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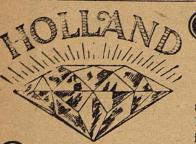
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This will Be Another Jewelry Christmas. THE HOUSE OF HOLLAND

advises early buying. We have recognized no limita in our efforts to secure for

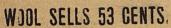
your selection adequate stocks of the finest type of Jewelry creations, and your selection is now await-

Bar Pins, Rings, Cameos, Hat Pins. Dorin Boxes, Pearls,/ LaVallieres, Watches,

FOR MEN Watches, Chains, Knives, Pencils, Vanity Cases, Mesh Bags, Belt Buckles, Cuff Links Scarf Pins, Signet Rings Cigarette Cases, Pens. THE REAL GIFT SHOP IS HERE

Holland Jewelry Company

San Angelo's Leading Jewelers (Successor to McBurnett Jewelry Co.,)



R. A. Evans while in San Angelo Friday learned that the consignment of wool, by Mr. Shipment to Boston, brought 53 cents and cost 6 cents per pound to handle it, netting Mr. Shipman 47 cents, this was no extra fine clip either.

Christmas in Days of Yore. There are many old and stately ceremonies and many historical events connected with Christmas that are well worth perusing, and that give us glimpses of ve ancient times when our fathers and our fathers' forefathers celebrated and revelled and gave of their abundance to those for whom nothing was prepared.

Bring Work to us. we are Prepared to do it and at once. We have two Angelo men in our shop and guarante their work. Highway Garage.

See Our Select Line of

Christmas Cards

and GIFTS.

BOX STATIONARY LEATHER GOODS FOUNTAIN PENS AUTO SHARP PENCILS

ETC., ETC., ETC.

Probandt Printing Company.

The Old Reliable, Established 1901. Chadbourne Street.

San Angelo, Texas.

Office and School Supplies Stationery, Engraving, Etc.

HOLLAND JEWELRY COMPANY METHODIST ENTERTAIN, HON-

The Holland Jewelry Co., of house has kept up it's advertising in all the weekly newspapers in San Angelo's trade territory for the past two years, and con sequently is enjoying a splendid business, and is able to carry one of the best stocks of jewelry from three to four, four to five in all West Texas

makes a thriving business any. where.

FORMER SUCCESS OFFICE BOYS IN ARMY LIFE

Two of the former Success Office boys, "devils", are now in the service of Uncle Sam, Russell Gore, a lad of about 14 when he left our city, is now stationed at New Orleans, and Pat Bennett is at Camp Travis, Pat wrote like this, "tell the boy scouts to get in the real thing," Pat did not always live up to the real teachings of Scoutism, but thought lots of the Bob White whistle and other symbles, and we believe be will ascend the ladder of fame, inspite of the loss he sustained in playing "hooky" from school he is now required to attend

The Ladies of the Methodist Church will have a Bazaar the 18th of December at the Toggery Shop. See their display before buying your Christmas presents.

BIG ADVERTISERS, ORING BRO, AND SISTER CLARK

The Methodist congregation, San Angelo, carried two pages assisted by the Presbyterians, in the San Angelo Standard last who worship with them, gave a week, this was the lagest ad of unique entertainment at the W. the kind we have ever witnessed O W. Hall, on Thursday afteran exclusive jewelry ad in keep- noon, November 25, honoring ing with House of Holland, this Bro. and Sister Clark, who were recently returned to the Eldors do Charge for another year's work, and who have won the love and admiration of the good people of our city.

The entertaining hours were five to six and from six to ten Printers ink and good goods the Pathfinder's Class using the

The Room was very beautifully decorated in evergreen with white background, the windows were darkened and the room was lighted with soft white gas ights, which gave a beautiful tint to the many pot plants, some of which were in full bloom to add mirth, beauty and fragrance

to the occasion. The various reception committies were up to the oceasion and made their guest enjoy their hour in the reception hall and served them with punch, follow ed by chicken-sandwiches and coffee, ir termingled with music by a Victrola, also some beautiful Piano selection by Miss Dell Bearce and some of her music pupils. Miss Annie Doty gave several splendid readings, at the different hours, which were enjoyed by the inumerable guests of the evening.

