Tuesday, December 9th, Incident: Dr. George C. snowing to beat the this time of year, the bott yearly in advance. ad common sense, are the that will keep the turn it under. er in the running. That that his cotton will be procough for debt paying and mewhere near the skilled

and he knows that all Route. ad no feed, or but little feed. feed. But, by a strange ate, while the same field at that time, see that sap-head, Charlie ad try to get the idea into -coated brain. Tell him now how good you are in 568, Big Spring, Texas. I will simply state to you e both, that the same perof reduction as suggested thing like a million and

led we all know that if this us upward of 40 million for the crop, with a betfor the seed and less pickand ginning, and more

the same proportion. Do point, can you "sabe the

you plant less cotton? Will to get Charlie to plant less? wis their confidential ears and in to put this idea up to their in a business like way? we, with your matchless tact t, take this up with your In Klux? Tell these super that poverty is the mother y. Tell them that a mile dollars deposited in our inks every year would work in living conditions, better letter home life, etc. Tell te home is more important schurch and the school com-They know it already, but it fresh on their minds. sty is the arch enemy of home. itters the young brood to corners of the earth, and doesn't need to be poor. the world in his teeth, if new it. His time is coming at he will use it right. Let and power. These are the at wreck organized economic Tell this to your hooded them their stated aims are good. But you can't pull Butter.

a political stunt by masking your aim and carcas. Example: Felix D.;

"Me for Ma," Ha! Ha! and likeso it will help the wire Tee! Hee. All of this goes for and thereby reduce the my pals too. I am a member of the creage for 1925. Favorable FARM LABOR UNION and pay dues

Plant feed, if you have too much, Your friend. PELON.

Bundle Feed For Sale

Fine bundle feed for sale at my and the business and pro- place south of town. Bright second crop maize with matured heads; has the common sense bright first crop feterita with first He knows that he and second heads which are fine. priced feed with low LAWRENCE SIMPSON, Garden City

low priced cotton, and Home-School Club Members Notice

Members of the Home and School of indifference and Club are hereby notified that the mants all cotton and takes club has been assigned a part on the somebody else will raise Tri-County Teachers Institute on By such dishonest think- Friday morning, December 19th and working, the field will suffer every member is urged to be present

if given a square deal. This will take the place of the you put all of your splendid regular Friday afternoon meeting of in cotton. Also I wish the Home and School club.

100 acres of land for rent to so acres in feed and 600 in party who will purchase teams and to change the feed land tools worth the money. Land locat-This year he put 200 ed 14 miles north of Big Spring. See ed 700 in cotton. Now Dad or write me. P. E. LITTLE, Box

320 Acres For Sale

A 320-acre farm-225 acres m e in the cotton acreage for cultivation small house, 1 mile east s, applied to every farm in of Knott on highway. Price \$30 per belt, would, with the same acre. See or write owner. we had this year, reduce the LITTLE, Box 568, Big Spring, Texas

J. F. Wilson, district commercial en only eleven and a half superintendent for the Western Union that it would have sold for Telegraph Co., was a business visitor more than it did. in Big Spring Wednesday.

> Gunthers Package Candies - The Sweets that are Sweetest.

Best Michigan Meat Salt, \$1.40 a

Marcus Harding of Dallas after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. If so what are you going and Mrs. J. B. Harding, left Wednesday evening for his home.

Fruits, nuts and candies for

Christmas Oranges, Apples and STRIPLING BROS.

In this day of frenzied rush, draw aside into the profound silences and commune with yourself for awhile. A faded pearl will regain its freshness if dipped into the sea once more.

Best Michigan Meat Salt, \$1.40 a sack. Phone 614. Stripling Bros.

In your dreams have you never end the sign? "Lost! Somewhere between sunrise and sunset two golden hours, each set with sixty diamonds." It is useless to offer any reward for a thing forever lost.

Best Michigan Meat Salt, \$1.40 a nck. Phone 614. Stripling Bros.

It may be true that in union there is strength. We have noticed in histhat he won't go chasing tory, however, that the ideas which have changed the trend of national destinies were born in solitary brains.

> Bring us your Poultry, Eggs and P. & F. COMPANY.

Buy Useful Things

FOR YOURSELF AND FAMILY AT

A. P. McDonald & Co's.

THE MEN'S FURNISHERS



ARLESSLY made shoes, or good shoes carelessly fitted ruin men's feet before they realize it.

Your greatest "protection" lies in buying

intelligently fitted in our store.

Prices consistent with quality



WE have this season larger Read and more varied stock than ever before. Stadium Clothes which are

hand tailored and made out of the best cloth obtainable. These suits are guaranteed to hold shape and give satisfactory wear. We have youths and boy's Suits also, as well as Overcoats for men, youths and boys.

You Can Dress Well At Moderate Cost

by buying your Clothing from us. Specially low prices are being made on everything from now un-

til January 1st. We furnish you everything in Men's wearing apparel, and in the better grades; Men's Sweaters, Over Shirts, Dress Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Suspenders, Belts, Ties, Hats, Caps. Shoes for Men, Women and Children. We carry the assortment. Our prices are low considering quality.

218 Main St. - Shoes and Men's Furnishings - Phone 80

Church of Christ Notes

Bible school 10 a. m. Communion services 11 a. m.

day. Every one invited to come and a bring some one-with you.

oclock Sunday afternoon. This is a now! very interesting, also instructive meeting. All of the young folks should attend these meets.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30 oclock.

sorry to have any to have to be ab- lot that big. sent. We've been having real good attendance and so glad for them to

This is the season of giving. Let us not forget those in need...the poor God's work for us all to do.

could make some aick and needy per mcourage you to build. son happy. Of course this should be kept up all the year round or as we see fit to do, but the reason I have Nuts. mentioned the giving that this is the

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

of the season-phone 446 or see me. Order. GUY TAMSITT. 13-21

WANTED TO LEASE __ Barber Nuts. shop location by April first, in Big Spring or some good Plains town. Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Parmley of 13-3t-pd.

A Better and Nicer Dress for Less

2nd Sunday, which will be next Sun- of two great armies. If you are not building costs double what they used Which? That's the question. In the be heard. You will notice, however, Young People's class meets at five silence of your inner self answer that people with money to invest are

No matter what your social posi-

tion, no matter how wealthy or how

FOR SALE Ten fine Rhode La land Red pullets, \$1.50 each. Phone

A man may be convicted, but the The Ladies Bible class meets every justice of it all is as lucid as mud if Monday afternoon at 3:30 oclock. Was jury be composed of whiskered, We are beginning the book of John; bankrupted saints and the galoots our lesson being No. 20 in our ques- who owe the "accused brother" them-

> Get a box of apples now for Christ P. & F. COMPANY.

About the only way to get out and sick; the widows and orphans, from under paying high rent to the grieved and distressed. This is wan a home of your own. Money is from Waco where he attended the plentiful now and you, no doubt, will annual session of the Grand Lodge There isn't any of us but what |ind local folks who will be eager to of Masons.

> Christmas Oranges, Apples and STRIPLING BROS.

Dr. B. B. Liles, A. W. Thomason time of the year we are giving more. and S. P. Hagler of Coahoma returned Sunday from Waco where they attended the annual meeting of the For the best and cheapest flowers Texas Grand Lodge of the Masonte

> Christmas Oranges, Apples and Fox. STRIPLING BROS.

Write J. A. DEWEES, Altus, Okla Ackerly were visitors in Big Spring violin voices the soul of the master. Monday.

Clyde Fox.

We have heard the cry that rents were higher in Big Spring than anypoor you may be, no matter what where else when houses rented from Preaching by Bro. Forehand every your occupation is, you belong to one \$10 to \$15 per month, and now with Spring on Saturday, December 13. builder you are a destroyer, to be the cry of high rent is still to not putting it into rent property even! though many imagine folks are getting rich on rental property.

> THE SUPER-FYR-FYTER EXtinguisher for Home and Business; a child can operate. See J. O. TAM-SITT, Exc. Rept. for the Fyr-Fyter Co., Dayton, Ohio. - advertisement.

Walter L. Boothe of Sweetwater, tion book, taking up John 8th to selves. It is a mighty easy thing to U. S. Supervisor of the 6th district 10th chapter. The lessons are so in- nake up a verdict. The majority of for taking the farm census, has apteresting and instructive we are people can't do anything else. They're pointed W. D. Lipscomb to assist in the work of taking this census m Howard County.

> Hughes ideal hair brushes. Cunningham & Philips.

Lib Coffee returned Monday night

Ladies come see the fancy wide Clyde Fox.

J. B. Arnett who operates a cafe near the Reagan county oil field has been here this week for a visit with homefolks

Gunthers Package Candies - The Sweets that are Sweetest.

Love men and they will love you. Its persuasion is itself, even as the

Many a fellow is defeated by his Ladies come see the fancy wide doubts his lack of confidence. Take the risk to falter would be sin.

Saturday is Girls Reserve Day

The Girls Reserve will be in charge of the sale of Christmas Seals in Big

They will have these seals on sale throughout the day. Buy a few Christmas Seals from them and aid the fight to stamp our tub reulosis. The Christmas Seal sale is the only financial appeal of the Texas Public Health Association.

Auction Sale at Luther

An auction sale of work horses and mules will be held at Luther postoffice on Gall road, 16 miles north of Big Spring, Friday, December 19. The sale starts promptly at one

oclock and will be in charge of L. S.

Ford Casing Lost

A Lee puncture-proof tire for a Ford car was lost about ten days age, either in Big Spring or on Gall road. Finder please return to C. E. Eberley Undertaking Parlors.

We make a specialty of bobbing hair. We have recently added barbers to our force who are experts in that line.

THE TONSOR BARBER SHOP. J. L. McWhirter, Proprietor Basement State National Bank Bldg.

Best Michigan Meat Salt, \$1.40 a

mck. Phone 614. Stripling Bros. Lots of fellows call it bad luck

when they have only taken off a bite too big for them.

Best Michigan Meat Salt, \$1.40 a mak. Phone 614. Stripling Bros.

free, and yet no man is free until he can think and act for himself.

These is no real life that is not

A Better and Nicer Dress for Less Clyde Fox.

Special for Saturday!

All Hats to Go At HALF PRICE

WATCH FOR A \$5.00 WINDOW SPECIAL

ELITE HAT SHOP

At J. & W. Fisher's Store

Beautiful Effects

Women's Ready-to-Wear Clothing

PRICED AT ATTRACTIVE FIGURES

We will not attempt a description of these splendid garments and equally splendid values.

It is enough to say that they can not be surpassed in style, quality or economy anywhere in this community

We invite you to make an early inspection,

Prepare for the Holiday Season by Buying Now



Red Star Stage Line

Big Spring and Lamesa Line

Car leaves from Wigwam and Busy Bee Restaurant. Leaves Big Spring for Lamesa 12, midnight, and 9 a. m.

LAMESA AND LUBBOCK LINE

Leave Lamesa for Lubbock	m. and 2	D.	co.
Leave Lubbock for Lamesa 8 a.	m. and 2	D.	m.
Leave Lubbock arrive Big Sprin	g 7:15	D.	m.
Leave Big Spring a. arrive Lubbock	4:30		m.
Arrive at Amarille	9:30	D.	100.

We make direct connection at Lubbock with Red Ball Stage to Plainview and Amarillo; making double service Big Spring to Amarillo. We opperate all new cars, equipped with trunk racks. We call for and deliver passengers anywhere in town.

WILL APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE

BIG SPRING PHONES NOS. 38, 350 LAMESA PHONE NO. 11

Abbott - Austin - Hackleman

The Big Spring Herald BY JORDAN & HAYDEN



\$2.00 A YEAR IN COUNTY \$2.50 A YEAR OUTSIDE COUNTY

the Postoffice, Big Spring, Texas, it is in the home that it ought to be gence. There are dozens of merunder Act of Congress, Mar. 8, 1897.

Big Spring, Friday, December 12, '24

To Oppose Child Labor Change

Austin, Texas, Dec. 5. A determined effort against ratification by the Texas legislature of the proposed child labor amendment to the federal constitution is to be made by Traves County Farm Labor union, announced J. W. Neill, president of the organization. The first section of the proposed amendment provides that congress shall have the power to limit, regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under 18 years of age," and the second section of the amendment would, it is claimed, tend to destroy the power of the states to that any religion is better than no reregulate child labor up to 18 years of age.

President Neill of the Travis county union, said that the farming element of the state is practically unanimous in opposition to the ratification of the amendment, and its life has decayed; when parents and many of us have to work by the the farmers.

You'll be surprised at the number of sensible and acceptable Christmas Gifts we offer at low prices. Let us show you BigSpring Hardware Company.

engraved f arge. Glyde Fox. out.

The Training of Parents Today we hear a good doal about

stitutions is originally charged with comes light and that his chance so Entered as second class matter at the home that the child is raised, and if he goes after it with greater dilicared for. All other factors in the chants in this country who will tell or girl, good or bad, are more or less

tion be devoted to the training of failures who will tell you that adverparents?

leaders in social welfare woark in Chicago that there are in that city about 200,000 youths who are entirely beyond their parents' control. Almost every large city tells a similar story. One of the commonest things we hear today is that our young people are hurrying headlong to Hades. A leading criminologist of New York says that it is because the parents are showing them the way. He says that it is lack of religion, and ligion at all. By religion is meant a system of ethics that have a divine sanction and that have directive and corrective influences.

When the home becomes a sleepwhen the home becomes a sleep-ing place and nothing more family should not be run by the clock, but children dine out (but not together), clock and live by it whether we like tainments where each member of the family goes his or her own way, it tardiness may cause a loss of time may be considered independence, and freedom, and various other things that are supposed to be characteristic of a free and enlightened age; but it is simply a wholesale smashing up of elements inestimably precious in it from us will be our civilization. Dearborn Independ-

Will H. Mayes, Department of Journalism, University of Texas

Joe J. Taylor, of the Dallas News, made a talk at Austin last week before a meeting to devise means to reduce accidents, his subject being "Automobiles Ain't Got Hoss Sense." Joe is too polite to assert boldly that many drivers of automobiles have less sense than a horse, but that what he had in mind in the selection of his subject. Even a blind horse will hardly attempt to beat a railroad train across a crossing if he knows the crossing is there, and 'hoss sense" prompts him to give half the road when he meets or passes anything and to shy at a dangerous object. Not so with the fool automobilist, who flaunts all danger and takes all kinds of road risks.

Professor Blayney, the new president of the College of Industrial Arts, deprecates the tendency of our educational system to give its energies more and more to training that enables students to make a living. with a consequent lessening of attention to cultural development. The very name of the school over which he presides indicates that there is a demand for the industrial education of women and that the State is trying to meet that demand. In its inception that school was to enable young women to make better housewives and mothers and homes, the cultural arts and higher education being left largely to other institutions. It was established to train young women to take better care of themselves after leaving school and to make those about them happier. A certain amount of collegiate curricula was regarded as necessary to this training, the central idea was vocational. There are many Texans who still believe that vocational training of a kind to fit students for the practical affairs of life should be correlated with collegiate educa-

The hardest lesson to impress upon youth is the necessity for persistent effort in whatever one undertakes. This also seems the first lesson to be forgotten. Nine-tenths or the failures in life are due to the fact that people quit before they succeed. I heard Bishop Dickey of the Methodist church say recently that nine but of ten persons could accomplish you a quitter? Success may be long them to cut down their costs to s other way than expected, but it is the consumer. almost inevitably the reward of constant effort.

advertise for a week or two, or just before some busy season and then quit until they get in an advertising mood again. This is in spite of the fact that every really successful merchant from Wanamaker down has stated again and again that his sucthe training of children; but what cess has been built on persistent adabout the training of parents? It is vertising. The duller business gets too much the custom at the present the more the wise merchant adverday to place the blame for the young tises and the harder effort he makes man or young woman who has gone to get what business is to be had. wrong on the schools, the colleges, or He knows that the poor merchant Fords than all others combined. the churches; but none of these in- stops advertising when business bethe upbringing of children. It is in get the business affoat is increased shaping of the character of the boy you that they have built up a bustness from nothing to hundreds of thousands of dollars through adver-Why then should not more atten- tising, and there are thousands of tising does not pay. The trouble with It has been asserted by one of the the latter class is that they have never really tried it thoroughly.

There is never a day that business men whose time is valuable do no have to waste some time in waiting for others to keep their engagements The amount of time one is forced to lose in this way every year will run into days, and often those who are forced to waste it can not afford the loss. If you have an engagement o any kind with another, it is your duty to meet that engagement at the agreed time, even though you may be at great inconvenience in doing so Your time may be your own, but yo have no claim on the time of anothe unless you are paying for it at ar it or not. Be on time in whatever you do, if possible, and especially if your

FREE . Any article bought from us will b engraved free of charge. Clyde Fox.

Pierrette face powder: It repeats Cunningham & Philips

THE PASSING DAY



Always Appreciated

A Bank Account Present

MOST Christmas presents give their greatest joy on Christmas day. From then on they are of less and less use. How many Christmas presents did you ever receive or give that were worth more the following July ?

There is one present you can give this Christmas that will definitely increase in value every day of the year. It's the present for anyone -a Savings Account in this Bank.

West Texas National Bank

"The Bank Where You Feel At Home."

Advertising and Volume

There is a widespread belief among consumers that they have to pay ultimately, all the costs of advertis-

This notion is largely assumption. anything they are anxious enough to In fact, it is exactly the reverse of do. If you are not doing all that the truth. Instead of increasing the you should, the fault may be yours price to the consumer, advertising reand doubtless is. Are you trying as duces it. By increasing the volume hard as you might try? Are you as of the manufacturer, the wholesalers resourceful as you might be? Are in coming, but eventually it will minimum, sell at a smaller margin come to those who work hard enough of profit. Thus advertising serves for it. Possibly it may come in some everybody, including (particularly)

> Up until a few months ago Henry Ford did very little newspaper and agazine advertising. Today he is spending millions for that purpose. Henry Ford's vast busness is built on volume. If he keeps his volume up, he can keep his margin of profit smaller; or if his margin of profit is made smaller, his volume increases. It doesn't matter which is cause and which effect; the fact is there. Advertising has been quite the biggest factor in the Ford success. The Ford has been given more publicity, free and otherwise, than all the other cars combined even as there are more

Big volume makes for lower prices. That is the reason big concerns often that he is paying. Pretty hard to freeze out the little fellows. With a make him see when he goes in and big volume, they can reduce prices. And advertising of one sort or an- better than the camera he could have other is responsible for volume. The bought twenty years ago for \$25. incident of the mouse-traps and the beaten path to the maker's door was all wrong. A man might make, the best article in the world but if the world didn't find it out through advertising of some sort, the maker complain that he pays. would starve.

This mouse-trap incident is mentioned by the Lumber World Review, rat-traps. which recently discussed advertising along this same line. The Review

"Who pays for the advertising?" is

Do You Cough? San Antonio, Texas "We have used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical



Discovery i n our family for coughs and bronchial trouble and it gave entire satisfaction. I am a practical nurse and have found the Golden Medical

ness which had left them in a weakened condition. It enriches the blood,
improves the appetite and aids digestion. I can consciously the

Selfish, But

We wish for successs to every deserving person firm operating in this territory in the measure they serve success.

We want from this community no more in service the we render to it and we do not deserve any mor With the above idea in mind we have done our best make this store indeed and truth

> The Best Place to Buy and Sell Groceries and Produce

P. & F. Company

"The Best Place to Buy or Sell."

about on a par with "What's the old English coin worth 20 shillings, and spelled with three letters?"

But who asks the question?

Not the consumer. He cannot see buys a Kodak for \$10 today that's

Pretty hard to make her see when she could not buy the ingredients for a 12-cent can of one of Campbell's meat soups for less than 50 cents. No, one doesn't hear the consumer

Take the story not the one attributed so often to Emerson of the

Three manufacturers in a town were doing about the same business rat-trapa. The traps cost 15 one of the favorite questions, rank- 20 cents and to the consumer for 30 cents to make, sold to the dealer for ing alongside of "How old is Ann?" cents. One day one manufacturer Or among cross-word puzzle fans it's set aside 1 cent a trap for advertising. At the end of two years he found his traps were costing him : cents. So he reduced his price to the dealer from 20 to 15 cents. The dealer cut his price from 30 to 25 cents. The new line-up gave the maker 40 per cent profit on his selling price instead of 25 per cent, gave the dealer 40 per cent on his selling price instead of 33 1-3 per cent and gave the consumer the trap at a reduction of 5 cents or for 16 1-3 per

cent less money. The story of Campbell's is as con vincing. During its advertising on perience the Campbell Company has cut its selling expense from 7 1-2 per cent to 2 per cent. And should anyone fear that Campbell's adver-tising cuts up that difference, he may be reassured by learning that advertising during this period has dropped from 14 per cent to 3 per cent.

226,000 Acres Famous CRand

Now open to colo Located between Midland Lamesa, Texas, on the SOUTH PLAINS

These lands have been divided in tracts of 160 m and up.

