

# FOUGHT IN 1863 BETWEEN 300 TEXANS AND 900 KICKAPOO INDIANS BATTLE OF DOVE CREEK By AUSTIN CALLAN

In 1863 the Kickapoo Indians numbered about nine hundred. They had been less hostile, perhaps, than any other savages west of the Mississippi River. Unlike the treacherous Comanches and Kiowas, the promises they made were usually lived up to and no trail of murder and devastation was left along the way they traveled from one favorite hunting ground to another.

During the winter of 1863 permission was granted this tribe by the United States Army Department to peaceful-iy pass southward through Texas into Mexico. At that time the frontier was not very well protected, as most of the able-bodied men had been sent to the front to fight on the side of the South in the great Civil War. The citizens had organized, however, for home defense and such units of soldiers were under Brigadier-General James W. Throckmorton. The forty-sixth Texas cayalry, commanded by Col. James E. McCord, was most active in the western section of the State, where the cattle industry was just beginning to develop, and troops of this regiment were stationed at Camp Colorado, Runnels county, to repulse depredating savages over a wide area. There were also other forces of citizen soldiery giving protection to the country east of Camp Colorado.

#### Peaceful Kickapoos.

When word reached different commanding officers of the Confederate troops and the other soldiers assigned to looking after the frontier, that a large body of Indiana had passed the Brazos river, headed in towards the Colorado and the Concho rivers, it was not known that they were peaceful Kickapoos. No official information had been sent out regarding the intention of this band to journey through Texas and down into Mexico without molesting the white folks along the way. Consequently no blame is attached to the troops who fought the disastrous battle of Dove Creek.

It was a fight which might properly be termed a victory for the savages. They really won, although they did not realize it and retreated when they might easily have scored a repetition of the | give battle.



The Kickapoos made ready to defend themselves.

#### Indians Accept Challenge.

Custer massacre on the Little Big Horn, if they had only followed up their military advantage.

The day previously to the fight Lieut. Pete Callan, of Camp Colorado, with a troop of scouts sighted the Kickapoos. His guide was a half-breed Cherokee named Jim Mulkey and Jim reported the Indians as being friendly. He claimed that any, trained guide, could follow an Indian trail for a short distance and tell whether they were changing camp, on a hunt or going out for trouble. The scouts were not sure about Mulkey's theory being correct; some of them were persuaded that it was just an idea of his. But as there were only sixty of the white scouts and nine hundred of the Indians, they con-cluded it would be best not to attack the Indians.

Late one afternoon the tribe stopped near the G. W. Tankersley ranch. Mr. Tankersley was a pioneer of the west who seemed to get along with all Indians who passed his way and he swapped horses with one of the Kickapoo chiefs. This helped to precipitate the fight on the following day, as the Tankersley horse was recognized by Capt. Fossett who happened along with troops of Confederate soldiers, a part of the home reserve used for protecting the frontier. Fossett was joined by Capt. Totten, who commanded a force of three hundred men from several counties farther back cest, and it was decided to

The Kickapoos, upon seeing that the whites meant to challenge their pres-ence in that section of the country, made ready to defend themselves. There was a large, dense thicket lying between a deep ravine and a steep bank on Dove Creek, which was south of the Concho river. It offered splendid protection and the Indians took advantage of it. But few places were left open to attack.

Totten and Fossett held a consulta-tion of war. It was agreed that Totten would charge the thicket with his three hundred men from the side on which the ravine was located, while Fossett would capture the horses and drive them back to the rear so that the Indians could not get to them, when they commenced to retreat.

These plans were carried out so far as Fossett was concerned. He got several hundred head of the Kickapoos ponies, but Totten evermatched his force. When his men crawled out of the ravine and into the open space be-tween it and the edge of the thicket the Indians poured forth a deadly fire at tion; there was a chance for the whole band to be wiped out; a number of and the odds were overwhelmingly ly over the dismounted warriors and

against the pale faces. Capt. Fossett, who was at some distance with the horses and saw what was taking place, immediately had his men turn the horses loose and charge the Indian camp. The men rode furiously among the wigwams and the women and children in order to draw the attention of the warriors from Totten's men. These wigwams were scattered for a quarter of a mile along the banks of Dove Creek and by the time the charge had extended from one end to the other of the Indian camp, all guns of the white men were empty and it was necessary to retreat. But the ex-pected happened. The Indians rushed to the defense of their own and gave pursuit to the invaders. This gave Totten a chance to get away.

Fossett was pursued by the savages to the open prairie where the horses had been turned loose. A desperate encounter took place there and among the killed was Lieut. Giddeon, a popular young officer known to many frontiersmen. At one time the little band of only a hundred and ten whites was threatened with extermination. Capt. Totten had been unable to rally his men short range. Most of the men who were in the lead were instantly killed and the balance were thrown into wild confusion. It was a desperate situato get their enemy into a deadly noose, Capt. Fossett stampeded three hundred bloody, hand-to-hand fights took place of the captured horses, drove them mad-

made a safe getaway, holding most of the animals as a prize of war.

#### Kickapoos Retreat.

That night the whites all camped together and a more vigorous and better arranged attack was planned for the next day." But it never took place for two reasons; first of all the most severe blizzard ever experienced south of the staked Plains swept down on the camp before morning, and in the next place the Kickapoos, believing that they had been whipped, retreated as fast as the could towards Mexico.

Fifty brave frontiersmen lost lives in the battle of Dove Creek about the same number of Indu were killed. The attack was undou edly a mistake, but those who partic pated in it are not to be blamed. They had long suffered from Indian depresetions; their cattle and horses had been stolen time and time again and their neighbors cruelly butchered. Each mind was fresh with the memory of some horrible deed the savages had perpetrated along the frontier and all red men looked alike to them.

The Kickapoos continued their journey into Mexico unmolested after this fight. They found a permanent home among the towering Santa Rosa mountains, a hundred miles beyond the Texas border, yet within sight of it, and down there in that hazy, lazy, dreamy land, they still dwell, much the same people that they were in that romantic past when they chased buffalo on the Clear Fork, the Concho and the Colorado rivers of Texas. The chief difference now being that they have thrown away their tomahawks and live in peace.

These Indians harbor no Il will toward the pale-face, so far as one may discern. Those Texans to day who oc-casionally go down there to numb the fleet-footed deer and the grizzly bear are accorded the very hest of treatment at their hands. But you find withered old warriors among them who their mark in the Dove Creek fight and whenever the subject of this fight is mentioned to one of these warriors he will tele a deap puff at his pipe, blow rings of emoles no toward the sky and with a sad, for occur look on his face, will say: "Heap but mistake of the Tehanes, (Tennes),"

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The last Texas Legislature provided

cut-over land.



Perhaps you will say that our forestry situation does not concern you. Very likely you are a farmer, a business man or a professional man. Perhaps you feel that the owner of forest land, the jumber manufacturer, the lumber retailer, together with a few alarmists who are always predicting dire consequences, can do all the worrying that meds to be done concerning our rapidly vanishing forest resources. If you hold this attitude of mind you will naturally mestion the soundness of the statement that from the cradle to the grave the help of the forest is vital to you and that no one can escape the penalty that must be paid when our timber level drops and the forest products essential to our every day existence either become unveilable or can be had only at exorbitant prices.

# The Many Uses of Wood.

years. The fermer uses more lumber and Texas must begin to other forest products than any other import larger and class of citizens. His farm home and larger quantities of farm buildings are made of wood; his lumber from the fences are fastened to wooden posts; he Pacific Northwest, resps his implements, by wooden handles and he hauls his} produce to since northern California, Oregon, market in wooden wagons. The merchant usually arises from a wooden bed : Washington and northern Idaho contreads on a wooden floor; eats breakfast tain the bulk of our at a wooden table while sitting in a wooden chair, and reads the morning remaining forest resources. It should paper made from wood pulp. In his place of business he uses a wooden chair and wooden desk. The goods that he sells be borne in mind that even the timcome in wooden packing boxes, which incidentally consume one-fifth of the ber resources of the Pacific Northwest lumber produced in the United States. region will be ex-His goods are sold over wooden counters hausted in about sixty years. Sixty and wrapped in paper made from wood or seventy years is pulp, Furthermore, many articles that a very short time in the life of our Nathe merchant sells consist largely of wood fibre. Much so-called silk matetion and State. If we are to escape the dire consequences of a timber famine it rial is artificial silk made from wood; is high time for the various timbered linoleum is 80 per cent wood flour victrola records are 60 per cent wood States and the Nation to evolve and put flour; much of the string and cord that into operation a practical forest policy he uses and sells is made of tough twistas a crop and not as a mine. ed paper derived from wood pulp. No matter what business or occupation a man follows, his activities bring him in contact with wood and wood products many times a day; in fact, he is hardly ever entirely free from contact with that we have progressively exploited things that come from the forests. our timber in each forest region without It making adequate provisions to secure appears; therefore, that all classes of citizens are about equally involved in renewal of commercial forests on areas our forestry problems. but which are nevertheless admirably

States Now Importing Lumber.

From the time this continent was settled our forest history has been one of exploitation without replacement. | capital without taking measures for the The once important lumber producing | replacement of that capital.

States of New England, New York and Pennsylvania have long since run through with their forest inheritance and have become lumber importing States. Pennsylvania todays pays not less than \$25,000,000.00 a year in freight charges on the lumber it imports, notwithstanding the fact that this lumber could be grown at home on her huge devasted area of forest lands, The extensive pine forests of the Lake States region have also disappeared. The Southern pine region extending from Maryland to the Trinity river in Texas has for the last fifteen years furnished more than one-third of the lumber used in the United States. The virgin timber in this group of States is being exhausted with alarming rapidity, and this region will cease to be a considerable factor in the exporting lum-

Exploiting Our Forests.

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not valuable for agricultural purposes,

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What of the situation in Texas? Texas originally had about 12 million acres of magnificent longleaf, shortleaf and loblolly pine forests, of which less than 1,500,000 acres remain. A few of our big mills have sufficient timber to run them for fifteen years, but 80 per cent of the large mills will be cut out by 1930, At a conservative estimate, we have in East Texas six million acres of cut-over land not adapted to agriculture. Less than two million acres, or 30 per cent, of this cut-over area is supporting a second growth stand of pine. The aggregate annual production of these young forests converted to terms of board feet of lumber is less than onethird of the lumber used by Texas citizens today and, furthermore, the bulk of this young timber will not have reached "lumber" size by the time our ber trade in from twelve to fifteen | remaining virgin is exhausted. About | ployment of labor. The total cost to

Cut-over area has been barned repeatedly. Young pine is entirely absent and in a few years the remaining seed trees will disappear, thereby preventing natural and inexpensive reforestation.

four million acres of this non-agricultural cut-over land supports timber of very little value, or is entirely unproductive. Indeed, nothing else could be not been conducted with an eye to keeping the land continually productive and under which our forests will be treated fires have annually swept over these. areas killing the baby trees that managed to make a start. Our big forestry problem in Texas is to make this area Let me repeat, that the history of productive as speedily as possibly, growing the lumber supplies we shall need in the future.

#### Vital and Economic.

Considered in the light of these facts, our forestry problems become one of the most vital and economic industrial questions pressing for solution at this lumber trees. We have exploited our time. In the final analysis, it is merely forest as a mine using up our forest making productive those areas within our State splendidly adapted for grow- imous in their conclusions that forest

ing timber crops and of little value natural barrier to the renewal o other purposes. From the standpoint of public welfare the time has come when it is just as important to grow timber on timber land as it is to grow cotton on cotton land.

The importance of making our idle timber growing lands productive is apparent when we appreciate that by 1930 Texas citizens will be compelled to import approximately one billion board feet of forest material annually from the distant Pacific Northwest. The additional freight rates on this material, over and above freight rates from East Texas points, will amount to \$10,000,-000.00 per year. Furthermore, forestry neglect has created millions of idle acres in our East Texas cut-over land, thereby reducing taxable values as well as

Texas citizens, therefore, of our continued indifference to forestry will in a few years time, easily amount to \$15,000,000 a year -an indirect tax equal to two-thirds of the cost of our State government today.

This being the situation, what has been done and what is being done to put our lumber growing land on a productive basis? Our Legislature in 1915 created the office of State Forester,

age The State has also made funds a valable for the purchase of about 4.000 scres of cut-over land to be managed as a State Forest for the purpose of demonstrating the knowledge we already have concerning the growing of success sive timber crops and for ascertaining through research the things we do not yet know. The first State Forest area. of 1700 acres was recently purchased. It is located near Kirbyville, near the boundary line between Jasper and Newton counties, and contain areas where reforestation has not yet taken place and also areas covered with second growth timber from seedling to me chantable size. Opportunity is, ther fore, presented to start research and monstration work relative to the pro management of young timber of diff ent ages as well as concerning the bes methods of securing renewal of young growth.

### Legislative Committee Investigating Forestry Problems.

Another favorable action taken by the Thirty-eighth Texas Legislature was to request the Governor of Texas to appoint a committee, consisting of four members of the Legislature and seven (Continued on Page 4, Column 5)

placed it under the jurisdiction of the Board of Directors of the Agricultural & Mechancial College and appropriated \$10,000,00 per annum to develop the expected, for logging operations have work. Appropriations gradually increased during subsequent legislative sessions so that now the forestry ac-

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tivities conducted by the State are supported by an appropriation of \$40,000.00 per annum. With the meagre funds at its disposal, the Forestry Department has attempted to develop all lines of forestry important in the State. However, for the purpose of this article, only those phases of the State work that deal with the renewal and proper management of our lumber forests will be dis-

Forest and Grass Fire Menace.

Lumbermen and other citizens giving thought to forestry are especially unan-

# CURRENT COMMENT

BEFORE AND AFTER THE BATTLE.

> when you read it; provided of course that you can find time to scan the Events, Current after reading the comic sections, football results, election returns, automobile accidents, and the

after

ties attending the shooting of husbands by Dallas wives. The of which I speak is the one schedbe fought at the polling places ovember 4th to determine who be Governor of Texas. As I try rite it is prognostication, extravaant claims, with an occasional bet to back up the judgment of the prognosticator; when you read it will be the realization or the crushing of hopesthe I-told-you-so or the admitted conviction that the people are crazy and incapable of self-government. Today dozens of men and women are rushing into print or standing on the street corners telling why you should or should not keep your pledge to support the nominees; when you read some will tell of the dirty lies and the crooked ways that were employed to win, while others will be preparing for a heavy assault upon the offices within the gift of the Governor of Texas. As I try to write we are all fluttering around in human blindness, trying to convince the world that we know something we know we don't know; when you read, the mists will have rolled away, the curtain will have been removed, and we will know who is going to draw the salary, hand out the offices, fuss with the Legislature and assist in levying the taxes that we will enjoy paying about as much as we enjoy having a tooth pulled.

Realizing now as I did in the old days of community debates in the log school houses, that there are two sides to the question of whether pursuit or possession gives the greater measure of happiness, I, do not undertake to say whether the ante or post election season fills the cup of pleasure to the higher notch, but rather I am consoling myself with the knowledge that no matter how the battle goes in Texas we will reap a result and a thrill we haven't had e in my day or yours. No matter the result may be, we'll have

the battle rather like to look ahead and guess how things will be under conditions that may be thrust upon us, and so I will ask you to pardon me while I venture a guess at what we will say and do under the new condition grand old Texas is soon to experience.