The Pathfinders, with their in vited guests enjoyed the even ng from six to ten, in which the vairous games were enjoyed.

The occasion will long be re membered by Bro. and Sister Clark for having thus been hon ored, and adds much to the so cial features of the church.

Another good time is being planed for the holidays which will be specially for the children and will deal with old Santa

I will sell what United States Casings I have on hand at 10 per cent discount for CASH, none better for the money, Ford W. H. Parker's.

Gee! Whiz! Our Methodist Parson has bought a new Sedan some class to that preacher.

George McIntyre was in from

he farm Saturday.

THE

First National Bank

Eldorado - Texas.

Capital \$75,000

Surplus \$30,000

Undivided Profits \$30,000.

J. B. Christian, President,

J. A. Whitten, Vice-President,

W. O. Alexander, Cashier,

J. E. Hill, Asst. Cashier.

Banking Hours from 9 O'clock a.m. to 3 p.m.

"We Make Old Mattresses New -And New Mattresses Too."

San Angelo Mattress Factory

S. L. BUTLER & SON, Proprietors. 512 South Chadbourne, San Angelo, Texas. Special attention given Country Patronage. Phone 691.

B & C

LAXATIVE ASPIRIN TABLETS

Genuine Aspirin With the Best Laxitive Known, For COLDS & HEADACHE, Relieved by removing the cause. Sold by L. M. HOOVER, Prescription Druggist 30 Cents a Box Six Boxes For \$1.50

BUTTLER & COSGRAVE, Distributers. SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.

We have plenty of Picture Moulding and Glass, and can do the work for you.

Cement, Lumber and Corrugated Iron. Paint and Varnishes.

West Texas Lumber Co.

A. J. Atkins, Manager.

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Clearance Sale Of My Entire Stock of Goods at

One Half Price

Beginning Saturday December 4.

Ladies Dresses that were \$37.50, now \$18.75. Childrens girgham dresses in sizes 60c Hair Ribbon now 30 cents. 3 to 6 years, that were \$1 35, now 70 cents. 20c C M C Crochet thread 10 cents. 10c Sandsilk 5 cents. A nice lot of Embroidery Flounce and Edging at 10 cents per yard.

Come and get your Embroidery and Crochet thread for Christmas purposes.

> The Toggery Shop Miss A. R. West, Proprietess.

Fordson

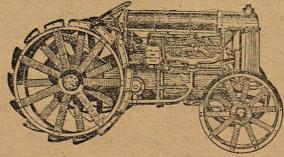
Farm Tractor

The Fordson cuts the cost of preparing land almost to half of what it cost with horses. But even more improtant is the fact that the Fordson saves from thirty to 50 percent of the farmer's time. And time saved-getting fields in shape to plant in the proper season; getting things done when they should be done-means money to the farmer. Besides it helps greatly in solving the labor problem.

As ever, the machine way is proving more efficient, faster, easier than the old hand way. In the factory, the machine increases production, saves labor-produces more at less cost. And that is what the Fordson does on the farm. The Fordson way is the machine way of farming. Besides it helps the labor problem.

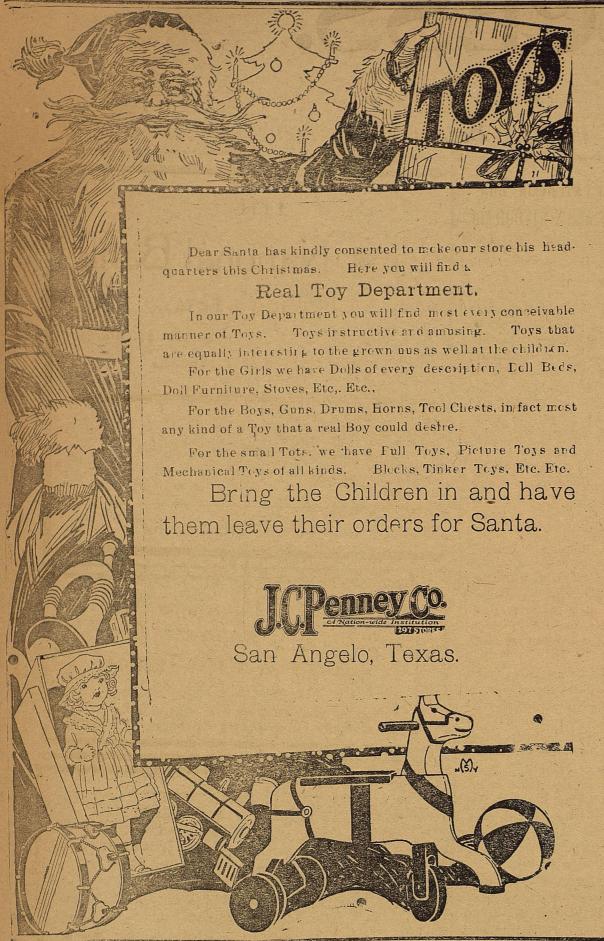
The Fordson's first cost is low; and the after or operating cost is low. It is a compact, easily handled tractor, backed by the greaest tractor service organization in the world.

