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CRANE IS NAME OF NEWEST OIL TOWN

CRANE COUNTY TO HAVE TOWN-SITE IN NEW OIL FIELD

A survey was completed the first of the week by Estes Bros. and Cochran of Midland for the new town of Crane, in Crane County, forty-five miles southwest of Midland. This proposition is being handled by Messrs. Kinnison and Cox, of McCamey, according to the surveyors. The town is located on a strip of land on sections 40 and 42, being 177.6 acres from the land of Mrs. F. M. Stevens. It is between the Jax M. Cowden and J. T. McElroy ranches, and is located about two miles east of the Gulf-McElroy Crier field, and four miles north of the Church and Fields field. The surveyors predict that the town will go over in good shape, and that several lots have already been sold.

J. B. RHEA'S DEATH OCCURED YESTERDAY

FUNERAL SERVICES SET FOR THIS AFTERNOON AT RHEA COTTAGE

J. B. Rhea, a leading citizen of Midland for the past twenty seven years, died at his home here yesterday afternoon, after an illness that has lasted continuously for several months. Captain Rhea was preceded in death by his wife on the seventeenth of October. The couple came here from Palo Pinto County in 1899, and had formerly lived in Illinois. Their lives had been filled with interesting experiences. Captain Rhea's brother was here from Illinois, at the time of his death, also his son, Col. James C. Rhea of Boston. The deceased was born in 1841, and his death came just two days after his eighty fifth birthday. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2:30, at the Rhea Cottage, the Rev. George F. Brown, pastor of the Baptist Church, officiating, and interment will be in the Midland cemetery.

Highway To El Paso Is Nearly All Good

Motorists to and from El Paso declare that the road is nearly all good for good fast driving. The stretch between Barstow and Pecos, only 8 miles, seems to be the only real drawback at present, and it is likely that this will soon be corrected. A Big Spring Man is reported to have driven from that city to El Paso in nine hours one night last week. Other similar runs have been reported. It may not be that all motorists will want to make such a fast drive, but is a comforting thought to know it can be done.

Paving Picture Show At Reporter Office

Pictures showing the benefits of paving in various towns and cities of Texas may be seen in the Midland Reporter office. A balopticon machine was installed Wednesday by T. D. Shiels, West Texas representative of the Portland Cement Association. The machine operates automatically and shows pictures in natural colors. Those interested in seeing the proposed bond issue for paving the main streets of Midland carry on Nov. 23, will find information and entertainment by seeing the free picture show in the Reporter window.

1926 RAINFALL TOTAL IS TOTAL 18.28

January	.52
February	.22
March	1.89
April	4.20
May	1.33
June	3.04
July	1.84
August	.67
Sept	1.07
October	3.12

NEW TRADES DAY FEATURE LIKELY

NOVEMBER 13 IS DATE OF NEXT BIG BARGAIN DAY IN MIDLAND

Next Trades Day will be Nov. 13. No special program has been arranged for the day, but plans will likely be announced for a stunt race that has created big excitement everywhere it has been held. Boys and sport lovers, especially, are invited to be present at the drawing Saturday Nov. 13 to hear plans for the stunt race. People are reminded to call for their Trades Day Tickets. Not many have been issued this month, so, the holders of tickets will have that much better chance to win a prize awarded by the Midland business men who give away tickets.

Paving Will Attract More New Citizens

"Paving the Main Street of Midland may not actually bring new oil people to your city, but when oil men come here who are looking about for some town to live in, the paving will help to decide them to stay in Midland. I can remember when Breckenridge was a village in a mud hole. It seemed as if new life sprung up in the city as soon as paving started, and I believe paving had something to do with making Breckenridge the best city of all the oil field towns in that region."

West Texas Press Association Planned

Through the initiative and efforts of J. L. Martin, editor of the Snyder Signal, and W. E. Reid, editor of the Colorado Record, a meeting has been called in Colorado for November 20, at which time West Texas editors and newspaper publishers plan to organize a West Texas Press Association. Letters have been received by Mr. Reid from a number of editors, signifying their intentions of being present, and a good program has been arranged.

Frank Kistler Is Wealthy Man

Frank E. Kistler, former real estate man of Midland is a wealthy man. While he lived in this country, it is said that he would have money one day and would be over his head in debt the next. He is said to have left Pecos a few years ago penniless, a mercantile house having attached his automobile to settle a judgment against him. Now comes a story in the Denver Post telling of the purchase by Frank Kistler of the country estates of Horace Bennett and Waite Phillips for a consideration of \$1,500,000. A detailed write-up follows, telling of the place in society and industry the Kistler's are filling in Denver.

Christian Church Has Called Pastor

Members of the Christian Church of Midland have called the Rev. Geo. D. Dickinson, of Longview as pastor of the church here. It is expected that Bro. Dickinson will arrive here soon to begin in his new position. The Christian Church has just been ended a fine revival, and the interest in the church has been greatly increasing.

Walls Almost Up On Nobles Building

The crown will soon be laid on the walls of the new J. O. Nobles building on the highway street. Work has been going ahead at a rapid rate all this week in spite of the rain and bad weather.

CATTLE SALES AND DELIVERIES GETTING BUSY IN THIS SECTION

CATTLE AND OIL ARE RIVALS FOR ACTIVE OPERATIONS IN MIDLAND COUNTRY. RANGE IN GOOD CONDITION

With the movement and sales of hundreds of head of cattle, the cattle business has been a rival with the oil operations in creating interest here this week. The deliveries of calf crops will continue through the greater part of the month, it is believed, some of it being held up on account of rains and bad weather.

The rains have covered practically all of the adjacent range, and cattle are going into the winter in better shape than they have been in at this season of the year for a long time. Rains fell a little later south of Midland, but the warm weather held on long enough to insure much good weed and grass crops even down that way.

S. M. Francis bought one load of heifer yearlings, one load of heifer calves, and one load of cutter cows from Frank Ingham and Chas. Sanders, from their ranches near Stiles the first of this week. He also shipped out two loads of cows and yearlings Saturday night bought from Hayden Miles of Andrews.

O. B. Holt Jr. received a string of steer calves last Monday which he bought from K. E. Nutt. George Ratliff has delivered about 100 head of the steer calves he recently sold to Elliott F. Cowden. Billie Brunson is delivering about 150 head of calves to C. M. Baum, to be shipped to Illinois feed lots.

William Pyle shipped one car of cows to Fort Worth on October 26th. Sam Kelton shipped a car load of cattle to Fort Worth on October 27. Bird and Nance have ordered twenty cars for November 8, to ship calves to Miller, Kansas. They will ship ten cars to Fort Worth the same day.

Scharbauer and Eldson are receiving this week about 300 head of steer calves from B. N. Aycock, to be put on the ranch near Judykins. Dick and R. B. Cowden are to deliver their steer and heifer calves, about 300 head on November 15th. F. M. King will ship two cars of calves from Metz to California on November 10th, and four cars from Stanton.

BROWN ERECTING BUSINESS HOUSE

H. B. DORSEY TO OCCUPY NEW BUILDING BACK OF MEEKS STORE

Z. T. Brown is having a building erected on his lots just back of the Meek's Furniture Co. and the White House Grocery, fronting north.

The building is being built by John Winborne and Lynn Butler. It will be twenty-six by fifty feet, constructed of sheet iron and sheet rock, with a concrete floor. The floor is practically completed, and a sidewalk is being laid in front.

An alley is left just behind the Meeks store and the White House Grocery, to allow freight wagons to load and unload. The new building is to be occupied by the H. B. Dorsey boot and saddle shop.

Coontown Wedding Tonight's Feature

"The Coontown Wedding," the second home talent event of recent weeks, will be presented to the public tonight at the high school auditorium.

The colored parson will create a laugh, and the wedding of Mr. George Washington Bones to Miss Amanda Eliza Shinola is expected to be witnessed by a large crowd. Old darkey songs will be given at the "Coontown wedding," and the music will be good, according to those who have witnessed the rehearsals.

Report New Showing In Winkler Wildcat

The fourth showing of oil in the Westbrook-Hendrix well, section 42 block B-5, Winkler County, has been reported, and it is said that this showing is of much higher gravity than the oil previously seen. It is reported that the hole has filled 400 feet in oil from a sandy lime at 2965 to 2985 feet.

Coon-town wedding at High School auditorium tonight.

CRANE AGREEMENT DEAL COMPLETED THIS WEEK

RUMORED THAT NEW LOCATIONS ARE TO BE MADE NEAR COSDEN-CONNELL

Sam McKinney this week sold the southwest quarter of section 2, block X, Crane County to the Connell Oil Company, Eldorado, Kan. Terms of the deal were not made public. This lease is two miles north of the Marland-D. Hughes, section 88, block X, which is a producer.

Unconfirmed reports were heard this week that five new locations had been made in the general vicinity of Cosden Connell No. 1-A, but information was so meagre that the rumor was generally discounted by oil men here.

Material is moving out for Marland No. 1 on the Tobé Morton ranch on the line of sections 20 and 21, block B-12, Winkler County. Simms Oil Co. has made location on the west half of the northeast quarter of section 88, block X, Crane County.

Exploration-Appelt No. 1, section 39, block 45, Ector County has resumed drilling after a fishing job. The well was variously reported to have resumed at 3,825 to 3,875. Exploration No. 1 Slaton, section 10, block 45 Ector County, has a fishing job.

Water Exhausted In Cosden Connell No. 1

It is reported that the salt water which appeared in Cosden-Connell No. 1-A, section 13, Block B-16, Ector County, last week has been exhausted and that the gas is increasing. The fluid is still standing 2,000 feet or better in the hole.

Tried To Rob Taylor's Drug

Thieves attempted to break into Taylor's Drug Store Tuesday night using a skeleton key on the back door. The lock could not be pried, however, and the key was broken off in the door.

M'CCLINTIC BROTHERS TO ERECT BUILDING

WILL ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AT ONCE FOR STORE BUILDING ON MAIN

According to an announcement by C. A. McClintic yesterday, McClintic Bros. have closed a deal for a five year lease on a building which they will erect immediately on their twenty five foot lot adjoining the post office on the south.