It may be that the battle of the ballots will favor Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, now better known as "Ma," and that she will guide the destinies of the grand old commonwealth for the next two years. If so, what an important personage this woman will be for a time. Her photograph, made some years ago, of course, will be displayed everywhere, newspaper reporters will come from the four corners of the earth to interview her, and if she cares to she can earn far more than the salary of the Governor by writing a short story of her life and giving one of the metropolitan papers or big magazines the exclusive right to print it. People will look with great interest on the picture of the little shack in which she was born; they will study carefully the pictures of the back | photo or life history, and no agent will yard of her home, and if she has a favorite cow, rooster or dog, said favorite will be pictured in all prominent publications and the name thereof will become the name of countless cows, roosters or dogs throughout the land. Of course, every woman in the land will wear a "Ma Ferguson sun bonnet," and we tremble when we think of the financial loss milliners who have laid in heavy stocks of other headwear will sustain. If the good lady upon whom the burdens of state rest will favor us with a short story of how Jim proposed, and tell us will care little about where she was what the first family quarrel was about, and how it ended, we'll read it with fargreater interest than we read the late works of the popular fiction writers, or the lives of Babe Ruth and Al Johnson. Of course, the good lady would scorn such a suggestion, and chase one making the suggestion from the executive. mansion with the gubernatorial broom or rolling pin, but if she cared to "she could easily amass a great fortune by furnishing testimonials on the virtues of the cook stove or sewing machine in use in her home, and increase her bank account many fold by recommending the brand of face powder she prefers, or remedy with which she cures her colds. I do not have space here to speak of the the present generation never | inauguration, but I know the women rea woman Governor, or a porters who write up the brilliant affair by all, she can never forget the quiet when applying for Fish Commissioner, ton fields,

ed in a plain calico dress it will be rank foolishness for any one to oppose her for re-election. And it will be interesting to note how many original women suffragists there are in Texas when the mad scramble for office begins. Fellows like myself, who never dislocated a hip in a mad scramble to get to the polls and casts a ballot for equal suffrage, will gladly confess their errors. and declares politics is to be purified and the world uplifted by women ballots and women officials. With Lady Astor. Jane Adams, Frances Willard, Florence Nightingale and Charlotte Corday, and other women who have wrought, Miriam A. Ferguson will take her place in the galaxy of female immortals and the world will bow before her in lavish homage—for nothing succeeds like success.

But ballots are treacherous things. They may clothe one with immortality, and canopy one with halos, and they may send one to the dark corners of oblivion, where no reporters will seek a invade to ascertain what kind of sewing machine or face powder is used, or what remedial agent is employed to / cure common colds. If the ballots prove false to Miriam A. Ferguson, this good woman will remain in her home, look after the sewing on of buttons, the darning of hosiery, the setting of hens, the rearing of chickens, and the curing of colds. And she will be the center of affection to which children and husbands will turn for sympathy and aid just as she has ever been, and the world born, how she was courted and won, what sewing machine she prefers or what remedy she uses when she contracts the flu. The world crowds the halls and feels a supreme interest in the acts of those who succeed, but pays little attention to the batter who fans three times and goes to the benches. It will be triumph, of course, for the good woman if she heads the march to the mansion she so sorrowfully left six years, while the world looks on and applauds, but my opinion is that she will be happier if she remains in the home, of which she has long been the affectionate center. There she may forextolling the curative properties of the | get the thrills and the disappointments of the cold, clammy, cruel game of politics, but even in the big executive mansion, sought by many and watched

It is before the Republican Governor, of Texas. Either will find some new adjectives with joys of the old home, in which she lived battle that I try to result will give us much to talk about which to tell us about the inaugural and loved and was the reigning queen. write this; it will be and write about, and possibly cuss costume. And let me add here that if Nor do I believe that high position or about for many months to come. I Ma should take the oath of office array- the pomp of power can ever satisfy the records and our great sacrifices for the soul of a good woman as did the old home in which the children were born and played, and where the old family dog stands guard over the back yard and bays a deep-mouthed welcome whenhe hears the footsteps of a loved one approach. But as a rule, it isn't happiness people strive for-they want triumph.

By J. H. LOWR

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The battle of ballots may result in victory for Dr. Butte, nominee of the Republican candidate for Governor. There has been no such thing as the election of a Republican Governor of Texas in / Texas since reconstruction days, and many of us who have voted the Democratic ticket since reaching the voting age have laid the flattering unction to our Democratic souls that never would the unholy hands of the wicked Republicans be laid upon this grand old commonwealth. We have even said that if such a dire calamity. should overtake our beloved State, the lone star would put out its light for shame, and never again hold its radiant torch to guide a free and happy people into the ways of pleasantness and the paths of peace. We old-timers of the Jeffersonian league have long felt that water would run up hill, and evening blush to own the stars that gem night's radiant brow, long before the people of Texas would turn their backs on a Democratic nominee and enthrone a wicked Republican in the granite State house. But it is evident that a change has come over the spirit of some dreamers. They are not throwing as choice gems of pro fanity at the wicked enemy as they did in days gone by, and some are even admitting doubt whether the State would grow up in rag-weeds and become a abitation of owls and bats if a Republican should be chosen to guide the destinies of imperial Texas. And so it may be, when you read this, that all o'er these wide extended plains such a shout of joy will be going up as hasn't been heard since the eventful eve when the magazines of the skies burst upon Judean hills over the election of a Republican Governor of Texas.

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And if Dr. Butte is given the reins of government and ensconced in the State house, what are you going to say, and what are you going to do? Of course, the first thing will be to make sure of the pronunciation of his name, but after that, what? What can those of us who,

Health Inspector, stenographer, Asylum Trustee or Penitentiary clerk, and who are prone to boast of our Democratic who sits on high and divides the spoils? I have my story prepared, and it runs like this: "Good morning, Governor Butte, But or Boot. I have long been -convinced, Governor, that politics in our State was too one-sided. The best interests of the State demand that the political parties be of equal strength. This will force the parties to name as their nominees their best material, neither being willing to risk the chance of losing with an incompetent, or a person of questioned integrity as nominee. I congratulate you and the great State of Texas, dear Governor, over the selection of such a scholarly and polished gentleman to hold the lines of State. By the way, Governor, some of my people back in Tennessee were Republicans. I am sure you must have known them, since they were noted for cussing Democrats, and one of them served as constable two years in McNairy county. He made a fine record and would have been re-elected if he hadn't made himself unpopular by capturing too many moonshine stills. My great grandmother was one of Abraham Lincoln's sweethearts and named her oldest boy Abe. But what I called to sav. Governor; is, if you haven't selected a Grass Commissioner for Brazos bottom, that I have hoed grass, pulled grass, mowed grass and slept on grass. For a long time we had ground grass as breakfast at our homes, and I used to hang meat with bear grass, and I believe I could render a service as Grass Commissioner that would be the talk of the State and popularize your administration with all classes. In the event you have some one slated for Grass Commissioner, I would be glad to accept a position as pork inspector in any cafe you may name. I sincerely hope your administration will be a great success, and I assure you my hearty co-operation in making it so. I forgot to say that if all the grass commissions and food inspections have been filled I would be glad to have a place as notary public-in my precinct, and if you will consider. my application for such a high honorable position I will be glad to submit a petition signed by at least ten reputable

citizens of my county." But, suppose Dr. Butte isn't elected: what will become of him? Don't worry. No Republican who makes good race in Texas ever comes to grief or is forced to seek a place in the cot-

kept in mind; also the danger from loss

one man has a large machine with a capacity of several thousand eggs

and gives his whole time and attention

Selecting Eggs for Hatching.

In selecting the eggs for hatching,

The healthiest, most vigorous and

best chickens are gotten from the eggs

# POULTRY RAISING FOR PROFIT by MRS. MARGARET STUTE.

In a recent survey of farming conditions in Texas it was discovered that thousands of Texas farmers were not raising chickens. At the same time I saw a report which stated that hundreds of carloads of eggs are monthly shipped into Texas, sold at a big profit, and the money used to build up neighboring States at the expense of our own State. I know some farmers have tried to raise chickens with little or no success, and I felt perhaps that they had not had the correct information as to the best breeds, correct feeding and he will have a more housing. So, I am going to try to give the readers of the Magazine Section. in a series of three articles, some pointers and facts on chicken raising and marketing as related to me by one of the best chicken experts in Texas.

Mr. M. C. Allison, of 5628 Pershing avenue, Fort Worth, Texas, has been connected with the raising of chickens for over fifty-five years. He has made a success of his business and is well versed in it. He is a practical business man, and, having devoted the greater part of his life to this one line of business, I feel we are, indeed, fortunate in securing these facts from him as to his experience in raising and marketing chickens.

#### White Leghorn Superior.

The past eighteen years he has devoted to developing his own strains of different breeds, and for the past ten years he has been specializing on the bread that he has finally determined to be the most profitable and the most satisfactory for our Texas climate. He, at resent, has a large plot of ground in a The best result is

tern suburb of Fort Worth and has foral hundred of his own strain of English single comb white leghorns. has a large incubator which holds er than fifteen thousand eggs and does a great deal of custom hatching (that is, hatching for other persons) along with hatching thousands of baby chicks from his own flock which he ships all over Texas.

Mr. Allison considers the white leghorn superior to other breeds, for several reasons. First, the only profit to price of a few hens. However, this be made in chickens, in his opinion, is should not be attempted, Mr. Allison in the production of eggs. Leghorns

breeds, and they have more flesh and less bone than other breeds at the same leghorns should have enough eggs for his own use, raise all his own chicken meat and have enough eggs for sale to

When the farmer can do this, in connection with his garden and hogs, comfortable living; and he should, at least, all things being equal, give the chicken business a thorough trial.

After the breed has been decided on, the next step is to select a strain of that same breed which has a good egg-laying record, that is healthy, vigorous and has never been contaminated with any disease. Mr. Allison urges prospective chicken growers to raise only one breed. They will invariably get mixed, even

if segregated in different pens, by flying over the fence, gate left open, etc. obtained from pureblooded. chickens, just the same as

live-stock with etc.

Baby Chicks Cheaper.

When establishing a start, it is usually cheaper to buy baby chicks, preferable an April hatch, and raise your hens from these. You can buy one hundred and fifty chicks for about the same

said. Next, they eat less than other Otherwise, there will be so much loss that it would have been better to have bought hens in the first place. As soon weight. Mr. Allison has demonstrated as the baby chicks are old enough to that a person with only a small flock of distinguish the sex, they should be leghorns should have enough eggs for separated. Pen the cockrels up and fatten to be eaten or sold as soon as possible; they annoy the pullets and retard pay the greater part of his grocery bill. | their growth by chasing them away | sized pullets.

that are illustrated in the accompanying be kept of an even temperature. The photograph. Of course, this is not investment in the machine must be always the case, but, as the only accurate test is to trap-nest the hens, and and fire risk. Of late years custom the average farmer does not have time hatching has become more and more to do this, the suggestions herewith popular. Custom hatching is where can be relied on to give a fair test. Fatten, eat or sell all of the under-

to it. He is usually able to hatch them for a very small amount, and when the feed of the hen, and loss The folowing spring, before hatching time, seof production during hatching time lect the best hens in the flock and is taken into consideration, it is the segregate in sepacheapest way of hatching, whenever rate pens by them- it is possible. Chickens can be selves with roosters hatched from January to May. Mr. from some other Allison has found that April hatched flock, as inbreeding pullets are the best winter layers in the leghorn breed, because they will not of the same flock molt if hatched after April 15th. This is deteriorates the stock. Be sure they a point to be watched, as winter eggs bring the best price on the market. have not been exposed to diseases and come of a good laying flock. Use ten hens to one there are several things worth rememrooster, and mate bering. Select only the medium-sized, ten days before any regular shaped ones. Discard long of the eggs are set. ones, round ones, those with rings Set eggs as soon as around them, those with rough shell, possible, after they those with shell having light spots, or are laid. any irregularity whatsoever.

The Most Natural

of hens in their second summer. As Mr. Allison, in disthe chickens depend on the parent cussing the various stock for their vigor and egg-laying methods of hatchcapacity, it is then necessary to keep/ ing; pointed out the the flock of pure blood and build up by breeding with new stock each year. It virtues and faults of each method to is usually best to eat or sell hens after me. Hatching with the third summer, as their egg-laying hens is the most capacity is diminished beyond that natural way, as the time, as a rule. Cull the flock every greater number of year and keep your eyes open for any chicks are thus sign of weak stock; dispose of these without delay.

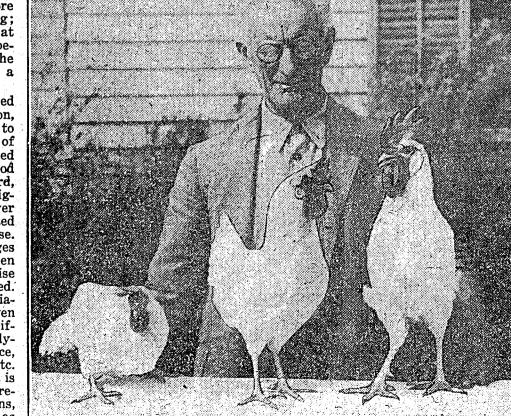
Keep the roosters penned up during the summer and fall, as they annoy the hens and infertile eggs bring the best price on the market since they are the best keepers.

Market your eggs while they are fresh and establish a reputation of having A-1 eggs. Sort out the most uniform eggs in shape and color and mar-(Continued on Page 4, Column 5.)

from food. Let the pullets have as hatched and a much range as possible, (feeding will be be strong and vigorous. The difdescribed in a later issue). As soon as | ficulties are that hens rarely set in the they are fully matured, or when they | months that are the best for maturing begin to lay, the flock should be culled and only the choicest kept. A heavy layer in the leghorn breed is indicated by a hen with a high tail, stands erect, large lop comb, a good rustler, first off are rarely satisfactory unless there is said, unless one is equipped with good | the roost in the morning, last on in the some one who can give them a great | undoubtedly excel in egg-production, he brooders so as to handle them properly. evening, and has the right dimensions deal of attention so that the heat will

Mr. Allison with Leghorn cockerel and pullet of April hatch, 1924. greater number will good chicks. Chickens running with -hens are more exposed to disease and mites, and there is a limited possibility in numbers. Individual incubators

Way.



# BRIEF TEXAS NEWS FROM OVER

# FOURTEEN SHIPS SAIL WITH TEXAS COTTON.

Fourteen ships carrying 130,000 bales of Texas cotton cleared from Galveston for foreign ports in one day during October, on semi-monthly schedule. The ships carried flags of the United States, Great Britain, Italy, France, Japan, Germany and Spain.

#### TEXAS MAY SOON HAVE AIR MAIL SERVICE.

At a meeting of the Texas Postmasters' Association, held in Austin, October 13th to 14th , an interesting address was delivered by Carl Egge, general superintendent of the air mail service, Washington, D. C., and some of his remarks were construed by the Texas postmasters as meaning that Texas would at an early day be given air mail service.

# TEXAS BRED HORSE WINS \$2,000 PURSE.

Running a mile in one minute fortyeight and one-fifth seconds, My Daddy, a Texas-bred horse, ridden by C. McCor-kle, won the fourth race at the Dallas State Fair Park track October 14th, capturing the Cotton Stakes purse of \$2,000, the largest of the meet, and establishing a new record for the course, at the same time defeating a Canadian horse which was the favorite.

TEXAS SECOND EXPORT STATE. Texas exports for the first three months of this year amounted to \$147,-255,543; for the second quarter \$85,-507,358, according to figures announced by the Federal Department of Com-merce: Cotton, to the value of \$169,-204,818 was exported from Texas to foreign ports during the first six months of the current year. Petroleum and other exports from Texas brought the total value of articles exported from this State during this period to \$232,-762,901.