We are Fordson dealers. Not only do we sell Fordson tractors, but we carry a stock of Fordson parts and employ Fordson mechanise to help the farmers get the best results from the Fordson. Let us demsnstrate the Fordson or your own farm.



We also have a lot of new cars in Stock as wsll as Ford Accessories.

Bush-Smith Co.



SUCCESS.

Rublished Every Friday.

A. T. Wright. Editor and Proprietor.

SUBSCRIPTION RATE, ONE YEAR \$1.25

"Entered as Second Class matter July 9th, 1996, at the Post

office at Il Dorado, Texas, under, Act of Congress of March 3rd 1879.

All local advertisments will be charged at rate of 5c per line each insertion, Display ads 20c per column inch for one insertion contract prices furnished upon application, special obituaries and resolutions charged at rate of one cent per word.

Friday December 3,

Henry Ford has already began writing checks for distribution to his employes on January 1, 1921, the amount to be distributed in bonuses is \$7,000.000.

This is the time of year to pay what we owe, let's do our best to make the fellow we owe feel good for the holidays, an Co., of Rock Rapids, Ioua. See old account paid make both par ties feel good, first pay your doctor bill, then your drug bill, then your grocey billand then pay your subscription to The Success and the editor will pay what he owes the same fellows.

Obregon is now president of Mexico, Governor Hobby attend ed the inaugeration, and President Wilson had a representative their, at looks like Mexico is going to have a government at

The survey on the Rocksprings and San Antonio Railroad has started, and actual construction is likely to start within ninety days. This road expects to cunnect with the Orient and may extend on to San Augelo.

To Avoid the Rush. Soldier, just back from his harvest furlough, to the sergeant-"My father wants to know if I'll get another furlough at Christmas. Here is the picure of the pig that is going to be killed."-Fliegende Blatter.

Fresh bread for sale at Ben's.

Bud Baker transacted busi ness in Eldorado Saturday.

We can write you an insurance policy against, Fire, Lightning, Tornado, Wind and Theft, on your auto, we represent the Inter-State Automobile Insurance me for prices. A. T. wrigin.

Jack Sexion was in from the Bud Baker ranch Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Jones returned from Houston Tuesday where they had been to look af ter some oil interest.

Mr. Jones suffered a light stroke of paralisys while away and one side of his body is still afflicted, but we trust he will speedily recover.

A. L. Stewardson was in from buying supplies. the ranch Thursday.

We will take your orders for for sale phone or see any Magazine you may want, by ordering through us you save the postage and stationery and we guarantee delivery and make

gainst loss by fire. We can write ens the breath. price 60c. it for you. A. T. Wright.

should be treated with Ballads Snow Linimet. It is antiseptic and healing and a splendid remedy for such tajoubles. There sises 30c 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by a'l druggists.

Headquarters for Everybody All Tourist should spend one delightful night in El-

S. W. HOLLAND, Prop.

Fire Insurance Written at The Success Office.

R. J. Hill was in from the ranch Saturday.

For Sale, Seed Oats, free from Johnson grass, one dollar per bushel if called for quick, see F. R. Keele.

Oscar Gibson was among the stockfarmers that transacted business in the city Saturday.

Plenty of pice Blue Ribbon Peaches, the best to eat at W. H Parker's.

Tom F. Green was in Eldorado Saturday shaking hands and

Pure Bred Rhode Island Reds Mes. W. H. McClatchy.