Good Water, Quality Lands, Low Prices, Easy Terms

C Ranch Cotton Lands Co. Midland -:- Texas -:- Lan

T. H. Johnson Land Co Big Spring, Texas

No, it doesn't seem to be ers nor advertising man who raise the cry "Who pays is vertising?"_Abilene Reports

Fort Worth Record Only \$ If you want one of the be papers in Texas for only \$7.48 a full year by mail. The Hen now authorized to accept sal tions for the Record at this See us and have this big daily to you for one year. BIG SP HERALD.

Dolls from 10c to \$12.50. Spring Hardware Company.

come see the fancy Clyde Fox.

Everybody Satisfied

he Many Who Profited by Patronizing The Grand Leader's Great Unloading

SALLE

and the proprietor because this has been the biggest and best sale in our history. Our customers literally swamped us Friday and Saturday-the first two days of the Sale-and big crowds continue to come for they realize we are offering the biggest bargains and at a time when the people need

lothing and Everything Else In the Way of Furnishings and Dry Goods

It will pay you to come miles to this Big Sale. Profits have been forgotten-cost has been ignored. Necessity demands that we reduce our present stock several thousand dollars during the next few weeks. Think over what you need. Make a list of the things you want and come to this

Big Bargain Carnival

Men's Clothing

We have an immense stock and the prices have been shed to the limit.

tre's a sample, \$40 Men's suits \$29.85

AT BARGAIN PRICES

10 young men's caps, worth \$2 to \$2.50, to go at....\$1

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Every Ladies' Coat Suit to go at amazing bargains. Be sure to see this line.

COATS---One lof of ladies' sport and dress Coats,

\$29.50 to \$32.50 values, to go at \$18.49 Ladies Dresses, the finest ever, at unheard of low prices. Big reduction in price of ladies' Sweaters and Shoes and all Misses' and Children's Dresses and Coats

ery Price Is A Cut Price---You Save on Everything Bought in This Sale!

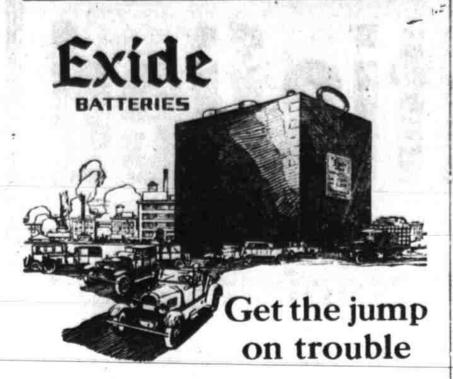
he Cash Is What We Are After

JICK ACTION, WE MUST HAVE IT--THE GOODS MUST GO!

belves, tables, and counters will be filled with real bargains from all departments of the store. Every nook and corner carries real values. The store of your life that everything important in engagement or anything else should be forgotten. This sale should be on your mind, the tall thing to cosnider, the most important event of the season. You are urged to go through our stock, buying what you need for the next touths. Remember, the goods will be marked in plain figures, and a plain, conscientious, fair, square and aboveboard sale is offered to wing public. Come with the crowds. They will continue to come as long as this big sale continues. Don't postpone your visit until it late to get the big bargains we now offer.

G SPRING TEXAS The Grand Leader

TEXAS



A critical look at your battery occasionally, regular addition of water - that is the way to stop trouble before it starts.

Let us do this for you. If any repairs are needed, you will find our work quick, skilful, and at right prices. Our repair service is for all makes of batteries. Will you pay us a visit?

Hall Tire & Top Co.

The Automobile Suppy House BIG SPRING, TEXAS

We handle only genuine Exide parts

Pierce Petroleum Corporation

Prompt deliveries made to any part of city-

Gasoline Kerosene Pennant Lubricating Oils Floor Dressing, etc. Will lend you barrels with faucet **CALL PHONE NO. 273**

E. L. ADDISON, Agent

Young Mules For Sale

have now and will have you come, good young mules for safe. | quarters to criticize farmers for buy-These mules were raised in this sec- ing autombiles. The critics seem to tion. Don't take a chance on mules think that farmers use autos for shipped in from infected territory. pleasure only and that they should JOE B. NEEL Phone 79.

An Antiquated Advertisement Pre-War Days

reproduced the contents of an old the farm than the automobile. The held in Woodford County, Kentucky. are now too slow on the farm. 'Speed' It is quite interesting to note some is as necessary on the farm as in the of the items included in a sale of town and city. farm personality in Woodford counthe bill follows:

"Having sold my farm and I am leaving for Oregon Territory by ox look, in addition to enabling us to all of my personal property, towit:

Buck and Ben and Tom and Jerry; telephones and goods are not deliv-2 milk cows, 1 gray mare and colt; ered to the farmer's door, and the one pair of Oxen carts; one lot of auto enables him to attend to his poplar weather boards; plow with business in the shortest possible time. wood moleboard; 800 to 1,000 three- The au'omobile is a great time foot clapboards; 1,500 tenfoot rails; saver on the farm. It takes the far-1 60-gallon soap kettle; 85 sugar mer to church, after the doctor, and troughs, made of white ash timber; to town to attend to business quickly 10 gallons of maple syrup; 2 spin- and brings him back rested rather ning wheels; 30 pounds of mutten tal- than in a tired condition. The farlow; I large loom, made by Jerry mer can now do a day's work on the Wilson; 300 poles; 100 split noops; farm and then attend a meeting 10 100 empty barrels; 1 32-gallon bar-miles distant at night. rel of Johnson Miller whiskey, 7 The greatest thing in the farmer's years old; 20 gallons of apple brandy, life is a satisfied family a family 1 40-gallon copper still; 1 dozen reel content to remain on the farm. The hooks; 2 handle hooks; 3 seythes and automobile makes it possible for the cradles; I dozen wooden pitchforks; farm family to mix with their neighone-half interest in tanyard; 1 32- bors, visit the school, attend church caliber rifle; bullet mold and powder and social affairs, go to town, or a horn, rifle made by Ben Miller; 60 meeting of a club. Among the lists gallons of soft soap; hams, bacon and of benefactors, such as rural free lard; 40 gallons sorghum molasses; delivery, telephone, waterworks, elec-6 head of fox-hounds, all soft-mouth- tric lights, county agents, etc., the ed except one.

old; 2 mulatto wenches, 40 and 30 gressive Farmer. years old. Will sell all together to same party; will not separate them.

note to draw 4 per cent interest with Bob McConnell as surety.

Versailles, Kentucky, on the Mc- sider good land in trade. Address Couns ferry pike. Sale begins at box 232, Big Spring, Texas. 8 a. m. Plenty to eat and drink."

Ivory Toilet Sets, from \$5.00 to jure the hair_try it. Vogue Beauty 85.00. Shoppe.

The Useful Automobile

There is a disposition in certain work more and ride less.

These critics are very much mistaken. The automobile is one of the farmer's most urgent necessities. "There was recently discovered and There is no more useful machine on sale bill printed in 1849 for a sale ox wagon and the horse and buggy

The automobile has given us good ty 75 years ago. The wording of roads, consolidated schools, efficient rural delivery, more efficient county agents, and a broader social outteam, will offer on March 1, 1849, market our produce and buy our farm supplies to the best advantage. "All ox teams, except two teams, There are many farm homes without

automobile is entitled to a place well "At the same time I will sell my at the head for without it success on six negro slaves 2 men 65 and 50 the farm is much more difficult to years old; 2 boys, 12 and 18 years schieve. G. H. Alford, in The Pro-

"Terms of sale, cash in hand, or FOR SALE OR TRADE

Five-room residence convenient to high school and ward school. Priced "My home is two miles south of right, terms reasonable. Will con-1tpd

Inecto Rapid Hair Dye won't in

SANTA CLAUS LOST IN PARROT'S ALLEY

HILE Despard pegged away in the shoemaker's shop a wise old bird kept bim company. The canary that thrilled in his cage was the only other companion of his labors and the object of the jealous contempt of the ancient parrot, which viewed it from his perch as a momentary and frivolous interruption to the course of serious affairs.

The parrot had regarded even Despurd himself as a late bubble on the stream of events, and, while it passed from the hands of a wandering sailor into the shoemaker's care in a nominal sense, it had really assumed charge of both shop and master. This conscious responsibility extended to the personal greeting with which it saluted upon entrance every customer with, "Hello, papa's boy! Want to talk to papa a little?" and it reached out so far that the crooked and straggling lane had come to be called "Parrot's Alley."

This alley was of such a nature that it had never been visited by those rays of pleasant light that shine from Christmas trees or those cheering gifts that do so much to make little folks and big folks happy. It was a dull and dirty place, where patched clothes hung upon clotheslines and dogs fought over bones; where there was not much to wear, not much to eat, not much peace.

So that Santa Claus, taking the vrong turn, found himself in a strange locality, and, after peering about in the unlighted gloom, had to confess that he was lost.

For a moment his merry face was clouded, but, catching sight of a gleam in Despard's shop, he pushed open his door and entered. Laying down one of his large bundles, that was marked "For the Forgotten Ones," he was about to go upstairs, hoping to find out where he was, when a voice in the darkness said, "Hello, papa's boy! Want to talk to papa a little? Well, can't see to talk to papa in the dark !" Frightened for the first time in his life, Santa Claus made for the door and rushed out. But he left the bundle behind him!-Christopher G.



KEEPING CHRISTMAS —LET ALL BE HAPPY

T IS a good thing to observe Christmas day. The mere marking of times and seas, when men agree to stop work and make merry together, is a wise and wholesome custom. It helps one to feel the supremacy of the common life over the individual life. It reminds a man to set his own little watch, now and then, by the great clock of humanity which runs on sun

But there is a better thing than the observance of Christmas day, and that is keeping Christmas. - Frank Herbert

(6, 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

Then She Understood



She-Why are you under the im pression that you may kiss me? He-Because you're under the mis

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It Is Easy to Spread Happiness to Others T WAS snowing-not the nice, dry

kind, but the kind that leaves hat feathers bedraggled and tempers

The streets were crowded with holi-day shoppers and people looked cross. A woman hurried toward me, holding to a boy of four by one hand and carrying a heavy baske with the other.

He tried to keep up, but he missed step now and then; at last he stumbled and fell, and the mother dragged him up and sail things to

him, while he tried not to cry.

At the edge of the walk another woman got out of a brugham and started to cross over to the shop door.

She took in the scene, and understood-it was strange how few people do understand. She steeped over to the child, unpinned a stray of holly from her fur coat and inned it on his ragged little jacket. "Only two days till Chistmas," she

said. "Isn't it great!" The mother gave her hat knowing ook mothers have, and the boy look mothers have, smiled back at her.

The crowd jogged or were half smiling in spie of the wet snow and the slushy waks. The mother had lost some of the tired look, and the bo was taking skipping steps as he looked down happily at the spray of holf on his coat.

—Anna Deming Gray.

td. 1924, Western News

MAKING CHRISTMAS REAL CELEBRATION

R. AND MRS. BROWN agreed not to have any Christmas celebrution. They would just be sensible, and have a restrui holiday vithout any of the worry of trying to outdo each other and their friends in the exchange of gifts.

Their friends had consented not to give them any presents, and as they had no children. It would be easy to carry out their intention of having just an ordinary holiday.

Christmas morning arrived and Mr. Brown looked at Mrs. Brown through blinking eyes.

"Merry Christmas." he said; "Merry bristmas," echoed his wife.

They were both startled. That was not the way to begin an ordinary holiday. They had begun it just as they had begun every other Christmas. "But then," Mrs. Brown explained,

"it wouldn't be right not to say it, would it, dear?" Mr. Brown quite agreed with her,

At Mr. Brown's place were some packages "What are these?" he asked, with

and they went down to breakfast.

pretended harshness, "Oh, dearie," said his wife, "you won't be angry, will you? I just couldn't help giving you something. It wouldn't be Christmas without some surprises. And as we weren't giving any presents, I thought it was a good opportunity to get you some things you have needed a long time.

Mr. Brown tore open the packages, which to his great delight contained a velvet lounging robe, some Russian leather slippers and a box of his favorite cigars.

"You dear!" he cried, and kissed his wife ardently.

Then he drew from his pocket a small box which he handed her. Her eyes sparkled.

"For me?" she exclaimed. "For you." he said, and added, as she lifted from the box a beautiful necklace of pearls, "I thought since we weren't giving any presents this year, it was a good opportunity to buy you these pearls you have wanted so

"You dear," said his wife, and kissed him joyously.

Just then the doorbell rang. A messenger with flowers and candy was at the door. "I thought it wouldn't be Christmas without these," said Mr.

"And you were right," agreed his "You can't have Christmas without candy and flowers, and presents and surprises, which show how people really love you."-H. Lucius

(6, 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

一大大型 PLAYING SAFE IN CHRISTMAS GIVING

ANKER CHISHOLM refused accommodation to persons who semed the most successful merchants in town, and to some of the checked by even a dollar received quick notice. It was as if Banker Chisholm had a finger on the pulse of the town, and whenever a pulse faltered he withdrew. He was not running a hospital. So he became known as "Stony

Face," "Frost," "Bloodless," and the like: Even the many solicitors of charity went to him without expectation Each Christmas mysterious turkeys

were left at doors whose owners were not expecting to have any. Loads of wood and tons of coal appeared in the same way. Banker Chisholm could have told something about them. Only one person in town really understood, and that was Andy Searles, an old seatmate at school. Andy was a failure, and indifferent about it, but he was a close-mouthed participant in his friend's secrets.

One day the banker called him into his back room.

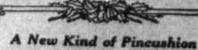
"Here is a thousand dollars, Andy," he began, nodding at a roll on the table. "I want you to slip it into your pocket and distribute it where you feel it will make the most Christmas "In your name this time, Bill. I

don't like what they call you." Banker Chisholm reached for the money.

"Then I won't give anything," he said. "You remember how my prede cessor, Mr. Wade, almost ruined himself and the bank by his reckless generosity and accommodation to unsafe borrowers. If I became known as an easy giver, I would be attacked by a horde of friends, and-I'm afraid I'm too soft-hearted to play safe. The only way is to keep up my reputation of 'Stony Face.' It is my salvation. I'm sorry you-" "Oh, all right," interrupted Andy

gruffly. "Give me the money. I'll distribute it where I see need, and want of a Merry Christmas."-Frank Herbert Sweet.

(D. 1934, Western Newspaper Union.)



A pincushion is always a useful and ppropriate gift, and here is one that most satisfactory. Fill a small wooden, pasteboard or metal box not over an inch deep, as full of steel wool as possible. Cover the top neatly with a bit of ribbon or any pretty goods at band. Pins and needles stuck onto the cushion are kept bright and free from rust by the steel wool, and the bottom of the box keeps them from working downward.



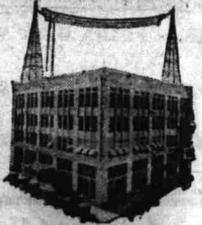
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A recent report in the Statistical Former Governor James E. Fergutunity. By far the greater number punishment. of deaths attributed to the automobile It would be quite appropriate for tremely small.

deaths fully 50 per cent ... Farm and of justice."

ngraved free. Clyde Fox.

Malicious or Careless?

certain highway Sunday, he suddenly spin. The tengue to the old con short of absolute alcohol as non-intraption was noted further down the highway. Sitting and lying in the ditch beside the wreck were a Mexi- ed by the adoption of the pending can man and his wife and an aged Child Labor Amendment, with its Mexican woman. Playing on the failure to define the occupations margin of the road was a little Mexi- which Congress shall be empowered can child three or four years of age.
The Mexican wife was reclining, her head bandaged, and using the rim of intervene against any work whatever the ditch for a pillow. To inquiries propounded, they declared that none Thus a mother might be forbidden to of them were hurt. A car had struck require her 17-year-old daughter to the old wagon in which they were riding and demolished it. They had furniture. A man might be forbidsent to haul them in. Their burros den to set his 17-year-old son to hochad disappeared. With the wind ng the bean patch or driving the blowing a gale, they were in a mrs. cattle to pasture. erable plight. Yet they were goodhumored and even jolly. Then we amendment does not mean any such mediated on the criminal carelessness ibsurdities, and that Congress would or mischievousness of the road-hog lever enact them. Perhaps not. But or the human hyena that had wrought vhat is indisputable is that they all this havoc. And as we meditated, vould be entirely possible under the we wondered if he were really any ext of the amendment; while as for more civilized than the poor Mexi- he occasional capacity of Congress cans whose wagon he struck and o enact absurdities, it has already wrecked with his car and left by the and too often been demonstrated. It roadside to hustle for themselves as a safe rule not to confer power best they could. In intellect he was which is susceptible of so gross misperhaps their superior, in morals, we use. Perhaps it is impossible to put doubt if he was their equal. There many definite details in an article of ought to be some way of preventing he constitution. If so, that is just both the dare-devil and the road-hog mother reason for added caution in

Planting Seed

highways.—Tahoka News.

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Reward for Lost Overcoat

A khaki colored, belted overcoat was lost somewhere in this city Wednesday of last week. Sanger Bros. tag on same. Finder please return

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Any article bought from us will be graved free of charge. Clyde Fox.

F. H. Hillman of San Francisco, president of the California Oil Co., mpire like no other in the world. is due to pay a visit to the company's oil field in Mitchell county within the next week or two.

Jimmie Watson of Sweetwater spent Saturday and Sunday in this city on a visit to his sister, Mrs. L. E. on. Coleman.

F. B. Whipkey, editor of the Col- Toys of all kinds ready for you orado Record, was here Monday en- o make selections. route to Lubbock on a business trip, landmore Company

Mrs. Ferguson on the Prisons

Whatever you may think of wom-If all the victims of accidents in en in politics, you will find that as the United States in 1923 had been time passes more women in politics a killed in one great disaster, the will mean better politics, more womworld would have stood appalled, and en in authority will mean better

them on the installment plan, now- are still retained instruments of torever, minimizes the shock and accust ure that would disgrace the Dark toms us to news announcements of Ages. The "horse" has been abolishaccidental deaths to such an extent ed, but the "barrel," the "black cell" that we, as a people, go right ahead and the "lash" remain. The fact that increasing the death record from guards the other day watched dogs year to year. The accidental record attack two convicts attempting to exof the United States for 1923 was cape without calling them off proves 83,772, or 698 to the 1,000,000 pop- that repeated use of the lash makes ulation. This stands out against a the guards more brutal every time

The Record expres ad the hope the Deaths attributed to the automo- other day that Mrs. Ferguson, first bile number 17,000, of which 15,741 woman ever elected Governor of resulted from collisions between cars Texas, would wipe out the disgrace of and the killing of podestrians on brutal prison punishment. Wednescity streets and public highways, day, speaking for the first time on About 1,500 deaths were caused by prison reform, Mrs. Ferguson intiautomobile accidents at railroad mated that legislation shall-hing the crossings. The number of deaths in whipping post and other means of the United States attributed to auto- brutal punishm at would be forthmobiles is increasing at the rate of coming at the next session of the Legislature.

Bulletin says that many accidents are son, husband of the Governor-elect, caused by lack of uniform traffic already has made one tour of insprelaws in different states and cities, tion of the prison farms and plans and suggests that this should be another. He will put before Mrs. remedied at the first possible oppor- Ferguson the facts concerning brutal,

is due to reckless driving and utter Mrs. Ferguson to wipe out brutality disregard for the safety and rights of in Texas prisons, for Mrs. Ferguson's others. The percentage of deaths election was a revolution. It was from unavoidable accidents is ex- the revolution in France that ended torture of prisoners in the open A strict enforcement of the taw courts, a torture that was called would undoubtedly reduce accidentar "absolutely necessary to the course

The political revolution in Texas, putting a woman in the Governor: chair, may abolish torture in this All Ivory, Jewelry and Silverware Stata - Fort Worth Record.

Enacting Indefiniteness

More than half of the trouble As the editor was driving along a which has arisen over the prohibition amendment to the Constitution has noticed a wrecked vehicle just ahead been due to its indefiniteness. It by the road side. Approaching and prohibts traffic in "intoxicating listopping, we soon took in the situa- quors," but it does not tell what they tion. Part of an old light wagon are. It is left to Congress to define was lying on its side at the edge of them, and that body may as it has the ditch. Both rear wheels were done in the Volstead act so define crushed and had been smashed. One them as to put some of the most innofront wheel was lying some distance cent and non-intoxicating beverages away and the other front wheel still under the ban; or it may go to the farther away, both broken beyond other extreme and sanction anything

> A similar situation would be caushelp her wash the dishes or dust the

There is no use in saying that the from driving a car along the public mending that instrument. Washingon Post.

All Ivory, Jewelry and Silverware Clyde Fox.

exas & Pacific Buys Equipment When West Texas needs them, the & P. Railway must buy freight ars and other equipment.

Railroads do not buy equipment vhen the sections they serve are not rosperous.

