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Leasing Active Around Todd Test

Deep Wildcat Believed To Have Production At 7,357

With the eyes of the oil world turned expectantly on the Stanolind Oil & Gas Co., et al, unit deep test on the J. S. Todd Ranch in Crockett County, which is preparing to test at 7,357 feet, 351 feet in the Ordovician series, two additional tests in the territory to be drilled by Continental Oil Company in the area and leasing the most active in this county in years, this county is experiencing a small boom in oil activities. Clouds of depression have been swept away for a number of Crockett County land owners as oil lease checks are reported to be forthcoming. A number of important leases have been reported the past week, but so far none of them have been placed on record in the courthouse here.

Belief that cores from Stanolind et al. No. 1 Todd contained evidence of production was supported by movement of tools to sections 23 and 26, block WX, G, & S. Ry. survey, for two shallow tests to hold acreage owned by Continental Oil Company. Continental planned to develop production, if possible, around 2,000 feet to hold leases that expire in February 1933. Continental is one of 10 contributors to the unit.

Continental's new test in section 23 will be about three miles west of Stanolind et al. No. 1 Todd and the one in section 26 about three miles northwest.

Cores exhibited from Stanolind and others' No. 1 J. S. Todd were said to denote an insufficient amount of oil and gas to develop production but the hole will be unloaded and a test made through 7-inch tubing when 7-inch outside diameter, 30-pound casing is cemented around 7,170-80 feet. A core from 7,195-97 feet in the Simpson carried a slight odor of oil and gas and one from 7,270-85 in the Ellenberger bore a good odor of oil and gas. It is from the Ellenberger that the 12 deep wells in Reagan County, 30 miles to the northwest, have yielded in excess of 14,000,000 barrels of high gravity, sweet oil that commands a premium over Midcontinent crude. Drilled on a known Permian High, No. 1 Todd topped the Ordovician about 1,200 feet higher than the deep producers in Reagan County and should it fail to obtain production the favorable geology will cause further exploration in the region. It was this, it was believed, that brought about renewed leasing in the region. No. 1 Todd has an elevation of 2,660 feet. It topped the first lime at the base of the Pennsylvanian, black shale, at 6,994 feet and drilled 12 feet of Crinoidal limestone of questionable age believed by some to be the Mississippian. Top of the Simpson, the first member of the Ordovician, was 7,006 feet and the Ellenberger was reached at 7,247 feet, remaining solid to 7,357, the present total depth.

GRADE AVERAGES UP

A recent check-up of grade sheets of pupils of the Ozona High School showed a higher type of work being done by High School students, according to Supt. John L. Bishop. Grade averages are generally higher than for a similar period in many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Exline Martin are the parents of a boy born yesterday at their home here. Mr. Martin is resident engineer for the state highway department in charge of highway construction in Crockett County.

Miss Elizabeth Dugger, Miss Lola Taylor, Mrs. Slick Miller, John Oldham and Shorty Lawrence were San Angelo visitors Friday.

Mary Louise Harwick was ill with the flu this week.

Army Coach for 1933



Lieut. Garrison Davidson, himself a noted Army grifman a few seasons ago, will be head coach of West Point Military Academy football team in 1933 to succeed Major Ralph Sasse, head coach in 1931-32.

Epidemic Of Flu Believed Passing

Pupils Drift Back To Schools As Epidemic Hold Is Broken

One of the worst epidemics of colds and flu in several years, persisting here the past two weeks seemed to be running its course this week and reports from the public schools indicate that absences from sickness are getting fewer each day.

Practically every home in town has had one or more cases of the flu during the past two weeks, and many cases of pneumonia have been reported.

Every effort is being made by school authorities to keep down spread of the disease, according to Supt. John L. Bishop. All physical training classes in all grades have been suspended until after the Christmas holidays, when it is hoped the epidemic will have run its course. All chapel assemblies, and other group meetings where large numbers of students gathered together, have also been eliminated, a chapel program planned this morning, being the first since the outbreak of flu.

An operetta and a play, planned by school groups for presentation before Christmas, have likewise been postponed, as have all other public functions, Mr. Bishop said. A basketball game between Barnhart and Ozona teams, scheduled for Tuesday evening of this week was called off on account of the bad weather and illness. If continued improvement in the situation is noted, however, the game this week with Comstock and two next week with Big Lake may be played as planned.

At the invitation of the superintendent, Dr. F. T. McIntire met with the entire faculty of the schools recently, giving the teachers information about various diseases, their symptoms and instructing them in the method of procedure upon discovery of illness among children.

In cases where children out of school on account of illness are known to be suffering from contagious diseases, a certificate from Dr. McIntire stating that the case is beyond the infectious stages will be necessary before the child is permitted to re-enter school, Supt. Bishop said.

H. E. GIRLS MODEL DRESSES

Girls of the Home Economics classes of the Ozona High School had charge of chapel exercises in the auditorium this morning, the first chapel meeting since the outbreak of the flu epidemic. The girls modeled dresses they have made since the opening of school.

Mrs. Roy Henderson was ill with the flu the first of the week.

Rev. F. E. Dudley Kidnap Victim

Pair Abducts Brother Of Ozonans; Released In Dallas

Rev. Forest E. Dudley, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Durant, Okla., brother of J. M. and R. R. Dudley and Mrs. B. B. Ingham of Ozona, and well known here, was kidnapped from his home Wednesday of last week and driven to Dallas, Texas, where he was released unharmed. Two men who engaged Rev. Dudley to perform a wedding ceremony drew a pistol on the minister and forced him to accompany them in his own car to Dallas.

Eight miles from Dallas, the abductors forced Mr. Dudley from the car and rode on, telling him that they would park his car and leave the claim check at a Dallas hotel. The following day the car was recovered and Rev. Dudley returned to his home.

Mr. Dudley said he received a telephone call about 11 a. m. Wednesday from Ardmore from a man who engaged him to perform the marriage ceremony in the afternoon. At 4 p. m., two men came to his home and explained the ceremony was to take place at Achille, a short distance from Durant.

The three started in Mr. Dudley's car and a short distance from the minister's home, one of the men threatened him with a pistol, compelling him to let one of the abductors drive.

Releasing the preacher eight miles north of Dallas the men told him they would leave his car in Dallas and leave a claim check at a leading hotel.

Walking to the outskirts of Dallas, Mr. Dudley boarded a street car and went to detective headquarters in the Texas city and reported the kidnaping. He said no attempt was made to rob him and Dallas officers were at a loss to explain the incident.