# HIGH SCHOOLS OF TEXAS SHOW PHENOMENAL GROWTH.

From the report of the Texas Educational Survey Commission, which is being made public in a number of installments, there were in 1910, 36,978 students enrolled in high schools in Texas; in 1920, 79,216. This increase, which more than doubles the high school population, was accomplished by an increase of only 20 per cent in the total population of the State for the same period.

SAYS HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE UNDER CONTROL.

# BOY WINS STATE POULTRY PRIZE.

Venice Reames, a member of the Hunt County Poultry Club, won the first prize in poultry judging at the State Fair at Dallas, winning the gold medal for the poultry club member making the highest score in the State contest. The State Fair offered three medals, gold, silver and bronze, in the State poultry contest, and young Reames stood at the head of the competitors in the contest for the entire State.

# MEXICANS FORM BETTER CITIZENSHIP SOCIETY.

A society known as Liga Nacionalista Mexicana has been granted a charter by the Secretary of State. It is to have its principal office in San Antonio, and its purpose is to instruct all its members in their duties and rights according to the laws of this country; establishment of a grammar school and information bureau for the benefit of its members and the public in general, and also the opening of a permanent exhibition of Mexican products.

### DENTON STUDENTS ARE SERVED MILK.

Serving of milk to students in the grammer schools of Denton was inaugurated October 6th as one phase of the health project being carried on in the local schools under the supervision of the Red Cross Chapter.

All children are asked to drink onehalf pint of milk, served with two graham crackers, at the morning recess hour. Free milk will be provided for all children whose parents are unable to pay for it.

# STATE PRISON HONOR FARM TO BE CONTINUED.

Although surprised and disappointed by the escape of three convicts from Texas' first Honor Farm, which was established in Fort Bend county a few weeks ago, Governor Neff will not abolish the honor system.

The experiment is to be continued with belief that the other 119 men on the farm will not violate their pledge given the Governor when they were go about the farm unguarded.

# CONVENTION OF AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE.

Preliminary plans for the annual membership meeting of the American Petroleum Institute to be held in Fort Worth December 11 to 13, have been carried out by local oil men and the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce officials, headed by Chester Leffler, convention commissioner. Between 6,000 and 7,500 oil men from all sections of the United States are expected to attend this convention. Several hundred hotel reseravtions have already been made.

# CAR REGISTRATIONS TO. TOTAL 800,000.

The motor vehicle registrations for Texas for the eight months of 1924 total 709,752, according to the State Highway Department. Based on the registrations of previous years for the last four months of each year, registrations for 1924 for the full year will not be less than 800,000. For 1923 the reg-istrations were 695,822, so the increase for this year will be approximately 105,000.

# FALL WOOL BRINGS HIGHEST PRICE IN YEARS.

Sale of the entire accumulation of fall wool, about 800,000 pounds, to Studley & Emery of Boston at prices ranging from 47 to 51 cents per pound, has been announced by Schreiner Wool & Mohair Commission Company of Kerrville. It is the highest price Schreiners have ever received for fall wool in over forty years' business with the exception of 1918, when prices were fixed by the government and netted growers 55 to 60 cents.

## SEEKS BANKHEAD HIGHWAY AS A FEDERAL PROJECT.

Efforts to have the Federal Government take over the Bankhead Highway as a commercial and military road are being made, according to J. A. Rountree, of Birmingham, Ala., director of the United States Good Roads Association and secretary of the Bankhead Highway, who was in Fort Worth recently conferring with officials of this highway.

The Bankhead Highway passes through Texas from Texarkana to El Paso, and extends from Washington, D. C., to San Diego, Cal.

# **CLEBURNE YOUTHS GET HERO** AWARDS.

Advice that they may now draw on the Carnegie Hero Fund for money to be used in their education was received October 21st by Ralph and Robert Moreland, young sons of Sheriff and Mrs. Andy Moreland of Cleburne.

These boys were /awarded Carnegie hero medals and \$1,600 for acts of permitted to leave their prison cells and heroism shown in rescuing a companion, Max Anderson, from drowning. The rescue took place nine years ago when the boys were en route home from school. Young Anderson fell into the swollen waters of East Buffalo Creek. The two Moreland boys dived in after him and saved his life.

### WILL TRY LONG STAPLE COTTON.

# PLANS BUFFALO RANCH IN NORTHEAST TEXAS.

Dr. B. H. Williams, a cattle raiser of Red River county, has received a shipment of two yearling buffalo, male and female, from the Park Superintendent of Yellowstone National Park. The animals weigh 1,400 and are from the National Park herds.

Dr. Williams owns and controls extensive farm and ranch interests about seven miles north of Avery, Red River county, where he expects to propagate the buffalo in the hope of eventually developing an extensive herd of these valuable animals.

#### CANYON TEACHERS GET HISTORICAL FLAG.

The Texas flag, promised to the West Texas State Teachers' College by Mrs. Loretto Lamar Calder of Houston, granddaughter of President Mirabeau B. Lamar of the Republic of Texas, has been received and handed over to the college authorities.

The flag is given as a memorial to tion was mainly responsible for the days when Texas was a Republic. It is pressive ceremonies. of the best wool bunting and measures six feet by ten.

## **VOTE TO CONTROL FLOOD** WATERS.

The water conservation election, held in Tarrant county October 7, carried unanimously, insuring the energetic forward movement of the great flood control, irrigation and recreational program which the Tarrant County Conservation Association has been sponsoring

During the coming three years the necessary surveys will be completed and then the directors will come back to the people with a report and recommendations for voting a bond issue for building possibly nine large reservoirs in the county for flood control, irrigation and commercial water supply.

# ROAD CHIEFS OF NINE STATES TO MEET.

Highway officials of five States of the United States and four States of the Republic of Mexico are being summoned to attend a road and bridge conference in Fort Worth on November 10. A conference highway association to cope with interstate highway problems and attempt a detailed plan of co-ordination and correlation probably will grow out of the meeting, it was said by A. R. Losh, district Federal highway engineer, who announced plans for the

# OIL COMPANIES PAY GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES.

THE STATE

Gross receipts taxes, amounting to \$192,500 were paid into the State Treasury October 27th by the Humble Oil Company and the Gulf Production Company, the former paying \$122,000 and the latter \$70,500. These taxes cover the last quarter:

#### DON'T SHOOT QUAIL OUT OF SEASON.

Investigation is being made by the State Game Department of reports quail are being killed out of season it has been announced that rigid, cution will follow in the event violators of the law are apprehen The open season for quail does not gin until December 1st.

#### MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD FOR DR. BRALLEY.

Memorial service for Dr. Frank M. Bralley, late president of the College of Industrial Arts, at Denton, was held in the auditorium of the college in that President Lamar, whose administra- city October 16th. More than 2,000 persons from Denton and many points foundation of Texas education in the in the State, gathered to hear the im-

Dr. Brooks, president of Baylor University, delivered the memorial address, paying tribute to the work and life of Dr. Bralley, who, up to the time of his death, had been for thirty years con-nected with educational work in Texas and for the last twenty years of his life was a dominant factor in the educational work of the State.

# FORESTRY PROBLEM OF TEXAS.

(Continued from Page 2) citizens of the State at large, to investigate our forestry problems and to submit to the next Legislature a report outlining a comprehensive State Forest Policy. This committee has been appointed and is actively engaged in the work assigned to it.

The Federal Government is, obvious-ly, interested in seeing that depleted forest lands, wherever located, are again made productive. For the past thir-teen years the Federal Government, through the United States Forest Service, has allotted funds to timbered States, having forest protection organization, for the puropse of increasing such work. The McNary-Clarke For-estry Bill enacted by the last Const increased the Federal funds for erative forest fire protection wo \$400,000.00 to \$1,000,000.00 per

The Texas Forestry Departme receives \$18,000.00 per annum Federal funds and when the Md Clarke Bill becomes operative Texa receive, at least \$45,000.00 per a providing such amount is matched State funds. The State Forest Policy adopted the State Forestry Department and the Texas Forestry Association may be summarized as follows:

In the fight 'against mouth disease in Southeast Texas approximately 10,000 head of cattle have been killed and buried, according to Ranger Sergeant J. B. Wheatley. Killing of the cattle was done by Wheatley and other rangers.

According to Wheatley, the disease is now under control and confined to a small area which is closely guarded and every sanitary precaution taken.

#### **REUNION OF TERRY'S TEXAS** RANGERS.

The fifty-third reunion of Terry's Texas Rangers was held in Austin October 18th. Only eight members of the famous Confederate Corps were able to attend the reunion. Col. B. F. Terry, a sugar planter of Texas, organized and commanded the Terry Texas Rangers, which, when first organized in 1861 numbered 1500 men. The Rangers fought in the memorable battles of Chickamauga, Shiloh and Bentonville.

#### 692-POUND MAN DIES.

Sam Harris, known all over the State as the "Texas Kid," died of pneumonia at his home, three miles south of Farmersville, October 20th. He was 52 years old and his weight was 692 pounds. Last year he had a special casket made which measured 79 inches in length, 35 inches in depth, and 45 inches in width. The casket weighed 610 pounds. A motor truck, instead of a hearse, was used to transport the body to the cemetery.

# TEXAS BANK INSTALLS TEAR GAS.

As a precaution against burglars, the Marshall National Bank of Marshall, Texas, has had vials of tear gas, smoke gas and ammonia placed in the bank building. It is claimed that these chemicals when mixed make a very powerful gas against which no mask is effective. The vials are ingeniously arranged so that they will explode and give forth deadly gases should any burglar attempt to break into the building or the bank vault.

### TURKEY STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE.

Turkeys in cold storage in all parts of the United States, acording to H. H. Schultz, Government statistician at pared with 61,730 marriages and 12,-Houston, amount to 5,685,000 pounds, 527 divorcés in 1922, the increase in as against 6,352,000 pounds at this time last year.

Texas last year shipped 991 cars of turkeys to eastern markets in November and December. The total in pounds was estimated at 7,206,000. This is compared with 535 cars in 1922 for a total of about 5,296,000 pounds.

#### 96-YEAR-OLD PIONEER WOMAN DIES.

Mrs. J. B. Matthews, 96 years old, who occupied the first rock house in West Texas, on the Clear Fork of the Brazos river, sixteen miles north of the present town of Albany, Shackelford county, died October 7th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Conrad, 430 South Ballinger Street, Fort Worth. Mrs. Matthews and her husband, who died in 1895, came to Texas from Alabama by wagon in 1854. For several years before moving into the rock house, the couple lived in stockade houses, as protection against the Indians, who were at that time raiding the Texas settlements.

# RICE PRODUCTION IN TEXAS 5,565,000 BUSHELS.

The United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Division of Crop and Live Stock Estimates, issues the following rice report for Texas: The condition of rice has advanced 1 point since September 1st, and is now estimated at 87 per cent of normal, which forecasts a production of 5,565,000 bushels, an average yield of thirty-six bushels on the 156,-000 acres devoted to the crop. Last year the Texas rice crop averaged forty bushels per acre on the 159,000 acres planted, which is 795,000 bushels more

# WEDDINGS IN TEXAS IN ONE YEAR 69,248; DIVORCES 14,641.

than is indicated at this time.

The United States Department of Commerce at Washington has furnish-ed County Clerk R. E. Moore at Georgetown, and other county clerks of the State, with interesting statistics in the marriage and divorce line in this State. The report shows that last year, 1923, there were a total of 69,243 marriages and 14,641 divorces in Texas as commarriages for 1923 over the number reported for 1922 being 7,513, or 12.2 per cent. The divorces reported for 1923 show an increase of 2,114 or 16.9 per cent over the number reported for 1922. All counties having cities, or large towns, show much larger proportion of divorces than the smaller towns.

Two Cherokee county, East Texas, farmers will try the growing of long staple cotton next season. The two farmers are Bloomer Florence and Walter Powers, who have purchased 400 bushels of cotton seed of three leading long staple varieties.

The seed were selected from cotton which this year averaged a bale to the acre in Van Zandt county. Florence and Powers say they intend to plant all three of the varieties upon the same kind of land, giving the crops the same cultivation and fertilization, in order to observe the results next summer and fall. The seed affording the best results will be of the variety they will continue to plant each year thereafter.

#### LIBERAL IN EDUCATION.

Texas ranks twenty-fifth among the forty-eight States and the District of Columbia in the support of higher education and thirty-seventh in the same group in the support of the elementary and secondary schools; according to Dr. George A. Works, director of the Texas School Survey. The averages are bas-ed on the total populations of the various States.

In per capita of State and local expenditures for higher education Texas spends \$1.06, while Nevada is first with \$5.10, and Arkansas is last with 38 cents. For public elementary and secondary schools Texas has an annual per capita expenditure of \$7.32, while Montana spends \$22.33 for first-place, and Mississippi takes last place with \$3.54. -11

BIG SHIPMENT OF HELIUM. From the United States Government helium plant, at Fort Worth, 2,000,000 feet of helium gas was shipped in 14,000 metal containers to the naval air station at Lakehurst, N. J., to inflate the sister ship of the Shenandoah, the ZR-3, after her arrival there on the completion of her trans-Atlantic voyage from Germany. The 14,000 metal containers filled 24 freight cars to full capacity.

Shortly after the arrival of the ZR-3, at Lakehurst, she was put in "drydock" in her hangar and emptied of the hydrogen inflation, which was replaced with non-inflammable helium from the Fort\_Worth plant, the only source of supply for helium in the world, accordplant.

The ZR-3 came over to the United hydrogen gas, which is a dangerous ex-plosive and has caused the wreck of of Ellis county. The tax on this estate reported by the format in the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of the largest single estate reported by the product of th States from Germany inflated with

session after a conference with W. E. Lea of Orange, president of the Texas Highway Association, and W. T. Wheeler, secretary of the Texas organization.

# STATE EXPENDITURES ON ROADS DURING SEPTEMBER.

During the month of September \$973,748 was spent under the direction of the State Highway Commission for road construction in this State and \$419,314 for road maintenance. Of the former amount \$424,113 was State aid and \$549,635 Federal funds. The entire disbursements of the Highway Department in September aggregated \$1,423,628, and it had a balance on September 30th of \$2,869,249.

During September it had net receipts of \$1,007,333. It came from the following sources: Auto licenses, \$133,099; 1c per gallon gasoline tax, \$270,588, and \$603,646 of Federal aid.

#### U. OF T. GETS \$14,834 IN OIL ROYALTIES.

During the month of September the Big Lake Oil Company paid \$14,834 to the University of Texas as royalty on oil produced on University land in Reagan county.

Under a ruling made by the Attorney General the royalty must go to the Univeristy permanent fund, and therefore cannot be used, for the erection of buildings on the campus. H. A. Wroe of Austin, University regent, authorizes the statement that the regents will ask the next Legislature to amend the law so that oil royalties will go to the University available fund, instead of the permanent account, and in that way it can be used for new buildings to displace the many frame shacks on the campus.

