

# THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, Friday, December 23, 1921

No. 16

## Tahoka Young People in Auto Wreck

### is Turned Turtle enroute To Lubbock Sunday Afternoon

While enroute to Lubbock Sunday afternoon, Messrs. Hardy Powers and Carl Griffing, accompanied by Miss Lola Donaldson, this city, and Miss Ann Marshall of O'Donnell, had the misfortune to have the Ford car in which they were traveling turn completely upside down, three of the party sustaining only minor bruises, while Mr. Powers suffered three broken ribs in the crash.

It is stated by the party of young people that they were traveling at a moderate speed when the Ford roadster in attempting to drive around a curve, hit the cap on the left front wheel, turning the jitney over with the above results.

The roadster, containing four young men, was not damaged in the least. The young men are said to have greatly regretted that they caused the accident and returned to the injured parties and offered every assistance possible.

Powers was placed in a waiting automobile and rushed to Lubbock where he received medical aid in a sanitarium. Later reports state that he was resting well and would be able to return some the middle of the week.

The young ladies were enroute to Lubbock to be in attendance at the Teachers' Institute and proceeded on their way Sunday afternoon.

Carl Griffing returned to Tahoka late Sunday afternoon.

Mesdames W. B. Slaton, Paul Miller, Hansford Tunnell and H. P. Caveness were Lubbock visitors Wednesday attending the opening exercises of the Teachers' Institute in session in that city this week.

Uncle Will Brown has purchased the residence property of A. W. White on South Sweet street.

S. B. Hatchett, of the West Texas Real Estate Co., spent Sunday in Lubbock.

## Tahoka Renders Opening Exercise Program At Institute

On Wednesday morning Tahoka rendered a splendid program at the opening exercises of the Teachers' Institute in session at Lubbock. Some six or seven hundred teachers are in attendance at the institute. Those on the program from Tahoka were as follows:

Jeanette Caveness	Recitation.
Juanita Haynes	Piano Solo.
Lucile Slaton	Recitation.
Birntah Small	Recitation.
Miss Era Small, Teacher of music in Tahoka High School—	Piano Solo.

### Magnolia News

Mrs. Buck Bailey returned last week from the convention at Dallas, bringing home with her a fine nine month old boy that she adopted white there.

The Magnolia community had with them on last Friday night, the Commercial Clubs of Tahoka and Post, there was quite an interesting discussion which was enjoyed by all presents, we were glad to have them with us and welcome them back. Tahoka tendered us a special invitation to a New Year's Eve Banquet.—Magnolia Correspondent in the Post City Post.

Miss Frankie Wells visited with her brother, Thurman, in O'Donnell this week.

Miss Bland Burekhardt came in Saturday from Johnson county, where she has been teaching school. She will visit with her parents in the Grassland community, and also attend the Teachers' Institute at Lubbock.

Miss Annie Belle Clinton came in Saturday from Caldwell, Texas, where she has been attending college and will spend the holidays with home folks.

Chester Connolly, owner of the Connolly Motor Co., spent last week with his little daughter in Whitey, Texas.

Mrs. Frank H. Weaver and children left Sunday via Post for Coleman, to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Strong.

## Christmas Morning



### Tahoka Party Hunting On Llano River

Early Friday morning of last week Messrs Eli Lam, B. C. King, Jno. Donaldson and two gentlemen from the Grassland community, departed overland on a hunting expedition on the Llano river in Mason county. They expect to be absent from home one week, returning today.

Miss Dovie Collenback, a student of Howard-Payne college at Brownwood, came in the past week and will spend the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Will Quinn, of Slaton, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer.

Miss Ann Martin, principal of the O'Donnell schools, spent Saturday and Sunday here enroute to the Teachers' Institute at Lubbock.

Carroll Hargis, formerly an employee of the Lubbock Avalanche, has accepted a position in the mechanical department of the News.

Cashier Frank H. Weaver, of the Guaranty Bank, was an O'Donnell visitor Sunday.

I. S. Doak and family were O'Donnell visitors Sunday.

Henry Lindley becomes an appreciated reader of the News with this issue.

Charley Tunnell returned the past week from Ft. Worth, where he has been the past few months taking a business course.

Mrs. S. J. Smith and children are spending the holidays in Coleman, Texas.

Guy King and daughter, Miss Auline, of Abilene, are visiting friends and relatives in Tahoka this week.

Misses Mary Walker, Leota Knight, Leona Key, Aude V. McCormack and Ida Small, students in Simmons college, Abilene, Texas, came in the first of the week and will spend the holidays with home folks.

### Cotton Picking Machine Soon to be on Market

A merger between the Wichita Motor Co. and the Price-Campbell Cotton Picker Corporation of New York will result in the production of a cotton picking machine in Wichita Falls in the near future. The new model is said to be lighter and far superior to those types made for experimental purposes, and it is claimed that it will pick 7,000 pounds of seed cotton in a ten hour day better than can be accomplished by human hands.

It is asserted that the machine will gather at least 95 per cent of the cotton in a single trip with no damage to stalks, foliage, unopened bolls or blooms. When not in use as a picker, the machine can be used as an ordinary farm tractor or furnish motor power. An attachment can be added as well for spraying cotton at night with calcium arsenate as a preventative against the boll weevil.

Judge B. P. Maddox and family are spending the holidays in Graford, Texas. The judge ordered the News to follow them that he might keep up with the various happenings in Tahoka and surrounding communities.

Attorney G. E. Lockhart is looking after some cases in court at Lubbock this week.

### American Legion Men

Don't forget the annual meeting Jan. 5th, at the courthouse. All exservice men welcome.

J. S. Weatherford, a former Tahoka citizen, spent the past week in Tahoka looking after business matters. Mr. Weatherford moved his family to Lubbock several weeks ago in order that Mrs. Weatherford might receive medical aid in a sanitarium.

Presiding Elder, G. W. Shearer accompanied by Rev. Ross, of Lubbock, filled the pulpit at the Methodist church Saturday night and Sunday, returning to their home Monday morning.

### Baptist Revival Closed With Sunday Night Service

The Baptist revival, which was conducted by the pastor for two weeks, closed with last Sunday night's service.

Quite a few conversions was had and a general reviving of the membership and christians of the city was the results of the meeting.

Rev. Doshier delivered some strong sermons, although he was under the weather a portion of the time and was not feeling his best.

The splendid choir rendered some very fine music which added much to the success of the services.

### Married

Rev. E. M. Brunson, Baptist minister, residing just south of Tahoka, united in marriage Saturday afternoon, Mr. Jim Fenton and Miss Cora Parryman, popular young people of Lynn county.

The News joins their host of mutual friends here in wishing them a long and happy married life.

The News is glad to enroll Rev. E. M. Brunson as a regular reader of this paper.

Roland Brown, who has held a position in the mechanical department of the News the past few weeks, left Saturday to spend the holidays with home folks in Brownfield.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. Odean Millman Monday, December 17, a fine boy.

J. C. Powers, of the firm of Anthony & Powers, went to Lubbock Monday morning to attend the bedside of his son Hardy, who was injured in an auto wreck Sunday afternoon, and was taken to a sanitarium in Lubbock for treatment.

### Dixie 12 New Home 8

In a game of basket ball played between New Home and Dixie, last Friday afternoon, Dixie won the game by a score of 12 to 8. The game was closely contested and a large crowd from both communities to witness the contest.

## Bentley to Meet Denton at Lubbock

### Scheduled Ten-Round Bout To be Staged December 23 to be Fast One

Lubbock, Dec. 19—Joe Denton of Tahoka, welterweight fighter, is slated to meet Rufe Bentley of Brownwood, in a ten-round bout here December 23 under the auspices of the Lubbock Post of the American Legion.

Considerable interest is being manifested both in Lubbock and over the South Plains, particularly at Tahoka, the home of the "Wildcat" as Bentley was given a draw with Denton in a former bout, and it is predicted that the coming affair will be one of the most sensational engagements the South Plains welter has ever engaged in.

"Clever" Joe Denton is well known over the entire Panhandle and West Texas as a fast, hard fighter, and his many friends are strong in their belief that he will stop the Brownwood man before the ten rounds have been fought.—Amarillo Tribune.

Will Montgomery went up to Lubbock Friday to be in attendance at the bedside of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Hardy Montgomery, who was in a critical condition with flu-pneumonia at that time. She reported very much improved at this writing.

Miss Coy Napier is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Dodge Westfall, in Canyon City.

Superintendent H. P. Caveness, of the Tahoka Public Schools, is attending the Teachers' Institute at Lubbock this week.

Misses Thelma Hickerson and Marlie Lowe departed for Lubbock Sunday to be in attendance at the Teachers' Institute.

Dr. Copeland, of Treadway, was a business visitor in Tahoka Saturday of last week.