Brave Weather To See Santa

Children Welcome St. Nick On Annual Pre-Christmas Visit

Two or three hundred Ozona children braved one of the most severe demonstrations of Old Man Winter for the present season Monday afternoon to welcome old Santa Claus to Ozona for his annual pre-Christmas visit.

Santa cruised in promptly at 4 o'clock on his highly decorated truck, which he uses on these pre-Christmas rounds, and was greeted by the usual glee-filled screeches from hundreds of little throats. Down the street at a snail's pace rode Santa, trailed by the screaming children, Santa waving his greetings and smiling his best old jolly smile. The parade went the length of the business section and back and on the return trip Santa revealed what he had brought.

Apples and oranges began to rain on the mob of youngsters as Santa scooped them up by the handful or pitched them into waiting hands. The usual portion of candy was not forthcoming this year, probably because of the fact that Santa had heard of the prevalence of sickness and was trying to keep the doctor's orders. After unloading his cargo of several crates of fruit, Santa waved his farewell, promised to be back with a full pack on Christmas Eve and was gone again.

METHODIST NOTES

Preaching Sunday morning and Sunday night. We are now taking the annual offering for the Methodist Orphanage at Waco. The 412 boys and girls are depending on us for their next year's living. The Hi-League will furnish the music for Sunday night. Everybody invited.

—J. H. Meredith, pastor.

Santa Takes Time Out On Busy Round To Visit Sick Girl

Santa Claus is a busy man and he had plenty of kids to occupy his attention when he barged down the main street of Ozona Monday afternoon, but Santa remembered and took time out to give one of Ozona's most unfortunate youngsters the thrill of thrills—a visit from Santa Claus. Adelia Willis, daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. W. S. Willis, has been confined to her bed for four months, for weeks at the point of death, but is now well on the road to recovery.

Monday afternoon, after Santa had satisfied the youngsters who were able to be out to meet him, he gave the crowds the slip and burst into Adelia's sick room with a cheery "hello" and a shower of fruit and little rubber toys that brought a flush of joy to those pale little cheeks.

The visit from Santa and the fact that the doctor has promised that she can be up in a wheel chair in the next few days has made this a wonderful Christmas for Adelia already.

Sheep And Goat Raisers To Meet

Assn. In Annual Convention In Del Rio Thurs. And Fri.

Members of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association will meet for the seventeenth annual convention of the organization in Del Rio Thursday and Friday of this week. The seventeenth annual convention will be a home-coming for the association, Del Rio being the city of the organization's birth.

Many important problems affecting the industry are scheduled to come before the group in the meeting this week, leaders say. Among them will be the agricultural relief banks, railroad rates, tariff and other important topics.

Duwan E. Hughes, president of the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation; Claude E. Hudspeth, former congressman from this district; and Coke Stevenson of Junction, a leading candidate for speakership in the next Legislature, are among the chief speakers. Ed S. Mayer of San Angelo, chairman of the resolutions committee at the National Wool growers Association convention at Portland, Ore., is expected to participate in important discussions on legislation.

President T. A. Kincaid of Ozona, is to call the convention to order at 10 o'clock Thursday morning in the Roswell Hotel. Julian La Crosse, Del Rio attorney, is to give the address of welcome while Captain H. W. Rieck is to respond.

County Officers' Bonds Approved

Officials Post New Security For Coming Terms

Bonds of county officials, covering their new terms of office starting January 1, were approved by the county Commissioners Court in session here this week. All county officers, from judge to constable are required to furnish bond for the faithful performance of their duties.

Bonds of the various officers were approved as follows: Charles E. Davidson as county judge, \$5,000, as county superintendent of schools, \$1,000; George Russell as county clerk, \$5,000, as district clerk, \$5,000; Tom Casbeer as county treasurer, \$5,000; W. S. Willis as sheriff, \$5,000, as tax collector, state, \$3,670, county, \$15,000; O. W. Smith as tax assessor, state, \$8,157, county, \$5,000; N. W. Graham as county attorney, \$2,500; B. B. Ingham,

Ozona School On Accredited List

Assn. Retains Local System Without Adverse Comment

Ozona High School has again been placed on the list of schools of merit entitling it to membership in the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges according to work received yesterday by Supt. John L. Bishop. Notification of retention of the local school in the Southern Association group came from A. M. Blackburn, chairman of the Texas Committee of the Association, former supervisor of high schools for the State Department of Education and now superintendent of the McCamey schools, succeeding C. V. Compton, who was recently ousted by the McCamey Board.

"I take great pleasure in notifying you that at the recent meeting of the Southern Association in New Orleans, your schools was returned to the list without unfavorable comment," Mr. Blackburn wrote.

"Please allow me to apologize to you for my delay in notifying you of this action of the association. My change in work and location is responsible." The Southern association met several weeks ago.

Barnhart Selects Community Yule Tree Committees

BARNHART, Dec. 13.—Committees for the community Christmas tree here, have been decided by Superintendent C. E. Bailey and W. C. Mitchell of the Baptist and Methodist Sunday Schools. They are as follows: finance—Messdames T. C. Harris, Clint Shaw, Boss Neal; tree—Clint Owens, Clint Shaw, J. D. Beeman, Fred Meadows; sack making—Messdames L. Q. Sparks, W. C. Mitchell, Jim Show, E. E. Woodruff, J. D. Beeman, W. C. Doyal, T. E. Hamm; sack filling—Messdames—C. E. Bailey, Tom Woodruff, Homer Martin, Alvis Newman, Perry Conner, E. D. Nesbit; decorating—Messdames J. F. Miles, Alton Moore, Clint Owens, Neville Davis, Harry Joslin, J. B. Westfall, Morgan Wyatt, Dave Armstrong; program—Messdames Bode Owens, C. E. Bailey, A. C. Duncan.

Community Christmas trees have been a custom in Barnhart for 20 years. The giving of presents from the tree, which is preceded by an appropriate program, takes place in the school auditorium on Christmas eve. There is always at least one present on the tree for every child in the town and on the ranches near, and there is usually a humorous surprise for each grown-up. Many families here still use this means of distributing all their gifts.

Rain Follows On Heels Of Record Cold Wave Of Year

One of the most severe cold waves of the present winter held this section of the state in its grip the past few days. The mercury fell to a record low for the past two or three years during the cold wave and a slow drizzle Tuesday resulted in a coating of ice over trees and fences throughout the area.