### INHERITANCE TAXES FIRST YEAR \$365,000.

During the first year of operation of the new inheritance tax law, in Texas, \$365,000 of inheritance taxes were collected, according to the report of the inheritance tax division of the State Comptroller's Department. Resident estates to the number of 420 and 218 nonresidents estates were reported. From the former class \$343,000 was collected and \$22,000 from the latter. Of the total \$119,000 was collected under ing to Lieut. Wicks in charge of the end of the fiscal year on August 31st,

\$144,000 has been collected. The largest single estate reported

# State Forest Policy.

1. Adequate State appropriations to permit the fullest co-operation with the Federal Government in forest protection and proper management of woodland owned by farmers and lumbermen. 2. The purchase by the State of from 50,000 to 100,000 acres of cut-over pine land in East Texas in order that the State may take the lead in demonstrating practical forestry. \*

3. The enactment of forest taxation laws providing that lands covered with second growth timber of unmerchantable size be taxed annually on a nominal soil valuation only, and that timber products be taxed only when they are cut and marketed. At the present time local taxing bodies have the power to tax both land and growing timber crops annually at constantly increasing valuations. This practice can be compared to the action of a county assessor visiting a farmer's cotton patch every third day during the growing season and on each visit placing a tax on that crop at

a constantly increasing valuation. Forestry is not a fad but a business proposition. The formerly timbered States that have exhausted their lumber forests without renewing forest growth and are now paying huge freight tax on lumber secured from distant sources have learned the lesson and are taking adequate steps to again make idle forest areas productive. The sooner Texas falls in line toward rebuilding its depleted forest area the shorter will be the period during which, we will have to pay a supertax of mil lions of dollars annually on our lumb requirements from the distant Pacif Northwest.

# POULTRY RAISING FOR PROFIT.

(Continued from Page 3) ket these. Keep the irregular-shaped ones for home consumption. See that your eggs are clean and properly kept. All of these pointers help to bring the producer the highest price on the mar-

(EDITOR'S NOTE: In the January Magazine Section, Mrs. State will tak of housing poultry, as o

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

THIRTY-EIGHTH YEAR

# SANTA ANNA, COLEMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, NOV EMBER 7, 1924

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# ONE KILLED, FOUR HURT AS AUTOMO-BILL HITS DITCH

assengers en a service car turned over Angelo: The highway six miles west August 25, 1924, Sallinger Friday night.

st trip as driver for the Union Dear Sir: us Line, which operates cars I note from my files that your

and was destroyed.

# Liberty Home Demonstra-

Miss Brint, the County Home Demonstration Agent met with the ladies of the Liberty combeing the study of home and he had been pronounced past re-community problems. Much in- demption and hopeless.

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# Player Returns Home

MAN WITH T. B. IMPROVED

Following is the contents of a In Tuesday's election the Dem-

Mr. W. E. Sharkey, dmundson was making his Gainsville, Texas,

etween Ballinger and San An- application for admission to the tonio. The glare of lights of an-other car caused him to run in a has been received and rejected ditch while driving fast. The on account of your advanced conautomobile, a seven-passenger dition. At this time we have 60 car, was demolished, caught fire men on waiting list, and should your application have been accepted, on account of our long waiting list, would mean a wait tion Club Organized of six to eight weeks. Yours very truly,

J. B. McKnight Superintendent.

The young Mr. Sharkey, the munity last Monday morning for person above addressed, bearing the purpose of organizing a the letter, was in Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club. Miss Brint made an interesting re- ed he had gained several pounds, view of her work and its pur- was improving rapidly and was poses. The object of the Club going to get well, even though

terest was shown and the club was readily organized with of-ficers as follows: Mrs. J. D. Holt, president; Mrs. J. W. Taylor, wice president; Miss Pearl camping outfit, and told him to Bughes, Secretary. The next go west in search of improve-meeting will be Nov, 17, at 3 ment. Started out, alone, broke, o'clock. We intend to put forth the effort of making this club one of the best in the county.

BROUGHT BACK THE GOODS starting a fire, he noticed that

winilk and Lee Woodward spent and he proceeded to take a drink Monnay in Mason County hunt-ing, and returned Tuesday with give relief, and he began drink-two fine deer and two fine tur-ing the Kerosene oil three times Butte 120. daily, sleeping 'out in the open and driving west. Now his fever and driving west. Now his fever has left him and he is gaining Davis 297, LaFollette 4.

strength every days Williams returned from This is the story Mr. Sharkey against the Amendment 39. Washington, where he told us, as he gave us the letter smal ved ball the season just to read , and asked ig with the Pacific Leagues. donation, stating that he could was one of the pitchers and only live and travel by charity Coolidg a first baseman. He has donated to him by people he met. in with the Pacific League Proud to say, we were able to eral seasons and ranks among help him some and send him on States by a large majority. his way. Here's hoping he fully recovers.

#### **D. J. JOHNSON ATTENDS** MRS. FERGUSON WINS **GOVERNOR'S RACE**



MRS. MIRIAM A. FERGUSON

fice early in January of next year. At this time we have not received complete returns, but the following is the latest up to Mr. Lions, and we will produce the time of going to press: Ferguson ..... 140,824 Butte ..... 104,683 The Amendment, pertaining to vetrans pensions, seems to have carried by a large majority.

Local Boxes the Amendment 18.

Santa Anna South Ward poll-

Ferguson 224, Butte 137. The election was quiet in Dai Coolidge Re-elected President elected president of the United niece, Miss Rama Beekley, writer, as it seemed to be to as, Tuesday. -Miss Rama is the some. while world is I ca as its model. Then what

Jack Edmundson, 24 years old, letter from Dr. J. B. McKnight, ocrats were again victorious in from a lengthy mention in the sue of two weeks back, the Colewas killed instantly and four Superintendent of the State Tu- Texas, and elected the first wo- Brownwood Daily Bulletin last man County singing convention Senator Cornelius Cole, 102, slightly injured berculosis Sanitarium near San man governor in the world. She Saturday, speaking of a banquet met with the Trickham class last member of Congress during the will assume the duties of the of- in the basement of the First Sunday and recorded another administration of Abraham Lin-Friday night:

LION BANQUET IN B-W

ly on the need of good roads, es-pecially between Brownwood and Santa Anna. Mr. Johnson much enjoyed. has the boosting habit, which he learned while a citizen of Brownwood, and said last night that Santa Anna has already ginned more cotton than will be made in Brown county or will make this the influence of the exhilarating atmosphere of the Lions club,

with Lion Johnson in order to ascertain if he was in earnest or just joking about the cotton statement." Just send your committee up

D. J. Johnson was neither lying or joking.

# LODGE SOCIAL

The members of the I. O. O. F and Rebekah lodges met in a social meeting last Thursday Santa Anna North Ward poll- night. Those present seemed to C. W. Woodruff, Albert Loud-seemed to loosen up his lungs, bank and Lee Woodward spent and he proceeded to take a drink Davis 165, LaFollette 2. For the Amendment 48, against invitation was extended to assemble in the dining room where For Governor, Ferguson 132, an oyster supper had been prepared. Besides the oysters, a supply of pies, cakes, coffee, etc., were also served. The committee on arrangements did a good For the Amendment 140, work and were praised by all present.

lev family.

MARRIED

· On Monday night, October

**COUNTY SINGING CONVEN-** SENATOR COLE, 102, TION MET LAST SUNDAY

The following is an extract As was announced in our is-Methodist church at Brownwood successful convention. One of coln, died at the family residence. "D. J. Johnson, formerly, of and one of the best convention tack of influenza last year from Brownwood, now of Santa Anna, communities in the county is al- which he never fully recovered. and who said he now has two so at Trickham. The day was Senator Cole's weakened con-homes, one in Brownwood and ideal for such an occasion, and dition combined with his adone in Santa Anna, spoke brief- the usual Trickham dinner was vanced years proved too severe

# Armistice Day—Its Lesson

The hopes of mankind were never higher than on November 11, 1918. The most terrible war Club postponed their regular in human history had terminatyear. Of course this statement in human history had terminat-was made off hand, and under a victory that was "to make the world safe for democ- for the luncheon. This condition racy," "forever to end war," and was brought about, we underwhich affects people differently. "wipe out the scourge of militar-stand, because of several mem-ism." Mud-caked men in the pointed to take the matter up trenches, toil-grimed workers in that we have not accomplished shop and factory, and fearful as many worth while things as mothers nuturing the next war's we have visualized, but we have with joy. At last peace and many things worth while, and good will should reign among many things can yet be accommen, and the common people plished and will be accomplished the evidence to prove to you that of the world, who for untold cen-only by our coming together in turies have paid the cost of all wars in blood and taxes, should find freedom and happiness in community development. We ness imposed by the "war to end and community's sake. war." The people at last stand disillusioned. The common peo-

ple of the world not known the brutal truth. The late Woodrow Wilson declared that they know oil and 100 per cent profits than way while being intoxicated. they did for such trivialities as

ness and peace. Under despair and disillusion-placed in the County Jail - a ment the miserable, hordes of Coleman. hungry, humanity in Europe Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Rendleman President Coolidge was re- attended the marriage of their have overthrown governments at and driven out many of the rulthe home of her parents, Dr. and ers who betrayed them, and the This was no surprise to the Mrs. B. B. Beekly of Melvin, Tex- whole world is looking to Ameri- readers who are members of the Then what of tomorrow? is being made to get the mem-Shall we put our trust in heavier bership next Sunday morning in She was married to Mr. L. Baze araments, as urge those gener-a very important meeting. If als who are already talking gibly about "the next war?" Shall church in Santa Anna, will you Armistice Day, 1924, find us come out and help carry your of Melvin. The writer very kindstill trying to solve the world's part of the load? woes by bayonets and brute force? Unless we be stark mad, God forbid!

OF LINCOLN'S TIME, DIES IN HOLLYWOOD Hollywood, Cal., Nov. 3.-

our best classes is at Trickham, here today. He suffered an at-

# LUNCHEON CLUB POSTPONED MEETING

The Business Men's Luncheon weekly meeting this week, due to no preparations being made "cannon fodder" cried aloud accomplished a great many the new era of universal peace. trust arrangements will be per-For six weary years the fected ere another week whereby world has been staggering under we can continue to hold our the colossal weight of wretched-weekly meetings for the town

**Booze Peddler Landed In Jail** 

Rich Goddard of Brownwood Wilson declared that they know was arrested here Tuesday by they were lied to, deceived , and Deputy Sheriff J. C. Welch, herded into the shambles of the charged with transporting inlate war by the false promises toxicating liquors in violation of of cynical politicians who cared the law, and also, driving an far more about coal and iron, and automobile on the public high-

The liquid goods were found democracy, justice, righteous- in his possessioin, the car was canfiscated, while Goddard was

heir best players.

I. Williamson, Sam Collier and E. Melton returned Friday from a hunting trip, and brought in several fine turkeys. Mr. Wil-liamson joined another party Mr. and Mrs. Elder Smith, pickit while asleen.

is in the hospital for treatment. ing.

# **GOOD COTTON PICKER**

and is gone again this week, de- ed 167 pounds during one after-termined to bring back a deer, if noon this season. The same day he has to slip up on one and kill a 10-year-old sister picked 193 pounds during the day. Mr. Smith picked 390 and says the Mrs. Clara Wells of Trickham boy beat him on the last weigh-

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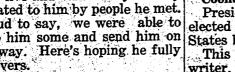
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# STOLEN CAR RETURNED

Thursday morning of this ly remembers Miss Rama and week, J. H. Brannan was agree- the Beekly family, having spent ably surprised to find his Ford several days with them on the Coupe, which was stolen four Llano river several years ago, weeks ago, had been returned some time during Wednesday night, and placed back in the Four Youngsters Disappear garage where it was stolen from. All the numbers had been re-

moved, even the engine number 27, two young couples, Cecil had been chiseled off ,and one Townsley and Miss Grace Cheek, or two new tires had been put Marcus Weldon and Miss Eran Campbell, stole a march on their

Mr. Brannan had offered a re-parents and disappeared, leaving ward of \$100 for the return of in a Ford car, and to this date his Coupe, and had practically their whereabouts have never abandoned all hopes of ever recovering it. Now it has been sorely grieved, and have exertreturned and he doesn't know ed every effort to learn of their who to offer the reward.

You can't retain a position at The Fire department was callthe top without immense sus-ed out about 1 o'clock Sunday tained efforts. Those who are morning to the Call Fuller home climking will bump you off. where a fire had been discover-Shadow boxers never score a ed in the house, but was extinguished with but little damage. knockout.

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

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yet the pipe organ, played six hundred miles away, was heard distinctly. Talk about your fairy ful lamp and the goose that laid

rules by various states, we de- try originated in Texas permit- comply with the Pennsylvania

There is a magic association with telegraphy that few men and boys are able to resist. The General Secretarial, General and boys are able to resist. The General Secretarial, Gen the pipe organ were coming. A inated outside infected areas to cal service routes for this class brick house, weather-stripped be packed accordance amend-of traffic require movement thru the state of Pennsylvania thru the state of Pennsylvania

pon which is below and send it DON'T MONKEY TOO MUCH | shippers in the promulgation of Pennsylvania: Dressed poul- it will be necessary for us to

The seeds of discontent never raise a profitable crop.

positions.

incur: local railroads supplies messages to the advanced stu-dents. The main line of the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad Company Dispatchers train or-der wire, running into the Tele-graphy Department, supplies all messages transmitted from sta-tion to station. The College supplies and our own country, and eighty per tacutred and in use in the world are in our own country. You can't have both expensive mili-taryism with its resultant mis-ery and industrial development with. its resultant happiness. Which shall it be? tion to station. The College sup- Which shall it be? plied with every book, tariff;

fices.

graphy and likely to enter the about evolution? If five of the ish the necessary power of employ of the Western Union judges decided against evolution transportation. Company. Tariffs, books, blanks, Daily and Monthly Report blanks and all other supplies are furnished by the Western Union blanks and all other supplies are to have any more misunder. Typewriters, files and complete standing about it. instruments are in the Western Union Department at Tyler

Commercial College. Telegraph Company to advise enough. It doesn't work. Let's have time to say "goodbye." the students causes the Tyler send him to jail where he be-Commercial College to have longs if convicted after a fair more calls for operators than trial in which his defense has can be supplied. Graduates of been heard. the General Western Union Course can be placed in positions The old m

promptly.

The General Railroad and bannana peel is safe compared cities to which poultry from General Western Union courses with the fellow who sets a wob-are described briefly in the 208- bly stepladder on a rickety crate the various states quarantining page book, "Achieving Success in doing some repair work. In Business;" copy of this book

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the golden eggs! While most of the nations of The other night we saw a picthem in direct line for agencies, While most of the nations of The other night we saw a pic-chief dispatchers' jobs, and po- the earth have been equiping ture that moved on a screen. For sitions in the operating depart-ment of railroads or executive and killing each other off, over thing had happened to the ma-half of all the railroad mileage chine. It was still, like the old The railroads are showing un-usual interest in the Telegraphy Department of Tyler Commer-tial; at Tyler, Texas, One of their local railroads supplies

yents pestilences, surgeons make

new faces, physicians prolong report blanks, and every form The helpful hen should re-that is used in the railroad of-liar, declares Jewell Mayes, secre-human voice speaks across vast Soon after the Cotton Belt be- tary of the Missouri State Board distances, miles are obliterated gan to supply the College with regular railroad blanks, a wire to receive real messages and be-gin to assist the instructors in wire in to assist the instructors in the assist the instructors in a sector of the assist the instructors in a sector of the assist the instructors in a structory and a consist the instructors in a structory and a consist the instructory in the i

gin to assist the instructors in the teaching of station work, the manager of the Tyler Com-mercial Office of the Western Union Telegraph Company visit-ed the Telegraphy Department and arranged for similar work to be done in the Western Union line. The General Western Union Course is offered to all young women and young men in-

young women and young men in-terested in Commercial Tele-Court to settle this controversy about avaluation? If five of the

furnished by the Western Union to have any more misunder- ter worry for fear some inquisitive scientist touches the wrong

atom and blows us all into space. Jnion Department at Tyler Jommercial College. By having the Western Union A drunken driver is a distant By having the Western Union Included. He has been fined long and when he does we won't even

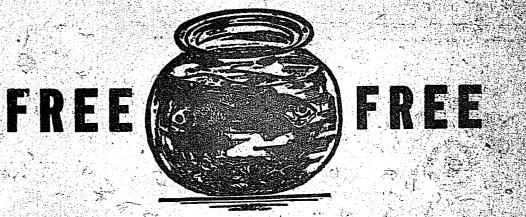
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# Lesson for November 9

THE FEEDING OF THE FIVE THOUSAND

LESSON TEXT-John 6:1-15. GOLDEN TEXT-I am the bread of Mfs.-John 6:35. PRIMARY TOPIC-Jesus Feeds Hun-

STY People. JUNIOR TOPIC-Jesus Feeds Five

Thousand housand. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-L-Christ Meeting Human Needs. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOP-How Jesus Saves.

the previous chapter, Jesus ed Himself to be the source of He here proves Himself to be e sustainer of life.

