery Colors



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- SOUDAN
- CEDER
- GUNMETAL,
- BLUE FOX,
- VANITY

An lighter shades of Atmosphere, Beige, Chalet, Chateau and Naturelle.

Featuring a new, guaranteed, all pure silk POINTEX HEEL CHIFFON Stocking in the new fall shades, at the pair \$1.00

RAYON TEDDY SUITS for the kiddies in sizes 4 to 12 of an exceptionally good quality, bloomer knee, with drop seats, the suit \$1.35

A misses RAYON RIBBED STOCKING in the wide derby rib, in new Fall Colors, looks like silk, every pair positively guaranteed to give satisfactory wear or a new pair in exchange, sizes 6 1-2 to 10, pair 48c

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN BRASSIERS are being featured in the Basement Store, in sizes 30, 32, 34, and 36, a regular 75c value, each .39c

NEW BATIC SQUARES of all silk, are very popular and the colorings are wonderful. So many uses for this new drapery novelty and we are offering these at a very exceptional price, each \$1.85

60 inches of INDESTRUCTABLE BEADS are very popular at this time and this special number is very lustrous, the strings are knotted between each bead, the string \$1.39

NANCY LEE RUBBERIZED APRONS need no strings, a patented feature that you will like, see these in the pretty chintz patterns with rubberized backs, each \$1.00

HOUSEHOLD RUBBER GLOVES protect the hands, they wear splendid and come in all sizes, at the pair 50c

REMEMBER the ELMO DEMONSTRATION is due again within a week or so and this is an event that many customers look forward to. You will be notified in ample time.

70 pairs more of the splendid value in FELT HOUSE SHOES of which we have sold so very many, sizes 3 to 8, in all colors in the down stairs store, at the pair 48c

And the down stairs store features one of the biggest values to be had in a flat lock seam, re-inforced seat, extra good quality RAYON BLOOMERS in sizes 25, 27 and 29, in all the wanted colors, at the pair 95c

## Toilet Requisites Specially Priced

50c Ipana Tooth Paste	39c
50c Squibbs Tooth Paste	39c
30c Kolynos Tooth Paste	19c
25c Mavis Talcum	19c
25c Squibbs Violet Talcum	19c
\$1.00 Hudnuts Gardenia Face Powder	69c
50c Jergens Lotion	39c
50c Hinds Honey and Almond Cream	39c
\$1.00 Hinds Honey and Almond Cream	69c
Aristo Guaranteed Tooth Brushes	25c
25c Listerine	19c
50c Listerine	39c
Woodburys Facial Soap, bar	19c

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN SWEATERS are being shown in the Down Stairs Store. These are odd sizes, slow selling items from the regular stock and among them is values from \$2.50 to as much as \$7.50, all priced at one price, to move, choice \$1.95

MENS AND BOYS JERSEY LUMBER JACKS in Tan, Grey and Red, in all sizes are special values in boys sizes to 34 at \$1.35

In mens sizes to 46, each \$1.50

Closing out some splendid values in Womens and Misses Pumps and Oxfords, values to \$6.85. Look at them, at, choice, \$2.95

Anything you buy at this store must be satisfactory, or your money is refunded promptly.

# Wadley-Wilson Co.

*One Price, the Lowest, for Cash*

**She Demanded Loose Rein**

By **MARtha M. WILLIAMS**

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SINCE there was a girl in view, inevitably there had to be a man in the offing. He had not seen the girl since the era of pigtails, and recalled her as a freckled fright, an accomplished tomboy, impishly quick of wit. Now it behooved him to make fair weather of the impending encounter. The aunt and uncle, maiden and bachelor, who had stood respectively for the two of them instead of parents, having reached the years of indiscretion betwixt forty-five and the coffin lid, had, all on a sudden, committed matrimony.

The Bowman estate, storied, ancestral, and beautifully equipped, had been Major Bowman's trump card in the winning of Miss Aurelia Lee. Slipping stealthily away upon a vagrant honeymoon after their hasty wedding the pair had written bidding Lee Fairleigh break the news to Elizabeth Bowman, and to assure her that she would lose nothing but gain a lot by the change.

As Lee raced through hot-white June sunshine toward Grapevine Hill, memory of whose cool shade invited, despite his errand, he wondered "if Betsy was looking for him." Swearing under breath, he sent the car faster—so fast it barely missed colliding with a rider, who suddenly leaped the fence to reach the highway. A woman rider, perfectly yet femininely equipped. Her side saddle was of fine soft leather, her silver-mounted bridle had cream-white reins, matching a cream linen habit—instead of a crop she carried a pearl-handled riding whip. So much of her face as a drooping hat brim left visible had the tints and texture of apple blow. She had saved herself and Fairleigh by a swift wheel to the highway's grassy verge, possible only to wrists of iron. The strength, the daring, the coolness of it! Fairleigh was lost in admiration. He sprang from the car before speed was fully checked—in a wink he stood bare-headed before her saying: "You deserve a hero medal—saving two lives when there didn't seem a chance."

"Couldn't have done it if I had stopped to reckon chances," said a voice as enchantingly feminine as herself, running on with a whimsical smile: "Uncle Tim wired me to look for you this afternoon—and to make you behave, no matter what it took to do it."

"Better begin right now—while I'm meeker than Moses, Betsy," Fairleigh began, the ghost of a twinkle in his downcast eyes as he recalled how the girl-child had hated that name.

"Meekness must have brought wisdom," she murmured reflectively. "Our elders, you doubtless understand, have set their megs to marry us one to another—by way of providing excitement for their declining years. Uncle Tim hates monotony. I'm not the least bit contrary-minded, but I mean to stand out for a year's reprieve—with all the money I may want to spend in that time—and full liberty to spend it."

"Please, ma'am, take me along! I'm the world's best little spender—almost," Fairleigh entreated.

Betsy shook her head, frowning. "I guessed as much," she said. "The wise elders think the weight of a wife would slow you down—but I know better—she'd be only a spur."

"Exactly how old are you?" Fairleigh asked. "You sound a hundred—and look sweet sixteen."

"I'm just a month from twenty," Betsy murmured. She wheeled her horse, saying over her shoulder: "I'll meet you at the steps," popped over the fence again, and vanished in the green of the park.

At ten that night Fairleigh, who had come dour enough, drove away through bright moonshine altogether dazed. His cheeks burned, recalling what he had thought of Betsy, in contrast to what he had found. The girl of all the world for him, yet hopelessly out of his reach. He had heard between the lines of her merry fencing, deep anger, deeper hurt, at the cavalier decision of her future by the heads of the family.

Fairleigh himself had only a moderate competence. Now he thrilled at the thought of working for Betsy, but groaned in knowledge that she would never let him do it.

If only he could make her love him—but that was beyond hope. Some fine inner fiber was bruised beyond healing. She had shivered at his touch as he bade her good-by, albeit she had flung a gay jibe after him.

Be sure there was a pretty how d'ye do, when the Bowmans homing, discovered how their fine plan had gone a-glee. Betsy stood to her guns—argument, pleading, threats, accusations of rank ingratitude, did not move her one jot. One full free year was the price of her obedience—afterward—she smiled inscrutably. Until at last Lee vanished, sending her everything he possessed.

**GEOLOGICAL OFFICES OF TEXAS CO. HERE**

MOVED TO MIDLAND THIS WEEK FROM SAN ANGELO

H. E. Munson, geological department of the Texas Company, moved his office to Midland this week from San Angelo, and will make this his headquarters.

Mr. Munson is living at the Albert Haas home.

**Crockett County Gets Fifth Potash Test by Government**

Contract for the fifth potash test to be drilled by the Federal Government to develop domestic potash supplies has been let to the Pennsylvania Drilling Company of Pittsburg by the U. S. Bureau of Mines.

This test is to be located in the northwest quarter of section 16 of the G. C. & S. F. survey, on the Harris Bros. ranch in Crockett County.

Further information about the Government's potash operations, clipped from a Washington newspaper article are re-printed herewith:

It is expected that drilling will be started immediately. Drilling will be done with cable tools to the top of the potash bearing salts, a depth of approximately 1,190 feet. After the salts are encountered the diamond drill will be employed. The well will be sunk to a depth of about 2,000 feet.

Potash well No. 4, near Metz Sidling, Ector County, Texas, which was started July 26, was completed Sept. 30, having been drilled to a depth of 2,098 feet. This well was drilled with a cable string to the top of the salts, 930 feet down. After the salt deposits were reached core drilling was restored to for the remaining footage of 1,169 feet, 9 inches. The core obtained was at a depth of 1,169 feet and 9 inches in length, representing a 100 per cent core recovery.

Well No. 4 was the first of the Government potash test wells in which all core drilling was done with diamond pointed bits. In previously drilled wells much of the coring was done with bits pointed with alloy steel.

It is probable that the next potash test will be located in the McCamey oil field, Upton County, which is in the same general area in Central Western Texas, in which well Nos. 4 and 5 are located. It is probable that three test wells in addition to well No. 5 will be drilled during the present fiscal year.

**Sulphur Water In South Yates Field**

Sulphur water was reported this week to have been found in the south flank of the Yates Dome, in Pecos County, in the Mid-Kansas and Transcontinental No. 1 Smith, section 31, block 194.

Sulphur water flowed at 1,465 feet, according to reports. This well is a mile south of the Yates big wells. Reports say that it will be made into a deep test to ascertain the possibilities for oil at a greater depth.

**Gulf Gets Two More Producers**

Two producers were completed in the last week by the Gulf Production Company on the McElroy lease, south of the Landreth strip, the Gulf No. 40 McElroy being a 1,200 barrel well, and the No. 42 McElroy making 320 barrels an hour. Both wells attained this flow from a lighter one after being shot.

**WANTED!**

Buyer for one-half ground floor space in new office building.

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Two Girls to operate elevators in office building. Apply at my office.

**JNO. B. THOMAS**

**Winkler Producer Maintaining Big Flow**

Cranfill Bros. & Reynolds No. 1 Hendricks, section 28, block B-5 Winkler County, registered a flow of 10,900 barrels in twenty four hours, according to information received here Wednesday, pinched in. This is the biggest producer for the county so far.

**Magnolia Well In Howard-Glasscock Pool Is Big One**

The Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Dora Roberts, southwest quarter of section 136, W. & N. W. Ry. survey in the Glasscock-Howard field is good for 100 barrels an hour, according to information received here Wednesday. The well was reported in Tuesday's Reporter to have been brought in by the Marland, on account of street rumors. Marland is drilling about a mile away.

**Torsion Balance Crew Near Shafter**

A torsion balance crew of the Gulf production is exploring the country in Andrews County around Shafter Lake, according to reports.

**Gas Showing In J. B. Walton Well**

A showing of gas estimated at 2,500,000 cubic feet was reported Wednesday to have been found in the Amerada No. 1 J. B. Walton test, section 48 block 26, Winkler County, this showing having been encountered at 1,700 feet, or higher than that of any previous showing.

**Yeagers Moved Into New Home**

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Yeager and Dr. Yeager have moved into their new home in the West End this week. The new residence is a beautiful Spanish style place, constructed by Anderson and Sundquist, and is one of Midland's most attractive new homes. Mr. Yeager is at the head of the Prairie's Oil and Gas Company's office here.

Much interest has been created among local oil men as a result of the bringing in of the Magnolia No. 1 Dora Roberts near the Howard-Glasscock line. This means more operations from Midland as headquarters.

The number of children in Texas of school age is about 1,348,635.