This property is an east front, Main street location, and will make an ideal stand for whatever business goes into it. Mr. McClintic states that it will be a first class building, and one that will add greatly to the appearance of Midland's principal street.

Directors Urged To Attend Meeting

Directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce are called to meet Monday night at 9 o'clock in a session of more than ordinary importance. Every member of the board of 11 directors is urged to meet in a session which will likely last less than 30 minutes. Action is contemplated which it is believed will mean much to Midland's future.

Ford, Clothes And Gun Stolen

When Chas. Edwards returned to his ranch house near Monahans Tuesday night about eight o'clock, he found that the house had been entered and soon discovered the loss of his best clothing, his suit case, and his 30-30 rifle. The house was locked when he left, but the key had been found in some way by the thief. On investigating further, he found that his Ford coupe had been taken from the garage. It had been previously filled with gasoline, had new tires all around, and was ready for the road. On checking up along the highway, it was found that the car had not gone east by the pink boll worm station. No other clues have been given out.

Unique Advertising Method Is Planned

Sketch of matter proposed to go on an electroplate to be used in advertising Midland has been approved by the Chamber of Commerce. The advertising matter as proposed by Director Ralph M. Barron carries a map of Midland and surrounding counties, giving distances to oil fields, showing the T. & P. Railway and the Bankhead Highway and Midland's main sources of actual and potential wealth—cattle, cotton, maize, melons, vegetables etc., together with brief descriptive matter and is designed to be printed on the backs of envelopes.

The plate will be left at the Midland Reporter office, and all business men who desire will have the use of it in having the advertising matter printed on the backs of their envelopes. If all the business men and others interested will use this advertising, Midland's message will be spread throughout the country at a nominal cost.

Mrs. Gray Plans To Build House

Mrs. George Gray, who returned last week from Pasadena, California is planning the erection of two houses in the north part of town soon. The definite location of the houses has not been given out. They will be neat five or six room houses, and will be rented.

Library

An American Tragedy by Theodore Dreiser, one of the most forceful critics America has produced. Stewart P. Sherman, says of the book: "I do not know where else in American fiction one can find the situation here presented drawn so fearlessly, so intelligently, so exhaustively, so veraciously, and therefore with such an exceptional moral effect." Library opens Monday, Wednesday Saturday—3:30—5:30—P. M.

If Its Job Printing, We Can Do It

PRODUCTION DEPT. MOVES TO MIDLAND

GULF NOW HAS THREE DEPARTMENTS WITH OFFICES IN MIDLAND

Sam Copeland, chief clerk of the production department of the Gulf Production Company, and his assistant clerk and telegraph operator, A. F. Frazer, who have been located in Rankin, are moving to Midland this week to be in better touch with the Gulf's operations.

According to M. O. Boring in charge of the land department here, with connections will be provided for telephone and telegraph, so that accurate information will be available in the Midland office at all times.

REV. L. U. SPELLMANN GOES TO ROBSTOWN

REV. T. O. RORIE JUNIOR TO BECOME METHODIST PASTOR HERE

Rev. L. U. Spellmann, who for the past three years has been pastor of the Methodist Church of Midland, left this morning for Robstown where he will be the pastor. He is succeeded here by Rev. T. O. Rorie Junior, who comes to Midland from Somerville. The annual conference which closed this week in San Angelo definitely announced these changes.

The Rev. Spellmann and his family have filled a place in the religious, social, educational, and civic life of Midland that is hard to fill. They have stood for the right in every issue that has come up, and have been on the side of progress at all times. Robstown will get an excellent pastor and a fine family, and are to be congratulated.

The Rev. Rorie comes to Midland with the highest recommendations, and made an exceptionally favorable impression on the Midland representatives who met him at San Angelo. He, too, is a young man, and should be a leader in the community.

Reception Given Rev. L. U. Spellmann, pastor of the First Methodist Church for the past three years, bade his church members and friends farewell Thursday night at a reception given at the church in his and Mrs. Spellmann's honor.

A short program was followed by refreshments of sandwiches and coffee served by women of the church. The program included a piano solo by Miss Elma Collins, a reading by Dorothy Speed, a violin solo by Ned Watson and a group of vocal solos by son and a group of vocal solos by Mrs. Foy Proctor, accompanied by Miss Lillie B. Williams.

Mrs. J. P. Collins, who was in charge of the arrangements, presented the Rev. Mr. Spellmann to the audience with words of regret over his leaving. The minister then made one of the wittiest impromptu speeches which many in his audience said was the most humorous extemporaneous talk they had ever heard. The Rev. Mr. Spellmann said the transfer to Robstown was made without his knowledge. He lauded the loyal church people and his friends of Midland.

Some members of the audience wept as they told the minister and his wife goodbye following the benediction pronounced by the Rev. George F. Brown.

List Your Rooms Or Apartments

People who have houses which can possibly be converted into apartments or who will arrange one or more apartments in their own residences are asked to call the Chamber of Commerce, Phone 39, and list the apartments. A new list of apartments and rooms is being prepared, and those who may have previously listed rooms or apartments yet unrented are asked to call 39 and re-list their places.

It is urgent that Midland people do everything possible to take care of the new people coming to town. Three people sought aid of the Chamber of Commerce the first day of this week in search for apartments or rooms.

B. Frank Haag has been attending to local matters in Stanton this week.

OIL MEN

Welcome

We are improving our cafe at all times to give you the best possible eating place

COME EARLY OR LATE
We Treat You Right

Crystal Cafe

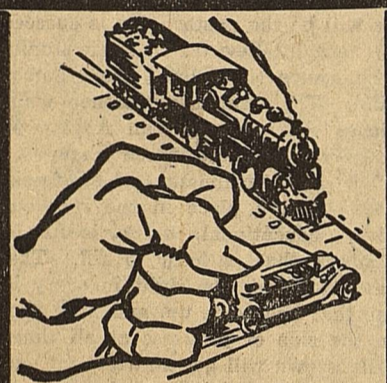
Across Street from Post Office
Tom Flood, Proprietor—Midland, Texas

T. D. FORD M. D.

Physician & Surgeon

Office Over City Drug Store
Office hours 10 to 12—2 to 4
Night Phone 236
Day Phone 230 or City Drug

Mr and Mrs. P. H. Williams were here last Sunday from Big Lake.



FOLLY!

The fist of folly is always smashing men and motors. The hand of carelessness is aboard today and tomorrow piling up wreck, ruin and disaster. Daily the total swells.

YOU, a careful driver, may have to pay for the carelessness of others. You may suffer loss or injury because somebody else was heedless. You should carry complete automobile insurance protection. It is the safe way. Call us up today.

SPARKS & BARRON

Phone 79
Midland Texas

Texas and Texans

By Will H. Mayes

—o—
"Turn Texas Loose"

The Southern Pacific Railroad is seeking permission from the Interstate Commerce Commission to extend its line 28 miles to Brownsville, and it is stated that this will be contested strongly by the Missouri Pacific on the ground that the territory is already served by the latter road. In other words, the Missouri Pacific claims that it got there first and therefore the country it traverses belongs to it insofar as railroad transportation is concerned. The interest of the people is of but little concern, the railroads must be protected against each other, according to the policies of our government. In numerous other sections, especially in the rapidly developing Panhandle of Texas, railroad building is being held back and the development of the country is being retarded because of this idea that the railroads must not be allowed to get into competition with each other in a way that they may lose money. What Texas needs is to have the governmental red tape removed and railroads built, even if the roads should lose money occasionally through competition. Texas is losing more through lack of development than the roads will ever lose through business rivalry.

Cotton Rushed To Market

Reports are that cotton growers and their mercantile and banking creditors are panicky and are forcing cotton on the market to such an extent that the price is being kept down in spite of all the efforts to retard marketing until the price is again up. There has been delay in getting the holding and crop reduction movement under way, and in the meantime there has been manifested a disposition to sell at whatever the crop will bring. It is unfortunate that many farmers either will not or can not enter into agreements that will insure systematic marketing and reasonable acreage plantings. Unless enough do

this there is little hope that cotton prices will advance as they should. It is to be hoped that every farmer who can will use his utmost efforts to aid in restoring cotton to profitable prices.

What Irrigation Does

A. R. Strong has a 40 acre farm near Pearsall, which he irrigates from two shallow wells. This year he marketed 900 crates of lettuce from 3 acres, 1,753 crates of cauliflower from 7 acres, and 531 crates of onions an acre from 16 acres of early Bermuda onions. Besides this he has supplied millions of onion, cabbage, tomato, cauliflower, bell pepper and egg plants to growers and plant dealers in other places and has an acre and a half in citrus fruit. He works the year round, though, and does not spend his time idling around town. Where there is a well and a will there is a way.

What A Girl Did on One Acre

Miss Lorrene Kelly lives at Douglas, Nacogdoches county. At the Farmer's Short Course at A. & M. College, she was declared the leader among the girls' club workers in Texas. She is 18 years old and is pretty enough to be a society leader. On one acre of land she grew this year vegetables and fruit from which she put up 300 No. 2 and No. 3 cans of vegetables, five dozen quarts of vegetables and fruits, two dozen half gallon cans of fruits, four dozen pints of relishes, six dozen pints of jellies and 14 dozen pints of jam, the equivalent of 3,500 cans of vegetables and fruits. She has also made 16 dresses and six suits of underwear, and has found time to make curtains, pillow slips, scarfs and paint the furniture and polish the floors. Miss Kelly furnishes an example of what can be done on a small tract of land if one has a combination of good judgment and energy.

Flour Mills In North Texas

A 500 barrel flour mill has just been completed at Plainview, in that section of Texas, that is producing millions of bushels of wheat. The mill has an elevator with 225,000 bushels capacity. Texas has a number of flour mills, but not enough to handle the immense wheat crop as is now growing, and there is no better place for flour mills than in the middle of the wheat fields.