I. Jesus' Compassion for the Multitude (vv. 1-5. cf. Matt. 14:14). The sight of the crowd always incited the Lord's sympathy. He knew that they were as shepherdless sheep (Mark 0:34). They were going forth with no one to care for them. Besides, they were ignorant, so much so that they had no appreciation of Him. Added to this, was their awful physical hun-This condition roused the Savior's plty. This is true of the multitude today. The crowd surges about us daily as shepherdless sheep. There is no one to care for them. Then, too, they are ignorant. Sin has so thoroughly blinded them that they are not conscious of their lost condition. Down deep in their hearts is a hunger for truth and God. The millions of earth are bungering for Christ, though

ignorant of their real needs. H. The Lord's Conference With the Disciples Touching the People's Need (5.9).

This was not done for His benefit, for He knew what He would do (v. 6). He is equal to any occasion. His object in this conference may be summed up as follows:

the great shepherdless multitude. We need to be taught the wonderful truth that God has made man His partner in the salvation of the world. We are workers together with God (II Cor. 6:1). It is a most solemn obligation to co-operate with Him in saving the millions who are groping in dark-

2. To teach them their true helplessness in the face of such great needs. The lonves and fishes were as nothing in the presence of five thousand men besides women and children. Well might Andrew exclaim, "What re rigse among so many?" .- We may

> entirely from God. To teach them that their suffifrom the Lord. The mission hold it up as a correct ideal to

TODAYS WORLD TOPICS Political changes have never affected business half so much as business has affected political B changes. Recently a number of Wall Street men discussed the

question whether the traditional 'election scare" had arrived or not. The peculiar fact about the discussion was that no agreement seemed to exist as to whether the financial community was actually uneasy or not. The most disturbing thing that eleverest horse in captivity. may happen will be throwing the election into the House 0 not materially disturb business.

Notwithstanding the fact that the ax has been used since the dawn of civilization, more per-sons get hurt using it than with any other common implement. The ax is safe enough in itself but nothing is safe in the hands of thoughtless people.

Masons Defend School Proposal by Scottish Rite Masons for France and England, as the andoah's performance, rightly signs of deliberate intention to dashing favorite of King Louis recognition the public school as dashing favorite of King Louis regarded, simply marks another drop out of the ken of friends the educational institution in XV. He was and wing the two step in human progress by which the educational institution in XV. He woes and wins the two shackling limitations are being and relatives; and missing perwhich all children, without re-spect to class or creed, should be Fights dances and thrills way fradually but surely cast aside sons occasionally show resenteducated, editorials have appeared in several leading papers condemning the movement as an attempt to standardize education. The organ of the Scottish Rite asserts that the "requirements that all normal children be instructed in common elementary schools in secular subjects and DOUGLASS FAIRBANKS, JR. there trained in the fundamentals of a common citizenship, surely contains the very essence

of Americanism." "The requirement that all the children of all the people should revival that would energize the gay youth. civic life of the Nation."

"The moral right of every child to have an education measured not by his parents' abilities, but by his own capacity, is gaining recognition. This fundamental principle of justice, humanity, and democracy not yet fully

recognized." "When a great daily can give utterance to the aristocratic doctrine that the education oppordependent upon the financial re- handsome western hero. sources of their parents, and

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Monday & Tuesday, 10 & 11

cast are Leon Bary, Edna Murp-state lines are crossed and re-ed missing. the opinion that even that will hy, Charles Parrott, Pat Harti- crossed at pleasure, rivers which The Christmas holidays bring

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NET" in connection.

SATURDAY 15

in ROUGH RIDEN

This is a new star here, but and water, but the increase tunities for children should be ing, hard riding, two fisted,

# Tracing the Lost

Probably no other public The people of the United States never have been particularly in- agency in the world goes so far terested in those things which into the highways and the by-involve conflicts and wars either ways of this earth for lost aggressive or defensive. They friends and relatives as the Salhave been inclined to encourage vation Army. Not a day passes the arts of peace and human that some difficulty is reported to the Department of Missing The cross-continent trip of the Friends; and in one out of three brotherhood.

THE KING OF WILD HORSES The cross-continent trip of the riterids, and in one of or of the cases the lost person is found. In cases the lost person is found. In The most magnificent, the and progress. Her journey serves 1923 the department handled 1,wildest, fiercest, the smartest, to emphasize afresh the unity of 093 cases, of which 419 were a great people, the common pur- satisfactorily settled. From Jan. Thrilling action, stirring dra-poses in which those of every 1 until the last of August 1924, ma, throbbing romance. In the section are engaged. Imaginary it found 369 of the 1,060 report-

gan and Sidney De Grey. Don't separate east from west and most business to the department. miss this picture—it's some- north from south are passed, and Mothers haunt the offices in she will carry back to the East search of word from missing a message of good will and sons. Half of the applications come from outside of America,

friendship. It is not at all improbable that and many of the foreign letters the time will soon come when are of Scandinavian origin who our people may be able to engage are very forgetful about writing passage on such a ship and home and have a way of changjourney across the continent or ing their names to suit the conacross the sea as cheaply and as venience of employers. safely as they now travel by Most of the cases are traced train or steamship. The Shen- to simple neglect, but some show

expressions of the new ideas in Signs multiply that peace has education for women is a law school for girls. Considering how come to stay in Europe. The oversubscription of the German short a time Chinese girls have loan in the United States, Eng- been permitted to venture forth from the, shadow of the courtland and other nations has inyard their advancement is asspired France in investing. Following this the French govern- tounding. ment has announced its intention to recognize Soviet Russia. These You can't ignore a mortgage off the family home. CLIFFORD MEADOWS

events, coming closely after the arbitration protocol at Geneva give evidence of a new era of friendship and co-operation in war-torn Europe. Traveling may broaden the mind—but it flattens the pocket-

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ker needs to know that Christ is only source of supply. Without m we can do nothing (John 15:1-8). e can no more carry on the work preelves than the branch can bear cruit without the vine. The branch supplies the life and strength for the production of fruit. Philip's arithmetic is of no use in the face of such meed. The Lord Jesus has all power. Itt. The Lord's Method of Accomplishing His Work (TV. 10-13).

We observe here the orderliness of Christ's work..... He pauses to give thanks for their scanty supply, teaching us that, we should always bring our abilities and gifts to God, that He might bless them to His use.

L. The Lord's part was to bless and break the bread; yes, even to create the needed supply. This part the discipies could not perform. The Lord must begin the work. The same kind of bread was provided for all, rich and poor, young and old, women and children.

2 The disciples' part was to distribute that which He had blessed and consecrated. This is true of the missignary today. His part is to take from the bands of the Lord that which He has blessed and consecrated, and distribute it among the starving multitudes. We are not responsible for the supply; but we are responsible for its distribution to all those who are hungering and perishing for the bread of life.

8. The people's part was to sit down and ent. They had no part in the provision, neither its distribution; but only to take from the liands of the disciples and eat. This is an illustration of the part chedience plays in our estvation. "When all had eaten to the full, much was left," illustrating the superalundance of Christ's salvation.

IV. The Effect (v. 14). The people recurnized Him at once as the Prophet who should come. They believed Him for His works' sole.

Must Tread the Path Death's but a path that must be trod, if men would ever pass to God.-Thomas Parnell.

On the Way Merely being headed in the right direction doesn't get you any place. You have to move if you want to arrive.

Charity Charity is a virtue of the heart and not the liunds .- Addison,

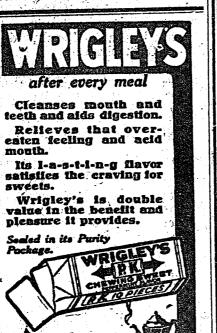
prevail in education, we discover that the battle for equal rights give the best that is in us. When is not yet won." we are loyal to our business con-

Political leaders in all parties nections we must be true to evare predicting that within the ery principle for which it stands,

ests will unite in the formation of an oppsition party to be called the Conservative party. In that organ grinders as there used to

to direct issues between capital and labor.

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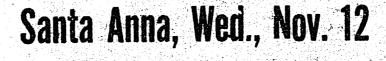
next ten years party lines will with a fidelity which nothing completely change in this coun- can swerve or deflect, and our try. There seems to be no doubt loyalty must flow out to every that the Liberal-Labor Party will individual who has a part in its be formed next January, and as activities as well as to all who a result the big business inter- may be influenced. There may not / be as many

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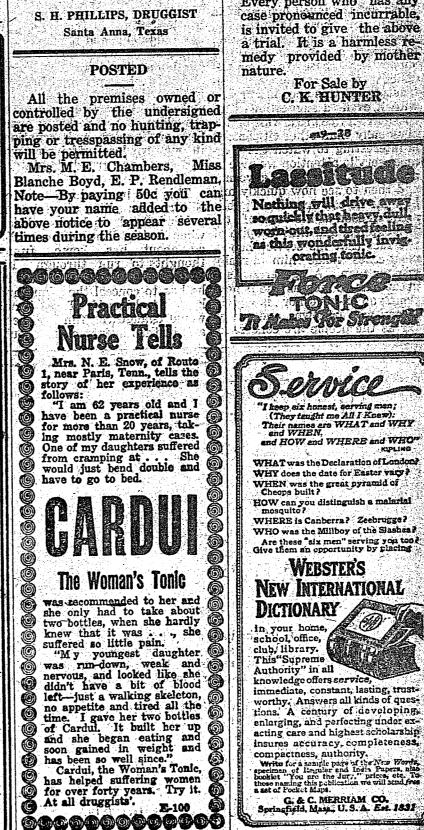


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Friday, November 7, 1924

THE PASSING DAY - (By Will H. Mayes)

The people of the United States have been vising with each other in the effort to show the Prince of Wales that we are pleased to have him visit this country, as indeed we are. The Prince is a nice sort of a visitor life to the party. and a democratic kind of a fellow in spite of his inheritel title. He knows how to make himself agreeable in a truly American fashion and seems to be without that affectation that we have learned to expect in Englishmen generally. That being true, he must at times have a feeling of disgust at the propensity of the average American to bow down and worship royalty. Doubtless

ment to keep from toadying to due to canned goods of whatever royalty and seem to delight in nature.

with great royal processions of dukes and duchesses, ladies in waiting and attendants. In spite electing the first woman govof the almost ludicrous mimicry ernor in the world, in the person of such affairs people turn out in of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson. great numbers to witness these wife of James E. Ferguson of processions of imitators of roy-alty, and the royal performers pay immense sums to bedeck themselves in what they regard as royal apparel. The spectatcle would be amusing if it were not so nitiful.

**CANNED GOODS** States, the most "weeked" submit to another "week." This time it is "Canned Foods

Week" and it will be observed the week of November 8 to 15. Forty-seven states, it is recounted, have planned for the observance to show the superiority of the United States as a pro

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ne would much prefer to be ac-cepted for what he is rather than for his title, but Americans will not have it so. In spite of our demogratic "Conned Fords Work" work to In spite of our demogratic "Conned Fords Work" work to

In spite of our democratic "Canned Foods Week" ought to ideals, we are not far enough re- be congratulated for his vision. moved from monarchical govern- We must pay a debt long over- Gregg.

royaity and seem to defight in paying homage to those highest in authority. This is shown so often in the character of our en-tertainments. The most popular to an end one of the longest spectacular shows we have are drawn out and hardest contestour pageants depicting the ed political campaigns we have crowning of a king and queen, witnessed in many years, and we are proud it's over.

Texas has the distinction of

have any fun. At the time this The people of the United is being scribbled, the voting is in in full progress throughout the the world, are going to have to country and no one knows what the result is going to be.

> Every time an airplane does a tail spin or a nose dive, or a mine blows up, we are reminded of what a fine thing it is to have the earth at our feet.

# **Missionary Study Class**

The Missionary Study Class Few of us have ever realized met with Mrs. Fred Turner, Jr., the importance of canned goods. on Monday afternoon. There Upon this comparatively new were 13 members present and a factor in our national life has very interesting program was been built some of our greatesi carried out. Mrs. Lee Woodward led the devotional. The subject for study is "Child Welinstance. The tourist camp cal fare" and several interesting papers were read and the different phases of this subject by Mesdames Marshall; Davidson and Lloyd Burris. Miss Mollie Stockard was the only visitor.

Wesley Adult No. 3 Meets Wesley Adult No. 3 Sunday Class met with Mrs. P. P. Bond on Friday afternoon and spent Really, the dependence which the time in multing and conver-we as a people have come to put sation. Plans were discussed in canned goods is too little ap- for raising money for our orphan home donation, and it was decid-Slowly and steadily the thing ed to serve cake and chocolate in has been growing on us until town on Saturday, Nov. 8. The some of our best music is com-ing canned. We have lots of political and after dinner speech-Mesdames Chas. Eck, Taylor es that in themselves raise the business of canning to a fine art -not to mention the canned while the theorem in the canned of the them is the theorem in the canned of the theorem is the theorem in the theorem is th

# JUNIOR B. Y. P. U.

In the Land of the King. Introduction -Nila Slaughter Landing at Jappa—Queenie

The City of Jappa-Geneva Atkinson.

Seeing the City—James Polk. The People—Letha May Lack-

The religion—Jack Gregg. Come on Juniors let us have a paperless program, and everyone that can tell their part can light a candle.

On Wednesday, Oct. 29, 15 or 20 members of the Santa Anna Baptist W. M. S. on invitation of the ladies of the Rockwood W. M. S. went to that place to hear

# Mesdames Mattie and Grace land loan.—Sam H. Collier. 38 Coleman, Texas.

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LOCAL ADVERTISING Baptist Church, Sunday, Nov. 9. Baptist Church, Sunday, Nov. 9

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once, one who knows his busi- the purchaser on 20 ye Low rate of interest on quick ness.—Pessels Dry Goods Co., any of land I have in Co land loan.—Sam H. Collier. 38 Coleman, Texas. 42-tf county. Small cash pa

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Mrs. Ruth Godwin to Ben F Dunn, 130 acres of land out M. D. J. Trevino Survey, No. 669; Survey No. 496; \$4000.00. \$6500.00.