Emmett Flemming left Saturday for Post, where he will again accept a position with the Santa Fe Railway Co. Emmett has been acting as relief man for the company the past several months.

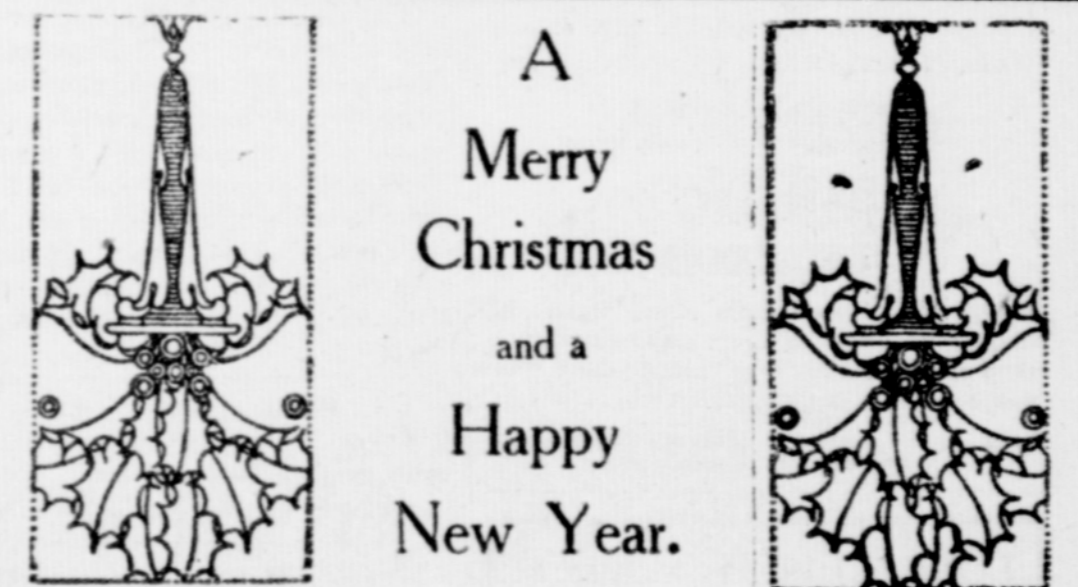


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### Cuticura Soap Complexions Are Healthy

Not Vain. "How long have you been indisposed, my poor fellow?" asked a kind-hearted visitor at a local hospital of a big negro who was strapped up in bed with an injured back. "Dis ain't no pose 'tall, miss," answered the patient in tones of disgust. "Dis am merely de careless manner in which dem forgetful doctors went away and lef me yestiddy."



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Privately Conducted. Professor—"What is a good conductor of electricity?" Student—"Telephone poles."—Science and Invention.

### WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble. Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions. Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

Heard in a Hall. "What is there on your hat that makes you so proud of it?" "The eyes of all the other women."

### COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" is Quickest Relief Known

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks any cold right up. The very first dose opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness. "Pape's Cold Compound" costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's!—Advertisement.

Value of New York Parks. Public park lands owned by New York city are appraised at \$489,982,000 as follows: Central, \$236,500,000; City Hall park, \$31,198,000; Battery park, \$16,527,500; Bryant, \$22,553,000; Riverside park, \$15,152,000; Manhattan square, \$11,275,000; Van Cortlandt park, \$13,250,000; Bronx park, \$8,611,900; Pelham Bay park, \$5,775,000; Prospect park, Brooklyn, \$33,600,000.

Gas, Indigestion, Stomach Misery —"Diapepsin" "Pape's Diapepsin" has proven itself the surest relief for Indigestion, Gases, Flatulence, Heartburn, Sourness, Fermentation or Stomach Distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief and shortly the stomach is corrected so you can eat favorite foods without fear. Large case costs only few cents at drug store. Millions helped annually.—Advertisement.

Painting the Rainbow. Alice—I want Jack to call this a regular love letter. Virginia—Put a P. S. "Please burn."

If the farmer is not sharp as a razor he can never succeed.

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### PEACE IN PACIFIC; TREATY IS SIGNED

TWO RESERVATIONS BUT U. S. POLICY TOWARD MANDATE NOT AFFECTED.

Washington.—The new four-power Pacific treaty was signed formally Tuesday, but the American delegates affixed their signatures to a written reservation that the treaty should not affect the American policy toward mandates nor cover any controversy involving a question within the domestic jurisdiction of any power.

In turn the plenipotentiaries of the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan placed their signatures upon the treaty and later signed copies both in English and French of the American reservation.

The reservation is in two parts, the first calculated to cover temporarily the question of Yap and other mandated islands which are to be made the subject of a special treaty.

The text of the reservations follows: "In signing the treaty this day between the United States of America, the British Empire, France and Japan, it is declared to be the understanding and intent of the signatory powers:

"1. That the treaty shall apply to the mandated islands in the Pacific Ocean; provided, however, that the making of the treaty shall not be deemed to be an assent on the part of the United States of America to the mandates and shall not preclude agreements between the United States of America and the mandatory powers, respectively, in relation to the mandated islands.

"2. That the controversies to which the second paragraph of Article 1 refers shall not be taken to embrace questions which, according to the principles in international law, lie exclusively within the domestic jurisdiction of the respective powers."

The President is said to feel that it will be unnecessary for him to take the treaty to the Senate in person or to transmit an extended message with it. The language of the document is regarded by Mr. Harding as speaking for itself.

The signatures were affixed in the ante-room of the office of the Secretary of State. There was no formal ceremony and no one was present except the plenipotentiaries, their secretaries and advisers.

### JAPAN AND U. S. SIGN YAP TREATY

EQUAL PRIVILEGE ON ISLAND PROVIDED; WE WILL HAVE ACCESS TO CABLES.

Washington.—The text of a treaty between the United States and Japan covering an agreement as to the status of the island of Yap was made public late Monday at the State Department.

The treaty prohibits fortification of the island of Yap and gives Japan the right to maintain order.

The United States under the treaty recognizes Japan's mandate given by the League of Nations over the German islands in the Pacific, north of the equator.

No licensing will be required of American firms who desire to construct either cable or radio facilities on Yap. In regard to radio arrangements, however, it is provided that so long as Japan maintains an efficient radio station on the island with unrestricted communications to other stations and to ships at sea the United States will not exercise its right of establishing an American station there.

The provision in regard to cable facilities is drawn in the broadest terms. It declared that the United States shall have "free access" to the island for purposes of cable communication in everything that relates to the Yap-Guam cable or to any other cable which American interests may desire to lay in the future.

The official communique referred as follows to the Yap settlement: "Mr. Hughes said (in the Far Eastern committee meeting) that he desired to announce an important matter to the committee although it was outside the proceedings of the conference. It was a matter that had almost been concluded before the conference convened. He was happy to say that it has now been completely settled and an agreement reached between the United States and Japan. He referred to the matter of Yap and the mandated islands north of the equator. A convention would be put in final shape and signed by the two Governments shortly."

The United States, under the Yap treaty, was said to have been given some of the existing cable facilities terminating on the island and also would be allowed to build new cable lines from the island. The United States also would be given the right to establish wireless stations.

"I understand the Lapidarians eat candles." "Must be a big to-do over a birthday cake."

Baby's little dresses will just simply dazzle if Red Cross Ball Blue is used in the laundry. Try it and see for yourself. At all good grocers.—Advertisement.

Seemed to Need Them. An absent-minded professor invited a number of learned Scotsmen to visit some interesting ruins in his neighborhood, and to do honor to his guests he donned Highland dress for the occasion.

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Thinking her master was in one of his vacant moods, she rushed upstairs, and in a few minutes appeared on the lawn with a pair of the professor's best trousers. She blushed as she said, pointing to the bare knees of the astonished Scot: "Please, sir, you've forgotten these."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

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### FARMER AND HIS WIFE BURNED IN HOME

Waco, Texas.—Charred almost beyond recognition, the bodies of Fritz Bertram, about 42 years old, and his wife, about 40 years, were found in the ruins of their home, which was destroyed by fire early Monday on the Axtell road, ten miles east of Waco. The heads and portions of the arms and legs had been burned from the bodies, there being practically nothing left but the trunks.

When Justice of the Peace J. R. Jenkins of Waco viewed the bodies, he found the remnants of a shotgun resting in what remained of Bertram's left arm. A shell in the gun had been exploded and another exploded shell was found in the debris. A verdict has not been rendered.

All of the implements used on the farm which could be placed in the house had been removed from the barn to the house and a big farm wagon had been drawn close to the flames. These were consumed by the flames.

Treaty on Navies Due This Week. Washington.—Instructions from Tokyo regarding the decisions of the Japanese Government on the naval ratio question are in the hands of the Japanese delegation. The nature of the communication was not made known, but it is indicated that further meetings of the big three probably will be necessary before Japan's stand on the 5-5-3 capital ship ratio will be definitely announced.