Sold by all druggists.

AVOID CHRISTMAS TREE FIRE

Utmost Care Should Be Used in Trimming, Thus Preventing Fatalities in the Homes.

EOPLE cannot be too careful in guarding against fire when trimming a Christmas tree, says a correspondent in Good Housekeep-

There have been scores of Christmas tree fatalities in homes and in Sunday schools which a little care might have prevented. The writer once set a tree in a blaze, consuming nearly half of it, tinsel ornaments going with the green branches. A tiny candle had been wired too high, and it took only a few minutes of its brisk heat to char a branch above it and start a flame. A thick portiere was torn from its pole and thrown over the blaze. If it had not been at hand the light window curtains would have caught fire in another minute. Since that Christmas our tree has always been placed in the center of the room, and we have eschewed cotton wool, tissue-paper angels, and celluloid ornaments. First of all, we wire each candle securely in place at the furthest end of a branch which has nothing above it, either fir tree or trimming. Then as the tree is denuded we watch carefully the fast-disappearing candles. Sometimes one of them, nearly burned down, will topple over or be merely a spark of flame, but near to something inflammable and be a men-

---GOOD TURNS ON CHRISTMAS

Chance for All to Aid the Friendless in

Having Happy Yuletide Season

R EAL purveyors of Christmas cheer may often find a market for their precious wares outside the pale of charity, for all homeless people are not necessarily poor, and neither are all childless homes necessarily unhappy. Housekeepers who are short on homes may combine these two lackings and make Christmas day a merry delight for the grown-ups in spite of these unfortunate conditions.

There is always something peculiarly pitiable in the idea of any one "flocking alone" which should appeal to the home-maker without a family, so that this should be the occasion for her to gather in all the bachelor maids and homeless men of her acquaintance and give them a joyful opportunity to "flock together." Even the Scrooges. if she knows any, should be rescued from their lonely bowls of gruel and persuaded to open their shut-up hearts and wear them outside for general inspection, as Dickens says, "For Christmas daws to peck at." Therefore, collect six or eight of these birds of a Cases of oak or ivy poisoning feather who are destitute of near-by feather who are destitute of near-by kith and kin and make your Christall the charming solitaires you are able to draw within its radius .-Woman's Home Companion.

BOXES, OLD CHRISTMAS FAD

Ancient Custom at One Time Developed Into Demand as Right and Became Nuisance,

HE bestowal of Christmas

boxes is of great antiquity.



and was formerly the bounty of weil disposed persons who were willing to contribute something toward the industrious, Later the gift came to be demanded as a right and became somewhat of a nuisance. Long ago the Roman Catholic priests had masses for everything, and if a ship went to the West Indies they had a box in her under the protection of some patron saint into which the sailors put money or other valuables in order to secure the prayers of the church. At Christmas these boxes were opened and were thence called Christmas boxes, In England the day after Christmas is known as "Boxing day," from the Christmas boxes which used to be in circulation, and in the British museum can be seen boxes covered with green glaze with a slit in the side for money and presents.

WINTER EGGS.

"The first winter I used Dr. LeGear's Poultry Prescription, it made me a lot of money. I have 61 hens and sold in January \$44.00 worth of eggs, besides what we used ourselves ..., -C. D. McCormick, Irimo, Idoho.

Poultry Raisers who get an abundance of eggs, use Dr. Le-Gear's Poultry Prescription, which tones up the system and stimulates the egg-producing organs without injury. If you Mr. Wisler Cured of want eggs this winter when Elborado, Texas

Gear's Poultry Prescription from your dealer right to-day.

A bad taste in the mouth comes rom a discovered stomach and most Eypert Poultry Prescription and straighten from your dealer right to-day.

Dr. LeGear is America's fore-rom a discovered stomach and most Eypert Poultry Prescription and everything looked gloomy to me without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money. eggs mean money, get Dr. Le-

a small commission. So give us your order for renewals as well as new subscriptions.

The control of the bowels as new subscriptions.

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The control of the bowels and Veterinarian. For any ailment whatsoever among your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. But the control of the bowels and Veterinarian. For any ailment whatsoever among your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. But the control of the bowels are the state of the solution of the poultry or stock get his remedies a package and I can truthfully this perfectly harmless, so give it to the solution of the solution Have your home insured asinst loss by fire. We can write

Sold by all druggists.