Abner S. Lipscomb Survey No. 672.00. 94:38 1-5 acres of Richard Perry Survey No. 95; \$4500.00. J. R. Smith to G. W. Jennings, Carleton W. Adams to Roy Clayton, Lot No. 2 in Block No. T B Washington W. Adams to Roy Clayton, Lot No. 2 in Block No.

to Coleman; \$175.00. H. F. Grenshaw to Margaret Kidwell, 1-3 intérest in Lot No. 4, in Block No. 9, and 1-6 interest in Lots No. 12 and 13, in Block No. 27, Valera; -200.00. G. W. Jennings, Jr., to W. L. euch 54 9-10 acres out of S.

A. C. Weaver, et al, to W. T. R. Kidwell to Margaret Vinson, 32.6 acres of land out of J. W. Parker Survey No. 54;

100:00 Upton Henderson to D. D. DOLLARS charged for the first Blake, 80 acres of land out of month, an additional sum of FIVE Wharton County School Land DOLARS per month. Said occupa-

Mrs. N. J. Ford, et al, to G.

Absolum Williams Survey No. out having first paid said occupation 35; \$11,500.00

11, Sadler and Martin Addition 95.68 acres of land out of Samuel Sprague Survey No. 688; \$2,-

C. C. Miller to W. F. Lovestein 290x300.4 feet out of R. J. Clow's 2nd Addition ( farm) to Coleman; \$1000.00.

John M. McClure to R. B. War-54 9-10 acres out of S. ren, 115.3 acres of Josiah B. ner of Richard Perry Sur-Beall Survey No. 301; \$3559.00. THE SANTA ANNA NEWS

# ORDINANCE NO. 70

FRANT

scribed in Section I of this ordinance within the corporate limits of the City ORDINANCE REQUIRING ITIN of Santa Anna, Texas, without having MERCHANTS SELLING first paid the prescribed occupation BANKRUPT STOCKS OF GOODS, tax to the City of Santa Anna, Texas, OR ADVERTISING FIRE SALES, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and OR WATER AND FIRE DAMAGED each day that such merchant shall STOCKS FOR SALE FOR LIMITED pursue such business in the corporate PERIODS OF TIME TO PAY AN limits of the City of Santa Anna, ANNUAL OCCUPATION FAX TO Texas, without having paid said oc-THE CITY OF SANTA ANNA AND cupation tax, shall constitute a sepa-PROHIBITING SUCH ITINERANT rate offense, and upon conviction such MERCHANT FROM OFFERING merchant shall be fined in the sum FOR SALE OR ADVERTISING FOR of FIFTY DOLLARS for each of-SALE SUCH STOCKS WITHIN THE fense. CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY | Section IV. All ordiances in con OF SANTA ANNA, WITHOUT flict herewith are hereby repealed.

CUPATION TAX, AND PRESCRIB-4 ordinance in effect, within the cor-ING. PENALTIES FOR VIOLA- porate limits of Santa Anna, requiring TIONS OF THIS ORDANCE. BE IT ORDAINED by the City rupt stocks of goods, or advertising Council of the City of Santa Anna, fire damaged stocks for sale for lim-Texas:---Section I. That before doing busi- cupation tax to the City of Santa Anness or offering to do business within na and prohibiting such itinerant merthe corporate limits of the City of chant from offering for sale or ad-Santa Anna, Texas, every merchant vertising for sale such stocks within who may remove from place to place the corporated limits of the City of and offer for sale "bankrupt stocks of Santa Anna, without having first goods" or advertising "fire sales" or paid such occupation tax, and prewater and fire damaged stocks for scribing penalties for violating of this sale" for: a limited period of time ordiance, creates an emergency deshall pay to the proper officer of the manding that all rules requiring or-City of Santa Anna, Texas, the sum dinances to be read over and refered of FIFTY DOAALRS per month for to a committee be suspended and that the first month or less than a month; this ordinance be placed upon its pasand shall pay for each additional sage and same is accordingly done. month that such sales are continued within the corporate limits of said City of Santa Anna, Texas, an additional sum of TEN DOLLARS; pro- Santa Anna, Texas. vided that when such itinerant mer-

THE COURT HOUSE A. Stinson, 20 acres out of T. & chant shall remain for six months in O. R. R. Co. Survey No. 10; \$1,- the. City of Santa Anna, Texas, he shall pay an addition to the FIFTY

tion tax shall be paid in advance.

H. L. & Pink Hubbard to S. A. Section II. Every Itinerant mer Edington, 208 acres out of Uriah chant engaging in business described West 1-2 of 190.37 acres out of 672 00 K Survey No. 792; \$9,- in Section I of this ordinance, is hereby prohibited from pursuing said Upton Henderson to Sam G. business within the corporate limits of Curry, 230 acres of land out of the City of Santa Anna, Texas, with- tery.

> Section III. An itinerant merchant That statesmanship will suptax.

HAVING FIRST PAID SUCH OC- Section V. The fact that there is no the itinerant merchants selling bankited periods of time to pay annual oc-ENACTED this 6 day of November A. D. 1924, and approved same day. W. E. BAXTER, Mayor, City-

> IT IS IMPERATIVE-That justice shall always be the aim of government.

er shall be above suspicion. That purity shall be the foun-

dation of a home. That a business shall justify its profits in service.

That the sincerity of a preach

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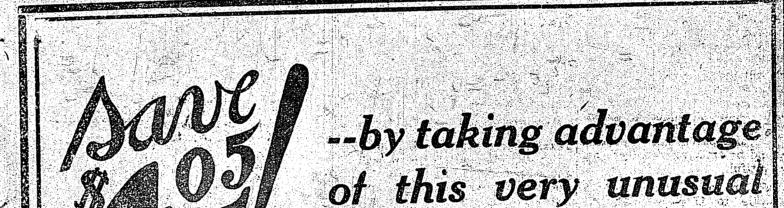
vice, just such as they want and deserve. Our entire service is at your command, and we are ship.

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**Baptist Church** 

SUNDAY

**November 9** 

If you are a member of the Baptist

Church, and have the welfare of the

church on your heart, we want you to

meet us at the Church Sunday morning,

November 9th, this day having been

designated for a General Rally Day. The

Pastor and Committee urge that you

come. Come praying that the Lord will

direct us in this meeting and that His

name may be honored and glorified in

cient increase in business to pay for our new equipment, but we. A dollar doesn't go far, says

will have the satisfaction of a contemporary, but at that it. knowing that we can give our ad- goes too far for some folks to

in Block No. 9; and Lots \$1000.00. 12 and 13, in Block No. 27, lera; \$200.00.

ots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and E. 1-2 of Lot No. 20 in Block to Coleman; \$1100.00. No. 15, Laughlin's first Addition 122 5-10 acres out of/Wm. Dunto Talpa; \$204.00.

to Coleman; \$550.00

W. P. Hearrell, to Chas. Giesecke, 40 acres of Brazoria County School Land Survey No. and quite a number of the peo-226: \$1.00 and other, consideratipn: Lee McCorkle Lamb to D. D. Blake; 400x180 feet out of Subdivision of H. T. & B. R R Co., Survey No. 58; \$1500.00. T. J. Wright to D. M. Wright, 163.6 acres out of Waco Manufacturing Co. Survey No. 7; M. Simmons, I. I. Young, W. E. J. R. Bowen to G. H. Bowen, Edgerton and A. G. Beach. Lots Nos. 4 and 5, in Block No. 9, town of Gouldbusk; \$800.00. W. J. Coppin to R. L. Haminter, 1-2 interest in 87 3-4 acres out of T. & N. R R Co. Survey No. 46; \$1500.00

Elizabeth M. Trimble to Geo G. Koeing, N. 1-2 of N. W. 1-4 of Geo. McQueen to F. M. Sparks, Block No. 9, Clow's 2nd Addition J. W. Gates to J. W. Hunter,

Quincy Payne to R. E. L. Culp levy Survey No. 259; \$12250.00. J. W. Gates to H. B. Hunter, 4 12-100 acres out of Wm. Dun-E. 1-2 of N. 1-2 of S. 1-2 of Block No. 43, Phillip's, Addition Block No. 43, Phillip's, Addition

> The hunting season is here ple are off for a hunt. Hunting License have been issued to the following, within the last week: Coleman: J. C. and Sam Ar-rowood, J. F. Dunn, C. A. Averett, C. E. Averett, T. A. Drake, Conway Stovall, W. E. Bowers, W. J. Cross, B. C. Colvin, W. Goldsboro: J. L. Dyer. Novice: John Strickland and J F. Conner. Gouldbusk: D. V. Smith.

Santa Anna: R. C. Robertson. Silver Valley :W. A. Stephens. Voss: R. A. Arnold. Burkett: Clyde Coleman.

**Births Reported:** To Mr. and Mrs. Joh n Davis, Coleman, boy. To Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Crowder. Coleman, boy. To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Netherton, Coleman, girl. To Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hubbard, Coleman, boy.

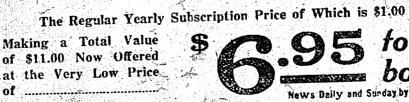
Marriage License Issued: Elises Espinazo and Isidra Mareno. Mr. Harrold Fowler and Miss Coy Bivins. Gregario Aispe and Maria Ar

rendo. Mr. Lawrence L. Baxter and Miss Naomia Jewell Copeland.

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# TEXAS SCHOOL NEWS

Public Health Association

The design is admirably exe-

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campaign against tuberculosis.

The United States pays its

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 3.--There will be programs of inter- Christmas seal of 1924 departs est to every teacher when the from the usual type of design. Texas State Teachers Associa- Instead of stressing the Christtion Convention is held in San mas idea, it stresses the health Antonio, Nov. 27, 28 and 29. and educational appeal. The de-Kindergarten teachers, grade sign depicts knowledge enlightteachers, high school teachers, ening the world as to the danand supervisors, principals and gers of tuberculosis. Resting superintendents will hold group her hand upon the shield of the meetings. In addition, English, doublebarred cross she indicates Latin, music, agriculture, math- that she is defending the world ematics, commercial, geography, against tuberculosis. This is a happy symbolism of the tubercuhome economics and all other individual subject teachers will losis movement in its preventive have special programs intended activities. to be of direct help in their class room work back home.

oom work back home. Nationally important educa- is of New York City. Mr. Curtis tors have been engaged to make is an artist of international repuaddresses before the groups. But tation. For over sixty years, perhps the most important phase of the meeting will be the round- drawing and painting. He spent table discussions. Under the a very large part of his life in group will take up important quarters of the famous Millet questions and hear opinion ex-school. As a painter of landpressed by teachers who are scapes and portraits he gained meeting and solving these prob- an enviable reputation both in lems. These meetings have been Europe and in this country. found to have great value for Many of his paintings have been the school that has a representa- exhibited in Paris and other tive there.

Superintendents and principals will have one of the most study of the Christmas seal ideo important section meetings, and has designed two Thursday afternoon, Nov. 27. Sides the one for 1924. Thomas J. Yoe, superintendent of Brownsville schools, is chairman and George H. Wells of Cisco is secretary. Dr. James F. Hosic of Columbia University,

New York; Supt. G. M. Sims of Port Arthur; Mrs. Laura Warren, dean of women in El Paso Dr. B. F. Pittenger of the University of Texas, and Supt. J. J. Godbey of Cisco schools will

make the addresses. The Texas Grade Teachers Association will have a large meeting, opening wih a banquet Friday noon. Miss Mary J. Byrne

of Fort Worth is president; Mrs. Iru B. Simmons, Houston, vicepresident: Miss Lena Dunlavy, Fort Worth, secretary, and Miss to the honesty of the borrowing sands of Baptist women throughout Merle Brazelton, Paris, treasurer of the group. Miss Evalyn greatest credit nation in the in many ways in order to make spec-barding of San Antonio: State model The losses where hor ial contributions to the missionary, Sterling of San Antonio; State Supt. of Schools S. M. N. Marrs;

Miss Eula Hunter, Fort Worth; Miss Bessie Robinson and Miss Rebecca Henry of Houston, and it business extends into the bil-

will provide the program. Elementary school principals the credit basis for the nation's scriptions in full during this year. and supervisors, with T. Guy business. Rogers of San Antonio, as chairman, will have a strong program. Walter D. Cocking of San Antonio; Leonard Power of Dallas;



SACRIFICIAL EFFORT IS BEING MADE TO RAISE THEIR FULL SUBSCRIPTION TO 75 MILLION CAMPAIGN

NEW PROGRAM PLANNED enthusiastic over the game and

Provision Made For Support Of Generai Causes Through Canvass of Members November 30-December 7.

Under the leadership of the Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary to have reached a standard of exthe Southern Baptist Convention, the Baptist women of the South are seeking to raise \$7,000,000 in additional



MISS KATHLEEN MALLORY Corresponding Secretary, Baptist Woman's Missionary Union

State during the month of December to raise funds for the cash between now and the end of the year for the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, thus matching their subscriptions in 1919, when the progrom was launched, with actual payments, it is crooks three billion dollars a announced at Baptist headquarters. year. Of these vast wages to The women were asked to assume dishonesty two-thirds is paid by responsibility for \$15,000,000, or onefifth of the goal of the Campaign, the public voluntarily for worth- but their subscriptions went far beless, "get-rich-quick" schemes. yond this.

Their original goal of \$15,000,000 The remaining one billion is taken forcibly from the public by in cash had been reached by the women June 1, 1924, and under the embezzlers, bandits and thieves leadership of Miss, Kathleen Mallory, and through credit frauds. Sta-tistics on the losses through Woman's Missionary Union, they are credit frauds afford a tribute making extra efforts to meet their pledges as well as their quota. Thoupublic in the United States, the the South are practicing self-denial world. The losses where bor- ducational and benevolent enterrowers fraudulently fail to reprises embraced in the Campaign, pay their loans approximate on- while other thousands who have al ly \$400,000,000. America's cred- ready paid out their subscriptions are making special thank offerings that Rebecca Henry of Houston, and it business extends into the bil-br James F. Hosic of New York lions annually. The relatively indicate that thousands of Baptist low credit lossage accounts for men as well will redeem their sub-

Large Results Obtained Indicating some of the results that had been realized from the Campaign up to May 1, 1924, the general headquarters reports that the foreign The News editor would like to mission force has been increased over ere in Santa 100 per cent, while as many persons ave been bantized on the

# HEALTH POINTS

(From Red Cross)

the American Red Cross many

of the schools are working en-

# CHILD FIRE PREVENTION

If all the people of our country were to learn by heart the rules Children all over America are regarding fire prevention which playing the "Game of Health." Fire Commissioner Drennan of They have been started in this New York has suggested for new game by- the Junior Red Cross, which is the children's memorization by the school childepartment of the American dren of that city, so that what these rules require becomes in-Red Cross, and they are very stinctive, we would see a material decrease in our \$500,000,000 its results, according to reports.

annual fire loss. In the Southwestern Division of The rules which the Fire Commissioner suggests do not ask tliusiastically for advancement for more than ordinary care. He in this health game and some suggests that matches be kept always in metal containers; he cellence which is attracting warns against throwing remwide attention. The purpose of nants of lighted matches, cigars

the game is to build strong and and cigarettes away without seehealthy bodies and therefore ing where they fall; he tells one keen minds. The children are not to try to start fires with weighed and measured at regu-lar intervals and their record is closets, bedrooms or cellars with kept on a health chart. The lighted candles or matches and credits are also kept on the chart not to use lighted candles on with reference to observing the Christmas trees; he further cauhealth rules which are as fol- tions against keeping gasoline, naphtha or benzine in the house,

Drink a glass of water before and ends the list of twenty-one each meal and before going to rules with the commandment: bed; drink milk, no tea or coffee. "Do not look for gas leaks with a lighted match or candle.'

