

The Big Spring Herald

BIG SPRING, TEXAS, DECEMBER 2, 1921

BY JORDAN & HAYDEN

WELL-BELL WELL SHOWING BETTER

New Developments to Reveal All Fed Optimistic About Local Conditions

Wells are increasing and the discovery hole in the field shows an increase in its output every day. Its actual output is twice what it was a few weeks ago.

In the oil flow that is shown by the well is showing an increase in the flow and water that is being pumped out of the well every time the flow heads over the top. It is being bailed out and it is being pumped out of the well.

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Elks Memorial Services

Memorial services for departed members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will be held at the R. and R. Lyric at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, December 4th.

Joe B. Hines, of Fort Worth, District Deputy of the B. P. O. E., will deliver the memorial address on this occasion and we do not hesitate to assure you that it will be one you will deeply appreciate. Whether or not you belong to the B. P. O. E. you will find it worth listening to.

In addition to the Memorial address, a program of music and song will be presented.

This Memorial service, the first the Big Spring Lodge No. 1388 B. P. O. E. has observed, will be public and everyone is extended a cordial invitation. You may consider this an invitation from the entire membership of the Elks for you to come, for you and yours will be welcomed.

Remember the time and place; the Lyric theatre at 3:00 o'clock Sunday December 4th.

Following is the program for this service:

- Introductory March.
- Prayer.
- Quartet—"The Mighty One"
- Messrs Rix, Reid, Allen, and Dawes.
- Solo—"Oh Lord Remember Me"
- Mrs. J. C. Yates.
- Double Quartet—Messdames Yates, Hatcher, and Bass, and Miss Ricker; and Messrs Rix, Reid, Allen and Dawes.
- Oration—Joe B. Hines of Fort Worth, District Deputy.
- Eulogy—Rev. J. W. Harrison.
- Solo.
- Double Quartet.
- Auld Lang Syne.
- Mrs. Harry Hurt, Pianist.
- Miss Mabel Ricker, Director.

United Charities Meeting Sunday

A meeting will be held to wind up the United Charities-Salvation Army drive and to appoint a committee to have charge of the United Charities fund so that they can render aid to many cases that are now in need of assistance.

This meeting will be held at the courthouse, immediately after the adjournment of the Elks Memorial Service.

Only a short time will be required to transact the business on hand but every citizen who wishes to aid in charity work during the coming year is urged to be present.

It is necessary that a working organization be formed so charity cases may be investigated and assisted if the investigation proves that the cases are worthy.

Only a little of your time is requested so try and arrange to be present. Don't expect the other fellow to attend to this for you.

Living at Home

T. F. Nabors presented The Herald crew with a big mess of fine sweet potatoes which were raised on his place three miles north of town. Mr. Nabors states that these potatoes must be a dry weather variety for they made it thru the growing season, practically without any rain. He had in one half acre and secured fifty bushels. He received as much rain on this half acre as was received in 1920 he would easily have made 250 bushels on this half acre.

Mr. Nabors is one of our farmers who is strong for the "live at home" program and just last week salted down all the pork he would need for months to come. He killed two hogs, one dressing 667 pounds and the other 407 pounds. In addition to the big supply of meat he secured forty gallons of lard. The largest hog was a big-bone Poland China, twenty-two months old.

Moving Day

The Chamber of Commerce moved from the J. L. Ward building, opposite the postoffice to make room for the Cash and Carry Store. H. B. Fox, proprietor of this store, moving from the Lester Fisher building to make room for J. D. Biles, who is to move from the Currie building to the Fisher building. This is just a starter as a number of other changes in locations among the business firms will be made between now and January 1st. The City Meat Market and the New York Bargain house will move from their locations in the Bauer block to the buildings one-half block south, recently purchased by Mrs. Estes and Sam Fisherman, necessitating the present occupants of these buildings seeking new locations.

Notice to Women

At the meeting of the City Federation Tuesday at 3 o'clock, at the Rest Room, Mrs. O'Keefe will present the subject of "Woman's National Foundation," a movement in which all club women will be interested. Thru magazines and newspapers we have heard of this "Temple Triumphant" to be reared at Washington, D. C., a club house for all women of the nation. It is quite an honor to have Mrs. O'Keefe selected as chairman for so good a project. We invite all women to come and hear more.

Cotton continues to roll in, though it has dwindled down to but a few bales per day. Up to the present 6,400 bales have been received at the W. T. Angel cotton yard in Big Spring.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING

A Busy Session of Board of Directors and Committee and Many Questions Come up for Consideration

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors and committees of the Chamber of Commerce was held in the C. of C. office at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening with twenty-four present.

After enjoying a feast of roast beef, potato salad, dill pickles and coffee, which the entertainment committee had provided, the regular order of business, reports of the various committees was announced by president W. W. Rix.

The Agricultural Committee was called upon and the chairman being absent President Rix stated he had written to a number of large land holders on the proposition of cutting their land into small tracts to sell to farmers and invited them to this meeting but none had responded. T. H. Johnson made a talk in which he emphasized the necessity of having land to offer home-seekers if we wished to bring more people to our county. Mr. Rix had several statements from farmers read, these statements being made by farmers of our county as to the crops made during the present year. It is planned to publish these letters so folks back East will be advised as to what the farmers of West Texas can accomplish.

W. Flaniken, chairman of the Educational Committee stated he had been busy attending a Vocational Meeting at Denton and the State Teachers Association at Dallas, but would have an interesting report for next meeting.

For the Advertising Committee it was reported that the Tourist park was going to prove one of the biggest advertisements we could possibly invest in. A page ad in the Red Book and 20,000 folders advertising our Highways have been ordered. A page or more description of Big Spring illustrated with views, recently appeared in the Sunday issue of the Fort Worth Record and a large space in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram will be devoted to Big Spring in the near future.

The president announced that the Chamber of Commerce had to move from their present location and suggestions as to a future home were discussed. Several spaces were offered gratis for the present.

A petition requesting that the City Council assess a tax on all tent shows and carnivals, was endorsed by a majority vote of those present.

A motion prevailed that a committee be appointed to investigate all advertising schemes and our people be requested to refuse to consider such advertising until this committee reports favorably thereon, was adopted by a unanimous vote.

H. L. Rix, for the trade extension committee, reported the first Bargain Day a success and believed it would get better as the folks realized that they could get honest to goodness bargains on such days.