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> he owner of what in other sections of the country would be considered mple equipment for such a territory is West Texas; but West Texas is at And the growth of the freight usiness of the Texas & Pacific Rail ay proves it !_Commercial World.

For Your Car Denatured Alcohol, \$1.25 per gal-Clyde Fox.

Census bureau statistics show that Mamma Dolls from 75c to \$12.50 be American people in 1923 spent Big Spring Hardware ver \$1,000 a minute, or \$1,700,000 day, for candy and ice cream.

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Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy 8 years old and T want you to bring me a coaster wagon, tool chest and a violin and lots of fruit and nuts .. I am going to be at your Christmas party.

With love to you. J. D. KENDRICK.

P. S. Santa, I have been a good boy all the year.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa Claus:

I want you to bring me a wristwatch and lots of candy, apples, oranges. I am sure I will be at the Elks Christmas party.

With love to you Santa, ELLEN KENDRICK.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus;

As you have asked us to write you I am going to tell you what I want. I want a doll buggy and a red-flyer; that is all I want. I am ten years of I had rather have the doll buggy, but I want them both. I kept my doll so I can get a buggy this Christmas. My doll is 29 inches long. I want some oranges, apples, nuts, bananas and candy too.

You will see me at the Christmas party at the Elks Hall.

Your friend. LALLAH LUCY KINARD.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa: I am writing you to tell you just

what I want. I want a coaster and saxaphone and a watch. I am just 7 years old. I want candy, oranges, nuts. I will be at Elks Hall for the Xmas party.

A Merry Christmas to Santy, DORMAN KINARD.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa:

I am just a little girl 8 years old. I will teli you what I want. I have a big mamma doll, 29 inches high, that Santa brought me last Christmaand I have kept it nice for this Christmas. Now I want a buggy big enough to roll it in, and a set of dishes but I had rather have the doll buggy the best of all. I will be at the Christmas party at the Elks Hall. Wishing you a Merry Christmas.

VERNA KINARD.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa Claus:

I will be at the Elks Christmas party at the Lyric theatre Christmas morn

Please send me a grey wicker dollsulky, a doll and a little cedar-chest of candy.

I love you,

JUNIA JOHNSON.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Old Santa:

I am a little girl six years old. Please bring me a nice blackboard and a doll. I want a doll that has

black curls and can say "mamma." I will be at the Lyric Theatre Christmas morning.

With lots of love to you, RUTH ARNOLD.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a mamma doll and a package of candy and anything you have. I am a little girl 5 years old.

VEDA ROE. I will be at the Elks Party.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa Claus:

Thank you for all the nice things you brought me last Christmas. I Take the dolly to some other little of dishes. girl 'cause I have a new one with black curly hair. You may bring me a chest of clothes for her tho, and some story books and toys. I would like an airplane but my Daddy does not want me to ride in it, and I'm too big for a rocky horse, so I think that is all. I am six years old.

Will say good-bye and hope to see you at the Church Christmas eve. DORIS CUNNINGHAM.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I will be at the Elks party. Please bring me a sleepy doll and just any thing else you have. I am a littre girl 8 years old. RUBY ROE.

Big Spring, Texas

I am a little girl 11 years old and will be at the Elks party. I wish for a string of beads and a story book My name is,

Dear Santa:

EVA MAY ROE.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa Claus:

I have been a good boy the pe year and I want you to please bring me a cowboy suit, some boxing gloves, a basket ball, a wagon and candy, nuts, etc. With best wines for you. Your little friend,

RRY FORDAN.



I am writing you to tell you what | candy, nuts, oranges and apples. want you to bring me. I want a pair of gloves, size 6 or 7, a pretty book and just anything you want to bring me. I'm an invalid, have been all my life; would like to be at the Eiks Christmas party but can't. Will you please send me a package? Would enjoy it so much. Will be glad to see my letter in The Herald next issue. I am a girl 18 years of

LORENCE CAMPBELL. 107 Deming Street.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I have heard that you want me to tell you if I can come to the party have taken good care of them, and Christmas morning? Yes I can am trying to be good so you will come. I want you to come to my bring me some more pretty things, house. I want you to bring me a set Your friend,

HELEN TUCKER. 900 Gregg Street.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a little broom, little suit-case, a toy wrist-watch, a box of water colors and a sewing basket, and a large joy-ball. I guess that's all for me, but don't forget Miss Antley and Harry.

Your little friend, EDITH DOW CORDILL

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: Am writing to let you know that want a doll, a set of dishes and a Your friend, telephone. FRANCES TUCKER.

P. S. And candy, nuts, apples

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa Claus:

I saw in The Herald that you want ed us to write you. I want a doll, wagon, a set of dishes, a bed and se Your friend, of furniture. VIRGINIA TUCKER,

P. S. And Santa don't forget som candy, nuts, apples and oranges.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Sants Claus: I heard that you want us to write and tell you what we want. I want

STERLING TUCKER.

Your friend,

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: - Am writing you early so you won't forget me. I sure want you to con Be sure and come and see me want a doll, a wagon, a set of dishes, a table, a set of furniture, candy nuts, oranges, and apples. Your friend.

EDITH PAULINE TUCKES

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a few lines to you what I want for Christman want one of those rings in one of the stores that costs 75c. I want one with a red set, size 6 or 7 and nice handkerchiefs. Your friend,

CATHERINE VAN OPEN. 205 Travis Street.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa Claus:

I will write you what I wan for Christmas. I want a little engine and Dear Santa Claus: some cars. This is all I want. Your little friend, RAYMOND EARL LAWRENCE.

Big Spring,

Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a few lines to you what I want for Christm want Jenny, the balking mute, cost 75c at one of the stores Your friend.

LEONARD VAN OPP 205 Travis Street.

Big Spring, exas

Dear Santa Claus: I am writing you to let you now what I want for Christmas. I prother; he wants a little hamme a drum. He is a dear little by

a mama doll, a doll buggy, a st of dishes, a sewing box and some endy, segro. Bye-bye, fruit and nuts. I have a little paby Lovingiv yours. I'm sure you will re Your little frie mas tree. ANNA LEE JAC

I will tell you what I want you to bring me for Christmas. I want a mama doll, a set of dishes, a doll bed, and a little rocking chair, and some fruit, nuts and candy. I am six years old. I go to school and am in the first grade. Your little friend, GENEVIEVE JACKS.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like very much to have vanity, but if I am asking for too much forgive me and don't forget I am in the receiving line. Thanking you in advance. Your friend, EDITH STUDEVILLE.

410 Abram Street.

P. S. Expect me at the Elks party.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I wish you would bring me a pocket knife for Christmas. I would thank you very much. I will be at the Elks Hall Christmas.

Your friend, LEONARD STUTEVILLE.

410 Abram Street.

Coahoms, Texas

Please bring me some marbles, an air gun, a car with a steering whee and with a man in it, and some caxoy and apples and oranges and firecrackers, and a ball and some gioves. Goodbye till Christmas, Lovingly

T. J. FLETCHER. P. S. I want a horn and some roman candles.

Please bring me a ball and some roman candles and firecrackers, a horn, an air gun, some apples, oranges, and candy, a herp and a car, some gloves and a trisycle and son shoes and a toy piano with a dancir Lovingly yours, ROBERT PLETCHER.

Dear Santa Cler

a little rocking chair. Bye-bye, Lovingly yours,

FLORA LEIGH FLETCHER.

Coahoma, Texas Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a doll buggy, mama doll and a parasol, a comb to mear around my neck, some apples oranges, bananas, roman candles and finecrackers, a doll bed and some nuts for all of us, a little phone and some dishes and some shoes. Bye-ble, Lovingly yours,

LINNIE FLETCHER.

Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a letter to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a pair of fleece-lined gloves and a white toboggan and some nuts, candy and apples. If you bring me this I will be satisfied.

I will be at the Elks party. Yours truly, FRANCES SHEELER.

204 West Howard Street.

Big Spring, Texas Dear Santa Claus: I will be glad to get anything you

want to bring me. Your friend, KENNETH SHULTZ. Big Spring, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I want you to come and bring me a gun, and a blackboard and colored crayon and a toy tractor, please. I

will be a nice boy. Sincerely yours, EDWARD JOHNSON.

Coshoma, Texas Dear Santa Claus: I want a watch, a baseball suit, a baseball bat and glove, basket ball, a Dear Santa: punching bag. I will be at the I want a doll and a wig Elks Christmas party. Your friend, doll and some candy, a P. DRIVER.

Dear Senta: I am just writing you a few line to tell you what I want for Christ mas. I want a steel coaster, some story books, fruits, candies and nuts. I will be at the Elks Christmas party. With love from,

QUENTIN MARTIN.

Mr. Santy Claus. North . Woods, Canada, Dear Santy:

First I want to say I love yo dearly for making so many children happy on Christman d real good of you. Well Sant first thing I want is to get a all fixed over. I want a story a little telephone, a bottle fume, a french harp, a little furs and my fruit, nuts and es

I will be at the Elks Christon Wishing you a Merry Chr Your friend, UNA DORTHEA CAMPRA

Mr. Santa Claus: North Woods, Canada. Dear Santa Claus: I am writing you to my

want, a cap pil-tol and a knife a football and an erector w candy, apples, oranges and n feel like if I get all these nice I will be happy. I expect to b ent at the Elks Christmas tr Love to Santy. Your trie WOODROW CAMPR

Dear Santa Claus: I want a girl's fountain joy ball, a set of camp-fire wrist watch. I will be at !

DOROTHY DRI Big Sprin Dear Santa Claus: I will write you and tell y to bring me. I want a big dol and a baby doll, some story fruits and candy. I am

the Elks Christmas party.

Christmas party.

Lovingly from, FLOY MAR

Your fri

Big Sprin

Dear Santa Claus: I want you to please brin doll-buggy, a big mama doll, bear, cook stove, some pret dishes and some oranges, app and candy. I will be at the as tree at the theatre Christma

ing. Yours truly, LORETA AN

Dear Santa Claus: We read your letter in The about the Elks party. I was ball and a cap gun, and a brother, Howard, wants a lit

ball and an air gun. I other little girls and boys what they want. We will

at the party. THORNTON and HOWARD

Dear Santa Claus: So you are here now. I ing to let you know what I Christmas. I want a pair house slipperts, a string of beads and a basket ball. want so many things this as I did last Christmas older. I am coming to Christmas party Christmas ter and brother are coming brother is seven years old

ter is five. Please come With love. Christmas. VERA C. M 700 Jack Street.

Big Spri Dear Santa Claus: I will be glad to get an want to bring me. COVAN S

Big Spri Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl and seen Christmas yet so be

don't forget met I would! ber ring and a celluoid ca SARAH MAUDE JO

Dear Santa: I am a little girl ten year want to tell you what I to have for Christmas: Al ing mama doll, uncle Wig story book and a pursie kind and anything else rebring. Please don't fers

HATTYE MAYE! Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl ten fe want a doll and a basketh candy, nuts and fruit. I a wrist watch too.

friend, RUTH EMILY T Big Spring, Texas 1009 Scurry Street.

and apples. That is all Big Spring, Texas mas. Yours truly,

I am sending you my will be sure to come to so MAUREYNE

FOR MEN

House Slippers

Sweaters

Electric Machines

UTA CLAUS LETTERS Big Spring, Texas

a bring me a nice game, a box of candy, and what- Dear Santa Claus: god care to bring me. I am old and my name is WARY LOUISE GILMOUR I am comisg to the Elks

Big Spring, Texas

Christmas is nearly here and I'm so glad for I want Dear Santa Claus; ud, a ring, size 1, and bring remember me. saby doll. Now Santa I think enough to bring me, for I on to come to see every little LAL OUT OF SORTS? by and girl in my class some

for you every minute. Lots New Year,

LARUE LITTLE. 01 yes, Santa, I'll be sure the Elks Christmas tree.

ca Claus:

been a good boy and I want bring me a tricycle, a toy condition. bugle, a little doll and some ranges and some candy. little friend,

BILLY FRANKLIN.

Big Spring, Texas Senta Claus:

Big Spring Herald you SARAH SYLVIA SEGELL. ring ceremony. els Street

fruit, and nuts. I like to get a little wagon too. BENNIE TANGYE.

Scurry Street.

Big Spring, Texas grin."

set a doll and doll bed and Yours truly, BOBBY TAYLOR.

mir of house slippers and for my doll. That is all. es truly,

MILDRED TAYLOR.

Big Spring, Texas unta Claus: now tell tell you what I fer the doll and some furni-

and nuts, also some house RUTH TAYLOR. Collad Street.

Big Spring, Texas

a little boy five years old. like for you to bring me a a wagon and a wheelbar-I will be at your party at the t Theatre. Santa please be wme. Your little friend, JOHNIE McKEE.

Yest Travia Street

Big Spring, Texas

a good little girl four years or I mw a big doll in a store winwant you to bring me if you would like a set of dishes, a

to sweep mama's yard. to be at your party at the Your little friend, MARY GLADYS McKEE.

West Travis Street

Big Spring, Texas

a little girl ten years old. stral school and get a good I am in the fifth grade. I

bir doil in one of the atore we that would just suit me, and like a fountain pen. I will my little sister and brother to party. Now Santa please to me. Your little friend, MADELEINE MCKEE.

M Travis Street Big Spring, Texas

lots of candy, nuts and fruit. FREDERICK KOBERG.

Big Spring, Texas

knives and forks, a set of dishes and a new doll. Please fill my stockbilt along with you.

CAMILLE KOBERG.

Big Spring, Texas.

bring me a little table and I am a little girl two years old bit went into the pay. s blackboard that turns and so I thought I would write you a let-

LOVEDA SHULTZ.

to be sure and bring every Who Tells Her Experience. fined and needing cleaning out is We are the 6-year- pains and aches as natural to their still making 1,600 barrels. sex. They fail to realize that weak The new well is on a northeast line in the first grade and be kidneys are often to blame for that between No. 1 and No. 3, which hit kidneys are often to blame for that between No. 1 and No. 3, which hit backache, those headaches, dizzy the shallow pay last week and which ing. Thousands have found new health and strength by helping the weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills plated its force. weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills pleted its 55,000-barrel storage tank

a stimulant diuretic. This Big and can take care of the new pro-

a soreness and lameness all through capacity of twenty cars daily. The my kidneys. I felt nervous and lan- Santa Rita Drilling Company is drillguid and headaches often came on ing these late wells, as well as the Big Spring, Texas Pills, so I started using them. Doan's certainly brought me fine relief. News. Since then, I have used them once in awhile to keep my kidneys in good

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get appeared in the list of those to take Doan's Pills—the same that Mrs. part in the Little Theatre Christmas Bilger had. Foster-Milburn Co., pageant, Dec. 19th. Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. advertise- Fairies Lavorn

Wolfe-James

Baird, Texas. The marriage of Reagan, Paul Harper. wall little children to write Dr. O. E. Wolfe of Big Spring and at they wanted. I am going Miss Esther James took place Monyou what I want. I want a day evening, December 1, at eight bourg, James Vines, Frank Mc-I and a ball and some jacks oclock at the home of the bride's Cleskey. game of lotto for Christmas mother, Mrs. Lua James. The Revthing else you can bring me. erened W. J. Mayhew, pastor of the mine years old and my name Methodist Church, officiated with the

by candles, and decorated with chry- H. D. Hilliard on Wednesday after-Big Spring, Texas santhemums and forms. At one end of the living-room an altar was con- jolly session was enjoyed. The deboy six years old and structed in such a way that the motif licious refreshments, served in two train and a big ball, of the house decorations was carried out.

Preceding the ceremony Mrs. N. M. George sang "All for You" accom- high score of the afternoon. panied by Mrs. W. D. Ferguson at the piano. Mrs. George also played GIFT SHOP TO OPEN DEC. 8th. the wedding march from "Lohen-

The bride wore an ensemble suit of mouse-colored suede trimmed in auta apples and oranges fur and harmonizing accessories. Her of Miss Belle Austin's paintings if bouquet was composed of cream rose- you would like anything in my line. buds. Miss James was attended by Call at 302 Gregg St., Big Spring.132 Miss Pauline Terrell of Fort Worth Big Spring, Texas who wore a gown of tan and green embroidered printed crope. She caras doll head for my old doll ried an arm bouquet of pink and

white carnations. Mr. S. T. James, brother of the bride, attended the groom as best

The bride, who was formerly student of the College of Industrial Arts, has taught in the public schools of Texas for several years. Dr. I want a little doll with curly Wolfe, since his graduation from the a ring, a little house big Agricultural and Mechanical College of Colorado, has been connected on it. Some grapes, an with the Texas Sanitary Livestock Commission.

Immediately following the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Wolfe left by autombile for El Paso. After Dec. 6th they will be at home in Big Spring.

NON-CANCELLABLE AUTOMO. BILE ACCIDENT POLICY

The Non-Cancellable Automobile Accident Policy is a policy of personal accident insurance, providing Tuesday from Shreveport, La., to indemnity for the holder when he or she sustains injury—(1) while driving, riding in or on, demonstrating, adjusting or cranking an automobile,

run over by an automobile, or (3) by the burning or explosion

of an automobile. This policy is absolutely non-cancellable; it cannot be cancelled by the Company nor can it be restricted after issue by rider or endorsement. It may be renewed by the policyholder until he attains age 70. After is incontestable as to any statement

in the application. It will pay you to investigate this policy. The cost is small. Big Spring Insurance Agency advertisement

J. F. Wolcott returned Thursday morning from Detroit, Mich., where he had been to take a special course in demonstrations for Lincoln auto-

The laying of the heavy steel rails was completed thru the local rail-road yards this week.

New Big Lake Well May be Largest

Big Lake, Reagan Co., Texas, Dec. 10 .- The Big Lake field on Wednesday morning brought in another gusher, the Krupp & Pickrell No. 2. I want a little car, a set of play Group 1, on the Texon Oil and Land Company property. This well when completed should be good for at ing with candy, nuts and fruit. Don't east 3,000 barrels flush production. forget to bring Oscar from Vander- It made the first half hour by gauge forty barrels and was only one and one-half feet in the sand. When gauged at noon the flow had increased to fifty barrels on a half-hour gauge and increasing the further the

Mr. Pickrell said that they would als on it to draw, and an in- ter and tell you to be sure and drill in for about fifteen to twenty feet, and this well should then rival the Big Lake Company's No. 13, which came in last week. The showing of the new well is better than the No. 1, which made 2,400 barrels we we carry so much and 1 So Was This Big Spring Woman per day and now even being para-

and a Merry Christmas and Spring care is one of many:

Mrs. A. Bilger, says: "I had from the loading rack, with a bearing-down pains in my back and from the loading rack, with a A friend recommended Doan's discovery well of this field. Dallas

Little Theatre Program

The following names should have

Fairies-Lavern Stewart, Anita 4 Davis, Louise Maxwell, Winona Prescott, Helen Bell.

Imps-George Wesley Paylor, Earl

Dolly Dumplings-Laverne Sims. Waifs E. P. Driver, Pearl Rich-

Santa-Elizabeth Welch.

Bridge Club Notes

The members of the Pioneer The reception rooms were lighted Bridge club were the guests of Mrs. noon of last week and an unusually courses put the crowning touch to

Mrs. Bernard Fisher made club

I will open a Gift Shop here Dec. 8th. I will have all kinds of handpainted articles for sale suitable for the Holidays. I will also have a lo

Mrs. Hair Entertains

Last Thursday afternoon the Entre Nous club met with Mrs. J. J. Hair. After four games of bridge, the guests were served a four-course The dining room was beautifully

decorated with cut flowers.. Mrs. J. N. Blue won high score.

Stores to Remain Open Till 8 P. M. Beginning Friday, December 19th the business houses of Big Spring will remain open each night until 8 oclock in order to accommodate the Christmas shoppers. This later closing hour will be in order during the last few days before Christmas only.

Rooms For Rent

Two rooms nicely furnished for light housekeeping with bath in connection, for rent. Call at 301 E. Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Austin arrived make their home in Big Spring. Mr. Austin who is an experienced furniture salesman, also undertaker and embalmer, has accepted a position with the Rix Furniture & Undertak-(2) by being struck, run down or ing Company. Mr. and Mrs. Austin are mighty fine folks and our people tender them a cordial welcome to our

Last Tuesday evening the Pionee club met at the Y. M. C. A. in their regular weekly session. After th club business and the regular weekly bible lesson the club enjoyed an old it has been in force for one year, it fashioned taffy pulling. The boys al themselves.

pleasant occasion was in order.

hunting trip.

Elmer Ellis from El Paso is bac on the engineer's extra board at Bi Hat Bags Don F. Raynolds Shoes Week End Bags Belts Wardrobe Trunks Heit Buckles Purses Wardrobe Trunks Traveling Bags Gioves Portfolios Hose Handkerchiefs fints Silk Underwear Shirts

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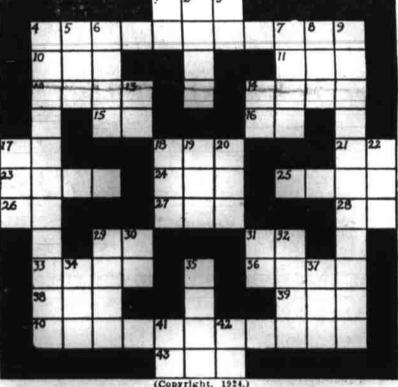
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HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this purale spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the pussle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "hori-sontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines t word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 5 "THE MERRY-GO-ROUND"

A whirl on this Merry-Go-Round won't make you dizzy, and your disposition will be perfectly safe, although you won't be able to do it with the w. k. rolling-off-a-log ease.



