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LOW RAILROAD RATES FOR FAIR

These Rates Ought to Help Materially in Giving Us a Good Attendance This Year

Our efficient fair secretary has received a letter from Mr. Geo. D. Hunter, general passenger agent of the Texas & Pacific Railway Company, which we print herewith and which assures us good rates for the fair.

The letter is as follows: Mr. W. B. Starr, Sec'y. Midland Fair and Inter-State Stock Show, Midland, Texas. Dear Sir: Replying to your favor of Sept. 1st, I wish to advise that we expect to sell round trip tickets to Midland on basis of one and one-third fares from all stations from Dallas to El Paso, inclusive on Sept. 25th. We will also sell on the same basis from stations Abilene to Pecos and intermediate points on Sept. 26th to 30th inclusive, final limit Oct. 1st.

In addition to this we will have popular rates on Sept. 29th from stations, Sweetwater to Toyah inclusive for trains arriving Midland morning of the 29th, limited to return from points east of Midland on date of sale and from points west of Midland to early morning train of the following date.

I trust this is the information you desire.

Yours very truly,
Geo. D. Hunter,
G. P. A. T. & P. Ry.

MILLER TO HAVE ASSISTANT DURING THE MIDLAND FAIR

F. M. Boyd, now with the Miller Studio, comes to Midland highly recommended. Mr. Boyd has worked in a number of the larger cities, and is an A-1 photographer. He is a three time winner of gold medals, having won at Austin in 1906, also at Houston in 1911, where he carried off the medals in the two highest classes in the association.

In addition to being an A-1 studio man Mr. Boyd has specialized in home portraiture, and is well equipped for this class of work which commends itself on account of its individuality and distinctive home surroundings; also its convenience.

The Miller Studio will have on exhibition a complete line of studio and home portraiture samples made by Mr. Boyd, and will be pleased to have the public call and see them.

FAMOUS HAWAIIANS ARE COMING SOON

The celebrated Hawaiian troubadours who are to give a concert at the opera house in Midland on Wednesday, Sept. 13th, will be one of the most novel and attractive musical attractions appearing in the city for some time.

These musicians are all natives of Hawaii and bring with them the costumes and instruments used in their island homes, halfway round the world.

Every member of the company is a thorough musician, their melodious voices blending in perfect harmony with the soft sweet tones of the native string instruments.

They will give a choice program of American and Hawaiian melodies, both vocal and instrumental, bits of native comedy, and native dances in costume.

They come under the auspices of the Midland band and a crowded house is expected. This is the same troupe which played to packed houses in El Paso for over a week and received the best of press notices while there.

VISITING ATTORNEYS TO OUR DISTRICT COURT

The following attorneys were in town the early part of this week in attendance upon district court in connection with an irrigation case from Ward County: Messrs J. A. Buck and W. A. Hudson, of Pecos; Judge W. C. Jackson, of Fort Stockton; Mr. H. S. Garrett, of San Angelo, and Mr. D. W. Eaton, of Kansas City.

Don't fail to see Pauline Frederick, the foremost emotional artist of the stage and screen, in "Lydia Gilmore," at the Unique next Tuesday night.

W. D. Bradley, one of Martin county's farmers, came in Wednesday on a business trip. Mr. Bradley says that range and stock conditions are good in his part of the country.

C. C. Ralley is serving his country this week, being a member of the grand jury. Mr. Ralley reports crop conditions good. He has 50 acres of very fine kaffir corn and 45 acres of maize which is equally as good.

Friday, Sept. 15th, "The Golden Chance," featuring Wallace Reid and Cleo Ridgley, will be the attraction at the Unique. Don't miss this one.



FAMOUS AVIATOR TO VISIT FAIR

The Fair management, through the Lincoln Beachy Company Incorporated, of Chicago, Ill., has contracted for Laddie Laird, one of the best aviators in the world. Laird will loop the loop, fly upside down and give other fancy flying exhibitions. On the Fourth of July Laddie Laird was substituted for DeLoyd Thompson, who has suffered an injury and could not fly at the State Convention of the Elks at Butte, Montana, where he was billed to appear. Butte lies at an elevation of 8000 feet where the air is dry and light, but this did not prevent Laird from giving one of the most remarkable exhibitions of flying ever witnessed. Every feature ever given by any other aviator was given on the program at Butte, and Laird was showered with congratulations by the delighted Elks and other spectators when he descended from the air. Laird comes to Midland direct from the State Fair in Colorado.

There are only five aviators in America who loop the loop and do similar dangerous work, so that Midland is fortunate in securing for the Fair this remarkable exhibition.

During this engagement Laird will give a night exhibition, putting on his regular work, attached to his planes will be huge magnesium lights, so that he will loop the loop in a veritable circle of fire.

Midland's exhibition of livestock and other products, coupled with the magnificent attractions secured would be a credit to any State fair in the United States. You cannot say too much for the Midland Fair.

E. L. Lane, a farmer in the Upton country, was in town this week. Mr. Lane says he has 45 acres of maize which will head a ton to the acre.

Read The Reporter.

ARMY POLO TEAM TO PLAY LOCAL TEAM

Through the courtesy of General Bell, commander of the U. S. A. troops at Fort Bliss, Midland has secured an army polo team to play with the local team during the fair. This will be the only place in the State where a real polo contest can be witnessed. This will be the sixth consecutive year that the Army vs. Midland have contested for honors. Up to the 1915 games, Midland had considered the best of it, but were badly beaten last year, so this will be the most interesting game that they have ever played. Besides there are so many U. S. officers now practicing at El Paso that they will send a better team than ever before. The officers of Fort Bliss are practicing every day and there is great rivalry among the regiments to see which team General Bell will send to Midland.

Miss Annie Mae Klapproth left last Saturday for Snyder, to begin her fourth year's work as a teacher in the Snyder schools.

Wanted—School, public or private. Would take position as governess. Address Mrs. Mae Jackson, Tolar, Texas. adv 48-3t

For Sale—Four room house, 6 lots, well, 30 foot water, pump, in business section of town. Price \$750. Easy terms. Apply to A. R. Toby, Midland, Texas. adv 33tf

G. W. Adams, a former citizen of Midland and now agent for the T. & P. at Baird, is in Midland this week on business.

S. W. Pratt, county attorney of Martin County, was transacting business in Midland this week.

Wanted—Two roomers and a few table boarders. Opposite Midland Mercantile Co., phone 410 adv 47-1f

J. T. Lovett, sheriff of Winkler County, was in Midland last Saturday transacting business.

Residence for Sale—My home on West Wall Street. One of the best neighborhoods and locations in the city. Quarter block of ground. W. D. Ellis, Phone 208 adv 45tf

A. A. Horne, cashier of the bank at Andrews, has been appointed State bank examiner, and left last Friday for Austin to take up his new duties.

PROTRACTED MEETING CLOSED AT WARFIELD

Last Sunday afternoon there closed a most successful series of revival services at Warfield. Services were conducted by Bro. W. H. Rohlfing assisted by Bro. Sam Malone. The community was lifted by the power of God into an atmosphere of the old-time religion spirit. Every one did their part as servants of the most high and as a result of the labors in God's Kingdom. There were two professions of faith with application for membership into the Christian church. These were received and baptised. Three professions of faith and affiliation for membership into the Methodist church, these being received and baptised. One was also received by certificate into the Methodist church. Also the parents of five children vowed to God and the congregation to bring up their little ones under Godly influences and with spiritual instruction to the best of their ability, by the help of God. After this the children were baptised.

Those converted and received by statement into the Baptist church were three, by profession of faith and being baptised and six by statement.