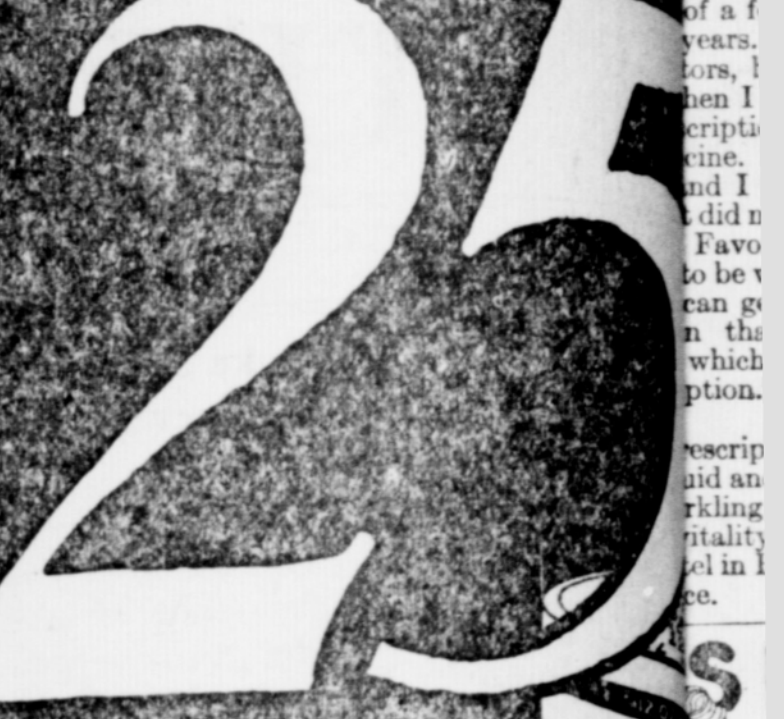
Nonvoters Must Pay Poll Taxes. Austin, Texas.—From letters received at the State Comptroller's Department, it appears that many persons, are under the impression that a poll tax, should not be required to pay the tax unless they intend to vote, Comptroller Lon A. Smith announced Monday afternoon. Comptroller Smith in letters which he has sent the Tax Collectors of the various counties, advises that this is the wrong impression.

Jurist Asks More Judges. Chicago, Ill.—Chicago has so many murder cases on the criminal docket that Chief Justice Kickham Scanlon Tuesday appealed for more Judges.

Richmond Reserve Rate Reduced. Richmond, Va.—The board of directors of the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond authorized a reduction in the discount rate from 5 1/2 to 5 percent. This is the second reduction this year.

\$243,042,060 IS STILL OWED TO RAILROADS. Washington.—Final payments to railroads by the Government on claims and adjustments arising out of war-time control are estimated to require \$243,042,060, according to a report sent by Director General of Railroads, Davis to the Senate in response to a resolution introduced by Senator La Follette (Rep.), Wisconsin. At the same time, he said that the administration had available cash credits with the Treasury of \$152,380,000 for use in the settlements and likewise holds much larger sums in securities. Director Davis, however, refused to report on a section of the La Follette resolution which requested details and items of the settlement made with individual roads.

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After Five Years of H. C. L. North—I used to be poor, but proud. West—Yes? North—I am no longer proud.

### What Kind of a Day Do You Wish Yourself

Suppose you could make a wish at breakfast table and finally have the wish true. Would you say, "I want this to be a good day," or "willing for this day to drag along?"

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### How is This For a Line Up?

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 Eastman Kodaks. "If it isn't an Eastman, it isn't a kodak."  
 Waterman Fountain Pens. "Standard Pen of the world."  
 Victrolas and Victor records. "Will there be a Victor in your home this Xmas?"  
 Eversharp Pencils. "The Pioneer Automatic Pencil."  
 Y-B Xmas Boxes Cigars. "B-Ys, smoke Y-Bs."  
 Hytone Kodak Albums. From \$1.35 up to \$3.50.  
 South Bend Watches. Guaranteed by J. C. May.  
 A large factory shipment of latest designs in cut glass just receive at a big saving in price to you.  
 Buy standard goods from a reliable firm for Xmas presents.

**Thomas Bros. Drug Co.**  
**The REXALL Store**  
**Tahoka, Texas**

Editor Bob Warren, of the Post City Post, states in his last issue that he would "rake off" next week and miss an issue of the Post in order to spend the holidays with relatives in Snyder.

It has been suggested by a good Lynn county farmer citizen that the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce take a census of the north, northwest, east and northeast portions of the county to ascertain the number of bales of cotton that has been raised this year. A large portion of the cotton raised in these communities is ginned in Lubbock, Slaton, Southland and Post. The News is in hopes that the local chamber will act on this matter and secure first hand data for publicity throughout the state.

Only a very few of our exchanges issued special Christmas numbers, judging from the appearance of a number received at this office. The News may not have made any great profit on our special Christmas edition issued last week, but we have the satisfaction of knowing that we put forth a special effort in order to please our subscribers, and make them feel proud of their home paper which is mailed out over the state and many other states. The News will continue to give the best service possible. Patronize the News and you help build up Tahoka and Lynn county. We appreciate the splendid patronage accorded us during the past year, and we hope every one will be repaid for their patronage, for we believe every dollar spent with the home paper is a good investment. We trust that you thoroughly enjoyed our Christmas number issued last week.

The News has had an order in for a big gully-washer rain for several weeks, but can not state just when the order will be filled. A good rain right now would greatly benefit everybody, no matter what business he may follow. Here's hoping we may have moisture before many more days have come and gone.

Mrs. W. J. West and daughter, Nola, were Tahoka visitors from Wilson Tuesday of this week.

FOR SALE—20 head Duroc pigs; \$3.00 each. John McNeely, 7 miles west of Wilson. 161te

#### A Card of Thanks

To our many Friends that helped in our offering to our Methodist Home at Waco. We take this opportunity of thanking you; May this Christmas be one of your brightest and best. We appreciate every cent even to the Pennys. May Gods richest blessings rest upon you.

Mrs. J. N. Thomas,  
 Local Rep.

A list of those who contributed to the Methodist Home at Waco.

J. A. Brashear	\$15.00
Mrs. G. M. Clayton	10.00
Mrs. J. N. Thomas	2.50
F. R. Popiwell	10.00
J. C. Powers	5.00
Praston Lee	5.00
Mrs. W. B. Slaton	2.50
S. E. Reid	5.00
C. W. Slover	5.00
Helen Brashear	5.00
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Mrs. G. W. Knoy	2.00
E. S. Davis	2.50
I. V. Bradley	2.00
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Dr. Callaway	5.00
Dr. Turrentine	2.50

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#### Political Announcements

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates for county, precinct, state and district offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July 1922:

#### For County and Dist. Clerk:

W. E. (HAPPY) SMITH  
 MRS. GLADYS M. STOKES  
 DON BRADLEY

#### For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

O. R. COOK  
 B. C. KING  
 A. L. NETTLES  
 W. M. (BILL) THOMPSON  
 S. W. SANFORD (re-election)

#### For County Treasurer:

MRS. ZOE LOWREY.

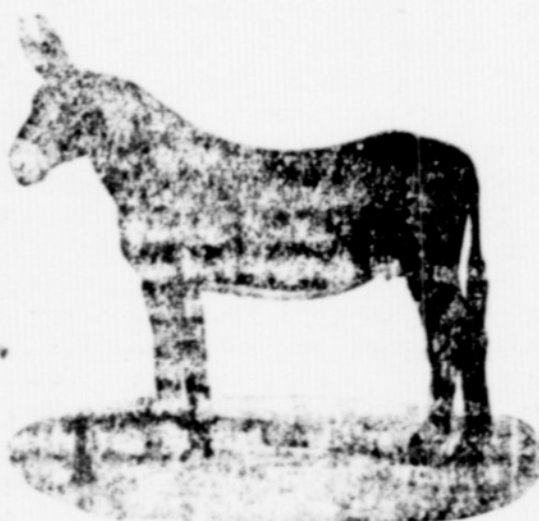
#### For Tax Assessor:

HANSFORD TUNNELL  
 (Re-election)

#### Hunting Quail in Air Plane the Latest Stunt

Hubert Chilton and Jack Horner went quail hunting in an aeroplane on Friday morning. They went 30 miles west of Lamesa, killed all the quail they they wanted, and were back in Lamesa in two hours and a half. They reported that it took them 25 minutes to reach the ranch, but only 6 minutes to come back to Lamesa, with the wind from the west.—Lamesa Journal.