(Copyright, 1924.) Vertical Horizontal. 4-Fairy queen 1-Mother 4-Taint 2-Sanction 8—Two des A-II -Insensibility 13-Unchast 6-Information 15—Consequently 16—Hypothetical force 7-Sour 8-Digit 17—Organization (abbr.) 18—To fell 9-Pertaining to training SI—By 23—A relative

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87—Giri's nam Melodramatic 41-Like Jayanese cols The solution will appear in next losue.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co Eighteenth Dividend The regular quarterly dividend of one dollar and seventy-five cents per share on Preferred Stock will be paid on Thursday, January 1, 1925, to stockholders of record at the close of business on Saturday December 20, 1924. R. A. NICKERSON, Treasure

97—Trap 38—Preposition

-Paradian

-Greek letter -Skeletal piece

-Member of solar system

think this is a good way to enjo: It is perhaps a far cry from answering the endless questions of a child to the clanging of prison gates Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rix delight yet the two are related. From 70 to fully entertained a few friends wit 80 per cent of the criminals come a dinner party Wednesday evening from unsympathetic homes. There is Bridge was enjoyed following the no greater preventive for wrongsumptuous repast, and an especiall doing than a great desire on the part of parents to understand their child-J. E. Moon and Red Franklin let ren, to pay attention to them and J. E. Moon and Red Franklin les become their confidants. — Rev. Thursday for Val Verde Couny on William E. Cashin, Catholic Chaplain of Sing Sing prison.

> Christman Oranges, Apples and STRIPLING BROS.

Watch out for the dry check artist during the holiday season. One tried to do his "stuff" here Tuesday and had to make a race for it to escape the "law." He gave a check for eight dollars and he was shadowed until the inquiry revealed the check was worthless. When cornered he dropped the goods purchased and "lit out." He outdistanced his pursuers and temporarily escaped.

Miss Mabel Gamel returned Tuesday evening from Sterling City where she spent several days on a visit to her mother.

The Girls Reserve club met at the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday night instead of Tuesday, on account of the bad weather.

S. H. LaLonde, engineer on the T. & P., of Baird, has bid in a regular turn running west out of Big Spring

Christmas Oranges, Apples and STRIPLING BROS.

Honoring Mrs. Dave Leatherwood

Mrs. P. C. Leatherwood and daugher, Mrs. Bart. Wilkinson, delightfully entertained with a miscellaneous hower honoring Mrs. Dave Leatherwood at the home of Mrs. P. C. Leatherwood Friday, December 5. The home was beautifully decorat-

ed with cut flowers and mistletoe. The guests arrived about 4 oclock and soon the honorce was greeted.

When she was given ber place a knock was heard at the door and in came Mrs. Noble Read, representing a farmer's wife, announcing the donation of farm seed from the agricultural department at Washington.

These were drawn in by Little Miss Dorothy Rae Wilkinson and Annie Merle Leatherwood, dressed as little farmers. There were many beautiful and useful gifts too to the delight and surprise of the bride.

The guests were then ushered to the dining room where the centerpiece was a large wedding cake tastily decorated which was cut amidst much merriment; the bride cutting the needle.

Dainty refreshments were served to about 20 guests; all wishing the bride a long and prosperous wedded

Junior B. Y. P. U. Program

The following program will be rendered at the First Baptist Church on Sunday, December 14, 1924, by the Juniors of the B. Y. P. U. Subject. The Birthplace or the

Group Captain-Virginia Meyers. Introduction-Virginia Myers. The Town-Judson Hull.

The People_Carton Coburn. At School in Bethelem-Pauline

Queer Customs Loretta Jenkins. The Church of Nativity_J. T.

Leaving Bethlehem...Lillian Clayton.

Poem-Margaret Bettle.

Raising Fund for Gym

An old time New Years Party is being planned for New Year's Eve from 11 p. m. to 1 a. m. at the Lyrie

Every seat will be reserved and you will have to get busy if you get

The proceeds are to go to the fund to build a Gymnasium at the High School.

No Hunting Allowed

This is to notify the public the F. G. Oxshear ranch is posted according to law-no hunting or trespass-J. D. OXSHEAR. 132pd

It was certainly pleasing to note Herald office for Santa Claus had Christmas Seals on them. We feel sure that Santa will appreciate this thoughtfulness on the part of the little folks. If grown ups would be as thoughtful in placing these little seals on letters they mail it would help drive tuberculosis from Texas.

A. B. Deason and wife spent the latter part of last week visiting Earnest Deason and family. Mr. Thurmond, deputy state game warden, was also a visitor at the Deason home.

The Father and Son Banquet had to be postponed from December 16 to some future date. Further announcement will be made in the paper

ment is incapable of self government. To expect that from such a people is the wildest sort of a dream. If you have boy's Bicycle in good

shape, for sale at a bargain call the

That land without home govern-

Herald, Phone 28. W. S. Satterwhite returned Sunday from Waco where he attended the Masonic Grand Lodge annual meeting

Plant Trees Now

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Coahoma Items

issue.)

Tuesday evening where she will thes scale goes to help stamp out ont of the Junior B. Y. P. U. put on spend a week or ten days with her tuberculosis. When one stops to a program Sunday evening at 7:30 daughter, Mrs. Moffit.

though still confined to his room.

been in the hospital in Big millinery shop and buy of her. Spring for ten days. We are glad to, he stood his operation well.

down in the car.

her home from now on.

Grand Lodge meeting at Waco.

Mrs. Kate Wolfe accompanied Mr. Sunday where they spent the day with Annie Belle Roberts in chairman of Charter's parents.

water where she was called to nurse that we out number the other Circle engraved free

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Thomason are

Ira McQuary, Jake Wolfe, and her health. Mira Olga Wolfe left immediately The Junior and Internadiate C. 3.

Christmas Senis. Only the numbers pondent, firms were especially solicited and ness has not yet been accosted the after the holidays, list is incomplete, so will wait until we thank every donor. We wish that jour dinner. every firm might follow the example by giving a five dollar check. The chared \$42.00. Mrs. J. W. Shives left for Colorado proceeds received from the sale of think that 35 per cent of the dona- for the Sr. B. Y. P. U. The subject Raymond DeShazo is doing nicely tions made in Texas remain in the for the evening was "Count Your state, and that through these sales Blewings," presented in form of a Harve Echols sold his ment market last year that the authorities were little play. Lucille Coffman recited to Memory S. P. O'Barr of Big Spring able to decrease the fatality of this "Nothing for which to be Thankand E. W. Davis of mar Sterling dr ad disease 50 per cent. We feel ful," after which Lucille posed sure every one will want a hand in slumber; when Lillie May Martin, as Roy Jones, one of the young men this drive. If you are not snoken to angel of dreams, waved her wand who is always ready for everything, about this go to Mrs. Burt Runyan's over the sleeper Result: Addie Pearl

learn that he is improving fast, that at the usual hour, but not the usuar education was represented to the number, for many of the young poo- dreamer by Lucille Thompson. In Fred Mullikin and family left ple were out of town. Mrs. Frant the background of the little play we Tuesday morning for Denton, where Lovelace was leader of the evening found Lloyd Potts representing Mrs. Mullikin's mother lives and who and only one part assigned was not christianity. The climax of these is now quite ill. They anticipate given. The thought for the evening blessings revealed while asleep causstaying until after the holidays, save was "Forgiveness." After the pro- ed new resolves and helped her to Mr. Mullikin who will return with pram a few minutes of business dis- realize "Joy" represented by Dorothy Emmett Eggleston who carried them closed the fact that Olga Wolfe's Wheat. Circle led in number of attendance Every one is grieved to lose Harve Leslie Adams moved into the house for the past two months by one-a Echols and family, who are moving formerly occupied by Mrs. Claunch, majority of one. So Mrs. Lovetace's to Uvalde. Mrs. Echols will be es-Mrs. Adams will have her class in called a committee of ways and pecially missed in the Presbyterian means, of where and when for the Auxiliary. Messrs Hagler and Archie Thomp. party that her Circle is to give. The son joined other Masons Tuesday committee met with Mrs. Charter morning who were enroute for the Hale and discussed. The refresh of children in a motherless home. I ments were decided upon as well as prefer a nice place. For particulars the date-but the "where" and the write. Mrs. Vergie Gilmore, Box and Mrs. Charter Hale to Stanton "what to do" is still under question. 22, Rockwood, Texas. soliciting the refreshments and col-Mrs. Elliott is at home from Sweet- lecting same. Now comrades let us see

during December and January.

Mrs. Eva Runyan is quite sick. spending the week hunting near Her friends think of her and ack if it be God's will that she may recover

after S. S. for Midland where they societies met Sunday afternoon in spent the day with friends. They at- union program. The superintendent, tended the Midland C. E. while there, was out of town so Mrs. Patty Thoma-Mrs. J. I. McDow II and Miss Lil- met with the young folks. They Har Frances Gary spent Friday morn- gaw in good reports which however ing in Coahoma talking and setting have not been sent to your corres-

Dave Sisson left Tue day for they responded well. As each busi- Sudan where he will remain until

Thanksgiving day Irene Mullikin later edition to print the amount, had all the bunch for dinner. They Every donation is appreciated and reported a delightful time and delic

The Baptist ladies gave a turkey (Received too late for last week's of the bank and Roberts' Cash store dinner Thank giving at which they

Mrs. Bert Runyan as superintend-Fletcher, bearer of wealth; Withe The Sr. C. E. met Sunday evening Dean Coffman, beamer of love and

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very short while.

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drilling at 1,225.

hart, drilling at around 800 feet.

one half miles due northeast.

next few days.

sec. 9, blk. 9.

land, 3 1-2 miles southeast of Black- Pottsboro, Grayson Co., Texas, tone well. Bell & Regan, sec. 2, blk. 4, Upton

Co., south of Flatrock, drilling at 1,300 feet.

rotary to drill.

2,000 feet, sec. 17, blk 10, 6 miles north of Big Lake.

Ladd, sec. 23, blk. 8, Big Lake No. 14 in lime and due in Frank Pickrell is here but the

News was unable to get a report from 10-tfj him. Big Lake News.

Herald want ads get results.

Essay on Friendship

True friendship can only be found oil field goes merrily on and still to bloom in the soil of a noble and gage to send to Sweetwat self-sacrificing heart. It is a flower stations between here and The Big Lake field is now boast- that blooms in all seasons. Wherever ing its thirteenth producer and it it is watered with the dew of kine- every day, except Sunday, cannot stand on that number but a ness and affection, there you may be by the Big Four Line-less sure to find it. Friendship knocks Spring at 8 a. m. Phone? New areas continue to attract the at the lonely and disconsolate heart LaBEFF. attention of wildcatters, and new and speaks words of encouragement wells will be drilled in on some of and joy. The first law of friendship them. As a matter of fact the Big is sincerity. A deceitful heart will Lake oil field is just now in its in- soon betray itself and feel the confancy, and only time and the drill will tempt due to insincerity. What a tell the area and extent of the field. blessing it is to have a friend to Following is a resume of the drill- whom one can speak fearlessly upon ing reports as obtained today from any subject, with whom one's deepest thoughts come simply and safely. Mid-Kansas on McIntosh ranch, There is true enjoyment in a friendship like that, where it has its Cogdell, sec. 23, blk. 8, rigging up. source in the innocence and upright-California, sec. 13, blk. 8, north-ness of a true heart. Let us give all east corner, drilling around 1,300 feet honor to true friendship, that it may Pete Hoffman, sec. 23, blk 11, now gather more friends to sweeten our down seventy feet after spudding existence and help us along the toilworn road of life. Friends must West Texas-Virginia Co., Irton study to please and oblige each other County, twelve miles east of Barn- in the most delicate, kind and liberal manner. The benevolence of Texon 3, Group 2, sec. 12, drilled friends is manifested in overlooking to 2,452, picked up oil sand, sprayed each other's faults and in the most oil Thursday. Intention to complete tender manner admonishing each well. East extension, about one and other when they do amiss. Upon the whole, the purse, the heart and the No. 15, rotary, 2,975 being stand- home should be open to a friend. In ardized now and should be in within no case can we shut either of them except upon clear proof of treachery, Crockett Drilling Syndicate drilled immorality, or some other great to 2,930 feet and awaiting casing, wickedness. I would be glad to hear from all who care to write. Age 20. West Texas-Virginia Co. made new Best wishes and success to The Farm location, sec. 9, blk 52, University News. Myrtle Kennedy, Route 2,

ASK YOUR BANKER

Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.

where to learn bookkeeping, banking, J. K. Hughes, sec. 5, blk. 9, moving shorthand, and typewriting. 8 bank positions one day 21 graduates m Armstrong & Stover, center south- four banks. Courses indorsed by west 1-4 of sec. 44, blk. 11, rigging more bankers than all others complned, insuring wonderful opportunities University drilling yesterday at to graduates. If you want a good position, write for Offer B. today. Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas Derrick completed for Grayson & 12-2t-pd.

> Stove Pipe For best stove pipe 25 cents per int phone 23. We deliver.

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I Haul It For Less

If you have freight, expres

Denatured Alcohol, \$1.25 Clyde Fox.

Texon Well Has Good San Angelo, Dec. 5. and Land Company's Gree 3, northwest corner of block 9, Reagan County, Lake field, was cleaning to test a strong oil and g struck Thursday at 2,454 proximately 500 feet shall depths at which any of

Four hundred and thirt lifted forty feet. Well is Company's No. 11, both i marking the eastern tip tion. The new well prom up much of the eastern

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Abilene Building & Loan Assn.

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For Your Car Clyde Fox.

On Friday night, December 19, at 7:30 at the high school the Little Theatre will present a special holiday number for the entertainment of their friends and patrons.

South Ward school reaps the benefit of this number, and Misses Rogers and Jordan have prepared a Christmas Pageant, with the aid of their talented pupils, that will be most appropriate to the season.

The dramatic loving will also find occasion for mirth in the extremely clever monolog presented by an extremely clever young fellow townsman, Mr. Emil Fahrenkamp, "A Previous Engagement." "It is to laugh" will be the verdict of these hearing this bit of nonsense and wit.

Music lovers will look forward with zest to hearing Mrs. Harry Hurt at the piano; Mrs. Curlee and her sister, piano and violin; the famous Glee Club with a Christmas carol and Mrs. Morris sing.

Last, but not least the time when children come into their own, and the Spirit of Christmas warms our cold hearts and makes us love one another, a group of tiny tots from Mrs. Will Mann's kindergarten will furnish a motion song. Don't miss any of these good things we have prepared for your pleasure in this pre-holiday number. Our prices do not vary. 25c cents admits you to all Little Theatre productions. A complete program appears elsewhere Look for it. The Herald Remember the time and place, Friday, Dec. 19 at high school at 7:30 p. m.

The two-act play to be presented next by the Little Theatre is you will long remember.

BEAUTIFUL FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS

Have you motored through this beautiful addition? Have you select ed you a lot for a home? Build where you know your neighbors are good people. Let me call for you and drive you through this addition any evening after 5 oclock. No EARLE A. obligation to buy. Phone No. 8. 11-3t-pd

Attention Boys!

Why not make some Christmas money and do a good deed at the same time? You have a whole week out of school Big Spring is full of homes that need the premises cleaned for Christmas, Get out and ask for the job. Give a place the onceever and if the need is there, ask to do the cutting and burning of the weeds, etc., both inside and out. Especially would some homes be imto get their ditches and alleys raked and burned. Get busy, boys, and make your Christmas money for yourselves.

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First Christian Church

All the regular services next lord's

Bible school 9:45 Preaching and communion at 11.

C. E. 6:15 p. m. The night service begins at even

Prayer-meeting and bible rading Wednesday at 7:30.

The woman's missionary sciety will have charge of the servic on Sunday night and invite all t be

Notice of Dissolution of Partneship. This is to give notice of th dissolution of the partnership of V. E. Hornbarger and E. A. Ryan 1 the ownership of the Elks Cafe ar Resinterest in the establishment, now sole owner, assumes all indebtiness, and is to receive all amous due W. E. HORNBAGER. this firm. advertisement-12-2t.

1922 Bridge Club

the members of the 1922 Brid; Club cording to Mr. Geer. Tuesday and an especially jolimeeting was enjoyed. To MrsS. C. Hopkins went the honor of aking high score at this meeting.

FOR BLUE BUGS and albloodsucking insects on chickens, imply Feed MARTINS POULTRY ONE. Keep Hen House free of Bs by painting inside one time witMAR. TINS TUROLINE. Guaraned by 7-8t Cunningham & Philips.

G. M. Thomason recently rived State surveyor is prepared too any nia. and all kinds of surveying ans pre-Denatured Alcohol, \$1.25 per gal- pared to do the work in a isfactory manner.

WHY WORRY?

Over what you will give for Christmas? Come to our store and we will settle the question in short order.



There is no more fitting gift than one that goes into the home to make it happier and more comfortable all year round.

What could be nicer than this handsome Bedroom Suitenothing could please her more. We have one that will just fill the bill and it is economically priced. also have Living room and Dining room Suites to please every taste.

"MOTHER"

would certainly appreciate one of our handsome Rugs or other floor coverings.





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Phonographs, Sellers Kitchen Cabinets, Stoves and hundreds of other articles suitable for Christmas giving are to be found at our store. Call and tell us your troubles and we can suggest a way to banish worry, and make this a Happy Christmas for every member of the family. We will appreciate a visit from you.

FURNITURE, FLOOR COVERING, STOVES

W. R. Purser & Sons

Phone No. 141, Big Spring and Stanton, Texas

L. J. Geer of Sweetwater, district manager of the West Texas Electric Company, who was in Big Spring derful betterment of conditions in our city. He states that a public service corporation such as the one he taurant. Mr. Ryan has purchad my represents is first to feel the effects of a depression or an increase in the development of a community, and for two years now Big Spring has shown a wonderful improvement. He says the folks here in our town can't note the change as readily as the one

Nursery Stock Ready For You

If you are in a hurry for nursery stock I can make immediate delivery as I have some fruit trees now on hand. See them at Cole Hotel. Will also take orders for delivery later. evening and Saturday. ALLEN.

Mrs Cora Moss returned last Satfrom Abilene to make his he in urdsy from an extended visit in Los Big Spring. Mr. Thomason o is a Angeles and other points in Califor-

> Ivory Toilet Sets, from \$5.00 to Clyde Fox.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Monday, states that he notes a won-derful betterment of conditions in Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or pres on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

J. D. BILES

A Bazaar will be conducted at the Catherine Hat Shoppe beginning Saturday, December 13 by the Front who visits our city periodically. Blg Rank Class of the First Christian Miss Thelma Fox was hosse to Spring is surely moving forward ac- Church. Many beautiful and useful articles will be placed on sale. Many of these will prove especially suitable for Christmas giving. Attend this bazsar.

General Repair Shop

Is the place to take it for key-fitting of all kinds. Gunsmithing and If you want the very best nursery parts and general repairs. Phonostock write me or see me Wednesday graph repairs and parts. Ask us., W. H. Located back of Cunningham & 13-tf- Philips Drug Store No. 2 .- advertisement-11-tf-

> Austin spent Saturday here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricker.

Ladies and Gents Silk Hose at Cotton Hose Prices. Clyde Fox.

In buying Jewelry, buy only from a jeweler Permanently Located or If you suffer from any form of else you will get Stung, as the guarantee of those who are here one month and somewhere else the next are not worth a cent. Use good, common sense and buy from Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co; where every article is guaranteed, and they are always here, ready to make good .advertisement.

> We noticed in the daily press this week where a man paid \$185.00 per acre for land in the Robstown section - giving \$112,000 for 640 acres. He paid seven times as much for that land as he could have secured land for in West Texas and the West Texas land will produce just as good crops, acre for acre thru a eries of 10 years or more.

E. W. Douthit came in from his ranch, twenty-three miles southeast of Big Spring, in the snow storm Tuesday. Ed is at the ranch this week to look after the delivery of a bunch of calves he sold recently.

And Ladies-did you see the beau-Rupert Ricker and Dr. Sherrod of tiful new coats at Clyde Fox's? They are certainly priced reasonable. advertisement.

> R. C. Sanderson arrived Sunday from a visit to points east.

FINE LEATHER GOODS

BOTHSTORES.

CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

A Practical Gift

IN AN ARTISTIC PACKAGE



Hickok, celebrated maker of fine Belts, Buckles and Beltograms has sent us a special selection of most exclusive designs for the Christmas season. Easy to buy, easy to give, and always acceptable to a man. Give him a new belt.