May God bless them all and may they be those of the fruit-bearing kind for the cause of Christ among men.

On Sunday, Sept. 3rd, they had all day service and dinner on the ground at Warfield. It was the last night of the week's preaching services. A one more old-time meeting took place. Every one who was there most assuredly received a blessing. Rev. Thompson, pastor of the Christian church at Odessa, made the afternoon appeal to the unsaved, after which a delegation from the Baptist church at Midland took up the usual proceedings of the reception of members.

The entire congregation drove in automobiles to S. R. McKinney's home where a beautiful pool afforded an ideal place for the services of baptism. Supper then was spread on the lawn and the setting of the sun closed a most beautiful day, one we shall always remember.

Contributed.

"Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast." Hear the Hawaiian troubadours on Wednesday night, the 13th, at the opera house.

Jno. B. Howard, of Pecos was here looking after legal business on Tuesday.



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- Mens Edwin Clapp Shoes at \$7.00.
 - Mens Walk-Over Shoes at \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.
 - Mens work and dress shoes at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.
- And every pair will show a saving of from 25c to as much as \$2.50 the pair.
- The almost phenomenal shoe business done by this little store is built by selling good shoes for less money.

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GRAND OPENING SEPT. FIFTEENTH

Next Friday Promoters Will Celebrate Opening of Midland Lake and Country Club

Messrs. Maulding and Ellis, promoters of the Midland Lake and Country Club, have announced in a full page "ad" in this issue of The Reporter, the date of their opening, Friday, September 15th, and have extended to the people of Midland and neighboring towns a most cordial welcome and invitation to be present. They will provide for their guests in the way of entertainment, a big barbecue with the usual accessories of bread, coffee, pickles, etc., and have engaged for this occasion Prof. Ezzele's celebrated brass band of San Angelo, to dispense good music during the entire day.

As stated before in these columns, we have always believed in and admire the energy and "pushability" of these gentlemen to accomplish all they have said they would do and are doing, and no doubt everybody who possibly can will accept their invitation to be present on this day, and give them the glad hand of encouragement.

Every big and good project that ever was launched in any section has had more or less to contend with by criticism, "show-me's" and skeptics, but where the proposition was one of merit, and for the betterment and enhancement of a city's good and welfare, as we believe this undertaking is, the result has been triumphant success.

The Midland Lake and Country Club is to be run and managed upon a high plane of morality and social dignity, and the rules and

regulations of the club will not permit any liquor being used upon its grounds or property, and no gambling in any form will be permitted, and no member will be accepted or solicited who does not obligate themselves to abide by such rules.

We are now living in an age where recreation and innocent amusement is necessary to the health and happiness of both old and young, and the old saying of "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" is certainly true.

The Midland Lake and Country Club, with its lake, grounds and big automobile speedway of one and one-half miles in length around its property. The untold benefits to be derived from this great and modern attraction to the city of Midland and its people are many, and will become one of its greatest assets. The untiring and pushing efforts of Messrs. Maulding and Ellis, under criticism and difficulties, ought to have the hearty support, both moral and financial, of every good man in this county and vicinity.

The work of the burros shipped in from South Texas has been perfect in the results obtained, that of tramping the bottom of the lake, and four big wells, including the railroad well, will in a day or so be pumping thousands of gallons of water into the lake, which is now in a condition to receive it.

Again we call the reader's attention to the page advertisement appearing on 5th page of this issue.

A. G. Speagle, of Cisco, is a guest of W. B. Starr and family this week.

THE OPENING OF MIDLAND COLLEGE

Representative Audience Witness the Opening Day Exercises Held in College Auditorium

The seventh annual opening exercises of Midland College were held at the college building on Monday, Sept. 4th, at 10:30 a. m. There were excellent numbers by Misses Holland, Brown and Pritchett, and instructive addresses by Judge S. J. Isaacks, Hon. W. A. Hudson, of Pecos, and Judge Jackson, of Fort Stockton.

Pres. F. G. Jones announced that the school had present two per cent more than those present at the same date last year. Domestic arts and science were announced free to all who enrolled in any department of the college work. He stated that Miss Ivy I. Lay who has had five years of preparation for this work would extend free instruction to the ladies of the city if they wished to form the customary civic club.

The down-town studios were announced, viz: Piano at Mrs. Chancellor's just across the street from the high school building; expression and art at Mrs. J. Wiley Taylor's, just across the street from the high school.

Midland College has the largest enrollment of students it has ever enjoyed and prospects for splendid work in all departments were never quite equal to those of this year.

O. E. Lawson, ranchman from Stanton, was in Tuesday and reports good rains and a 90 per cent calf crop.

OPENING OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Total Enrollment Shows Marked Increase Over Last Year. Other Encouraging Features

On last Monday morning at the opening of our public schools, perhaps the largest crowd that ever attended a public school opening in Midland crowded into the high school building to witness the excellent opening exercises for which our high school has been so long famous. Many came who were not able to find room in the assembly room, and were compelled to remain in adjoining rooms, in the halls and on the gallery. Conspicuous among those who were present were the loyal enthusiastic alumni, who came in great numbers, and who always come in great numbers, to renew old associations, revive pleasant memories, and witness with fondest appreciation the steady progress and ever increasing efficiency of our splendid high school, their alma mater. Many were new pupils who were coming to Midland for the first time to enjoy the privileges of our excellent school system. Many of these have moved to Midland with their parents, while some were among those who come to Midland each year from Texas and from New Mexico for the benefits of our schools.

The opening program of the high school was interesting and impressive. It consisted of memory selections by the high school, the pupils reading in concert and from memory, some of the best selections in American, English and Hebrew poetry; of grand anthems and choruses by the high school chorus of something like one hundred voices; of violin solos by Professor Maurice Derdeyn; and of brief addresses by Rev. Ernest Quick, of the Baptist church, President F. G. Jones of Midland College, and Supt. Lackey of the city schools, the devotional exercises being conducted by Rev. Mr. Quick also. It was remarkable how well the high school sang and gave poems from memory, after an absence from school of over three months, the new pupils, new teachers and new comers being carried away with the skill of the high school in these respects.

President F. G. Jones brought a message of good fellowship to the entire public school system of Midland. He spoke of the enviable reputation of our high school, of the splendid records which her graduates have made in college, of his high appreciation of the character of the work which our high school is doing, and gave the students a message of inspiration as they faced the opportunities and privileges of another school year.

Rev. Mr. Quick conducted the devotional exercises and spoke briefly but impressively on the force of law and the power of love as constructive elements in the life of the individual and of society.

Supt. Lackey welcomed the visitors, friends and students, and, in speaking of the presence of so many alumni, referred to the fact that our graduates had gone to every university and college in Texas and with only one exception had made good, the one exception being a pupil who was in our high school only two years and who never did live in Midland; and that we had had some graduates who had taken the A. B. degree in three years after being graduated from our high school. His reference to our need of a new high school building was applauded to the echo. In this connection it might be remarked that our high school, though sadly in need of a building, has twenty units of affiliation, whereas some of our neighbors, who are erecting handsome high school structures, have only fourteen units. Supt. Lackey expressed his highest appreciation of the work which is being done by Midland College, and of the good fellowship which exists between the two institutions. The program of the high school was brought to a close rather early in order that all who desired to do so might have an opportunity to attend the opening at Midland College.

Special mention should be made of the violin solos which were given by Mr. Derdeyn, his selections being enthusiastically and vociferously cheered. Mr. Derdeyn is a rare artist, and Midland is to be congratulated upon the prospect of securing him as a teacher and citizen. Two other artists who were present and lent much to the success of the program were Miss Lydia G. Watson, who played the accompaniments for Mr. Derdeyn, and Miss Frank Luther, who played the choruses for the high school, both being accomplished and efficient music teachers in our city.