They must say that I have not had a similar attack since writes with the satisfy you, or your dealer will satisfy you, or your dealer will attack since wards.

They must say that I have not had a similar attack since writes with the satisfy you, or your dealer will satisfy you, or your dealer.

Sold by all druggists. refund your money.

Haynes' Confectionary

Headquarters for Good Things to Eat Hot and Cold Drinks, Kings Fine Cuocolates allways Fresh. Fresh Nuts, Cranberries, a full line of Gold Bar Fruit for your Christmas. Pineapple, Straw. berries, Peeled Apricots, Etc.

Call 59 when you need the Best.

Come Early to Avoid the Rush.

Fresh Bread 15 & 20 cents.

Earl H. Chriesman.

We are first class Automobile Mechanics and Electricians. If you don't believe it, try us and find out.

All work Guaranteed. If we please you tell others, If we don't tell us

Chriesman & Powers. Highway Garage.

When In San Angelo

Economy Cash Store

Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Ladies' and Men's Clothing. Prices always the Cheapest.

The Best In Town Candies, Nuts, Fruits, Plenty of Sweeats for you Christmas Baking.

> TOBACCO and CIGARS. The Best Place in Town

Ben's Confectionery.

Wanted_500 mollases buckets will pay 10 ent each for good gallon buckers. F. S. Miller.

Mrs. J. O. Willoughby accom panied by Mrs. John Rae, were shopping in the city Saturday.

For sale, seed wheat \$2.50 per oushel, seed oats \$1.00 rer bush l, phone or see A. N. Shipp.

Geo. Williams was in from the farm Saturday talking cotton.

We have a good line of Tubes, see us for prices.

Eldorado Hordware Co. For Sale, a second hand tele-

phone box, in good shape, can pe seen at The Success Office.

The misery and despiration caused by a bilious and constipated condition of the system can be quickly removed by using Heribine. It purifies strength ens and invigorates. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

Choice two-year-old A pricots rees for sale, see me at once. C. O. Bruton.

Indigestion. "Some time in 1909 when I WislerDouglassville, Pa.

Booze Is Not a Good Cure

From the Ames lowa Intelligencer. When a man comes to you all double up with pain and declares he will die in your presence unless you procure him a drink of whiskey, send him to a doctor or else give him a bose of Cham berlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. There is a mistaken notion among a whole lot of people thatbooze is the best remedy for colic and stomach ache.

Don't throw that old hat away bring it to us and we will make it look like new and giv you ser-L, I Brannan.

Doc Kerr was in from the ranch Saturday on business.

DEATH RATTLE OF CALOMEL IN SOUTH

Dodson is Destroying Sale of Dangerous Drug with His "Liver Tone."

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start your liver and clean your

Here's Dodson's guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver

LOCALS

When you buy a Tire buy Standard make of Tires, so you get protection.

Highway Carage.

Ben Isaacs tried the Fort Worth cattle market last week and reports congested conditions in the stockyards.

at W H. Parker's, close prices and a good bargain.

John H. Jones, ranchman, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs A. H. Milis were guests of Miss Lillie Benson Saturday, staying over until Sunday.

Bring in that old suit or overcoat and have it Dyed. We represent the very Best of dyer's, the service and work guaran teed to Satisfy. L. I. Brannan.

Dr. Yancey, dentist, wishes to inform the people that he will leave for Ozona next Tuesday, he will return to Eldorado at a future date.

D. E. DeLong and Ford Ogles by are attending court at Del Rio this week, witnesses in the Bab-Kirkpatriok murder case, of Crockett County.

For Sale, The Toggery Shop, Notions and Ladies Ready-to-Wear Store, will sell at a bargain, if taken at once, for particulars see or write The Success.

Fresh bread for sale at Ben's.

L. T. Wilson reports 35 bales of cotton picked, sacked and sold, he's some farmer anyway,

For Sale, a few good turkeys phone Mrs. A. E. Kent

Frank Meador and wife were in Eldorado Saturday afternoon

Lost in Eldorado, a raw-hide quirt, finder will leave at Suc cessoffice or notify Dean Swift.