Turkeys Plentiful and Fat

Turkey raising is becoming a large business in Texas. The crop this year is unusually large, it is stated that the turkeys are already fat. They will be in fine shape for the market, and will bring much money to those who raise them. Killing and picking them and preparing them for market has become a big industry at many points. The Cameron Commercial club is offering \$150.00 in prizes to those who market the largest droves in that town. Brady is to have a Turkey Trot, which is a day when thousands of turkeys are driven to market and people from all around gather to see the sight. Cuero originated the Turkey Trot idea in Texas, and the event's made that city famous throughout the country, and chicken growing has become such an important industry that it is now a felony to steal a turkey or chicken in Texas.

Some Cotton Crops

Nueces and Hidalgo counties have each ginned about 90,000 bales of cotton this year and the boll weevil wouldn't let the cotton grow. Texas lands all the way from Brownsville to Texline are just too prolific to be planted so largely to cotton unless we wish to make it so cheap that all the paupers of the Eastern hemisphere can afford to clothe themselves in cotton.

Utopian Enterprise

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce proposes to drill an oil well on land belonging to the city, from which it hopes to realize enough money to pay all the city taxes in future. It is a great scheme and not altogether visionary since there are producing wells adjoining the land. If the Cisco Chamber of Commerce succeeds in its undertaking, other Texas towns may soon be following the Cisco example.

Supply and Demand

The Waco Times Herald says that bootleg liquor in that city has advanced from \$4.00 to \$10.00 a gallon, and that by January bootleggers in Waco will be so scarce that the liquor will bring \$15.00 a gallon. In other words, bootleg liquor is scarce and hard to get, and therefore brings a fancy price.

One never knows when he is safe from the reckless automobile driver. A man was sitting quietly on his own front porch at Port Arthur, when an automobile climbed upon the porch and killed him.

W. F. Scarborough and Hollis Scarborough were here this week from the ranch near Shafter Lake.

The Armistice Brought Universal Joy

The celebrating and rejoicing was literally world wide. The whole world agreed, for once, and on the only practical basis—common sense.

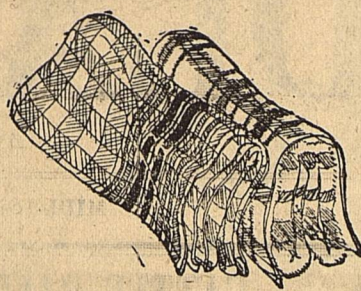
And today is our economic battles there is most satisfaction where common sense prevails.

Whittier said:

"But dream not helm and harness
The sign of valor true;
Peace hath higher tests of manhood
Than battles ever knew."

Midland National Bank

United States Depository
"There Is No Substitute For Safety"



A Sale Of Nasua Blanket --ROBES--

Next Saturday Morning And For
ONE WEEK

Or as long as there is any of these in stock.—Sizes 72 x 84 and 66x80, in block plaids, brocken plaids, Key Border designs and Indian Blanket depart wool, weighs from three and a half to four and a half pounds each, very special values, choice. **\$3.95**

U. S. ARMY BLANKETS—\$3.45.

All wool, O. D. Color with dark border, size 66x84, weighs three pounds each, one of the best blankets for general service use and one of the best values in New Army Blankets to be had, each **\$3.45**

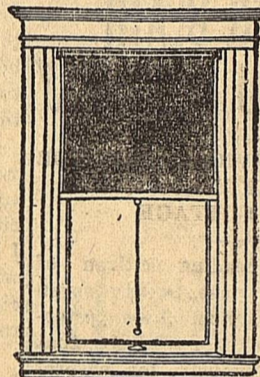
PLAID COTTON BLANKETS—\$2.50

Beautiful plaid blankets, in sizes 66x80, weighs three pounds, soft fluffy finish, in gold, orchid, tan, grey rose and blue plaids very special value, at the pair **\$2.50**

Special Value In Columbia Roller Shades

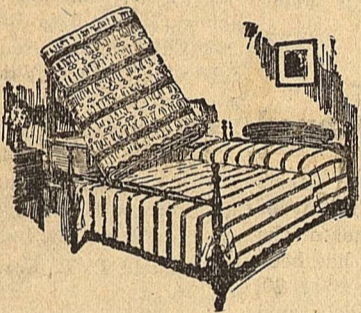
Columbia
WINDOW SHADES

7 Foot, 36 inch, ecru color, scalloped and fringed roller shades, mounted on Columbia Guaranteed rollers, complete with hangers, and nails, ready to hang, each **\$1.35**
Same Shade in 38 inch width, each **\$1.50**
Same Shade in 42 inch width, each **\$1.85**
DUPLEX Shades in white inside, green outside, 36 inch 7 foot size only, each **85c**
Solid Green or Solid Tan color, roller shades, in 36 inch 7 foot size only, each **65c**
All Shades Come Wrapped Complete With Nails And Hooks Ready To Hang



EXTRA SPECIAL VALUE IN MARSHALL FIELD AND CO. SLEEPWELL SHEETS

One of the nicest and best quality, Taped edge sheets, better than pepperell, in quality with the taped edge selvedge that prolongs the life of the sheet. Sizes 81x90, priced special, each **\$1.15**
81x90 SHEETS 98c
We still have several dozen of this case of Chase Sheets left that we continue to offer at this price good quality, size 81x90, extra good value in a good seamless sheet, full size, each **98c**

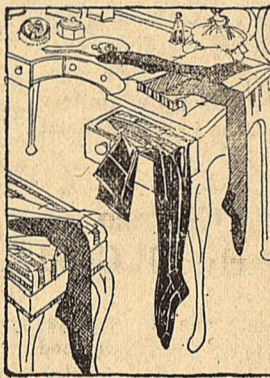


TWO SPECIAL VALUES IN SILK HOSIERY

We offer for Saturday and the coming week, two of the biggest values in Guaranteed Silk Stockings, that we have ever been able to offer.

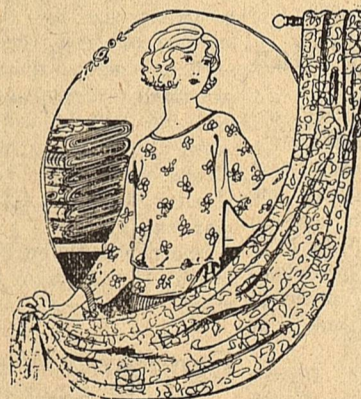
WAYNE KNIT, pure thread silk boot, lisle top and sole, in all the wanted colors. Our regular dollar value, sizes 8 1-2 to 10, priced special, the pair **69c**

ARROWHEAD GUARANTEED STOCKINGS, pure thread, 25 inch silk boot, with run stop above the knee lisle top and soles, all colors, sizes 8 1-2 to 10 1-2 special the pair **69c**



Priced Special For Saturday And The Following Week FIFTEEN PIECES SUITING

These are in allwool, wool and cotton and wool and rayon mixtures, 36 to 40 inches wide including two or three pieces of all wool serge that sold up to \$1.25 the yard. Not a piece in the lot but was priced at 85c and up to \$1.50. For school dresses, Sport Skirts, Ladies Dresses, here is an exceptional value, the yd. **59c**



GILBRAE GINGHAMS 35c—fast color, 32 inches wide, the finest gingham woven. About 20 patterns to select from and very special value at, the yard **35c**

THESE SPECIALS CONTINUED—

A few of the special blanket values left, full double bed size, grey and tan with colored borders that were priced at \$1.35 the pair. Get these while they last, the pair **\$1.35**

18x36 Double Thread Bath Towels 19c and the biggest value in Texas in a good towel, each **19c**

Dress Gingham 11c and the equal of any 15c Gingham, fast color good dress patterns, the yard **15c**

Quilt Challies 15c—yard wide, specially selected designs, soft finish at the yard **15c**

Selling Good Merchandise For Less, For Cash, Every Day In The Year Is Building This Business Bigger Every Day

Wadley-Wilson Co.

ONE PRICE—THE LOWEST—FOR CASH ONLY
MIDLAND, TEXAS



OLIVIA HOBGOOD

Interpretative Reader

Will be presented by

Midland Fine Arts Club

In Recital

Monday Evening

November 8th, 7:30 p. m.

High School Auditorium

Admission: School Children 35c
Adults 50c

PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO CELEBRATE ARMISTICE

APPROPRIATE PATRIOTIC PROGRAMS WILL BE GIVEN IN THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS

Our public schools will observe Armistice Day with appropriate patriotic programs next Wednesday, each program beginning at two o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these programs. The programs follow by departments:

Midland High School Literary Society Armistice Day Program

Opening Song—"Star Spangled Banner"—Literary Society.
Invocation—Rev. George F. Brown.
Poem—"America's Creed"—Page, Literary Society.
The President's Proclamation—Calvin Coolidge—Barron Wadley.
Piano Solo—"The Flatterer"—Chaminade—Helen Hodges.
Talk—"Why We Celebrate"—Foster Brown.
Special Song—"Silver Mist"—Chiliner—Select Voices.
Life of Woodrow Wilson—Robert Caldwell.
Reading—"Gone"—Powers—Eulalah Beaucham.
Clarinet Solo—Selected—Thomas Inman.
Declamation—"The Call of the Canadian Hills"—McCrae—Ida Mae Houston.
Song—"America"—Smith—Literary Society.

Central Grammar School Armistice Day Program

"America"—Smith—The Department
Opening Prayer—"Lord's Prayer"—Bible—The Department.
Song—"American Hymn"—Keller—The Department.
Piano Solo—"Moon Dawn"—Friml-Marie Hill.
Talk—"Life of John McCrae"—Swindells—Whitten Pinnell.
Poem—"In Flander's Fields"—McCrae—Mona Harmon.
Poem—"America's Answer"—Lillard—The Department.
"Row Your Boat"—Lyte—The Department.
Poem—"Our Nation's Dead"—Best Jack Wilkinson.
Sextette—"Keep the Home Fires Burning"—Novello

Nancy Rankin, Artilee Simmons, Dorothy Bess Stanley, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Ida Beth Cowden, Marian Wadley.
Piano Solo—"Narcissus"—Nevin—Martha Louise Nobles.
Song—"My Texas"—Cunningham—The Department.
"The Star Spangled Banner"—Key—The Department.