L. Lumsden, vice president of the Wilson State Bank, was a business visitor in the county capitol Tuesday.



**My Jack**  
 Will make the season at my place southwest of Tahoka.

**George Short**

## BILLY'S TAILOR SHOP

BIDS YOU  
**Merry Christmas**  
 AND  
**Happy New Year**

All Work Called For and Delivered Anywhere in the City.  
 Laundry Basket Leaves Tuesday's—Returns Friday.

PHONE 90. Tahoka, Texas  
 Same Stand.

## Free Diagnosis Offered to All

Will give special rates for the month of December to those wishing to take advantage of this offer. Call at Dr. Hughes office, Room No. 1, over Guaranty State Bank.

I am a graduate of the American University of Chiropractic, Chicago, Ill. Also attended the College of Osteopathy and Surgery at Kansas City, Mo. In my treatments I use the Vapor Bath; also Hot Air Bath Spinal adjustments. I claim in restoring deceased conditions of the body to perfect health without the aid of drugs or surgery.

Will make calls at home if desired.

**Dr. W. F. Hughes.**

Office Phone, No. 200. Residence Phone, No. 33

## Dishes! Dishes! Dishes!

Gold Bond Cup & Saucers per set.....	\$1.00
Gold Bond Plates per set.....	\$1.00
Plain Plates per set.....	75c
Plain Cups & Saucers per set.....	75c
Other Dishes in Proportion.	

50 Lb. Sox Sugar per sack.....	\$6.85
Pure Ribbon Cane Syrup Can.....	\$5.40

## Lots of Dolls and Christmas Goods

Prices Right at all times

*J. M. Larkin*

**Store of Quality**

Our Motto

# Star Theatre

December 29th

## The Dawning of the Actual on the Screen

We doubt if the screen has ever presented a play that can be compared with this wondrous creation. Time and time again we read of comparisons to "The Miracle Man," "Way Down East," "The Four Horsemen" Humoresque" and others. But of "The Old Nest" we ask that you be both judge and jury. It is not melodrama; it is not tragedy to appeal you; it is not comedy to amuse you; it is not sentimentality to affect you to tears or long-ing. It is—LIFE!

Remember the date—Thursday, December 29th

TWO SHOWS Matinee and Night.

Matinee Starts 2:30 P. M. Admission 25c and 50c  
 Admission Includes War Tax

**STAR THEATRE**

TAHOKA,

TEXAS



### HOLIDAY RATES---HOLIDAY RATES

Low Round Trip Excursion Fares  
 From all points in Texas and New Mexico  
 to Various Destinations in  
 Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Louisiana,  
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For Particular see any "Santa Fe" Agent.

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# Follow the Crowd to the Jones Big Sale

We Are Putting on This Sale in Order to Make Room for Spring Goods. We Are Crowded for Room

Big Reduction on All Leather Suit Cases and Hand Bags

Just Received a Big Shipment of Ladies and Misses Coats We are Making a Big Reduction on them

Ladies Knit Skirts  
61c to \$1.25

One Lot of Men's Sweaters \$1.25

One Lot Percale 10

960 pairs of Ladies Hose 7 1-2c per pair

## Jones Dry Goods

"The Store That Strives to Please"

News advertisers deserve your trade.

### NOTICE IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn County—Greeting:  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be published once each week for a period of four successive weeks before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Lynn County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN the estate of J. S. Barnes, Deceased, notice is hereby given that Lula T. Barnes has filed an application in the County Court of Lynn County, on the 17th day of December, 1922, to establish the heirship of Lula T. Barnes, Mrs. Belle Stewart and J. M. Barnes in and to the estate of J. S. Barnes, deceased, and especially to establish their heirship in and to that part of said estate consisting of two town lots in the original town of Tahoka, and in Lynn County, Texas, and being known and described as all of Lots No. 1 and 2, in the Pickett and Penny Subdivision of Block No. 12, in said original town, as the same are shown by the recorded map and plat of said original town; and three certain promissory vendor's lien notes executed by W. M. Thompson to J. S. Barnes, or order, dated December 11th, 1916, given in part payment for the East One-half of Survey No. 3 in Block 2, surveyed by virtue of Certificate No. 351 issued to the E. L. & R. R. R. Co., and containing 320 acres of land situated in Lynn County, Texas, and said notes being secured in their payment by the vendor's lien expressly retained in the deed of conveyance dated December 11th, 1916, and duly recorded in Vol. 18, page 80, of the Deed Records of Lynn County, Texas, referred to in said application for a more complete description of said notes; said application alleging that J. S. Barnes died intestate, that no administration has been had upon his estate, that no necessity exists therefor and that Lula T. Barnes, Belle Stewart and J. M. Barnes are the only heirs at law of J. S. Barnes, deceased, and that they are entitled to all of said property, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 23rd day of January, 1923 at the Court House of said County, in Tahoka, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate and property are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
Witness my hand and official seal, at Tahoka, Texas, this 17th day of December, 1922.  
B. H. ROBINSON, Clerk,  
County Court, Lynn County, Texas.

### Exservice Men Attention

Your presence is needed at the American Legion Meeting of the courthouse Thursday night, Jan. 5th.

Wanted—Farm to work on shares, or would work by month; young married man. For further particulars call at the News office. 152tp

FOR SALE 26 pigs; weight 25 to 60 lbs; \$90 00 for bunch. L. H. Moore 2 1-2 miles south T-Bar School house. 152tp.

FOR SALE or TRADE --257 acre farm in Three Lakes community, 11 miles from Tahoka. See J. C. Welch at the Welch Meat Market.


### News Want Ads Get Quick Results

## IS YOUR HEALTH GRADUALLY SLIPPING?

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

Navasota, Texas.—Mrs. W. M. Peden, of this place, relates the following interesting account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was actually losing her health:  
"Health is the greatest thing in the world, and when you feel that gradually slipping away from you, you certainly sit up and take notice. That is what I did some time ago when I found myself in a very nervous, run-down condition of health. I was so tired and felt so lifeless I could hardly go at all.  
"I was just no account for work. I would get a bucket of water and would feel so weak I would have to set it down before I felt like I could lift it to the shelf. In this condition, of course, to do even my housework was a task almost impossible to accomplish.  
"I was . . . nervous and easily upset. I couldn't rest well at night and was . . . just lifeless.  
"I heard of Cardui and after reading I decided I had some female trouble that was pulling me down. I sent for Cardui and began it . . .  
"In a very short while after I began the Cardui Home Treatment I saw an improvement and it wasn't long until I was all right—good appetite, splendid rest, and much stronger so that I easily did my house work.  
"Later I took a bottle of Cardui as a tonic. I can recommend Cardui and gladly do so, for if more women knew, it would save a great deal of worry and sickness."  
The enthusiastic praise of thousands of other women who have found Cardui helpful should convince you that it is worth trying. All druggists sell it.

WISHING YOU  
**A Merry Christmas**  
AND A  
**Happy New Year**  
**Higginbotham-Bartlett Co.**  
Lumber Dealers  
Tahoka, Texas



**Ford**  
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

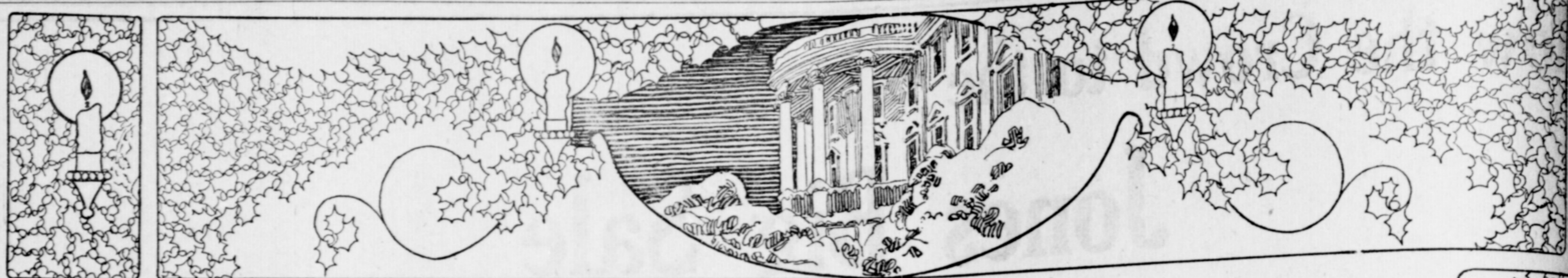
The Ford Sedan, with electric self-starting and lighting system and demountable rims with 3 1/2-inch tires front and rear, for every day in the year has no equal as a family car. Just as popular on the farm as it is in the city. In fact, it fits the family demands in every vocation of life. Large, roomy seats, finely upholstered, plate glass windows make it an open car in pleasant weather, while in rainy and inclement weather it becomes a closed car, dust-proof and rain-proof. It is not only comfortable, but really cozy, and above all, economical in operation and maintenance, and has all the Ford merits of strength and durability.