The temperature rose Wednesday, however, and intermittent rains have followed the rising temperature.

county commissioner, \$3,000 and road overseer, \$1,000; Max Schneemann, county commissioner, \$3,000 and road overseer, \$1,000; J. W. Owens, county commissioner, \$3,000 and road overseer, \$1,000; Charles E. Coates, county commissioner, \$3,000 and road overseer, \$1,000; Bryan McDonald, justice of the peace, \$1,000; C. E. Grimmer, county surveyor, \$2,000; Tom Smith, constable, \$2,000.

104 COUNTY ROAD BONDS ARE RETIRED

Angelo Bank Accepts Check For Amount To Pay Off

\$85,000 IN ESCROW

May Pay These Off As Highway Dept. Releases Funds

A check for \$104,000, drawn on highway bond funds to the credit of Crockett County on deposit in the Central National Bank of San Angelo, tendered by the county recently to the San Angelo bank, was accepted by that institution in retirement of 104 of the outstanding Crockett County road bonds issued for the purpose of matching state and federal funds for a system of hard-surfaced highways in the county.

Retirement of the 104 bonds was accomplished following action of the state in taking over outstanding road bonds of counties of the state, to be paid off from funds of the state highway department.

The county a few months ago proposed to retire \$190,000 worth of the \$375,000 issue outstanding, but approximately \$85,000 was held in escrow by the state highway department for this county's part on existing contracts and the bank declined to release this money.

The Commissioners Court in session this week, however, ordered that the county clerk issue additional checks to retire additional bonds if and when the state highway department releases this money held in escrow. Efforts are being made to induce the department to release the money, which under the terms of the bond assumption act is not to be expended in road construction work, the state assuming the obligation for all future construction work as well as taking over the bonded indebtedness of counties. The 104 bonds retired were left with the bank subject to call by the county.

Approximately \$85,000 from proceeds of sale of the \$375,000 issue had already been expended in road construction work, matching state and federal funds, and in securing right-of-way for the highways. This amount will remain outstanding as an obligation of the county, but the state has assumed the obligation of meeting interest payments and creating a sinking fund to retire the bonds.

Christmas Program To Feature P.T.A. Meeting Next Mon.

Ozona Parent-Teacher Association will hold its next meeting Monday afternoon, December 19, at 3:15. This meeting was postponed from Monday of this week in order to allow members to attend the Inter-County Institute at Sonora, where Mrs. C. E. Roe, field secretary of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, was the principal guest.

Mrs. Max Schneemann will be leader of the Monday session. The program will be the same as that outlined for the December 12 meeting. It is as follows: Invocation—Rev. M. M. Fulmer Short Program—Fourth Grade, Song—"Joy to the World"—Assembly.

Business Meeting. A Christmas Story—Mrs. A. W. Jones.

Music—"Mother Singers" The Child and the Meaning of Christmas—Mrs. Paul Perner. Social Hour.

Hostesses—Messdames Bruce Drake, R. R. Dudley, Ray Dunlap, Ernest Dunlap, C. J. Watts, Dickson.

Rev. and Mrs. Nat Reed are here for a visit with their son, Hudson Reed, and family.

W. L. Boer Father C Sudden

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Funeral rites for
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rates.

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character of any person or firm
appearing in these columns will be
gladly and promptly corrected up
on calling the attention of the man
agement to the article in question.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 15 1932

Every governmental official or
board that handles public money
should publish at regular inter
vals an accounting of it, showing
where and how each dollar is
spent. This is a fundamental prin
ciple of democratic government.

OUR AFFAIRS AND EUROPE'S

If we could build a wall a mile
high around the United States of
America and put a roof over it so
nobody could come in or go out
of it by air, the people of this
country could probably get along
very well without any contacts
of any kind with the rest of the
world.

We would miss our tea and cof
fee, which we haven't succeeded
yet in growing in the United
States. We would have to get a
long without any silk. We would
have to give up chocolates and co
coa. Unless we found some way to
make rubber out of sawdust or
something else, we would have to
run our automobiles without any
tires. We would have to be pretty
economical about shoes, since we
depend very largely upon other
countries for hides and leather.
We would have to get along, in
short, without a lot of things we
are accustomed to. But on the
whole, we probably could manage
to be comfortable and reasonably
prosperous if we didn't import a
single commodity from any other
part of the world.

Of course, we would have to cut
down on a great deal of our farm
production. We raise more wheat,
more corn, more cotton, more to
bacco, more of a number of other
farm products than we in the United
States can consume. We mine
more copper, more iron, more of
several other metals than our do
mestic needs call for. We would
have to shut down a lot of mines
and abandon a lot of farms and
find some other occupation for
the miners and farmers thus
thrown out of work. We produce
more oil than we can use, so we
would have to cap a lot of oil
wells and abandon a lot of pipe
lines. We make more automobiles,
more electrical equipment, more
sewing machines, more typewrit
ers, more fertilizers, more cam
eras, pianos and other manufact
ured products than we can use,
and so a lot of the factories would
have to shut down or curtail pro
duction. But, on the whole, per
haps we could get along if we did
no business with the rest of the
world. We wouldn't have to bother
building any ships, but of course,
we could find something else for
the shipbuilders to do.

It seems to us that the complete
answer to the people who think
we ought not to have anything to
do with Europe lies in those facts.
Until and unless the economic
prosperity of the rest of the world
is restored to the point where for
eign nations can buy our surplus
products again, we cannot look
for a great or permanent revival
of our own prosperity. And since
the rest of the world cannot buy
our goods unless we buy theirs,
the problem of world prosperity
depends for its solution largely
upon the restoration of our own
prosperity.

There is no escaping the conclu
sion that neither our nation
nor any other can stand alone.

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SCANDALS

By THE TOWN GOSSIP

CHEAPER THAN CHARITY

This is addressed to the mil
lions of Americans who have jobs
and incomes and money to spend.
Perhaps they haven't as much in
come as they did a few years ago
—but the chances are that drops
in the cost of living have compen
sated for their salary cuts and
lowered dividends.

These millions owe an obliga
tion to those other millions who
are unemployed, and are facing a
winter of distress and poverty.
That obligation can be partially
—but only partially—met by con
tributions to charity. Of greater
moment is the obligation to give
their less fortunate fellows jobs.