Primary Department Central Ward Armistice Day Program

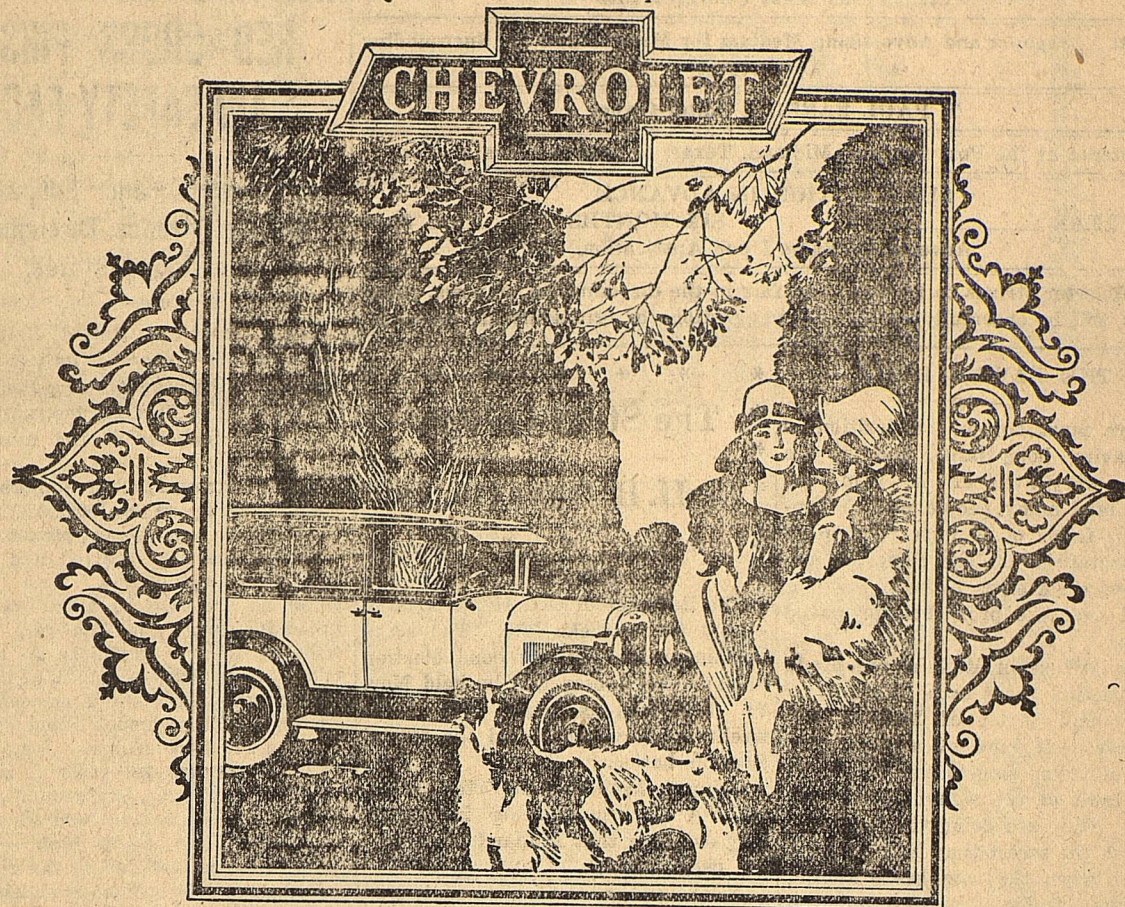
Salute to the Flag—Anonymous.
Song—"America"—Smith.
Prayer—Selected.
Primary Department
The Meaning of Armistice Day—A. W. Stanley.
Military Drill—Sixteen Boys.
Reading—"Flag of the Rainbow"—Anonymous—Dorothy Speed.
Songs—"The Pop Corn Man"—Allen Katydid—Porter.

Primary Department
Reading—"In Flander's Field"—McCrae—Shirley Hyde.
Motion Song—"Hickory, Dickory, Dock"—Selected—First Grade Girls.
Reading—"Twenty-third Psalm"—Bible The Seed—Brown.
Dear Old Glory Flag for me—Rogers—Primary Department
Piano Solo—"Little Wanderer"—Lange—Annice Johnson.
Song—"Brass Band"—Hadley—Primary Department.

Armistice Program
Primary and Grammar Grade Departments—South Ward

Patriotic Pageant:
"The Month of November"—Clark
Characters:
Grandmother—Jennie Lou Ford
Her Grand Children:
Susie—Helen Foster.
Alice—Beulah May Brunson.
Bob—R. L. Damron.
Small children for "parade."
Sam Midkiff, leader.
Johannie Faye Howe
Mary Lou Irwin
Mary Elizabeth Howe
Doris Damron
Robert Dunagan
William Henry Ingram
Angus Hankla
James Patterson
For Tableaux:
Indian Chief—Armon Heffington.
Pilgrims—Franklin Manning and Merwin Haag.
Little Colonial Girl—Jane Dunagan.
World War Soldier—Roy Irwin.
Mother—Louise Kenney
Baby—Doll
Children—Albert Greenhill and Lorena Dunagan.
Wounded Soldier—Kelly Jones.

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QUALITY AT LOW COST

Mrs. Roy Parks was taken ill the first of this week. She left Wednesday afternoon, accompanied by Mr. Parks, for Fort Worth, where she will undergo treatment.

Woman's Case Amazes Midland

A business man's wife suffered for two years with sore, watery eyes, which pained her day and night. Finally she tried camphor, hydrastis witchazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. This helped her at once. One small bottle Lavoptik usually helps any case weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cup free.—City Drug Store.

H. D. Cody was here Wednesday from Odessa on business.

SIGNS YOU CAN BELIEVE IN

If your breath is bad and you have spells of swimming in the head, poor appetite, constipation and a general no-account feeling, it is a sign your liver is torpid. The one really dependable remedy for all disorders in the liver, stomach and bowels is Herbine. It acts powerfully on the liver, strengthens digestion, purifies the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy, vim and cheerfulness. Price 60c. Sold by

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We invite the public to view our special fall showing of Dodge Brothers Motor Cars featuring two of the most important improvements ever made in this dependable and long-lived product

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DODGE BROTHERS
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Attendants—Roy Irwin and Maurice Kerby.
Red Cross Nurses—Dorothy Dunagan and Luella Cobb.
Salvation Army Lassies—Laura Shelburne and Marguerite Brock.
Songs:
The Old Flag Never Touched the Ground.
Long, Long Ago.
The Quilting Party.
America.
Keep the Home Fires Burning.
Just Before the Battle Mother.
Tenting on the Old Camp Ground.
Home Sweet Home.
The Department

Why send your money to old Dr. somebody in Chicago for spectacles when you can get better glasses for less money at Inmans.



Good taste and good health demand sound teeth and sweet breath.

The use of Wrigley's chewing gum after every meal takes care of this important item of personal hygiene in a delightful, refreshing way—by clearing the teeth of food particles and by helping the digestion.

The result is a sweet breath that shows care for one's self and consideration for others—both marks of refinement.



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J. A. Halcy returned the first of the week from San Antonio. He is feeling much better from his recent illness.

Bulletin Issued By Credit Bureau

The first bulletin of the local credit association was issued and distributed to members the first of this week. Merchants are turning in their reports so that the files of the bureau will soon be right up to the minute. Much protection is afforded members on charge accounts, cashing checks, and in other ways.

Methodist Missionary Society

The ladies of the Methodist Missionary Society will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock to observe week of prayer. A program will be given by members of the society members of the church and society are urged to attend this service.

The public is cordially invited.

Farm and Ranch Loans

5 per cent 5

INTEREST RATE—WHY PAY MORE

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CAPITAL STOCK \$20,000.00

We have loaned our 90 borrowing members \$300,000
We take pleasure in announcing a new, low interest rate of 5 per cent. It is good policy to do business with your local Farm Loan Association, among people whom you know. We take your application and look after the details here.

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The Reporter strives to be clean and fair in the dissemination of news. Any errors will be cheerfully corrected. Suggestions or criticisms are welcome.

THE PAVING ISSUE

There must be some opposition to the paving bond issue, but we are hearing very little of it. On the other hand many people who are openly in favor of it have hunted up representatives of The Reporter and declared themselves to be highly enthused over the prospects for paved streets.

New citizens in Midland are proud of the action about to be taken.

The main street of Midland has been the best kind of argument in favor of paved streets this week. It is no fault of the street department either. They are doing the best they can with the street they have to work on, but when the rain keeps falling and the traffic keeps milling, the old street gets so slushy that even a self respecting hog would hesitate to wallow in it.

Many people have been looking at the pictures shown by the balopticon in the window of the Reporter office during the last few days. This machine will be operated from time to time during the remaining days before the election, showing paved streets in other Texas towns and cities. It is the property of the Portland Cement Association.

USE VACANT LOTS

A number of towns are sponsoring movements to plant wheat or oats on vacant lots. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is encouraging the planting of wheat and oats on a larger scale, in its program of diversified farming.

Midland could help the looks of the town by getting wheat and oats planted on vacant lots, doing away with the weed patches that are growing now. The wheat and oats could also be utilized as feed for chickens or livestock, which makes a double value.

Five Thousand People Predicted For Midland

That Midland will have 5,000 people in eighteen months was the prediction of a large property owner of Midland this week. He bases his prediction on the oil development, and states that unless the Connell well or something in that neighborhood comes in, the growth will be slower. However, he believes Midland will have a steady growth regardless.

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Little Chats About Your Health

Health Makes For Wealth

Gladstone said "In the health of the people lies the wealth of the nation."

And after all, the health of the people is but the composite of that of individuals.

Sensible living and early and capable attention to all cases of illness are the safe and simple ways in which you can add to the wealth of the nation and to your own happiness.

You select a particular doctor because you have confidence in him. It is as important that you select your druggist. The doctor is dependent on the druggist for the desired results where medicine is used. You know you have given your physician the best co-operation when we fill your prescriptions when you are assured of the best quality of fresh drugs, of the careful efficiency of an experienced registered druggist and immediate service when you are ill.

Ask your doctor he knows.

FREE DELIVERY

CITY DRUG STORE

The Rexall Store

INSTRUCTION IN RED CROSS FIRST AID SAFETY FACTOR

Its Industrial and Educational Service Spreads Throughout the United States.