**Connolly Motor Company.**

The Connolly Motor Co. of Tahoka extends to all its patrons and friends good wishes for a Merry Christmas and a prosperous and Happy New Year.

**20 per Cent off on Ford Tires.**

**Connolly Motor Co.**  
Successor to Bradley-Tahoka Auto Co.  
Tahoka, Texas



# Christmas Greetings

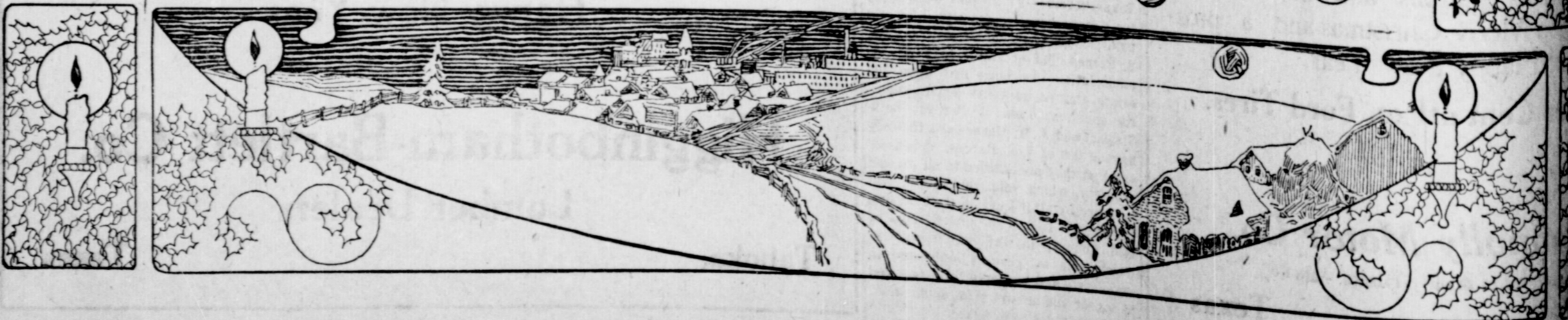
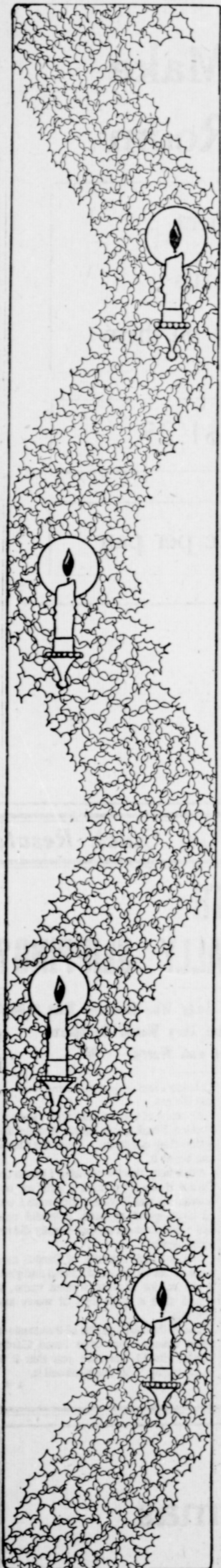
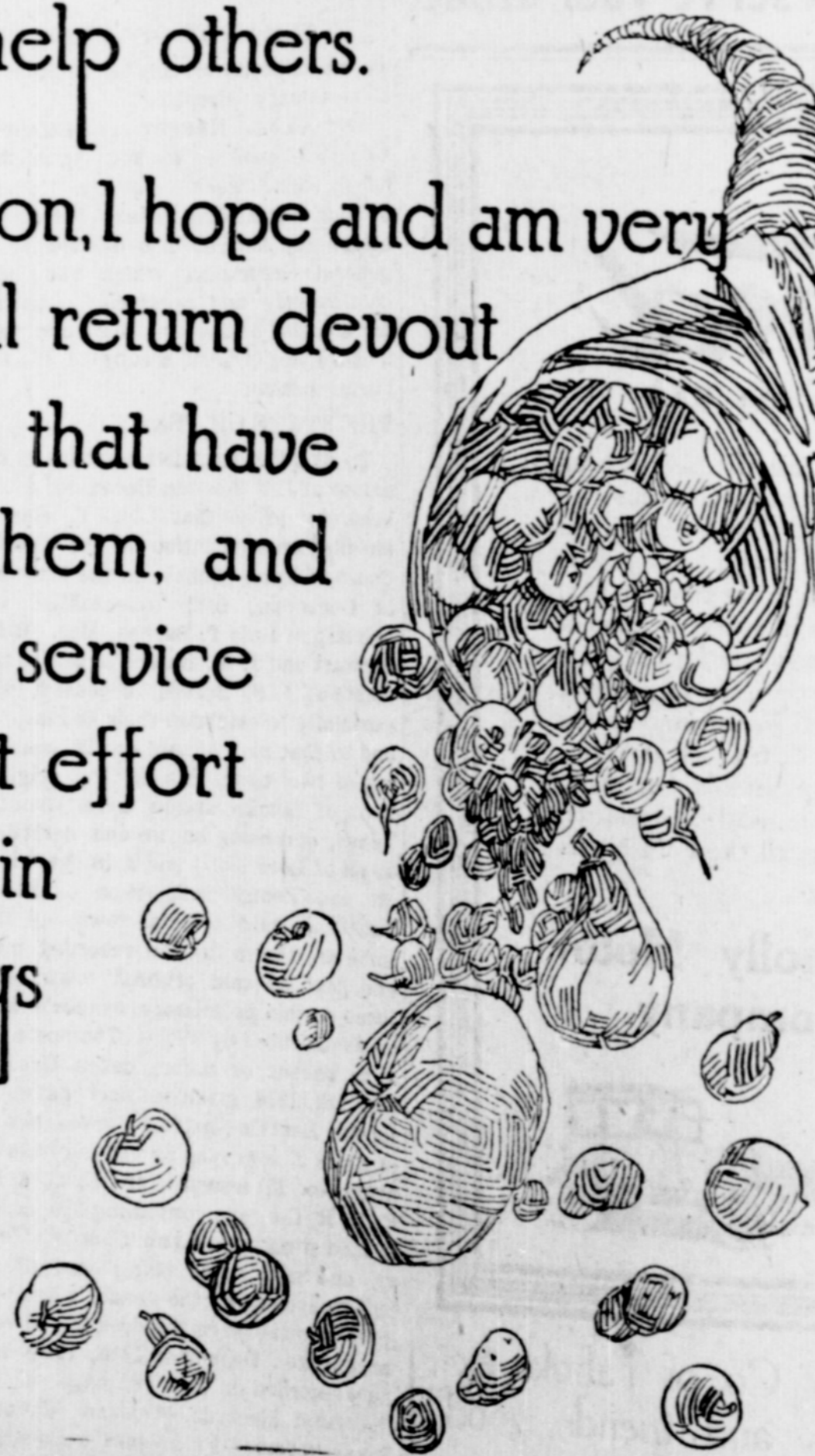
from the  
President of the United States

THE Christmas Season of 1921 comes to a world which I think we all realize has now set its feet fairly and firmly in the way of rehabilitation and of return to the safe ways of progress and construction.

Our own country may well regard itself as peculiarly fortunate both in its own bounteous resources and by reason of the opportunity which it has enjoyed of making its own good fortune and means to help others.

At this Christmas Season, I hope and am very sure that our people will return devout thanks for the blessings that have been bestowed upon them, and renew their pledges of service and usefulness of earnest effort and safe advancement in behalf of the best things in life.

*Woodrow Wilson*



Free Trial Bottles  
of Perfume for  
Your Own Test



# SPANISH DOUBLOONS

By CAMILLA KENYON

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Aspirin" without saying "Bayer."

Unless you see name "Bayer" on tablets, getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by 21 years and proved safe by millions for

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each package which contains proper directions.

12 tablets—Bottles of 24 and 100—All druggists.  
Bayer Manufacture of Monoclonal Acetate of Salicylic Acid

## SUPPLEMENT TO The Lynn County News

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No 16

### "Asleep at the Switch"



**Baptist Church Directory**  
Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. J. M. Doshier, pastor; Sunday school every Sunday at 10 A. M. J. C. May, Supt.; B. Y. P. U. 6:30 P. M., W. F. Hughes, president; W. M. U. each Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited to attend these services.

#### TAKING DESPERATE CHANCES

It is true that many contract severe colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads others to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and pave the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

### What Do you Want?

USE THE  
Classified Ad Columns

### J. C. MAY

Jewelryman-Watchmaker

Located First Door East

Thomas Bros.

TAHOKA, TEXAS

### A Merry Christmas to All

Remember us for Gas and Oil. Free air all the time.

Service Car anywhere—any time.