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**Kuykendall Motor Company**  
Midland, Texas

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
The County of Midland.**

To the sheriff or any constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Katherine Hoffenkamp, Keens, joined by her husband pro forma, William Keens, if living, but if not, then the unknown heirs of the said Katherine Keens; James S. Day, if living, but if not, then the unknown heirs of the said James S. Day, and John O. Ford, if living, and if not, then the unknown heirs of the said John O. Ford, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Midland County, to be held at the court house thereof, in Midland, on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 14th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 2020, wherein C. M. J. Stringer, is plaintiff, and Katherine Hoffenkamp Keens, joined by her husband pro forma, William Keens, if living, but if not then the unknown heirs of the said Katherine Keens, James S. Day, if living, but if not, then the unknown heirs of the said James S. Day, and John O. Ford, if living, and if not, then the unknown heirs of the said John O. Ford, are defendants, and said petition alleging that heretofore, to-wit, on or about September 1, 1926, the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the hereinabove described property, owning and holding the same in fee simple, to-wit: all of lots 1, 2, and 3, in Block 51, Original Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendants, and each of them are asserting some character of claim of title to the above described property and that the interest or claim of title of the defendants, whatever the same may be, though inferior and subordinate to plaintiff's right, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title to plaintiff's damage in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00).

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants, or either of them ever had any legal right or title in and to the property hereinabove described, that such claim should no longer be valid, because plaintiff and those under whom he claims, have held and claimed the same under deeds duly registered, and have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the lands, and tenements, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes as same became due thereon, for a period of more than five years next preceding the filing of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants, or either of them ever had any legal right or title to the property hereinabove described, that the same has long since become barred by the ten years statute of limitation, in that plaintiff and those under whom he claims, have had and held peaceably the lands claimed, and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and holding said premises under an enclosure for more than ten years next preceding the filing of this cause of action.

Wherefore, premises considered, the plaintiff prays that Citation by Publication issue, citing all of said defendants to appear and answer herein and that upon hearing hereof, that all the interest, right or title of each and all of said defendants be cancelled, annulled and held for naught, and that said title be vested and quieted in the plaintiff, and that all clouds cast thereon be removed, for costs of suit, and for relief, general and special, legal and equitable, and all other relief as to the court he may show himself justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Midland this 13th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,  
Clerk, District Court Midland County,  
Issued this 13th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,  
Clerk, District Court, Midland County,  
(SEAL) 6-4t (FFri)

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION,  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Midland.**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon The Midland Town Company, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation; G. A. Audenried, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said G. A. Audenried; Leonard Taylor, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said Leonard Taylor; George B. Newberry, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said George B. Newberry, and the First State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if

not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Midland County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Midland, on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 14th day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2021, wherein Terry Elkin, is plaintiff, and The Midland Town Company, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation; G. A. Audenried, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said G. A. Audenried; Leonard Taylor, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said Leonard Taylor; George B. Newberry, if living, and if not, the unknown heirs of the said George B. Newberry, and the First State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said defunct corporation, and its successor, The Texas State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a corporation, are defendants, a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Plaintiff further alleges that heretofore, to-wit, on or about September 1, 1927, the plaintiff was, and still is the owner in fee simple of the following described premises situated in the County of Midland, State of Texas, to-wit: All of lots 4 and 5, situated in Block 36, of the Original Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas, as per the map and plat of said town recorded in the Deed Records of Midland County, Texas.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, G. A. Audenried, if living and if not, the unknown heirs of the said G. A. Audenried, makes claim of title to lot 5 of said block 36 by virtue of a tax sale Deed dated April 6, 1886 and recorded in Book 2, page 228 Deed Records in and for Midland County, Texas, that said deed though void and inferior to plaintiff's right of title, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title, to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, Leonard Taylor makes some claim to lots 4 and 5, in said Block 36 by virtue of an abstract of Judgment, secured in the September term of the District Court, 1917, and filed for record September 7, 1917 and recorded in judgment book 2, page 178 of Midland County, Texas, wherein W. J. Moran and Annie Moran were defendants, that said judgment lien, though subject to and inferior to plaintiff's right of title, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title, to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, George B. Newberry makes some claim to lots 4 and 5, in block 36, by virtue of an abstract of judgment procured in the February term of the district court of Midland Co., Texas and filed for record March 20, 1920, and recorded in Abstracts of judgment, book 2, page 224, records of Midland County, Texas, wherein Charles M. Dublin and W. J. Moran are named defendants; and that though said judgment lien is subject to, and inferior to plaintiff's right, the same casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, First State Bank of Eastland, Texas, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said corporation, and its successors, the Texas State Bank of Eastland, Texas, is asserting some claim to Lots 4 and 5, in said block 36 by virtue of an abstract of Judgment procured in the November term of the district Court of Eastland County, Texas, wherein the first State Bank of Eastland is plaintiff, and W. J. Moran is defendant, and recorded in judgment Book 2, page 235, records in and for Midland County, Texas, and that although said judgment is subject to and inferior to plaintiff's right, the same casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title, to plaintiff's great damage in the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

The plaintiff further alleges that the common source of title in and to said lots is the Midland Town Company, a corporation, which said corporation is now defunct.

Plaintiff further alleges that he is vested with title by regular and continuous chain of title vested by deeds duly executed and authenticated and recorded in the deed books of Midland County, Texas, from the sovereignty of the soil down to and vested in the plaintiff herein.

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants or either of them have, or

ever had any interest in and to the above described property, that same has become barred by the three year statute of limitation, in that plaintiff and those under whom he claims, has had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under title duly recorded from and under the State of Texas for more than three years next preceding the filing of this petition.

Plaintiff further alleges, that if the defendants, or either of them had, or ever had any right of title to said property, that the same has become barred by the five years statute of limitation, in that plaintiff and those under whom he holds, have claimed and held the same under deeds duly registered, and have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said lands and tenements, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes as the same became due for a period of more than five years next preceding the filing of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges that if the defendants, or either of them have, or ever had any right or claim to the above described premises, the same has become barred by the ten years statute of limitation, in that the plaintiff, and those under whom he holds, has had peaceable and adverse possession of said lands and tenements, cultivating, using and enjoying same for more than ten years next preceding the filing of this suit, having and holding the same during said time under an enclosure, and have received the rents from a house situated upon said premises.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that the defendants, and each of them be cited to answer this petition, and that the plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of the above described premises, for his damage, for costs of suit; and that the claims of the defendants be cancelled, annulled and held for naught, and that the cloud upon plaintiff's title be removed and for such other and further relief as he may be entitled either at law or in equity.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Midland, Texas on this 14th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,  
Clerk, District Court Midland County,  
Texas,  
By Virgie Ringo Deputy,  
Issued this 14th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,  
Clerk, District Court Midland County  
Texas,  
By Virgie Ringo, Deputy,  
(SEAL) 6-4t (FFri)

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Midland.**

To the sheriff or any constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Parker Jeffcoat by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district Court of Midland County, to be held at the Court house thereof in Midland, Texas, on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927 the same being the 14 day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 5th day of August A. D. 1927 in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 2005, wherein Daphne M. Jeffcoat, plaintiff, and Parker Jeffcoat defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows: Suit for divorce and the restoration of maiden name and for costs of court.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its next regular term this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Midland, Texas on this 11th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,  
Clerk, District Court, Midland Co.,  
Texas,  
By Alma Hereford, Deputy,  
(SEAL) 6-4t (Fri)

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Midland.**

To the sheriff or any constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Harry Kennedy by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Midland County, to be held at the court house thereof, in Midland on the second Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 14 day of November A. D. 1927

and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the

4th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 2017, wherein Willie Mae Kennedy is plaintiff,

and Harry Kennedy is defendant and said petition alleging on or about the 27th day of October 1926, plaintiff was duly and legally married to the defendant, and continued to live with said defendant as his wife until about the first day of May 1927. That because of abusive harsh and tyrannical treatment and indecent proposal on the part of the defendant to the plaintiff, plaintiff was compelled to leave the defendant, and their further living together is insupportable. Plaintiff prays that she be granted a divorce from the defendant, and that her former name, Willie Mae Milan be restored to her. Herein fail not, and have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Midland this 4th day of October A. D. 1927.

J. M. Shelburne,  
Clerk, District Court Midland County,  
By Virgie Ringo, Deputy,  
(SEAL) 4-4t (Fri)

J. M. Shelburne,  
Clerk, District Court Midland County,  
By Virgie Ringo, Deputy.

**Traffic Regulations**

TO BE ENFORCED, BEGINNING

NOVEMBER THE FIRST

In as much as most of the paving is completed and the streets opened and marked, the city deems it advisable to start enforcing the traffic regulations beginning November 1st, following.

For the benefit of the public the following rules are being reprinted, and traffic officers will be stationed at street intersections and other busy places to assist you and help you to understand the regulations.

Section 14.—Says that fire engines and apparatus shall have the right-of-way on all thoroughfares of the city and

Section 15.—says that, on the alarm of fire, all traffic must move to the curb, right hand side of street, as soon as possible and remain there until all fire equipment has passed. It is very necessary that the above rules be obeyed.

Section 17.—No car shall be left standing on any street with the engine running, unless some responsible person is left in charge thereof.

Section 18.—No car, except in an emergency, or to allow another car, or pedestrian, to cross its path shall be allowed to stop on any street, except near the right hand curb thereof; nor shall such vehicle be stopped so as to obstruct a crossing; nor shall it be left unattended nearer than fifteen (15) feet to any fire plug.

Section 21.—All drivers or operators shall, at all times and places, comply with all instructions by voice or hand, of any and all traffic officers of the city.

Section 22.—The speed limit out of the business district is twenty miles per hour, in the business district fifteen miles, at street intersections and turning points the limit must not exceed more than one half of the limit for straight course.

Section 26.—The two hour parking limit applies to Main Street between Missouri and Texas Avenues.

Section 30.—No left turns shall be allowed at the intersection of Wall and Main Streets.

Section 31.—No "U" turns shall be allowed at the intersection of Main and Missouri, or at Main and Texas Ave. or at Loraine and Wall Streets. Parking in alleys will not be allowed.

Double parking which has already been referred to, will not be allowed.

Lest we forget, there is a section providing a penalty for the violation of any of the above, as well as all other traffic violations.

The traffic signs at intersections, and the painted signs on the curb, and elsewhere will help you if they are read and studied.

The city is anxious to make the streets as safe as possible and will appreciate any assistance and all the co-operation that the public can give.

The Parking and Traffic Ordinance has been adopted by the City Council with a view of a help and protection to the operators of all vehicles, as well as to the pedestrian public, and if properly observed, there can be no possibility of an accident upon our streets. In drafting the ordinance we did not have in mind to inconvenience or harass anybody, but rather to be helpful to everybody.

In the near future the Council expects to enact an ordinance prohibiting the parking of automobiles upon the pavement, and upon Wall Street from Baird Street to Loraine Street, from twelve o'clock Midnight to five o'clock A. M. The council feels this is necessary in order to give opportunity to sweep and clean the streets regularly. Sweeping and cleaning being impossible with cars parked upon the streets.

We hereby call to the attention of the public that it is now a violation of a City Ordinance to sweep trash, paper, or filth of any kind upon the streets. This ordinance will be strictly enforced after November 1st; and in this, we hope to have the co-operation of all merchants and business people of the City.

The city has provided trash cans to be placed upon sidewalks, and it is hoped that the public will make use of these cans, instead of throwing

**Golden Hour Club**

The Golden Hour Club met Friday October 21. We had a very interesting meeting and planned the following program for Friday Nov. 4.

Leader, Laura Shelburne.  
Topic, Healing in Jesus Name.  
Song of the Great Physician.  
Prayer that God may greatly bless the work of the missionary doctor and nurse.

Devotional, Jesus Healed the Sick.  
Talks by seven girls.

The Heathen doctor and the Christian Doctor, By Sadie Snyclair.

The Christian Nurse, by Nannie Bell Truex.

Healing the body and soul by Laura Shelburne.

Working under difficulties and The Great Physician. By Menta Shelburne.

Poem, Oh, Master let me walk with Thee, by Bessie Flornoy.

Discussion, Why we may help, led by president.

Closing prayer.

We cordially invite all girls of the Junior age of the Baptist Church to attend our meetings.

We meet every first and third Fridays of each month and will be very happy to have you.