Initia	d Bu	ickle i	in Hie	kc	k	Pla	te					\$2.00
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Initial Buckle and Beltogram in \$4.00 Sterling Silver, in box with belt

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The Store That Quality Built

FOR SALE

Four-burner oil stove in first-class condition. Also heating stove, good as new, burns either wood or coal. Priced right. Address Box 232, Big Spring, Texas. 1t-pd

You know there are thousands of folks in Texas who just can't believe that tenant farmers in the Big Spring section are able to pay for farms from the proceeds of one or two crops the many such cases can be cited most any year. It is difficult for them to believe that land is \$50 per acre will produce around a half bale of cotton per acre. They seem to doubt, also, that one man can plant and cultivate one hundred acres out here just as easily as ne large firms, who use a special label. can thirty or forty acres back East. Of course the wonderful opportunt ties can't last forever. Many of us who have been here for fifteen years or so have noted the advance m the price of land from one dollar up to as high as fifty and sixty dollars and it is due to continue to advance as long as cotton can be profitably raised. And its a cinch that cotton can be raised here at less cost than anywhere in the United States since farming by machinery enables one man to plant and cultivate such a large acreage.

Dynamite for Planting Trees

Use a stick of dynamite to prepare the ground for planting your fruit trees. Your trees will do better. Only 30 cents a stick. Phone 344 or see me. E. M. LaBEFF 10-tf

There are some of us who are always ready and willing to profit by the growth and development of Big Spring and Howard County, yet we never expend an ounce of effort or a minute of our time to promote their welfare. Even you must admit this is hardly fair. Why not turn over a new leaf and help carry the toad. Honest now-what progress would be made if every citizen adopted the same attitude that you do.

\$10,000,000 Company wants man to sell Watkins Home Necessities in Big Spring. More than 150 used daily. Income \$35-\$50 weekly. Experience unnecessary. Write Dept. H-3. The J. R. Watkins Co., 62-70 West Iowa St., Memphis, Tenn. 11-5t-pd.

tied to our county when their heart some. is elsewhere. They belong to the clays that bites the hand that feeds

We thank our friends who helped to \$15.00. us make November, 1924, the best month we ever had in business here. P. & F. COMPANY.

Ladies and Gente Silk Hose at Cotton Hose Prices Clyde Fox.

Feed For Sale

Bundle cane for sale at 6 cents per bundle-while it lasts. See -P. E. Other discriminating presents are LITTLE.

Heed These Postal Regulations Do not place Christmas Seals or any kind of stickers on the face of packages and envelopes.

Warning No. 1 is issued by postal officials who say that people continue respective and anticipatory, was to break this regulation. The seals theirs, sojourners in a far western are easily mistaken for stamps and home, who, just before the holidays, confuse postoffice clerks.

Another regulation often broken that can be purchased from \$25 to strings of packages. This makes it a the placing of seals over the sealed parcel and first class rates most affectionate thoughts of those will have to be paid for it.

Gummed strips of paper cannot be used to fasten a package, except by

Any plumbing or electric wiring entrusted to us will be done right, just phone 51. L. E. Coleman Electric and Plumbing Company.

Christian Endeavor Program

December 14, 1924. Count and Share Your Blessings.

Prayer_Mildred Creath.

Song. Scripture Reading-Louis Owen.

Song. Talks:

Counting our blessings Reveass many unrealized blessings Charlie

Sharing our blessings A Christian

duty and privilege_Dorothy Brown. Wins others to Christ who gives lessings_Mrs. Dunn.

Announcements. Benediction.

Fine Home for Sale

The J. L. Ward home, 410 Scurry street; 1-4 cash, six years to pay balance. See me. Clyde Fox. 13-2t-pd.s

Lots for Sale

On block adjoining High School ground, east front. Phone 255.

_ _ FREE _ _

Any article bought from us will be engraved free of charge. Clyde Fox.

If you are among the few in Howard County who have never subscribed to your little old home town pa-There are a few Big Spring folks per. The Big Spring Herald - wny who make a practice of boosting ev- not make yourself a fine Christmas ery other town and county except present. Drop in and pay a year's their own. It's too had that they are subscription and you won't be lone-

- Diamonds -

Special bargains for ten days only. Get yours now and save from \$10.00 Clyde Fox.

Since the Abilene Building and Loan Association offers you an opportunity to own your own home it might be wall to investigate them

CHRISTMAS GIFTS THAT ARE WELCOME

S THE holldays are a time when most of us would like to make one dellar do the work of five, any suggestion should be welcome which shows how thoughtfulness can make a cheap gift acceptable. Therefore I give a few such instances from my own experience:

I know a housewife who is famous for her lemon jumbles, and another whose mince pies are a toothsome de-These two women remember their friends each Christmas, with their specialties, and, I assure you, no present is received more gratefully than is theirs. Still another, who makes orange marmalade by a wonderful secret recipe, gives a glass of this confection to her favored circle. But-a word of warning: Be absolutely sure that such an offering is really and truly desired. For example, I remember one woman, on a strict diet, to whom all sweets are forbidden, whose careless acquaintances are constantly sending boxes of candy, and one whom strawberries sicken and who, last year, received a glass of wild strawberry jam, delicious to all those who could eat it, but, it happened, she could not. However, such mistakes are the result of carelessness, and need not occur.

A shut-in once expatiated to me upon the solid help afforded her by a Christmas present of a "utility basket." It held all the odds and ends she was forever wanting, and could not readily procure for herself—pins, needles, tape, balls and sockets, threads and silks and cottons. "Every time I peep into it," she cried, as happy as a child, "I find something new that I need." It was not an ex-pensive offering, and yet it was one of the most acceptable I ever heard of. Akin to it was a little silk sewing-bag. also rapturously received because the maker had informed herself of what the recipient's wardrobe would be that winter, and placed inside, with thimble and needle-case, spools of colored silks matching each garment to be worn that winter. Here again the thoughtfulness not the gift itself-is what

A case of threaded needles is most acceptable to all women beyond middle age whose eyes are beginning to fall, and invaluable to a traveler, 12-tf- packets of choice seeds, saved during the summer, and sent to an amateur gardener at Christmas time. A manuscript book (typewritten, if possible) of tested recipes, compiled by the sender, is another always welcome

> And what pleasure, sentimental, ret-"back home" in the East, containing a plum pudding and a fruit cake, made by the well-remembered recipe and, on Christmas day, to be enjoyed with who, thousands of miles away, had helped to cook the gala-time dinner .-May Wilson.

(C. 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)



ON CHRISTMAS EVE OD owns the biggest broad-

OUR HEART-RADIOS

casting station in the universe, and what He sends forth to all corners of the world is love. Every human being has a radio-a heart-radio. If we take the trouble to "tune in." we are in a fair way of becoming good receiving stations. And a good receiver may hear har-monies that will vibrate through his being like chords on a harp. At Christmas time we should have heart-radios in perfect condition that we may know the beauty of God's love, which manifests itself in kindliness, friendliness, happiness and good

"Tune in," friends, and who knows but we may hear the ingels caroling on Christman Eve!—Martha Banning Thomas, (@. 1824, Western Newspaper Union.)

Christmas



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Must Have Toye

Everybody Should Attend The

Dinner and Concert

Elks Cafe

From 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 14



Music by Harmonizers Orchestra

BIG SPECIAL DINNER 75c

The proceeds from dinner and concert are to help

Build A Gymnasium at The High School Come out and help the boys and girls.

You must eat, so eat here. P. S .-- The Harmonizers Orchestra will also furnish a special concert at the Elks Cafe during the supper hour Saturday, Dec. 13th.

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OUR HALL OF FAME



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18-tf.

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day here, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:

Wen you want a job of plumbing

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of fore said Court, on the first as

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Willie Coleman by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in Sight County, if there be a newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, on the 1st Monday in February A. D. 1925, the same being the 2nd day of February A. D. 1925, the same being the 2nd day of February A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 29th day of Novemand there to answer a petition filed in feed more wheat. Only \$2.50 period court on the 29th day of November of hundred pounds at my ranch, ber A. D. 1924 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 975. wherein Corrie Coleman is Plaintiff, and Willie Coleman is Defendant, and said petition alleging a breaking of the marriage vow by defendant. by cruel and inhuman treatment of plaintiff. That he neglected and refused to support plaintiff, that the defendant collected wages due this plaintiff, and spent them upon himself in debauchery, and finally abandoning this plaintiff while she was sick and destitute, without furnishing. doning this plaintiff while she was sick and destitute, without furnishing this plaintiff with clothes, or bed clothes and left her naked without medicines and without food, that this conduct on defendant's part com-menced about one month after their

menced about one month after their marriage and continued until his final abandonment, that it brought about disease and sickness in plaintiff's body; wherefore she asks for divorce from the bonds of matrimony Herein fall not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. I. Prichard Clark.

cuted the same.

Witness, J. I. Prichard, Clerk of the District Court of Howard County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring this the 29th day of November A. D. 1924.

J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk.

District Court, Howard County (Seal)

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Dynamite for Planting Trees

Use a stick of dynamite to prepare the ground for planting your fruit trees. Your trees will do better. Only 30 cents a stick. Phone 344 or see me. E. M. LaBEFF

A Better and Nicer Dress for Less Clyde Fox.

ning for Fort Worth for a two weeks obligation to buy. visit with her daughter and family, READ. Phone No. 8.

Ivory Toilet Sets, from \$5.00 to Clyde Fox.

Miss Alberta Mayfield spent Suns 201 day with relatives in Abilene.

Pride of Country

Another. Thanksgiviny day has

Are we as proud of Our Country of cartain areas which go into effect gives us as we should be ? It is often December 15 increased the total of stated that Californians are greater released counties to an even 700. Of boosters for their state and its rethis number 529 are absolutely tick- sources than are the citizens of any

now only 275 counties left under should not every citizen of this coun-Federal quarantine because of ticks. try be an active booster for a nation By this new order Georgia, in which has gone farther than any which four counties were released, is other in the world in giving liberty, made entirely free of quarantine re- property rights, business opportuni strictions on account of the tick. This ties, home conveniences, educational makes five States now free, as Cali- advantages and amusements to its fornia, Missouri, Kentucky, and people? Why should not our schools Tennessee once had parts of their and colleges emphasize to a greater arens infested. Only relatively extent the advantages of a citizen of small areas remain infested in Vir- this nation under our constitutional

general changes made by this most would in a small measure give us recent order are to release from Fed- protection and advantages equal to eral quarantine one county and two those which we now receive, we parts of counties in Arkansas, one should express greater thanks for county in Florida, four counties in what we have and he less ready to Georgia, four county and two parts listen to the thoughtless agitator or of counties in North Carolina, one professional politician who, failing to county in Oklahoma, and eight coun- appreciate the advantages which ties and two parts of counties in surround him, seeks to foist imprac-Texas. The order requarantines one tical theories or visionary expericounty in Alabama, two parishes m ments upon a people already blessed Louisiama, and six counties in Texas. with a government better than any other so far devised.

When you feel like kicking, look Some good mules and horses broke around you. Practically every Amerand unbroke, raised on the Foster ican citizen can own his own home counties. No risk to run with ship- his work either in an electric car or ping colds, distemper or other dis- over a system of highways such as

In his home gas and electricity do work equal to that done by a score of servants to former kings and queens. The American telephone system furnishes a communication service in the humblest home beyond the wildest dreams of world famous rulers of the

Our property is safeguarded, our workmen are cared for and our fives are protected by an insurance system unheard of a hundred years ago and which is rapidly eliminating the pauper and the poor house.

Aladdin and his lamp have been you can buy better tires for less made a reality by the radio which, in right here at home. Bring your cat- conjunction with wire communication, alogs and we will prove it to you. has annihilated distance and, as the BANKHEAD people of the world become better acquainted through our modern methods of communication, will eliminate war. The homesteader in Four thousand years ago on the the mountains can tune in his radio Island of Crete, men were making set and listen to the music, lectures

Disk, that no man of modern times vantages of applying business methods highways you had better to agricultural pursuits. Our incus

What a picture to paint! Forests, mines, transportation, oil, electricity, It puzzles him, he must work over telephone, gas, radio, modern farm thing is brought to submission and he than the castles of history, roads and it, but at last he dominates. The machinery, factory buildings finer road building methods such as the That's a valuable experience. We world has never before seen, and an all need to succeed frequently. If educational system which offers the we are not to become broken-spirited poor man's son advantages which the

Think of these things when you hear the croakers and the knockers. The cross-word puzzle is the Don't be thankful just on Thanksgivfornia, where the children are taught that the sun is brighter, the sky is bluer and the advantages greater in Two spans of heavy, broke, work their state than anywhere else in the manner, but with a sense of appreciation and thanksgiving that we are so 2tf opportunities and advantages for the poor and the lowly are greater than the luxuries offered favored and wealthy persons a short century ago.

BEAUTIFUL FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS Have you motored through this beautiful addition? Have you selected you a lot for a home? Build where you know your neighbors are good people. Let me call for you and drive you through this addition Mrs. Frank Wynn left Monday eve- any evening after 5 oclock. No Company EARLE A. 11-3t-pd

> Ladies and Gents Silk Hose at Cot-Clyde Fox. ton Hose Prices.

> H. L. Rix made a business trip to



relic of those days, the Phaestus Our farmers are learning the ad-The Greeks had their rebuses and tries are profiting by making their when approaching another car. The employes and customers stockholdaccumulation of loose sand along the
sides makes this a death trap when made individual transportation possi-highway when going at too fast a After all, these cross-word puzzles ble so that vast sections of the counfill a very fundamental need of try heretofore impossible of settre-human nature. ment on account of distance, have your car under control at all times.

Man, beset on every side with been opened up and are today pour. If you are in a hurry, start earlier, problems that he cannot solve, peaten and cowed by the puzzles of existand cowed by the puzzles of exist- over improved highways to the great arriving safely at your destination, ence, of human relations, of every- est railroad transportation system in whole, will be increased many fold.

If you are seeking Dolls, Toys or anything else for Christmas you need but come to cur store where prices

If it is in order we suggest that manufacturers of automobiles be prehibited from manufacturing automobile engines for service or pleastwenty-five miles per hour. Any confiscated and sold; the proceeds to in old Howard County. go to the widows and orphans of automobile victims.

now and we will pack them away antee of those who are here one until Christmas eve. Hardware Company.

we have boasted of our good luck is article is guaranteed, and they are a throwback to the ancient tree wor- always here, ready to make good .shippers. The primitive belief was advertisement. that spirits resided in trees and wood was touched to call the attention of the tree spirit to the fact that his in- auto owner to have a driver's license fluence was recognized, and that he and to be under bond, is a good one. might not feel slighted and change If a driver is unable to pay the camgood fortune into bad.

Christmas dimes and dollars go farther here. Big Spring Hardware

Municipal and state bond issues in excess of \$200,000,000 were authorized by voters at the November 4 election.

C. L. Powell left Monday on business trip to Alpine.

Dr. M. E. Campbell OF ABILENE

WILL BE IN BIG SPRING **NEXT SATURDAY**

TO DO ANY EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT WORK AND FIT GLASSES

Jim Taylor and Mr. Williard arrived the first of the week from Cairfornia to make their home in Howard County. They formerly worked in this county, leaving here for Oklahoma some ten years ago. After studying conditions elsewhere they have arrived at the conclusion that ure cars that will make more than Howard County offers bigger opportunities than any section they have car exceeding this speed on a public yet found and they have decided to highway in the United States to be buy a place and settle down for keeps

In buying Jewelry, buy only from a jeweler Permanently Located or Select Christmas toys and gifts else you will get Stung, as the guar-Big Spring month and somewhere else the next -are not worth a cent. Use good, common sense and buy from Clyde The habit of touching wood when Fox Jewelry & Drug Co; where every

> The proposition to force every ages resulting from his reckless driving make his bondsmen pay. If he has many accidents revoke his license.

The Tonsor where progress is the watchword. Six barbers who know for free samples at JOE B. NEEL'S their business. If you have not made FEED STORE. us a visit, do so today. We will appreciate your patronage at all times J. L. McWhirter, Proprietor

The SECURITY BROTHERS are working for me



U. O. SECURITY

He has a long and rather sty lish name, but, for all that, he i very practical and is a here worker. He comes to the relaof business men after fires. Who they can't occupy their store shops or factories and can't ar their premises for money and ing, brother USE AND OCCU PANCY repays them for inconvenience. In this way has kept many a businesgether during reconst:

A. J. GALLEMORE Big Spring, Texas

Visit the Big Spring DOLL HOSPITAL

and see them make that broken dolly good as new. Folks from all parts of the county are interested. Let the little folks visit us. If you have a doll that is broken bring or send to-

BIG SPRING DOLL HOSPITAL Mrs. Ernest Griffin, Manager, Jones Valley-Phone 457-J, P. O. Box 206-Big Spring Agents for FAM-LEE DOLLS

KILL THE INSECTS

Rid your Poultry of Insects, Call

Bicycles - Hobby Horses - Tod-THE TONSOR BEAUTY SHOP dlers for the little folk's Christmas. Big Spring Hardware See these. Basement State National Bank Bldg. Company.

West Texas Herefords Clean Up at The American Royal

Probably no cattle exhibitor, particularly within recent years, over made a greater record at one of the World's greatest Live Stock Shows than that made by C. M. Largents & Sons with their Hereford show herd at the American Royal Live Stock Show. Texas was on the map in the Hereford division of the Royal judging arena from start to finish and those who were responsible for ner so being were the Largents and, particularly, Will Largent, whose wonderful ability as a feeder and fitter of cattle for show is nationally recognized among beef cattle breeders and herdsmen. Hats off to him for the wonderful results he accomplisaed. Hard work, ability and sticking to the job are generally a winning combination, and so in his case.

The great showing made by the Largent herd is only further evidence that West Texas can attain results in breeding, developing and fitting catthe unsurpassed by any other section of America. The honors mean much when it is considered that they were won in the face of the keenest competition with a large number of the leading Hereford show herds of the country which combined to make one of the best displays of Hereford cattle ever seen at the Royal.

The Largents began their taking of high honors in the Hereford steer classes when their junior steer calf. Gay Lad 59th by Gay Lad Jr. and out of Dorothy Fairfax, was awarded the championship. Later in the week this steer established a world's record in the price for which he sold. Calved January 7, 1924 and weighing 920 pounds, he sold at auction to a Kansas City butcher for \$2.75 per pound, a total of \$2,530 - a price never before equaled by a steer.

In the bull classes, the Largents exhibited three animals, their aged bull, Bonnie Brae Jr., winning second in class; their yearling Texas Gay Lad, winning sixth, and their junior calf, Gay Lad 60th, winning first.

It was in the female classes that the Largent herd was especially strong. The two year old heifer, been vacated by Leslie Adams. Mr. France Lassie 4th was first in her Morgan has bought an interest in thy Wheat. class, senior and grand champion. The senior heifer calf, Alma Lass, and the junior heifer calf, Beauty Lass, both, were first prize winners in their classes. The great old cow, They came in Sunday morning. Lad's Juliet, and her stall mate, Miss Royal Lad, were second and third, respectively, in the aged cow classes. No animal exhibited went below eixth place.

Then came the groups and here the Largents certainly had the lion's Crayton. share of the top prizes. They won first prize on Graded Herd; second prize on Yearling Herd; second Echols as leader. She handled the House, Matt 21:12-13. prize on Pair of Calves and first and wifth prizes on Get of Sire.

ful achievements already to their credit, the Blue Ribbon Herd of Merkel, Texas, capped the climax by winning the silver trophy offered Company for the best ten Herefords owned by one exhibitor.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Notes Last Monday afternoon the ladies of the Auxiliary had a wonderful time at the home of Mrs. T. S. Currie packing boxes for the orphans at Files Valley, Texas, and at Goodland, Oklahoma. The attendance was large and exclamations of delight at the useful and beautiful gifts were unfolded proved the spirit of the occasion. Everybody responded. There is no appeal like that of littre children at Christmas time. One box of quilts, heavy underwear and candy went to Goodland. Two others to Files Valley, one of these filled with useful and beautiful articles, and one with good old Christmas gifts and candy that will make these orphan kiddies know that Santa Claus coes not forget them. Over \$60 in cash was received.

The Young People's class of the Presbyterian S. S. contributed pairs of splendid new stockings to the orphans of Files Valley. This class tries to do something for others on occasions like Thanksgiving and Christmas and this gift to the orphans fills a great need and is greatly appreciated.

The ladies wish to thank all who so kindly contributed and so helped make this the best gifts we have ever been able to send the orphans. The Auxiliary will not meet again till Monday, December 29, at which time the December business meeting will be held at the church at 3 oclock.

Bankers have estimated that more than 400 million dollars is hidden away in houses and similar hiding places by people who are afraid to trust banks. But in spite of this, for every dollar hoarded forty-six dollars are banked.

Baskets, Xmas trees, Xmas decorations Cunningham & Philips.