All over the country there are
homes in need of repair. People
have been holding back and re
fusing to spend—waiting for bet
ter times. And yet it's as obvious
as the multiplication table that
better times will never come until
money again flows through the
business arteries, and into the
channels of trade. Today we can
do some needed re-roofing, repair
the bathroom, build a new room,
repaint the home, fix the heating
plant and a hundred other neces
sary improvements for a fraction
of what they cost in the past—
and a fraction of what they will
cost in the future when better
times actually do appear. By do
ing those things now, we are put
ting money into our own pockets
—as well as into pockets that are
empty.

Increased purchasing power is
the vital need of the hour. More
payrolls—more employed workers
—more busy industries. Look ar
ound your property, see what im
provements you need—and act,
it's cheaper and better than char
ity.

THE LITERATURE OF "ESCAPE"

In the world of fiction, as in
so many other matters, the United
States is the leader among na
tions.

This applies not only to writ
ing of a more or less "highbrow"
tangle, but also to what is termed
the literature of escape. That is
the literature—call it action, wes
tern, aviation, or what you will—
that takes us out of the humdrum
affairs of daily life into a more
raffish air of adventure, romance
and mystery.

Such a literature, reaching as
it does a remarkably high per
centage of our population, has an
undeniable strong effect on the
life of the country. In days of de
pression its value is especially
noticeable—it clears the brain,
banishes worries for a time, pre
pares us to better face our own
little realities. It is probably the
cheapest possible form of enter
tainment—for ten or twenty-five
cents we can buy enough of it to
while away an entire evening. A
few hours of "escape" are often
of inestimable benefit.

American magazines of all
kinds are immeasurably superior
to those published abroad. The
products of American authors are
much sought after in all the
English speaking countries. Our
writers help cure our mental ills
exactly as our doctors solve the
problems of health.

We were very much humiliated
not to say mortified last summer
by an error which we inadvertently
made in our secret department
for advice on all questions. Until
now we have carefully guarded
the secret, fearful of dire results
but it seems that all danger is
passed so we tell the following
one on ourselves. On the same day
last summer we received a letter
from a client asking for advice as
to how to exterminate crickets, and
one from an anxious mother of
twins who were encountering dif
ficulty in teething. In some way
we got the two answers mixed and
sent to the man afflicted with
crickets the following: "Wrap
flannel cloths around their
throats. Rub gums with castor oil,
and massage their stomachs twice
a day"—while to the anxious
mother we wrote—"Cover with
dry straw. Soak thoroughly with
coal oil and apply a match. The
little pests will soon stop bother
ing you."

An ambitious but unthinking
young man told us yesterday that
he was thinking of asking Mr.
Bill West for a loan of a hundred
dollars and wanted advice as to
how to approach him. We sug
gested that he approach Mr. West
in one of those medieval coats of
armor.

We called on a sick friend of
ours Sunday afternoon and on in
quiring of the nurse in charge
how the patient was progressing,
received the reply that he was
convalescing. I told her that in
that case, I'd just wait till he was
through. You can imagine my
surprise when the nurse hotly in
formed me that I'd do no such
thing.

THAT'S ME—

I'm the guy that drops in just
at meal time. I never realize it is
as late as it is, but since you in
sist I'll eat with you, I pretend
that it is always an accident, but
if you put up with it, you will find
me a pretty regular visitor. I like
to eat and if not invited I invite
myself. No use to pay a cafe or
eat at home as long as I have
some soft friends I can sponge
off of.

TEXAS HEREFORDS

Texas Herefords are the best in
the land. They were the royalty
of both the Kansas City Royal and
the International at Chicago.

A bull from the Largent herd at
Merkel rated the royal purple at
Chicago, animals from the David
son herd at Ozona were in the big
money at Kansas City. Both breed
ers have shown at San Angelo,
and likely will have animals here
at the spring fat stock show.

Quality livestock is a mighty
good advertising medium for
West Texas. Largent and David
son are rendering a service that
will mean more breeders and bet
ter herds in the ensuing years.
And there never was a time that
quality counted as much as it does
now, when prices on the common
stuff are hardly enticing.—Stand
ard-Times.

"SWING TO THE RIGHT"

The panic is passing. The hard
times are practically worn out.
The depression is fading away.
Light is breaking through the
clouds. Scraps of the silver lining
are clearly in sight. Proof of radical
improvement in business, in
industry, comes in from every
side. It is in the air; it is in the
consciousness of men everywhere.
The worst is over and prosperity
is coming back.

Psychology is a wonderful
thing,—a tremendous force. When
everybody gets into the way of
thinking that certain things are to
happen, they will happen and that
is all there is to it. Just now ev
erybody is making up his mind
that the business depression is
over, that there is to be a radical
change. When that state of mind

THAT'S ME—

I'm the guy that drops in just
at meal time. I never realize it is
as late as it is, but since you in
sist I'll eat with you, I pretend
that it is always an accident, but
if you put up with it, you will find
me a pretty regular visitor. I like
to eat and if not invited I invite
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quality counted as much as it does
now, when prices on the common
stuff are hardly enticing.—Stand
ard-Times.

"SWING TO THE RIGHT"

The panic is passing. The hard
times are practically worn out.
The depression is fading away.
Light is breaking through the
clouds. Scraps of the silver lining
are clearly in sight. Proof of radical
improvement in business, in
industry, comes in from every
side. It is in the air; it is in the
consciousness of men everywhere.
The worst is over and prosperity
is coming back.

Psychology is a wonderful
thing,—a tremendous force. When
everybody gets into the way of
thinking that certain things are to
happen, they will happen and that
is all there is to it. Just now ev
erybody is making up his mind
that the business depression is
over, that there is to be a radical
change. When that state of mind

becomes fixed, prosperity will be
back.
Already business men are perk
ing up; timid souls have quit
shivering; wage earners are go
ing back on the payrolls; smoke
stacks are beginning to belch;
wheels are beginning to hum;
money is coming out from under
the rubbish; hope and courage
and determination are reviving.

All that is needed now is for
everybody to swing to the right.
When the way is dark, the road
uncertain, the careful, experienc
ed driver will swing to the right.
It is a good rule. It has prevented
many a crash. And if it is a good
rule in driving, it is a good rule
in every other activity in life. If
everybody will swing to the right
and keep moving, the road will be
kept open; there will be no jam
no crash. The natural current of
business, industry, commerce, will
find its natural channel. The pan

ic will be over, normal prosper
ity will be an established fact.
Depression is very largely a
state of mind. Cut it out and
it will be well.—Times, Halley, Idaho

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montgomery
and their infant daughter, Le
Verne, are here from Fort Stock
ton for a visit with friends and
relatives.

