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Attention Is Focused On O2 Ranch Well

Noted Geologist Believes Oil Pool Exists In Southern Brewster.

In commenting on an article recently appearing in leading dailies in which Ralph Arnold of Los Angeles is quoted as saying that the nations supply of crude oil would be exhausted in seven years, Dr. H. E. Peterson, an eminent geologist, who for many years has made a close study of the structures over this entire section of the State, expresses the opinion that Arnold's statement is "both erroneous and illogical."

In support of his claim that there are still great undeveloped potential oil pools existing in various sections of the country, Dr. Peterson says that "in west Texas, from the Rio Grande in Brewster county to the northernmost county of the Panhandle great undeveloped potential oil pools exist; the same may be said of the San Juan basin in Utah, Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona.

With references to the well being drilled by the Mid-Kansas Oil and Gas company on the O2 ranch, below Alpine, geologists of the Mid-Kansas company as well as L. G. Knipe, geologist on the Wilson No. 1 Well in which oil was encountered at 1,740 feet, and also other prominent authorities agree in the opinion that oil will be encountered in that section between 1,600 and 1,700 feet, it is said.

Predicts Shallow Production.

Dr. Peterson believes that the structural features represented in this district are fault blocks along which are developed arches and upfolds.

"The surface formation is Cretaceous, which is followed in descending order by a thin bed of Triassic rock, which in turn rests uncomfortably upon Pennsylvania carboniferous rocks which are possibly truncated, in which event you may obtain shallow production." is the opinion of this eminent authority.

"The outer edges of the region (Continued on Last Page.)

Marfa Entertains Officers Of The D. M. F.

Plan Entertainment Of Delegates On Their Return From The State Meet At El Paso.

Yesterday the officers of the Davis Mountain Federated Clubs met and held a Board and Committee meeting. The purpose of this meeting was to perfect plans for entertaining the delegates on their return from the State meeting, which will be held in El Paso November 7th to 12th.

Delegates To Stop Over Here.

The delegates will stop over here November 13th. The ladies (Continued on Last Page.)

HEADS LEGION WOMEN



Mrs. Irene McIntyre Walbridge of Peterborough, N. H., was elected president of the American Legion auxiliary at the Paris convention. She is the daughter of Commissioner William McIntyre, head of the Salvation army in the southern states, and is a graduate of Mount Holyoke college. She served in France with the Salvation army during the war and was cited twice in army orders for bravery under fire. She has been president of the Legion auxiliary of New Hampshire.

Left Flat



T. C. U. NOW ELIGIBLE FOR ENDOWMENT GIFT

FORT WORT, Oct., 17.—The annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of Texas Christian University, held at the opening of the 1927-28 school term, showed that all debts were liquidated for the first time in the history of the school. This makes T. C. U. eligible to receive a \$166,666 endowment gift from the General Educational Board of New York City.

The need of additional buildings at the school, to care for a fast growing enrollment, was realized by the board of trustees and the erection of a new stadium, an auditorium and a scenic building set as the goal for the next few years.

"One great misconception that is held by many friends of T. C. U., is that the Burnett trust fund has taken care of all the needs of the school," points out Henry G. Bowden, vice-president of the school. "While 62 acres of land (Continued on last page)

GRADING WITHIN FIVE MILES OF PRESIDIO NOW

The grading camps of the Orient railroad now working on the right-of-way from Chihuahua City to Presidio, are now within five miles of Presidio. Two of the camps move this week and the last one will move at sometime in the near future.

Grade stakes for the right-of-way from Presidio to Alpine are being set now.—Border Times.

FIRE DESTROYS NINE BALES OF COTTON

R. C. Sparks lost eight bales of cotton by fire last Sunday night. Nine bales were on fire but one bale was salvaged from the ruins. The origin of the fire is not known. The loss was covered by insurance.—Border Times.

Captain E. Lindsey of Del Rio stopped over in Marfa Thursday from a trip to Presidio.

Rotary Club Will Start School Next Tuesday

Will Meet At 7:00 P. M. Each Evening Instead Of At Noon As Before.

Tuesday's Rotary Program was of a vocational nature. After luncheon N. A. Arnold, who acted as chairman, introduced the visitors, who were: Maco Stewart, a very prominent lawyer and rotarian of Galveston, who made a very interesting talk on the importance of the work which Rotary is accomplishing. (Continued on Last Page.)

Al G. Barnes Circus To Stop Here Nov. 13

Famous Wild Animal Show Will Water Animals Here Sunday And Give One Performance.

The Al. G. Barnes Circus will be through Marfa, Sunday, November 13th, and in the afternoon of that day, will give a performance. The object of the Circus stopping over here on Sunday is not to force its presence on the community, nor does it want to conflict with any church observance in anyway. But according to law, the animals must be watered and fed so often, and on the long journey from San Antonio to El Paso, a distance of 620 miles, the watering and feeding places are Del Rio and Marfa, the Stop at Marfa falling on Sunday while the circus is en route to El Paso for a two or three day performance. There will be no street parade in Marfa, and only one performance in the afternoon, especially for the benefit of children to whom the display of so many wild animals will be interesting and educational.

This circus, not so large as Ringling Brothers, is equal to it in merit, carrying about five hundred horses and five hundred other animals, among them, the largest elephant in the world, whose name is Tusco. Jumbo owned by Barnum and Bailey, as everyone knows was the largest elephant until killed in a wreck in Canada several years ago, his weight was 6 tons. The stop-over in Marfa, as stated is compulsory for purpose of feeding and watering animals and to assure an early arrival in El Paso the following Monday; and the performance which will be given in Marfa, will be isolated from the main part of town, and there will be no night performance according to the advance agent, who was in Marfa, Thursday.

Notre Dame Grid Star

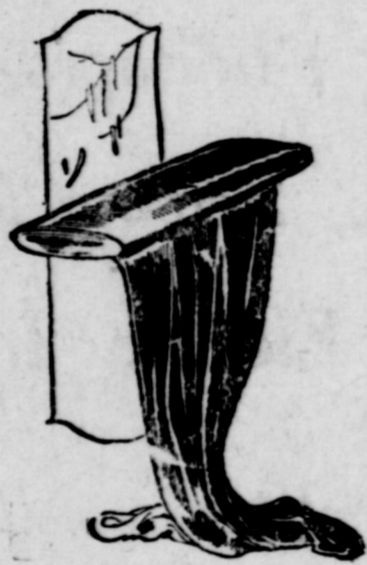


Notre Dame is represented by an excellent football team this fall, but they lack beef, while they have speed to burn. With a squad numbering 300 men, Rockne has a squad rich in reserve. Our photograph shows Capt. John P. Smith, who was one of the outstanding forwards in 1926 in the Middle West, and is playing left guard.

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YOU may be as orthodox as the devil, and as wicked.—John Wesley.

Did Leonidas swim the Hells-pont, is the question for discussion now.

Winter is now close at hand and "when the frost is on the pumpkin and the fodder's in the shock," we will begin to shiver at the rising price of King Coal.

It is said that modern girls are now wearing more precious stones and paint than ever before—and precious little of any thing else.

Ruth Elder fell in the Ocean and became a heroine, if old Neptune had captured her probably she would be an angel now.

Cigarette Smokers.

"I employ no man who uses cigarettes," said Thomas Edison; "No living boy would commence the use of cigarettes if he knew what a useless, soulless, worthless thing they would make of him," said Luther Burbank; "fifty cigaret smokers, 62 per cent average, 81 per cent failures; fifty non-smokers, 80 per cent average, 19 per cent failures," says the Kansas journal. Does this mean anything to you? Why not shake off a dangerous, useless, costly, offensive, evil habit while you can?

Mining Facts Offset Propaganda.

Billions of dollars in gold, silver, copper, lead and zinc have been mined by hundreds of thousands of miners, and this immense new wealth has greatly made possible the premier financial position of the United States among nations. This great wealth has been used over and over again developing other lines of endeavor and furnishing employment for millions of workers. The mines are the backbone of the nation and the nation should know this, so that when laws are proposed to cripple this great industry the American public will rise up in protest.

Schools and colleges should teach the value of the nation's immense mining industry and how the production of underground wealth drops off when laws curtail finance and development in the mining districts. The billions paid by the mines in dividends have gone into the heart of the nation and have been one of the prime factors for prosperity. If young men and women are taught these facts in their youth, they can take intelligent action on matters affecting the industry in their maturity.

A Mammon Of Unrighteousness.

Materialism as now, grown rooted in the minds and evidenced by the actions of mankind generally, effecting the old as well as the young, is like a cancer on the body politic—a festering sore of greed and selfishness, eating into and destroying the soul of mankind. The wars of recent years, slaughtering millions and devastating a world, have had as their origin—Greed.

Lusting after Power and Gain have slain its millions of human beings, more than all else since the first dawn of history, and we are still doing as nations what if done as individuals would be deemed murder.

All history from old Testament days down the ages to our modern newspapers, are records of savage butcheries, robberies of unoffending neighbors, extermination of whole peoples, rebellions, religious intolerance, fanatical ferocity, brutal conquests and wholesale murders; and yet

today with all our boasted civilization—its intelligence and so-called Christianity, the only great advancement made along the line of "making the world safe for democracy" is the invention of some new and awful engine for human destruction. Where will it end? The scientist predict the discovery of a gas or a death ray which by its awful destructive power, will prevent war, but can it prevent some evil one from using the same for the annihilation of the entire human family?

If one keeps in business and mixes into the game of commercialism as it is too often played today, and wins greed, selfishness and dishonesty are the determining factors necessary to the winning. Not one man in ten who makes a success in business today under the prevailing system, can keep clean, upright, honest, honorable and untainted. You cannot handle coal without getting your hands just a little smutty.