### HI-WAY DRIVE-IN FILLING STATION

P. S. "Si" Williams Prop.

### A MERRY CHRISTMAS

AND

### A Happy New Year

To all our friends and Customers

### City Bakery

Tahoka,

Texas

### Pay Us a Visit

It Will Save You Money

Here you will find the most wanted things for your Christmas dinner at prices that will surprise and please you.

Our meat department is always at your service, offering choice cuts at moderate prices. We wish for all our friends a very joyous Christmas and a Happy New Year. Remember us for your Christmas meats and fruits.

### WELCH MEAT MARKET

"The Most of the Best For the Least."

PHONE 49.

J. C. Welch, Prop.

### A Merry Christmas

Furniture, of all the gifts you might choose, brings to every member of the family a greater measure of pleasure and service than any other. What would be better than a nice Rug. We have many rich colorings and designs from which to select.

### J. E. STOKES FURNITURE STORE

West Side Square,

Tahoka, Texas

### Repairing By Mail

to us, and we will repair them, using the best of good honest work. Return them promptly, them on delivery. Our prices are reasonable, best dress: **BEEMAN SHOE CO., Inc., Dallas, Tex.**

"Miss Lily White will please stand up!"  
But Phoebe upward wriggled:  
"I'm Lily White—with Faultless Starch."  
And all the Pupils giggled.



### NOT MOVED BY LOVE ALONE

Great Botanist Had Another and Deeper Reason for His Seeming Act of Unselfishness.

The wife of the great botanist beamed at him across the supper table. "But these," she exclaimed, pointing to the dish of mushrooms that had been set before her, "are not all for me, Aristotle, are they?"

#### IN MID-AIR

"Yes, Mabel," he nodded. "I gathered them especially for you with my own hands."

She beamed upon him gratefully. What a dear, unselfish husband he was! In five minutes she had demolished the lot.

At breakfast the next morning he greeted her anxiously. "Sleep all right?" he inquired.

"Splendidly," she smiled. "Not sick at all—no pains?" he pressed.

"Why, of course not, Aristotle," she reproached.

"Hurrah!" he then exclaimed. "I have discovered another species of mushroom that isn't poisonous."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Precaution. "Look, here, Sancho Panza," exclaimed Don Quixote, "you have a most irritating way of giving my finest idealisms to a flat, unpoetical interpretation."

"I have tried to serve you faithfully."

"That's all right. But there's one thing you must promise me. Don't you ever attempt to write my biography."

How lucky is a man if what he likes to do best, also makes money.

Bayonets think, said Kossuth. And they also make whole nations think.

### Federal Bureau reminds children should not see or tea—why not think own health?

Federal Bureau of Education includes to promote health among the Nation's children, the warning that children should see or tea.

Reason is well known. Coffee and tea are stimulants which often over-nerve, and so upset health.

Reason is by no means confined to childly doctor can tell you.

If health is valuable to childhood, it is valuable always. If harm to health should be avoided until bodies grow up, is it worth taking a chance with health when bodies have grown up?

You can have that delicious and satisfying cereal beverage, Postum, with any meal, and be safe—you, and the children, too. There's charm without harm in Postum.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages of larger bulk, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared) made by boiling for 20 minutes. Sold by all grocers.

The road to health is a good road for anybody to follow

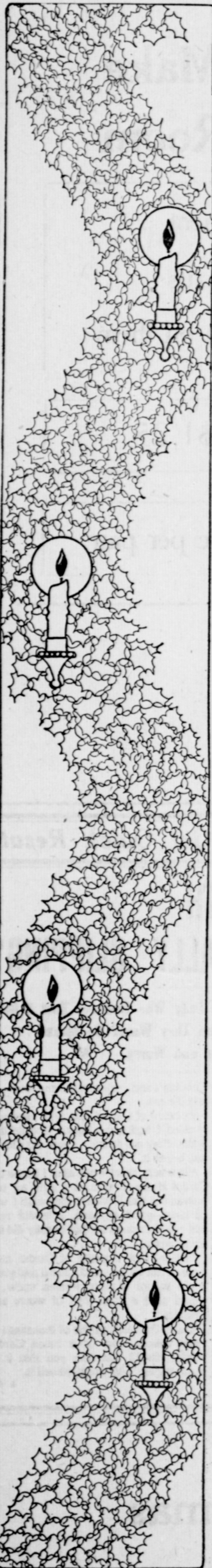
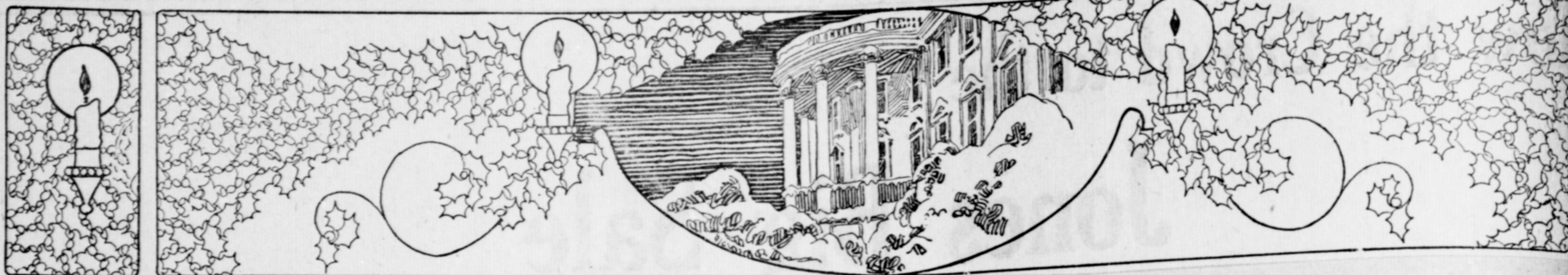
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Price list upon application  
Mail orders given prompt attention  
Agents wanted in each community  
We have the largest business of this kind outside of New York or Chicago  
**Houston Pleating & Button Co.**  
201 Kiam Bldg., Houston, Texas

**Red Cross BALL BLUE**  
The finest product of its kind in the world. Every woman who has used it knows this statement to be true.

for a sort of scarecrow to keep other people out of the cave."  
"But the gold?" protested Slinker. "They wouldn't leave that for a scarecrow, would they?"  
"Maybe not," admitted Tony, "but suppose that feller died awful slow, and went on hollering and clutching at the bags? Well, that cave wouldn't be a pleasant place to stay in, would it? And no one would have the nerve to snatch them bags away to bury 'em, 'cause a dying man, especially when he dies hard, can have an awful grip. So what they done was just to shovel the sand in on the gold they'd stowed away and light out quick."  
If the ingenuity of this reasoning was more remarkable than its logic, the pirates were not the men to find fault with it. Desire is the most eloquent of advocates, and the five ruff-

the object or my greed.  
But now, like a huge black Gany-mede, appeared Cookie, bearing cups and a large stone crock.  
"It subtinly am a fact, Mistah Chris, sah," said Cookie, "dat dey is a mighty unspirited fluidity 'bout dis yere spring watah. Down war I is come from no pussons of de Four Hund'ed ain't eveh 'customed to partake of such. But the sa-society I has been in lately round dis yere camp ain't of de convivulous ordah; ole Cookie had to keep it dark dat he got his l'il'e drop o' comfort on de side. Dis yere's only home-made stuff, sah. 'Tain't what I could offah to a gennelmen if so be I is got the makin's of a genuwine old-style julep what is de beverage of de fust fam'lies. But bein' as it is, it am mighty coolin', sah, and it got a l'il'e kick to it—not much, but jes' enough

stood stricken, my heart beating with loud thumps against my ribs. But the captain's eyes remained closed.  
"Virginia—quick, Virginia!" Dugald Shaw was stretching out his bound hands to me, and I had dropped on my knees before him and begun to cut at the knotted cords. They were tough strong cords, and I was hacking at them feverishly when something bounded across the clearing and flung itself upon me. Crusoe, of course!—and wild with the joy of reunion. I strangled a cry of dismay, and with one hand tried to thrust him off while I cut through the rope with the other.  
(TO BE CONTINUED.)  
The True Question.  
Everywhere in life the true question is, not what we gain but what we do.—Carlyle.



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**St. Clair Hotel & Cafe**  
Bids you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.  
L. L. WILLIAMS, Prop.  
MAIN & LOCKWOOD STS. TAHOKA, TEXAS

**EAGLE "MIKADO"**  **Pencil No. 174**  
  
For Sale at your Dealer Made in five grades  
ASK FOR THE YELLOW PENCIL WITH THE RED BAND  
EAGLE MIKADO  
EAGLE PENCIL COMPANY, NEW YORK

**Stockmen Attention**  
We manufacture 43 per cent Cottonseed Cake and Meal, and can save you money as we are the closest mill to you. We are prepared to make quick shipment on all orders. Write or wire us for quotations before you buy.  
**FULLER COTTON OIL CO.**  
Snyder, Texas

  
**EGGS-EGGS-EGGS**  
FEED *Martin's Egg Producer*  
AND GET MORE EGGS OR YOUR MONEY BACK TO CURE AND PREVENT ROUP  
USE *Martin's Roup Remedy*.  
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED BY:  
**THOMAS BROS. DRUG CO.**  
TAHOKA.  
FOR SALE—Poland China sow and pigs. See D. T. Rogers, Tahoka, Texas. 151tc  
Buy it in Tahoka.