Call Reporter for your Job Printing

paper and other trash upon the streets.

Yours for safety,  
City Council,  
City of Midland,  
Per J. C. Hudman, (Secretary.) 10-1t

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF  
ESTATE**

Notice to Creditors of the Estate of W. H. Wolcott, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration, with will annexed, upon the estate of W. H. Wolcott, deceased, are granted to me, the undersigned, on the 7th day of October, 1927, by the county court of Midland County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are Midland, County of Midland, State of Texas.

Juliette Wolcott,  
Administratrix of Estate of W. H. Wolcott, Deceased.

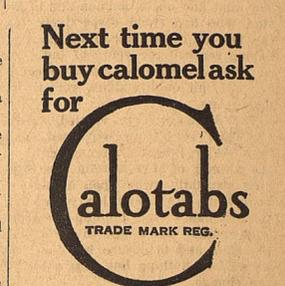
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**Retail Merchants  
Association Moved  
Over Mercantile**

The office of the Retail Merchants Association has been moved over the Midland Mercantile, in the office of J. S. Atkins, County Attorney, having telephone number 19.

Adding Machine paper, 15c per roll,

Next time you buy calomelask for



The thoroughly purified and refined calomel combined with assistant and corrective agents. Nauseless—Safe—Sure

**PALACE THEATRE**

Friday  
Florence Vidor In  
"One Woman to Another"

Saturday  
"The Callahans and Murphys"

**IDLEHOUR THEATER**

Friday  
"Range Courage"

Saturday  
"Mojave Kid"

**BEST PICTURES**

**NOTICE!**

On and after November 1st, we will not take any orders for delivery after 5 o'clock P. M. Our truck will leave the store with last load at five promptly, and any orders for delivery after that time will be sent out the next morning.

**Midland Mercantile**  
Ben F. Whitefield

**FAVORS**

"Where Your Dimes Buy Like Dollars"

**Do Yourself a Favor  
SEE OUR HALLOWE'EN FAVORS**

The popular Variety Store is full of ideas and suggestions for your Halloween hi-jinks. Our favors and novelties will add to your fun.

A huge selection awaits you. Black cats, masks, lanterns, noise makers, souvenirs and decorations—everything for a regular party.

**Popular Variety Store**

**Pity Dickens Couldn't See Into the Future**

Charles Dickens visited the United States in 1842. Of Pennsylvania he reported: "We have passed, both in the mountains and elsewhere, a great number of new settlements and detached log houses. Their utterly forlorn and miserable appearance baffles all description. I have not seen six cabins out of 600 where the windows have been whole. Old hats, old clothes, old boards, old fragments of blanket and paper, are stuffed into the broken glass; and their air is misery and desolation. It pains the eye to see the stumps of great trees thickly strewn in every field of wheat, and never to lose the eternal swamp and dull morass, with hundreds of rotten trunks steeped in its unwholesome water."

This region is now one of the gardens of America, made so by those settlers too poor to buy glass, and by their descendants.

Of an Ohio road he wrote: "It is impossible to convey an adequate idea to you of the kind of road over which we traveled. I can only say that it was, at the best, a track through the wild forest and among the swamps, bogs and morasses of the withered bush."

The road is now United States highway No. 21, running through one of the richest farm lands in the world.—Detroit News.

**Ocean Holds Account of Columbus' Voyage**

When Christopher Columbus returned to Spain from the New world, he stopped on February 14, 1493, at Santa Maria, one of the islands of the Azores, probably to take water. Four days before this he had encountered a severe storm and was convinced that he, his men and his vessels must perish. Columbus realized in his heart that he was going back to Spain with news of a discovery second in importance to no other, and when it seemed that his ship would sink at any moment, he set to work to make a record of his mighty undertaking, hoping that by some will of the fates it would not be lost to posterity. So he carefully prepared as complete an account of his voyage as was possible. He wrote the details of his journey on a stout piece of parchment, wrapped it in a piece of waterproof cloth, then placed it in an iron-bound barrel and threw it into the ocean. But the fates were kinder to Columbus than to this account, for it never was found.—S. W. Rosenbach, in the Saturday Evening Post.

**Leave It to the Wife**

"I dunno why women want to nag so," complained Mr. Wombat.

"What's wrong now?"

"There's always something wrong. Either I'm home too late or I'm home too early. Maybe I got dandruff on my coat collar or soup on my vest. It's this, that and the other. My wife is always finding some flaw."

"They mean it for your good, old man," advised his sagacious friend. "A wife wants her husband to appear at his best. To keep him so is a labor of love."

"Will it always be that way?"

"I fear so. Even if you were an angel, your wife might well find a feather misplaced now and then."—Yonkers Statesman.

**Odd Census Taking**

Nopaltzin, chief of the Chichimecan tribe of Indians that once inhabited the valley of Mexico, devised a simple plan for taking the census of his subjects. Under his system no census-taker trod upon the newly washed front porch of the careful housewife, leaving footprints in sticky clay. Nor did the agent inquire into the private matter of the family head. Instead, each subject placed a small stone for each member of his family. Carriers then collected the stones and hauled them to an open field, where they were counted and placed in heaps. Twelve of these heaps have been discovered by scientists and a count of the stones indicates the Chichimecan tribe contained 3,200,000 members.

**Truthfulness in Child**

A way to promote a virtue is to give the child the reputation for having it. We all show unmistakable tendencies to live up to labels fastened upon us; if the child gets the idea that he is a liar, he is likely to tell lies. On the other hand, if he believes that he is a truth-teller his habits will conform to that picture. Better still, of course, is to let him live in an atmosphere of truth. If a child is brought up in a home where truth telling is regarded as a simple matter of course, he is likely to develop into a truth-telling child.—Winthrop D. Lane in the Delineator Magazine.

**The Wrong Place**

One day Mrs. B— saw a bill collector coming and decided to hide. She stepped into a pantry out of sight of the door and let him knock and knock. Finally he gave up and went away to return another day.

The next time he called Mrs. B— was ready with her payment and went to the door.

Just as he was leaving the agent called back: "If you ever want to hide from me again choose some better place than the pantry. The mirror in your buffet showed me just where you were."

**CHORUS SUNDAY NIGHT HAS OVER 60 VOICES**

**COMBINED MEETING OF ALL CHURCHES IN BAPTIST AUDITORIUM**

A special song service in which over sixty of the leading singers of Midland will take part will be held Sunday night when all churches of the city will meet together at the Baptist Church auditorium.

In addition to the singers, there will be a ten piece orchestra, two pianos; and the program will consist of choruses, solos both vocal and instrumental, quartettes, and orchestra selections.

Rev. T. O. Rorie, pastor of the Methodist Church, is out of the city attending the annual conference at Corpus Christi, consequently the members of the Methodist church would be without a service.

Leaders of the various churches decided to hold this combined musical and song service, and the entire public is invited.

A very successful rehearsal was held last night. W. W. Lackey is conducting the song service.

**Tidwell Shows Here Next Week**

The T. J. Tidwell Shows, consisting of four rides, ten high class shows, thirty novelty concessions, 150 people and ten car loads of fun will be in Midland next week, opening on Monday, October 31, according to H. G. Buchanan, advance man and advertising manager.

The shows are coming here under the auspices of the cemetery association of Midland, and will show on the highway, three blocks east of Main Street.

M. L. Allison of Andrews was in Midland on business yesterday.

Mrs. Joe L. Keller and Mrs. V. L. Boyles of Odessa were shoppers in Midland Thursday.

Mrs. Guy S. Bumgarner of Stanton was here Wednesday.

**Former Banker Makes Good Crop**

Claude E. Neely of Roscoe, formerly with the Midland National Bank writes that he has made a good cotton crop this season, and more feed than he can handle.

Mr. Neely left Midland in order to look after his business interests at Roscoe, and is a leading farmer and poultry man of that part of West Texas. He renewed his subscription to The Reporter, as he is still interested in Midland.

**Judge Ross Of Pecos Very Ill**

Bert Ross and Bill Ross went to Pecos Wednesday on account of the serious illness of their father, Judge Ross, who is well known in Midland and throughout West Texas.

Bill, who has been connected with the Midland Mercantile for several months, has resigned his position and will be with his father.

Bert, teller at the First National Bank, was back at work Thursday morning and reports his father some better. His many friends in Midland wish him a speedy recovery.

**Trash Cans On Business Streets**

Trash cans have been installed on the business streets of Midland by city authorities and no person will be allowed to sweep or throw trash on the streets. The cans are conveniently located, and it is easier to keep the sidewalks and streets clean since their installation. The public can do a great deal toward cooperating with members of the city council in doing away with unsightly trash on the streets.

S. E. Umberson, county judge of Andrews, was here Wednesday on business and to see his son, Smith Umberson.

Fisher Pollard and wife were here yesterday from Andrews.

Herbert Rountree has accepted a position with C. George, tailor.

**Strichnine Here For Poisoning Of Rabbits and Ravens**

County Agent H. L. Atkins advises that the 110 ounces of strichnine which the County recently ordered is here, and is ready for use by farmers of Midland County in poisoning rabbits and ravens.

S. C. Rogers of the U. S. Biological survey will arrive here Sunday and will assist in the poisoning campaign next week. Field demonstrations will be given, the places to be given later.

Farmers who are interested are advised to bring their shell corn to the County Agent, who will assist them in mixing it for raven poisoning.

Fabens—Romington cotton gin working two shifts.

**Brother-In-Law Of James Boys Is Dead**

R. E. Crowley called the attention of The Reporter to an article in Thursday's Ft. Worth Star Telegram telling of the death of his old friend Allen Parmer, a pioneer of the southwest.

Allen Parmer married Susie James, the only sister of Jesse and Frank James, all of whom were well known to Mr. Crowley in his younger days.

He has been living in Alpine for several years, having moved there when Archer and Wichita counties got "too thickly settled" for him.

Mr. Crowley received a letter from his old friends about two years ago, and still has it in his possession.

Lubbock—Ground broken for new engineering building of Texas Tech. College.

Inman will give you the benefit of his knowledge of optics in selecting a pair of low priced glasses. People in Chicago can't do this. tf



All the hazards of golf are not confined to the links. This agency will protect you against the loss of clubs or clothing by fire or in transportation, protect you against any liability which may arise through the accidental injury of others while playing, and provide for specific payments to yourself in the event of personal injury.

The cost of Golfers' Insurance is small, its popularity is keeping pace with the increasing popularity of the game itself.

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We want to advertise the quality of our merchandise and you receive the benefit. You will never duplicate such high grade furs at such low prices.

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**The Barrow Funeral Parlor**

Formerly under the management of Mr. Newnie Ellis, is now under the direction of Mr. J. S. Schow.

Mr. Schow has had 15 years experience, being licensed both in Texas and Oklahoma. Previous to coming to Midland in June, he was connected with the Rix Furniture And Undertaking Co. as Funeral Director and Embalmer.

The Barrow Funeral Parlor contains the best of equipment, two ambulances, and a morgue, which permits service unrivalled by that given in any city. A new funeral coach of the latest design has just been added. The parlors are also arranged for chapel funerals. It will be the object of Mr. Schow to make the service of the Barrow Company a service of Sincerity at all times.

**Ambulance Service Day or Night**

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Funeral Directors

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Why not have a full attendance at Sunday School. The hour is 10 a. m. and we can if we will.

Sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m.  
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We most cordially invite a full attendance at all services.  
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Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

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North Loraine Street  
Rev. R. O. Wilson, Pastor

Regular hours of services are as follows:  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Communion and Preaching Service 11 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching Service 7:30 p. m.