It is realized fully that "playing the game" is what accomplishes great material things, builds great cities, creates vast empires and makes the mighty wheels of progress go around.

There is no complaint against "the game" as such but at the damnable dishonesty and wrong materialistic ideals it creates. Great characters, what a man really is in honor, intelligence and lofty altruistic acts count for naught. What have you got in the modern conception of the man, and if you have not material riches—it makes no difference how obtained, you are weighed in the scales and found wanting.

But go to it young folks, and enjoy yourselves, build more cities, create more empires, accumulate fortunes, love, laugh, marry, rear children, fight struggle, make business, play the game, pep, pep, pep, pep, but for humanity's sake keep as unsmutted as possible. Do not barter virtue and principle for pelf and gold.

ORIENT REVIEW

To most of us, a railroad is a railroad—a thing of steel and iron managed and directed by men as cold-blooded and heartless as the thing itself.

True, we often know many of the men who run the trains, manage local affairs, and come to account them as citizens of the community entitled to our social regards and community advantages. But the "railroads" themselves are impersonal things and mean to most of us unsocial organizations whose great object and purpose is to oppress the public they must serve. We think of the men who manage and direct them as sworn enemies, living somewhere out of touch and sympathy with everybody.

At least, that used to be too much the public attitude and opinion.

The fact is, however, railroads are great social organizations if we will only see them aright, and the men all along the lines are just as human as we are. In retiring as editor of the Orient Magazine, H. C. Brady brings

forcibly to our minds in the October number, the fact that "railroads" are the men who run them, and reviews in a splendid article the struggles and triumphs of the Orient the past 3 years. The following excerpts from Mr. Brady's farewell talk makes us feel that the Orient is growing up and at the same time that this struggling line into Alpine is most as human as we are: "For three years we have watched the men of this organization commit themselves to perform feats proclaimed impossible. It seems that all things yield to the courageous. We look back over a period of great progress. There is little left of the road which greeted us upon the initial trip over the Kansas and Oklahoma division. Great locomotives are pulling long trains where small slide valve engines once sputtered along with a few cars. The road bed has been straightened with new ties and widened shoulders.

"In Texas the transition has been even greater. In those days it was a pleasure to journey over the Texas division. A. J. Cleary and W. H. Hargrove were the only supervising officials. Everybody had plenty of time to be hospitable and pleasant. It was a day of personal contacts. Section men and trainmen knew the superintendent personally. The superintendent knew the men by their first name and how many children there were in the family. Mr. Hargrove handled problems with his shippers direct. It was easy to keep in touch with traffic moving over the line in those days. There was some livestock and cotton but it could be handled without any special effort. Then came the great oil boom. This quiet sector along the Orient suddenly seethed with activity. A volume of business incredible to the Orient officials of three years ago poured through our connections. It was handled, God only knows how. Things have adjusted themselves but it isn't the same any more.

"Supervision has increased. Authority has been delegated. That old personal contact isn't possible now. There is more formality to railroading on the Texas division today. There are so many strange faces you make no effort to place them. You have to depend more upon a man's title. Titles mean more than they used to. It is one of the indications of growth.

"In three years the Orient has become more self-reliant. Governmental concessions have been slowly withdrawn. The Orient is left exposed in a field of highly competitive business, fighting on its own. It is encouraging to note the lusty manner in which it has accepted this situation. We are now moving under our own steam. There is much to be done but it will be accomplished because there is the will to do.

"All this has not been attained without price. It has involved a most rigid economy which has won the commendation of the nation's highest railroad authority. Men have worked long

hours. Officers have aged perceptibly.

"It has been a glorious three year—years of struggling, growing, building. The morale of the organization has been inspiring. Through the columns of this little magazine we have sought to record the pulse beats of this company moving forward in its answer to the challenge of the impossible. It has been our purpose to see the good in men of the Orient and we found so much of it. There is a certain fraternity of the oppressed which has welded the men of this organization a little closer together than you will find where a company has grown up under more favorable circumstances. They have been men in whose veins flow the congenial friendly spirit of this Great Southwest."

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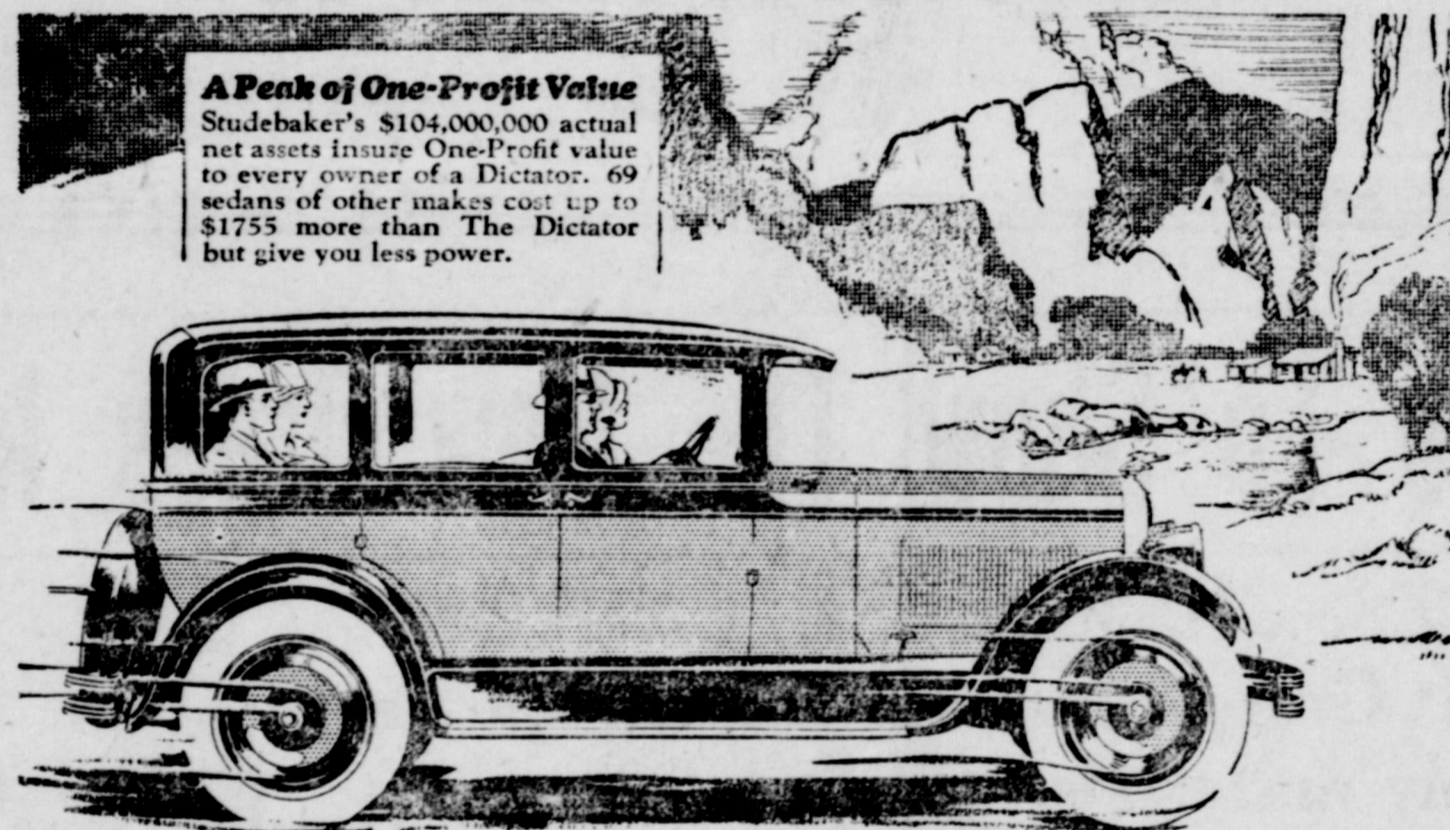
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Lesson for October 23

THE CALL OF THE PROPHET

LESSON TEXT—I Kings 19:19, 20; Amos 7:10-15; Isa. 6:1-8.
GOLDEN TEXT—I heard the voice of the Lord saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then I said, Here am I, send me.
PRIMARY TOPIC—God Chooses His Helpers.
JUNIOR TOPIC—God's Call to Service.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Spirit of the Volunteer.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Need for Modern Prophets.

A prophet is one who speaks forth the message of another. A prophet may foretell events, but his primary business is to speak forth God's message.

I. The Call of Elisha (I Kings 19:19, 20).
1. His occupation. He seems to have been a well-to-do farmer, as there were twelve yoke of oxen in service when God called him. It was while engaged in his common duty that he received the divine call.

2. How he was called. Elijah cast his mantle upon him as he passed by.

II. The Call of Amos (Amos 7:10-15).
1. His occupation (v. 14). He was a herdsman and gatherer of sycamore fruit.
2. He was a prophet, not by succession nor trained in the prophetic schools.

3. God called him from his humble life to stand before the king. God is not straitened for helpers. He raises up workers from unexpected quarters, fills them with His Spirit and sends them forth.

III. The Call of Isaiah (Isa. 6:1-8).
1. Isaiah's vision of the Lord (vv. 1-4). No one's ministry will ever be fruitful until he has had a vision of the Lord.

(1) He saw the Lord on His throne (v. 1). The supreme need of a servant of God is to have a vision of Him, even to see Him on His throne. Just now, perhaps as never before, we need a vision of the enthroned Lord, as the awful darkness is settling down upon the world.