**Notice**  
This is to notify the public that all pastures belonging to Green & Lumsden in Lynn and Terry counties are posted, and everybody forbidden to hunt, fish or in any way trespass on our property. GREEN & LUMSDEN. 9-921  
Irregularity in the bowel movements makes you feel uncomfortable and leads to a constipated habit which is bad. Herbine is the remedy you need. It restores healthy regularity. Price, 60c. Sold by Thomas Bros.

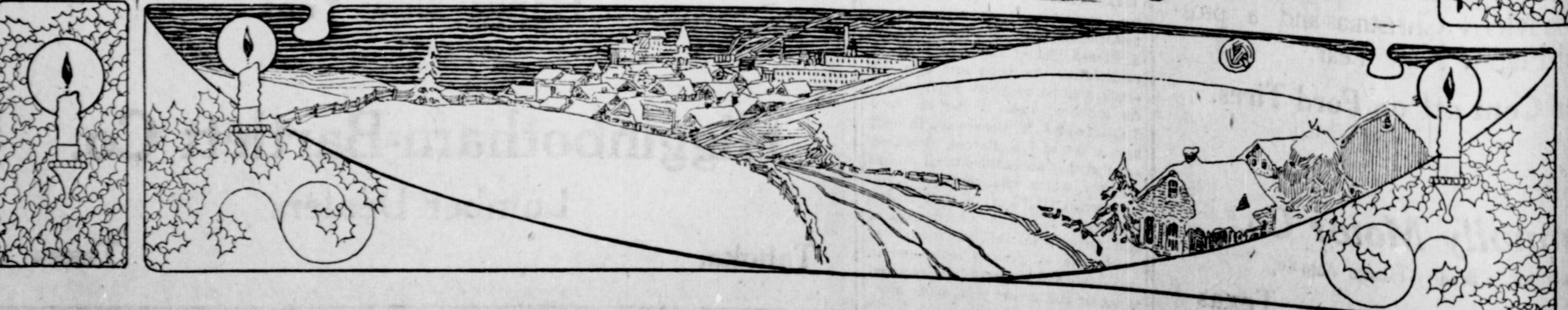
**Tahoka Coal & Grain Co.**  
**COAL, GRAIN, SALT, COTTONSEED**  
We strive to please the trade. If we please you, tell your neighbors: if we don't, tell us.  
**We handle the very best Nut and Lump Coal that can be bought.**

**Howell's Garage**  
Tahoka,  
**Greetings**

Does Your Ford Crank Hard?  
IF SO SEE  
"Si" at Hi-Way Garage and Filling Station  
He makes them crank easy by recharging the Magneto.  
Gives You 100 Per Cent More Light.

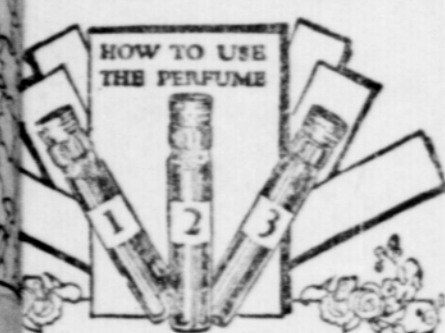
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**Dray Line & House Moving**  
Your Business Will be Appreciated.  
Always Ready to Go!  
Prices Reasonable

**City Meat Market**  
E. A. PARKS, Prop.  
Handle all kinds of Fresh Meats and Fresh Bread. Our prices are right.  
Your business will be appreciated.  
South Side Square, Tahoka, Tex.





Three Trial Bottles of Perfume for Your Own Test



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# SPANISH DOUBLOONS

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## CHAPTER XVI. —19— From Dead Hands.

At the head of the file, Capt. Tony advanced through the clearing, and what with his flowing black beard, his portly form and a certain dramatic swagger which he possessed, he looked so entirely Italian and operatic that you expected to hear him at any moment burst out in a sonorous basso. With a sweeping gesture he flung down upon the table two brown canvas bags, which opened and discharged from gaping mouths a flood of golden coins.

Slinker and the cross-eyed man shouted aloud. They ran and clutched at the coins with a savage greed.

"Gold, gold—the real stuff! It's the doubloons, all right—where's the rest of 'em?" These cries broke from Slinker and Horny confusedly as the gold slid jingling between their eager fingers.

"The rest of 'em is—where they is," pronounced Tony oracularly. "Somewhere in the sand of the cave, of course. Well dig 'em up tomorrow morning."

"What was the point in not digging 'em all up while you was about it?" demanded Slinker, lowering. "What was the good of digging up just these here couple of bags and quitting?"

"Because we didn't dig 'em up," responded Tony darkly. "Because these was all ready and waiting. Because all we had to do was to say 'Thankee,' to the feller that handed 'em out. We got these here bags of doubloons, as I says, without havin' to dig for 'em—no thanks to old Washtubs we ain't looking for it yet. We got these here bags right out of the fists of a skeleton. Most of him was under a rock, which had fell from the roof and pinned him amidships. Must of squashed him like a beetle, I guess. But he'd still kep' his hold on the bags." I turned aside, for fear that anyone should see how white I was. To the rest, these poor bones might indeed bear mute witness to a tragedy, but a tragedy lacking outlines, vague, impersonal, without poignancy. To me, they told with dreadful clearness the

ans had only to listen to its voice to enjoy in anticipation all the fruits of their iniquitous schemes. The sight of the golden coins intoxicated them. They played with the doubloons like children, jingling them in their calloused palms, guessing at weight and value, calculating their equivalent in the joy of living. Laughter and oaths resounded.

And now the night that I unutterably dreaded was upon us. But the pirates still thought of nothing but the gold. They had exhausted their own portable supplies of liquor, and were loud in their denunciations of our boneyard camp, as they termed it.

It was Tony who intercepted a tentative movement of Capt. Magnus in my direction, and ordered me into the cabin with my aunt and Miss Browne. Through the walls of the hut we heard loud and eager talk of the morrow and its certain golden harvest as the pirates made their dispositions for the night. Then the voices trailed off sleepily and silence succeeded, broken only by the ceaseless murmur of the waves around the island.

## CHAPTER XVII.

### Of Which Cookie Is the Hero.

Next morning I came out of the hut in time to see Mr. Shaw and his companion in duress led forth from the sleeping quarters which they had shared with their captors. They were moored as before to a palm tree, by a rope having a play of two or three feet, and their hands unbound while they made a hasty breakfast under the eye of a watchful sentinel. Then their wrists were tied again, not painfully, but with a firmness which made any slipping of their bonds impossible.

While the pirates were breakfasting a spirited dispute took place among them as to who should go to the treasure cave and who stay in camp to guard the prisoners. Slinker and Horny urged with justice that, as they had missed all the excitement of the preceding day, it was their turn to visit the cave. The right to see the Bones they passionately claimed. Tony supported them, and it ended with Chris and Captain Magnus being told off as our guards for the morning.

In leaving the cabin I had slipped into my blouse a small penknife which I had found in Aunt Jane's bag. It was quite new, and I satisfied myself that the blades were keen. My own large sheath-knife and my revolver I had been deprived of at the suggestion of the thoughtful Magnus. I had surrendered them unprotestingly, fearful of all things that my possessions might be ransacked and Peter's diary, though hidden with much art at the bottom of the bag, be brought to light. For I might yet sell the secret of the Island Queen at a price which should redeem us all.

As the light increased a voice of lamentation broke from Chris. He was dry—dry enough to drink up the condemned ocean. No, he didn't want spring water, which Cookie obsessively tendered him; he wanted a drink—wouldn't anybody but a fool nigger know that? There was plenty of the real stuff aboard the schooner, on the other side of the—adjective—Island. Why had they, with incredible lack of forethought, brought along nothing but their pocket flasks? Why hadn't they sent the adjective nigger back for more? Where was the bottle or two that had been rooted out last night from the medical stores? Empty? Every last drop gone down somebody's greedy gullet? The adjectives came thick and fast as Chris hurled the bottle into the bay, where it swam bobbingly upon the ripples. Captain Magnus agreed with the gist of Chris' remarks, but deprecated, in a truly philosophical spirit, their unprofitable heat. There wasn't any liquor, so what was the good of making an adjective row? Hadn't he endured the equivalent of Chris' present sufferings for weeks? He was bidding his time, he was. Plenty of drink by and by, plenty of all that makes life soft and easy. He bet there wouldn't many hit any higher spots than him. He bet there was one little girl that would be looked on as lucky, in case she was a good little girl and encouraged him to show his natural kindness. And I was favored with a blood-curdling leer from across the camp, of which I had put as much as possible between myself and the object of my dread.