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**FOR RENT**—Two room apartment, sink in kitchen; built-in fixtures, \$20 per month. Also want to board several men, \$8 per week. Mrs. W. B. Driver. 10-1tp

**WANTED**—Cotton pickers close to town. Phone F. C. Dale, 255-B. 8-4tp

**FOR RENT**—Two or three rooms for gentlemen. Close in on North Main. See J. H. Epley, four blocks from town on North Main. 9-1t

**For Sale or Trade**, my residence with 12 lots located Northeast part of Midland. Will consider three or four residence lots in Midland as part payment. Will give good terms. Mrs. B. J. Carlisle, Phone 556, Midland, Texas. 8-8t

**FOR SALE**—100 Acres of land one and one half miles north west of town. Phone 293-A. 8-1tp

**FOUND**—Small Fur Neck Piece, on streets of Midland yesterday morning. Owner may have same by identifying and paying 25c for this ad. 8-1t

Royalty interests for sale around Texas-Rhodes well southeast New Mexico, and Winkler County field. Young Bell, P. O. Box 1, Phone 150 Pecos, Texas. 8-4t

**FOR SALE**—Jersey Dairy-Cows J. K. Harrison, route 1, box 69, Roswell, N. M. 10-2t

**FOR SALE**—Shetland Pony. Weight 450 pounds, price \$40. If interested leave word at The Reporter Office. 10-4tp

**FOR RENT**—Two or three rooms to men. Three blocks north of Baptist Church on Main St. J. H. Epley. 10-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Five jersey cows, with calves, for sale or trade 320 acres close in. R. L. Porter, Box 342, 66 2 months pd. 16-1t

**FOR SALE**—City Property. Will sell in single lots or blocks. Sparks and Barron, Phone 79. 16-1t

**For Lease** for a period of three to five years, my fifteen section ranch in Andrews County. Abundance of grass and water. C. W. Logsdon, 825 Victoria St., Abilene, Texas. 2-1t

**Albert Cooke**



Albert Cooke, the "movie" star, who plays one of the principal roles in "The Wisecracker," is one of the best-known comedians in motion pictures. He was born in Los Angeles and received his education in Paris and Switzerland. Cooke is 5 feet 10 inches in height and weighs 170 pounds.

**How It Started**

By JEAN NEWTON

**"STEREOTYPED"**

"OH, THE same old thing again—styles are getting so 'stereotyped'!"—a remark overheard on a street car, where two women were discussing the season's fashions. It is becoming quite common in every-day speech to use the word "stereotyped" as a synonym for the conventional, the "cut and dried," and the term is accepted in quite good usage, though the dictionary does not sanction this significance.

The term comes to us from the parlance of the printing-room. Before "copy," as material to be printed is called, can be turned out the type has to be "set" or composed—that is, the letters must be assembled into words and the words into the sentences and paragraphs, as they are to be "run off." This composing is the most expensive element of the procedure because it takes so much time. Therefore, when it is known that certain material is subsequently to be run off several times, that future editions will be required, the pages are "stereotyped," a process by which the composed or set type is cast into one piece. In this way it can be kept and re-used and the time and labor of re-setting are saved.

When we stop to consider that a page that is stereotyped admits of not the slightest change, but remains always the same, it is easily comprehensible how the term came to be used with its popular significance in common speech.

**THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY**



The young lady across the way says mah-jongg originated in China and the man who invented it must have made a fortune in the last two or three years.

**Lipsticks Make Trouble**

Managers of Atlantic City hotels say that their maintenance costs have increased enormously because women use so much lipstick and other cosmetics. The women, according to the managers, not only use napkins, bath and face towels to wipe off the lipstick, but also employ tablecloths on occasion. And the lipstick is so strong that bleaching agents are necessary to restore the goods to their pristine whiteness.

**THE FLOWER HE MISSED**

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

MANY the songs they sing you, mothers of men.  
Mary the flowers they bring you, mothers of men.  
But think, if you see and knew,  
There is a fairer blossom, though,  
Just a daisy of long ago,  
Mothers of men.

Once from a wilder garden, mothers of men,  
Asking your praise and pardon, mothers of men,  
Came a child with a little fist  
Bearing a daisy, that you kissed,  
Just a flower that the reader missed,  
Mothers of men.

Soon will our blossoms perish, mothers of men,  
But there is one you cherish, mothers of men.  
Never long will the flowers last,  
Flowers wither and fade so fast,  
But there is one that the reaper passed,  
Mothers of men.

One you will wear in heaven, mothers of men,  
One in our childhood given, mothers of men.  
Once a child with a little fist  
Brought you a daisy, that you kissed—  
There is one that the reaper missed,  
Mothers of men.  
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**SAWS**

By Viola Brothers Shore

**FOR THE GOOSE—**

THE difference between a successful marriage and an unsuccessful one is often no more than the difference between a good sport and a martyr.  
Behn' a good sport don't mean puttin' up with everything. It means reducin' the things you gotta put up with to a minimum and then behn' game about them.

Husbands appreciate good sportsmanship just as much as they appreciate any other good quality—that is to say, they think it's comin' to 'em.

**FOR THE GANDER—**

Women used to ask themselves—"I wonder if he'll try to kiss me?"  
Now they ask—"I wonder when?"  
If you gotta fight with a woman, fight with everything you got. It's only after a good war that you can expect peace.

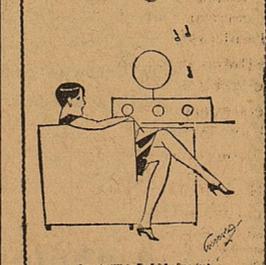
However, holdin' your peace is worth three times as much as makin' it. The Phillistines wasn't the only people that was put out of business by the jawbone of an ass.  
(Copyright.)

**Do You Know That:???**

THE phrase to "bury the hatchet" came from our own Indians. It is an illusion to a command given to the North American Indians by their "Great Spirit" when they smoked the peace-pipe to "bury the hatchet," war clubs and scalping knives in the ground so that all thought of enmity might be buried out of sight and so out of mind.

To "bury the hatchet" has now come to mean a desire for friendliness and a wish to end the strife and enmity.—Anna S. Turnquist.  
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**GIRLIGAG**



"The radio must have been known longer ago than is generally supposed," says Antiquarian Anne, "else what did they mean when they spoke of making Rome howl?"

**Left Biddy Lonesome**

A sitting hen at East Hampton, Conn., did a motherly task for 15 eggs for three weeks. The eggs were in a quail's nest uncovered while Albert Saltus was mowing. Michael Daley lent the hen and eight chicks were hatched. Biddy took the family for a walk and Mother Quail appeared, called the eight little ones and disappeared with them in the woods.

**Tunney-Dempsey Film At Idlehour Theatre**

The official film of the Tunney-Dempsey heavyweight championship boxing contest will be shown at the Idlehour Theatre Wednesday, Nov. 2, according to W. H. Williams, manager of the theatre.

This picture shows the contest from start to finish. Mr. Williams says, and has caused much comment as a result of showing the now famous seventh round, in which Tunney is knocked down for the count of nine. The Idlehour will open at 10 o'clock in the morning and will continue showing through the day, as the film is to be here only one day.

**LIBRARY**

The Tavern Knight by Rafael Sabatine. The hero is the gambling fighting Sir Crispin Galiard, but this dissolute way only cover the heart of gold of a bull blooded brave man, loyal to his king and his sweetheart. The author tells of the war between Cromwell and the King in which the hero finds himself in a very intricate place, but finally wins

**OIL ROYALTIES WANTED**

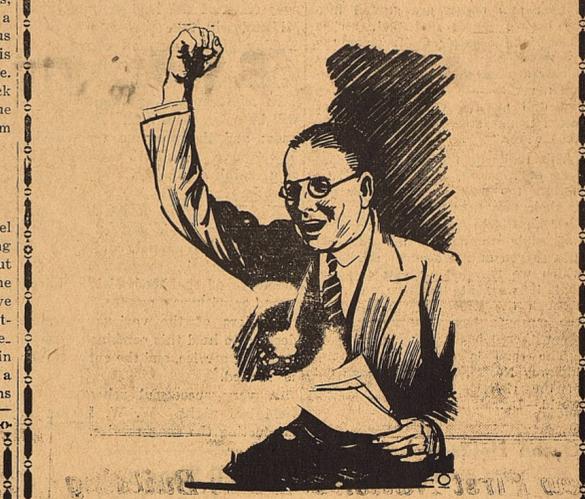
We are in the market for Royalties, producing and wildcat, both as buyers and brokers. National bank references. Pitt. Co. Royalties Co., 536 Robinson Bldg, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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Your Old Furniture in for NEW Exchange Furniture Co.

happiness for himself and Cynthia. The Mating Call by Rex Beach, Leslie Hutton, shell shocked in the war and with unusual theories of life worries, a Russian immigrant girl on Ellis Island. They live on a farm in Florida. The girls runs away. The farm becomes a boom center and a boy hood sweetheart finally saves him from a wreck of himself. Library opens Monday, Thursday, and Saturday, 3 to 5 p. m.

Vernon—Scientific and industrial survey of Vernon and Wilbarger Co. being sponsored by Vernon Chamber of Commerce.



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That tires and tubes bought the most direct way save you from 10 to 35 per cent; That RACINE MULTI-MILE TIRES are proved, and big corporations use them exclusively.

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<b>P &amp; G Soap</b>	<b>6 for</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>Goblin Corn, No. 1 Cans</b>	<b>3 for</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>OUR MOTHERS COCOA,</b>	2 lbs. 1 lb. 1-2 lb.	31c 17c 11c
<b>Sour Pickls</b>	<b>16 oz.</b>	<b>18c</b>
<b>Apple Butter,</b>	<b>Libbies No. 2 1-2</b>	<b>21c</b>
<b>Evaporated Peaches</b>	<b>Evaporated Apricots</b>	<b>Prunes</b>
<b>12 1-2c</b>	<b>16c</b>	<b>8 1-3c</b>
<b>15 oz. Raisins,</b>	<b>Sun Maid Package</b>	<b>12c</b>
<b>Prunes,</b>	<b>No. 2 Sun Maid 26c</b>	<b>No. 1 Sun Maid 14c</b>
<b>Stick Candy,</b>	<b>2 lb. Boxes</b>	<b>22c</b>

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MIDLAND, TEXAS



**New First National Bank Building**  
San Angelo, Texas

**Tickets Selling For Cossack Chorus**

Committees selling tickets for the Russian Cossack Chorus are reporting a good measure of success this week, and indications are that a large crowd of Midland people will attend this extraordinary musical event.

The chorus is being brought to Midland under the auspices of Midland High School. It consists of twenty male voices, and brings references that guarantee a wonderful evening of entertainment to all who attend.

The tickets which are being sold by the student body may be exchanged for reserved seats at the Elite Confectionery.

**EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM**

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will meet next Sunday afternoon at the church at 6:45 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present. The program is as follows:

Subject, "Hiv Big Is Your World." Leader—Mrs. Stacey Allen.

Song. Prayer.

Song Scripture—Jonah 1:1-3; Romans 1:13-21.

The snappy program will be in the form of a base ball game with Mrs. Stacey Allen as Umpire. Each team will have a captain and a score will be kept.

Announcements. Offering. Benediction.

**500 STEEL STUMP PULLERS**

All types, numerous sizes, including Handpower, Horsepower, Gas Power, Truck Power, Tractor Power. Wire rope, equipments. Auto or Truck Pull Out, the \$4.00, Bad-Read-Winch. Water Wheels, Automatic Driveway Gates. Deep Ditching Plows, Handpower Wellborers. Send for particulars. Duct for 25c at Reporter Office. Crest Mfg. Co. Route 11. Seattle, Washington.

**NEWSBOYS WANTED:** More newsboys are wanted for a few hours work every Tuesday and Friday, selling Midland Reporters. Liberal commissions paid on all sales.

**WANTED!**

Buyer for one-half ground floor space in new office building.

Buyer for medium sized Mosler Safe.

Two Girls to operate elevators in office building. Apply at my office.

**JNO. B. THOMAS**

**Mrs. Mims Moving Into New Duplex**

Mrs. Ida B. Mims is moving into her new home in north Midland this week. The residence is a duplex and she will occupy the east side. This is a very attractive home and an addition to that section of town.