(2) He saw the Seraphim above (vv. 2, 3). Their standing indicated that they were in readiness to do His bidding. Their equipment with six wings showed their ability to execute the divine will. In the divine presence, one pair was needed to veil the head from the divine glory, one pair veiled the feet which had been soiled in contact with the world, while the third pair was suspended in midair waiting to depart on the divine errand. As they waited in His presence their continued cry was "Holy, holy, holy."

(3) He saw manifestations of majesty (v. 4). As the holy ones cried the very doorposts moved and the temple was filled with smoke. Smoke indicates the divine presence in anger (Ex. 19:8; 20:18).

2. Isaiah's conviction of sin (v. 6). When he got a vision of the holy God he was smitten with a sense of sin. The reason that men think well of themselves is that they have never seen God. Face to face with the Lord, Isaiah saw himself as wholly vile. He realized that he had sinned in speech, and in in speech, then in heart, therefore the cry of despair.

3. Isaiah cleansed from sin (vv. 6, 7). Having been convicted of and confessed his sin, a burning coal was sent from the altar which purged away his sin. His penitential guilt was forgiven and removed.

4. Isaiah's call (v. 8). His call from God did not come until after his cleansing. The purged soul is the soul ready for the Lord's service.

5. Isaiah's dedication (v. 8). As soon as he was cleansed he quickly responded for service. The one who has been sanctified and made meet for the Master's service readily responds to the call of God. He did not wait to see the end from the beginning, but freely gave himself up to that service.

6. Isaiah's commission (vv. 9-13). Because of the unpromising outlook, Isaiah shrank from his responsibility. He saw the people steeped in selfishness, but in spite of that the Lord assured him that their blindness and sin would not continue forever. The people would go on in sin, be taken into captivity, and the land left desolate; but as the oak, after shedding its leaves is for a time apparently lifeless, yet it retains its substance and so can manifest its life, the prophet is given to see under this figure that despite the deadness of the nation a remnant shall be saved. The holy seed of the kingdom shall come to fruition in the last days.

The Highest Energy

"Prayer is the very highest energy of which the human heart is capable."
—Coleridge.

Life

Life is the soul's nursery—its training place for the destinies of eternity.
—W. M. Thackeray.

Praying and Living

Al Drifil of San Antonio was in the city first of the week.

READJUSTMENTS

By **THOMAS ARKLE CLARK**
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

WE ARE, as I have often remarked, the slaves of habit, good or bad. The older we are the more difficult it is to readjust ourselves to new conditions, to take on new friends, and to be happy in new surroundings. Winter or summer, at work or during vacation, I awake at about the same hour, and try as I will I cannot long be contented. I must be up and at something. It is a habit I learned, with difficulty I must admit, long ago on the farm, but, having learned it, I am a slave to it. I want the same things for breakfast. Wherever I am, I am a little uneasy unless I am in my own chair. I am contented only when I have my old friends about me. And yet I know full well that one should learn to be and to do otherwise, for sooner or later readjustments will have to be made. Old friends will have to go; new conditions will arise; and the wise man will learn to make readjustments early in life.

Wilder is a bachelor who has always had means enough to live as he desired. He has always intended to marry, but he is past fifty now and he is afraid of the readjustments which he knows will be inevitable in his life if he takes on the responsibilities of married life. She might want breakfast earlier or later than he has been accustomed to; she might not find his friends as agreeable as he finds them; she might even appropriate his favorite chair or insist upon its being replaced by a more artistic though less comfortable one. There is too much risk, and he will very likely drift on and die as he now is. Selfish will say he is, but his habits are formed.

Gregory, though he is an old man, has just lost his mother. During his seventy years he has scarcely been separated from her. He has a wife and a family of his own and is a self-reliant and successful man, but there has always been mother to go to when he was depressed or in trouble or felt the need of sympathy. He is as completely lost as a child without her. He wanders about like a stranger in a strange land, not knowing what to do or where to go. He knew that the change must come, sooner or later, but he had not prepared himself for it.

Fuller and his wife were inseparable. He was a shy man, who held himself in the background in social affairs. No one else could bring him out or put him in as good light as she could do. He quite sparkled when she was about, but without her he was silent, ill-at-ease, and not at his best. She died suddenly when still a young woman, but he could not make the readjustments necessary to a life without her. He was like a vessel drifting helplessly in a heavy sea. He followed her in a few months. He had never learned to make readjustments.
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First-Footing Ancient Scottish New Year Habit

First-footing is an ancient custom which still exists in Scotland. Late in the evening of Hogmanay, December 31, in each year, thousands of the common people assemble in the vicinity of the Edinburgh Tron church to ascertain on good evidence when the new year commences. When the clock is about to strike 12 they cheer so loudly that the strokes are not heard. Instantly that it has finished, they depart for the purpose of first-footing—that is, each one tries to be the first person that year to cross the threshold of his friend's house and wish him the compliments of the season. It is considered bad luck to go into a house empty-handed, and good luck is supposed to attend the resident whose "first foot" is dark-complexioned and whose name begins with straight instead of curved and curly letters.

Novel Street Dress in Diagonal Woolen



A silky woolen cloth, in a diagonal weave, makes this novel and handsome street dress, cut to show mitered lines. The belted tunic is posed over a plain skirt—the design is original and chic.

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NOTICE OF SALE,

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS EL PASO DIVISION

The United States
Vs.
One Ford Touring Automobile.
No. 8306 Criminal.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under an order of our said court, made and entered April 4, A. D. 1927 in the above styled and numbered cause, I will on the 19th day of November 1927 being the third Saturday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer for sale and sell at public auction before the County Court House of Presidio County at Marfa, Texas, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property to wit:

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SCOTT C. WHITE,
United States Marshal, Western District of Texas.
By A. H. Woelber, Deputy.

TURNED OVER

C. E. Mead, K. C. Miller and John L. Livingston attended the meeting Tuesday evening of the Presidio Chamber of Commerce, where Mr. Mead addressed the meeting on legal matters appertaining to the incorporation of Presidio. On their return to Marfa, when about 12 miles from Marfa, the car ran into a soft place in the road and skidded, and finally turned over. Fortunately all escaped serious injury only the next day all felt sore and stiff.

Mrs. J. H. Roark has had visiting this week Mr. and Mrs. Evans of El Paso. Mr. Evans is a brother of Mrs. Roark.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brite returned Sunday from an automobile trip of several weeks. While in Fort Worth at the opening of the T. C. U., they attended the banquet given in honor of Col. Lindbergh.

Mrs. Jessie Blackwell has been very ill this week and Prof. Blackwell has been at her bedside. In his absence from his school duties, Mrs. John McDonald has been teaching for him.

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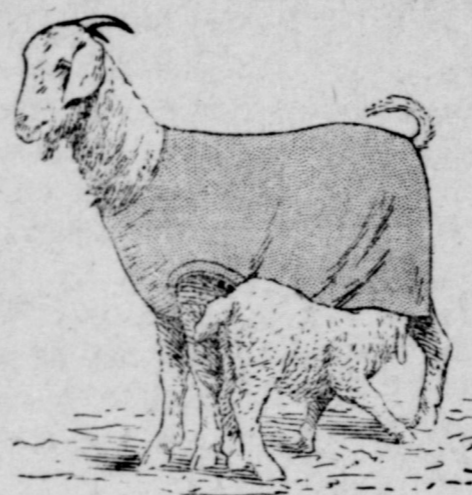


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Disaster continually threatens any shorn flock of uncoated Goats, because the need of sheltering their naked bodies from a cold rain is imperative.

LAST YEAR'S LOSSES PROVE IT

Unfortunately this is again emphasized by the severe losses throughout Texas during the rains of late September and early October. Death losses to some extent were suffered on nearly all ranches, while here and there, whole flocks were wiped out.

40,000 GOAT COATS NOW IN USE PROVE THEM SATISFACTORY

Where flocks were handled CONTINUOUSLY after shearing, death losses were perhaps largely averted, but that insurance was bought at the price of damage. For so great is the damage in eaten out traps, with endless handling, that flocks merely live, producing much less than they are capable of earning. And any business that cuts down its income is certainly losing money.

GOAT COAT BENEFITS MORE THAN PAY FOR THE COATS

Forty thousand GOAT COATS in use have unquestionably proven them to be AN ABSOLUTELY SAFE SHELTER UNDER ANY EXTREME WEATHER CONDITION. They never fail. They are always there when needed, wherever and whenever they care to—uncrowded and unhurried—and then to rest undisturbed. This EVER PRESENT SHELTER conserves and husbands their bodies so that more hair is grown (and hair of a better quality) more milk for the kids—hence better kids—and these benefits going beyond insurance from death losses, ARE MORE THAN SUFFICIENT TO PAY FOR THE COATS.

AUTOMATICALLY LIGHTEN YOUR WORK AND INCREASE YOUR PROFITS

The benefits of GOATS COATS come automatically and WITHOUT LABOR. You are relieved from constant care, work and worry. You will be delighted when you use them.

INVESTIGATE NOW

It is a blessing, that man naturally forgets his troubles, yet in business, he must force his memory backward to the unpleasant things in order to better provide for the future, so that you may be sure to obtain sufficient GOAT COATS for your spring needs, it is suggested you write us NOW for any information you wish, and book your order for future delivery.

An Inquiry will not oblige or embarrass you in any way. Write Today.

H. W. RIECK COMPANY
Roosevelt, Texas

TENAJO BLANCO MINES

This is the name applied to a large group of claims out some 45 miles southwest of Marfa, and 40 miles northwest of Presidio in the lead-silver district of Presidio County.

This ore body has been prospected and located by F. W. Cook and associates, who have done enough development work to prove the value of the properties and the richness of the district.

The matter of developing and bringing the property into a producing mine depends to some extent on two things, one the transportation facilities to be furnished by the building of the Orient through that region, and the completion of the Smelter being erected at Presidio, which will bring a reduction plant near the property.