Bathe twice a week. Eat some vegetables and fruit Sleep long hours with windows make it. If you don't like the

open. Brush teeth thoroughly twice

a day. Wash hands before every meal, keep finger nails cut short and clean them every day.

Keep fingers, pencils, moneys and everything that might be unclean out of the mouth and nose; and at all times keep hands

away from the face. Use your own drinking cup at

school and when away from home. Cover nose and mouth with nanderchief when sneezing and coughing; take 30 or more slow oreaths of fresh air a day; ten breaths in the morning; ten at noon and ten at night.

Try to sit up and stand straight with shoulders well thrown back, to eat slowly, and to attend to toilet and each need of the body at its regular time.

Try to get father and mother

does not go to school to play the game of health with you and keep each rule. cafe.

Your town is just what you

town, you will probably find that

the town doesn't like you. But

f you have the right attitude, then you will find the communi-

ty friendly. It is a mirror in which you will find a reflection

The business of claiming ev-

erything in sight will end m Nov. 4.

and everyone in the home who

of your own disposition.









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Miss Lila Baugh of Houston; S. trade a good home M. N. Marrs; Dr. E. R. Seligman Anna in on a farm situated not of New York, and Miss Elma too far out. Any one having a paign as there were church members Neal of San Antonio will make good little farm for sale and after 75 years of missionary effort. the addresses. Miss Eva G. would consider a trade, we would after 75 years of missionary effort. Pinkston of Dallas is secretary like to take the matter up with of this section.

you in person.

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"We AND Roast It-BLEND Others Praise It? Packed in the new round tin brings to you H and H in its most convenient form. Roasted evenly, and packed and gealed to retain its freshness, the three pound, one pound and one-half (\$ ounces) pound tins are easy to handle and Carry! H and H, with its unvarying goodness and fine flavor, will satisfy that longing for GOOD Coffee-as it is doing in thousands of other Texas homes today. Your Grocer Sells BLEND H AND H COFFEE HOFFMANN-HAYMAN COFFEE CO. NOT SMANNTHAY PAS San Antonio,

fields in the five years of the Cam-1,170 workers report the baptism of 203,532 persons, organization of 1,095 new churches and 3,383 new Sunday schools, and the completion of the \$1,000,000 Church Building Loan

An average of 2,734 state mission workers have been employed during the Campaign who report 240,686 baptisms, organization of 1,646 churches and 3,035 Sunday schools, and the erection or repair of 2,331 houses of worship. Into the 119 Southern Baptist schools, colleges and seminaries the Campaign has put \$7,528,485 in permanent improvements, \$2,910,420 in maintenance, and \$2,732,231 in endowment, while \$1, 277021 has been employed in the cancellation of outstanding debts.

Old Preachers Alded As a result of the Campaign more than 1,000 aged preachers and their dependent ones have been helped; \$4,464.000 has been put into 19 Baptist orphanages caring for 4,000 homeless boys and girls; while the num-ber of Baptist hospitals in the South has been increased from 12 to 24. In order that there may be no letup in the support of the general missionary and other causes fostered by the denomination at the close of the 75 Million Campaign plans have been perfected for the projection of the 1925, Program with the week of vovember 30-December 7, when an every-member canvass will be made of the 28,000 Baptist churches of the South for the support of state, home and foreign missions, Christian education, ministerial relief, hospitals and orphanages next year. These are the same interests that have been embraced in the Campaign but they will be supported in the future on the basis of annual subscriptions from the members of the churches rather than on a five-year pledge. Want \$15,000,000 Next Year

Reports reaching the general Campaign headquarters are to the effect that organizations have been set up throughout the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention looking to the completion of the old Campaign through the redemption ~ of the pledges, and the successful launching of the new program through the taking of subscriptions for next year, at the same time. It is the hope of those charged with the leadership in these programs that a minimum of \$15,000,000 will be raised for the general denominational enterprises in 1925 and that each year thereafter there will be an increase over the preceding year.

# BARGAINS

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coat out of a dog's hide. If that SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION

#### EII SPECIAL INVITA-TION TO ALL-B. Y. P. U.

"Great Chapters: Rev. 2,3sages to the Churches." Leader-Nettie Newman.

Introduction-Leader. letters-Hazel Verner.

Differences in address and reward-Mary McCorkle.

will pack their Buckner Or-Herbert Hudler. All on program please be pre- phans Home box Monday, Nov. sent with your part ready to 24, at the church. Please bring

Similarites \in the first four your part notify Group Captain

Who owns the Santa Fe?

No. 1.

Baptist Church, Sunday, Nov. 9. the fall class scrap.

present. Let's make it go! or send your packages as early Create interest. If you see that it is impossible for you to take No need to be alarmed about the next generation just because

some of the colleges have banned

News we read:

"Now, here is something worth while, something most any enterprising citizen of Statesboro he can probably get the idea for a business that will make him a **Praises, the 1925** edition of the for only \$6.95.

shotgun or a boot/jack. They say they have discovered a process whereby cat Skin can be among the leaders. tanned until they are as flexible and wear resisting as fox skins, and that they can be made to marrying a husband that suited take black dye satisfactorily. the whole family.

These skins make fur garments as beautiful as most anything now on the market. So the cat, that has never been of any more service than to catch a few mice and look comfortable before the fireplace, may at least prove to be an important part of our commercial life. And who knows but we may some day have . a flourishing cat tannery right

here in our own community. Not very pleasant to contemplate (at least for the cats), but if the new process proves a success many dull viliages may become great centers of industry. It only goes to show that nature's gifts are consumed by man, he has to begin to look about for substitutes. All of us can't wear furs from animals that long ago became scarce. But that has increased rather than decreased the demand for furs. It is but natural, therefore, that someone should turn to the house cat for relief-and at present the supply is greater than the demand.

The country will watch the experiment with interest. If the innovation proves popular there should be relief to all the superstitious; for no longer will we have to worry at all times about continuing our way up or down a street after our path has been crossed by a black cat. And when all available cats are killed off, perhaps someone will invent a process/ to make a sealskin

process is ever perfected, it In the Statesboro (Georgia) should prove to be a howling success .-- Temple Telegram.

# **NEW SONG BOOKS**

We have in stock at the News a business that will make him a fortune. New York fur men are buying the skins of common, or-dinary house cats—the kind that make most of us wish for a that make most of us wish for a

No girl ever succeeded in

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in these states there reside 7,635 of its stockholders. While this is almost the largest number on record, it is slightly below the year be-Banks and Trust Companies ..... 251 fore. We should be very glad to see those residing along the Santa Fe Lines become Various Others ..... 1,265 much more generally interested in its stock, although both the common and preferred Since the organization of the present comshares give a smaller return than many other pany in 1895 it has not failed in any year to investments promise. The high price is a deearn its full interest, nor since dividends have been declared to earn them in full. served tribute to the property. Every investor The Preferred Stock dividends are limited to in the Southwest might well buy one or 5%. The first payment was made in 1898 more shares in the Santa Fe. at 1% and in 1900 full payments of 5% were

The Santa Fe operates in thirteen states and

At the beginning of this year, the ownership of the Santa Fe was divided among 67,118 stockholders with an average of 53.1 shares apiece. Twelve months before there were 64,643 stockholders, averaging 55.4 shares apiece. The number of stockholders has increased steadily for many years and the average holdings decreased, resulting in an ever-widening distribution of ownership.

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begun and have been maintained for the en-

suing 25 years without interruption. Common

dividends were begun in 1901 at  $3\frac{1}{2}\%$  and

have been maintained steadily since that

date with gradual increases, 6% having been

For the railroads, as a whole, the records

of the Interstate Commerce Commission show

that at the close of 1923 there were 807,524

stockholders, or 30,392 more than the pre-

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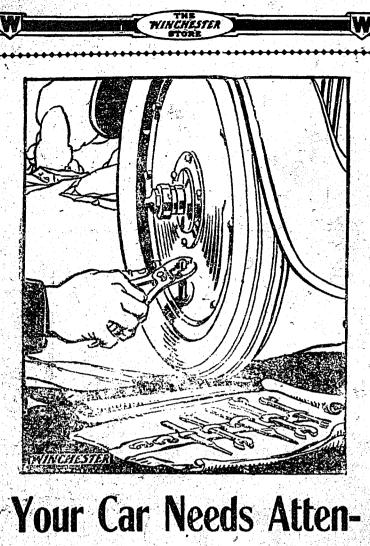
If November rain is falling, And the weather may be drear, And you may be sad on the country road, Your-large car out of gear, But even though the weather's dark, And with the mud you're bored, You won't get mad nor be much sad If driving in a Ford.

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# THE SANTA ANNA NEWS

# **Caught in the Round-Up**

Miss Rosemary Bowman has gone to Brookesmith to\_teach.

Miss Emma Poe is visiting in Brownwood this week.

C: A. Crump spent the week in Waco attending the Cotton Palace.

Mrs. E. L. Witten recently visited her son, Ed Witten and family of Lampassas.

Mrs. Bob McMinn of Liveoak visited Mrs. John Harper Tuesday.

Joe Poindexter of Bradshaw was a Santa Anna visitor Saturday.

" Mrs. Roy McFarland has returned from a visit to Dallas and Thursday. A very interesting other east Texas points.

A. L. Pearce of Coleman visitday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Williamson, Monday, a fine baby na. girl.

Master Crouch of Coleman had an operation Wednesday at the ocal hospital.

Little Miss Amy Williams had minor operation Friday at the hospital.

Mrs. Chris Long of Cross Plains was operated on Saturday at the local hospital.

Mrs. Less Gillett of Comanche s visiting relatives in Santa Anna this week.

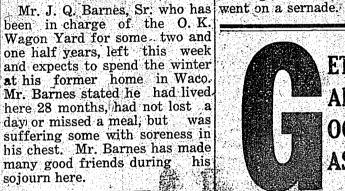
Mrs. Burrows returned/ from Dallas Sunday and reports Miss Agnes, who has been very sick, as doing nicely.

Miss Annie New who has been nursing in the Santa Anna hospital all summer left Saturday for Phoenix, Arizona, where she will spend the winter.

Todd, the 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Oakes, is reported fast recovering from burns received several days back. We are proud to note his rapid improvement.

The following, being members of the order and most of them now being members of the Brownwood lodge, attended a meeting of the K. of P. Lodge in Brownwood Monday night: D. J. Johnson and son George, E. E. Polk, Leman Brown, Stafford and W. E. Baxter, C. K. Hunter, S. H. Duggins, S. M. Polk, Jr., and the editor. Mr. Johnson and the writer also attended a meeting and luncheon of the Brownwood Lions Club at the Southern Hotel Tuesday.

Quite a lengthy mention appeared in the Brownwood papers last week of the Fourth District Medical Association of Texas, which met there Wednesday and program was carried out and all



Baptist Church, Sunday, Nov. 9.

Grandma, Mrs. J. S. Martin of the Liveoak community, called at the News office Thursday morning to renew her subscrip-Mrs. Ellen Doggett of San tion and also send the News a Saba was operated on Saturday year to her son, J. E. Martin at at the hospital and is doing nice-ly. upon us, especially when they have kind things to say about our paper.

Baptist Church, Sunday, Nov. 9.

**Merry Wives** Mrs. Paul Williams was hostess to the Merry Wives on Thursday afternoon. The house was decorated with halloween decorations and cut flowers. A halloween contest was engaged in and Mrs. Chas. Eck won first prize, and Mrs. G. W. Faulkner the booby prize: Delicious refreshments consisting of marsh-LILLYBUD mallows, salted nuts, hot chocolate and mahogany cake was served to the guests. The following visitors outside the club were present: Mesdames Chas. Eck, A. U. Weaver, Ross Kelley, Bowman, Comer Blue, Dewey Pieratt, Grady Adams and Will Childers. 🦳

# **Elizabeth Turner Entertains**

Miss Elizabeth Turner entertained Friday evening with a halloween party. The house was who attended were benefitted by decorated suitable for the octhe able discussions of subjects casion and from a darkened cored his father in Santa Anna Sun- of vital interest to the profes- ner suggestive of ghosts and sion. Drs. Sealy, Lovelady and witches. Punch was served to Hays attended from Santa An- the guests. Dancing and fortytwo formed the diversion of the

evening. After ten o'clock all



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# YOUNG REOPLE'S PARTY

Misses Lois Adelle and Mary Adams entertained with a Hal-

Adams entertained with a Hal-loween party on Friday night of Hast week for the young people. Every one wore a mask and the suests were first ushered into the sitting room where they chose their partners, after this they unmasked and played games. Raymond Childers re-ceived the prize given for the boy and Elizabeth Greer for the girl. Then the youngsters all had their fortunes told, Miss Kate Phillips acting as fortune

Her. Refreshments consisting thot chocolate and cake were The successful girl in business served to the guests and music thinks more about what she can was by Miss Lois Adelle on the put into her head than on it.

**Produce Wanted** 

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Miss Bill Vinson, accompanied by her little niece, Glenda Wil-liamson, visited her sister, Mrs. piano, and a musical program Thursday of last week until also was given on the radio. All Wednesday of this. report a very enjoyable time.

Fred Jacobs of Comanche, accompanied by his son, John, Jacobs of Dallas, visited his

James Mathews, general merchant of Trickham, was in the city Monday and while here, called at the News office to renew his subscription, and also left a splendid order for stationery with our job department.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Moore had as their dinner guests last Sunas their dinner guests last Sun-day, their son J. M. Moore of Gorman, Will Moore and family and Chas. Ewing and family of Coleman, and several others of their married children who live here.

W. L. Mills of the News force attended the Cotton Palace at Waco, last week-end and had the plesure of meeting his son Ralph, who is attending A. & M. College. He reports a very inter-esting ball game Saturday be-tween A. & M. and Baylor, Baylor winning 15-7.

Following is a partial list of new and renewal subscribers for the week: James Mathews, the week: James Mathews, Trickham; W. A. Brandon, Rock-wood route; W. B. Ryan, Tusco-la; Ira Hudler, Gus-Hines, Mrs. J. D. Allen, Mace Blanton, P. E. Burson, Rockwood, Walter Ransburger, Coleman, J. T. Smith, N. P. Moore, L. S. Millard, J. S. Gilmore, S. A. Harrell, C. T. Miracle, Eddy, Texas, J. Q. Barnes, Sr. Waco, Mrs. J.- S. Martin, J. E. Martin, A. A. Mc-Pherson, J. G. Horseman, Miss Ollie Pearce.

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Growers' Association of San Saba and Lampasas counties, the following petition OPEAN FIREPROOF II was ordered sent to James Center of Theatrical and II Business Section. \$150, \$2.00 and \$2.50. II = = = = = = = = II "We, the undersigned Bend "We, the undersigned Bend Pecan Growers' Association of San Saba and Lampasas counties, respectfully peti-tion you to use your influence at the next session of the Legislature of Texas to have introduced and passed an amendment to the present game law, to have the present 'bag limit' of 10 squirrels per day removed, for the very good reason that the depredations of these animals is becoming alarming to the pecan grow-ers, and if relief is not grant-

tion, the United States Good

Roads Show and the Bank-

head National Highway As-

sociation at Houston on

April 20th to 25th, has been

ed in the pecan belt of Texas it will become a menace to an important industry." Pumping operations in Main Street, Opposite City Hall. Orange county have reversed the seaward flow, of several streams, causing ruin to rice crops from salt water, ac-cording to reports by H. H. Schultz, Government statis-tician. This and other causes have reduced the WESTBROOK HOTEL total Texas rice crop more 275 FIRE PROOF ROOMS than three-quarters of a mil-lion bushels. The powerful pumps used to supply the rice fields lowered the water LET THE "Z" ENGINE SOLVEYOURLABORPROBLEM

of the streams causing Gulf water to flow in. The pro-duction throughout the State is placed at 5,565,000 bushels as against 6,360,000 last year. The indicated verage yield per acre is thirty-six bushels as com-pared with forty last year. Acreage this year is 156,000, ast year it was 159,000.