It is of interest to note that the enrollment in the schools for this fall has increased a little over ten per cent from last year, the first day en-

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Our Opening Display of Autumn Millinery FRIDAY and SATURDAY Sept. 15th, and 16th.

There's something particularly fascinating about the styles this season and you'll find stunning examples of the various types included in this display. Whether you are looking for a very dressy chapeau or one of those saucy tailored models, you'll find it here and reasonably priced. Call up your best friend now and make arrangements to come with her.

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rollment last year being 543, and the first day enrollment this year being 601. We understand that the enrollment this week has already reached 616. This gives promise of an enrollment this year of over 700.

We feel that the prospects were never brighter for the realization of our school's highest ideals. Let us hope that in the near future plans may materialize for a new high school building, one in which we may have a high school library, a study hall, a large auditorium, domestic economy rooms, manual training rooms, commercial art rooms, and one which will be a credit to our splendid high school and our matchless little city.

Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy
This is a medicine that every family should be provided with. Colic and diarrhoea often come on suddenly and it is of the greatest importance that they be treated promptly. Consider the suffering that must be endured until a physician arrives or medicine can be obtained. Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has a reputation second to none for the quick relief which it affords. Obtainable everywhere. 1mt Broken \$ Store. adv46-1f

Summer Time Is Building Time

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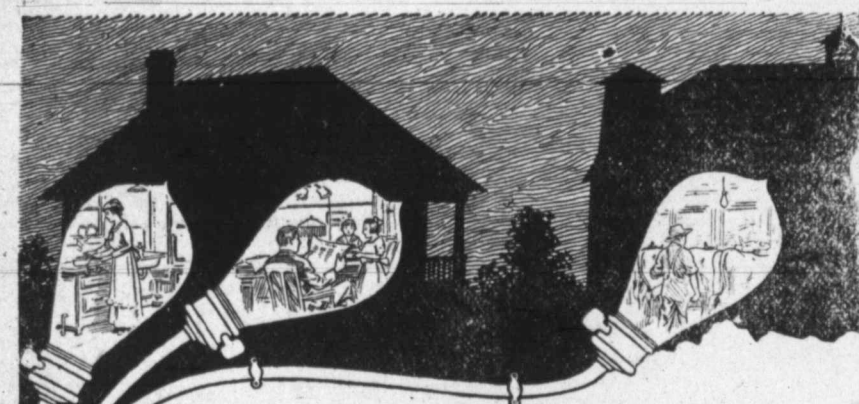
LUMBER PHONE 58 PAINTS

COWMEN ATTENDING SWEETWATER REUNION

A number of our cowmen left Thursday morning for Sweetwater, where they will attend the old-time cowmen's reunion and barbecue. We did not learn the names of all those

who went, but among them were Messrs. O. B. Holt, S. W. Estes, Rube Clayton, Brooks Lee and W. A. Hol-

loway. Nice furnished room for rent, close in, free access to bath. Phone 119. adv 45-1f.



Brighten Up the Farm

Get rid of the oil lamps that are a constant fire menace, and put in electric lights. You can have them just as steady and just as safe as in any city. No matches; no lamps to upset; no danger of any kind.

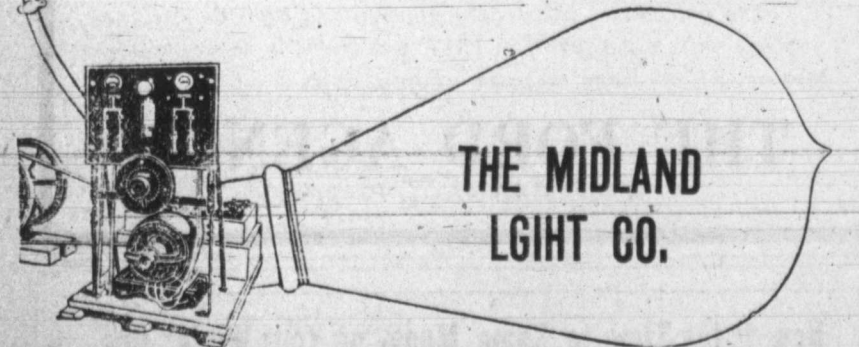
One of these simple outfits will provide you just such light at little cost. It will give power to run your pump, feed grinder, and some of the other light machinery on the place. And it will enable your wife to have an electric iron, an electric vacuum cleaner, a washing machine, and to save much of her household work. No experience is necessary to run the

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MIDLAND PARTIES CLOSE BIG DEAL

Contract With Boggs Bros. For Texas Rights in Sale of Boggs Puncture Proof Tires

The Reporter has had a good deal to say, in recent issues, about the wonderful Boggs Puncture Proof Tube, introduced in Midland some six weeks ago, and especially have we been interested in it for the reason that four Midland men have secured the Texas rights in the sale of this tube. These men, forming the Boggs Puncture Proof Tube Company of Texas, are Geo. D. Elliott, Capt. Wm. E. Wallace, Geo. Leach, and B. C. Girdley. Our readers know the preliminaries of the deal in which our people secured the Texas rights. They first put up a reasonable bonus with the Boggs Bros. to establish good faith and at the same time give them time and opportunity to investigate. This was reasonable and satisfactory on both sides, and our townsmen made every possible investigation, all proving the immense value of the Boggs tube.

All of last week was spent in El Paso by Messrs. Elliott, Wallace and Leach on one side and H. C. Boggs representing Boggs Bros. Final negotiations were closed ere they returned to Midland, and the Boggs Puncture Proof Tube Company of Texas then became an established institution. It is, too, established upon a basis that is most remarkable.

Boggs Bros. have the utmost confidence in their product, and were perfectly willing to show their faith. One way of showing it, they put up a cash forfeit of \$25,000 guaranteeing their tube in all their claims for it—against punctures, pinches, etc., and otherwise establishing the merits of the wonderful tube.

Thus the Boggs Puncture Proof Tube Company of Texas, though already confident in their purchase of Texas rights, have the satisfaction and the splendid advertising value of having the patentees back up their guarantee to the users of the Boggs Puncture Proof Tube.

This is fine business and again we congratulate these fortunate townsmen of ours.

BOGGS BROS. AND B. P. WALLACE HERE

Both H. D. and H. C. Boggs are now in Midland for a few days, they being the patentees of the Boggs Puncture Proof Tube, now so rapidly growing in fame. H. C. Boggs and B. P. Wallace arrived the first of the week, making the trip of over 1400 miles from Decatur, Ala., to Midland in six days. This Mr. Wallace is brother of our esteemed countryman, Capt. Wm. E. Wallace, who ranches 25 miles south and who is a member of the Boggs Puncture Proof Tube Company of Texas. This, we believe is Mr. Wallace's first visit to Midland. He, too, is associated with the Boggs tube business, though not with the Texas end of it.

Mrs. C. C. Watson and little son, C. C., Jr., returned on the early train Monday morning from Vanngale, Ark., where they spent two months visiting Mrs. Watson's mother, Mrs. H. C. McCoy, and other relatives. The little fellow was ill over there for seven weeks and his fever yet hangs on. C. C. Watson, Sr., met them in Dallas and accompanied them home.

Dr. A. Aronson, who advertised to be in Midland this week, was unavoidably delayed. He will be here next week, however, located at Rhea Cottage. Those needing the services of an expert in fitting glasses are invited to call him. He has the highest endorsement of many of the best people in Midland, for whom he has fitted glasses.