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Diet Didn't Do This!

HAPPY little girl, just bursting
with pep, and she has never
tasted a "Tonic!"
Every child's stomach, liver, and
bowels need stimulating at times,
but give children something you
know all about.
Follow the advice of that famous
family physician who gave the
world Syrup Pepsin. Stimulate the
body's vital organs. Dr. Caldwell's
prescription of pure pepsin, active
senna, and fresh herbs is a mild
stimulant that keeps the system
from getting sluggish.
If your youngsters don't do well
at school, don't play as hard or eat
as well as other children do, begin
the evening with Dr. Caldwell's

Syrup Pepsin. This gentle stimulant
will soon right things! The bowels
will move with better regularity
and thoroughness. There won't be
so many sick spells or colics. You'll
find it just as wonderful for adults,
too, in larger spoonfuls!

Get some Syrup Pepsin; protect
your household from those blasp
hemy days, frequent headaches, and
that sluggish state of half-health that
means the bowels need stimulating.
Keep this preparation in the home
to use instead of harsh cathartics
that cause chronic constipation if
taken too often. You can always
get Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at
any drug store; they have it all
ready in big bottles.

Give Furniture

A Gift The Whole Family Will Enjoy

Here is an unparalleled opportunity to realize remarkable savings on highest quality furniture. Below we list a few items at special Pre-Christmas saving prices. These are cash prices—marked to sell cheaper than we can put them back in stock.

8 PIECE DINING ROOM SUITE, Was \$200, NOW	\$135.00
4 PIECE BEDROOM SUITE, Was \$75, NOW	\$49.00
4 PIECE BEDROOM SUITE, Was \$185, NOW	\$125.00
4 PIECE BEDROOM SUITE, Was \$100, NOW	\$75.00
4 PIECE BEDROOM SUITE, Was \$165, NOW	\$105.00
4 PIECE BEDROOM SUITE, Was \$116.50, NOW	\$80.00
EXTRA NICE ODD DRESSER, Was \$60, NOW	\$38.00
EXTRA NICE ODD DRESSER, Was \$75, NOW	\$40.00
EXTRA NICE ODD DRESSER, Was \$67.50, NOW	\$37.50
UNUSUAL BARGAIN ODD DRESSER, Was \$85, NOW	\$45.00
2 AXMINISTER RUGS, Formerly Sold for \$75, NOW each	\$50.00
AXMINISTER RUG, Formerly \$20, NOW a bargain at	\$14.00
2 AXMINISTER RUGS, formerly \$45, NOW each	\$32.00
3 AXMINISTER RUGS, Formerly \$28, NOW each	\$19.00
2 AXMINISTER RUGS, Formerly \$80, NOW	\$55.00
2 AXMINISTER RUGS, Formerly \$58, NOW	\$35.00
1 CHENILLE RUG, Formerly \$100, a real bargain at	\$50.00
BREAKFAST ROOM SUITE, Was \$25, NOW	\$17.50
BREAKFAST ROOM SUITE, Was \$20, NOW	\$15.00
BREAKFAST ROOM SUITE, Was \$15, NOW	\$11.00

JOE OBERKAMPF

Gift Headquarters for Ozona

TIME COUNTS

when you're in PAIN!

Insist on genuine Bayer Aspirin; not only for its safety, but its speed.
Take a tablet of Bayer Aspirin and some other tablet, and drop them in water. Then watch the Bayer tablet dissolve—rapidly and completely. See how long it takes to melt down the other.
That's an easy way to test the value of "bargain" preparations. It's a far better way than testing them in your stomach!
Bayer Aspirin offers safe and speedy relief of headaches, colds, a sore throat, neuritis, neuralgia, lumbago, rheumatism, or periodic pain. It contains no cocaine, irritating particles or impurities.



The Spirit of Santa Claus

How inspiring is the thought of Santa Claus, that ruddy, happy, affectionate bearer of gifts.

First on his beloved reindeer, now in that modern miracle known as the airplane, he spreads his beneficence over the entire world. He leaves no town or city without making it a better, gayer, more contented place because of his visit.

Catch the Santa Claus spirit! Become imbued with his unselfish ideal of SERVICE.

You, too, can spread good cheer. You, too, can add to the sum of human happiness.

You can do for YOUR OWN HOME TOWN what the Spirit of Santa Claus and the strides of mechanical progress are doing for the whole world.

When you purchase some things in the city, some things by mail, and other things at home, you are dissipating the creative strength of your money.

When you do ALL YOUR BUYING AT HOME, YOU ARE DOING A GREAT THING FOR THIS TOWN. YOU ARE CONTRIBUTING TO ITS GROWTH. YOU ARE HELPING ITS MERCHANTS IMPROVE THEIR ESTABLISHMENTS. YOU ARE HELPING THEM IN THEIR PROMOTION OF COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES AND ASSOCIATIONS.

At the same time, you are helping yourself—the more fertile you make the soil of YOUR OWN HOME TOWN, the greater become your own opportunities for prosperity and success.

Don't carry your bag of good things elsewhere—concentrate your activities and purchases in this town—and you will make it a happier, more prosperous and more livable community because you have lived in it!

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Texas Wool Industry

By W. E. TALBOT

Editor's Note—This the twelfth of a series of articles dealing with the possibilities of the wool industry in Texas. Colonel Talbot, managing director of the Southwest Industrial Development Bureau, is an acknowledged authority on the subject of industrialization for Texas.

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Let us now assume that we are producing cloth from our own wool and mohair. There has sprung up in Texas many cutting plants which are equipped with designers who have had vast experience in the East and who are today capable of putting out suits that are comparable with those of any Eastern manufacturer. This last year two concerns averaged 700 suits a week, and their entire output was consumed in the immediate vicinity of Dallas.

The question naturally arises as to the cost of establishing a woolen mill. These figures I am giving are based on the idea of a scouring plant, as well as the manufacture of cloth. A plant can be started which would turn out approximately 10,000 yards of cloth per week for a cost of about

\$250,000. This would be exclusive of buildings and working capital. It would employ about 200 of our people. It would use about 30,000 pounds of our raw wool weekly, or 1,560,000 pounds annually, with cloth enough to make an annual production of around 175,000 men's suits. The different component parts of this plant would be:

1. Wool scouring.
2. Carding and combing.
3. Spinning.
4. Weaving.
5. Dyeing and finishing.

As there are approximately 1,000,000 men in Texas alone who would buy at least one wool suit each a year, you can readily see the opportunities for this plant. Then, taking into consideration the trade territory that our prices would govern, there is ample outlet for a big portion of our wool and mohair.