"It has a shell like a nut, but I'd like to see the squirrel who has nerve enough to try to crack it."

ARITHMETIC CONFOUNDED. "Mah friends," said the colored preacher, "de scriptural rule fo' givin' was one-tenth of what yo' had. If yo' alls feel yo' can't afford dat much, jes give a sixth, or a fo'th."

JOHNNY HAD TO WAIT. "Johnny, didn't I tell you to come right home from the barber shop?"-

"Then why didn't you obey?" "I had to wait while grandma got her hair bobbed and her neck shaved."

Two chance acquaintances from Ireland were talking together. "An' so yere name is Riley?" said

one. Are yez anny relation to Tim Riley?"

"Very disthantly," said the other. "Oi was me mother's first child, and Tim was the tenth." Ohio.

#### THE LAST RESORT.

Jones had returned from the seashore with the tired expression he wore when he started his vacation.

"What's the matter?" asked a friend. "I thought you went away for a change and a rest.

"I did, but the waiters got all the change and the landlord got the rest."

Joe saw the train, but couldn't stop; They dragged his flivver to the shop. It only took a week or two To make his car as good as new. But though they hunted high and low, They found no extra parts for Joe.

# PRECAUTION.

The day before she was to be married the old negro servant went to her mistress and handed her a life insurance

policy. "Why do you want me to keep it? I

# A LITTLE FUN Jokes to Make You Laugh BUSINESS IS BUSINESS. Mr. Ikenstein was discovered in the

meeting of the Ku Klux Klan, and a committee was appointed to wait upon him-and find out why he was there. "What is your name?" asked the spokesman.

'Ikenstein." "What are you doing in a meeting of the Ku Klux Klan?" "I just wanted to see the man who

buys the white goods."

# MARRED, NOT MARRIED.

Rastus was looking for work and the employer was asking him the usual

questions. "What's your name?" "Erastus Jackson, suh."

"How old are you?"

"Ah is 28 yeahs, suh." "Are you married?" "No suh. Dat scar on mah haid is

where a mule done kicked me."

# OLD HUMAN NATURE.

In many parts of Mexico, hot springs and cold springs are found side by side. One can see native woman boiling clothes in a hot spring, - rubbing them on a flat rock and rinsing them in a clear cold spring.

A visitor watched this process for some time, and then said:

"I suppose the natives , think old Mother Nature is pretty generous, eh?" "No; senor," replied his host. "There is much grumbling because he supplies no soap.

# THE POLITICAL LIFE.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon said on his eighty-eighth birthday in Danville,

"With its oil scandals and bootleg scandals politics isn't perfect, but I am not one to discourage any young man from taking up a political life. "I am not like poor Mark Twain, who

said in introducing a certain General Hawley at a political meeting:

"Pure, honest, incorruptible—that is Joe Hawley. Such a man is like a bottle of cologne in a garbage "incinerating plant-it may moderate the stench, but it can't eliminate it.' "

# UNCLE SI.

The big oak tree that stood in front of Uncle Si Perkins' grocery store had begun to show tints of autumn. The leaves were turning to russet, gold and crimson. Uncle Si stood looking pensively at the old tree, and then, with just a trace of sadness in his voice,

said: "That old tree's been the best friend this here town ever had. I recollect, years ago, we old timers camped under



TAKE ADVANTAGE OF'OUR

J. H. Sheppard's cow, LAMAR COUNTY VOTES HOSPITAL BONDS. Baron's Jewel of L. F., was the first in the three-day Taxpayers of Lamar counmilk production contest ty voted by a large majority among Jersey cows staged at in favor of issuing \$125,000 the Red River Valley Fair worth of bonds to build a under the auspices of the county hospital.

Grayson County Livestock Association. In three days'

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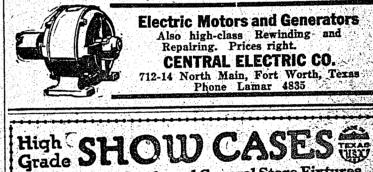
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The Texas pecan crop will time, Mr. Sheppard's cow be about one-third normal produced 113.8 pounds of this year, according to a milk, or an average of 37.8 condition report made by H. pounds a day. The net H. Schultz, Federal agricul-profit on the milk was com- tural statistician. Late puted at almost \$1 per day. rains have improved the crop in some sections while

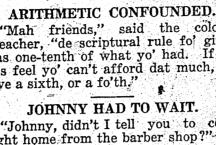
in others drouth and insect damage have practically caused complete ruin. A good crop is reported in most sections of Mexico which is expected to reduce the high holiday price.



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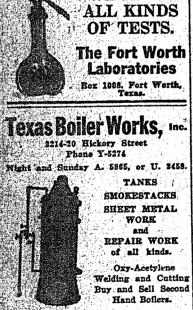
William O'Brien of Amarillo has purchased, the noted herd of Herefords, formerly owned by the Miltonvale



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A Hereford calf sold on the Fort Worth market at \$10.50 per 100 pounds, pounds. 840 weighing This calf was fed by Middleton of Spur, a calf club boy 15 years old. The feeding was done under the direction of R. B. Johnsan, county farm agent of Dickens county. The animal was fed milo and sudan hay grown on the farm of Middleton, Sr. Young Middleton borrowed the money for the purchase and feed of the calf from the National Bank at Spur.

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thought you were going to get married, said the mistress.

"So I is, mam, but does yo reckon I wants dat strange nigger to know Ise got my life insured?"

# A RUSE THAT DIDN'T WORK.

A lawyer was once defending a man accused of house-breaking, and in his address to the judge said, "Your lordship, I submit that my client did not break into the house at all. He found the parlor window open, and merely inserted his right arm and removed a few trifling articles. Now, my client's arm is not himself, and I fail to see how you can punish the whole individual for an

offense committed by one of his limbs." "That argument," said the judge, "is very well put, and following it logically, I sentence the arm to one year's imprisonment. He can accompany it or not, as he chooses."

it when we come out of the States in our ox team wagons. In them days, we had no houses round here, to speak of, an' the old tree sheltered us frum the heat an' the storm. Whenever a call went out for us men to meet an' consider some solemn question affectin' the well bein' of the community, we'd gather at the old tree. I've seen many a feller an' his gal hitch up right thar, an' I've seen many a horse-thief dangle from that big limb. Once they hung four horse-thieves tergether, on the limb, all in a row. The first court ever held in this county wus held under this tree, an' I've never heard any better sermons preached than wus preached by our circuit riders standin' on a stump under the old tree. Last spring, when the street wus widened, they tried to cut it down, but whosoever; cuts that tree down has got your Uncle Si to fight."

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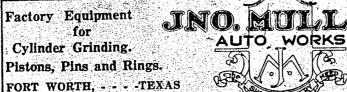
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# Eastland county farmers aging 25 bushels per acre

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fairly good financial shape to go through the winter and begin next year's crop.

Henderson county, East

melon crop brought to the growers, \$300,000.00, despite cattle for exhibition. the cold weather in the spring that made it necessary in many instances to replant the crop.

Wise county hogs, finish-

100 pounds.

Agents of California packing houses and butchers

are buying thousands of fat Texas, farmers are sowing as. The California Coast Department of Anthropo-fail oats, in cotton fields country is experiencing a logy at the University of

Merchants in some sechave about harvested their ed by G. C. Rand, Jr., boy tions of East Texas are of-peanut crop, which is aver- member of the Texas Ton fering to finance their farm-Litter Club, sold on the Fort er customers in securing Worth market at \$10.75 per brood sows, hoping thereby to put more hogs on 200,000 farms in the State which are

It is reported that the said to be without a single

are the leading breeds.

Raising special varieties of pecans is the hobby of grass cattle in Western Tex- Dr. J. E. Pearce, head of the

Texas, farmers are sowing<br/>fall oats, in cottom<br/>has been gathered.California (Coast<br/>ingDepartment of<br/>Anthropo-<br/>ingJ. L. FWER & 2°.<br/>BETTER WIRE & 2°.<br/>BETTER WIRE MELL<br/>See and Large in culture<br/>the settimates of the Texas cost<br/>tor crop to approximately<br/>this orchard was formed was formed was formed was formed<br/>to cares the settimates and barries to bear<br/>a second crop.At Winona, Smith county<br/>to each are now from 10 to 12 years<br/>of 1,100 acres. These trees<br/>to acres. The setting transmitter to acres. The<br/>term of the setting tree transmitter. The setting tree transmitter to acres. The<br/>term of the setting tree transmitter. The setting tree transmitter tree transmitter. The setting tree transmitter to acres. The<br/>term of the setting tree transmitter. The setting tree trees trees<br/>trees trees trees

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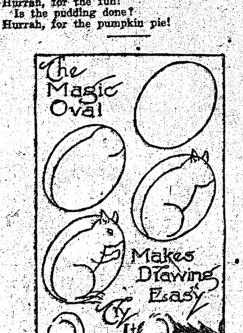
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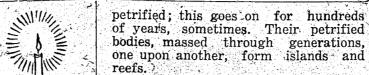
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By AUNT MARY.

In its growing state coral is soft and velvet-like, but when exposed to air it hardens and sometimes changes color. Coral ranges in color from pure white, flesh, and rose to deep red and purple, or violet, with here and there a specimen of yellow or black. Yellow coral is rare and black is very rare, indeed. There are many shapes and species, but the best known are fan coral, branch, brain, feather and plume coral.

The largest deposits are found for the most part in the Mediterranean sea. It is "fished" almost exclusive by Italians. That used for decoration is worked with knife or file, or turned on a lathe. There are over sixty shops in Italy that employe a force of 6,000 expert coral workers.

There is a Chinese legend of a maiden who mourned a poet lover, who was driven away by her brothers. One morning she found a rose blooming, in her garden and she knew it was her reincarnated lover. Day by day the petals fell until there remained nothing but the core. The maiden picked it and found lying in her hand a pink coral bead. The rose bloomed again and again. Each time the sad maiden plucked the heart. She then strung the hearts of the roses on a golden chain and called it her "neckless of endless sighs."

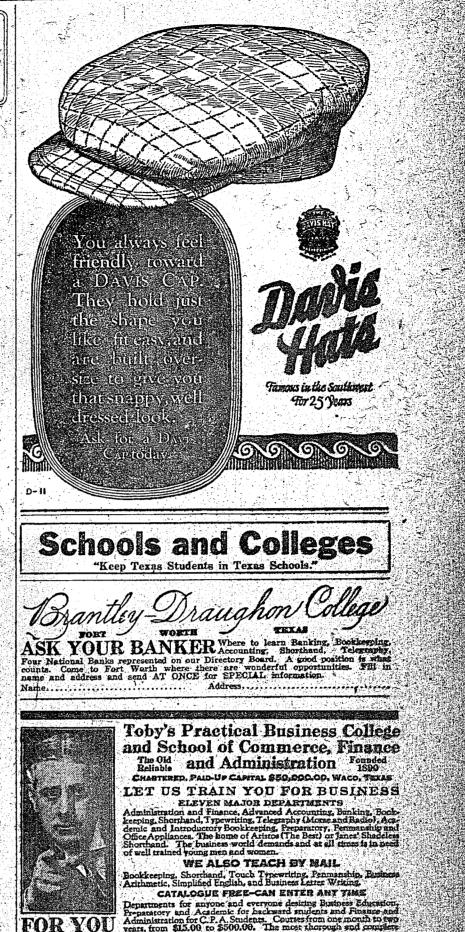
CHRISTMAS IS COMING. Christmas is coming, Doesn't that make your heart beat a little faster? It surely does mine, I know. Christmas is the best time of the year. Don't you think so? It should mean a great deal more to us than just giving and receiving presents. We must also think why we celebrate Christmas. We must think of the needy and poor and do all that we can to make life a little brighter for them.

What are we going to do?

I asked you to write me and tell me what you would like to have for Christmas. I received a great many letters and they gave me many lovely ideas. But I think the one sent by Ruth Mills, Athens, Texas, suggests the most useful things and the best ideas. Although, it was very hard to decide between hers and several other letters, yet I know that those who sent in letters and those who didn't will agree with me that her letter is very fine. The letter follows: Prize Letter.

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# LITTLE GIRL'S COOK BOOK.

Oh! I was fairly swamped with delicious recipes. It surely was a hard task for the judges to decide which was the best. I never dreamed that I had so many interested 'readers of this department. I know your parents are very proud of you all.

After much discussion and deliberation, the judges finally decided to award the prize to Arneta Gipson of Hender-son, Texas. The points of merit on which she won were: it is a delicious dish and yet inexpensive; also a very healthful dish, one that would be very good for any boy or girl, man or woman, to eat.

Arneta please acknowledge receipt of the prize as soon as it arrives.

APPLE MERINGUE .-- Prize Recipe.

Core 8 apples and bake until they are ten-

Make a custard of 3 egg yolks, % cup of sugar, ½ teaspoon of salt, 2 cups of sweet milk; and one teaspoon of vanilla. Pour over the baked apples, put back into oven until the custard has "set," remove and cover with the whites of the 8 eggs that have been beaten stiff and 8 tablespoons of sugar added. Brown in oven.

### LITTLE JOURNEYS.

When I was a very little girl a dear old lady whom I loved and who loved me, gave me a very pretty necklace made of pink coral. Ever since then I have loved coral. Do you know where it comes from and how it is made?

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Your reader; (Signed) RUTH MILLS.

Don't miss the Christmas issue. It is going to be a dandy. I hope that I will be able to give you all of the things Ruth suggests, and more.

AUNT MARY.

# FLOWER CONTEST.

My! My! How beautiful the collections of flowers are. I wish you all lived in Fort Worth so you could see them. There is such a large number that I will not be able to announce the winner this month. The Christmas issue will be too full of other things already planned, so it will be January before I can tell you the winner. I am very sorry, but it will take so much time to go over the books. The prizes are lovely. Watch for the January number for the names of the winners.

LIST OF CONTEST ENTRIES. Last month I gave you the names of a few of those entering the contest for the Flower Books, I was unable to give them all to you, so I will finish the list this month.

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Bessie Taylor, Kemp, Texas. Frank Taylor, Grapeland, Texas. Dave Hughs, Brownwood, Texas. Dorothy M. Garrett, La Rue, Texas. Helen Ruth, Shreveport, La. Ruth Denning, Stockdale, Texas. Vesta Armstrong, Overton, Texas. Zelma Gay, Kemp, Texas. Luevanie Weks, Poolville, Texas. Marguerite Atwood, Weatherford. Texas.

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John Jackson, Galveston, Texas.

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH. Every morning our prayer should be, "Lord, make me worthy to serve Thee and my fellowman every day in every way." Let us all try it for a month and see if we can't be better people for, doing it.

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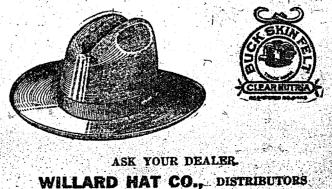
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