Nothing but man can smile-

Herald want mila

Coahoma News Items

who has been spending several weeks Sunday. Rev. King is always listenin east Texas returned to Coahoma ed to attentively. The M. E. have Sunday morning. Mrs. Guthrie's asked the Baptists and Presbyterians brother had undergone an operation, to come in with them for the Christwas the cause of their visit. The mas tree. All appreciate the fact

brother is improving fast. son and daughter have moved into to do their part. our community from Van Zandt The Junior C. E. and I. C. E. held County. Mr. Henderson is the father a joint meeting Sunday. The prest-Hale farm.

wife and little daughter.

quite sick for several days.

Mrs. Helen Warren is helping Mrs. holidays.

several days stay in our village.

Mrs. W. P. Williams and Ollie Williams made a flying trip to Lubbock lunches, 3; lookout, 4; verses, 1119. Thursday.

week with her mother, Mrs. Jno Sul-

were quietly married Saturday eve- placing gifts were appointed. The L ning.

will feel this loss.

spending a few days with her sister, in enjoying this tree. Mrs. Moffit. Mrs. J. W. Shives came home with Mr. and Mrs. Lovelace-Mr. Lovelace having gone to Colorado Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan of Dallas have moved to our little city to make their home. Coahoma welcomes them. They have a girl and a noy whom will be welcomed by the littre folks. They are at present occupying the house familiarly known as Cann. the Wolfe house, which has recently

both of G. C. Holden's stores. The trio, A. W. Thompson, S. R. Hagler, B. B. Liles, report the most delightful time on their Waco trip.

John Sullivan is building on the west side of the south highway. All are glad that they have decided to

remain among us. W. P. Warren spent the week end in Stanton with his cousin, Mrs. W.

3 p. m. Saturday with Mrs. Cathey subject with capability. Again we express our appreciation of having Then, as if not satisfied with the the young matrons working with us. Thomason and Mrs. Charter Hale join Saturday. Mrs. Thad Hale is leader for Saturday, December 20th. by the Kansas City Stock Yards Remember the Scripture reading is Acts 7th chapter. Study all of Second Kings for Hill's questions and answers. While with Romance of Home Missions study first half of the 5th Chapter. The ladies of the Auxiliary had planned to have a handkerchief shower for the departing member, Mrs. Harve Echols, in the home of the president Monday afternoon. As Mrs. Echols was leaving Monday morning, instead of Tuesday, as the Auxiliary had thought the shower took the form of a simple remembrance. Mrs. Echols spent Saturday night with Mrs. Cathey Echols so one of the members carried the little gifts and presented same. There were 23 handkerchiefs in the ittle box.

Mrs. Dick Madison's father. mother and two young brothers suris near Baird.

ar meeting Saturday afternoon. The ed out. attendance was good.

Thursday with Mrs. Cathey Echols. urday morning for Loraine where All members save three received a they spent Sunday. December 18, with Mrs. Liles.

urday evening Rev. Mason has been entertain in February. called by the Baptist Church. The three Sunday schools of Con-

home are giving a donation for the Tuberculosis fight. So every one nlease bring avers money to your S S next Sunday The Jr C E and I C E have aladed et an for each society. The Ammoment sinh also

pledged and gave \$1.00

Mrs. Robt. Guthrie and mother The Methodists have preaching that the M. E. members have taken Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Henderson with this lead, and all others are willing

of Mrs. Mann who lives on the Thad dents of both societies were absent. The superintendent acted as presiding Mrs. Brad McQuary made a short officer with two secretaries busy: run up to Kent the latter part of C. H. DeVaney for Intermediates, last week. Bradley spent three and Pauline Thomason for Juntors. weeks at Kent, working as telegraph It is interesting to see the competioperator. He came home with his tion existing between these societies. In some things the juniors lead, while Mrs. Nando Henderson has been in other ways the intermediates forge ahead. One thing in which the funiors lead is that each line of publicity Bert Runyan in her store this week is kept. They too have done more and will stay with her until after the memory work since the division than the intermediates. While they usually Mrs. Austin Sullivan and daughter make more sick calls the I. C. E. returned to their home at Atoka after always are ahead on the verses read. Last week's report: L C. E.: visits, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Acker with 6; lunches, 1; lookout, 10; verses read, 1418. J. C. E.: visita, 4;

After reports came business under Mrs. Smithers spent part of last which the tree was discussed. It was decided to have the tree Monday Dec. 22 at 6:30 p. m. Committees Sam Buchanan and Ola Wolfe for decorations, securing tree, and C. E. had the Sunday previous drawn Harvie Echols and family left the names to whom to give gifts. early Monday morning for their new Sunday the Juniors drew the names. home near Uvalde. All Coahoma If any one should forget for whom he is to buy a gift just phone the super-Mrs. Frank Lovelace returned from intendent. The Cozy Corner class of Colorado Sunday where she had been the S. S. is invited to join the C. E.s.

> The Junior program for Sunday, December 14th is as follows:

Subject_Truthfulness. Leader_Noble DeVaney. Scripture Reading_Psalm 15. Sentence prayer, that we may always speak truthfully. Song.

How does being truthful to parents help the parents-Gladys Mc-

How does being truthful to one's playmates help the playmates... Doro-

How does being truthful to teachers help the teachers Alleen Bass. How does being truthful help build Character_Bama Hale.

Why is truthfulness pleasing to God_Pauline Thomason.

Is being truthful beneficial to one's self_Frances Thomason. Repeat Psalm 117-Flora Madison

Mizpah. The I. C. E. program for Sunday, The Presbyterian Auxiliary met at Dec. 14th is as follows: Subject - Reverence in God's

> Leader-Pearl Thompson. Prayer by all members that we may be more reverent when

What does reverence mean? Give How can we show our respect for

God_Troy Keller. How can we help others to be reverent_Norma Hart. What do you understand by

reverence in prayer_Virginia Hall. Song. What does reverent singing mean Clausie Keller.

What do you understand by rev erent listening_Evelyn Hodnett.

Mizpah. The concert given by some traveling Hiswaiians was much enjoyed Monday evening. There were many present who had never heard any Hiawaiians play.

Rueben Reeves and Pearl Grisham drove to Colorado one evening near the middle of November and were onited in marriage. Rev. Elliott performed the ceremony. They recentprised her Sunday. Mr. Ford's home ly move to the farm occupying half of the house that Mr. Reeven built The M. E. ladies held their regu- when Clifford Reeves and wife mov-

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roberts, Annie The 1924 Amusement club met and Litha Nell Roberts left early Sat-

star for being on time. Mrs. Bethel The Sr. C. E. met Sunday at 7:00 Graham bore away the tally with the p. m. Ruby Elliott was leader. We slity in flying through the air than greatest number of stars, having lost were glad to have some new workers only one game. The tallies and table with us. It was decided to meet for earth. Exposed plumbing is not markers were dainty and spoke the the winter months at 6:30 p. m. A season with their tints. The refresh- committee was appointed to make a moralizing, and a sermon heard over ments were delicious as well as placard containing the names of the the radio may be just as uplifting as overwhelming desire to outshine our pretty. The club meets Thursday, members, showing what months the though heard in a church. The autodues had been paid. It was request- mobile, in itself, is not a contrivance efficiency the world has known. J. R. Wheeler has returned from ed that each member bring extra of the devil, and the traveling crane Tennessee where he spent several money Sunday, December 14th. and pneumatic hammer are not tools weeks with his sister and other rela- Olga Wolfe's Circle is one shead on of diabolism. tives. He reports a delightful trip. the race for attendance for the next wes. He reports a delightful trip. the race for attendance for the next. It is rather interesting to note that are not money and power and place. Mr. and Mrs. Hathcock of Big two months. Her Circle won in the every advance in human power and nor are its satisfactions found in ex-

> There is but one name by which to call dishonesty, whether it be of the crude or the refined sort

BIG SPRING,

Mon. Dec. 15



Your Own Little HEADED Returns To You After A Three-Year Tour of California

All New Plays and Vaudeville---The Show That is Truly Diffe

Children Adults

Numbered Reserved Chairs on Sale at Clyde Fox Jewelry and Drug Co. after 9:00 A. M. Monday, 10c and 25c Extra.

THE BEST HEAT Tent Theat IN AMERICA

Ladies FREE Monday Ni To the 25c Seat S

An Insane Age

Modern efficiency and speeding-up are driving this generation mad, cry the alarmists. Our asylums are overcrowded, our jails are full, we can't build hospitals fast enough to care for the mental and physical wrecks of this speed-mad civilization.

We pay too heavily for our scien tific improvements and high-pressure methods. Civilization is like a runbound for destruction.

Jazz mania, sex abnormalities, mos hysterias, and the flouting of all the conventions are the inevitable consequence, we are told. The only nope for the race is to go back to the sm plicity, yes, even the crudeness and discomfort, of the life of our fathers

But, wait a minute, let us examine the actual conditions a little more closely. Travel at sixty miles an hour never put any man in an asylum, and there is no more immorin running along the surface of the rich and highly spiced foods, unvenvicious, electric lights are not de-

Spring spent several hours in the October-November race by only one comfort has been met with this kind citement, nervous stimulus and bys home of Mr. and Mrs. Price Echols Mrs. Lovelace's Circle will entertain of a complaint. In 1882 a group or teria; that things purchased at the the C. E. Friday evening, December men in Lancaster, Ohio, asked the cost of health or honor are too dear; Rev. Mason preached two good 12. Let that Circle get busy and school board for the use of the school and that true satisfaction consists m sermons Sunday as well as one Sat- give Olea's Circle the opportunity to house in which to hold a meeting to health of body, peace of heart, serenpromote a railroad in the vicinity ity of spirit, a mind well stored with The board answered by letter as fol- lofty sentiments and unselfish

choolhouse to hold meetings for all sible and rank Der Wichigan Ment Salt \$1 40 a infidelity If God had intended His

the frightful speed of sixteen mnes the stars, counts his an hour, He would clearly have roretold it in the Holy Prophets. It is ployes and associates a device of Satan to lead immoral sciousness of a clean souls down to Hell."

What are the facts concerning modern life? A fair day's work never hurt any

normal man. The fact that a man by the use of machinery can move a hundred tons of pig iron where in sway engine, making fast time but times past he could only move sen, does not produce a deleterious effect upon his mind or morals. The fact that a business manager by use of telephones, telegraphs, pneumatic tubes, dictaphones, typewriters calculating machines can accomplish more in one day than his father could to a frazzle.

The truth is, that the creeping mental and moral paralysis that is threat ening our civilisation is due more to bootleg whiskey, all-night bridge midnight jazz, over-indulgence in cupidity, uncontrolled passion and

Here is where our schools have significant work to do, by teaching our children that the prizes of life reby a man is befaith and love, when loved of children, proper purposes. But railroads and seed, is master of himself in any company, is at home in the woods or ended His by the soe, finds companionship in a

dollars but in the affi whose heart beats true deep and whol and who looks levely of every man. A normal, natural es So to live, is I

Magazine. Hila Morgan Hila Morgan Big Spring for one Monday, December The big tent thete

of the finest, and theatres in America Hila returns to Big ew plays and the features ever pre plays to be presented o' My Heart," "Meth is "West," "Smill Ankle," "The Han Ladies will be a

Monday night. Hila Morgan company won Spring on her last friends are ready come her return.

China, Glassware,

OF C. MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT day of the specialist and when it

Attended and Interesting Many Important Matters Discussed

more attended the meetthe Chamber of Commerce, are all going to profit. woved an interesting and inbortly after 6:30 oclock and all had had their fill, W. W. stated the object of the and announced that everynt would be given an oplad a few that he would call discuss special matters. set called upon W. H. Card- farm.

a report on the Dallas Fair Mr. Cardwell went into the anty this fall due to the He also explained why the score card.

was tendered a vote of or his untiring work this year hope to move ahead. it any tests desired, and was properly solved. to made a deal to sell this

auxiliary plants. He said citizenship. had in hand with our citizens in having the best cotton country in mation of growth and Texas.

would prove a most Texas. here. He pointed out

inches. He stated that this is the could be sent broadcast that Big churches, the best lawyers, the best

doctors, just as Howard County has the best lands, the best people, the best livestock and the best cotton we

He told how, thru cooperation, it variety of cotton and stated that tion. In closing he pointed out that president of the Chamber of a movement should be launched to encourage land owners to clean fence rows at the earliest date possible to prevent sand from accumulatto tell his troubles, but ing in drifts, injuring highways nearby as well as injuring the land where these drifts form within your

Fox Stripling made a rousing talk in which he stressed the importance proughly and explained the of the water problem and the necesof securing products in sity of remedying conditions at once. He said no expense should be spared in an effort to relieve the present did not occupy a higher water shortage and to add an additional supply to meet all needs. He conclusion of his talk Mr. said this was our one big problem that had to be solved before we could

his unselfish efforts in the Edwin A. Kelley, chairman of the the finding of a big water they were going into this in a thorand stated that he believed were aware of the fact that the prob-

talk calling attention to the fact that the City.

C. E. Thomas was next he expected to have one hundred and ard County growers have been im
The high school football team met to tell something of the fifty teacher visitors in Big Spring proving and selecting home grown and pledged one hundred dollars. If the Shop Early, Mail Early campaign, have had this season, and hog killing nation. Mr. Thomas stated next week and he wanted every seed since that time to supply pure each organization will do their best, which is being put on throughout the time set in immediately. Folks are bred seed to our farmers. They are as these boys have we will have some country by the Post Office depart-surely enjoying the feast of backthe but that every effort was here a pleasant one. He urged those also refusing to sell these seed to thing to be proud of. to overcome the present who could to invite the teachers to the supply their homes as it would be impossible; growers in other sections. to meet all needs. He to find exchangeations for all of premium they know they are due to G. W. Marshall, local freight and mas packages, wrap them securely, Willox place and expected to that this Tri-County Institute might get a greater premium as the cotton passenger agent for the Texas & put your address in the upper left where with a view of be made a permanent organization if elsewhere with a view of be made a permanent organization if provement by the proper seed selection of West Texas is go astray, it can be returned to you a. m. to 4 p. m. as a benche best water bearing this session proves successful and there will be keen com-enjoying the greatest prosperity in and not sent to the dead letter office. High School Gymnasium.

by Council felt that they could B. Reagan made the closing talk it. Council felt that they could B. Reagan made the closing talk

The growers have found they get pany at this point.

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The growers have found they get pany at this point.

He states that the freight receipts postmen and clerks. Let's do our portunity to enjoy one of the best selected seed. Though this has been at the local office for November shopping early and mailing early means you ever tasted you will also clore they made any big ex. been one of the most loyal boosters quite a few fields that will average receipts being \$18,000. November, enable the post town for a gymnasium is certainty as the said the wells on the Big Spring and Howard County ever a half hale of cetter per age. It 1924 shows a \$12,000 increase over a file of cetter per age. that Mr. Reagan is and always has He said the wells on the Big Spring and Howard County ever a half bale of cotton per acre. It 1924, shows a \$12,000 increase over office clerks to eat their Christmas needed in our city. Let this be one farm were to be tested by had. His talk was along the line of only requires 1400 pounds of seed 1923 and the 1923 receipts show an dinners home with their families and Sunday where there need be no cotton to make a bale equal to one increase of \$22,000 over 1922. supply that look favorable. ty to home folks. He said despite the Marshall, local agent for the fact that we had just as good schools Pacific railway, made a and churches, just as big and enterin which he told of the ad- prising banking and business institued two daily passenger trains tions, the finest farming land and gring and also a daily freight the most reasonably priced lands in our city. He especially West Texas, it was not uncommon to the business interests par hear some of our folks praising any the local freight service in place but the home town and county. to trucks since the rail- They do this because they are not a big investment, pald big acquainted with the facts as anyone and the road's prosperity meant who has investigated conditions imto Big Spring since so many partially will not hesitate to tell you made their home in that the Big Spring country offers He pointed out there bigger opportunities today than any reason why the business section of Texas. Money invested in ad railroad should work to- property here is surer to bring bigger sace the prosperity of one returns than in any other place you crity for the other. He can pick. He said our own folks third that the new steel was need to wake-up and learn of our completed to Big Spring advantages so they can tell of them at and ballasting com- to the visitor and homeseeker. He n five miles. The new stated that he firmly believed that ed to Stanton on the Big Spring was lagging behind the he expected the new steel development of our farming section but that the town was due to double in El Paso. He gave some in population within the next three figures to show what a years if our folks will just wake up ness the T. & P. was now and work together. But we must re, and stated he would study our natural resources and d ready and willing to learn that we are especially fortunate

A resolution commending the Cauble made one of the most Texas & Pacific railway company for talks of the evening and the improvement of the passenger points which were indeed and freight service into Big Spring He stated that Howard was unanimously passed and the the ideal section for pro- heartiest cooperation promised the y beeves the kind the company in every movement for the and packers are seeking and upbuilding of this section of West

President W. W. Rix announced ird of our county was the regular annual meeting of the ad to this industry. He Big Spring Chamber of Commerce statement that Howard would be held during the early part now producing the finest of January and directors for 1925 and pointed out that would be elected at that time. He being exported direct to appointed the following as a nomimy and Liverpool for nating committee to submit a list of He pointed out that directors: Robt. T. Piner, Albert M. d to have the name Fisher and W. G. Hayden.

Individual units in the wide world on as the best as our of humanity are held together by the ing paid a premium of law of attraction; also, by the law of repulsion, they drift further and last and has a staple further apart.

of from one to one and one-eighths HOWARD COUNTY

Spring has the best schools, the best Is Now in Deman for Export_Is Also Commanding a Premium of \$2.50 Per Bale

> We wonder how many of our the ideal cotton for spinning in this rent houses. If we can't persuade one and one-eighth inch long has start building. been developed. This is the cotton the spinners want and are willing to pay for.

The fact that this will mean a high school students. bonus of from \$40,000 to \$50,000 for our cotton growers shows that it pays to cooperate.

decide on one or two standard varie- ting over of the good work. ties of cotton and urged the planting ost for Howard County. It committee to work with the City of pure bred seed. Through the are expected to come to the aid stated that if we had Council in solving the water probther stated that if we had been, stated that his committee was one thousand bushels of pure bred would make greater progress, busy but it would be some little time Mebane seed were brought here from Merrick was called upon to before they were ready to report as Lockhart and sold to the members by thephone or mail at the high in a first class packing plant. the finding of a big water they were going into this in a thor-this place northwest of Big ough and painstaking manner. They So well pleased were the men who and stated that he believed were aware of the fact that the prob-plenty of water, was willing lem was a vital one that must be persuaded to fall in line and the fol-persuaded to fall in line and the fol-and pledge our best. lowing year three thousand bushels

will be qute an item.

staple cottons, which have given our this point. section a black eye, will also act to our advantage.

ing and sponsoring the growing of a called hunters seem to recognize no sand drifts. recognized, the Union is responsible posted signs at all. faithfully lent his cooperation de- who seek a man's permission before the sand about. serves equal credit.

and every effort should be made to you would like to be treated. maintain same. Keep the standard of our cotton up by planting only select pure bred seed so the cotton here will continue to bring a premium.

Tuesday is going to slow-up the work California oil men were on the Sunof gathering the balance of the cot- shne Special Monday morning, also ton crop.

Many negro cotton pickers quit cold when the cold enap showed up 13,153,000 Bales of Cotton for 1924 here during the month of September the proceeds will go to the school. and hiked back to East Texas to hibernate.

Men, becaus, of the power of speech, have the advantage over the brute; but beasts are preferable to men whose language is indecent.

Dr. Otto Wolfe and bride returned Sunday night from a honeymoon trip to San Antonio and El Passo.

Five families who had shipped COTTON IS BEST their household goods to Big Spring with the intention of making their

ings to other towns in West Texas because they could not rent houses It sounds pretty good to hear that

spinners have found they can secure ern apartment houses and some more secured quite a lot of turkeys. with a staple of from one inch to this step would encourage others to keys.

High School Gym

Mary's Episcopal Church, when they packing plants in nearby towns.

committee to work with the City of pure bred seed. Through the are expected to come to the aid in packing plant for poultry and eggs morning long; a few snow flurries oc-

The plan to build this gym includes aged would give turkey growers a

The pledges do not have to be poultry, cream and eggs.

picking and ginning in consequence a revenue to the railroad company may be opened on Christmas morning ments to have a big banquet at the as outgoing freight but during the The gradual elimination of Half past November only forty-four carand Half and other extra short loads of cattle were shipped from

they trespass on his property.

all counties in Texas on this cotton remember to treat the other fellow as

Oil Men Here Monday

received by public weigher T. W. convention at Fort Worth which 7:15 p. m. and 9:20 p. m. 4,300 bales, making a total of more man of the board, K. R. Kingsbery, of 9:00 a. m. freezing weather, which appeared Union Oil Co., of California. Many of 8:45 a. m. enroute to Fort Worth.