The Waterworks Advisory committee advised they would have a report for the next meeting. Floyd Dodson was added to this committee in place of L. E. Coleman, who had moved to Abilene.

Mayor W. R. Purser told of some obstacles encountered in trying to furnish plenty of water for Big Spring, but predicted that eventually all obstacles would be overcome and the securing of plenty of water assured.

The statement that Judge James T. Brooks of the Highway Committee, had been successful in securing \$15,000 for work on Highway No. 9, the Puget Sound to Gulf Highway, proved good news.

The president reported that the Tourist Camp House had been completed at a cost of \$800, and it would be necessary to raise some funds to pay a portion of this amount.

The Civic Improvement Committee reported that some fine work had been accomplished in the way of improving the scenic drive on the mountain by fifty volunteer workers on Thanksgiving Day.

The question of getting behind a movement to promote a swimming pool was mentioned, but no action taken.

Lamar Cobb of El Paso, representing the Portland Cement Association, made a talk on paving Main street and outlined a plan whereby the property owners could have their part of the paving done for about ten dollars a running foot and with five years in running foot for same. It was moved that a committee be appointed to investigate the advisability of starting a paving campaign at this time. The following were appointed on this committee: R. T. Piner, Nat Shick, T. S. J. M. Morgan, and A. M. Fisher.

The finance committee was advised of the need of additional funds and asked to revise the list on the plan of a board of equalization and urge a number of firms to increase their monthly dues. President W. W. Rix stressed the need of our folks donating to the Salvation Army and United Charities, or the United Charities at least. It was pointed out that if we could raise a fund of \$1,000 or more for United Charities, a committee could be secured to investigate all calls for charity, siding the worthy and discouraging the grafter; and the people could refer all calls for charity to this committee. If an adequate fund is not raised the needy and grafter will continue to follow their present plan of "hitting up" any and everyone as he comes to them. It would pay us all to see that a fund of \$1,000 or more was raised at once. It was suggested that the committees reconvene the town to increase these funds, giving all a chance to donate to the United Charities fund only if they so desired. He pointed out that a donation of \$1.00 for a year's charity work would not go far and suggested \$10.00 as the minimum donation as the head of most every family in our county could afford to donate to carry on charity work the coming year. A credit rating association was discussed but no action was taken on the matter.

Tuesday, December 27th, was named as the date for the next monthly meeting.

FATHER AND SON BANQUET

Held at the Hotel Cole by Hi-Y Club Friday Night Was a Most Enjoyable Affair

On Friday, November 25th, at Hotel Cole the annual Father-Son Banquet, fostered by the Hi-Y Club of this city was held and fully enjoyed by about thirty "sons" and an equal number of "fathers." There was a feeling of fatherly love and filial affection, engendered, perhaps, by the nature of the occasion, in the hearts of all those present, and the two hours of intimacy between the fathers and sons seemed almost too short.

The banquet opened with "What's the Matter with Father? He's All Right," and a yell of fifteen ralls for "Dad" by the sons. Rev. Mr. Hardy asked the blessing and then followed a most delicious two-course turkey dinner which spoke well for the excellency of the cuisine of the hotel. Father and son vied with one another in attending to this part of the affair.

Carroll Barnett presided as Toastmaster for the Hi-Y Club, after the "turkey and trimmin'" had been disposed of, and after explaining the nature of the occasion introduced as one of the principal speakers of the evening and one of the guests of honor of the occasion Mr. E. W. Chadwick, of St. Louis, International Committeeman of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Chadwick addressed his remarks and read a most touching story "When I Had Time," chiefly to the fathers. The story dealt with the desire of a boy for the companionship of his father and would bring a strong lesson to some of the less thoughtful fathers in our community. After Mr. Chadwick had spoken, a few musical selections were given by a stringed instrument orchestra of two pieces, Lynn Hatcher on the violin, accompanied by Carroll Barnett on the banjo. Then the second of our guests of honor and chief speakers of the evening was introduced, Mr. L. A. Coulter of Dallas, State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who spoke on the subject "What Kind of a Boy Would I Like to be if I had My Life to Live Over Again." He explained to the boys some of the things which, from his present point of view, he considered essential if the boy is to obtain the most out of his boyhood and develop into the finest type of manhood. It was indeed a splendid program and the talks of these two fine speakers were thoroughly enjoyed (as well as the turkey dinner.) It is regretted that more fathers and son did not have the opportunity to hear these talks. After Rev. J. W. Harrison had closed the banquet with a prayer, the fathers formed in line and the sons marched by and each son introduced himself and shook hands with each father in the line, after which the affair closed to the rousing cheer of fifteen ralls for the "boys" by the fathers.

Thanks are due for the success of the banquet to the management of Hotel Cole for the excellency of their service, and to W. G. Allen particularly for completing the arrangements and selling the tickets.

Constructing Sidewalks

A good start on a sidewalk building campaign is now in evidence, as property owners in McDowell Heights are having concrete side walks constructed along two and one-half blocks. Side walks are being constructed along South Scurry street in front of the homes of Mayor W. R. Purser, C. A. Talbot, Chas. Davis, A. G. Hall and J. M. Morgan. Dr. R. L. Davis who owns three lots there is also having a sidewalk constructed in front of his property.

Notice to Autoists on Scenic Drive

Considerable trouble was occasioned on the Scenic Drive last Sunday afternoon when a number of drivers failed to heed the request to take the left hand road around the mountain.

Since it is impossible for two cars to pass in most stretches on this drive it is necessary that all cars go in the same direction if mixups are to be avoided. One hundred automobiles are said to have made the trip along the Scenic Drive last Sunday and the number will continue to increase as folks become aware of the beauties to be noted on this drive.

Food Sale for United Charities

The Ladies of the Christian Church will give a food sale at the Co-Operative Store, Saturday, December 3rd. The entire proceeds of the sale will be given to the fund for United Charities.

Miles-Pippen

Monday afternoon, 4:30 o'clock, at the Presbyterian manse, Big Spring, Texas, Rev. J. W. Harrison performed the ceremony which united in marriage Lee M. Miles of Pecos, Texas, and Miss Stella Pippen of Greenville, Texas. These two fine young people have the good wishes of their many friends in Greenville, where they were brought up, and also of the new friends made in Pecos by Mr. Miles since he came there in June. They will make their home in Pecos, where Mr. Miles has a good position.