Chas. Goedeke returned to Pecos the past week closed a deal with Mrs. Willie-de-Woods King by which he became owner of the Oscar King ranch 60 miles northeast of Pecos. With the ranch went 800 head of fine cattle. The sum paid for this property was approximately \$30,000.—Pecos Times.

WITH THE CHURCHES

The Ministers of the City are Cordially Invited to Use this Column as They Care

BAPTIST CHURCH

Bible School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m., subject, "Onions, Leeks and Garlic."
B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.
Preaching at 8 p. m. "Who were the Two That Ran Away this week, and Where are They Hiding? Found a Hiding Place."

A cordial invitation is extended to new comers, visitors and strangers. Make your church house with us. You will find a warm welcome and a warm, helpful, spiritual service.

We bid you thrice welcome.
Ernest Quick, Pastor.

MEN'S UNION MEETING

Sunday, 4 p. m., Baptist church
Song
Prayer—C. S. Karkalits.
Song.
Instrumental Trio—Maurice L. Derdeyn, Ned Watson and Miss Lydie G. Watson.

Scripture—E. D. Johnson.
Violin solo—Maurice L. Derdeyn.
Prayer—J. W. Hampton.
Instrumental Trio—Maurice L. Derdeyn, Ned Watson and Miss Lydie G. Watson.
Address, "The Prepared Worm," (Jonah 4:7.)

1. God is the Author of Affliction.
2. He Uses Natural Laws in Affliction.
3. God is Just in Afflicting Us.
4. God Afflicts Us in His Love.
5. Three Inferences.

(Apologies to Crosby.)
—Prof. J. D. Shaw.

Benediction—Rev. H. O. Moore.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 a. m., Dr. J. F. Clark, supt., Mrs. L. C. Majors, supt. of primary work.

Last Sunday we had the largest attendance that has been since my ministry began. There will be an offering for our "Tex-Mex School" at Kingsville. The recent storm on the Gulf coast virtually destroyed our school buildings there, and we must provide, at once, temporary equipment or the school cannot open this fall.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor.

There will be a session meeting at 2:30 p. m. to elect a representative to the Presbytery, which meets at Livingston, N. M., next Tuesday, and also to attend to any other matters that may need attention at that time.

Owing to the meeting of the Presbytery and the absence of some of our officials, there will be no prayer-meeting next week.

Henry O. Moore, Minister.

B. Y. P. U.

Bible study meeting.
Leader—Mrs. Herrmann.
Song, "Help Somebody Today."
Scripture reading, Acts 10:17-22—Brookie Lee.

"The Vision of Cornelius"—Edna Barron.

"The Vision of Peter"—Mrs. Quick.

"Peter to Caesarea"—Mrs. Robt. Scroggs.

Piano Solo—Mrs. Allen Battle.

"Peter and Cornelius"—Essie Cowden.

"Peter's Sermon"—Annie Maude Aycock.

Scripture readings, Acts 10:44-48—Annie Mae Patterson.

"The Gift of the Holy Spirit"—Bro. Quick.

Benediction.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

All services as usual Sunday, morning and evening. Special music.

JUNIOR ENDEAVOR

Topic, "Miriam, the Faithful Sister."

Leader—Inabeth Whitefield.

Song.

Bible lesson—Leader.

Prayer.

Daily readings—Homer Ingham.

Maggie Wisdom, Geneva Shaw, Francis Ratliff, Kittabell Wolcott, Robert Starr.

Lesson story—Ruth Price.

Mission study—Thord Dockray.

Business—President in charge.

Mizpah.

Since receiving his diploma from the Western Dental College at Kansas City, our young townsman, Dr. Leonard Pemberton, has also received license from both the State Board of Examiners of Missouri and of Texas. The latter was received this week and the young man is now associated with Dr. C. H. Tigner, at which offices he invites you to call.

Do you need glasses? See Prof. J. D. Shaw, phone 434. adv.



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REGARD TO PUBLIC HEALTH

What profiteth a man that he gain the whole world yet lose his health? Naturalists say that long ago the prehistoric waters were infested with a species of enormous shark which finally became extinct by reason of the workings of its voracious appetite. Thus nature eliminates the over-fed.

The desire for ease of life and plentiful diet is universal and is the great stimulus of man and animals alike. When man becomes greedy and takes more ease and food and drink than is his share. Nature discards him.

In the race for power and place, for ease of circumstances and relief from the stimulus of hunger, the modern man is apt to forget that unless he is careful of his body he will soon be made to suffer for the infraction of nature's inexorable physical law. With the loss in body tone comes an equal loss in mental acuity and brain which for a time was able to operate despite the complaints of an over-fed, under exercised, self poisoned body, stops working.

Statisticians have discovered that the mortality rate of persons in the United States over 45 years of age is increasing. The strenuous life of today is not alone responsible for this. Lack of health giving exercise and superfluity of diet, lack of restoring sleep, over stimulation, the high pressure of the race for power, wealth and position plus physical neglect, these bring early decay. The goal is reached, wealth is amassed, honor, position and power are just being grasped when the apple of accomplishment turns to the ashes of dissolution. The brilliant mind becomes clouded, the steady hand is no longer accurate, the eye which once gazed fearlessly on the whole world is dimmed and it is not long before the final break up occurs. All of this was entirely preventable.

Other things being equal it is the man who leads the well-balanced life who lasts the longest, whose work to the end is uniformly the best, he who neither over-works nor over-plays, neither over-eats, over-drinks, nor over-sleeps, he who maintains a standard of simple healthy diet in moderation, who offsets mental work with physical recreation, who is as honest with his own body as he is with his own business. When success comes to such an one his physical and mental condition is such that he can enjoy in peace of mind and contentment of body the fruits of his labors.

The regulations of the U. S. Public Health Service state: "It is the duty of officers to maintain their physical as well as their professional fitness. To this end they shall be allowed time for recreation and study whenever their official duties will permit." If the Government regards it as essential that its sanitary experts shall be safeguarded in this way, is it not equally important to every citizen that he similarly maintain a high standard of physical integrity?

FAVORS DRESS OF TWO MATERIALS

Combinations of Velvet and Cloth or Satin and Serge are Considered Very Smart

Women of fashion are, today, greatly interested in the "two material" dresses, writes our special New York correspondent. Has not Paris sanctioned them and put forth some of her best efforts in the fashioning of new versions of them for the coming season? No, it is not only the economical woman with an eye to making over her last winter's dress who looks with approval in this style. To be sure, she may take advantage of it, for this fashion holds great possibilities for her; but, needless to say, it was not originally planned for her.

One-Piece Frocks of Cloth and Satin Combinations of materials are used in dresses of widely different character; quite as often in one-piece frock for street as in the dress required for more formal wear. Of the first type is the smart dress of cloth and satin illustrated here. There is a suggestion of the military influence in this dress, too, which accounts for a part of its charm, as things military are still a source of inspiration to fashion designers. Perhaps it is the orderly row of buttons placed straight down the front, perhaps it is the four pockets with rounded flaps,

or yet it may be the shoulder cape, or all of these together, that give the soldierly tinge to this dress. One can



readily imagine the design developed in satin and serge, velvet and cloth, velvet and satin, or any one of these materials in two tones. A light and a dark shade of gray silk have been used very successfully by Parisian designers. In such a dress as this they have even combined two different colors such as tan and brown, dark green and gray, and mahogany and gray. But the amateur should beware of combining two colors unless they are in perfect harmony, for the result may be vastly different from what the hands of an experienced combiner of colors would produce.

In dresses for formal wear, one sees other combinations. A white Georgette crepe blouse in Russian style was combined with a black satin skirt and the blouse was edged with a wide band of black satin. There was a shoulder cape of white Georgette edged with fur, which trimming also finished the long sleeves. Another dress seen had a blouse of Copenhagen blue chiffon, also in Russian style, worn over a skirt of blue velvet the same shade. Fur edged the blouse.