Signs that the United States is awake to the menace of its increasing accident toll are apparent in the growing interest in first aid instruction as offered by experts of the American Red Cross.

Approximately 20,000 juniors and seniors completed the First Aid course during the fiscal year, passed rigid examinations and received Red Cross First Aid certificates. This represents an increase of 2,500 over the preceding year, and this gain is attributed to the emphasis on health education by various public bodies including not alone the American Red Cross and Government agencies, but life and accident insurance companies, and athletic and recreational groups.

In Dallas, Texas, playground supervisors are required to hold First Aid certificates. In many high schools the subject is included in the regular curriculum. In order to assist in training instructors for this phase of the work, special courses have been conducted in the summer schools of such leading institutions as the University of Maryland and the University of Virginia. Instruction was continued during the year at Loyola University, New Orleans; University of California, San Francisco; University of Kentucky; Temple University, Philadelphia; Peabody Teachers' College and similar educational centers.

Work with the public utilities group has shown an exceptional increase during the year. Classes conducted by fourteen of the associated Bell Telephone companies were continued with increased interest and a number of the companies sponsored intensive courses in First Aid for instructors.

The First Aid Instruction Car of the Red Cross was busy throughout the year. In the 125 cities visited by the car 900 meetings were held with an aggregate attendance of 94,000 persons.

Membership of the people in the American Red Cross makes such services possible, the annual opportunity of pledging support through membership being offered in the Roll Call from November 11 to 25 this year.

Educators Give Junior Red Cross High Praise

Growing recognition by leading educators all over the world has been an achievement of the Junior Red Cross in the last fiscal year.

Included in those which have taken especially favorable cognizance of Junior Red Cross efforts are the World Federation of Education Associations at Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1925, the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association, at Washington, 1926, and the National Education Association in Philadelphia, June, 1926. Various State educational bodies have confirmed this approval, the report adds.

As a phase of their work, the Juniors have developed contacts through exchange of correspondence, with similar Junior organizations in virtually every part of the world, and through the development of this medium many leaders see a better chance for world peace in future.

An especially notable development of Junior organization has occurred in Porto Rico, with an enrollment of 137,000, and the Philippines, with 912,000.

More than 5,000,000 American Juniors are at work in this organization of the American Red Cross. Their example is held out by the American Red Cross during the Tenth Annual Roll Call for membership, as one for all Americans to endorse by joining the parent organization during the period November 11 to 25 this year.

War Over, But Red Cross Nurses Are Ever On Duty

Has the romantic picture of the Red Cross Nurse faded with the war days? It has been more than 12 years since that first contingent of brave women to go to the war zone sailed from America to make an undying record of service behind every battle front.

For an answer to their whereabouts today, it is only necessary to refer to any large disaster of recent years in which the Red Cross rendered relief. Wherever there was injury and suffering the Red Cross nurse will be found to have been on active duty.

These nurses are enrolled under the American Red Cross as a reserve of the Army, Navy and U. S. Public Health Service, at all times ready to serve in war or peace. This reserve of Red Cross nurses aggregates 43,503 women who have met the highest standard in the nursing profession.

The Roll Call for membership in the Red Cross this year is November 11 to 25, when the American people identify themselves with the broad services of the organization by joining its ranks.

Figure with us on your Job Printing.

DROP in at the ELITE and look for your favorite magazine or newspaper. They are there. 35-1f

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS

I have been instructed by the City Council to get up a statement of the amount you owe the City of Midland for Back Taxes and to proceed to collect same. It will be to your interest to pay these taxes before suit is filed, for every means provided by law will be used to enforce the payment of same.

Yours for service,
J. M. GILMORE,
City Tax Collector. 3-1f

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—My residence in Midland on three acre lot, \$10,000.00, terms. Henry M. Half, P. O. Box 105, Mineral Wells, Texas 49-1f

STOCK NOTICE
Don't be pestered with Stray Stock Phone 67 or 342 and Pound Man will come get them.
J. M. GILMORE,
City Secretary. 33-1f

M. S. Hines represents the Frankston Nursery Co. Everything kept in a first class Nursery. Price very reasonable. Feb. 27

WANTED—To buy Poultry and Second Hand Sacks. Terry Elkin Phone 113 49-1f

FOR SALE—Good close in residence. Well improved place. J. H. Wilkie Phone 261. 44-1f

FOR SALE—Mesquite Wood. \$3.00 a load at my farm. See J. M. Moss Phone 149. 52-1f

FOR SALE—Chrysanthemums. Large variety, all colors. Mrs. W. W. Wimberly. 4-1f

FOR RENT—Two nice furnished rooms. Private Bath. Phone 146 5-1f

FOR SALE—120 acres raw land, across rail road south of college. See B. F. Stanley. 5-2p

WANTED—Librarian. Fascinating work, easy hours, apply in writing to Midland Library Association, care Mrs. Sam Preston, President. 5-2t

FOR SALE—Several thousand Bermuda onion slips. Also Chrysanthemums of all colors. Call 213. 5-4t

FOR SALE—Lots 10 and 11, block 132, Southern Addition to Midland. Complete Abstract will be furnished buyer. Make me an offer.
J. D. Hassell, Box 225,
San Angelo, Texas. 5-4t

FOR SALE—Baby chicks for sale. Barron strain large type purebred White Leghorn baby chicks, \$10.50 hundred. 5-12t

Overlay strain Brown Leghorns, \$11.50 hundred.
Sheppard strain single comb Anconas, \$14.00 hundred.
Owens and Donaldson strain Rhode Island Reds, \$14.85 hundred.
Thompsons strain Barred Rock, \$14.85 hundred.

White Rocks, \$16.00 hundred. All good, healthy, strong purebred guaranteed.

We pay postage charges and guarantee live arrival on all baby chicks. Pullets of any breed listed, \$1.50 each.

Cockerels, good size, \$3 each. Poultry book on feeding and raising chicks and pullets, \$3 postpaid.

THE FULGHUM HATCHERY,
Emory, Texas. 5-12t

Would like to trade up to 340 acres of good tillable land, 320 in cultivation for good dwelling in first class condition with large acreage up to ten acres preferred. Clear property wanted only. Encumbrance on land about ten dollars 33 year loan at 6 per cent, 6 miles from Midland. Inquire at Reporter Office. 5-1f

FOR SALE—Good Jersey Cows. See them at Shelburne's wagon yard. John Waddell. 5-1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—My equity in 5,220 acres of grazing land 25 miles north of Van Horn, county seat of Culberson County. One dollar an acre due the state, 3 per cent interest. Forty years in which to pay it out. Will sell or trade for property in or near Big Spring. Write Geo. W. Flanche, Vincent, Howard County Texas. 6-4t

When you need a carpenter, Call 186. 6-1f

FOR SALE—Or will trade for city property, or land close to Midland, Texas. A real home in Abilene highly restricted. Fairmount addition. Close to school. East front, large corner lot. Address P. O. Box 693 J. M. Prothro, Abilene, Texas. 6-2t

ST. LOUIS Post Dispatch, New York Times, Star Telegram, El Paso Herald, Midland Reporter, and good magazines at the Elite. 35-1f

GOOD RESIDENCE PROPERTY for sale. Excellent location, three blocks from town, close to churches and schools. Has old house on premises, but lumber can be used in new building. Ideal location for apartment or residence. Three lots, southwest corner of block. Ask at Reporter office for information. 52-1f

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Sunday Dinner
6 to 8 p. m.
\$1.00

- Stuffed Celery, Hearts—Salted Almonds
- Fruit—Cocktail
- Soup
- Chicken Ala—Printaniere
- Young Fowl Poulet Roti
- Fillet Mignon Holland Mushrooms
- Potatoes Al Anglaise—French Peas
- Lime Shebert
- Coffee

P. T. A. Has Interesting Meeting

The Parent Teachers' Association met Tuesday at 3:15 P. M. in regular session with 50 members present.

A very interesting lecture on "Home Making" was given by Miss Winfred Elrod, head of the Home Economics Department. Miss Elrod gave the club in a concise manner an idea of what the girls in the Home Economic Classes are being taught with the regard to the buying of foods containing the most food value.

Following the lecture, Misses Ann Wall and Lucille Thomas played a piano duet.

The members were invited to the Home Economics Department to watch a demonstration in foods. Miss Elrod, assisted by members of the Home Economics class, demonstrated the making of Graham Muffins, after which, the members were served refreshments prepared by the Home Economics Classes. The members were then invited to see the new dining room equipment recently presented to the Department by the Mothers' Club.

Don't miss the Coon town wedding tonight at the high school auditorium.

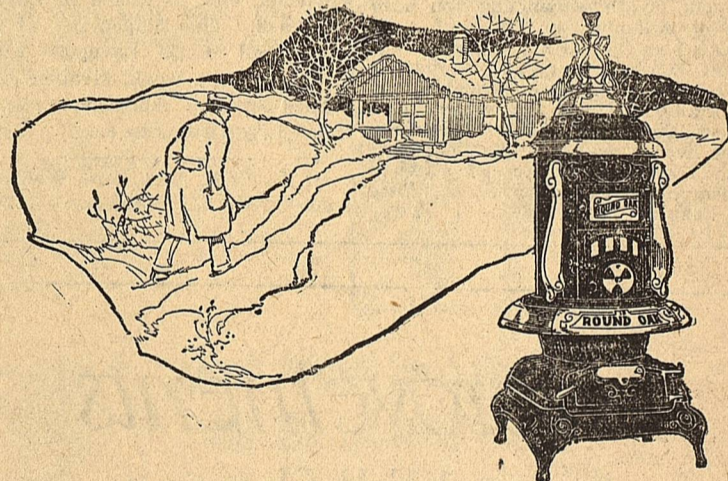
Miss Hobgood To Be Here Monday Night

Miss Olivia Hobgood, head of the speech arts department of Simmons University, will be presented to the people of Midland Monday night at the high school auditorium, in interpretative readings. Miss Hobgood is declared to be one of the leading readers of the country at present. She is president of the Texas Speech Arts Association, and is a graduate of the Curry School, at Boston, and of Columbia University. She has taught in the artist's colony at Estes Park, Colo.