H. W. Chriesman was a busi ness visitor to the city Satur day from Cliff.

Fire Works, get them from

Ben Hext. Brice Danney ranch Tuesday.

J. L. Henderson and wife returned Sunday from Abilene, Texas, where they had been by the bedside of a grandchild, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Ficklin. They reported the child, who is sick with ty. phoid fever, to be improving when they started for home.

REDUCTION IN PAINT.

Now is the time to paint your omes, we are giving a great re duction on DeVoe's Paint, evey thing in DeVoe's except white is to be sold at greatly reduced prices, don't miss getting in on these prices, the opportunity is yours, no Paint better than De-Voe's. Buy it from the

West Texas Lumber Co.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY PROGRAM.

December 9, 1920. Hynn and Prayer. Bible Lesson: Isaiah 9: 2-27. The Child's New Day.

Mrs. Hext. Boys Chance in 1920. Mrs. Neal Battle Ground of the Future. Mrs. Ed Hill Suggestions for Harvest Day.

Mrs. W. B. Silliman. Mrs. A. T. Wright. Leader, Bible Study conducted by Rev. Clark.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot

reach the seat of the d sease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surface of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was presoribed by one of the best physicians in this country for peads. It is composed of some of the best tonics known.combined with some of the best blood purifiert. The perfect combi nation of the ingredients in Hall's catarrh Med icine is what produces such wonderful results n entarrhal conditions. Send for testimonals,

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo. O. Hall's Family Pills for constipation

TO HAVE CHRISTMAS TREE.

The Methodist Sunday School will have a Christmas Tree for the pupils and patrons of the Methodist Sunday School, at the church Christmas eve night. A nice program is being ar-School Tablets, lots of them | ranged by Misses Annie Doty and Dell Bearce.

> I will have plenty of Fire Works for Christmas.

Ben Hext.

The Divide Garage

Work on all Cars except Fords, \$1 50 per hour.

Electrical work \$1.75 per hour. Ford werk at Ford Prices.

the demand of the general stomach you should try Cham-

public, for the Lowering of berlain's Tablets. So many have

nouncing a general reduction of use of these tablets and thier

30 per cent on our Tailor Made cost is so little 25 cents, that it

L. I. Brannan, trial,

Will E. Eaton, Prop.

A. A. Williamson, one of the lost sheep of Iseral, was in the city Saturday shaking hands, he forgot something while here, and left some unfinished busi

In keeping with the Spirit of

the Times and with a regard to

Prices, we take pleasure in an-

Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats.

Cut Glass, Silver

ware, and Toilet

advertised proprietary medicines.

Articles.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL BUSH-SMITH CO. SELL 9 GARS IN NOVEMBER.

Bush-Smith Co., Local Ford Dealers, sold and delivered the close of business, Nov. 15, 1920. following cars and trucks, the past two weeks.

Rev. F. G. Clark, Sedan; R. D. McKee, Truck; Andrew Lively, Touring; C. L. Meador; Tour ing: Jeff Enochs, Truck; Thomson Bros., Truck; W. A. Blaylock, Touring; Charlie Mund, Touring and Geo. Williams; Touring.

They are receiving another car load of cars this week.

Lost, between Eldorado and Ft. McKavett a boys felt hat, color green, finder will please leave at Success Office and be Doc Kerr.

Stomach Troubles.

been restored th health by the

is worth while to give them a

Jeweny,

Stationery and

Kodak Films.

If you have trouble with your

NO. 8575. Reserve Dist. No. 11. REPORT of the CONDITION of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Eldorado, in the State of Texas, at the

. a Loans and discounts (except hose shown in b and c) . a U.S. bonds deposited to secure irculation (par value)
. Owned and unpledged . War Savings Certificates and Phrift Stamps actually owned \$853.81 Stock of Federal Reserve Bank per gent of subscription) a Value of Banking bouse, owned nd unincumbered \$3,500.00 b Equety in Banking house Furniture and fixtures

Lawful reserve with Federal 32,789.55 3. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks Potal of Items 12, 13, 14, 15, and \$31.149.71 7. Checks on banks located outside city or town of reporting bank

other cash items 8. Redemption fund with U.S. Treasarer and due from U.S. Treasurer 1,000.00 20. Other assets i: any TOTAL

LIABILITIES. 1. Capital stock paid in 22. Surplus fund 30,000.00 28. a Undivided profits \$42,055.44 b, Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid \$8.392.44 7. Circulating notes outstanding 29. Net amounts due to National banks 970 00 1. Certificate checks outstanding Total of Items 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 \$3,264.63 33, Individual deposits subject check 245,174.63 8. Other demand deposits. State Potal of demand deposits (other than

bank deposits] subject to Reserve.