Among the shoppers and visitors in Midland this week were Mrs. W. G. Davis, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. W. E. Hazelwood of Stanton; Miss Hazel Tinnie and Mrs. Monroe Adams of Odessa; Mrs. L. A. Spires of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Parks and Miss Rena Crowder of Stanton; Mrs. Hayden Miles of Andrews; W. F. McCullough of Stanton; Mrs. A. D. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Jennings of Abilene; Mrs. W. M. Behlinger and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Barron of Big Spring; Mrs. Calvin Pegues and Mrs. J. T. Cross and Miss Coleman of Odessa.

Dave Levi, a representative of the Magnolia Company, spent yesterday in Midland, the guest of Will Harris and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marchbank were here yesterday from the Y. Ranch.

Mrs. Morgan Hall of Stanton was in Midland yesterday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Thomason were in from the O. P. Jones ranch yesterday.

E. B. Dickenson was here this morning from his ranch northeast of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ratliff of Odessa were here yesterday.

General repairs on Sewing Machines, Oil Stoves etc. Phone No. 292A. O. M. Tyner, Midland, Texas.

Adding Machine paper, 15c per roll, 2 for 25c at Reporter Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hyatt and little son George, have returned from Dallas where they attended the State Fair.

The Chinese Elm and other nursery stock kept in a first class nursery. For prices and other information in regard to trees suited to this climate see or write M. S. Hines, Midland, Texas.

**ST. LOUIS** Post Dispatch, New York Times, Star Telegram, El Paso Herald, Midland Reporter, and good magazines at the Elite.

Why Order Christmas Cards from out of town? Our samples are already here. See them at The Reporter office.

If It's Job Work—We Do It

**J. S. SCHOW DIRECTOR BARROW FUNERAL PARLOR**

J. S. Schow, formerly in charge of funeral work for the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. of Lamesa, has been named director of the Barrow Furniture Parlor here, according to an announcement made by A. D. Martin, manager of the store.

Mr. Schow has had more than fifteen years experience in his profession, Mr. Martin says, and is licensed in both Texas and Oklahoma. He has been connected with funeral parlors in Chickasha, Okla., Temple, Dallas and Lubbock.

W. T. Horne enjoyed a visit the first of the week from his brother from New Mexico.

Mrs. Chas. Morris and Mrs. J. G. Mann of Big Spring were here yesterday.

Mayor S. R. McKinney of Odessa was in Midland on business yesterday.

W. T. Winter of the Winter Haynie Hardware Company, made a business trip to Anson this week.

E. H. Barron and Sam Coleman made a business trip to the Davis Mountains this week.

If It's Job Work—We Do It

H. W. Hailey of the Hailey and Lewis Advertising Agency of El Paso was in Midland on business yesterday. He also visited in Big Spring during the day. He found quite a lot of growth in Midland since his last visit here in the spring.

Buck Kelton and wife are moving this week to the Goldsmith ranch, west of Odessa.

Call Reporter for your Job Printing

**Colder Days are just around the corner--- get ready for them now!**



Let us show you a coat for the Winter Season. The hot weather has caused many to delay purchasing their coat for the season, and if you are one of these, we have a wide range of Sport and Dress Coats to show you. You will find the season's latest styles, beautiful fur trimmings, lovely linings, good woolsens.

Very Special . . .

**15 Coats for Saturday Selling \$14.65**

Coats in this lot marked regularly up to \$22.50. We have more than we want. Take advantage of this special saving.

**In Better Coats Prices up to \$48.50**

**25 Dresses for Saturday \$14.95**

A lovely lot of heavy crepes and satins, combining the newest styles with excellent silks that should bring \$22.50 and more.

**40 pair Mixed Wool Blankets \$3.95**

Standard size 66x80—about 65 per cent wool—beautiful assortment—plaid patterns . . . Saturday Only.

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**Liggett's Little Bits from the East**

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**\$1.50** Per Pound

Also in two and five pound sizes.

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**THE triple test MOTOR FUEL**



- \*1 Starting
- 2 Acceleration
- 3 Power and Mileage

Oil production in Crane County has heached 118,770 barrels a day from 224 wells.

Alvin—Prospects for oil near this place favorable.

Alpine—Streets of Alpine to be marked and buildings numbered.

Greenville—\$400,000 bond issue voted for construction of new courthouse and jail.

Odessa—Plans making for hard surfacing all highway from Odessa to neighboring oil fields.

San Antonio—Ground broken for \$65,000 new Highland Baptist Church at corner Hackberry Street and Peyton Street.

Miss Myrtle Harris has returned from Austin where she was the guest of Miss Sara Harris and Miss Mary Pliska for the formal opening of the Littlefield dormitory for freshmen girls. Miss Harris had the privilege of hearing Governor Dan Moody speak on this occasion. While in Austin she attended the Texas-Rice game on Saturday.

Adding Machine paper, 15c per roll,

**LET'S TALK TIRES . . .**

Next time try **RACINE MULTI-MILES** and buy them from factory warehouse direct. The advantage is all yours.

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**Bonaparte Heart Won  
by Baltimore Beauty**

Jerome Bonaparte, youngest brother of Napoleon, became the husband of an American woman, because of a bit of old lace, thus bringing the Napoleonic strain to America. Jerome sought refuge in America from English pursuers on the high seas in 1803 and, at a reception in New York, met the girl with whom he was to have an unhappy romance. Not without intention, it is believed, the rare old lace on the gown of Elizabeth Patterson, a beautiful Baltimore woman, became entangled on a button of Bonaparte's coat. Introductions followed and Bonaparte went to Baltimore to pursue his courtship. Later he married Miss Patterson and the young bride followed her husband to France. She was not allowed to land, however, and she went to England, where a child was born. Meantime Napoleon annulled the marriage, placed the erstwhile husband on the throne of Westphalia and forced him to marry a German princess. Though the validity of her marriage was subsequently attested by the pope, Elizabeth Patterson never saw her husband again.—Woman's Home Companion.

**English Writer Has  
Contempt for Laugh**

Men and women laugh because they are happy or amused. This, at least, has been the universal theory; but a London psychologist comes forward with the self-contradictory theory that the really happy man never laughs and that the unhappy man cannot laugh. According to this authority, the laugh is a hideous grimace, the smile alone being beautiful and permissible. It all depends upon who does the laughing, whether it is beautiful or comparable to the snarl of the hyena. Perhaps it is because we are so used to laughter, thanks be unto infinite wisdom, that these dicta will strike most of us as the twaddle of a seeker for notoriety. It is true that there are all sorts of laughter, some of it unpleasant and some aroused by a sense of the ludicrous, but in its more welcome sense the word betokens harmless merriment and a reflection of the charm and beauty of living.

**Best Gift of All**

Surely there are few among us—no one, I hope—who fail to find a great deal of enjoyment, true and unadulterated, in making others happy. Happiness is a rather peculiar thing, you know—in that the more of it we give, the more we have, while the more eagerly and persistently we seek it, for ourselves, the less we have or the surer we are not to find it. That marvelous bluebird, emblematic of happiness, is shy, elusive and not to be caught with the chart of selfish-seeking. But just get busy "doing something for somebody, quick," adding your mite to the world's store of gladness, and see what happens; in an instant you glimpse the flutter of blue wings, as happiness settles down in your heart to stay.—Kansas City Star

**The Oldest Tune**

The oldest tune in the world is said to be "For he's a jolly good fellow." There are those who declare that this tune was brought back from the East by the Crusaders, and that the ancient Egyptians learned it from the Babylonians. This idea was apparently first suggested by Chateaubriand, who heard Arabs singing what he took to be the tune. The idea is scouted, however, in authoritative dictionaries of music. A more likely circumstance connected with the tune is that, put by the French to their satirical song, "Malbrouk s'en va-t-en guerre," it was the only tune that Napoleon could remember and sing.

**Another Problem**

A farmer, visiting his son's college and wandering into a chemistry class, saw some students busy with retorts and test tubes. "What are you trying to do?" he asked. "We're endeavoring," replied one of the students, "to discover or invent a universal solvent." "What's that?" asked the farmer. "A liquid that will dissolve anything." "That's a great idea," agreed the farmer. "When you find it, what are you going to keep it in?"

**Merely War Slogan?**

Myths attaching to vivid words born of stressful moments are numerous. The years of the World War produced a great many. Fact became fiction and fiction fact in the effort to sift chaff from wheat. Did Kaiser William ever refer to England's troops as a "contemptible little British army?" A few newspapers in 1914 carried the information that he did, but later investigation failed to authenticate the rumor. It was finally put down as just one more war slogan.

**Understanding**

Most of life's troubles come from misunderstandings. If we know each other we shall understand each other; if we shall understand each other we shall trust each other; if we trust each other we shall work together in unity of purpose; if we work together in unity of purpose there is nothing worth while which we cannot accomplish.—David H. Blair.

**LACKEY ON STATE  
TEACHERS COMMITTEE**

**WILL HELP SELECT THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND OFFICERS**

W. W. Lackey has been advised by the president of the Texas State Teachers Association that he has been appointed on the nominating committee to select officers and members of the executive committee for that organization.

The election of officers will occur during the annual convention which is to be in Houston, Thanksgiving week.

On the committee with Mr. Lackey are Dr. O. H. Cooper of Abilene, Miss Mamie Black of Houston, Superintendent E. C. Deering of Marshall, Alene G. Rather who is with the department of education at San Antonio.

This committee according to the president's letter, is the most important one which functions for the organization, and the greatest of care was used in selecting committeemen who are capable of nominating the best qualified officers.

Lane Deupree of Amarillo has been transacting cattle business in Midland for several days.

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The United States is the most important poultry raising country in the world, producing more than one third of the world's supply of poultry and eggs. Dr. J. R. Mohler, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The enormous weed crop that is raised with the grain every year is one of the chief reasons we do not have larger yields of grain in the spring—wheat area. R. H. Black, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The correct basis of determining the worth of any hen as a layer should not be only the total number of eggs produced but also the time of production. Ten eggs laid in November are worth approximately 20 laid in April or May. Dr. M. A. Jull, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The largest crop yields are possible only when crop rotation and the use of manure or fertilizers are practiced together. Crop rotation increases the returns from farm manure and fertilizers, and lime increase the returns from rotation.

Corn silage is well suited for feeding all livestock. Dairycows need it, perhaps more than other classes of animals, because the succulence it supplies is very necessary for large milk production. It is a cheap and economical feed for beef cattle, from breeding cow to fattening steer. Sheep like it and it is well suited to their needs. Even horses and mules will be fed limited quantities of good silage with good results.

Immediately after the cow calves, give her a warm mash made by pouring hot water over either bran alone or bran and ground oats. A little old-process oil meal in the mash

is though by some to improve it. Avoid large quantities of the oil meals, corn meal, middlings, or similar heavy feeds. Give her warm water to drink. If she calves in the summer time there is probably no advantage in warming either her feed or water.

A special harvest forecast service is maintained by the Weather Bureau in New York State. Close cooperation exists between the bureau office at Ithaca and the State Extension forces. Forty-five out of 55 of the county agricultural agents reported that farmers in their counties used this service last year. The total number of farmers included was 24,500. If each of these farmers saved \$5 through attention to frost warnings, the total value of the service would be at least \$122,500.

In most parts of the United States more food material can be obtained from an acre of corn as silage than from an acre of any other crop that can be grown. From 4 to 20 tons of silage can be made from an acre of

corn. A fifty bushel crop of corn yields from 8 to 12 tons of silage per acre, depending upon the amount of leaves and stalks that accompany the ears and upon the stage of maturity at which it is siloed. The quantity of silage that may be expected per acre is often roughly estimated at one ton for each 5 or 5 1-2 bushels of shelled corn as a rule have a larger proportion of stalks and leaves than northern grown varieties.