> American cotton growers have of this year, is going to make a fairproduced a crop this year that is ly good record for its first year. billions of dollars.

was stated that the 1924 crop would rail; making a total of 19,000 bales look after property interests in this be 13,153,000 bales.

More Residences Must be Provided. SHIPPING TURKEYS FROM BIG SPRING

home here had to reship the belong. Turkey Raising and Poultry Business Could be Benefited by Establishment of Packing Plant Here

On Wednesday of last week the readers are aware of the fact that our city hasn't a single vacant house P. & F. Company loaded turkeys on night at 6:30 oclock and the had come to pass that Howard County is now producing the in it, but it not very pleasant news a car nere as previously advertised had come to pass that Howard County is now producing the in it, but it not very pleasant news a car nere as previously advertised had come to pass that Howard County is now producing the in it, but it not very pleasant news a car nere as previously advertised had come to pass that Howard County is now producing the in it, but it not very pleasant news a car nere as previously advertised had come to pass that Howard County is now producing the in it, but it not very pleasant news a car nere as previously advertised had come to pass that Howard County is now producing the in it, but it not very pleasant news a car nere as previously advertised had come to pass that Howard County is now producing the in it, but it not very pleasant news a car nere as previously advertised had come to pass that Howard County best cotton in Texas? Cotton that is and cheese sandwiches, there were many other ways in For the first time since cotton has come until we provide accommodate been available in which to advertise in order to arrive at the value of the pounds. Quite a number more would days. Three pens of fifteen head being billed from the local station to One of the first steps our citizens This firm also had a special buying crops produced in West Texas. Japan, Liverpool and Germany. The should take is to provide some mod-day on Wednesday of this week and

The price paid last week for numcounty, and two thirds of the present property owners to build we should ber one turkeys was eighteen cents about one hundred pounds more per crop will be exported. The reason form a local company and erect an per pound and on Wednesday of head than the yearlings used in the for this is, that by planting pure bred apartment house to take care of the this week twenty cents per pound 1923-24 feeding test. seed and improving same, a cotton overflow in our population. Pernaps was paid for the same grade of tur-

> ing to the statement of J. B. Pickle, to encourage cattle feeding on a owner of same, about two full car- much larger scale throughout this Over \$300.00 pledged first day by loads of turkeys this season. Many more would have been purchased if The first cash donation was made prices could have been paid that by the Woman's Auxiliary of St. would have met the prices paid at

Some three years ago I. B. Cauble mailed in a check for \$10.00, with Mr. Pickle states that the his snow came floating down in bunches took the lead in the movement to a note wishing good luck in the put- opinion the poultry business in the early Tuesday morning and in a short territory surrounding Big Spring has All the organizations in the town attained such proportions that a here is very essential; and he hopes curred during the afternoon and If you do not get to see one of the that someone who knows the busiworkers get in touch with Joe Ward ness, and is able to do so, will put out and fair weather has been in evi-

Such an enterprise properly man-

Shop Early-Mail Early

The high school football team met One of the important features in ment, is the proper addressing and bone, spareribs, sausage, etc. securely wrapping of Christmas packediscent to our city and in- urged the loyal cooperation of our petition among the buyers to secure its history as indicated by the fn- The good folks of our community last creased business of the railroad com- year helped to bring joy and happi- furnish the music for this event. from 1600 pounds of the scrub For many years cattle were about having our Christmas presents deliv- The members of the High School varieties of cotton. The saving in the only West Texas product to bring ered to our friends in order that they football team have made arrange-

Clean the Fence Rows

Farmers could now do a good piece of work in cleaning fence rows of If the Farm Labor Union never Stockmen and farmers are com- moved they will act as a barrier to Teachers Institute. does another thing it has accomplish- plaining of the liberties being taken catch drifting sand, and fields and As the guests of our city, they ed a wonderful result in encourage by hunters. Quite a few of these so- adjoining roads will be injured by the must be provided with accommoda-

standard variety of cotton, and the rights but their own sweet will. They A little work along this line in the requested to take them into their planting of pure bred seed. If this tear down fences, leave gates open, near future would certainly be worth homes. If you can supply one or is worth \$40,000 or more to our and if livestock happens to be in the while. We can show you places in more of these visitors with room and county this year, and due to in- line of fire when they sight a bunch our county where the sand has piled breakfast each of the five days they crease as the worth of our standard- of quail it means nothing in their up six and seven feet high because will be here you will please notify ized cotton becomes more widely young lives. They can't seem to see fence rows were neglected. The County Judge H. R. Debenport. tumble weeds are piling up along the Do this at once so the committee for adding just that much more to This class of would-be-sportsmen barbed wire fences in big bunches can assign the teachers to the various the wealth of our citizenship and ev- make it hard on regular fellows who now and they should be burned be- homes. ery member of the Union who has try to observe the game laws and fore the playful winds begin moving

> Another new train schedule became ber of Commerce building at eight effective on the Texas & Pacific rail- oclock Monday night, December 15. way at midnight last Sunday.

The time of the arrival of passen- promptly on time. A special train passed through ger trains Nos. 5 and 15 from the The annual election of officers Big Spring Monday morning over east are changed but all passenger and other important business is on the Texas & Pacific bearing many trains leave Big Spring for points the program. Cotton Receipts 19,000 for County. prominent oil men from California east at the same time as given in Every member of the Legion is 14,737 bales of cotton have been enroute to the American Petroleum the previous schedule 6:20 a. m., urged to come and bring an ex-ser-

Angel up to the present. At Coa- opened Tuesday. Delegates on the Passenger train No. 5 now arrives. homa the receipts have been about train included F. H. Hillman, chair- from the East at 9:30 a. m. instead

The wintry spell, with snow and of California, and twenty men of the from the east at 9:15 a. m. instead December 13th and everybody in

Compress Receipts 19,000 Bales Warehouse Company, established will also be aiding a worthy cause as

worth more than one and two-third Up to Monday of this week, 14,615 bales of cotton had been received The department of Agriculture on from wagons and trucks, and 4,385 was a pleasant caller at Her Herald Monday issued a bulletin in which it bales of cotton had been received by office last Friday. He was here so so far.

this season.

Feeding Experiment in Progress

The experimental feeding test being conducted at the U. S. Experiment Station in this city under the auspices of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Extension Department of the Texas Agricultural Department is now in progress.

Forty-five well-bred Hereford yearling steers were placed on balanced

They were fortunate in securing an especially fine bunch of young stuff for this test. They average

Cattlemen throughout West Texas are becoming deeply interested in This firm has shipped out, accord- these feeding tests and they are due section.

Wintry Weather Appeared Tuesday.

We had a taste of sure enough wintry weather Tuesday. Big flakes of time the ground was covered. The snow came down plentifully all about dusk the clouds began to thin dence since Tuesday night.

The total moisture dispensed mearured .09 inches.

The thermometer began going assist the farmers in marketing other down with the appearance of the snow storm; reaching the lowest point, 19 degress, on Wednesday morning.

This is the first real cold spell we

Benefit for Gym at Elks Cafe

A big pecial dinher and concert will be given at the Elks Cafe Sunday, December 14th from 11 oclock a. m. to 4 p. m. as a benefit for the

The Harmonizers Orchestra will

Elks Cafe at 8 oclock Sunday night.

Can You Entertain One or More

One hundred and fifty school accumulated trash and weeds. If teachers will be in Big Spring next Many Hunters Not Good Sportsmen, these weeds are not burned or re- week to attend the Tri-County

tions and our hospitable citizens are

American Legion Meets December 15 Ex-service men are going to be Howard County now has a lead of When you start on a hunting trip T. & P. Passenger Schedule Changed treated to a big "feed" at the Changed The feast comes first so be there

vice man as his guest.

Box Supper, Saturday, Dec. 13

There will be a box supper at than 19,000 bales for Howard County. president of the Standard Oil Co., Passenger train No. 15 arrives R-Bar school house on Saturday night Howard County is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Be sure to come, and bring a box. The Big Spring Compress and In addition to having a jolly time you

Tell your friends about this box supper and urge them to be present.

W. I. Scrivner of Tempe, Arizona, section. While he is well satisfied It is estimated that the compress with Arizona he is still strong for old The Herald will be a nice Christmas will handle in excess of 25,000 bates Howard County and considers property here a mighty good investment.



She Is Not for Sal

That's the way a lot of families feel about good old Bossy. She has been a faithful friend of the family, giving all the milk they could use and even some for the neighbors.

Of course you always think that you feed her well, but do you? Just plenty of feed does not always mean proper feeding. Good old Bossie must have a ration that she can really turn into milk.

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ANYTHING IN TAILORING



Mrs. J. R. Copeland returned Sunday from a visit with her mother at Angelo were visitors here last Sa

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dickerson of San

OUR HALL OF FAME



The Editor belongs in the Hall of Fame if Anybody does, says the Cartoonist, who was Raised in a Newspaper Office. The Editor endeavors to Newspaper, one that Promotes Harmony, avoids hurting People's Feelings and Advertises the Community abroad as a Good Place to Live.

A Tribute to Citizenship

The business man is called upon to meet many problems in town buildsometimes to distinguish the worthy it means to the cotton growers. from the unworthy projects. But Plainview News, men with keen business insight usually make wise selections. Town builders are men who sacrifice much to the community, and often little appreciated. We note that the Journal recently conducted a contest to choose three men and three women who had been the most outstanding figures in the life of Lubbock. The people made their choice and undoubtedly no mistakes were made. Those who sacrifice most for community life are easily pointed out. We all know that the tightwad or the man who says it can't be done has had no part in the community work. That class was separated at

Walter S. Posey, W. H. Bledsoe, Mrs. C. M. Ballinger, Mrs. W. H. Sims Consul" in 1904. and Mrs. George Wolffarth.

community building than to have it knew the toast and appreciated its said of them, that they were knock- meaning. ers and leeches upon the community. For the scrapbook enthusiasts, this In all towns there are a few who are toast is herewith given: foremost in the life of the communi- "I've drunk of rare vintages many a ity. A few who carry the load and labor in season and out of season in promoting community life. Verily, their reward will be great in the I've basked in sweet smiles and lackestimate of their countrymen and in the next world a crown of glory will be theirs. Some men accumulate But tonight within reach great wealth, and when they come to Is the choicest of each shuffle off this mortal coil they en- And never before will I vow dow some church or educational institution, but the men and women who give their lives as daily sacrifice So a health to you, girls: here's for the common good of the community are building greater monuments than those who followed the made into a thribing and amusing passing have left footprints in the Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 15-16. sands of time that have proven a guidance to future generations. All Hemstitching 71/4 Cents Per Yard townsmen of Lubbock have singu- way. larly honored them. The Slaton _op

Fine Land For Sale

Section 25, block 33, twp. 2, N, 12 miles north of Big Spring for sale. possession. This is good land in a LITTLE, Big Spring, Texas. cotton district only \$25 per acre. Write owner. MRS. JENNIE Mc-KIBBEEN, Onedia, Ill. 122p

The box supper at the Highway than in years. school which was given last Friday night, November 28, was a real suc-Friday night that \$312.12 had been adoption of the amendment, Nov. 4, collected, but there was a mistake. increases the pension tax from 5 to 7

box of chocolate candy for being the month seems very little, and it is too prettiest girl and Mr. Arthur Mar-little, yet it beats nothing. - Big tin was swarded a cake for being the Sandy Times.

their liberal donations and assure ev- more business buildings, some mo-

Invent Successful Bollie Puller

Four Plainview citizens have invented a farm machine which bids fair to revolutionize cotton growing on the plains and in other sections where there are "bollies."

One man and a team of two horses can gather from three to five bates of cotton in a day.

The bollie puller is invented by Mesers, W. E. and Ed Boyd, J. T. McGee and Virgil Rogers, and patent will be secured. It has been thoroughly tested in cotton fields around Plainview, and is proving a success. It costs only about \$25 to build the machine so we are told, for it is very simple.

This "mechanical nigger" as it has been jokingly named, is built on runners, with a stake body, and curved steel fingers strip the stalks of all bollies as the horses pull the machine along the rows, the bollies being pushed back into the wagon body, which when filled is dumped, and taken to the gin in another wagon or truck.

Here on the Plains the cotton opens and is picked for several weeks. then comes frost which kills the Uplift his Town by getting out a Good leaves, causing them to drop off, leaving the stalks covered with partly opened "bollies" which are pulled or snapped by the pickers, who charge about \$1 a hundred pounds, and make from \$6 to \$8 a day for the work. One man and team with this machine can gather from six to ten thousand pounds of bollies in a day, ing and as you say, it is a problem which shows the tremendous saving

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The Toast That Was Heard Around the World

Although these be Volsteadian the very start. Then came the great days Prohibition reigns throughout task of selecting the really meritor- the country yet a toast of twenty ious ones. The decision fell upon the years ago that was repeated by happy tongues from the moment it was uttered by Raymond Hitchcock and W. C. Rylander. The ladies are when he appeared in "The Yankee

The toast, written by the late Henry No greater honor could come to Blossom, Jr., struck immediate favor men and women than to be thus sin- and as each year sped was repeated gularly honored. How much more de. and repeated until it became a fine, sirable to be said of one, that they old treasure of Broadway, in fact of have been outstanding figures in all the main streets of the works.

time,

bright eyes; ed but good wine

To have fancied it paradise

Have I drunk wine so rare Or met women so fair-

how!" "The Yankee Consul" has been

former course. The lives of men story with Douglas MacLean as the and women in America has left their star, and this newest of MacLean imprint upon community life and in comedies is coming to the QUEEN

honor to Walter Posey, W. H. Bled- Am prepared to do hemstitching son and W. C. Rylander; Mesdames for 71/2 cents per yard and guaran-Sims, Wolffarth and Ballenger. Their tee work to be satisfactory in every kroor opposite postoffice a. m. to 6 p. m. Phone . J. MRS. CHAS. EBERLEY

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- Santa Claus -

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The old Confederate soldiers now cess. The proceeds were \$296.29, It get a pension of \$34 per quarter, or announced after the supper little more than \$11 per month. The It is likely that the mistake was made cents on the hundred dollars, but during the "Pretty Girl Contest," as this will likely increase the amount some numbers were called out in the each pensioner receives very little, audience, and turned in again at the as the new amendment has the effect of increasing the number of those en-Miss Virgie Fryar was awarded a titled to pensions. Eleven dollars per

We wish to thank the people for Big Spring has need for a few ery one the proceeds will be used to ern spartment house and a whole lot Office Over West Tours Nat'l. Ban the benefit of the school.

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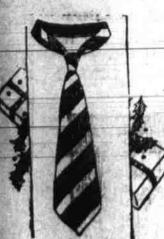
Silk, silk and linen, broadcloth, madras, madras and silk, oxford cloth and percale are some of the materials.

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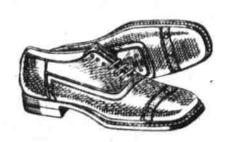


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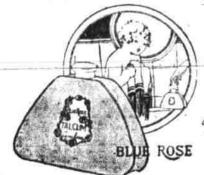
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and we have worlds of them -in Satins, Felts and Kid Boudoirs; or if you prefer to make your own we have the soles and yarn to knit them with.



The Satins are in D'Orsay or low heels
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Sweaters
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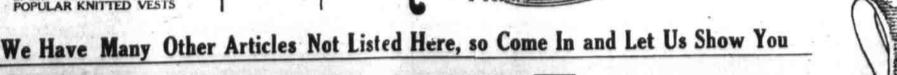
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cooking and serving dishes, all in one, the ideal glassware is shown here in a variety of styles. Shop Early!



If in doubt buy him one

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The Store That Quality Built

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Rix's Christmas Sale!

Beginning Saturday, December 13th, Ending December 24



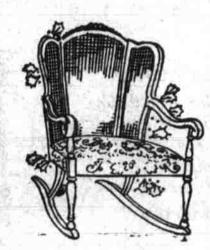
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Combination tapestry and velour covering. Double spring construction. Three Pieces \$124.85



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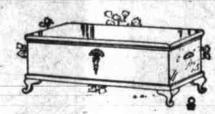
ROCKERS

We are offering our entire stock of Rocking Chairs at greatly reduced prices. A Beautiful Walnut Rocker in either Tapestry, Velour, or Mohair covering will bring happiness and Christmas Cheer to the housewife.



Folding Card Tables with green imitation leather top.

Sale Price \$3.45



A Lane Cedar Chest is something every woman wants.

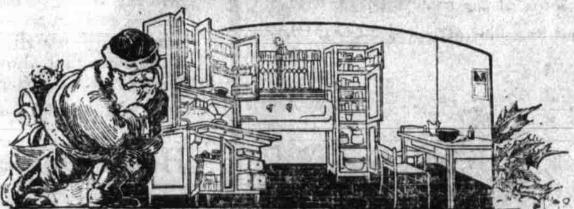
A beautiful article of furniture to grace your home.



An Appropriate Gift for The Housewife

Four-piece Bed Room Suite Bowfoot Bed, Vanity Dresser, Chifforette and Rocker in combination walnut \$94.85

HRISTMAS GIFT



ING THIS SALE AT NO EXTRA COST

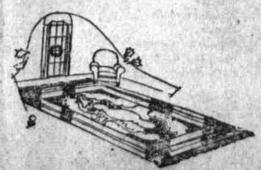
14 pieces Glassware.

10-piece Domestic Science Cutlery Set.



49c up Any size or color....

32-piece Tea Set.



Nothing makes a more appropriate gift than a beautiful rug.

Reduced prices during this sale.



TABLE LAMPS

The variety is so large that Christmas shoppers will find it easy to choose the right gift lamp. Polycrome and opalite with exquisitely designed

BRIDGE AND FLOOR LAMPS

Charming new creations with rich polycrome bases and gorgeous silk



DRAPERIES

Newest and most beautiful line of draperies. Also a wonderful assortment of fringes, braids and motifs at the very lowest prices.

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Rix's Christmas Sale!

Beginning Saturday, December 13, Ending December 24

GIFTS ARE HERE FOR ALL THE FAMILY

Plenty of Joy--- A Phonograph For Christmas



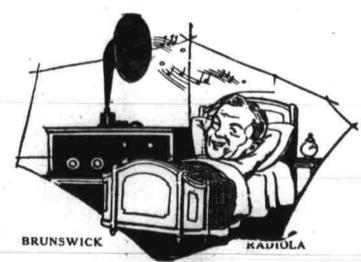
VICTROLA \$110.00

What finer gift could you make to your family! Music will carry your message of Christmas cheer down through the year—a lasting gift that will be a source of constant happiness for many a Christ-mas to come. A small deposit will hold any model for delivery on Christmas.

We have any model you may want in a Victrola, Edison or Brunswick Phonograph and keep the latest records for each instrument.

A Christmas Record makes a nice gift to a phono-

Ah! What Fun



Just a turn of a knob or two-and here's a point 500 miles away. Another twist of the dial and you get Station XYZ, an equal distance in the other direction.

You not only have this wonderful Radiola but on the other side of this beautiful Console Cabinet is a Brunswick Phonograph. The latest dance records are always best and come out first on the Brunswick

The Gulbransen Registering Piano



You might as well give the best when you decide on a Piano—that means you will come to RIX'S and select the Gulbransen. We have them at many prices-but each is a real value.

Gulbransen Registering Pianos .. \$450.00 to \$530.00 Gulbransen Pianos \$295.00 to \$350.00

BIG BARGAINS IN USED PHONOGRAPHS

We are offering during this sale some exceptional values in slightly used phonographs.

			Value	Sale	Price
1	Silvertone	tena manana in ini	. \$125.00	\$	37.50
1	Columbia	Grafonola	\$125.00	\$	55.00
1	Columbia	Grafonola	\$149.00	\$	70.00
1	Columbia	Grafonola	\$165.00	\$ 1	85.00



KITCHEN WARE EXCELLENT **GIFTS**

Every housewife appreciates a completely equipped kitchen and these Roasters.



TEA POTS

Tea is best as grandma made it in a china pot. Attractive patterns in brown, blue, and green each trimmed in gold.

Best Manifest Christmas Spirit

SALE PRICES

100-piece Dinner Set \$43.49 100-piece Dinner Set 27.49	15-inch Aluminum Roaster
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Tea Sets	Cut Glass Waterset 1.79
Copper Tea Kettle 1.98	Pump Daisy Air Rifle 4.98
Aluminum Colonial Tea	22 Rifle 7.36
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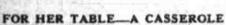
SHE'LL LIKE AN ELECTRIC TOASTER

Mother can sit down to breakfast with the rest of you if she has one finely nickel plated....an ornament to any table.



ALWAYS WELCOME

Takes the drudgery out of ironing by eliminating the hot kitchen and the frequent running to and from a hot stove to change irons.



Every woman gets a thrill of satisfaction from an attractive tableand how proud she'd be to serve from a handsome casserole set in an attractive silver mounting.



Give Him A Bicycle

It will bring the realization of his fondest desires. Builds health, strength and inde-pendence. Coaster brake, racey appearance, and siren alarm.