In the next article I will endeavor to show you how, at no cost to yourself, we can put the wool industry over in Texas and give employment to our people and fair prices to our wool growers.

Next Week: "How to Put the Wool Industry Over in Texas."

SUNFLOWER CLUB

Mrs. Charles E. Davidson, Jr., entertained the Sunflower Club and a number of guests with three tables of bridge at the Hotel Ozona Tuesday afternoon. The tables, Christmas candles and a Christmas tree with gifts for the winners of various honors in the games made beautiful decoration. Mrs. J. W. North was presented with an atomizer for club high. Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., beads for guests high and Mrs. Glenn Taylor powder for low. Other guests were: Miss Wayne Augustine, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Ralph Meinecke, Mrs. Evert White, Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, Miss Ethel Childress, and Miss Alynne Friend.

FRIDAY CLUB

Mrs. S. M. Harvick entertained the following two tables of members of the Friday Club at her home Friday: Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Mrs. V. I. Pierce, Mrs. Roy Henderson, Mrs. Fred Deaton, Mrs. John Bishop, Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mrs. Joe T. Davidson and Mrs. Wayne West.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ben Ingham were business visitors to San Antonio and Del Rio last week.

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SENIOR B.Y.P.U. PROGRAM December 18, 1932

JESUS, THE FINAL JUDGE
Temporal Judgment and a Final Judgment—Rev. M. M. Fulmer.
The Object of the Final Judgment—Massie Ray Smith.
The Judge in the Final Judgment—Mrs. Royce Smith.
The Judgment Scene in Matt. 25:31-46—Troy Williams.
Some Concluding Observations—Bobbie Moore.

Ramsay's Nursery, Austin, Texas, has been selling home-grown trees of the highest quality for 57 years. Their products give returns in health and beauty, and help fight the depression. This is a good time to plant Fruit Trees, Pecans, Berries, Shade Trees, Evergreens, Roses, Flowering Shrubs, Bulbs. Write for their free catalogue of reduced prices. 34-13tc

Ben Lemmons, who recently underwent an operation in an El Paso hospital, returned to his home here Sunday.

POSTED—All my pastures in Crockett County, hunting and trapping and all trespassing positively forbidden. Floyd Henderson. 11-1-32

POSTED
All our pastures in Crockett County are posted. Hunting and all trespassing positively forbidden. W. R. & J. M. Baggett. 1-25

Catherine Childress, Beecher Childress, Joyce McIntire and Marie Williams are all recovering from light attacks of pneumonia.

Only twenty per cent of the residents of New York have bank accounts.

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WHAT DO YOU EXPECT OF A DAIRY RATION?

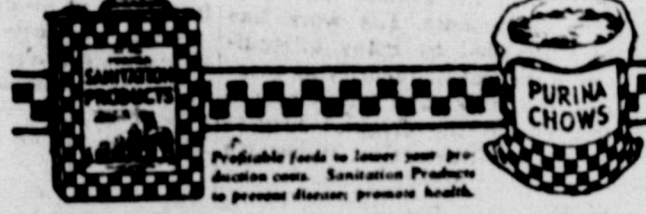
1. Lowest Cost Per 100 Pounds Milk.
2. A Sound Cow and A Sound Udder.
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4. Ability to Breed Regularly.
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6. Sustained Production Through the Year.
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FEED PURINA COW CHOW IF YOU WANT THESE

Come in and let us figure with you on your Dairy Ration. We've got bargain prices on COW CHOW that you will be glad to hear. And with COW CHOW you can do these seven big things—AND LOWER YOUR COSTS.—COME IN.

LUTHER & NEWBERRY

Ozona Phone 257 Barnhart



BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

Ozona Baptist Sunday School attained the rank of a Standard School as a result of the recent training school. It was learned this week.

Illness cut down on attendance Sunday, the total for the day being only 71. The offering amounted to \$4.08.

Next Wednesday night is Workers' Monthly Council meeting. All teachers are urged to be present.

POSTED NOTICE

The entire Hoover Estate is posted and any trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Mrs. Laura Hoover and family. 10-1-32.

Say "I saw it in the Stockman."

LEAGUE PROGRAM December 18, 1932

EVERYBODY'S BROTHER

Leader—Max Schneemann.

Everybody's Brother—Gladene Coates.

Prayer

Meaning of the Word Brother—Ella Bright Baggett.

Hymn—No. 95.

Jesus Fasting—Maggie Seaborn

Jesus Judging—Esther Kate Pierce.

Hymn—No. 102.

Raymond Lull—Willie V. Coose.

Hymn—No. 98.

Patience—Martin Harvick.

POSTED—All my pastures west of Ozona in Crockett County, hunting, fishing and all trespassing positively forbidden. LEE CHILDESS 1-33

A Real Christmas Greeting

Your voice over the long distance telephone to a loved one far away. It costs so little—why not send your greetings over the wires.

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To help you meet the present general conditions, we have made drastic reductions in all our prices of service and repair work. The same guaranteed service, by expert workmen at LOWER PRICES. EVERYTHING REDUCED. Let us quote prices on that job.

Just a Few of the Remarkable Savings—Other Prices Proportionately Low

 <p>TIRE REPAIRING</p> <p>Regular punctures, changing, vulcanizing and re-mounting.</p> <p>25c</p>	 <p>WASHING</p> <p>ALL CARS</p> <p>Including vacuum cleaning interior</p> <p>\$1.00</p>	 <p>GREASING</p> <p>ALL CARS</p> <p>Including all chassis grease, Transmission and differential grease extra.</p> <p>\$1.00</p>	 <p>GENERAL REPAIRS</p> <p>PRICES REDUCED</p> <p>25%</p>
 <p>BATTERY RECHARGING</p> <p>First class rent batteries for your use while your battery is being charged.</p> <p>75c</p>	 <p>EXIDE BATTERIES</p> <p>\$1.50 TRADE-IN value on any old battery—any make—any condition.</p> <p>\$8.50 \$10.00</p>	 <p>GOODYEAR TIRES—TUBES</p> <p>DISCOUNT ON ALL SIZES</p> <p>10%</p>	 <p>G.P.A. RADIATOR GLYCERIN</p> <p>GALLON</p> <p>Flush Radiators—Tighten hose connectionsFREE.</p> <p>\$2.00</p>

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GOODYEAR TIRES AND TUBES

Center Fort Lancaster Parade Ground Located By Surveyor In Tracing Down Lines Of University Land Holdings

Austin, Texas, Dec. 14.—J. H. Walker, State Land Commissioner, has issued a brief history of the lands which are owned by the University of Texas, in which he has pointed out some of the difficulties encountered in surveying these several blocks of holdings. The total receipts of the University from rentals on oil and gas leases during the two fiscal years ending August 31, 1932, was \$45,961.08; oil royalties received during the same period, \$2,484,353.99, and total of all royalties since oil was first discovered on University land in Reagan County in 1922 to the end of last fiscal year, \$15,560,567.02.