Another detail of fashion which is making a strong appeal to the well-dressed woman is the use of colored embroidery as a dress trimming. An example is shown on the illustration here of a one-piece dress with cartridge belt. Many of these dresses are seen in dark blue or black serge or satin with gray wool embroidery. In some, the hem of the skirt is further decorated with a wool fringe matching the embroidery and hanging from the lower edge. Other embroidery designs are carried out in Bulgarian colors in wool or silk, or in steel thread and also in gold thread. The two latter are especially effective on dark green, navy blue or black.

Fancy Handbags
A fashionable woman does not consider her costume complete today without a dainty fancy handbag, which she dangles with a long ribbon or cord. Sometimes it takes the form of the old-fashioned reticule grandmother used to wear hanging from her belt. In this instance the bag is almost always made from the same material as the dress. But there are numerous other forms and shapes of



Wool Embroidery is a Fashionable Trimming
this important accessory, which, if it does not exactly match the costume should, in any event, harmonize with it. Some very attractive ones are of black velvet with steel beads or of moire with colored beads, and some

fuffy little creations are entirely of ruffles of ribbon.

In crocheted bags there is quite an attractive new style worked in various bright colors forming solid rows that go round and round. The bags are round, and longer than they are wide. The top is drawn together on a cord run through rings, and the bottom is finished with a long tassel. In velvet and silk bags there are a number of odd, irregular shapes as well as oval and round ones.

TRIP TO SOUTH-WEST TEXAS

Mrs. C. L. Sterling Writes of Interesting Trip to Mountain Region of Southwest Texas

Perhaps it would make too voluminous a volume if all the various sections of this great State were embodied in one book of its history, but the writing will go on adown the aisles of time, as the remote places come into view, and there will be pen pictures and painted ones, for the world to view and also sketches many, on life's memory book, that will fade never.

Traveling southwestward from Midland a sight of distant mountains are seen along the horizon line a hundred miles out, and on reaching Fort Stockton they are nearer breaking into foothills that mirror themselves in the limelined waters of a magnificent spring on the east boundary of that old historic town. If the tourist is not too hurried, he may find equipment in the bathhouse on the lake shore for a bath and swim; after which luncheon may be eaten "al fresco, with water at hand and shade of trees.

The Next Stopping Place
Fifty-one miles onward is Alpine. The air grows more rarified and the nights cooler, for the Davis Mountains are about us with Fort Davis twenty-six miles away.

Memory with a few scraps of history is busy peering into the past of this old time post. The time-worn structure of adobe is fast crumbling into dust but it had a noteworthy place in the early days of Texas independence, and was one of the historic forts where the border men, the tried and trusted Texas rangers came and went, watched and waited, to keep off the Indian and Mexican invaders and make possible and safe the occupation of the West and South lines by the early settlers. Stalwart and brave and alert were those rough and ready riders, those faithful servants of Texas and of the young republic. A few still live and it was our good fortune to meet one of them, Captain J. B. Gillett, whose great heart still beats true to Texas and her people and who can tell thrilling tales of the past along the border line.

From Fort Davis to the camp ground, all in Jeff Davis County, is eighteen miles. There are some noted ranches en route, and there are good roads through them, maintained for the most part by the ranch owners.

The Harmon Jackson ranch covers many miles of pasture land both level and undulating, the road gives a chance to traverse both Olympia and Musquez canyons; we chose the latter. For wild-picturesque scenery, dominated by the ruin mountains, it is unparalleled. The stupendous vertical cliffs that border the crest of the mountains for many miles is most peculiar and unusual in Texas, though met infrequent in Arizona. They seem to form a mighty rampart or impregnable barrier to man or beast. One wonders what lies behind them, what great wealth of mineral they may guard, and have they stood thus through the ages? God alone knows.

As all purpose is divine, it may mean to us a lesson of love and adoration at this majestic and stupendous manifest of the Great Architect's power, that will uplift and strengthen our souls. Huge rocks of many shapes lie at the base and along the sides of the heights like "stones rejected by the master builder." The road through the canyon looks perilous in places, as it sweeps down sudden slopes, swirls around jutting capes and swiftly climbs other heights. The eye is too enthralled by the grandeur and beauty to think of danger. There are wide stretches of meadow and mountain side, green with lush grass, where cattle feed and rest in the shade of trees. It looked as though no drouth or other disaster had ever crept into these wilds, remote from the world's unrest and like the famed "Vale of Abyssinee," surfeited with beauty. After emerging from the canyon, a few miles drive brought us to "the promised land."

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We know and feel that our efforts to make for you one of the most MAGNIFICENT RECREATION and BEAUTY SPOTS in our great STATE, is meeting with your approval and co-operation, and we are proud of it, and upon its completion we will be exceedingly pleased to turn it OVER TO YOU as YOURS, for your PLEASURE and BENEFIT.

We will have PLENTY, (and all you can eat) of GOOD BARBECUED MEAT, with Bread, Pickles, Coffee etc, and during the DAY for your pleasure and enjoyment, have engaged PROF. EZZELL'S, celebrated MUNICIPAL BRASS BAND of San Angelo, which will disperse the BEST and latest UP-TO-DATE music.

We want to make this a GREAT DAY of PLEASURE, and are counting upon YOU to be with us.

We are going to build a large modern CLUB HOUSE, beautify the GROUNDS, plant and set out a number of SHADE TREES, and are now constructing a large and beautiful LAKE, which later we will stock with FISH. We will also build BATH and BOAT HOUSES, lay out Tennis Courts and GOLF LINKS, and have now (under construction) the finest SPEEDWAY and AUTOMOBILE TRACK of one and one half miles, (1 1-2) in length in the ENTIRE SOUTH.

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Make this DAY your DAY. We will be on the grounds to WELCOME YOU, and our force of gentlemanly representatives will take pleasure in giving you all information as to the PLANS, ARRANGEMENTS, and contemplated IMPROVEMENTS.

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In Society



And Events Most Talked About
(By M. T.)

Violin Recital

Mr. Maurice Derdeyn, who has already charmed many of our Midland people with his violin playing, will appear in a public recital at the Christian church on next Friday evening. Mr. Derdeyn, who has received a European education and has appeared in concert in Brussels, Berlin and other foreign cities, is truly an artistic violinist. His playing is notable for its absolutely perfect intonation, splendid command of all bowing effects, and by its extreme delicacy, piquancy and grace. His technical work is fine, and shows the capabilities of the violin as a musical instrument in the best possible manner. His

program on next Friday evening will be delightfully versatile and will include the difficult Polonaise Brillante, by Wieniawski, Schon Rosmarin, by Kreisler, Canzonetta, by Ambrosio, as well as other more familiar numbers which will strike a responsive chord in the hearts of our Midland people. Be sure and hear him on next Friday evening at the Christian church. Mr. Derdeyn will be assisted in his concert by some of our best local talent. Admission free.

A "500" Party

Mrs. J. E. Shumate entertained six tables of her friends very pleasantly at her cozy little home on Friday afternoon honoring her cousin, Mrs. Denny Basel, of Stephenville, who has been visiting her for a few days. Upon arrival the guests were served a cooling fruit nectar from a huge bowl hidden in fragrant boughs of star jasmine. After several exciting games had been enjoyed to the fullest extent, the hostess served delicious apricot ice cream and angel food.

Mrs. Chas. Neblett, of Stephenville,

and Miss Gladys Little, of Palestine, were out of town guests.