WORK BEING RUSHED ON THE TANK FARM

The Mount Cooper Construction company has completed eleven tanks for the Mid-Kansas oil and Gas company at the Waterloo site, with seven others under construction. The remaining 7 will be started soon, most of the dirt work for them being finished. The tank farm here will be the largest in West Texas, having storage capacity of 2 million barrels. It is very likely that the number of tanks will be greatly increased although no official announcement has been made yet. The Illinois Pipe Line Company has finished more than one hundred miles of pipe line and expects to complete it about the last week of this month, it was announced this morning. However, the telephone line and the power stations will not be ready by that time. Last week the line was laid at the farm, and is now set for connecting with the tanks.

W. A. Miller, president of the pipe line company, will be back in Del Rio sometime next week. After an inspection of the line Miller expressed himself as being satisfied with the progress on the line. His son, who has been here, has been transferred to Comstock.

It is expected that the line will be continued on to the Gulf probably to Corpus Christi, and some announcement will be forthcoming on the matter within a few weeks. Surveyors for the Southern Crude Oil Purchasing company are reported to be working in the field west of Comstock, which means the possibility of another pipe line to some point on the Southern Pacific.

—West Texas News.

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OBREGON APPEALS TO U. S.
By International.

Nogales, Mexico, Oct. 13.—General Alvaro Obregon, Mexican presidential candidate in an exclusive interview with International News Service here today sounded an appeal for better understanding between the people of the United States and Mexico.

"For the American people I have only a message of sympathy expressing my desires for a better understanding with the people of Mexico as the future progress of both republics is closely linked General Obregon said. General Obregon summarized the success of the federal government in stamping out the recent revolt as follows:

"The success of the federal government has been definite, the revolt headed by Generals Serrano and Gomez has been put down in eight days. The pub-

Rev. T. M. Broadfoot, who has been attending the National Christian convention at Indianapolis, Ind., is expected to return today for his regular services.

If your new tire has a blowout Like this Don't throw it away, take it to J. Rivera, And have him vulcanize it right. Leave Tires In The New Era office

DOES BREEDING TELL

At this time of the year, let us take a look at your flock of chickens, let us see what we can find.

Do you keep mongrel chickens, dukes mixture, all kinds, all sizes, all ages, all types, all colors, so-called, eating or crazy quilt chickens. Ask yourself that question. Go out and count them, find out how many you have.

Last week we made a trip thru East Texas, from Huntsville, to Groveton, Trinity, Lufkin, Dayton and Houston. I took particular interest and note of the kind of chickens. I wanted to get first hand information, on just what relationship exists between standard bred or so-called pure-bred chickens and mixed breeds or mongrels.

I am more convinced than ever that a large number of people still believe in mixed chickens. We have tried to reason out why so many people want to waste their time with mongrel chickens. We have tried to look at it from their viewpoint, but are at a loss to even begin to understand.

We cannot find one good reason or justification for the mongrel hens on the farm.

The Mongrel Flock
Are poor layers, as an average producing less than 100 eggs in a year.

They eat just as much feed as pure bred chickens.

They require just as much room and just as good care.

Good care is time wasted when devoted to a mongrel flock of dukes mixture chickens.

What kind of breeding do they have? Answer, nobody knows, they come and go by accident. Their parents or ancestor are no good yow can the offspring be much better. They are unsightly, because they are mixed in color and type.

They produce a mixed lot of eggs, bringing an inferior price upon the market.

You cannot enter them in a poultry show, because no poultry show management will tolerate them.

As a general rule they are of a lower vitality and sickly.

Mongrel hens lay most of their few eggs in Spring time when eggs are cheap.

They are a losing proposition under even the most favorable conditions.

LOST—Female Fox Terrier Dog, white, small brown diamond shaped mark on top of head. Answers to name of Di. Communicated with Mrs. F. B. Moore, Box 31, Presidio, Tex.

Taken from THE SHORTHORN dated Oct. 14th.

PRIZE OFFERED IN COMMERCIAL WORK

Mr. M. D. Bounds, President of the Marfa National Bank has offered a ten dollar gold piece to the student that makes the best average in Commercial work.

This will inspire these students to make better grades, and that is what we need. Mr. Bounds offered the same prize last year and Annabel Evans, a former student, was the winner.

We take this way to thank Mr. Bounds for his interest in our school work, we are always glad to know the town people are backing us in all we do.—W. M. B.

DR. BARCUS VISITS SENIORS

Mr. Hunter Metcalf interrupted the Senior English class one day last week for a very good cause. He introduced Rev. Sam Barcus, President of The Southwestern University, who gave a short, but very important talk to the eleventh graders.

Rev. Barcus stressed the importance of a College education and then gave a description of the beautiful College of which he is president.

The Senior Class was highly honored and use the Short Horn in which to express their thanks. The Senior Class.

NEW FOOTBALL EQUIPMENT FOR MARFA "HI"

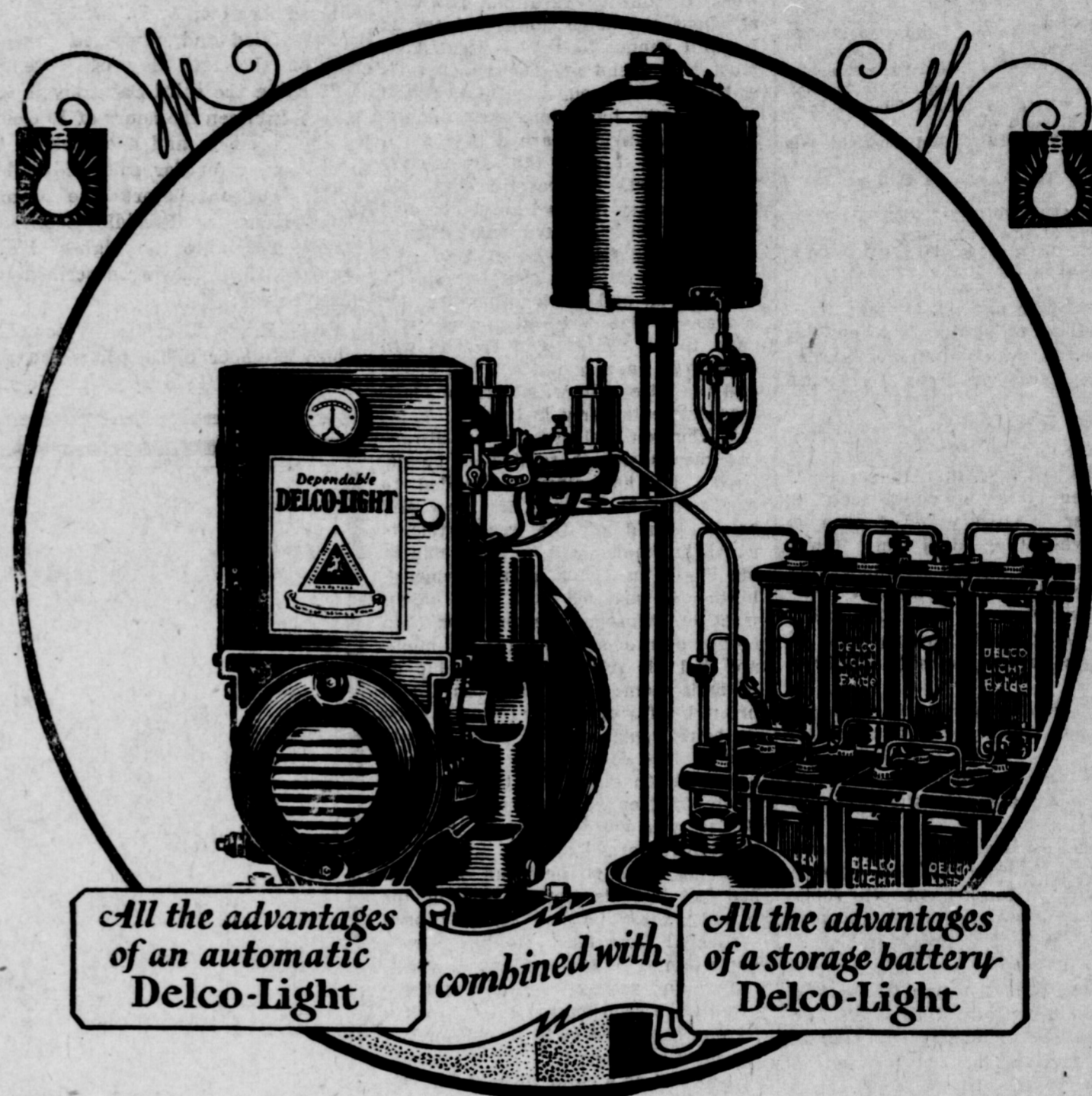
The Marfa High school has \$263.32 worth of new Football equipment. They have bought twelve new pants, \$85.20; twelve shoulder pads, \$61.80, two new Footballs, \$16.00, twelve new jerseys with numbers, \$58.32, material for goals and other things, \$42.00.—S. M.

HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT GETS MONEY

The State gave Marfa High \$575 for the Home Economics Department. We are very glad to get this for it will enable the H. E. Department to get many necessary things.—F. A.

A Scotchman was leaving home on a business trip, and he called back: "Good bye all—and dinna forget to take little Donal's glasses off when he aint looking at anything."

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Now comes a new type Delco-Light Plant that astounds even those scientists and engineers who are in daily contact with the epoch-making achievements of electrical science.

Write—or 'phone—and get full information about this new achievement of Delco-Light and General Motors. Or call on me personally and see the evidence with your own eyes. And remember—if this newest model doesn't exactly suit your needs, there are many other Plants to choose from, now priced as low as \$225. Don't wait. Write or 'phone or call today.