"The housewives knowledge of grades of meat is very slight." This was one of the conclusions of a questionnaire as to preferences in the purchase of meat. More than 1700 housewives were asked to name the quality of meat handled by the butchers they patronized. Of these 48.5 per cent answered either "best" or "very good" and an additional 43 per cent said "good". These answers were compared with records of the grades of animals slaughtered at the Chicago market. According to the U. S. grades

about one-half of one per cent of the meat was "prime," an additional 8.5 per cent "choice" and only 23 per cent good, or a total of only 32 per cent that was better than "medium."

Farwell—Lloyd & Sikes Chevrolet Company adds additional equipment to shop here.

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Alpine—New Bakery installed in Wilson building on Fifth Street.

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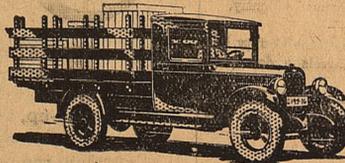


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## Cooking Chats with 6 Famous Cooks

(Courtesy of the Domestic Science Department, Perfection Stove Company)

### SALADS SPARE THE COOK IN HOT WEATHER

(Editor's Note: You'll get many hot weather cooking tips from this article—one of a series which 6 famous cooks are contributing to this paper.)

Of course we're hungry, even though the weather is hot! But we don't need the heavy foods so essential on cooler days. And there is no reason for any woman to wear herself out in the summertime, laboring over the stove.

**Spare Yourself**  
Do as much of the preparation and cooking as possible in the early morning hours. If you must bake, do it just once a week. Don't light the oven every day.

And remember that salads, dainty or substantial, are a boon to cooks during hot weather.

Mrs. Kate Brew Vaughn, director of household economics, Los Angeles Evening Express, suggests a simple cabbage and a carrot salad.



MRS. KATE B. VAUGHN

**Use Cabbage and Carrots**  
Grate three raw carrots. Chop enough cabbage to make one cup. Chop one pimento and green pepper. Mix these ingredients with mayonnaise and put in icebox to chill. Serve on lettuce leaves.

**With Cranberries**  
This is a cooling dish—cranberry salad. Here's Mrs. Vaughn's own recipe.

- 1 pound cranberries
- 2 tablespoons gelatine
- 2 cups sugar
- 1/2 cup water
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1 cup nut meats
- 1 cup celery
- 1 cup mayonnaise

Boil sugar and water, add cranberries and boil until they pop. Add gelatine, softened in 2 tablespoons water. Cool and add lemon juice, nut meats and celery. Mold or serve in spoonfuls on lettuce leaf with sweet mayonnaise.

There is a big hot weather advantage in cooking with oil. You use only as many burners as are absolutely necessary. Then, too, in the best oil stoves the burners come in a row. There is no reaching across a hot fire.



Two Fruits

Another simple salad, suggested by Miss Margaret Allen Hall, nutrition specialist at the Battle Creek College of Home Economics, is made of dates and apples.

- 2 cups diced apples
- 1 cup cut dates
- 1/2 cup Golden Dressing

Peel the apples and cut into one-half inch cubes. Marinate with the juice of a lemon to prevent discoloration. Put the dates into cold water. Remove the stones and cut each date into about four pieces. Pour boiling water over them. Chill thoroughly. Mix apples and dates and stir in the Golden Dressing. Garnish with lettuce or artichoke leaves.

**Golden Dressing**  
1/2 cup pineapple, apple or other light colored fruit juice  
1/2 cup lemon juice  
1/2 cup sugar  
2 eggs

Beat the eggs sufficiently to blend the yolk and the white, but not until foamy. Add the juice and the sugar. Cook in a double boiler, stirring constantly until thickened. Set in cold water to cool.

One of the biggest advantages of cooking with an oil stove is the fact that it can be moved to the coolest spot. Cook on the back porch, the summer kitchen, wherever it's most convenient. No hoses or piping to connect. Take the stove wherever you want it.



Lettuce and Bacon

Boiled or mashed potatoes, with "wilted" lettuce, or lettuce salad with bacon dressing, make a good luncheon with a dessert and beverage.

This is the recipe used by Mrs. Lucy G. Allen, head of the Boston School of Cookery.

Wash lettuce and set away to chill. At lunch time make the bacon dressing. Dice four or five very thin slices of bacon and fry until crisp. Mix one-half teaspoonful mustard, one teaspoonful sugar, and add to one egg slightly beaten.

Then add one-third cup of vinegar, which should be very weak. (The strong vinegar will coagulate the egg and give a curdled appearance to the dressing.) Pour this into the pan containing bacon and stir. Have a low flame and stir rapidly until the mixture is the consistency of heavy cream. Pour over lettuce.

### Make Your Own Combinations

Instead of warming up leftover meats, dice and combine with cold cubed potatoes, peas and salad dressing. This makes a luncheon dish in itself. Other combinations will no doubt occur to you.

### Lycurgus Pictured as Foe of "Hard Liquor"

King Lycurgus, reputed founder of the Spartan constitution, is given the honor by tradition of being one of the world's first prohibitionists, says a writer in the Kansas City Star. In fact, several ancient historians say he was such a good king that his subjects could not tolerate him.

Though Plutarch even in his time wrote that there was the greatest variance in the recorded accomplishments of Lycurgus, on the following story several earlier writers seem to agree. After returning from extensive travels, including Egypt, Spain, Crete, India and Libya, Lycurgus instituted several drastic reforms in Thracia, among these being the abolishment of the worship of Bacchus.

Wine and drunkenness were almost the essentials of religion then, consequently many of the people thought there must be a mistake on somebody's part in attempting to enforce such sudden sobriety, and insurrection resulted. Lycurgus saw that emergency measures were necessary and visiting the high priestess he commanded her to express his reform views in oracular form.

Whether she was one who was not averse to an occasional cup herself will never be known, but tradition says that those in the temple soon heard the oracle's mystic voice declare "No more wine shall be drunken in Thracia," adding after a small but highly significant pause, "so long as Lycurgus is on the throne." The Thracians then submitted, but shortly thereafter Lycurgus died. The date of his reign is uncertain, but most historians place it in the Ninth century B. C.

### Eel on Angler's Hook Makes for Profanity

The eel is an interesting fish. In fresh water I have seldom seen him moving about in daylight, unless the water was very dark colored, but in salt water I have seen numbers of them swimming fearlessly and hunting small fish in packs.

The eel has great strength and seems to understand how to apply it. He will twist himself about a stick or a bunch of grass, when hooked, and secure a leverage that enables him to bend or break the hook and get away.

When lifted from the water on a hook at the end of a line, he often curls his tail about his body and climbs, tail end first, by the line, which he can tangle almost hopelessly before he can be removed from it. After removing an eel from a hook I untangled the line and counted eight half hitches and two single overhand knots which the fish had tied more quickly than I could have done it myself.—Armstrong Perry in the Forum Magazine.

### The Awakening

No one saw how it began. The first the people lounging on the beach saw was his body borne ruthlessly aloft on the crest of a wave, where it was twisted for a moment in giddy gyrations before being hurled violently upon the beach.

A crowd was soon assisting to bring him beyond reach of the cruel waves. Skilled hands applied artificial respiration. It was not too late, for they could see the man was coming to. His blue lips parted and he gasped painfully, while his eyes slowly opened.

"All r-right, Alice," he said haltingly. "I-leave m-me alone and I-I'll get up!"

### Ancient Blue Print

An architect's drawing, believed to be by far the oldest in the world, discovered in Mesopotamia, is described by Dr. J. Stur, a Viennese engineer. This 4,000-year-old fragment of a blue print was in a fragmentary condition, but three of the pieces fit accurately together, showing part of the ground plan of what must have been a very large house. The walls and doorways for several rooms are indicated by accurately and cleanly drawn lines, and cuneiform notes give the dimensions. The largest room was 40 by 46 feet, and the scale of the drawing is 1 to 360.

### Changed Distress Signal

On January 7, 1904, the Marconi International Communication company issued an order to all stations to add the letter D to the general inquiry call C Q, then used by British ships to form a signal of distress, for use by all ships. The international radio telegraph convention of Berlin went into force in July, 1908, at which time the signal S O S was universally adopted, although for some period subsequent to that date operators used both C Q D and S O S in order that there would be assurance that their distress signal would be understood.

### Unverified Sayings

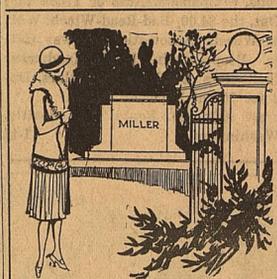
Did Napoleon Bonaparte, in referring to his marriage with an Austrian princess and to his trusting friendship for her country, say: "There I stepped onto an abyss covered with flowers?" These words appear in authentic records of the exiled emperor's life along with many other graceful phrases that soften unpleasant truths in orthodox French fashion. French authorities, too, disagree over that famous cry: "After me the deluge." One early memoir credits it to Madame de Pompadour. Larousse's "Fleurs Historiques" attributes it to Louis XV.

### Alpine Tells Of Game With Midland

ALPINE, Texas, Oct. 24.—One of the most interesting games ever witnessed on the Jackson field was Friday afternoon when the Sub College Cubs were defeated by the Midland Bull Dogs. The business places closed for the game and the entire town turned out in a bunch, Morgan was by far the individual star of the game. This clever fullback of the visitors squirmed and twisted away from would be tacklers and time after time went through the entire team for long gains. He also furnished the punch of the game when he grabbed a unt and ran through the entire cub squad for a touch down.

Despite the fact that they were playing on enemys territory, the Midland boys were playing a cool and clean game. Skevington and Carter featured for the Cubs in their back field, while Knight and Gray were starring in the line. Clean playing on the part of both teams made the game more interesting. Only one penalty was assessed for roughness.

After the game, the Cubs entertained the Midland visitors in the Gym. Many games were played in which the visitors were not at all re-



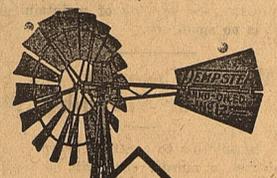
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lented to take part. No hard feelings seemed to result from the game.

Mr. Lackey, superintendent of the public schools of Midland, gave Mr. Morelock a happy surprise Saturday morning following the game by bringing his proteges for a visit to the college. He has some mighty fine youngsters there in the school, judging from their conduct while they were here, and Sul Ross was very well pleased to have them visit during school hours.

Buck Kelton was in from the Five Wells country Wednesday. He reports the range getting a little dry out that way.

Chas. B. Fristoe was here Tuesday and Wednesday from the Lovington, New Mexico, country.



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### Lumbermen At Sweetwater Nov. 11-12

Sweetwater, 26.—The West Texas Retail Lumbermen's Association will hold its annual convention in this city on November 11 and 12, and according to C. W. Bryant, general chairman, one of the largest attended conventions is expected and this city is assuring all west Texas Lumbermen and their wives of a most delightful and interesting time on those dates.

Tom Sayles, Abilene, president of the association has been here and help the various committees work out a program that will contain just enough business to be interesting, and enough play to be enjoyable by all. There will be three business sessions, one on the afternoon of the first day, and one in the morning and another in the afternoon of the second day. Mr. Sayles, and James W. Rockwell, well-known Houston lumberman, together with several West Texas retailers will be the speakers for the business sessions which will discuss such subjects as "Creating New Business," "Promoting Home Ownership," "Business Ethics", etc.

The Convention was arranged to fall on Armistice Day so that it would allow many lumbermen to attend who could not be away from their business but one day. The banquet will be given on Armistice night, and Frank Stevens, Waco, manager of the Wm. Cameron & Co. mill, will be the chief speaker, and the Musical Gypsies, Mrs. McClures Musicians, and the Golden Dragon Orchestra will furnish the entertainment. In fact, there will be something doing every minute of the day.

Harold Gelin returned Tuesday from Dallas where he attended the S. M. U.-Missouri football game.