A Surprise Party

Some “surprise” packages are really worth while, though some might fittingly be consigned to the scrap heap to moulder and decay.

The friends of Mrs. Henry M. Half tendered her a courtesy on yesterday afternoon which will be a pleasant memory for a long time. Some kind and thoughtful friend had reminded the ladies of the Wednesday Club and their mothers that it was Mrs. Half's birthday and had suggested that they bring their work and spend the afternoon. Eagerly the plan was adopted. Not until the guests had arrived and been made comfortable in the living room was the honoree invited to lend her presence to the festive occasion. An immense bouquet of pink and white carnations was presented to the hostess by her friends which served later as a centre piece for the dining table around which they gathered to be served all kinds of good things. There was a dainty sandwich course followed by ices and many dainties of an unusual variety such

as honey cake with nuts.

The entire afternoon was a happy one for the hostess as well as the guests who departed with many expressions of love and good wishes for her whose natal day they had so fittingly remembered.

A Lawn Party and Dance

Miss Fay Cowden and Straughan Cowden entertained a large number of their young friends last Thursday evening on the spacious porch and lawn of their delightful suburban home. Tables for “42” and “500” had been arranged and each game was just a little more exciting than the preceding one.

When the weather man interfered with the plans and sent the refreshing showers, the merry makers moved inside where there was lots of room and continued the fun. Dancing was enjoyed for some time after which delicious iced watermelon was served.

Miss Mary Lou Basil, of Stephenville, was the honor guest on this occasion.

A Slumber Party

Last Saturday evening Miss Mo-

zelle Cowden had as her guests more than twenty of her young friends. When all had gathered at her pleasant home, and had enjoyed themselves for a while, they attended the “movies.” Later they visited the Elite where six tables had been reserved and beautifully arranged. Delicious sandwiches, frozen fruit salad, wafers and different drinks were served. Carnations and asters were the favors. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and merriment until a late hour when the young men departed for their several homes, leaving the girls to enjoy the honors of the morning in “Slumberland,” however it has been told that they were loathe to leave for this unknown land and continuously made journeys back to consciousness, as is usually the case at most slumber parties. Anyway the time passed rapidly and merrily away and even after so continued and varied an entertainment the guests departed reluctantly.

A Pleasant Evening

Last Friday evening Miss Ora Mae Terry assisted by Miss Hallie Rhea Jowell was hostess to a number of young friends, giving them a very delightful evening. Games of different kinds were played and enjoyed. Tempting refreshments were served late in the evening.

Holloway—Rhodes

The Methodist church at Andrews was the scene of a beautiful wedding on Wednesday evening of this week, when Royal Burl Holloway and Miss Carrie Mae Rhodes were united in wedlock, the Rev. Mr. Cole, pastor of that church, officiating, using the ring service.

Promptly at 8:30 o'clock the attendants, Messrs. Harvey Rhodes, Claude Campbell, Carroll Holloway and Oscar McWhorter and Misses Cora Haywood, Elizabeth Means, Eula Logsdon and Rebecca Thornberry entered the church and marching up the aisles crossed in the center of the church and took positions around the beautiful arch from which was suspended a large floral bell. The groom and his best man, Mr. Clarence Ligon, entered the church from the pastor's study, while the bride, accompanied by her sister, Miss Vieve Rhodes, entered from an entrance on the opposite side. The bride and groom met under the floral arch, where the ceremony was performed which united them for life. The church was filled to overflowing, many people from Midland being in attendance.

After the wedding a most enjoyable reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

The bride is a most accomplished young lady, the daughter of Mr. W. H. Rhodes, sheriff-elect of Andrews County, while the groom is one of Midland's popular young men, a son of Mr. Burl Holloway.

We wish for these young people much happiness and success on life's journey.

Mrs. Ethel Richardson, of Lovington, N. M. is a guest of Mrs. Theo. Ray this week.

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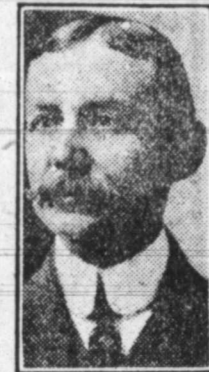
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J. C. Duke, director in charge of this department, states that there is every reason to believe that there will be more exhibitors in line this year than ever before and that the exhibits will be more interesting and more valuable than formerly.

Particular attention will be paid this year to tractors, as this is an item of farm machinery in which the farmers of the Southwest are vitally interested. It is stated that practically all of the manufacturers of the popular models have made application to the Fair management for space in which to exhibit their tractors.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Inez Isaacks left Sunday for Saragosa, where she is to teach school this term.

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Ben K. Duffy and wife arrived this week from San Antonio and will reside here for some time.

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J. A. Cummins came down from Sid Kyle's ranch near Pecos this week and reports range conditions good.

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Attorney J. A. Buck is here this week from Pecos attending district court.

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Pure fresh water every day at Cloverdale. Come out and cool off. adv. 33-tf.

J. F. Benson, of Copperal, is here this week a guest of Ben Ethridge and family.

Prize-winning, registered Duroc-Jersey boar for service. S. H. Gwyn, south of Uncle Willis Holloway. 19-tf

J. A. Cooper was in from Cooper, N. M., this week and reports things in fine shape.

Good sound sawed oak wood for sale for cash. W. W. Wimberly, telephone 264. adv. 46-tf

Wanted to trade or buy truck auto or one that I can use. Must be cheap. See L. C. Sharp. adv 48-2t

Monuments—Newest designs, best quality, for less money. Broken \$ Store agents for Alex Rawlins. 46-tf

Sheriff J. T. Lovett, of Kermit, was here this week on business. He ordered The Reporter.

Wanted—Young ladies to study operating at the Telephone office. Refined work and good wages. Inquire of the manager. adv 47-3t

Miss Maude Isaacks left Thursday

night for El Paso, where she is to teach again in the city schools at that place.

Rev. J. M. Perry continues critically ill. We trust to report him better soon.

Judge Tom Smith and Dr. A. P. Head, of Andrews were in town on Monday. They returned to Andrews the same day.

R. F. Overton came in this week from his ranch 12 miles south of Big Spring, and is a guest of J. C. Roberts and family.

Mrs. E. Stephens and children of Bisbee, Ariz., left Saturday for their home after visiting her parents, W. A. Stockton and wife.

Mrs. E. G. Patterson left one day this week for her home in Enlow, Texas, after a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stockton.

Al Garrett and son, from Roswell, N. M., are here this week visiting his brother, H. N. Garrett and family. The former was a citizen of Midland 17 years ago and notes many substantial changes in the town.

For Sale—Small kitchen cabinet, in fairly good condition. Will sell cheap. Address Box 272, phone No. 84. adv 48-tf

Jno. Draper, an old time Midland boy, was here this week from Jim Hogg County, where he is ranching. He is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. W. Estes and family.

Typewriter for Sale—First class typewriter, used very little, as good in every particular as a new one. A bargain. H. A. Leaverton.

W. J. Murley and family from Leonard, are here this week, visiting J. C. Lucas and family, and looking over the situation with a view to locating.

Dr. Buchanan, practice limited to diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat, and fitting of glasses. Office over Basham, Shepherd & Company's music store. Here 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month. adv 3-tf

W. H. Spaulding returned last Monday from a visit to Lubbock, Abilene, and other points. He reports the business of the Cadillac agency better in their northern territory than here at present.

A baby boy arrived to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Alexander on August 30th. The youngster weighed 9 pounds. The Reporter extends congratulations.

For Sale—One "Flying Mercury" bicycle, man's size, in good condition, fine for riding to school. Price with lamp, pump and tool bag \$15. See Henry Moore, at Presbyterian mans. adv 47-tf.