There have been three appropriations of land for the establishment and maintenance of a State university," Mr. Walker said in his report. "Fifty leagues, 221,400 acres, by the act of 1839; one million acres by the Constitution of 1876; one million acres by the act of 1883. Practically all of the first appropriation (fifty leagues) has been sold. There remains unsold two million acres. The constitutional appropriation was surveyed on the ground in blocks containing sections of 640 acres and field notes returned for each section. The legislative appropriation was surveyed by protraction in blocks with field notes returned only for the block lines and a map dividing the blocks into sections.

Friend Makes Survey

Under a contract with the regents of the University F. F. Friend, of San Angelo, an experienced and capable surveyor, is making a resurvey of all the University lands and is marking the sections on the ground with concrete monuments. His work has been attended by many difficulties in the way of identifying original land marks and following the footsteps of the original surveyors. As an illustration, it became necessary to determine the center point of the parade ground at old Fort Lancaster in order to ascertain the variations of the compass used by the original surveyor in running certain blocks keyed primarily to that point. It may be of interest to mention that the compass used by the original surveyor was that used by Horatio Christmas in surveying land in Austin's first colony and it may not be amiss to say this department in trying to aid Mr. Friend could secure no information from the "bureaus" at Washington.

"Another source of trouble in the resurvey is ground markings, some made by surveyors attempting to locate land certificates, some by shepherders as spot markers or as penitentes, and some by 'scrap' school land surveyors of more recent times. Rock monuments are not of cogent significance. This department takes the position that every foot of land within the original boundaries of the Universities land was segregated from the public domain by the act of surveying, and since that time has not been subject to location. It is surveyed land belonging to the State within the meaning of the law and is not subject to exploitation on the motion of an individual by reason of discovery.



LIFE a survival

Strolling along the bank of a trout stream on my farm the other day I saw a fish capture an incautious frog and proceed to devour it. Crossing the meadow on my way back to the house I saw a hawk pounce down upon a baby rabbit and heard the victim's shrill scream as the bird's talons pierced its skin. At the edge of my wife's flower garden I encountered a small, striped snake in the act of swallowing a toad.

That, I reflected, is life as the animals experience it. They prey upon each other and none is safe. But they have no other way to live. It would be as foolish to call the hawk, the snake or the fish wicked as it would be to call humans wicked because they, too, kill animals for their food.

Sloppy sentimentalists endow the lower animals with the same sensibilities and emotions as humans, and make a great fuss about the cruelty of life. No one who eats meat is in a position to criticize the hawk that eats rabbits and in time, a few thousand years, perhaps, men may get over the urge to kill other men because they dress differently, or speak a different language or get the bet-

ter of them in trade.

'CELLO the masterpiece

The greatest maker of violoncellos was Nicolas Amati, who died two hundred years ago in Cremona, Italy. The greatest maker of bows for violins and cellos was Alphonse Tourte of Paris, who died many years ago. The greatest 'cellist, until his death, was Alfredo Piatti of London, who owned Amati's finest 'cello and played it with Tourte's finest bow.

Probably the greatest living 'cellist is Willem Willeke, born in Austria of a Dutch father and an English-Hungarian mother and now an American citizen. He has owned Piatti's Amati 'cello for a long time. At a dinner given by music lovers in Willeke's honor the other night in New York, the Tourte bow which Piatti used was given to the 'cellist reuniting two famous instruments.

Nobody ever heard such music as Willem Willeke produced when he drew that bow across the strings of that 'cello.

CREDIT the original idea

When the five-day week and the "staggering" of hours of employment so that everybody will have a job become the general practice in the United States—and I see signs which make me believe that they are coming—perhaps the credit will go to the man who started the project, perhaps not.

The man is Isador Teitelbaum, who makes and sells fine furniture in New York. One day last fall Mr. Teitelbaum, who is a deep student of economic questions, outlined his idea of the short week and the wider distribution of jobs. "Come out to the national convention of the Furniture Association and tell them about it," his friend urged. Mr. Teitelbaum had never made a public speech in his life, but he talked that convention, representing employers of 100,000 men and women, into endorsing his plan.

Since then the shorter week and the staggered hours system has been put forward by hundreds of others, and it was one of the big features of the President's industrial conference a couple of weeks ago. Somebody else may get the credit for starting it, which is why I want to put it in the record now that it was Isador Teitelbaum's original idea.

Mrs. Frank McMullen, who has been ill for the past two weeks was taken to a San Angelo hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. George Montgomery has recovered from an attack of the flu the past week.

Gifts to Charm the Feminine Heart



NO GIFT ever quite so thoroughly thrills the feminine heart like clothes. "Feminine Finery" will gladden her heart like no other gift you could select.

SILK HOSIERY, LINGERIE, Pretty NIGHT GOWNS, STEPPERS, PANTIES, BLOOMERS, NEGLIGEEES, DRESSES, SWEATERS—any one of hundreds of gift suggestions in our big holiday stock would please her.

Useful gifts will be in order this Christmas. And what would be more acceptable to man, woman or child than something to wear. We have never offered a more complete line of high quality merchandise for Christmas giving. Shop Now! And don't fail to visit Lemmons. You can fill your whole list—gifts for every member of the family here.

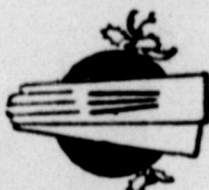


Gifts Men Will Appreciate

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Christmas Feast Dainties

Our regular truck service from San Antonio is bringing us fruits and vegetables cheaper than it has ever been possible to offer them in Ozona. Get your Christmas supply now.