Vic Schroeder, manager of the Williams Auto Supply, was in Crane on business Tuesday.

John Y. Francis, cattleman and Chevrolet dealer of Odessa was a business visitor to Midland Wednesday.

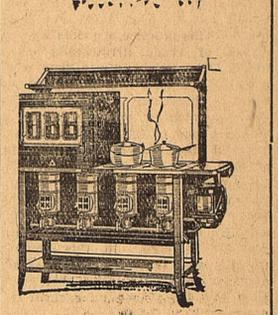
Austin—Steel framework erected and brickwork in progress on new power building for University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milhollan of Stanton were here Wednesday afternoon, transacting business and greeting friends.

Bill Parker, of the Olmstead-Kirk Paper Company, was in Midland Tuesday on business.

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### How Indians Fashioned Implements of Stone

Indians obtained their material for stone implements freshly from the earth when possible. A piece of stone was first split into suitable fragments by holding it edgewise on a hard base and hitting it sharply with a one-sided twist of another stone, says Pathfinder Magazine. The fragments were trimmed to a leaf-shape by striking them smartly with a hammer of horn, bone or tough granular stone mounted on a light handle. Stones thus prepared were then carried to camp to be finished at leisure. They were buried in damp soil, not to hide them, as often supposed, but to keep them even-tempered. This practice accounts for the caches of crude arrowheads often found. The finishing was done with a chisel-like pressure implement of bone or buckhorn. Frequently the crude arrowhead was folded in a buckskin pad to keep it from breaking and then placed on a stone or notched block of wood with the margin projecting over the edge. By applying strong, abrupt pressure at the proper points with the pressure tool, a skilled artisan detached flakes with considerable ease. In this manner margins were trimmed, stems formed, notches made and points sharpened. Heat and fire played no part in the process.

### Research Into Past Would Be Interesting

How fond we are of prophecy! There is a steady and unflinching demand for prognostications; the novels and utopia-mongers, the scientific popularizers are ready to supply it. We read in an endless succession of books and pamphlets and newspaper articles about the future of politics and marriage, of art and war, of cooking, science, religion, clothes, flying machines, morals and a thousand other things. Among the few important entities about which nobody, so far as I am aware, has yet written a prophecy is the Past. This is the more surprising, since our interest in times gone by is as keen as our interest in time to come. A prognostication of the Future of the Past, based on a study of the Past's past and the Past's present, should make a multiple appeal to the "time snobs" of this age. Researches into the Past of the Future would be scarcely less popular.—Aldous Huxley, in Vanity Fair Magazine.

### "Haunted" by an Odor

A Monmouthshire farmhouse here is "haunted" by an odor of violets, says the Newport (England) correspondent of the Associated Press. An overpowering perfume of freshly-gathered violets fills one of the rooms to such an extent that the tenant has had to vacate it, and although the floorboards have been examined and the walls distempered the odor persists. The house is nearly three hundred years old. A legend has been unearthed of a girl who was stabbed on her wedding morning by a jilted lover, and the story says that she was killed while arranging a bowl of violets. The farmer discredits the tale, but careful investigation leaves the mystery unsolved.

### Would Scrap Gibraltar

Surrounded by the world's oldest civilizations, the Mediterranean yet has never been completely explored for its fauna. This is peculiar owing to the virtual separation of the Mediterranean waters from those of the Atlantic because of the shallowness of the strait of Gibraltar. A Danish hydrographer who has made a life study of the Mediterranean proposes that Gibraltar, which forms a natural barrier for marine currents, be tunneled or blasted away so as to establish better circulation between the ocean and the sea. A bigger channel, he believes, would lead to phenomenal changes in the Mediterranean bed.

### A Severe Critic

He had bought an old violin from a second-hand dealer, and on arriving home decided to try the instrument out. He found his piece of music, and soon the air was filled with the results of his flying bow. Hearing the unusual sounds, his Scots landlady suddenly appeared at the foot of the stairs. "Mr. Ham!" she shouted, her fingers in her ears. "What are ye daein'?" "Playing a violin I've just bought," returned the boarder. "Guldness!" exclaimed the other. "For an awfu' moment I thoct ye were shiffin' the bed, ye ken."—London Answers

### Music and Poetry

Byron had no ear for music, and Rosetti found the art "cool unto the sense of pain." Shelley had a voice, it is said, like a peacock's, and Tennyson had only verbal music in him, Sir Humphrey Davy had a fine perception of the beautiful in nature, but had so poor an ear for sound that he could not even catch the simple air of the British national anthem. He was also deficient in time, for while a member of a volunteer corps he could never keep step.

### Forgiving Friends

Friendship, says the American Magazine, is half made up of overlooking or forgiving the human failings of those one likes.

### Calvert Man Buys Stanton Reporter

I. M. Payne of Calvert has bought the Stanton Reporter, official newspaper of Stanton and Martin County, according to information released this week. The newspaper was owned by Mrs. Ruby Robertson, and her son, W. S. Robertson, was editor. The Robertsons have made a success of the paper, and will be missed in the newspaper field of this section. They have not announced their plans for the future. Mr. Payne will get possession of the paper on November 1.

### C. of C. Convention At Sweetwater Nov. 28

Sweetwater, Oct. 26.—This city will be the host to the Central West Texas Division of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in their annual divisional convention that will meet here on November 28, and Gov. Dan Moody, R. W. Haynie, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, W. R. Ely, Abilene, State Highway Commissioner, and other prominent men of the State will be present and appear on the program. The board of city development of this city will sponsor the meet that was first set for November 14, but was postponed on account of conflicting with another convention. A real live program has been arranged and will be presided over by Dr. P. C. Coleman, Colorado. Other speakers will be Judge A. S. Mauzey, Sweetwater; Judge Chas. E. Coombes, Stamford; J. L. Martin, Snyder; R. M. Simmons, Sweetwater; Homer D. Wade and others.

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### Dean Moves Back Across River With Highway Equipment

The building up of the shoulder on the Bankhead Highway has been completed in division No. 6, by W. A. Dean, State Highway Supervisor, and his equipment was started back across the river between Monahans and Ft. Stockton early Wednesday morning. The caterpillar tractor and grader with all supplies went out. This equipment has been busy for several weeks building up the grade along the Bankhead where it has been worn off by heavy traffic, and this has been completed from Bartow to the Martin County line. Mr. Dean's section of the Bankhead Highway is getting as heavy traffic as any road in the state at present, and his job of maintaining it is no small one.

### Murder Case Set For November 14

In addition to a rather heavy civil docket, a murder case will be tried here in the November term of district court, this case having been set for November 14. George Terry, colored, will be on trial for the alleged murder of Arch Robb, colored. Jurors are being summoned this week by Sheriff A. C. Francis. The November term and the April term of district court were created last year by a special act of the legislature, giving Midland county four terms per year.

### Eriksens to be in Ft. Worth Some Time

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eriksen, who are visiting John Eriksen and family in Fort Worth, have written to have their paper sent there as they will remain in that city for some time. Mr. Eriksen's health is not good at present.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jacobs and daughter, Carolyn, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Midland, from El Paso. Mrs. Jacobs was formerly Miss Mary Jane Carr of Midland.

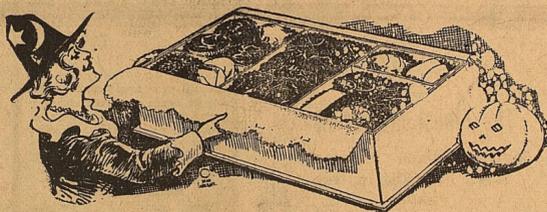
Ell Evans of Abilene has been transacting business in Midland this week.

C. C. Watson has been on the sick list for several days.

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### Advertising Sign Still On Display

Although on account of its bulk the sign which was recently taken about Texas cities on the Midland truck, stating that Midland is the Tulsa of the Southwest, had to be moved off of the street, it is still on display.

S. H. Basham, manager of the Red Star Camp, got permission from the chamber of commerce to locate it at the gate of the camp ground, so tourists who come in may see it and "get the idea" immediately.

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## GIST'S SHOW HERD COMPLETES SUCCESSFUL SEASON AT FAIRS

WON TOTAL OF 127 RIBBONS WITH HIS STRING OF HEREFORD CATTLE AT EIGHT FAIRS VISITED

One of the greatest seasons of prize winnings on cattle exhibits ever known in West Texas, or any other section has been concluded for this fall by John M. Gist, widely known Hereford breeder of Midland. Gist won a total of 127 ribbons at eight fairs.

The veteran exhibitor plans to exhibit this winter and next spring at seven more fairs or sales. His show herds will be taken to Harlingen, Denver, two California shows, El Paso, Amarillo, and Fort Worth.

Gist's winnings were divided as follows: 25 grand champions, 43 first places, 28 second places, 14 third places, 14 fourths, and two fifth places. His get of sire entry, four head from Beau Gudgel were never defeated. The winnings included grand championships an bulls and cows.

Fairs at which Gist exhibited were: Amarillo, Lubbock, San Angelo, Abilene, Breckenridge, Wichita Falls, Sweetwater, and Dallas. The Midland breeder's herd won two firsts, three seconds one third, three fourth places and two fifth prizes in the face of great odds. The herdsmen became ill with pneumonia at Dallas and the cattle were by necessity neglected and finally exhibited without even being washed.

### REGISTERED BULLS MUST SELL HIGHER

PRICES HAVE NOT BEEN IN LINE WITH THAT OF RANGE CATTLE

Breeders of full blood and registered cattle have been selling good herd bulls at less than the cost of production during the years of cattle depression.

Now that range cattle have rapidly come to a much higher price than was brought a few months ago, breeders of registered cattle state that the prices their bulls have been bringing are out of line with present range prices, and they must get more money for good herd bulls, or for bull calves.

This is nothing but sound reasoning. One who buys range cows at \$75 could hardly expect to get the proper kind of a herd bull at around the same price, or for twice that amount.

Midland has always been a good place to buy full blood or registered bulls, and their quality is recognized throughout the country.

Owners of registered herds should be getting good prices for what they have for sale at present.

#### Holt Sell Cows

Three car loads of cows were sold this week from the Holt ranch to a Mr. Francher, of Seymour, for immediate delivery.

#### Bill Bryant Buys Aycock Heifers From Foy Proctor

Bill Bryant bought from Foy Proctor the first of the week, part of the heifer calves from the B. N. Aycock herd. It is estimated that he will receive about 200 head. Mr. Bryant recently sold most of his cows, and is re-stocking with young stuff.

#### McElroy Ranch Co. Makes Cattle Sale

The sale of 110 head of dry cows, 220 wet cows and car load of bulls was made this week by the McElroy Ranch Company to L. W. Anderson and Joe Graham, according to reports here this morning.

#### Pecos Ranchman Here Wednesday

Chas. Goedeke, who ranches in Loving County and over the line in New Mexico, was here Wednesday on cattle business. Mr. Goedeke sold a string of steers to W. W. Brunson here some time ago.

#### Market Strong In Ft. Worth Tuesday

Calves brought as much as \$11.50 per hundred on the Fort Worth cattle market Tuesday.

S. M. Francis sold a load of steers, cows and calves that day, shipping them from Midland.

Cowden and Driver sold 94 head of heifers, having shipped them from Odessa. They averaged 547 pounds and brought \$8.25.

#### J. V. Stokes Jr. Sells Yearlings To Lane Deupree

J. V. Stokes Jr. is delivering 500 head of steer yearlings to Lane Deupree today at the stock pens. Mr. Deupree will ship them to pasture near Amarillo. These steers have been run on the University lease north of Midland which Mr. Stokes has sold to C. D. Bird.

#### Holt Calves Were Shipped Yesterday

The calf crop of the Holt ranch was shipped yesterday, having been received at the local stock yards by

the Livestock Exchange. There were approximately 600 head in this shipment, and about 200 head will be in the lot which will be received April 1.