Carroll Barnett to Practice Law

W. Carroll Barnett Jr. is now engaged in the practice of law, having opened offices upstairs in the West Texas National Bank building Wednesday. Carroll is a graduate of the Big Spring High school as well as a graduate of the law department of the University of Texas. He is one of our highly esteemed and dependable young men and should do well in his chosen profession.

American Legion Meeting

The regular meeting of William Frank Martin Post No. 185, American Legion, will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening, December 6th.

The election of officers for the ensuing year and other important business will come up for consideration.

Public Spirited Citizens

Chas. Saunders, proprietor of the Wyoming Hotel, is having a large brick garage built just south of the hotel so his guests may have a place to store their automobiles. He is also graveling the street on the east side of the hotel building, having put gravel on the street north, some time ago.

The fifty feet on West First street in front of the Big Spring Steam Laundry is now being gravelled, the proprietors of the laundry paying for same.

Rail Strike Looms Again

In calling off the rail strike that was to have gone into effect Nov. 1, the officers of the train service Brotherhoods were assured by the Railway Labor Board that no more wage reductions would be considered for several months to come and not then until it was definitely known what rules and working conditions applied to the class affected. I think they acted wisely in calling off the strike. If the Labor Board fails to keep its promise the strike vote will be revived and used if necessary. Several large roads have already notified their men that another ten per cent reduction would be put into effect Jan. 1st, so we may expect "war to break loose in Georgia," in the near future. The train service employees were the last to receive a raise in pay. During the world war they struggled along on wages far lower than men in other industries. They bought Liberty Bonds until it hurt and later on paid debts with them, many at a loss. Now they are being called upon to accept a scale of pay that would force them to take their children out of school and give up homes partly paid for. Break the unions at any cost, seems to be their motto. It can never be done—nor till the cows come home. Rail workers are showing their teeth right now, there will be no holding them back this time. Any man with one spark of sense can see that something must be done right now. To those of you who have been misinformed about the railroad situation I beg of you to get busy and get in behind the present administration and demand a sweeping investigation in the meantime let the government take them over again if necessary and appoint Henry Ford, director general. I know it to be a fact that certain roads are purposely diverting freight in order to show up low earnings to the Interstate Commerce Commission. All kinds of crooked work is being done to avoid a reduction in freight rates. In Europe these high up crooks would be shot at sunrise. Every organization in the land should rise up and protest against any further wage reductions.

I am sorry to say that many working men repudiated the administration of the best friend they ever had. They wanted a change—they got the change alright. Hundreds of them are tramping through this city each day. Most of them are coming from North of the Mason-Dixon line, but not one of them will own up to voting for Harding. "What fools these mortals be."

BARNEY BURNS.

Mrs. John B. Stephens Dead

Mrs. Minnie Loretta Stephens, wife of John B. Stephens, aged forty-five years, died at the home of her brother J. R. Craven in this city at 4:15 o'clock Friday morning, November 19th.

Mrs. Stephens had been in ill health the past three years following an attack of influenza. During the past two years the family had made their home in El Paso, in the hope that the climate there would prove beneficial. Two months ago Mrs. Stephens was brought to the home of her brother in this city.

She is survived by her husband, three sons and a daughter. The youngest son has been attending school here, two of the boys reside in El Paso, and the daughter, who is married, resides in Fort Worth.

The remains were sent to Kingsville, Texas, her old home for interment on the passenger train last Saturday evening.

To the sorrowing relatives who mourn for their loved one is extended the deep sympathy of many friends in this city.

Fire Protection of First Importance

We sometime follow the plan of the ostrich in imagining that by hiding our head we can escape some of our troubles. Some months ago we were reminded that the need of more adequate fire protection was imperative. The need is just as great if not greater but we seem to be trying to forget it. We have had numerous fire alarms recently but fortunately every fire was found in time to extinguish the blaze with little trouble and before any serious damage resulted. We cannot hope to have our luck hold forever and should be thinking out plans to increase our fire fighting facilities. The old fire engine we have has been a good one, paid for itself times without number in saving property, but it cannot last forever. We might just as well realize that we are going to be compelled to purchase a new fire engine and we should plan to do so before we suffer a big fire loss due to a breakdown of the present machine while it is in service.

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Herald want ads get quick results.

Use SAPOLIO

For Every Room in the House

In the kitchen SAPOLIO cleans pots, pans, oilcloth and cutlery; in the bathroom SAPOLIO cleans porcelain, marble, tiling—the wash basin and bathtub; in the hallway SAPOLIO cleans painted woodwork, doors, sills and concrete or stone floors. See that the name SAPOLIO is on every package.

ENOCH MORGAN'S SONS CO.
Sole Manufacturers
New York U. S. A.



Santa Claus' Register

AT

Ward's Drug Store

Get Your Name in Early

Notice! Notice! Notice!

Changing Location Changing Business Method

On December 1st the Grocery Store of B. B. Fox & Son was moved to the room in the J. L. Ward Building—opposite the Postoffice.

CASH AND CARRY GROCERY

PRICES FOR SATURDAY AND NEXT FEW DAYS

48-pound sack Peacemaker Flour\$2.00
Granulated Sugar6 1-2 cents.
Pinks—Pinto and Navy Beans7 1-2 cents.

TEA GARDEN PRESERVES
(At Before the War Prices)

Cash & Carry Grocery

B. B. FOX, Proprietor
Phone 297 Big Spring, Texas

At the switchboard of a business house in the heart of San Francisco's business district, sits a quiet, efficient young woman telephone operator. To watch her at work one probably would not mark any particular difference between this girl and thousands of other telephone operators engaged in like work. This young woman during the last year has handled her job satisfactorily and in addition has sold stock aggregating \$60,000, on which she has received commissions totaling \$6,000. There is no need of comment. The bald statement of fact tells the story. One need not inquire whether this girl wastes her time with frivolous conversations over the telephone. The thing accomplished by this telephone girl merely demonstrates what every think-man and woman already knows, that success is within the reach of all who have the courage and perseverance to go after it and hang on until the goal is reached.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A fine line of imported perfumes, "Coty's," Der Kiss, and a lot of other names we can't spell....Cunningham & Phillips.

PHONE 368 FOR SERVICE CAR
J. F. Crenshaw J. T. Price
Res. Phone 492 Res. Phone 323-J
We will meet all trains—day or night.