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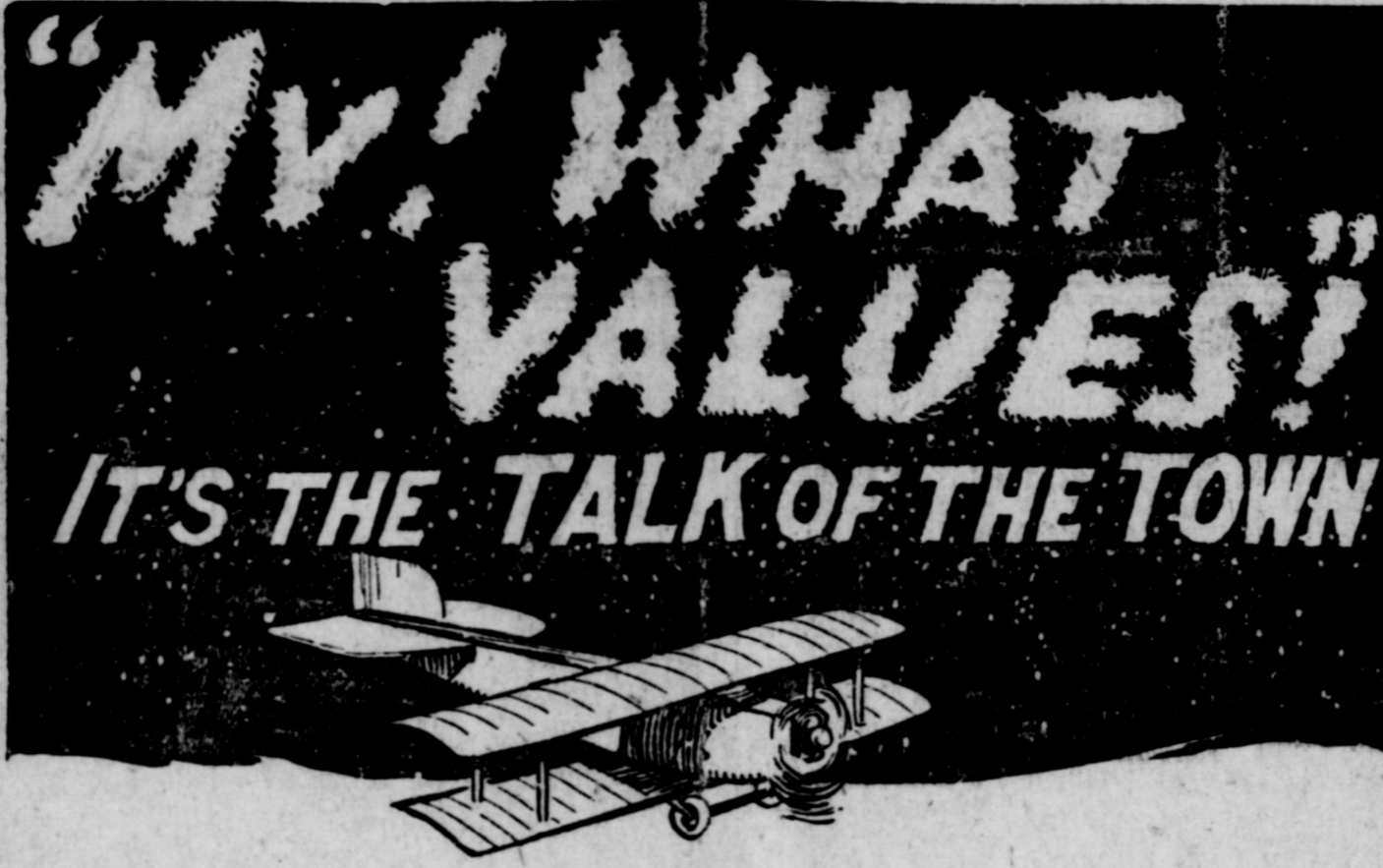


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wanting to open a Charge Account to the Man or Woman who want to pay "Spot Cash" we want your business too and we're giving the limit to get it--Yes we give a "Special Cash Discount" on Sale Prices-- so we repeat--is it any wonder Roger's Store Wide Sale is the Talk of the Town?

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Do You Remember Our Store Wide Sale last April?

Do you remember how we marked down everything in our Store for that Big Selling Event? Do you remember how we opened up wide our Credit Books, so that everybody Rich and Poor alike might take advantage of the Sale? Do you remember how we said we want the name of every honest

Man and Woman living in the Great South West on our Books.

We repeat-- Don't you remember that Sale? With us it was a "Never to be Forgotten Sale"-- and encouraged by it's wonderful Success we decided to repeat that "Never to be Forgotten Sale" again this Fall -- It's now in Progress.

As we say above--it's just started and the people are coming from far and near-- And well they may for it's the best opportunity you've had in many a day to buy Furniture, Rugs, Linoleum and Draperies, You'll find many things reduced in price.

We Are Not Quoting Prices Today

It would be almost useless - We are Doing a wonderful Business - What you find on our Floors in One Hour may be gone The next

You can't guess- Furniture values by Newspaper prices, furniture is one of the things you must see before you buy, so price quoting don't mean anything- we want you to come to "Roger's Store Wide Sale" expecting to find the best values--we want you to come expecting more from us than from anyone else--You'll not be Disappointed.

ROGERS FURNITURE COMPANY

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Report of Lands, Town Lots, Etc., On The Tax Rolls Of The City Of Marfa, Texas, For The Year 1926 Delinquent For Taxes For 1921 to 1926 Inclusive As Returned By Gus Raetzsch, Collector.

List of Abbreviations
 ab—Abstract No.
 cer. or cert.—Certificate No.
 sur—Survey No.
 o g—Original Grantee
 a ad—Acres Assessed
 a del—Acres Delinquent
 Add.—Addition
 blk—Block
 div—Division
 Un own—Unknown Owner
 N—North, S—South, E—East,
 W—West.

Adams Van, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$8.65.
 Alvarado Jose, Marfa Add., lot 4, blk. 90, Total taxes \$19.49.
 Arrieto Antonio, W. H. Add., lot 11, blk. 4, Total taxes \$4.59.
 Brito Cirildo Mrs., Marfa Add., lot 20, blk. 35, Total taxes \$2.02.
 Carnero Maria, Marfa Add., lots 9 and 10, blk. 84, Total taxes \$11.22.
 Casner Coffield, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$12.28.
 Chacon David, W. H. Add., lots 2, 3, 5, 11, 12, blk., 3, Total taxes \$5.60.
 Chacon Manuel, Marfa Add., lot 1/2 of 2, blk., 41, Total taxes \$1.08.
 Chambers C. C., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$1.24.
 Chacon Rosenda Marfa Add., lots 1/2 of 1 & 2, blk., 41, Total taxes \$1.38.
 Chacon Angelita, Marfa Add., lot 1/2 of 1, blk., 41, Total taxes \$1.03.
 Chavis Jose, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$1.90.
 Dominguez Concepcion, Montolla Add., lot 12, blk., 8, Total taxes \$2.53.
 Dominguez Maria, Marfa Add., lots 16 & 17, blk., 25, Total taxes \$9.55.
 Dominguez Juan, Marfa Add., lot 20, blk., 11, Total taxes \$6.02.
 Duncan Frank, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$25.51.
 Evans J. H., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$11.79.
 Fierro Ysidor, Marfa Add., lot 13, blk., 56, Total taxes \$3.47.
 Flaco Euferio, Marfa Add., lots 11 & 12, blk., 24, Total taxes \$8.78.
 Freeman C. D., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$0.41.
 Galindo Anita, Humphris Add., lot 10, blk., 3, Total taxes \$0.50.
 Cabenzuela Jesus (of Anita G.), Humphris Add., lot 9, blk., 3, Total taxes \$4.30.
 Galinda Jesus Mrs., Marfa Add., lot 3, blk., 12, Total taxes \$10.32.
 Galinda Juan, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$3.53.
 Galinda Lola, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$3.53.
 Garcia Josefina Mrs., Marfa Add., lot 14, blk., 56, Total taxes \$5.18.
 Gonzales Adolfo, Marfa Add., lot 3, blk., 85, Total taxes \$7.80.
 Guevara Gaspar, Humphris Add., lots 1 to 4, 11 & 12, blk., 2, Total taxes \$25.15.
 Hay L. L., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$4.96.
 Harp Ross, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$2.07.
 Hensley S. J., W. H. Add., lot 6, blk., 15, Total taxes \$7.21.
 Hight L. M., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$2.27.
 Hensley S. J. Est., W. H. Marfa Add., lots 15 & 16, in blk., 19; lots W 1/2 of 9, 10, 11, in blk., 10; lots 12 to 17 in blk., 32, Total taxes \$32.98.
 Hernandez Sercario W. H. Add., lot 4, blk., 4, Total taxes \$3.45.
 Hopkins Sue, Marfa Add., lots 17 to 20, blk., 20, Total taxes \$17.25.
 Jiner Mariano, P. P. Add., Total taxes 7.93.
 Jaime R. B., P. P. Add., lots 11 to 14, blk., 11, Total taxes \$18.09.
 Jamar J. R., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$2.44.
 Jimenez Juanita (or Juana), Marfa Add., lot 7, blk., 57, Total taxes \$8.59.
 Juarez Perfecto, Marfa Add., lots 11 & 12, Total taxes \$3.59.
 Lock J. H., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$18.13.
 Longhorn Cafe, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$22.33.
 Martinez Angelita, Marfa Add., lots 17 to 20, blk., 30, Total taxes \$13.47.
 Martinez Petra, Marfa Add., lots 1 to 4 blk., 55, Total taxes \$28.11.
 Madrid Cepriano, Marfa Add., lots 11 to 20, blk., 120, Total taxes \$9.19.
 Martinez Ester, Marfa Add., lots 19 & 20, blk., 12, Total taxes \$1.22.
 Matias Sotello, W. H. Add., lot 8, blk., 14, Total taxes \$1.05.
 Mendez Cruz, Humphris Add., lot 2, blk., 4, Total taxes \$3.39.
 Mendoza Nestor, Montolla Add., lot 8, blk., 1, Total taxes \$0.97.
 Miller Jno., W. H. Add., lots 6 to 8, blk 12, Total taxes \$15.13.
 Miller Nestor, Montolla Add., lots 4 & 5, blk., 8, Total taxes \$10.58.
 Miller Sam, W. H. Add., lots 1, 13, and 16, blk., 3, Total taxes \$27.77.
 Minijarez Juana, W. H. Add., lots 11, & 12, blk., 14, Total taxes \$5.45.
 Montolla Merijilda, Montolla Add., lot 3, blk., 1, Total taxes \$13.70.
 Morales Rafael E., W. H. Add., lots 9 & 10, blk., 4, Total taxes \$6.10.
 Navarrete Barnabe, Marfa Add., lots 6 & 7, blk., 74, Total taxes \$9.89.
 Ordonez Silvestre Marfa Add., lot 7, blk., 12, Total taxes \$15.56.
 Pacheco Francisco, W. H. Add., lot 14, blk., 4, Total taxes \$4.32.
 Pena Marcus, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$1.24.
 Pruett Ben Sr., Mahon Add., lots 5