Miss Leona McCormick studied under Miss Hobgood in the Curry School.

Fred Brown, student at Simmons University, writes that he heard Miss Hobgood deliver her reading, "Fix-in's" and that it was the best he had ever heard. He says that every Midland citizen should hear her. The ad of the Fine Arts Club appears elsewhere in this issue.

James F. Ellis of El Paso, is in Midland visiting his brother, David M. Ellis, and may be here for a few months. He has just returned from a trip to California.



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American Radiant Heaters

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- Oil Heaters
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This is New Perfection Demonstration Week.

See the new American Kitchen Kook Stove and Ranges.

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"Quality Merchandise"

"Price Right"

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Pigs—Pigs

A Solid Carload of Pigs, weighing from 50 to 200 lbs.
Good Grade Barrows And Gilts, Vaccinated Against
Cholera
WILL BE SOLD

Saturday, November 6th

Starting at 7 A. M. and Continuing all day, at farm 1
mile north east of town.

Priced Right

Come prepared to carry them away with you.

See
DAN ROSE
AT
LLANO CAFE

See
M. R. HILL
At Farm
One Mile Northeast of
Town

Miss Winnie Johnston and Mrs. H. H. Johnston left last Saturday night for California. Miss Winnie will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnston. Her many friends regret that she is leaving Midland but wish her much pleasure in her new home.

MARKET SATURDAY, at Midland Light Co. office. Parent-Teacher's Association.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rowe and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ellis Cowden returned yesterday from a week's trip to San Antonio, Austin, and Waco.

J. A. Buchanan, Mitchell County farm and city property owner, who has two sections south of Midland, was here Wednesday from Colorado. He was accompanied by his daughter Miss Catherine and Miss Crawford of Kansas City. Mr. Buchanan remarked that he believed Midland would vote the paving bond issue Nov. 23 by a big majority. "Paving has done a great deal to make Colorado grow," he said.

John Speed was here Tuesday from Andrews. He reports plenty of moisture up that way.

See Mr. George Washington Bones and Miss Amanda Eliza Shinola united in the bonds of matrimony tonight at the High School auditorium.

J. W. B. Hogan, was greeting old friends here this week. He has been down in the Ozona country recently.

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Perry Collins, who sustained an operation for appendicitis recently, is up and around, but still pretty weak.

S. R. McKinney was here Wednesday from Odessa and reported a lot of "stirring around" up there.

Idlehour Gets The "Kid Boots" Picture

Manager Williams has again secured a good picture ahead of many of the larger theatres by having "Kid Boots" booked here for November 9 and 10. Golfers are warned that this picture will be a "birdie". "Kid Boots" is prescribed for those who take their golf too seriously. It gives the truth about why golfers go nuts.

S. W. Estes was in from his ranch near Monahans Wednesday. He says grass is good out his way.

John Edwards is lame as a result of spraining his ankle. The accident occurred at Shafter Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McAllister and Mrs. K. H. Irwin were here Wednesday from Shafter Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Moran returned last week end from a trip to Ft. Worth, Dallas, Tyler and other points.

Basil Mims, who has been living at Texon for several months, returned to Midland last week end.

Judge Chas. Gibbs and family have been here this week from San Angelo, on account of the illness of Captain J. B. Rhea.

John Wells returned this week from Sweetwater, where he attended the trial of Paul Kirk for the alleged killing of Crawford Tabor. The case was continued to the March term of court at Sweetwater.

Mrs. W. W. Brunson and Stanton Brunson returned this week from Dalas. Mrs. Brunson had expected to live there during the present school term, but the altitude was not satisfactory.

Jim Waddell and family were here yesterday from the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cummins were in town yesterday from the ranch.

Mrs. Lewis Sharp of Abilene is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. Klapproth.

Mrs. W. J. Moran, Misses Annie Merle, Agnes and Blanche Moran, returned Wednesday evening from a pleasant automobile trip to El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Patterson were in town yesterday.

H. J. Neblett returned last Saturday from Stephenville.

Lester Fisher, Chas. Eberley and Dr. Hall were here Tuesday from Big Spring.

John Y. Francis is here today from the ranch.

S. M. Francis returned the first of the week from Fort Worth.

Don't miss the foot-ball game with Alpine Saturday afternoon, rain or shine.

If Its Job Printing, We Can Do It

Red Cross Volunteer Workers Ever on Duty

Claim for the oldest volunteer knitter in the country is advanced by the Lincoln County Chapter of the American Red Cross at Wiscasset, Maine. She is Mrs. L. A. W. Jackson, who keeps busy knitting stockings for the Red Cross to send to destitute children abroad. The San Pedro, Calif., Chapter has a close second in a volunteer knitter 85 years old.

The annual report of the American Red Cross stresses the service of volunteers. In more than 2,000 Red Cross Chapters the officers and workers are volunteers.

They will act as solicitors in the Tenth Annual Roll Call for members, which the Red Cross will conduct from November 11 to 25.

Nearly 30,000 disabled veterans are assisted by the American Red Cross on an average every month. Care of the disabled veteran is a foremost responsibility of the Red Cross, in which the people can share by joining its ranks during the Tenth Annual Roll Call, November 11 to 25.

The American Red Cross is the official agency of the United States for disaster relief at home or abroad. Join during the Tenth Annual Roll Call from November 11 to 25 and share its services.

Scarcity of water apparently has no effect on interest in water rescue. Arizona, popularly associated with wide desert stretches and cactus, has gone in with enthusiasm for the Red Cross Life-Saving program.

The building of new irrigation dams is rapidly transforming Arizona into a swimming State despite popular conception of that country.

In more than 800 swimming institutes conducted by the Red Cross the last summer, life-saving instruction was given by the Red Cross.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, 7,145 men, 5,408 women, and 16,713 juniors passed the rigid tests of the Red Cross Life-Saving Service, and were awarded insignia. The total for the year of 29,266 represents an increase of 6,374 over the previous year. The total membership of this corps at the close of the year was 102,076.

The Tenth Annual Roll Call from November 11 to 25 is an opportunity to encourage these efforts through membership in the Red Cross.

The Tenth Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross is held this year from November 11 to 25. It is an invitation to you to endorse with your membership its wide reaching service to humanity.

J. P. INMAN

Licensed Optometrist

Office over the City Drug Store

ALWAYS AT WORK TO RELIEVE DISTRESS

Since 1905 the American Red Cross has given relief to 854 disasters in the United States alone. A year seldom passes without a major calamity due to tornado, earthquake, fire or flood. The Red Cross in each case has remained on the job until relief was completed.

Last year the Midwest tornado which struck five states was the outstanding relief operation by the Red Cross. The Florida hurricane in September created a problem which exceeded in proportions any disaster since the San Francisco fire.

By joining the American Red Cross every American can do his part to make its services continuously effective. The Annual Roll Call from November 11 to 25, this year, is your opportunity.

More than 43,000 nurses are enrolled in the American Red Cross. They are ever ready for emergency duty. Every American can do his share for humanity by joining the American Red Cross during the Tenth Annual Roll Call, November 11 to 25.

KNOW TEXAS

The total value of all livestock in Texas is more than \$300,000,000. This state stands first in the number of beef cattle produced.

Figs are among the oldest Texas fruit products. Texas fig orchards will produce in excess of four thousand pounds of fruit to the acre the third year after planting.

The pecan crop of Texas is worth almost a million dollars a year. It is estimated that there are ten million pecan trees along Texas streams.

The rice crop of Texas is in excess of five million bushels a year.

Texas is the leading state in production of Bermuda onions with about two million bushels a year.



The Klondiker who suddenly struck it rich and celebrated by ordering "forty dollars' worth of ham and eggs" was straining his pocket-book in vain—like the man who spends a hundred or more to get style in a business suit when he could do virtually as well by buying

Clothcraft Tailored Clothes \$25 to \$45

Built by expert needlemen, stylish to the last button-hole, thoroughly satisfying to the wearer and his friends. Absolutely guaranteed in writing.

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Midland, Texas

BEST PICTURES

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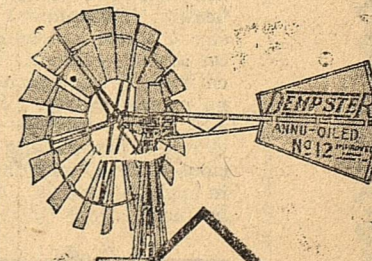
Tuesday & Wednesday
November 9 and 10
Eddie Cantor In
KID BOOTS

Thursday, Nov. 11
Tom Mix In
MY OWN PAL

Friday Nov. 12
Lon Chaney In
OUTSIDE THE LAW

Saturday, Nov. 13
THE MIDNIGHT FLYER

AT THE
IDLEHOUR THEATER



EXTRA YEARS OF SERVICE

The Dempster No. 12 Annu-Oiled Windmill is supreme in construction and supreme in results. Even the lightest winds put it into smooth action and it is built to outlast any mill made.

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WINDMILL

No Secrets to Making Perfect Cup of Coffee

Can Be Achieved By Following A Few Simple Rules Says Famous Cooking Expert

By Mildred Maddocks Bentley
Formerly Director of Good Housekeeping Institute

What is the secret of first-rate coffee—the kind that starts the day right—that makes you feel "like a million dollars"?

Literally hundreds of women—and a surprising number of men—have asked me this question in one form or another. And it's an important one—for what can be more blighting to domestic happiness than a cup of muddy coffee or coffee improperly "creamed"? And, on the contrary, what can be more exhilarating than a good cup—fragrant, golden, delicious?

Luckily there's no hidden secret about making and serving the perfect coffee—it's just a matter of minding your p's and q's and following a few simple directions.

Selection of Coffee

There are many excellent brands of coffee in the market—the choice of one of these is largely a matter of individual taste. But I do want to say that usually coffee in the bean retains its flavor longer than in the ground form—so, if possible, buy the whole beans and grind your coffee fresh for each meal. If, however, the breakfast hour—or fifteen minutes—is too hectic to admit of this extra step, at least keep your ground coffee in an air tight container—a glass fruit jar for instance. And it's well to remember that the more finely the coffee is ground, the easier it is to extract its full strength and flavor—consequently finely-ground coffee is economical and time-saving.