King's Resignation

The resignation of Superintendent King of the Gatesville reformatory is the best solution of the trouble at that institution. Mr. King's published reasons for resigning are such as to command the respect of all even if he does berate the governor for pursuing or persecuting him.

In the face of a majority report exonerating the superintendent, Governor Neff was not convinced that all was well. Too many investigations have resulted in coatings of whitewash and while the majority of the commissioners who made the report were undoubtedly sincere in giving Mr. King as an individual, clearance papers, they even more probably lost the perspective of the case. They overlooked that it was not an ordinary death they were investigating but a tragic mistreatment of a ward of the state.

The easiest way out of the whole ugly business is that opened by Mr. King's resignation.—Temple Telegram.

WRIGHT'S LIQUID SMOKE FOR YOUR MEAT...WE ALSO HAVE SALT PETRE...CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Mrs. J. C. Horn left Tuesday morning for Rotan to visit her father, R. G. Mabeu of New Mexico, who is now visiting at Rotan.

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

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Big Spring, Friday, December 2, 1921

For the Senate

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton is receiving something of an ovation on his present "swing around the circuit" in the Seventeenth District. Large and enthusiastic crowds have greeted him everywhere, and the temper of his audiences is revealed in frequent applause.

One of the most significant features of the speaking tour is the manner in which the crowds have responded to the question which Mr. Blanton propounds to them—"Do you want me to make the race for the United States senate?" Press dispatches indicate that the crowds have responded by almost unanimous approval. Thus at Abilene the crowds came to its feet and gave its endorsement to the idea, and this was repeated the next day at Winters and Ballinger, where the congressman spoke to large audiences. Furthermore, those who thus came to their feet promised to vote for him should he decide to make the race.

Mr. Blanton has not yet announced his candidacy, and the Reporter does not know whether he intends to run. If he does so decide, however, the Reporter is for him and we believe that his home people will give him the usual majorities at the polls. His work in the lower house has attracted nationwide attention. The enmity that has engendered among some of his colleagues against him was due primarily to the fact that the Abilene congressman had the nerve to do that which few men have ever had the courage to do—defeat on points of order bills designed to appropriate huge sums of money for purposes which were purely or largely personal or sectional. His usefulness in thus saving the people of the United States millions of dollars annually, the Reporter believes, is worthy of recognition and deserving of commendation, however one may regard any other particular feature of his work in congress.

Should he make the race, loyalty to a home man would bring him the support of the home people and the people of his present and former districts. He should likewise receive the suffrage of West Texas as a whole, which would thus have an opportunity to elect a West Texas man to the senate. East and Middle Texas have been electing senators for many years, and West Texas has been deprived of this privilege. The balance of the state could support him on the strength of his record in congress, in a time when every effort must be made to head-off heedless legislation and cut down pork-barrel appropriations.

In the upper house Mr. Blanton's field of usefulness would be vastly broadened and he could serve the people of Texas to a greater extent than ever.

Possessing an energy which is the wonder and admiration of all who know him, and a campaigning finesse that few men can equal, Thomas L. Blanton will be elected to the senate of the United States should he make the race. The Reporter feels sure of this, and we are sure this confidence is shared by his friends all over the district.

The one thing needful is for the folks at home to get behind him with all their might and help him realize his ambition to represent the Lone Star State in the upper house at Washington. No man is perfect, and Mr. Blanton doubtless has his faults, but his good qualities entitle him to any office he may seek.—Abilene Reporter.

We certainly hope Tommie will get in the race for United States senator for we are anxious to show him just what the people of the state generally, outside of his district, think of him and we know no better way than for him to run for the upper house.

The Reporter says "loyalty to a home man would bring him the support of his home people and he would likely receive the suffrage of his old district and West Texas as a whole." There is one county in his old district that we are of the opinion that he would receive very little support and that is this one. Under ordinary circumstances the Herald would be for a West Texas man, of course, but we fail to see what Tom has done in the lower house to demand his promotion to the upper house, unless the amount of front page space he has commanded in the daily papers, since he has been in congress, is counted as accomplishment.

Notice to Autoists

Folks who transport trunks, chicken coops and other bulky articles that extend out beyond the car should always place these on the right hand side of the car, otherwise they are liable to be sidwiped and cause considerable trouble, as many motorists seem to have a mania to see how closely they can drive to a passing car without tearing off the fenders. Should protruding articles be loaded on the left hand side they would surely be hit by the above mentioned drivers.

For Sale

Two good teams. Prices reasonable.
E. A. ROWLAND, 202 Goliad St. B-4

Study Home Now—Go to School Later.

Many young people would like to take a commercial course to prepare for a stenographic or accounting position but are unable to leave home to go to another city. The Texas Business College of Weatherford, Texas has solved this problem for many by providing the most practical instruction in a way that can be taken without leaving home. You can enroll for any of the courses taught in classes at the school and make good progress if you can devote a little time to study each day. Class room conditions are reproduced as nearly as possible and students make good progress with the improved teaching methods in use. Write the President, T. H. Gatlin for full information about the superior correspondence courses now offered. You can start studying at home now and complete the course at the school later if you wish. And you can do this without repeating any work done at home. All tuition paid on the Home Study course will also be credited upon tuition at the school, at any time you wish to change.—Advertisement-11-

Lost

A Brown Billy goat has strayed from my ranch in Sterling County. Finder please notify me. 11-2
PHILIP THOMPSON,
Sterling City, Texas.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary Meeting

A full attendance is requested at the regular monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary which will be held at the "Y" Tuesday afternoon, December 6th at 3 o'clock.

The election of officers for the coming year will be one important order of business. Arrange to come and bring a friend with you.

W. O. W. Circle Meeting

The members of the W. O. W. Circle are urgently requested to attend the regular meeting Thursday, December 8. Election of officers for the ensuing year and other important business is to be transacted.

Fox Strippling Has For Sale

320 acres of good sandy land 14 miles northwest of Big Spring; plenty water, 120 acres in cultivation. See me at Room 16 West Texas Bank Bldg, or phone 417.—Advertisement.

Furniture For Sale

4-burner Florence Oil Stove, Refrigerator, Kitchen cabinet, table, congo-lem rug, for sale. Phone 253 or see MRS. HARVEY WILLIAMSON. 11-

Choice Lots For Sale

Have some choice lots in College Heights Addition, for sale on easy terms. I have no agents, see me. 11-3t. J. F. HAIR.