to 8, blk., 11, Total taxes \$49.57.
 Quintana Hijinio, Marfa Add., lots 8, 9, and 10, blk., 65, Total taxes \$24.82.
 Quintilla Mrs. S. R., Marfa Add., lots S. part of 3, 12, 16, blk., 2, Total taxes \$30.33.
 Raney Roland, Dry Cleaners, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$2.07.
 Rice William, Marfa Add., lots 1, 2, and 3, blk., 30, Total taxes \$10.08.
 Rivera Tito, P. P. Total taxes \$1.67.
 Rodriguez Maria G., Humphris Add., lots 13 & 14, blk., 2, Total taxes \$5.05.
 Rodriguez Francisco, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$1.63.
 Rodriguez Natavidad, Marfa Add., lots 9 & 10, blk., 41, Total taxes \$15.30.
 Salcido Manuel, Humphris Add., lots 5 & 6, blk., 4, Total taxes \$9.47.
 Salgado Matias, W. H. Add., lot 6, blk., 7, Total taxes \$0.81.
 Salcido Juan, Marfa Add., lot 8, blk., 117, Total taxes \$1.26.
 Sanchez Elvira, Marfa Add., lot 9, blk., 12, Total taxes \$6.34.
 Sanches Tomas, Marfa Add., lots 6 & 7, blk., 70, Total taxes \$19.23.
 Servano Petra, Marfa Add., lot 9, blk., 56, Total taxes \$7.22.
 Schutze H. W., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$8.63.
 Sloan Mrs. Jim, G. H. & S. A., Total taxes \$23.85.
 Slack Monroe, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$15.53.
 Snyder T. W., Marfa Add., lots 3, 4, & 5, blk., 77, Total taxes \$63.66.
 Taylor T. C. P. P. Add., Total taxes \$15.52.
 Tom E. J., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$0.87.
 Urango Avelino, Marfa Add., lot 9, blk., 57, Total taxes \$2.76.
 Urias Juan, Marfa Add., lots 9, 10, 19, and 20, blk., 55, Total taxes \$29.60.
 Vasquez Crispine, Marfa Add., lot 8, blk., 41, Total taxes \$9.47.
 Vasquez Juan, Marfa Add., lot 10, blk., 32, Total taxes \$12.99.
 Vaughan Jeff, P. P. Total taxes \$8.08.
 Villaral Abram, Marfa Add., lot 1, blk., 88, Total taxes \$6.51.
 Wilcox Chas., Marfa Add., lot 3, blk., 120, Total taxes \$11.70.
 Marfa Oil Mill Co., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$103.50.
 Mathews W. A., W. H. Add., lots 1 to 6, blk., 8; lots 3, 4, 5, blk., 12; Total taxes \$0.85.
 Snyder Pauline, Marfa Add., lots 1 to 5, blk., 7, Total taxes \$11.03.
 Acosta Febino, Marfa Add., lots 11, and 12, blk., 118, Total taxes \$1.67.
 Aguirre Cruz, W. H. Add., lot 3, blk., 17, Total taxes \$2.74.
 Aguirre Manuel, W. H. Add., lots 4, 5, blk., 6; lot 13, blk., 9, Total taxes \$14.46.
 Alvarado Romulo Est., Marfa Add., lot 7, blk., 64, Total taxes \$3.38.
 Bartola Jose, Marfa Add., lots 6, 7, and 8, blk., 120, Total taxes \$10.60.
 Barton H. M., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$3.87.
 Bergara Sisto, W. H. Add., lot 13, blk., 2; lots 9, and 10, blk., 3, Total taxes \$2.56.
 Bennett J. F. P. P. Add., Total taxes \$2.42.
 Billara Phillipi, W. H. Add., lots 1, and 2, blk., 2, Total taxes \$2.72.
 Burgess Tamasita, Humphris Add., lot 3, blk., 4, Total taxes \$1.76.
 Carl's Drug Store, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$63.31.
 Carmona Antonio, Marfa Add., lots 15 & 16, blk., 30, Total taxes \$15.56.
 Carasco Felipe, W. H. Add., lots 1, & 2, blk., 3, Total taxes \$4.31.
 Bullas Paula Carrasco, Humphris Add., lots 1&2, blk., 3, Total taxes \$9.21.
 Cartwright Minnie Jo, B. V. Add., lot 3, blk., 8, Total taxes \$1.32.
 Chambers L. H., Marfa Add., lots 14 to 16, blk., 97, Total taxes \$66.76.
 Chambers Mrs. M. Est., J. M. Dean Add., lot 1A Total taxes \$58.82.
 Calliflower E. M., W. H. Add., lots 5 & 6, blk., 4, Total taxes \$17.29.
 Coker J. H., P. P. Add., Total taxes \$3.35.
 Corrales Jose, Marfa Add., lot 6, blk., 64, Total taxes \$5.31.
 Cowell Albino, W. H. Add., lots 9 & 10, blk., 4, Total taxes \$6.10.
 Cowell Albino, W. H. Add., lots 9 & 10, blk., 14, Total taxes \$8.19.
 Cline Tom, P. P. Add., Total taxes \$0.85.
 Diaz Augustine, W. H. Add., lot 16, blk., 12, Total taxes \$6.07.
 Sotella Lupe, Humphris Add., lot 20, blk., 2, Total taxes \$2.04.
 Dominguez Francisco, W. H. Add., lots 5 & 6, blk., 14, Total taxes \$3.79.
 Franco Ascencion, Marfa Add., lot 14, blk., 12, Total taxes \$3.09.
 Garcia Concepcion, Marfa Add., 9, blk., 60, Total taxes \$1.92.
 Garcia Jesus B., Marfa Add., lot 3, blk., 86, Total taxes \$5.00.
 Garcia Jose, Marfa Add., lots 5, & 6, blk., 117, Total taxes \$3.19.
 Garcia Liberaldo D. W. H. Add., lot 16, blk., 2, Total taxes \$1.99.
 Gomez Lino (or Antonio), Humphris Add., lots 5 & 5a, blk., 3, Total taxes \$2.90.
 Gonzales Gil, W. H. Add., lot 11, blk., 9, Total taxes \$12.28.
 Gonzales Luz, Marfa Add., lots 4 & 5, blk., 59, Total taxes \$4.42.
 Gonzales Guillermo, W. H. Add., lot 12, blk., 9, Total taxes \$7.55.

This Street Ensemble Very Cleverly Designed



A smart street ensemble, consisting of a royal blue silk one-piece dress with a velvet jacket trimmed in chinchilla fur, worn by Marian Dixon, Universal star. With the ensemble is worn a smart felt hat of gray to match the chinchilla fur.

Clyde Sailors, manager of the Marfa Motor Company has been this week in El Paso for medical treatment.

Will Live on Barrier Reef a Year



Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Yonge of London are members of the British scientific expedition to the Great Barrier reef of Australia and will live on a desert island of that reef for a year. Doctor Yonge is a member of the Marine Biological association.

ATTEND FOOTBALL GAMES

Football games and one play which is given by the school. Now don't forget! Be out for the next game!—M. L. H.
 Word was received that a former Marfa High student, Miss Eva Dowe had been operated on for appendicitis. She is well on the road to recovery. Miss Dowe has been attending The Simmons University at Abilene, Texas.

Federal Tires

The Price of Cotton is High

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We have your size in the famous "Federal Tires" at a price that makes people ask us: "How can you sell Federal Tires so cheap?" They all know these Tires are the best and of course we have the best Prices.

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Locals and Personals

J. H. Young, who recently purchased the J. E. Wilson ranch in Pinto Canyon, was a visitor to Marfa Saturday.

Your Jeweler—More than a Merchant
"Your jeweler knows the hearts of giver and recipient. The fine things he suggests for gifts live forever in the hearts of those who give them and receive them."

The Lockley's
Come and see us.

Mrs. Arthur Kerr returned Sunday from a visit to her old home in Oklahoma. Mr. Kerr met her in El Paso and returned in their auto.