The Coffee Pot

Connoisseurs maintain that coffee brewed in a metal pot has a less delicate flavor than in a container of glass, stone-ware or agate. Whatever kind of coffee pot you prefer—it should be scoured frequently and occasionally "boiled out" with water to which a pinch of baking soda has been added—then rinsed, dried, and left uncovered.

If a percolator is used, the pipe should be carefully washed every day with a brush to remove all scum from the preceding brew.

For drip coffee, if you do not have a special drip coffee pot, an ordinary one equipped with a double cheesecloth bag will serve the purpose. The cheesecloth should be washed in cold water after using and renewed at least once a week. Keep the bag always moist.

The "Creaming"

This I consider quite as important as the actual brewing. Good coffee can so

easily be spoiled by using cream of inferior quality or the "top of the bottle" if carelessly poured off. In my study of food habits, I am finding that every year more and more people prefer sweetened condensed milk in their coffee. You see this kind is twice as rich and creamy as ordinary milk and furthermore already contains sugar, thus serving the additional purpose of sweetening the coffee. Try it for a few days, and I think you will agree that the condensed milk gives a delightfully rich, smoothly blended drink, bringing out the real coffee flavor. And of course it is very convenient, as it keeps fresh without ice even after the can is opened—and the cost is extremely moderate.

Now as to the actual methods of brewing. There are several and your choice is entirely a matter of individual taste. If the directions are carefully followed, any of the methods will yield the "perfect cup of coffee"—mellow in flavor, with a delicate, fragrant aroma, free from sediment and of a dark golden hue.

Boiled Coffee

Rinse the pot with hot water, put the coffee in the pot—one rounded tablespoon of medium-ground coffee to each cup of boiling water, with an additional spoon "for the set." Add a little white of egg, or crushed egg shell and about one-fourth cup of cold water, stirring briskly. Add the boiling water, place the coffee pot over heat, and bring to a full boil. Place on back of the stove or over low heat for about ten minutes to settle, before serving. Do not allow the coffee to become unsteady by careless pouring.

Percolated Coffee

Use one cup of finely-ground coffee to six cups of boiling water. Place the coffee in the strainer in the upper part of the pot and let the water bubble up through the sieve, percolating through the coffee into the lower part, until the coffee is of the desired strength, five minutes being the usual time required. Serve at once. Coffee made in a percolator is not good if allowed to cook after the required strength is reached.

Drip Coffee

Heat the pot by rinsing in hot water, and wet the strainer. Measure carefully the coffee (finely-ground) allowing one rounded tablespoon to each cup of water. Place in the drip-medium and pour boiling water through the coffee very slowly. Cover and let stand to drip through and serve immediately. Do not allow the brew to cool. If service is delayed, place the pot in or over hot water. Never reheat by placing over the fire.

Steeped Coffee

In making steeped coffee use one rounded tablespoon of coffee to each cup of water used, with an additional spoon for the pot. Add cold water. Place over the fire and bring quickly to the boiling point. Then let it stand for a moment to settle or add a little cold water.

Remember—the best coffee will lose its flavor if allowed to stand. Coffee should always be freshly made and served piping hot, as soon as it is brewed. If necessary to let stand, the pot should be tightly covered and the spout closed by stuffing with soft cloth or paper, so that none of the aroma and flavor may be lost.

Who's Who TODAY



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West Texas News

Vernon—The Vernon park bond issue authorized at an election held October 11 has been sold and its proceeds are to be used in the purchase and improvement of a park site for civic activities.

Decatur—Community schools will be conducted in rural sections of Wise county if plans of County Agent Jameson materialize. Rural instruction in terracing is being sought by him through the co-operation of the extension department of A. & M. College.

Clyde—Waterworks and sewer bonds in the sum of \$60,000 were voted here recently by a vote of 3 to 1.

Stamford—Publicity manager E. H. Whitehead and Exhibit Manager B. M. Whiteker of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have begun a week's service tour of more than a score of towns in the Red River District of the organization which they serve. Whitehead will collect material for the November issue of "West Texas To-Day," which will feature the Red River district of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Whiteker will collect specimens for the agricultural display being maintained at the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition by the West Texas Chamber.

Merkel—New and extra equipment for pumping of water into the city reservoirs is being installed here.

Littlefield—Miss Frances Long of Abilene has been designated to break the bottle over the Southern Steamship Company's latest craft, named in honor of West Texas. The christening ceremonies are to be held at Houston on November 6. A special rate of one and one third round trip fare has been offered to West Texans wishing to attend and elaborate entertainment is planned by the Houston Chamber of Commerce.

White Deer—Contract for the construction of two brick business houses has been let by White Deer citizens.

Fort Worth—The best informed men in Texas were invited to attend the meeting of the special committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to consider the question of cotton acreage reduction here Octo-

GOOD RESIDENCE PROPERTY for sale. Excellent location, three blocks from town, close to churches and schools. Has old house on premises, but lumber can be used in new building. Ideal location for apartment or residence. Three lots, southwest corner of block. Ask at Reporter office for information. 52-ff

DON'T forget the good magazines at Elite. 35-ff

Mrs. George G. Gray, who has been living in South Pasadena, California, for several months, has returned to her home in Midland. Her many friends are glad to see her home again.

George Page was a business visitor from Big Spring last Saturday.

Hayden Miles was a business visitor from Andrews Wednesday.

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ber 29. The morning session heard different plans proposed for solving the cotton problem while the afternoon session took up the consideration of these plans and attempted to formulate a workable plan for submission to farmers and business interests of the state.

Cisco—A capacity of one hundred twenty dozen boxes, is being maintained by the No-Chap Manufacturing Company, Cisco's latest manufacturing establishment.

Abilene—Formulation of plans for the inauguration of the "More Feed on fewer acres" campaign of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was undertaken here November 1. Prizes aggregating \$2500 are to be awarded West Texas farmers through the movement which it is hoped will promote cotton acreage reduction and raising of more live stock.

Trent—A Chamber of Commerce was organized here recently by Trent citizens in order to care for problems arising since the oil development boom.

Waco—West Texas towns are to be represented here November 5 at the meeting which has been called for the purpose of planning a campaign to back the Mayfield Bill which pro-

vides for railroads to make extensions without securing a permit from the interstate commerce commission.

Haskell—A "sell a pig, buy a pig" movement is underway here. Business men are selling pigs and rural citizens are buying them.

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Andrews Planning Road Improvements

Andrews County will build a road straight South from Andrews to Clabberhill and build branches to the Ector and Midland county lines, according to County Judge Umberson. It is planned to start this work within a short time. The new road to the Midland line, when connected to the route from Midland, will make travel much easier, it is said.

Arthur Umberson of Amarillo was in Midland the first of this week.

Order Road Work On Rankin Route

Improvement of the Midland-Rankin road over a 20 mile stretch in Upton County is scheduled to be completed early next week. The Midland Chamber of Commerce at a meeting Monday night authorized Ellis Howell to have certain improvements made at a low cost which are calculated to induce more auto travel to come to Midland.

Directors Addison Wadley, T. Paul Barron and Ira F. Lord talked in favor of the proposition to improve this highway, especially as they considered the cost so reasonable for the benefits expected. It is said Midland has already begun to lose business because of the poor condition of the Upton roads. The Midland County roads are in comparatively good condition.

Collins Brothers Buy Buffington Out

Perry and A. C. Collins have bought the transfer business which has been operated for several months by Buffington Brothers. More teams have been added, and the new firm is equipped to handle a growing business.

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Evans Dunagan was a visitor to Midland Sunday and Monday.

ST. LOUIS Post Dispatch, New York Times, Star Telegram, El Paso Herald, Midland Reporter, and good magazines at the Elite. 35-41

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T. & P. Railroad Makes Improvements

Steel signal towers, replacing the wooden towers that have been in use at stations along the T. and P. railroad, have been installed and the one at Midland is now in use. Much easier control levers have been installed, so that the agent can operate the signals conveniently inside the buildings.

Concrete telephone booths have also been installed at every siding along the line, so that any station may be reached easily by telephone.

Midland And Alpine Play Here Sunday

Seas of mud failed to stop the Midland Hi grid squad from continuing their strenuous workouts for the hard battle here Saturday when Alpine comes to play off a tie game with the locals. Coaches D. D. Shiflett and H. C. Searcy are expecting their men to show the visitors how easily a tie may be untied.

Thanksgiving Rate To El Paso Given

J. J. Hamlett, local agent for the T. and P., has received information that another excursion train will be run from Dallas to El Paso for Thanksgiving Day, the round trip from Midland being \$8.50. The train will come through here on Wednesday evening, November 24, at 7:55 and will arrive in El Paso early the following morning.

ELECTION NOTICE

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned.

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, of the City of Midland, Texas, that an election be held on the 23rd day of November, 1926, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of The City of Midland in the sum of TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$25,000.00) DOLLARS for the purpose of constructing and improving the roads, bridges and streets of said City. Said bonds to mature serially at such times as may be fixed by the City Council not to exceed forty years from their date and to bear interest at the rate of five and one-half percentum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to redeem them at maturity as authorized by chapter 1, Title 18, revised Statutes of 1911, and chapter 99, sections 1 to 7 inclusive of the 37th Legislature of Texas passed at its regular session and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas."

"Shall the City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the City of Midland, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) DOLLARS, for the purpose of constructing and installing street lights for said city. Said bonds to mature serially at such times as may be fixed by the City Council not to exceed forty years from their date and to bear interest at the rate of five and one half percentum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to redeem them at maturity as authorized by Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, and Chapter 9, Sections 1 to 7 inclusive of the Acts of the 37th Legislature of Texas, passed at its regular session and the constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held at the Midland County Court House, in the City of Midland, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit:

W. L. Graves, Presiding Judge.
R. V. Hyatt, Assistant Judge.
Joe Youngblood and E. H. Barron, Clerks.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, and Chapter 9, Sections 1 to 7 inclusive of the Acts of the 37th Legislature of Texas, passed at its regular session and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters who are property taxpayers of said city shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the propositions to issue the bonds for the construction and improvement of the roads, bridges and streets of said City shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of Roads, Bridges and Street Improvement Bonds in the sum of Twenty Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars.