Sewing Wanted

For seamstress work see or phone MRS. R. BARNETT, 401-E Second street. Phone No. 455. 3-11t-

Episcopal Church

Wednesday, December 7th, 7:30 p. m. Litany and Advent address on Judgment.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Williamson, D. C. Maupin, Rev. C. P. Bass, Mrs. K. S. Beckett are in Dallas this week attending the State Convention of the Baptist Church.

Everything you need for the shave except the habit....Cunningham and Phillips.

The country editor's need of the money may be a good reason for subscribing to the home paper, but a better reason is because the community needs the newspaper.

Wall paper isn't as high as you think...Let us show you....Cunningham & Phillips.

CARDUI HELPED REGAIN STRENGTH

Alabama Lady Was Sick For Three Years, Suffering Pain, Nervous and Depressed—Read Her Own Story of Recovery.

Paint Rock, Ala.—Mrs. C. M. Stogall, of near here, recently related the following interesting account of her recovery: "I was in a weakened condition. I was sick three years in bed, suffering a great deal of pain, weak, nervous, depressed. I was so weak, I couldn't walk across the floor; just had to lay and my little ones do the work. I was almost dead. I tried every thing I heard of, and a number of doctors. Still I didn't get any relief. I couldn't eat, and slept poorly. I believe if I hadn't heard of and taken Cardui I would have died. I bought six bottles, after a neighbor told me what it did for her.

"I began to eat and sleep, began to gain my strength and am now well and strong. I haven't had any trouble since... I sure can testify to the good that Cardui did me. I don't think there is a better tonic made and I believe it saved my life."

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FOR bells, buzzers, thermostats, alarms, etc., use Columbia "Bell Ringer." Little package of big power. You need but one.

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Christmas & Candy



Only way to get the entire congregation to church is burn the church.—Muskegon Chronicle.

Marble Men Plead Guilty.—Headline. Been playing for keeps, evidently.—Indianapolis News.

The nation should make and then they should make Norfolk Virginia Pilot.

Miss Lucile Johnson returns day from a few days' visit in Abilene.

The Store of The Christmas Spirit

WHAT KIND OF A BOOK DO YOU WANT

He has left so many different kinds of books in our toy section this year that every girl can have just what she wants. Come in and see them all.

TINKER TOYS

Wagons, Wheelbarrows, Airplanes and many other toys can be made from a Tinker Toy. It teaches them to construct ideas of their own, which leads to bigger things. Buy them one for Christmas.



DRUMS! DRUMS!

What's Christmas without a drum? Every boy wants one—and the girls like them too.

GIVE THEM BLOCKS

Building blocks made of hard wood and alphabetically lettered help to teach them the alphabet and plan ideas of their own. Blocks packed in neat cartons.



A TOOL CHEST, THE REGULAR KIND

Contains hammer, saw, chisels, screw drivers and lots of other tools, all packed in a strong wood box. Ask dad to buy you one—you can make many things with this set.



RED RIDER

A Red Rider means health and enjoyment to your child. They are substantially built of hard wood to stand continual usage, and can be adjusted according to age.



Games not only for children but grown-ups as well. Think of the pleasure they give on winter days to pass away the long hours. All kinds are shown in our toy section, but we advise you to make your selections early.



CHRISTMAS! less than a month away. Just a short time in which to get ready for that day of days which fulfills the beautiful traditions, centuries old, of confirming friendship and family ties by the exchange of gifts and bringing joy supreme to the world of little children.

This store is ready to help you get ready for Christmas. Every section is replete with fresh and fascinating merchandise culled from all places where the new and lovely, the curious and rare, are found. Every department is primed to render you its utmost in service.

Again we repeat with even greater emphasis than in previous years for the greatest satisfaction in merchandise and service

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

STOP AND SHOP

Save by Buying Groceries in Our Grocery Section

American Beauty Flour

will improve the baking of any housewife, as it is a superior flour. It is milled by experts from the best wheat grown, giving it qualities not found in others.

24 lb. Sack	\$1.15
48 lb. Sack	1.95
100 lb. Sack	3.85

EVAPORATED FRUITS

Extra Fancy Evaporated Apricots, lb. . .	35c
" " " Peaches, lb.	25c
" " " Apples, lb.	25c
" " " Prunes, lb.	25c

CORN MEAL—Full strength meal made from finest quality northern corn, 25 lb. sack A. B. Cream 65c.

SOAP—Swift's White Laundry \$3.85 per case. Swift's Naptha \$4.65 per case.

UTE MAID CORN—\$1.25 per Doz. Cans

SUGAR! SUGAR! SUAGR!
Pure Cane White Granulated

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Our Prices are Never High Keeps Our Stocks Fresh

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TO THE PARENTS—The sight of Santa brings back old memories of the enjoyment you received from toys when he came down your chimney. Make your children's vision come true by selecting gifts they will enjoy from this page of suggestions. You can be sure that quality and value are combined in all. Make it a joyous Christmas for them. Few children have enough toys.

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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

TOYS FOR THE CHILDREN

As kings dream of dynasties, warriors of conquest and explorers of continents—so children dream through the inspiration of toys.

In our toy section boys and girls find priceless treasures—their friends, their comrades, their ambitions.

Here are constructive and instructive toys for occupation, recreation and education.



INDOOR BALLS

What boy wouldn't enjoy an indoor ball? It will be his pride and joy. We have a selection to choose from that will suit any age.

AN IRISH MAIL FOR HIM

Strongly constructed Irish Mails of hardwood, having rubber tires and ball bearing wheels in many racing designs.



IRON AND STEEL TOYS

Armored tanks that look real, fast running racing cars, taxicabs and engines that run on their own power are only a few of the mechanical toys for the boy. Bring him to the store and we will show him all of them.



AIR RIFLES

We have them. They shoot strong and true to the mark. Nickel plated barrel, walnut stock and good sights. A gun he will be proud to own.



TEDDY BEARS, ELEPHANTS

Teddy bears with movable arms and legs—the kind that squeak—and elephants riding on carts are in our toyland for children.



MOTOR BOATS

Motor boats beautifully painted in bright colors, with rudder and keel.