W. B. Elkin returned last Saturday from Dallas and other points east. In Dallas he was under the care of specialists in a sanitarium for some time and he returned home much improved in health.

A brand new baby boy took up his abode at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Foster the first of the week. The

PROCEEDINGS OF DISTRICT COURT

Regular Term Now in Session—Non Jury Cases Disposed of the First Week

The regular September term of the district court convened at 10 a. m. on Monday, September 4th.

Judge S. J. Isaacks empaneled the grand jury, which immediately entered upon its duties. On Thursday afternoon of this week seven or eight misdemeanor indictments were returned into court. So far the court has tried only one case, this being non-jury week and there being only one non-jury case. This was No. 1374, Claude Hearrell vs. J. E. Hill, in which a judgment was rendered for plaintiff.

The following cases have been dismissed:

No. 1357, T. J. Miles vs. C. A. McCrea, et al.

No. 1265, Dave Harper vs Texas & Pacific Ry Co.

No. 1356, Henry M. Half vs J. A. Ellis.

No. 1367, Geo. D. Elliott vs. Commercial National Bank, garnishee.

The following cases have been continued for service, most of them being cases in which citation is by publication, which necessitates their being carried over the first term of court after filing:

No. 1359, R. L. Slaughter vs. T. W. Ward, et al.

No. 1259, Golman Lester & Co., vs. J. Harrison White.

No. 1360, C. C. Slaughter vs. Jas. Roden, Jr., et al.

No. 1361, C. C. Slaughter Co., vs. C. C. Beck, et al.

No. 1362, C. C. Slaughter Co. vs. H. L. Wynne, et al.

No. 1377, W. W. Wimberly vs. L. W. Lacy, et al.

No. 1379, Geo. Growl vs. J. Harrison White.

No. 1388, W. J. Moran vs. W. B. and F. F. Elkin.

No. 1375, C. L. Sinclair vs. John W. Ennis, et al.

No. 1378, J. M. Jemison vs. Mrs. Willie Powell, et al.

Case No. 1365, Grandfalls Water & Development Company vs. Consolidated Reservoir Company, et al, is set for Monday, Sept. 11th. This is an irrigation case, transferred here from Barstow, Ward County. This is a case of much importance, and will take a week at least, and possibly two weeks to try.

MRS. W. A. EASON DIED LAST NIGHT

Just before we close our forms today we learn, with deepest sorrow, of the death of Mrs. W. A. Eason, which occurred at 9:30 o'clock last night. This death was not unexpected. It seems that she contracted tuberculosis more than a year ago, and had rapidly declined since. A husband, three daughters and a son, besides other relatives, are left to mourn her passing, and The Reporter joins a host of friends in tendering profound sympathy to the bereaved.

Funeral services this afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the grave, conducted by Rev. J. S. Moore. Friends invited.

This little fellow is a dandy and C. C. feels and shows his happiness by the broad smile he is wearing. The Reporter extends congratulations.

Miss John Randle left Saturday for North Fort Worth, her home, after visiting her father here, C. C. Johnston for the past month. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Lora Dillard, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dillard.

SHOULD SLOAN'S LINIMENT GO ALONG

Of course it should! For after a strenuous day when your muscles have been exercised to the limit an application of Sloan's Liniment will take the soreness and stiffness away and get you in fine shape for the morrow. You should also use it for a sudden attack of toothache, stiff neck, backache, stings, bites and the many accidents that are incidental to a vacation. "We would as soon leave our baggage as go on a vacation or camp out without Sloan's Liniment," writes one vacationist. "We use it for everything from cramps to toothache." Put a bottle in your bag, be prepared and have no regrets. adv No. 2

Mrs. A. E. Vest and sons, of Rodio, Ariz., have moved to Midland to send them to school. Owing to being so close to the border at Rodio they were unable to get a teacher, and the Midland schools having a good name, they decided to bring the children here to go to school.

LOOK GOOD—FEEL GOOD

No one can either feel good nor look good while suffering from constipation. Get rid of that tired, dragging, lifeless feeling by a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Buy a box today, take one or two pills to-night. In the morning that stuffed, dull feeling is gone and you feel better at once. 25c at your druggist. adv No. 2.

WARFIELD SCHOOL IS PROGRESSIVE

The patrons of the Warfield school believe in civic attractiveness, and they are setting an example that all country schools would do well to follow. The Warfield school building is a large, one room structure. The building is neat and attractive, both within and without. Mrs. Coleman, of Knowles, N. M., is the teacher and there is an attendance of about fifteen pupils. Some time back the patrons of the school decided that the very best was none too good for their children, so they decided to make an ideal country school with an environment that would appeal to the children. To this end a well was put down, a good windmill was erected, and a good watering system is being installed with a view of planting a grove of shade trees on the block of land owned by the school. The patrons of the school are clearing up the grounds and will install a modern gymnasium for the physical development as well as the entertainment of the pupils. These grounds have been fenced with a six wire fence, the corner post of which were set in concrete, thus making a fence that will last for all time. These people are justly proud of their school, and they are determined to make it one of the best country schools in the State.

If all country schools would follow the example of the Warfield people the "back to the farm" problem would turn the other way. Make ideal, attractive country schools, with proper environment and the city folk will turn to the country schools as a place to educate their children.

Constipation the Father of Many Ills Of the numerous ills that affect humanity a large share start with constipation. Keep your bowels regular and they may be avoided. When a laxative is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. Obtainable everywhere. adv 47-1mt

ILLUSTRIOUS STARS AT THE UNIQUE

Constance Collier, who has won for herself an international fame, was presented last Friday in that brilliant drama, "The Tongues of Men." She was supported by an excellent cast which added much to the interest of the sparkling play of love and duty. "The Way of the World" is worthy of special mention also, as it was a powerful picture, very true to life. Hobert Bosworth for the first time, appeared as a reprobate and though many disliked seeing him in such a part, his remarkable characterization showed his versatile powers as an actor.

Among other famous stars to appear, are Geraldine Farrar and Pauline Frederick. Tonight Miss Farrar, who is universally famed for her great success in "Carmen," will be featured with a superior cast, in "Temptation," and next Tuesday, Miss Frederick, who is considered by critics to be the foremost emotional artist of the stage and screen, will be presented in "Lydia Gilmore." Some of the most vital and tender dramatic episodes ever witnessed will be depicted with the infinite and pathos which only Miss Frederick can assume. "Peg O' the Ring," the popular circus serial, got lost on the road, somewhere, Thursday and could not be shown last night as usual, but in order that no one shall miss an episode, it will be shown tonight in connection with the feature, "Temptation."

We are informed by the management that owing to the days getting shorter now, they will start the pictures promptly at 8 o'clock.

A SUMMER LAXATIVE AND LIVER REGULATOR

Po-Do-Lax is a liquid laxative—mild and effective. It arouses the liver, increases the bile, does not gripe and acts as a general tonic to the whole system. Aids nature to clear and purify the blood—as a laxative tonic for summer Po-Do-Lax has no equal. "What was good enough for my father is good enough for me" never applied with more force than the use of Po-Do-Lax for the liver. An old time tried remedy. Get a bottle, take a dose tonight and see how much better you feel. At all druggists. adv No. 3

Read the Reporter Ads. Are you a subscriber for the Reporter?