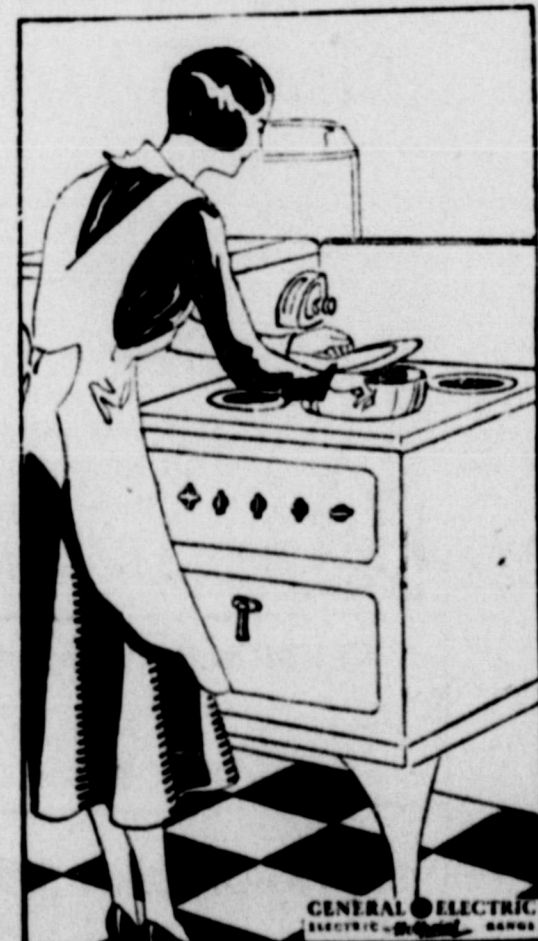
M. C. Couch

GROCERY—BAKERY—SANITARY DAIRY

"The Store That Lowered Prices In Ozona"

You Can Ease Mother's Cooking Tasks!

... Why Not Do It for Christmas?



Surely you want to make Mother's life easier, happier and more enjoyable! Then give her one of the new G. E. Hotpoint automatic Electric Ranges for Christmas this year. She'll thank you 'til the longest day she lives!

This modern "automatic cook" will mean golden hours of leisure . . . it will mean freedom from kitchen drudgery! With a modern Electric Range, Mother won't have to worry about cooking dinner. Instead, she'll enjoy long afternoons of visiting, bridge, social and civic activities—while dinner literally cooks itself . . . automatically, and at a substantial saving in food and fuel!

Can you imagine a Christmas gift more in keeping with the very spirit of Christmas? Can you picture anything that would please Mother more than this glorious new leisure and the assurance that she is serving more healthful and more appetizing meals—and saving time and money in the bargain?

The cost and terms are within reach of the most modest budget, so make Mother's kitchen beautiful, modern and labor free . . . THIS CHRISTMAS!

Call us for an individual investigation of your use of electric service to determine the cost of cooking by electricity in your home. You may be surprised to know that there are many cases where electric cooking actually decreases the total of electric and gas bills.

West Texas Utilities Company

DINNER AND BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson entertained their bridge club at their home last Thursday evening with four tables of players. A Christmas dinner was served and the home was beautifully decorated in the Christmas motif. Those enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Childress, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Denham, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mr. and Mrs. George Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McDonald and Mrs. J. W. Henderson.



One of New York's most famous department stores was well located when originally established but today, with business moving northward, is badly located. To overcome this the store operates a bus line between Grand Central Station, to its front doors. Of course, there is no charge for a ride.

The site where the Hotel Biltmore now stands was many years ago a vacant lot. This was the private pasture of the great Maud S., the favorite horse of William H. Vanderbilt.

Boys will be boys anywhere. Yesterday I saw the tattered wreck of a boy's kite flapping on a telephone wire over the crowded traffic of Lexington Avenue.

Most New Yorkers little realize how healthful a city they live in. The average general death rate in the nation's twenty-five largest cities in 1931 was 11.96 per 1,000 population, while New York City's rate was but 10.92. New York infants have a better chance of survival than those of Los Angeles with all its sunshine. Here in 1931 the infant death rate was 55.59 per 1,000 birth, as compared with an average of 59.58 for the twenty-five cities.

Forty-nine of the city's clubs

have a membership of 32,000. One man, Brigadier General Cornelius Vanderbilt II, is a member of 16.

One of the most conspicuous examples of what a billion dollars' worth of real estate looks like is provided by the lower section of Manhattan Island. Property covering a 500-acre area is assessed by the city at about \$1,000,000,000. Its estimated selling price is nearer \$1,500,000,000.

There are more telephones in New York City than in all Europe.

New York newspapers are devoting departments to "Tropical Fish as Pets, Their Care and Culture." That may give you some idea of the extent to which these pets have found their way into homes here.

Thirteen residents of New York are killed on the streets of New York by motor vehicles, on an average, every day.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce our new low prices for boots and repair work which take effect at once—

Boots, priced \$30
Now \$21
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Repair work 20% less

We guarantee the same first class materials and workmanship in every way.

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"Better Flowers For Less Money"

MRS. LAURA HOOVER
Florist
Phone 59

Mrs. Bright Baggett is confined to her home by illness.

ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

Miss Elizabeth Fussell entertained with four tables of bridge Saturday afternoon. Each table drew for high and red carnations

were given to Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Misses Mildred North, Maxine Murdock and Katharyn Williams.

Fruit cake and coffee were served to Misses Maxine Murdock, Mildred North, Ethel Childress, Aileen Hampton, Evelyn Webb, Patti Raiza, Ludee Mae Harrison

Katharyn Williams, Norene Allison, Lucille Williamson, Ada Moon and Sophie Haugh. Mrs. C. S. Den-

ham, Mrs. Royce Smith, Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mrs. Ruth Smith.



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<p>DOLLS!</p> <p>We are sure that you will find just the Doll you are wanting in our large assortment. All kinds including the new "Tru-Flesh" Rubber Dolls.</p> <p>5c to \$1 & up</p>	<p>Christmas Greeting Cards</p> <p>Beautiful new designs Expressing just the Sentiment you wish to convey—Lined Envelopes to match.</p> <p>1c, 5c, 10c each</p>	<p>CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHT SETS</p> <p>Complete with Wire, 8 Globes</p> <p>Beautiful Your Christmas Tree and delight the kiddies.</p> <p>39¢ Extra Globes 5c</p>	<p>TOOL CHESTS</p> <p>Everything that the boy could want to do his building with.</p> <p>Only 98c</p>
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