All those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"Against the Issuance of Roads, Bridges and Street Improvement Bonds in the sum of Twenty Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars."

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds for the construction and installation of street lights for said city shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of Street Lights Bonds in the Sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars."

All those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"Against the issuance of Street Lights Bonds in the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the Laws of the State of Texas regulating General Elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Midland, Texas and attested by the City Secretary of said city, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the Election to be posted up at the Midland County Court House and at one public place in each of the voting places in the city of Midland, Texas for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said city, and which notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the date of the first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to date of the election.



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Senior B. Y. P. U. Baptist Church 6:30 P. M.

Subject—Worship The Lord.
John 4:1-24; Rev. 5:11-14, and 7:9-12—Mrs. Sandidge.
Introduction—Herschel Arnett, Leader.
Show Forth God's Worth—Dora Wall.
Man Made to Worship His Maker—Pary Brooks.
We Become Like That Which We Admire—D. W. Brunson.
Not A Tryant, Pleased and Flattered Praise—Thomas Inman.
Worship is a Christian Work—Sadie Snyder.
Seek Power For Service—Bill Arnett.
Conclusion—Clinton Myrick.
Worship the Lord and encourage the young people by giving to the B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 Sunday evening, your will to get a blessing that will be well worth your time.

Gaines County Is After Delinquents

The Seminole Sentinel, official newspaper for Gaines County, carried about 15 columns of delinquent tax citations last week, and a news article stated that the County officials are going after these delinquent taxes to the last step.

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Wednesday Club Met November 3

On Wednesday afternoon Club met with Mrs. Frank Cowden. Business being disposed of, report of councillor, from Texas Federation News in which she stated that out of fifty motion pictures approved by the Federation, twenty-seven had been shown in Midland.

Topic for study, James Branch Cabell.
Leader, Mrs. Sam Preston in which she presented a "Biographical Study" in a most interesting manner.

Mrs. Andrew Fasken gave "A General Consideration" of Caubells' Writings" in a splendid paper, followed by Mrs. M. R. Hill in the theme and synopsis of the novel "Jurgen" which was highly appreciated by the club.

Reporter.

Church Of Christ

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Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer were among the Midlanders who attended the West Texas Methodist Conference at San Angelo last week.

FLORIDA LEADS RELIEF RECORDS

Heads Major Disasters of 1926. Red Cross Active in 62 Emergencies in Year.

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Preparedness to Cope with Great Disturbances Gives Good Results in Action.

Facing one of the largest rehabilitation efforts of its whole history, as a result of the Florida hurricane, the American Red Cross already had behind it a record of service in 62 disasters at home, up to the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1926.

When the hurricane struck Florida with such devastation and loss of life, the Red Cross National Headquarters was just congratulating itself that a year had passed without a major disaster within the borders of the country. The destruction in Florida has been tentatively estimated by Director of Disaster Relief Henry L. Baker, of the American Red Cross, in terms of relief work ahead of the organization. This takes into account all sufferers who must be cared for.

Careful surveys by experienced authorities place the injured at 4,000, exclusive of the stricken Gulf Coast cities of Moorhaven and Clewiston. Of the 1,200 injured sent to Miami hospitals, 500 were suffering with major fractures. In two other east coast communities the injured numbered nearly 1,000. The homeless were conservatively estimated at 50,000. Such figures sketch only vaguely the human and material problem which the American Red Cross is still doing its utmost to solve.

For comparison the other outstanding recent disaster, the Midwest tornado of March 18, 1925, can be described in more detail. In that catastrophe the final check showed 800 dead, 3,000 injured and 6,847 families of approximately 30,000 men, women and children rendered homeless. The final relief operations of the Red Cross were brought to a close March 18, 1926, exactly a year from the day the tornado struck five states.

So terrible did the death and destruction impress itself on the experienced Red Cross forces rushed into Florida that Chairman John Barton Payne did not hesitate to call for a relief fund from the whole country of \$5,000,000. The Red Cross concentrated every resource in trained personnel on the stricken region.

The New Jersey munitions explosion, in July, while terrible as a spectacle, could not compare with either of these other two disasters in final destructiveness. It gave the Red Cross an opportunity for service in which Red Cross nurses treated 36 injured, and during the height of the emergency fed between 700 and 800 people driven from their homes. More than 400 cases were registered with the Red Cross after the explosions for assistance in regaining their hold on life through rehabilitation work. This latter is a regular part of the Red Cross relief operations in all disasters, and means a task continued long after the country has ceased to think of the occurrence itself.

The year has seen a new measure of disaster relief preparedness inaugurated by the Red Cross, under which a trained reserve of medical and other relief experts is constantly on call for any service. This preparedness justified itself in both the New Jersey explosion, and in the Florida hurricane. In the latter the Red Cross had at call more than 300 experienced disaster workers with a network of prepared Chapters all over the country. This preparedness, constantly demonstrated, is cited as material assurance that the country is better protected today than ever before from the suffering such misfortunes engender.

Bad as were domestic disasters in both the last fiscal year and recent months, some of those abroad in the same time have been comparable, especially a flood in Mexico. Altogether the American Red Cross served in the name of the American people in more than 15 foreign catastrophes.

The Tenth Annual Roll Call for membership to maintain such activities will be held from November 11 to 25, and is an opportunity for all to enroll themselves in the American Red Cross.

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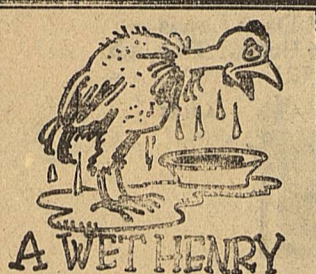
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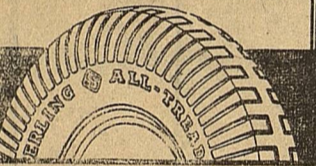


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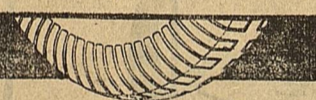
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Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. Blakeney Monday with seventeen members present. Each one was given a scarf to make for the Abilene Hospital.

A business meeting was held after which Mrs. Wimberley gave a very interesting lesson on China's challenge to Christianity. Meeting was discussed by Mrs. D. W. Brunson.

Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. G. T. Sandidge. Had a good crowd considering the weather.

Hope each lady will be present at the Women's Missionary Society Monday afternoon at the church.

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Christian Church

Bible School 9:45.
Preaching 11:00
Preaching 7:30.
Prayermeeting, Wednesday 7:30.
The intermediates and their co-workers will have charge of the opening exercises of the Bible School and we desire that every one of them will be in their place at 9:40, five minutes before time to open.
And let the good work of increasing the attendance go on. It will make us love each other more.

Be on time with a smile.
REVIVAL A SUCCESS
The revival at the Christian Church has been an inspirational uplift not only the Christian Church, but the entire community. Mr. I. E. Adams with his story messages against sin and for righteousness; and his many sweet gospel solos has been the means of uplifting many souls in and about Midland.

While there was only a dozen added to the Church, the church has been wonderfully strengthened and inspired to go forward with greater work.

A preacher, Bro. George D. Dickinson from Longview, Texas has been called to the pastorate who is expected to begin at once.

The Bible School has increased its attendance more than 100 per cent during the revival and it is hoped will not stop at that but increase more and more.

The splendid co-operation of all the churches is commendable and this spirit should be cultivated constantly so far as principals of righteousness are not sacrificed.

This co-operation has been highly appreciated by the Christian Church and we hope to repay at an early date.

May the battle of righteousness continue strong against sin and may be converted to Christ who shall save from an eternal hell.

First Baptist Church

Sunday school at 10:00 o'clock. Classes for all ages. Good fellowship, good teaching and every one welcome.

Public worship with sermon by the pastor at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. We most cordially invite you to meet and worship with us.
George F. Brown, Pastor.

Hill And Rose To Sell Car Of Pigs

M. R. Hill and Dan Rose, as will be seen from their ad in this issue, are selling a car load of pigs tomorrow, at the Hill farm a mile northeast of town. They recently shipped these pigs into Midland, and have had them on feed and pasture for some time. They are said to be a high grade bunch of pigs.

The current issue of Rural Community Progress carried a farm article by Gaines Klebold, and the current number of Progressive Farmer carries articles by H. L. Atkins, county farm agent, and B. L. Moss, owner of the Moss cotton farms.

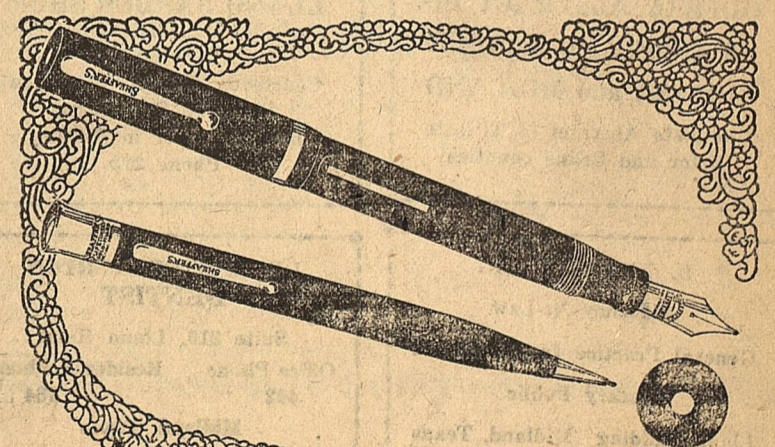
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Senior Epworth League

Subject—War and its alternatives
Leader—Mrs. Stacey Allen.
Song.
Prayer.
Song.
Scripture—Isiah 2: 1-4; 9: 1-9; Luke 4 16-22.
Talks.
What is war?—Mr. Stacey Allen.
The church speaks—Ray Gwyn.
Song.
Announcements.
Benediction.
This is Armistice Day Program and ex-soldiers are especially invited to come.

Good specks for bad eyes at Inmans.

Mr. E. H. Hawkins and Paul Baker were visiting in Midland Sunday from Rising Star.



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