WANTED— To hear from owners of Mineral Ore prospects or Claims in Presidio or Brewster Counties No Oil. Give all details first letter with Analysis of ORE if assays have been made. Want only worthy prospects which will bear investigation. No inflated values. ADDRESS:

A. ROTHBERGER, Box 17
Austin, Texas
(10-10-27)

Mrs. Wayne Parks of San Antonio, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rawls, who has been seriously ill, is reported much better. Mrs. Rawls is with her daughter.

Mrs. Orr Kerr has been on the sick list this week. Her aunt Mrs. Milt Chastain of Alpine has been here with her.

Andrew M. Greenwood of Anthony, New Mexico, has been in Marfa this week visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenwood.

Mrs. Ed Stegall of Valentine was a pleasant visitor to our city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Arnold and baby left Friday for Pearsal. Mr. Arnold while on his vacation will probably have an operation for throat trouble.

"Costume Jewelry will be a most popular item this winter. We have an excellent assortment of smart pieces which we would suggest that you select now and let us lay away for Christmas."

The Lockley's
Come and see us.

NOW READY

The Tax Rolls of Presidio county for 1927, have been delivered to Collector O. A. Knight.

NOTICE

Hunting cutting of green Pines and Cedars or otherwise trespassing on my lands in Jeff Davis County are hereby **STRICTLY FORBIDDEN!**

b. o MEDLEY

John Gist of Odessa was in the city Wednesday. He said that the imported English Herefords on exhibition in Texas had nothing on the Texas White Faces.

MARFA HISTORY CLUB WILL MEET OCT. 25th at 3-P.M.

The Marfa History Club will meet with Mrs. W. J. Yates, Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m. October 25, Mrs. C. S. Babcock as leader, and a very interesting program will be rendered.

LEAVES FOR MARKET

Mr. William Harper of the Big Store, Murphy-Walker Company, left today for St. Louis, to place his order for Holiday goods and special priced merchandise that can only be purchased in large wholesale houses, such as are found in St. Louis. Mr. Harper says, the dry goods business of the Big Store is very satisfactory, better than any previous years, he states further, that he is fully convinced by securing these better values which can only be had by going to market and personally selecting them, placing them before the public with no extra profit scheme in view other than the value for value received, and by using local advertising is the secret of their increased business.

MARFA DELPHIANS MEET

Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p. m., the Delphian society met at the community house and held their regular meeting. In the absence of the president Mrs. H. M. Fennell the meeting was conducted by Mrs. H. Hord, vice-president, who presided at a short business session, then the meeting was turned to the study of the lesson, Imperial Egypt, with the following ladies taking part: Mesdames H. Davis, W. P. Fischer, L. C. Brite, J. H. Fortner, H. O. Metcalfe, W. T. Davis, F. Jordan, K. C. Miller, C. Sailors, and H. Hord. Fourteen members were present. The next meeting will be November 2nd at the Community House.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HOLDS GET-TO-GETHER

Mr. and Mrs. Lusius Hurley entertained the Young married folks Sunday school class of the Methodist church Friday evening with a charming party. The nature of the party was a get-together affair to create a class spirit. The decorations of the reception rooms were most attractive, gorgeous dahlias were the flowers used to fill baskets and bowls. Five tables were placed for the guests and a number of interesting and exciting games of 42 were played. At the conclusion of the games, a salad course was served. Mrs. Hord assisted Mrs. Hurley in the entertaining.

CALVES SHIPPED TO IOWA

Tuesday Courtney Mellard shipped four car loads of very fine calves from the Thos. Crosson ranch to Letts and Turkington of Iowa. Mr. Mellard has purchased this season for these parties 4,500 calves and the shipment Tuesday was the first of the season. He has purchased for future delivery 1,000 from the Crosson ranch.

On Friday Mellard shipped 8 car loads of yearlings to the Iowa buyers from the J. R. Love ranch.

MARFA MASON HONORED

F. Courtney Mellard of Marfa has been elected a Knight Commander of the Court of Honor by the Supreme Council which has been in session this week at Washington, D. C.

Not too soon to think about Xmas Now while you can shop in leisure, why not select one of these watches with flexible bracelets for a Christmas gift? We will gladly lay it away for you.

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Come and see us.

CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST
The Word of God
BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER
If parents will have their children memorize a Bible scripture each week, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in after years.
GOD WILL GUIDE THEE—Be ye not as the horse, or as the mule, which have no understanding, whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle. I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go. Psalm 32:9-8.

PRAYER—O Spirit of the living God, we need thy guidance, for the way is strange to us. Keep us from self will. Make us teachable and then show us the way to walk.

QUESTION—What description did Christ give of the last judgement?

Answer, read—Matt. 25:31-46.

CLOSING CHILDREN'S WEEK

At the close of Children's week on Oct., 23, tomorrow, a worship service will be given at the Methodist church with the following program outlined:

Hymn,
Call To Worship,
Hymn,
Responsive Reading
Prayer, (Led by the pastor)
Solo, "My Redeemer and My Lord, Miss Frances Mitchell.
Pageant Directed by Mrs. J. C. Jones. The following are those that will take part in the pageant: Mrs. J. M. Rosson, N. P. Barclay, Jess, Rudolph Mellard, Anna Marie Hoffman, Keith Hurley, Miss Nita Godbolt, Billy Ake A. J. Hoffman, N. A. Arnold, H. O. Metcalfe, L. C. Hinkley, J. E. Gregg and Rev. J. C. Jones.

J. S. Sullivan, ass't. passenger agent, from Houston, and Ed McCalahan of El Paso were in Marfa this week conferring with officers of local clubs concerning arrangements for delegates desiring to stop over here on Nov., 13 returning from the State meeting of Woman's Federated Clubs at El Paso.

AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH LAST SUNDAY NIGHT

In the absence of Rev. T. M. Broadfoot, the Juniors of the Christian church Sunday school put on the following interesting program:

Congregational Singing.
Prayer, Mrs. Secrest.
Song, Henry Miller.
"Tis You, Reading by Aline Chastain.

Sleep Baby Sleep, Sang, by Children.

Special Music, Miss Lucille Slack, Violinist; Carver Moore, Saxophonist, Accompanied by Mrs. Jimmie Yates.

My faith looks up to thee, Pantomimed by Fletcher Metcalfe, Sarah Harris, Lorena Shannon and Grace Chastain.

Vocal Solo, Miss Winnie Davis. Miss Katherine Schutzte closed with an interesting and appreciative talk.



Father Sage Says:
A man seldom goes to a friend for a loan if he really needs the money.

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

The Sucker Feet of Flies
It is not only because the feet of flies excrete a sort of sticky substance that they can climb perpendicular surfaces or walk on ceilings. The bottoms of their feet are formed like tiny cups, the vacuum thus afforded helping them to grip to the surface.
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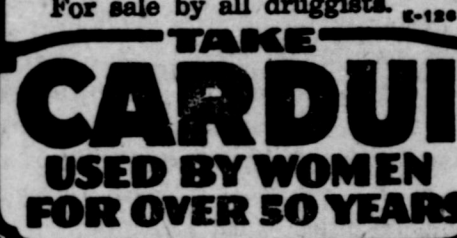
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"I was in a dreadfully run-down condition," says Mrs. Chas. L. Lacroix, of Montgomery, La. "I suffered a great deal of pain. I was in misery all over. I could not sit up and I could not lie down. I couldn't sleep and at times I would have dreadful vomiting spells. The aches and pains seemed to cover my whole body.

"One night my husband brought me home six bottles of Cardui and I began to take it. I could tell that I was improving from the first bottle, but I kept on taking the medicine, for I knew that I needed a tonic that would build me up and strengthen me where I was weak and run-down. That is exactly what Cardui did for me. After I had finished the six bottles I felt fine.

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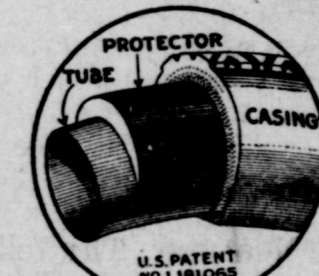
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"Why the United States should pay the SOLDIERS BONUS Bill in Cash now."

"Why Each State should pay a Special Bonus to World War Veterans."
Why the Soldiers should have their present pay raised."

Why Law Should be passed that would prevent repetition of the conditions following the World War, Whereby our soldiers were compelled to Beg and Patronize Bread and Soup Lines.

The winning articles, with name of Author, will be published in my booklet, "A Plea for the American Soldier," and all publication rights must be Assigned to Me.

My intentions are to put this Booklet in the hands of all the United States Senators and Representatives, State Governors and Congressmen, Soldier Camps and American Legion Posts, as it is for the benefit of the American Soldier.
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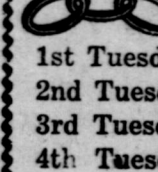
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Meets 4th Thursday night in each month. Visiting companions welcome.

J C Bean, H. P.
J. W. HOWELL, Sec.

MARFA LODGE No. 64 I. O. O. F.



1st Tuesday Night, 1st Degree
2nd Tuesday Night, 2nd Degree
3rd Tuesday Night, 3rd Degree
4th Tuesday Night, Initiatory Degree.

All visiting brothers are cordially invited to be present.

F. W. Jordan, N. G.

E. F. NIGCOLLS, Secretary.

MARFA CHAPTER No. 344 O. E. S.



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 PHONE 44.

Gets Two Years After Mailing Nude Photos.

Was Attempting To Win A \$10,000.00 Prize, Declares, Intended To Write Book.

Charged with mailing obscene photographs films at Marfa to a printing firm at Syracuse, N. Y., L. P. Bartell, 53, was sentenced to two years in Leavenworth penitentiary today when he pleaded guilty in Federal court. Postal inspectors testified that some of the photographs were of Bartell and his wife.

Scientific Study.