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December 7th

BIG BAR

Big Spring, Texas

Many reasons why you should visit Big Spring on Bargain Day—if you do not already trade here. **Seventeen Big Reasons** in every direction. You can secure anything and everything as stocks are as complete as you will find in the large cities. Rest rooms, up-to-date **Bargain Day** all you hoped for and will visit Big Spring real often. Our business men are desirous of rendering you every possible service and if any firm fails to carry out the terms of the advertisement appearing on this page we would thank you to call the attention of the

HERE IS OUR BARGAIN DAY SPECIAL

Come early and avoid the rush

Beautiful decorated Japanese china,
cup and saucer 25c

A few Rockers left from last Bargain Day
for \$9.95 while they last.

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"The House of Satisfaction"

It's Worth Your While

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Here are our leaders for BARGAIN DAY

- 1 pound Crisco \$0.20
- 3 pounds, Crisco \$0.55
- 6 pounds Crisco \$1.00
- 9 pounds Crisco \$1.55

For One Day Only—Terms Cash

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FOR A BARGAIN!

One Day Only—December 7th

48 lbs. Gold Medal Flour \$1.95

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20 PER CENT FROM SELLING PRICE

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ALUMINUM WARE

On Bargain Day, December 7th, ONLY

Bargains on most every article in house.

We will give a tube free with each Gates, United States, Kelly-Springfield, Michelin or Pennsylvania Vacuum Cup tire sold for cash on

BARGAIN DAY

Remember there has been a big reduction
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The Automobile Supply House

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR APPLES

The Best Bargain in Town

Extra Fancy Jonathans \$3.75 per box

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Big Spring, Texas

Double \$ Day

AT ATHAN'S

This means you can bring your suit or overcoat—ladies or gents—to be cleaned and pressed for one dollar

DECEMBER 7th and 8th
THE LAST DOLLAR DAYS WE
WILL GIVE THIS YEAR

EXTRA NOTICE—In addition to this we will sell one \$16.00 pair of tailor made trousers to the first man measuring 55 inches or more on waist to enter our store December 7th, for \$1.00.

The Largest Cleaning and Dye Works in West Texas



FOR ONE DAY ONLY

All Assortment of

Pattern Hats at Half Price

MOON HAT SHOP

Sixteen Big Facts Worth Knowing

The following interesting facts concerning Big Spring and Howard County now appear on the back of letters sent out by the Chamber of Commerce.

1—Howard County is situated in the heart of West Texas and is one of the banner counties of the State.

2—Big Spring, the county seat, has a population of 5,000 and is the principal city in this section.

3—Howard County soil cannot be surpassed in fertility and is equal in production to the best black land in Texas.

4—Big Spring has the finest of schools and churches and one of the best High School Buildings west of Fort Worth.

5—Howard County has 500 prosperous farmers and there is room for many more. Our sandy land never fails to produce a crop in the driest years.

6—Big Spring has one of the largest shops operated by the Texas & Pacific Railroad with an annual payroll of \$800,000.00.

7—Howard County produces annually fine crops of cotton, milo, kafir, sorghum, peanuts, sudan grass, melons, peas, fruit, and vegetables.

8—Big Spring has a well established Auto Camp close in to the center of the city, with shelter and conveniences for the comfort of the traveler.

9—Howard County is peculiarly adapted to profitable stock farming, dairying, and poultry raising. Become a profitable stock farmer in our county.

10—Big Spring has an altitude of 2,400 feet. Here malaria is unknown and with the cool breezes that blow all summer make it the finest climate in Texas.

11—Howard County has no boll weevil or other uncontrollable serious crop pests to destroy the crops of the farmer. Come to Howard County.

12—Big Spring has the finest deep well water in West Texas. It is noted for its purity and is fine for all domestic purposes.

13—Howard County is the center of one of the most promising new oil fields in the State. Big developments now going on in this section. Keep your eye on Howard County oil developments.

14—Big Spring has three important Highways: The Puget Sound to Gulf, Bankhead National, and the Gulf, Plains and Canada Highway. Good roads lead in all directions from town making all parts of the county readily accessible.

15—Howard County land can be bought on reasonable terms and at a low price. One crop often pays the entire purchase price. The Federal Government maintains a well equipped experimental farm near Big Spring. At this farm reliable data is available on a large number of different varieties of crops, fruits, trees, shrubs, etc., adaptable to this region.

16—Big Spring has a live Chamber of Commerce that is ready and willing to furnish you reliable information about our city and county. Write or call on the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, which welcomes you to Big Spring.

The Stokes Motor Company received another carload of Ford automobiles on Tuesday of this week.

FOR RENT—A nice four-room house. For particulars phone 479. 11-9

The pen is mightier than the fine—Binghamton Sun.

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Ladies and Miss

(Only half of former price)

Garret

MAIN DAY!

Wednesday, Dec. 7th

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You can save the cost of the trip and then some. We have good roads leading to Big Spring and are building better ones in every direction to your service when you complete your shopping. **Visitors Welcome to Big Spring.** We hope you will find it to know that you are getting value received for every dollar spent. The Big Spring spirit stands for courtesy and square dealing in every matter and every effort will be put forth to have the matter adjusted to your entire satisfaction.

The Cash and Carry Store
R. B. Fox is today moving his stock of groceries from the building at the corner of Main and West Third street to the space in the J. L. Ward building formerly occupied by the Chamber of Commerce, where he will conduct his Cash and Carry Grocery. Mr. Fox is an experienced business man and having secured this desirable location, opposite the postoffice, he should be able to do up a fine trade. Eliminating the heavy costs and high rents as well as conducting a strictly cash business he is in a position to make most attractive prices on everything in the grocery line.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Franklin Saturday night, and left with them a daughter. The proud father is stepping high, but looking like Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Hull, this is their first grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robb left this morning for Dallas where they will remain for awhile. Mrs. Robb's health is to be benefitted by a stay in a location where the altitude is less than is here.

Anyone desiring expert information as to how to hunt the justly famous quail should consult B. J. Lindner. It is thought that his services will be much in demand now that the season for hunting quail is on.

A bounding boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Pinkston, Thursday, Nov. 17th. The parents, and grandmothers, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Angel, are very happy to have this little arrival.

Miss Ruth Hatcher who is teaching at Dunhorn, near Cisco, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hatcher.

W. D. McDonald is having the restaurant on Runnels street, two doors back of the Uke Hotel, thoroughly remodeled and remodeled.

A good spiritman. Aid those in need by contributing to the fund that is being raised for the United Charities.