MISS LYDIE G. WATSON who has been a Piano Student of the most eminent instructors of Galloway, Searcy, Ark., Landon Conservatory, Dallas, and American Conservatory, of Chicago, Ill., now has her Studio open for the term 1915-16. The highest standards maintained. Thoroughness the slogan. Study with definite aim

NEW STATE FAIR TURNSTILES TO HANDLE LARGE CROWDS



Wm. Doran in charge of the turnstiles at the State Fair of Texas. It is a little confusing to even a

close observer," said Mr. Doran, to find out how Fair crowds are handled at the gates, and for the information of those who care to know I would say that all possible speed in admitting visitors is secured through the use of the new automatic cash turnstiles with which all entrances to Fair Park are equipped. These turnstiles operate by placing a coin in the proper receptacle, and the number of entrants is automatically registered. There is consequently no confusion in making change or buying tickets, and we are able to pass crowds through at a rapid speed. I might say in this connection that we have made our plans for this year to take care of a million visitors, and I confidently expect the total of visitors to reach that figure."

If you have anything you wish to buy, sell or trade, you should make it known through these columns.

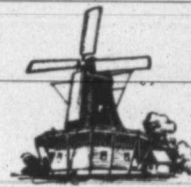
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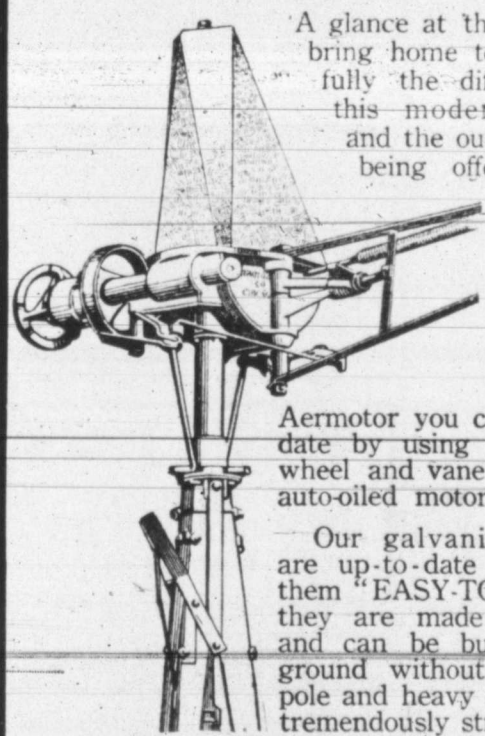


The same kind of ingenious, inventive ability that has perfected the automobile, flying machine and submarine has been at work on the windmill.

You would not think of buying an automobile with the transmission gears uncovered and exposed to dirt and water. Nor would you buy one which required that each bearing be oiled separately. We simply urge you to use the same good judgment in selecting a windmill.

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A glance at this illustration will bring home to you very forcefully the difference between this modern wind motor and the out-of-date windmills being offered for sale. If you have a mill of another make it will pay you to replace it, on your old tower, with an Auto-Oiled Aermotor. If you have an Aermotor you can bring it up to date by using your old tower, wheel and vane and installing an auto-oiled motor.

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TRIP TO SOUTHWEST TEXAS (Continued from page 4)

himself a preacher of the Gospel, an upright and sincere Christian. The others were George W. Evans, John Z. Means, J. B. Gillett, Wm. T. Jones, C. D. Finley, Jesse Merrill, Oscar Medley. With a fixed and high purpose to do the best things possible for the uplift and betterment of the people, they planned and carried out this fine missionary work. They builded better than they knew, and now reap their reward in seeing hundreds of people come to hear the Word and reap the promises.

The area of the camp ground is large. It covers a section of land almost level, and is a natural woodland. Many tents dot the surface in the midst of which is the pavilion or meeting house that seats several hundred people who are gathered to listen to the Word in silent reverential mood. There are many good singers and the music is excellent. There are five services each day, well attended, and with good results. Eminent preachers of different denominations attend year after year, and give their best to the spiritual uplift of the hundreds who hear and are converted unto righteousness. Over it all is a deep spiritual undertone, it is felt in the atmosphere and heard in the still small voice that whispers of the communion of saints, the presence of Deity.

The altitude is 6000 feet and there is a chill in the air as of early winter, the effect is bracing, invigorating. The mountains close in the space and sweep upward in magnificent reaches of rock and stunted tree growths to their rock-ribbed summits. Bush roofed arbors shade the eating places and there is much to eat. Of the hospitality, the plentitude of service, the wholesome good cheer, pen cannot give expression. The friendliness, the kind and gracious spirit of it all, is contagious and if the guest is not happy, there is something wrong inside.

God bless and prosper the men who foster this work and the noble, faithful women to whom much of the success of it is due.

Mrs. C. L. Sterling.

SOME GOOD ADVICE

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Kidney disease is too dangerous to neglect. At the first sign of backache, headache, dizziness or urinary disorders, you should give the weakened kidneys prompt attention. Eat little meat, take things easier and use a reliable kidney tonic. There is no other kidney medicine so well recommended as Doan's Kidney Pills. Midland people rely on them. Here's one of the many statements from Midland people:

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A rare treat in store for lovers of Hawaiian music next Wednesday night in the opera house.

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LIST OF JURORS TO SERVE DISTRICT COURT

District court meets in Midland the first Monday in September, the 4th, which will be a week from next Monday. Sheriff Bradford has furnished us a list of the jurors, both grand and petit, and we publish it as follows:

Grand Jury

B. N. Aycock	M. F. Burns
J. S. Brown	G. H. Butler
W. L. Clark	Jno. M. Cowden
W. A. Dawson	H. W. Montgomery
T. S. Patterson	C. C. Bailey
J. M. King	S. R. McKinney
W. A. Eison	J. M. Fletcher
W. M. Schrock	

Petit Jury, Second Week Sept. 11

S. L. Dillard	J. A. Andrews
W. W. Devaney	A. K. Murphy
T. O. Midkiff	A. B. Coleman
T. A. Rankin	W. G. Bailey
R. D. Scruggs	T. D. Jones
N. A. Hammack	A. J. Norwood
H. A. Moore	T. J. Richardson
Jno. Powell	W. B. Elkin
D. L. Hutt	W. T. Holcomb
R. A. Henson	Allen Tolbert
W. R. Chancellor	H. H. Hooper
H. B. Dorsey	G. W. Terry
W. W. Wimberley	Will Roller
G. W. Miller	Anson Coughran
J. V. Stokes	L. C. Proctor
T. A. Sacra	C. T. Allen
Henry Silwell	T. N. Irwin
W. H. Neeh	T. D. Smith
Burton Brown	S. H. Gwyn
W. L. Holmesly	C. C. Johnston
Petit Jury, Third Week September 18	
M. F. King	H. C. Barber
Walter Jerden	J. A. Haley
James Murphy	W. E. Wallace
C. A. Stark	Jno. H. Edwards
J. P. Inman	J. L. Locklar
R. M. Driver	J. P. Collins
F. G. Youngblood	J. H. Yates
O. P. Buchanan	Evans Dunagan
C. W. Crowley	J. A. Nance
M. D. Johnson	J. P. Morris
Floyd Countiss	R. B. Covington
S. H. Basham	S. R. Preston
Lee S. Evans	F. A. Smith
W. T. Blakeway	J. T. Ragsdale
D. M. Trammell	W. A. Storey
J. S. Tidwell	A. W. Binyon
Jno. Tolbert	George Leach
R. W. Aycock	H. M. Ramsay
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ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Hear the celebrated Hawaiians on next Wednesday night at the opera house.

Jim Card, of Odessa, was here on Tuesday attending to business. Reports good rains.

W. R. Bailey was here from Davis, Okla this week on his way to visit his brother, D. O. Bailey, 20 miles south-east of town.

When you need any veterinary work done, I am permanently located at the livery stable south of the railroad, phone No. 69. Dr. J. A. McBee, veterinary surgeon. adv.

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