ALUMINUM WARE



PYREX

Bakes perfectly. Never discolors. No Corners or burnt fruit juices. Attractive for table use and saves much dish washing.



A POCKET KNIFE ALWAYS WELCOME

Men and boys are forever losing or breaking their pocket knives, so you can't go wrong in giving one, provided it's the kind that won't come off. Get him an O. V. B. for Xmas.



We have on display a Special Christmas Shipment of Aluminum Ware each piece put up in a Beautiful Holly Box.

CUT GLASS

Attractive prices on our Cut Glass. Give your friend a cut glass Water Set or a set of Sherbets.



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Let's Go

TO BE HELD AT THE

Catherine Hat Shoppe

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 13th. Varied articles and Christmas Gifts galore to be on display and for sale.

The Bazaar will be conducted by the FRONT RANK CLASS of the First Christian Church.

G. M. THOMASON

STATE SURVEYOR

Now Located in Big Spring Phone 331

There is nothing sadder than the unwelcome child in the home. If you will stand inside the circle of these modern times there are many things which remove us by ages from the primitive life, both as to the individual and the home Itself. Not wanted-yes, not wanted. And, if by accidental destiny, the angel visitor appears_still, not wanted. Modern flats in densely populated districts, hang out the sign: "Children not wanted." Sure! That's safe -and the landlord finds his renter in these wise days. We are really in the age when Napoleon's statement comes with renewed emphasis: "What is needed in my beloved France_Mothers!"

How about selling you a pair of guaranteed reading glasses...... Cunningham & Philips.

spent Monday in this city getting a negotiations. line-up on the agricultural development in this section of West Texas for a series of articles he is now preparing for the Star-Telegram.

Lots of self-branded saints are is a high form of snicide. waiting for Gabriel to blow his born when they might do a little business

Box stationery Cunningham

"Her Love Story"

Visitors to the Paramount Long Island studio who like the hob-nob with people with titles got the thrill of their lives recently while Allan maiden names even the married. officers in the Imperial Russian her check. Army. They appear in support of the Elsie Hill, member of the National Mario Majeroni.

Roberts Rinehart story of the Balkan was to be Elsie Hill Leavitt. Majors Solihoff, Guirey and Natir- a social achievement, it is said. boff, Captains Pankoff and Liman- If a woman has established a pro-Nansen, who was in the Austrian he is talking about. diplomatic corps stationed in Greece and Roumania, acted as technical director. The rest of the above mentioned have various parts in the preture itself.

"Her Love Story," adapted by Fort Worth Press. Frank Tuttle from Mrs. Rinehart's novel, "Her Majesty, the Queen," Dallas News Bargain Offer Closes opens a two day's run next Monday at the R. and R. LYRIC THEATRE.

S-P Employes Vote to Strike

Ninety-six per cent of the engihelpers on the Southern Pacific, El tlement of matters in controversy."

Max Bentley, staff correspondent stated that an endeavor is being made of The Dallas News, Daily and Sunfor the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, to settle the controversy through day, is \$10.00 a year, Bargain Price,

No person can really live whose heart is cold and shrivelled. Love and life are one and the same. Life grows rich and precious as love deep-Eversharp pencils and fountain pen ens and broadens. The empty life is these bargain rates until December sets Cunningham & Philips. always self-centered. To save yourself, be spent for others. Selfishness

In this remarkable age of heartfor the good of the race if they would exposure, when all is being brought only toot their own for a little while, under a light surcharged as with radium, may we not ask: "After all, Joe Ward returned Sunday from is not everybody about as bad as any-Dallas where he played on the all- body?" But we must try to keep star football team which defeated the from the repinings of the mere pessi-Brooks field team 16 to 0 at Dallas mist and the employment of the detestable character-as

> Electric irons and heating pads Cunningham & Philips.

ALL PRICES

REDUCED

Effective December 2, the Ford Meter Company ennounces now low prices on all Ford Cars. A reduction of \$25.00 on the Forder Sedan and lower prices on all other types make Ford Cars oven greater values than over before.

NEW PRICES

Demountable Rims and

Starter \$85.00 Extra

All Prices f. o. b. Detroit

Ford Motor Company. They create a new standard of value for

SEE THE NEAREST AUTHORIZED

FORD DEALER

These are the lowest prices ever offered in the history of the

Runabout

motor car transportation.

Fouring Car

Coupe Tudor Sedan

Fordor Sedan

Truck Chassis

What's In a Name?

Quite a bit of uproar it's causing this determination on the part of certain feminists to retain their own

Dwan was producing Gloria Swan- Comptroller General McCarl in son't latest production, "Her Love Washington did his share to keep the Story." He had a whole flock or fire hot when he ruled that the wommen and women working for him m an doctor in the employ of the govvarious scenes of the picture who lay ernment must sign her married name claim to titles from Baronesses to to the payroll or she wouldn't get

star and principal players, Ian Kettn, Woman's party and a "Lucy Stoner," George Fawcett, Echlin Gayer and married to Professor Albert Leavitt, has clung to her maiden name suc-When notified that he was to make cossfully, but admitted the other day "Her Love Story," which is a Mary when the baby was born that its name

States, Mr. Dwan ordered the casting If this custom is to be established director to get as many true types as as a precedent for the other "Lucy possible for use in the production. Stoners," it may answer criticism of Two days later Mr. Dwan had signed some of the agitators who have held the Baroness Franziska de Hede- that using the husband's name meremann, who spent many years in ly indicated the improved status of Roumania; Count Andre Tsapalos de women in these civilized times. Trac-Cernoviz, a Greek; Gen. Lodijensky, ing descent thru the father is rather

sky and Lt. Maleff, all Russians who fessional reputation under her maidserved in the Balkan states. The en name, it may be said with the Baroness de Hedemann plays the rote newly wed husband of Rita Weiman, of Gloria's mother and also acted as author and playwright, "why change adviser on all matters pertaining to the trade mark?" Her husband is court etiquette while Capt. Fred von an advertising man, so knows what

> In private and financial life, however, why not be Mrs. So and So? What earthly difference does it make? Seems as tho it should save a lot of embarrassing situations !-

December 15th

The Dallas Morning News First Annual Reduced Rates Ofter will close at midnight December 15th.

Thousands have availed themselves gineers, firemen, hostlers and hostler of the opportunity and saved \$3.65 on a year's subscription to Texas' Paso and Southwestern, and Arizona Greatest Newspaper. Other thou-Eastern railroad systems have voted sands will do so in the few remaining to strike if necessary "to obtain set-days of the offer. Some will put it off to the last minute and probably No strike date was set, it being miss the chance. The regular price. \$6.45, you save \$3.65. The regular price of the Daily No Sunday Dallas News is \$8.00 a year, Bargain price \$5.25, you save \$2.75.

The Herald is authorized to take subscriptions for The Dallas News at 15th. Bring or mail your subscriptions to this office today.

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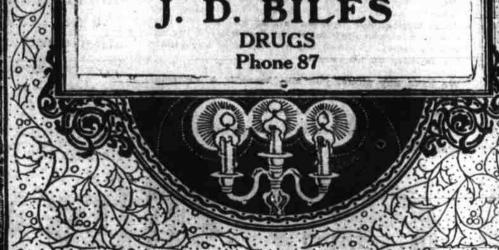
Christmas Candies Whitman's Sampler and Salamagundi in 1-lb, 2-lb, 3-lb and 5-lb packages Special Bulk Candies

You can find just what you are seeking in our select line of

- CHRISTMAS GOODS -

An early visit from you will be appreciated.

D. BILES DRUGS



Sick Headache

"Thave used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, ... and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

Thedford's

seemed to cleanse the liver.
Very soon I felt like new.
When I found Black-Draught
so easy to take and easyacting, I began to use it in
time and would not have sick

Constipation causes the system to re-absorb poisons that may cause great pain and much danger to your health. Take Thedford's Black-Draught. It will stimulate the liver and help to drive out the poisons.

Sold by all dealers. Costs only one cent a dose.

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Rooms For Rent Two rooms furnished for light-

Bibles that read easy Cunningham & Philips.

It takes more force to start thing than it does to keep it going. Electrical goods Cunning ham & Philips.

It were infinitely better to suffer keenly than to feel nothing at all.

Major Henry F. Philips and family Program of Little Theatre is enroute from San Antonio, Texas, to Denver, Colo., spent Monday and Tuesday in this city on a visit to his brother, Shine Philips and family. dajor Philips is to be in charge of the Tuberculosis Department of the Currie, Paul Ellis, W. H. Cr 2000-bed U. S. Hospital at Denver. Henry, as he is more familiarly known here, is a Big Spring boy who Wynell Woodall, Zillah La has certainly made good and he has a host of friends who are always glad to welcome him to the old home town.

Ladies hand tooled purses..... Cunningham & Philips. Either store.

Corporal A. M. Holman who had been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Hattie Crossett in this city, left Monday for Carlsbad, N. M., where he is stationed with the U. S. Civil Engineering Corps. Before coming to Big Spring he spent several weeks in San Angelo visiting a brother who is ill due to an attack of tuberculosis.

A few dolls ... Store No. 2..... Cunningham & Philips.

Steve Currie had a narrow escape from serious injury while on a hunting trip in Glasscock County, Sunday. He was in the rear seat of the auto mobile when a shotgun was accidentally discharged. A few of the shot struck Mr. Currie in the leg.

Let your friends be numberless But that inner circle be wary of its J. B. Cauble, Earl Talbott growth. The day that Napoleon reduced it to three personages he paved his way to the crown.

Most of the people in this big old world are in a rut. One is born, lives and dies, and the world rocks on as though one more or one less had nover been.

Like the pup chasing the flying express, some folks are pursuing ideals housekeeping. Call 802 Jack street while others are wondering what they or phone 846. overtaken.

> It isn't hard to find trouble if man goes on the hunt for it.

> Honesty will succeed as a principle where it fails as a policy.

> Mrs. W. H. Cardwell has been on the sick list this week. Herald want ads get results.

Dec. 19 at High School Music-Mrs. Harry Hurt Motion Song, "Santa Ch Mrs. Mann's Kindergarten: Sidney Mellinger, Victor Meri Doris Cunningham, Virginia I Mary Jane Reed, Betty Jest Barbara Scherruble, Camille Ohristmas Carol_Glee Cit

School Christmas Pageant, "Sar Lady."_South Ward School Santa Lady_Emma Your Charlotta Iorena Horn. Bess Georgia Belle Flee Annie-Helen Talbott Edith Lillian Crawford Norman George Neel George Donald Ford Lester-Ralph Walling. Wishbone Walter Bunke Visiting children James Pearl Richbourg, Frank M.

and E. P. Driver. Becky_Elizabeth Marin Dominic—S. F. Walling Fairvies—Eleanor Rix, Ra lor, Mary Sottles, Ania Rachel Williams, Mary Davids Dolly Dumping Ghis: Davis, Kathryn Happle, Mabe Carolyn McCleakey, Modesis Alta Taylor, Mattie Ho

Ernestine Gulley. Impa: Harry Jordan, J. W. Horn, John Stripling.

Song Mrs. Charley Moris Pinno and violin Mrs. Carl Miss Josephine Winslow. "A Previous Engagement Emil Fahrenkamp, a monois

Farm For Rent 350 acres in field, good pumped in corrals and past windmill, small house for barn, plank corrals everyth venient. Will build 5-ross low on place. Want to sell test equipment and rent on thir fourth. See P. E. LITTLE

Spring, Texas. The Tonsor where men steam-heated room, sanitary h respect, and everything

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COMMUNITY SILVER SURPRISE HER WITH SOME

CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

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ply Your Food Necessities



UR luscious Christmas dinner be even more tempting if you us to aid you in your Christshopping.

we everything you need to prepare ANY MEAL, are especially prepared to supply you with all tras you will need for the special meals during aldays. Fruit cake materials are our long suit.

Belle of Wichita Flour for Cakes, Pastries, Etc.

MEATS ARE THE VERY FINEST. As a to our market will prove to you. Your worries as at to prepare will end when you let us supply Groceries and Meats.

Make Us Prove It!

ool-Reed Co. one 145, Big Spring, Tex.

Auto For Sale \$36.17 per month. Call let St. for further informamear, 5 to 8 p. m. 132pd

Rook Club sbers of the Rook club r of visitors were entert week by Mrs. Felton he home of her mother,

berg won club high score. Davis and Mrs. Fred Hopfor visitors high score; Mrs. winning in the cut.

m refreshments were ser close of the games.

Stoves For Sale er Perfection Oil stove and stove_both good as new Democrat. Phone 303-W or see me.

A. RICKER.

A. Lee, W. E. Lee, R. Lee and Jack Arrington of Tuesday for Southwest a hunting expedition.

WREATHS HOLLY TREE DECORATIONS NNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

old Hatch and Miss Essie last Friday night for a

TY PLATE FOR XMAS VARE CUNNINGHAM

Martin of Lamesa spent

a relatives in this city CARDS AND SEALS.

APER CUNNINGHAM blins, scout for the Mar-

ny, spent Monday in

Wright Armstrong, general agent d Chevrolet auto, com- for the Trinity and Brazos Valley of bumpers, equipped with Railroad, was a business visitor in Will sell at a bargain. Big Spring on Thursday of last week. 4,000 miles, well cared for As leader of the famous Gray Mare One hundred and Band of Brownwood, Mr. Armstrong won a statewide and nationwide reputation as a go-getter and he is making good in his new position as general agent for the Trinity and

> to select ideal Christmas remembrances at reasonable prices at our for a business trip to Dallas. store. We will appreciate a visit

In Indiana a man permitted his

If you want any plumbing work done or any electric wiring, just phone 51. L. E. Coleman Electric and Plumbing Company.

Hurry Folks-If you want to make

business visitors here Monday.

B. Reagan made a business trip to Reagan and Glasscock counties Sat-

Silverware especially acceptable as Christmas gift. Prices very reasonable. Big Spring Hardware Co.

Mrs. W. A. Ricker left Monday

A better Gent's Watch for less Clyde Fox.

a visitor here Saturday.

Brazos Valley Ry. You are given a fine opportunity

from you. Big Spring Hardware Co.

mother and father to go to the poor house saying he could not support acting business here Monday them because he was paying for av automobile on the installment plan. In a case like that if the courts can't ningham & Philips. handle it the neighbors ought to, in a neighborly way Sherman Daily

Men who make money by working best selections of Dolls, Toys, etc. mere children are making too much begins to gather in his riches. Call now before the final rush. Big money. Spring Hardware Company.

Mens purses at prices that you Judge Neville P. Ross of Dallas can afford to give Cunningham and Lon J. Geer of Sweetwater were & Philips. Man, woman-alone. They face a

sure and certain destiny-extermination. Do you catch?

Book ends in polychrome with fruit bowls, etc., to match..... Cunningham & Philips.

No woman reaches a higher point at this point. evening for a business trip to Dallas than to be wise and womanly at one and the same time.

his best is when he is attacked.

Nothing is permanent but change. Herald want ads get results.

Program for Teachers' Institute

Mitchell, Glasscock and Howard Counties

_ TO BE HELD IN

Blg Spring, Texas, December 15th to 19th, inclu-

clusive 1924, At The High School

Instructors and Lecturers

MR. A. W. EVANS
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SUPERINTENDENT R. D. GREEN
City Schools, Abilene, Texas

INFORMATION

ard Counties with the City Teachers of each County, will hold a

joint Institute at Big Spring during the week beginning Monday. December 15 and ending Friday, December 19, 1924. Those who have entered into verbal or written contracts to teach in these counties are required by law to attend this consolidated Institute for five full days. Others interested in education are invited to

attend these meetings.

The public school teachers of Mitchell, Glasscock and How-

In this Institute you are offered an opportunity of hearing some of the best talent in the State, and will be well worth the time and expense to every teacher who has the school at heart.

> SAMUEL C. HARRIS. County Supt., Mitchell Co. JUDGE J. A. GEORGE

> County Supt., Glasscock Co. H. R. DEBENPORT.

County Supt., Howard Co.

Each teacher will be expected to pay a certain per cent of their monthly salary at the time of registration. The money to defray the expenses of the Institute.

Please feel we are at your service. Command us if we can

ORGANIZATION OF INSTITUTE

Conductor...Frank E. King, Supt. City Schools, Colorado, Texas Secretary......Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Big Spring, Texas Executive Committee-

Miss Duggan, N. T. S. C., Denton, Texas

Mrs. C. F. Morris, Big Spring, Texas

Song Leader ...
J. M. Manuel, Secretary Y. M. C. A., Big Spring, Texas

INSTITUTE PROGRAM MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 15, 1924

9:30 to 11:00 General Session.... High School Auditorium Songs..... Led by J. M. Manuel Devotional.... Rev. M. Phelan, Pastor First Methodist Church, Big Spring. Welcome Address... Mayor C. E. Thomas, City Persones

Response Prof. Blythe
Vocal Solo Miss Ricker
Reading Clifford Edwards
11:00 to 12:00 Registration.

MONDAY AFTERNOON

High School Section-Room 31-

High School Girls Choral Club.

TUESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 16, 1924

Section Meeting-

Department of Education, Austin.

Director.....A. W. Evans,
Department of Education.

Intermediate Section—Auditorium—
Director.....Miss Duggan, Denton Normal
Primary Section—Room 33—
Director......Miss Lillie L. Martin,
Baylor University, Waco, Texas

High School Section-Room 31, English-

Pastor First Christian Church, Big Spring.

Judge H. R. Debenport, Big Spring, Texas Judge J. A. George, Garden City, Texas Samuel C. Harris, Co. Supt. Mitchell Co., Colorado.

Sincerely yours,

Prof. Blythe, Loraine, Texas R. B. Hood, Coahoma, Texas Director High School Department

Director Intermediate Department

1:15 to 2:15 Section Meetings.

2:15 to 2:35

9:00 to 9:30

9:30 to 10:30

Tube paint Cunningham & Philips

W. P. Soash left Monday evening

Clyde Fox.

Mrs. O. H. Martin returned last

Say "If it's a pipe" We have

R. A. Dickson of Hamilton was

transacting business here last Friday.

.... Cunningham & Philips.

week from a visit in Waco.

Pianist_

Traveling sets......Cunningham A better Gent's Watch for less & Philips.

R. E. Thayer of Dallas was trans-Give a flash light Cunning-

No heart is quite large enough to

Ivory sets and separate pieces unningham & Philips.

No one envies the pioneer until he

Shaving sets with new wrinkles

Marriage is a monarchial form of government with a queen on the

The home of imported perfumery ningham & Philipa. in Big Spring Cunningham &

Necessity -- the tog between two

No play is well staged unless it ends beautifully. When the curtain on the block. No man is at his best when he has falls the last act in life's drama ought lost control of himself. The time of to linger with the world like the Mrs. O. H. Morris of Lamesa was all times when a man needs to be at afterglow of a sun long since gone the higher things by an abnormal

Live your love and it will need no

Electric gurling irons Cun-

Many times it is hard to tell a love match from a first-class bluff.

extremes wherein we are tried. No man knows his powers until he stands

AUTO LIMERICKS---By CLARK NEWTON

Director Miss Lillie Martin

General Session......Auditorium

Director Miss Lillie L. Martin

High School Section -Room 31, Commercial-

Director Miss Lillie L. Martin

High School Section - Room 31, Home

Director. Dr. P. W. Horn Intermediate Section—Auditorium— Director. Miss Duggan Primary Section—Room 33—

General Session..... Auditorium

General Session ... Auditorium Songs ... J. M. Manuel Devotional ... Rev. F. B. Eteson, Rector Episcopal Church, Big Spring.

Reading Dorothy Jordan Section Meetings

Director Miss Lillie L. Martin

Address Dr. J. W. Hunt Reading Helen Reagan

Director Miss Lillie L. Martin

General Session......Auditorium

General Session. Auditorium
Devotional Rev. King
Songa J. M. Manuel
Reading Margaret Bettle
Male Quartette J. M. Manuel, Fred
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Report of Resolution Committee.

High School_Room 31, Natural Sciences

High School-Room 33, Social Science-

Intermediate Section-Auditorium-

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

PRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 19, 1924

Section Meetings

Supplied.

Recess.

Director

High School Section Room 31, English Director Roy Bedecheck Intermediate Section Auditorium

2:15 to 2:35 Recess.
2:35 to 3:35 General Session. Miss Lillie L. Martin

Section Meetings

Recess

Economics-

THURSDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 18, 1924

10:30 to 10:50

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1:15 to 2:15

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Recess.

9:30 to 10:20 Section Meetings



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Cunningham & Philips.

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French harps. Cunningham & If you would be happy eliminate your needless wants.

Fancy Glassware Cunningham & Philips.

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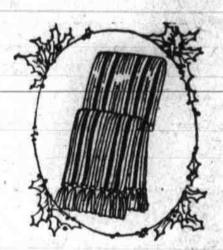
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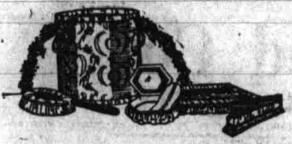
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