But now, like a huge black Gany-mele, appeared Cookie, bearing cups and a large stone crock.

"It shtinly am a fact, Mistah Chris, sah," said Cookie, "dat dey is a mighty unspirituous fluidity 'bout dis yere spring watah. Down watah I is come from no pussions of de Four Hundred ain't evah 'customed to partake of satch. But the sassiety I has been in lately round dis yere camp ain't of de convulsious ordah; ole Cookie had to keep it dark dat he got his life drop of comfort on de side. Dis yere's only home-made stuff, sah. Tain't what I could offah to a gennelmun if so be I is got the makin's of a genuwine old-style julep what is de beverage of de fust fam'lies. But bein' as it is, it am mighty coolin', sah, and it got a life kick to it—not much, but jes' enough

to make a gennelmun feel lak he is one."

Cookie's tones dripped humility and prostration. He offered the brimming cup cringingly to the pale-eyed, red-nosed Chris, who reached for it with alacrity, drank deep, smacked his lips meditatively, and after a moment passed the cup back.

"Tain't so worse," he said approvingly. "Anyhow, it's drink!"

Magnus suddenly began to laugh.

"Selp me, it's the same dope what laid out the Honorable!" he chortled. "Here, ducky, let's have a swig of it!"

Cookie complied, joining respectfully in the captain's mirth.

"I guess you-all is got stronger haidz den dat young gennelmun!" he remarked. "Dis yere ole niggah has help hisself mighty freely and dat prohibitionist Miss Harding ain't evah found it out. Fac' is, it am puffedick harmless 'cept when de haid is weak."

False, false Cookie! Black brother in perfidy to Mr. Tubbs! One friend the less to be depended on if a chance for freedom ever came to us!

Cookie refilled the pirates' cups, and set the crock beside them on the ground.

"In case you gennelmun feels yo'-selfs a life thirsty later on," he remarked. He was retiring, when Captain Magnus called to him.

"Blackie, this ain't bad. It's coolin', but thin—a real nice ladylike sort of drink, I should say. Suppose you take a swig over to Miss Jinny there with my compliments—I'm one to always treat a lady generous if she gives me half a chance."

Obediently Cookie hastened for another cup, set it on a tray, and approached me with his old-time ornate manner. I faced him with a withering look, but, unmindful, he bowed, presenting me the cup, and interposing his bulky person between me and the deeply quaffing pirates. At the same time his voice reached me, pitched in a low and anxious key.

"Fo' de Lawd's sake, Miss Jinny, spill it out! It am mighty powerful dope—it done fumented twice as long as befo'—it am bou'n' to give dat trash de blind-stagahs shot'ly!"

Instantly I understood, and a thrill of relief and of hope inexpressible shot through me. I put the cup to my lips and after a brief parade of drinking passed it back to Cookie, spilling the contents on the ground en route.

Gradually the rough disjointed talk of the sailors began to languish. Covertly watching, I saw that Chris' head had begun to droop. The hand that held the cup was lifted, stretched out in the direction of the enticing jar, then forgetting its errand fell heavily. After a few spasmodic twitchings of the eyelids and uneasy grunts, Chris slumbered.

Captain Magnus was of tougher fiber. But he, too, grew silent and there was a certain meal-sack limpness about his attitude. His dulled eyes stared dreamily. All at once, with a jerk, he roused himself, turned over and administered to the sleeping Chris a prod with his large boot.

"Hey, there, wake up! What right you got to be asleep at the switch?" But Chris only breathed more heavily.

Captain Magnus himself heaved a tremendous yawn, settled back in greater comfort against his sustaining tree and closed his eyes. I waited, counting the seconds by the beating of the blood in my ears. In the background Cookie hovered apprehensively. Plainly he would go on hovering unless loud snores from the pirates gave him assurance. For myself, I sat fingering my penknife, wondering whether I ought to rush over and plunge it into the sleepers' throats. This would be heroic and practical, but unpleasant. If, on the other hand, I merely tried to free the prisoners and Captain Magnus woke, what then? The palm where they were tied was a dozen yards from me, much nearer to the guards, and within range of even their most languid glance. Beyond the prisoners was Miss Browne, glaring uncomprehendingly over the edge of her book. There was no help in Miss Browne.

I left my seat and stole on feet which seemed to stir every leaf and twig to loud complaint toward the captive pair. Tense, motionless, with burning eyes, they waited. There was a movement from Captain Magnus; he yawned, turned and muttered. I stood stricken, my heart beating with loud thumps against my ribs. But the captain's eyes remained closed.

"Virginia—quick, Virginia!" Dugald Shaw was stretching out his bound hands to me, and I had dropped on my knees before him and begun to cut at the knotted cords. They were tough strong cords, and I was hacking at them feverishly when something bounded across the clearing and flung itself upon me. Crusoe, of course!—and wild with the joy of reunion. I strangled a cry of dismay, and with one hand tried to thrust him off while I cut through the rope with the other.

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Reverse English. Edith—Gladys and Harold have broken off. Grace—Yes, I heard they had denounced their engagement.

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"Yes, Mabel," he nodded. "I gathered them especially for you with my own hands."

She beamed upon him gratefully. What a dear, unselfish husband he was! In five minutes she had demolished the lot.

At breakfast the next morning he greeted her anxiously. "Sleep all right?" he inquired.

"Splendidly," she smiled.

"Not sick at all—no pains?" he pressed.

"Why, of course not, Aristotle," she reproached.

"Hurrah!" he then exclaimed. "I have discovered another species of mushroom that isn't poisonous."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Precaution. "Look, here, Sancho Panza," exclaimed Don Quixote, "you have a most irritating way of giving my finest idealisms to a flat, unpoetical interpretation."

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## Did Somebody Call Me?



### Wilson News

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Metcalfe and "Grandma" Standifer visited Mr. Metcalfe's parents in Southland Sunday.

Rev. H. D. Heath spent Sunday at the home of H. B. Crosby. Grandpa and Grandma Hendrix and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hendrix visited at the home of T. A. Hendrix Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hughes spent Sunday night with Homer Scott and family and returned to Tahoka Monday morning.

W. F. Pinion and family were business visitors in Lubbock.

Mrs. A. L. Foster is visiting her mother, Mrs. Evans, of Stanton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Luinsden returned Thursday from a visit with relatives in South Texas.

Mrs. H. F. Fountains' cousin from has been visiting her.

Edwin May carried his sisters, Misses Clara and Celia, to Lubbock Sunday where they will attend the Teachers' Institute. Our other teachers will also attend.

Everyone is invited to attend the Christmas tree at the church Christmas eve night Dec. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams and son, Webster, visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. D. L. Adair came in the first of the week to be with her husband who is our new depot agent.

Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hughes, of Wilson, were visitors in the county capitol Saturday and Sunday.

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### B. Y. P. U.

Program for Dec. 25, 1921 Subject Missionary Lesson—China.

Leader—Mr. Brown Bradley. Scripture Revelation 2-1-17 Introduction by Leader.

1. Save things in which China is the greatest—Miss Esther Preston.

2. The Chinese are physically the world's strongest nation—Mr. Eddie Hatchett.

3. China Great With—Miss Elva Sikes. By Miss Jewel Sherrod. By Mr. Author McGonigall.

4. The Power of Superstition—Mrs. Harris.

5. Education in China—Mrs. Haynes.

6. The failure of China old Religions—Mrs. J. M. Doshier.

7. Christianity in China—Miss Lois Goodrich.

8. Southern Baptist Mission in China—Lena Maud King.

G. E. Knight and sons have located on their farm four miles south of Tahoka. Mr. Knight is having a modern bungalow erected on his place and otherwise improving same and states that he is well pleased with Lynn county and the great South Plains.

A. J. Edwards and family are preparing to move to Abilene where they will make their home. The News regrets to see the estimable family leave our town and county, and hope to see them return here in the not far distant future.

W. M. Harris, owner of the Tahoka Telephone Exchange, returned Friday from Waco and Naples, Texas, where he visited his parents in the latter city. Mr. Harris reports that section in far worse shape than the South Plains section and is rejoicing that he is a citizen of dear old Lynn county.

### Lubbock County Clerk Resigns for Other Business

After accepting the resignation of Sam T. Davis, county clerk of Lubbock county, the county commissioners appointed H. Stubbs to fill the vacancy.

Mr. Stubbs was formerly employed by the Guaranty Abstract Company and is well known in Lubbock county. Mr. Davis will soon take up his duties as manager of the West Texas Hospital. —Lubbock Avalanche.

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