Bartell said the pictures were obtained as a scientific study. "I had heard that an insurance firm," he said, "offered \$10,000 for a book on true sex conditions. I intended to show the pictures to widows and women past certain ages for psychological effect so I could obtain their viewpoint and get facts."

Ass't. Dist. Att'y. John G. Harlan told Judge C. A. Boyton that the "pictures are of such a nature that I even hesitate to show them to the court."

Not So Spicy.

Harlan read an excerpt from a letter which he said was purported to have been written by Bartell's wife in which she said she had a picture of a 12-year-old niece in the nude. The letter said "while it is not so spicy, lots of boys and even girls are interested in such pictures."

"It is beyond the conception of the court that you could arrive at any good thru circulation of these pictures," said Judge Boyton.

"I don't believe the mind of a normal man could consent to obtaining such pictures."

Bartell said he is a newspaper circulation promoter. His wife is at Hollis, Okla., where he was arrested.—El Paso Post.

MARFA ENTERTAINS D.M.F.
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were delightfully entertained in the beautiful home of Mrs. L. C. Brite, State Chairman, just closing a two years' term of office. In honor of the occasion the Brite home was artistically decorated with a profusion of cut flowers. An elegant one o'clock luncheon was served. The following executive officers were present:

Mrs. Rotan, president of the D. M. F.; Mrs. C. H. Bird, vice-president at large; Mrs. E. D. Stegall of Valentine, 1st Vice-President; Mrs. G. W. Worthington, of Marathon, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Fritz Weyerts, of Alpine, 3rd vice-president; Mrs. Ludie Dyche, Fort Stockton, Secretary and Treasurer; Mrs. J. A. McGonagill, Marathon, parliamentarian; Mrs. C. D. Woods, Alpine, press reporter; Mrs. Barry Scobee, Fort Davis, and Mrs. D. H. Hunter, Valentine, Board members; Mrs. W. Van Sickle and Mrs. H. Moorelock, Alpine, Chairmen of Standing Committees. In addition these the presidents of local clubs were present as invited guests, namely, Mesdames W. P. Fischer, W. J. Yates, R. S. McCracken and H. L. Hord.

02 WELL IN THE LIMELIGHT
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show intrusive and in many respects appear like Tampico and other major fields of Mexico. I feel confident that oil will be struck at a depth of from 1,600 to 1,700 feet. Of course it is impossible to tell in advance the amount of production that will be encountered.

"The Mid-Kansas thinks enough of production in the lower part of the Cretaceous below the great unconformities to bid \$100,000 that there is an oil pool. The fault blocks along which are developed arches or upfolds, constitute traps which cause oil accumulation in commercial pools. The Mid-Kansas contends that the sur-

face structure is favorable on these upfolds."

Using Standard Rig.

The steel derrick and standard cable tool rig being used on the Turney No. 1 well on the O2 ranch was completed and the well spudded in September 15. Since that time excellent progress has been made, running two tower shifts, and the hole was down 500 feet last Friday, the report the Avalanche was able to get from the well.

The well is being drilled on a 10,000 acre lease, leased from W. W. Turney of El Paso on the 251,000-acre O2 ranch, the location of the well benefits on the northeast quarter of section 77, block 213, T. & St. L. Ry., about 53 miles south of Alpine.

The well is equipped with the most up-to-date rigs, including an 84-foot steel derrick, steel crown block, steel calf and bull wheels, Delco lighting system, a Mack Motor Corporation 140 horsepower gasoline engine and other equipment, steel casing 20-in., 18-in., 15-in., 12-in., 10-in., 8-in., and 6-in., which is now on the ground. The equipment cost an outlay of \$30,000, it is said.

The company, it is stated, is to pay the customary royalty to Senator Turney. He has refused accepting \$125,000 for a half interest in his royalties, already offered.—Alpine Avalanche.

ROTARY CLUB TO SCHOOL
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And Sam Sparks, field manager of the Frigidaire Co., of El Paso. J. R. Gallimore, who had charge of the program gave an intensely interesting talk on the Modern Dairy with its technical processes and figures which helped to make clear the importance of the proper sort of dairying devices. A motion was made and carried to help support a small boy who is attending school and needs help.

Instead of the regular meeting next week at the noon hour the Rotarians will all meet at seven o'clock at Dan's Cafe for a dinner and a two hour program which will start the Rotary School this year. The following program will be given:

- 7:00 to 7:30—Dinner.
- 7:30 Rotary—H. T. Fletcher.
- 7:50 Solo—Carl Wease.
- 7:55 The Story of Rotary—B. H. Davis.
- 8:15 Quartet—Selected.
- 8:20 History of the Local Club—H. O. Metcalfe.
- 8:50 Solo—Miss Frances Mitchell.
- 9:00 Constitution and program for the years work—S. W. Casner.
- 9:30 Adjournment.

T. C. U. ELIGIBLE FOR GIFTS

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have been purchased, teachers' salaries raised and a new library made possible under the terms of this trust, it can not (by the specifications of the trust) be used for other much needed expansion."

Members of the executive board of trustees who attended the annual meeting at Ft. Worth are: D. C. Reed, Austin; L. C. Brite, Marfa; Van Zandt Jarvis, Fort Worth; L. D. Anderson, Fort Worth; H. W. Stark, Gainesville; D. G. McFadin, Dallas; S. J. McFarland, Dallas, Dan Rogers, Dallas; Andrew Sherley, Anna; S. P. Bush, Allen; H. C. Garrison, Austin; W. S. Cooke, Ft. Worth; T. E. Tomilson, Hillsboro.

Buy Now For Christmas

A very small payment will hold one of these for you until Christmas. Under our convenient deferred payment plan you can easily have it paid for by December 15.

The Lockley's
Come and see us.

J. C. Peyton of El Paso was a business visitor here this week, purchasing cattle from L. C. Brite.

CATTLE MOVEMENTS

Despite the setback to the local cattle industry occasioned by protracted dry weather through the growing and fattening months, the shipping and selling season finds many cowmen ready to ship, buy and sell.

Jackson and Harmon disposed of a bunch of between three and four hundred steers a few days ago, shipment to be made today to Harry Winston, Snyder, Texas.

It is authoritatively known on the streets that A. S. Gage sold 7,000 steers to Jones and Espy and Mueller, of Fort Davis. Just how many each of these gentlemen get for his own, rumor did not say. But 7,000 steers represent quite a bunch of money.

W. J. McIntyre and son, Wells have hold 2,000 steers and about 400 calves to C. B. Denman, presidents of the Producers Livestock Commission Company, Chicago. Delivery to be made about Nov., 1. Mr. McIntyre in turn bought 500 steers from Senator S. P. Skinner from the Skinner Marathon ranch.

Other deals are talked about but ye sub-editor was unable to verify them.

But we learn that H. L. Koker not sold to Payton Packing Company at El Paso through Ben Pruett one car calves and one car of fat cows. Also, Mr. Koker not and son, Herbert, shipped 16 carloads of steers to Fort Worth Friday. Monday night these redoubtable cowboys shipped a string over the Orient.

—Alpine Industrial News.

BREWSTER MINERAL EXHIBIT AT DALLAS

The Brewster County Mineral Exhibit at the State Fair, in charge of Secretary Mrs. W. B. Hamilton of the Chamber of Commerce, was taken over by the Texas Resource Society at Dallas last week, and given a prominent place in the society's all Texas exhibit, Mrs. Hamilton reports. The publicity thus given our exhibit has a two-fold value. Interesting and instructive in its own right, it become a state and country-wide source of information to capitalists interested in Mineral resources without reference to sections; because the Texas Resource Society is the logical and dependable source of information on such matters. Due to Mrs. Hamilton's exhibit, the society knows more about Brewster minerals than it would have learned in a decade through ordinary news channels.

But that is not all. So impressive was this exhibit, Mrs. Hamilton was unable to deny the Resource Society's urgent demand that the collection be left permanently with them.

—Alpine Industrial News.

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PAYROLL CASES SET FOR OCTOBER 31st.

AUSTIN, Oct., 17. (AP)—Forgery, division and theft charges against L. J. Nachtrab, former highway division engineer; S. C. Tompkins, former chief clerk under Nachtrab, and H. Joschke, carried on the division payroll, were set Monday in criminal district court for trial October 31.

The defendants were present. Sixteen indictments of Nachtrab and three each against Joschke and Tompkins grew out of a "padded payroll" investigation instituted by the Attorney General's Department into activities in certain branches of the State Highway department during 1926.

NEW UTILITIES COMPANY FOR WEST TEXAS

CHICAGO, Oct., 17. (AP)—Formation of the West Texas Utilities Company, to include all the properties controlled by the American Public Service Company in Central West Texas, was announced here today. The announcement was in connection with the sale to Halsey Stuart & Company and others of an issue of twelve million and five hundred thousand dollars first mortgage five per cent bonds of the West Texas Company.

As now constituted the West Texas Utilities will serve a total of ninety-seven communities.

LOBOS CHEW UP NEW MEXICO AGGIES 19 TO 6

Sul Ross Lobos won a decisive victory last Saturday over New Mexico Aggies, the score being 19 to 6.

Many Alpine fans attended the game, Pres. H. W. Morelock of the college heading the line. "It was a good, clean game," is the way one fan puts it. This victory heartens the boys after the misfortune that befell them in the opening game of the season. Sul Ross has a winning team this year, and now that it is functioning right, there will be no stopping it.

—Alpine Industrial News

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Monroe Slack and W. Frank Jones, of Marfa, Texas, under the firm name of "Slack and Jones", was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1927. All debts owing to said partnership are to be received by Monroe Slack and all demands on said partnership are to be presented to him for payment.

Dated this the 5th day of October, A. D. 1927.

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