Miss J. F. Ingram of Fort Worth, spent Thanksgiving in this city on a visit to her sister Mrs. W. W. Hatcher.

Let us fill your prescriptions no matter who your doctor is. Wards. The best is the thing.

Miss B. Leatherwood and daughter returned this week from New Mexico on a visit with relatives.

Miss Warren after a visit with relatives in this city left Monday for his home in Lubbock.

Keep our fountain clean every day in the year. Cunningham and Sons.

Be sure to be prepared when 60-60 comes.

Save cards and booklets. Ward's.

What is 60 in 60.

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Your Christmas Store

SALE OF DOLLS

At Prices Radically Reduced.

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(See page 3)

HOW'S THIS ?

Our Regular \$1.50

KHAKI FLANNEL SHIRT

On Bargain Day Only

98 Cents

Austin's Racket Store

AUSTIN & JONES, Proprietors

How's This for a Bargain ?

Wool-nap Blankets

Regular \$6.50 value

ON BARGAIN DAY ONLY \$2.25

Remember our Big Sale continues in full blast.

The Grand Leader

Victor Mellinger, Proprietor
Dry Goods and Gent's Furnishings

Extra Big Special

10 bars Toilet Soap and One can Talcum Powder, for \$1.00

ON BARGAIN DAY ONLY.

Come to our store and make your headquarters

J. D. BILES
DRUGGIST

ON BARGAIN DAY ONLY

December 7th

One pound Famous Tulane Coffee . . . 35 cents

Three pounds Famous Tulane Coffee . . . \$1.05

Tulane Coffee is as fine coffee as you will find so we are making these prices, in order to give you an opportunity to learn its great merits.

POOL-REED CO.
Both Phones 145

Bargain Day Special

BLUE BUCKLE OVERALLS

95 Cents Per Pair

ON DECEMBER 7 ONLY

Sam Fisherman

See Our Holiday Goods

Here's Our Offer

We will sell dollar and a quarter bottles of Wright's Liquid smoke for a dollar.

We will give you fifteen per cent discount on all paint.

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Willard Batteries Don't Wait

till it freezes to have that Battery Recharged. A frozen battery is beyond repair. Better be safe than sorry. Bring it in today and let us put it in shape for the winter. All kinds of batteries recharged and repaired by skilled workmen. All of our attention applied to batteries.

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P. S. WILKINS, Proprietor. BEST SERVICE GIVE US A TRIAL

Want ads get quick results.

\$600,000 Strike in Suit Filed vs. M. & N. W. Railway

More than \$600,000 is said to be involved in a joint suit against the Midland & Northwestern Railway company, hearing of which was begun yesterday morning before A. W. Norcop, master in chancery, appointed by the United States district court. The hearing is being conducted in the federal district court room.

The purpose of the contest is to decide priority claims against the railroad, which is now in the hands of a receiver and not in operation. The line connects Midland and Seminole, Texas.

In one of the suits David Fasken, builder of the road, is the complainant. Mr. Fasken is a Canadian millionaire. The other action, which is joined with that of Mr. Fasken, was filed by J. L. Lancaster and Charles L. Wallace, receivers for the Texas & Pacific railway. The Texas & Pacific has claims amounting to more than \$200,000 against the Midland road, it was stated yesterday.

While the defendant in the first action is the Midland & Northwestern Railway company alone, David Fasken and B. C. Girdley also are named in the Texas & Pacific road's suit. Girdley, who formerly was connected with a bank at Midland and who is now sought by federal authorities in connection with an alleged defalcation from the bank, was the receiver for the Midland & Northwestern Railway company.—El Paso Times.

The first week of arms-conference is voted a great success. But it's the last week that counts for most.—Charleston News and Courier.

Sunday School Class Entertained

On last Friday afternoon the members of the Dorcas class of the First Baptist Sunday School, and a few invited friends were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. D. Price, on Bunnels street.

An interesting program had been arranged by Mesdames Maupin and Price, beginning with a short devotional and business session. Following this until the guests reluctantly said goodbye, a season of merriment prevailed. A guessing contest, given in rhyme brought out a list of wonders, conveniences and pleasures of the present day, of which our grandparents never heard. All this caused our minds to revert to the things which so filled and enriched the lives of these honored foreparents who prepared our country and paved the way for coming of all these modern contrivances.

Another feature ever new was an old time spelling match, and how we quaked when Mrs. Maupin brought out a real "blue-backed speller." After a lively contest the winners were declared, and some hoped that before time for the next match they would be given a "study period."

A most tempting salad course, daintily served was much enjoyed after which readings were called for. Two of the class responded in a most pleasing way but threaten us if we mention their names—lest they be called upon too frequently perhaps.

The Dorcas is a thoroughly wide awake class, always willing and ready to render any service for the advancement of the S. S. or church.

Mrs. W. B. Buchanan is the efficient teacher. Mrs. Dano, the president; and Mrs. Maupin secretary. They all find much to do in visiting the sick and strangers, greeting visitors and helping on the work in many ways. One coming a stranger into their midst can never forget the kindly attention of these ladies. Their friendly interest warms the heart and helps greatly toward making the newcomer feel at home.

This social meeting is to be followed with another which is looked forward to with pleasant anticipations.

In entertaining, Mrs. Price was assisted by her daughter, Miss Lena, who is loved by her pupils both in the city schools where she teaches and in the Sunday School. Quest.

Receiver Appointed for Oil Company

Houston, Nov. 29.—With the appointment of J. G. Leavell as receiver, another chapter in the sensational career of the General Oil Company, capitalized for \$20,000,000, was closed.

The receivership was declared upon Monday afternoon at a conference of attorneys representing the company, intervening stockholders and Chicago creditors. The company now is solvent and there has been no mismanagement, conferees agreed.

Receivership was decided upon as a matter of policy because of litigation, it was stated.

Court proceedings in which insolvency and mismanagement were charged several different times have marked the progress of the company's development. S. E. J. Cox, organizer of the company, lost control recently when it was charged in receivership litigation that Cox had used company funds in other projects including construction of the "Texas Wildcat," an airplane which was wrecked in a trial flight in France preceding the world championship speed race.

A Good Snap for Somebody 12-room apartment in a good town paying interest on \$2,400.00. Price for a short time \$7,900.00. Come and let us tell you about it. 11-21 T. H. JOHNSON LAND COMPANY.