TOTAL STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER, SS: \ I, W.O. Alexander, Cashier of the above-name bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is rue to the best of my knowledge and belief. W O. Alexander, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Nov. 1920. John F. Isaacs, County Clerk.

J. A. Whitten

Itching diseases can be conroled and cause removed by ap plying Ballards Snow Liniment The relief is prompt and per mament. Three sizes 30c 60c and \$1.20 per bottle Sold by all druggists.

Dean Swift was in from the Thomson ranch Saturday, Dean has raised such a big crop this year it's about to break him to gather it.

For the Relief of Rheumatic Pains When you have stiffness and soreness of the muscles, aching joints and find it difficult to move without pain try massaging the affected parts with Cham. perlain's Liniment. It will reieve the pain and make rest and sleeppossible

About 20 shoats for sale, weigh bout 40 to 150 pounds, write -G. H. Davis, Sonora, Texas.

T H. Moore was in from the anch Saturday.

Protection is our middle name ouy a Tire from us and get serrice or adjustment.

Highway Garage

T. K. Womack dropped in our anctum santorium Tuesday and reports the slaying of a 400 pound pig Monday, two weeks ago he killed one that weighed more than a fourth of a ton and these were not his prize winners

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacid-

Ancient Christmas Custom. Many quaint customs are observed at Christmas time in various English country parishes. In that of Cumnor, in Berkshire, of which the living is a vicarage and the church a beautiful specimen of an old English parochial edifice, all who pay tithes repair, after evening service on Christmas day, to the vicarage where the vicar is held in duty bound, by a usage centuries old, to regale them with four bushels of malt brewed into ale or beer, two bushels of wheat baked into bread, and half a hundred weight of cheese. Any remnants of this feast are distributed among the poor of the parish after morning prayer the next



POOR THINGS Tramp Birds: They might throw us a few crumbs on Christmas morn-

Traditions of Christmas Festival. In the records of every nation we find traditions of the Christmas festival. traditions which have been handed down from generation to generation in oft-told tales which thrilled the hearts of the listeners with alternate fear and delight. Sir Walter Scott tells us that they who are born upon Christmas or Good Friday will see spirits, and will have the power of commanding them. He also adds that the Spaniards imputed the down; cast looks of their monarch, Philip II, to the disagreeable visions to which this privilege subjected him.

Bring Smiles of Gladness. It is not so much the thought of ceiving the customary holiday gif which most pleases the fancy, rather that pleasure the heart derives from dwelling upon joyful surprises it may bestow upon others. To bring a smile of gladness upon another's face is, indeed, a boon more precious than a Christmas gift, and the joy of bestowing can never be equaled by the receiving.

Good Year for Violets.

Sweet peas have been forced for the Christmas market only for many years past. They must be started blooming before the cold weather begins. Then they will bloom all winter. Daffodils do not get in until February, but almost all the rest of the spring flowers. hyacinths, narcissuses, bavardia, and so on, are on the Christmas counters. Easter lilies, too, though rather cold and white for Christmas, are sold. Violets, are fine this winter, deeply, darkly, beautifully blue. Some mignonette now comes in enormous sprays. There are carnations but the bright red Christmas carnation is the favorite. Holly comes from the hills of Maryland and the south. The wild holly supplies the market and there has never seemed to be any perceptible diminution of the supply. Great quantities of it are purchased by all sorts of dealers, who decorate their stores with it and send out a sprig attached to every Christmas parcel.

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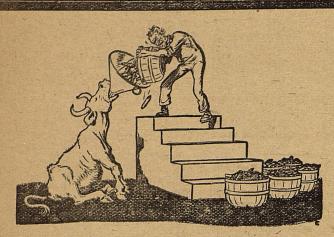


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