#### Winkler Gasser Producing Oil

The Texon Oil and Land Company's No. 1 Grisham and Hunter, southeast corner of section 41, block B-5 Winkler county, is producing oil after making 25,000,000 cubic feet of gas for some time. In twenty four hours it produced 300 barrels of oil the middle of the week.

This well is in the eastern part of the Hendricks pool.

A. Harry Anderson will go to El Paso this week end and will remain there next week while candidates are receiving the Consistory work at the Scottish Rite Temple.

### TRAFFIC LAW TO BE ENFORCED BY CITY

BEGINNING TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, ALL RULES WILL BE IN FORCE

Traffic rules and regulations will be enforced to the full extent of the law, beginning Tuesday, November 1, as will be seen in the official notice from the City Council in this issue of The Reporter.

Officers have been dealing lightly with traffic offenses during the time the paving work was under way, and until proper street signs and markers could be installed; but the ordinance which has been in effect since last spring is to be carried out now to the letter, according to city officials.

### Building Home In North Midland

Anderson and Sundquist are building a new home in north Midland just east of the S. W. Estes home. It will be occupied by Mr. Sundquist and his family.

#### SOMETHING ABOUT OIL

There is one thing about the oil industry which is not generally understood, it is one of the most highly competitive businesses in the United States. Competition begins with a mad rush to buy or lease land where oil is actually discovered. The farmer who leases oil land generally makes a larger net profit on his investment, than do the oil companies.

An oil company may be already producing more crude oil than it can use, but let some prospector sink a

well on land adjoining its holdings, and strike oil, and there is nothing for it to do but to begin to drill, in order to protect its own land from being drained dry of oil by surrounding wells. Or, if a company has leased land, the lessor immediately wants his royalty—he does not care whether there is already an oversupply of oil or not.

Nowhere in the world is gasoline sold so cheaply as in the United States. Figures published during 1927 show that average price of gasoline in 86 leading cities of the world was 42.5 cents per gallon. Average price in leading cities in the United States from Atlantic to Pacific, and from Canada to Mexico, was 20.6 cents per gallon.

Rosenberg—Cotton Wood School district will build new four room school building to replace school structure recently burned.

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### LITTLE MISS HYDE TO HAVE PARTY

Little Miss Shirley Hyde will entertain a number of her friends with a slumber party on next Monday evening.

### METHODIST LADIES TO HAVE RECEPTION

Invitations are out for a reception for the ladies of the Methodist church in the home of Mrs. Addison Wadley on next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. According to Mrs. Prothro, more than 90 invitations have been issued.

### HALLOWE'EN PARTY IN PATTERSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patterson entertained with a clever and interesting party at their home on last evening, honoring Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Patterson, recently moved here.

The rooms were attractively decorated in black and orange, carrying out the timely motive of Halloween. The talley cards were black witches in clever design and the luncheon cloths for the 8 tables, were orange and white crepe paper with napkins of the same design. Candies in black and orange further carried out the color theme.

The ladies were costumed and masked and the men acted as judges of the best costumed lady. The prize was a handsome bridge set.

Mr. C. E. Patterson, honor guest was presented with an eversharp pencil set. Mrs. C. E. Patterson, also honor guest was presented with a beautiful doll pin cushion dressed in a costume of '76. Mrs. Jack Hazeltine was awarded high score gift for the ladies, which was an attractive box of highly perfumed dusting powder. Mr. Ben Belt won high score for the men and was presented with a leather cigarette case. Dave Smith cut high and was given an attractive ash tray.

Refreshments consisting of Fruit salad in orange cups painted with clever faces on the sides, Orange

Iced Cake and Coffee were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. George Abell, Mr. and Mrs. Bayer, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hazeltine, Mrs. W. E. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yeager, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Buck York, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ulmer, Mrs. E. H. Stafford, Mrs. Jordan of Amarillo, Mr. R. E. Wilder and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Patterson, guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davidson, Mr. Joe Kilborne, Bob Patterson, Mrs. McCool, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Kopp and Mr. Ben Belt.

### MOTHER'S CLUB WITH MRS. ELLIS COWDEN TODAY

The Mother's Club met in the home of Mrs. Ellis Cowden today, with Mrs. A. P. Baker as leader.

### FINE ARTS CLUB WITH MRS. BAKER

The Fine Arts Club met in the home of Mrs. A. P. Baker Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Baker and Miss Lois Patterson as hostesses.

In the absence of Mrs. Parks, Mrs. Earl J. Moran, vice president, presided. In a short business session, Mrs. Fred Cowden was elected to represent the club at the Federation meeting, El Paso in November. Miss Lotta Williams was appointed to serve on the flower committee, taking the place of Mrs. Donald Hutt, resigned.

Mrs. Earl J. Moran, leader for the afternoon, gave a most inspiring talk on Music in the heart before she introduced the speakers of the afternoon.

The following program was given with credit to each speaker: "The School of Music" Miss Lois Patterson; "Music Week", Miss Lillie B. Williams; "Children and Music", Miss Clifford Heath; "Community Music," Mrs. Paul T. Vickers; three victrola selections.

The next meeting will be in the home of Miss Lydie Watson with Mrs. J. Tom White joining Miss Watson as hostess on Wednesday afternoon, November 9th.

### MIDLAND MAN MARRIES BELTON GIRL

Miss Lucile Loyd of Belton and A.

H. Anderson of this city were married at the home of Rev. and Mrs. George F. Brown, with Rev. Brown reading the ceremony. Miss Clara Bell Lanham also of Belton accompanied the couple.

The bride is a member of a prominent Belton family and the groom is a well known business man of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will be at home at the Estes apartments.

### BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE TO CELEBRATE HALLOWE'EN

The young people of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. G. T. Sandidge on Monday evening to take part in the revels of Halloween night.

Every young lady and young man in Midland of Baptist belief are invited to attend this social function.

### SURPRISE DINNER FOR MRS. FLANIGAN

Mrs. J. M. Flanigan was surprised with a delightful birthday dinner on Tuesday evening when Miss Emily Flanigan and Miss Dorothy Ratliff prepared the dinner in Mrs. Flanigan's absence, and acted as hostesses to several close friends of the family for the lovely occasion.

The center piece on the table was a bowl of beautiful roses. At Mrs. Flanigan's place were many lovely gifts among which was a substantial check from her son, Jim Flanigan Jr. who is away from home.

### METHODIST MEET IN JOHNSON HOME

About 25 women met in the home of Mrs. M. D. Johnson yesterday and spent the day sewing for the orphan girl, who is being supported by the local society.

At the noon hour a bountiful lunch was spread for those present and with Rev. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. W. W. Lackey and Mr. M. D. Johnson as guests.

All the outlined sewing was completed and the box packed ready to mail.

### CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR GO ON PICNIC

About twelve members of the Christian Endeavor of the Christian Church drove out beyond Poplar Grove last evening for a weenie roast. After some time spent in roasting weenies and marshmallows the party enjoyed various games until a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Leezer chartered the party.

### DELPHIAN CLUB WITH MRS. TOM WHITE

The Delphian Club met in the home of Mrs. J. Tom White yesterday afternoon.

In a short business session Mrs. Jeff Haynie was accepted as a new member. After the roll call and reading of the Minutes, Mrs. Ray Sindorf took charge of the program. The general discussion being, "The Land of the Pyramids." Mrs. Sindorf very nicely handled this discussion. The following program was enthusiastically rendered: "The Physical Features of Egypt," Mrs. Bert Weekly; "Nilometers," Mrs. Foy Proctor; "Egypt and the Modern Man," Mrs. Sam Preston; "Sources of Egyptian History," Mrs. George Ratliff; "Prehistoric Egypt," Mrs. A. P. Baker; "Egypt to the Pyramid Age," Mrs. Marvin Ulmer; "The Pyramid Builders," Mrs. L. A. Arrington.

The club will meet on November 10th with Mrs. Foy Proctor.

### BAPTIST W. M. S. TO HAVE VISITING DAY

Members of the Baptist W. M. S. are asked to meet at the Church Monday afternoon at 2:30, at which time they will visit the sick and the shut-ins during the afternoon.

Duke Kimbrough made a business trip to McCamey yesterday returning this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Proctor and daughter are here today from McCamey.

Mrs. J. P. Strong and daughter arrived this week from Ocate, New Mexico, and are visiting Mrs. Strong's mother, Mrs. W. D. Price.

R. V. Hyatt and family returned this week from a trip of several days in Dallas.

Clyde Willingham of Dallas has been in Midland this week, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Willingham, his sister, Mrs. David M. Ellis, and his brother, Harvey Willingham.

Mrs. J. J. Kerby has been ill for several days, but was somewhat better this morning, according to Mr. Kerby.



### RUSSIAN COSSACK CHORUS

SERGEI SOCOLOFF, director of the famous Russian Cossack Chorus, which is to appear here soon, was a noted conductor in Moscow at the outbreak of the war and in 1920 organized the Cossack Chorus in Serbia.

The group appeared with great success at the Royal Conservatorium in Milan, Italy. A year's tour of Italy followed, and then a long season in France, where the singers made a tremendous hit. In Spain, Mexico, and the Central republics, their work was also a triumph of artistry.

There are fourteen singers in the chorus.

### Successful Practice For Musical Program

A very successful rehearsal was held last night for the song and musical program which will be held by Midland musicians at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

The singers had each song so well in hand that it was decided that another rehearsal would not be necessary. All singers are asked to be in the rooms on the northwest and southwest of the Baptist Church by 7:15 Sunday evening.

The song service will start at 7:30.

Mrs. Richard Casey will leave today in response to a telegram stating that her mother, who lives in Homer, La., is seriously ill.

Mrs. Bert Weekly motored over from Odessa yesterday to attend the meeting of the Delphian Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Roby Elland are in from the ranch south of here today.

Guy Cowden and family returned yesterday from a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Means on their Davis Mountain ranch.

### Change In Weather Indicated Today

With a hazy sky, a south breeze, and some sand in the air, a change of weather is indicated today after weeks of still, fair weather.

Ranchmen are reporting a need of rain, and many of them have had to run engines at watering places during the last week on account of the failure of wind to blow.

A good rain at this time would mean much toward helping out winter pastures.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Stafford arrived Wednesday from Waco, and will visit in Midland for some time. Mrs. Stafford was formerly Miss Essie Cowden.

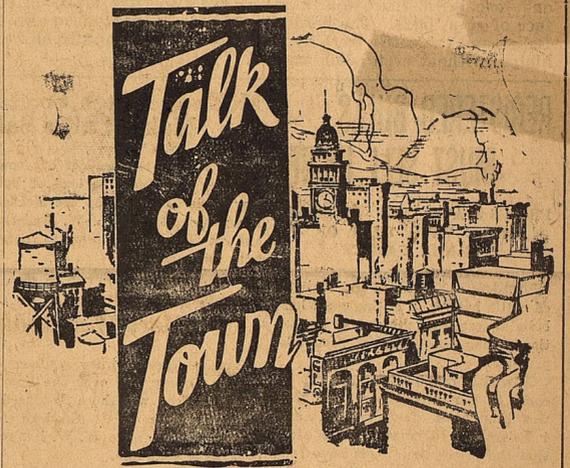
Mrs. Vergil Cole and Miss Lula Elkin motored to Lubbock today to see the game between Tech and A. & M.

### Livestock Exchange Ships 40,000 Head

More than 400,000 head of cattle have been shipped from the general Midland area of West Texas this year by the Livestock Exchange of Midland and Des Moines, according to Leon Goodman, president. The Livestock Exchange has shipped out 20,000 head in the past 40 days.

The Livestock Exchange will ship two cars of steer calves to northern feeders on Nov. 12, and Elkin Bros. and Goodman will ship two loads out shortly. Goodman, holder of two college degrees, and reared far away from the native haunts of cattle, having been brought up in Des Moines, Iowa, is now one of the biggest cattle buyers in America, and he has made his own cuts. He now lives in Midland.

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