Bicycle For Sale

Brand new bicycle for sale. Phone 574 or call at 211 W. Houston St. 11-p

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mundell returned Wednesday evening from a hunting trip, going to eastern New Mexico and in the Pecos river section.

Thanksgiving in a World of Confusion.

Following is the Sermon given by Rev. J. Thos. Brown, at the Methodist Church, on Thanksgiving Day.

1. Characterize the times. Great changes have come since the first Thanksgiving Day. Still human character is not much improved. There has been great material progress and many intellectual advances. But we are about the same human race. We are just a little improved. But if the whole story of what we are was told we might feel that there is not much for which to be thankful. For we are covetous, suspicious, false, insincere, haunted by fears, easily peevish and irritated. With the slightest provocation we assail the other man or nation with weapon of slaughter or vehement language. Of what we are much more might be said. But the thought of it fills our souls with remorse. There is another side of life. It is less cultivated, therefore less in evidence. It is given less chance and cannot come to its own. But it is with us just the same. This fact gives us grounds for Thanksgiving.

2. In the worst of men there is potential goodness. If it were not for this fact some would be most miserable. The fact that human life may be improved justifies God's love and all that he has graciously done to save the world. It makes effective for all who will atone the life teaching and sacrifice of Jesus. All the efforts of the church which have been wisely put forth find their fruition in human good on this fact. A man has hope in himself on the fact that he may improve. Matthew Arnold in St. Brondan shows that Judas had good in him.

3. Then in the holy, just and lofty aspirations of many men and women is grounds for thanksgiving. Through the ages there have been such and we have some with us yet. They aspire for unity, peace, fraternity, good will, justice for all the people and the reign of righteousness. Mr. Fredrick Lynch, who is well acquainted with Europe, and who spends about four months each year there, says he asked the people there what the war had taught them. They all answered they wanted a reduction of armaments, unity in religion and states, some sort of an association or fraternity of nations and a community of good will.

4. The attempt, and the success of the effort to apply the "Golden Rule" in industry. Mr. Nash in Cincinnati and others in his country are proving that it can be done. It puts the lie on the statement coming often from men of affairs that christianity is impracticable. Those places where the best has been made prove that it can be done. But only a beginning has been made. What is business for? Is it for money? Is there no other reason for business? It has to be admitted much of business has been run for money. When business is run by the "Golden Rule," it has another object, that is, for human good. Then men get the chief consideration and the business takes the second place at least. The race has a long way to go here, but it is coming. A beginning has been made. All who love righteousness are happy over it.

5. The benevolent spirit still survives and we are thankful. This spirit means the saving of many lives every day in the year. This spirit feeds and clothes the orphans, widows, the aged, heals the sick and more. It made us give China a little food when she was starving. It is making us do the same for Russia. Who knows but this spirit must one day save his life?

6. We are thankful for those in the ages who have carried the torch of truth and righteousness among the peoples. Who has light that he has not received from a messenger of light? The messengers of light are found on the roof of the world, in the islands of the seas and in city slum. Yes they are among the peoples over whom hang the black draperies of despair. These bring hope to such folks and build for them the highway of their rights. They lay the foundations of democracy and enable the peoples to achieve their best. Remember these light bearers are missionaries of the Son of God. They level the way for those who go after them in another name than His.

7. The grandest thought of all for which to be thankful is that the life of man may be reconciled to the life of God by the mediation of Jesus Christ. "Mediation" is used in no legal sense. The word is used to say comprehensively that Jesus is our hope and help back to God who gave us life. We need such help as he is. They who think the world could get on without Jesus' help, and who think that the little good we have is an off-shoot of human goodness, springing out of our humanity, ought to go for a year to China or India as a professor of a big university here in America did, and see for once the helplessness of any race without the help of Jesus. That professor is convinced that Jesus is worth more to the world than he has credited him with in his philosophy. The world's hope lies here.

DR. CAMPBELL in Big Spring Two Days, Friday and Saturday December 9th and 10th. Remember the Dates

Services at Catholic Church

Mass will be held at the Catholic church on the first, second, and fourth Sunday of every month at 10:00 o'clock. S. Kistner, Pastor.

Place your order now for engraved jewelry or French ivory. Ward's

Christmas

Will Soon Be Here

Nearly everyone is thinking of Christmas, and the old slogan "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early"—should be practiced this year as well as in former years—probably more so in view of the fact that our big Reduction Sale is in full swing.

This is one year that useful gifts are going to be made and we defy you to think of anything that is more useful or will bring greater pleasure to the recipient than can be found right here in our store. WHAT CAN YOU GIVE HIM—How about an Overcoat, a new Suit of Clothes, Neckwear, Men's Hosiery, Shirts, Mufflers, Sweaters, Gloves, Hat, Cap, Garters.

WHAT CAN YOU GIVE HER—A Coat Suit, a nice Dress Cloak, Shoes, Hosiery, Sweater, or many other things.

Come to our Store before the busy Season and let us suggest some sensible gift for any or every member of the family—something sensible as well as something they will appreciate.

Our Big Bargain Prices

Which are still in effect will enable you to make your dollars go much farther than they otherwise would.

Come in and shop around to your heart's content. You will never have a better time to make selections—you can purchase later if you desire. It's a big help to know just what you want to give and we can surely aid you.

Don't miss our BIG BLANKET SALE ON Bargain Day—Woolen Blankets, Regularly priced at \$6.50, to go for \$2.25 on Bargain Day, Wednesday, December 7th.

You cannot afford to overlook this if you need blankets. You are always welcome at our store.

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In sure your Dwellings, Furniture and Barns WITH

PINER, BROOKS & McNEW Big Spring, Texas

L. T. Sanford, who is to be in charge of concrete work for the Womack Construction Company who have the contract for building the Bankhead Highway across Howard County, arrived this week to begin upon the concrete work.

DR. CAMPBELL HERE EVERY SATURDAY

Dr. M. E. Campbell of Abilene, will be in Big Spring every Saturday to treat eye, ear, nose and throat, and fit glasses. (50-12)

SELLING OUT AT COST

our entire stock of Hardware, Silverware, and Toys.

Come early and get the best selection. WILLIAMS DRY GOODS COMPANY.

Miss Alberta Mayfield arrived Sunday from Abilene for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Harris.

Quality mattresses made by J. R. CHRETEL Phone 205.

Baptist News Notes

In the services on last Wednesday evening Mr. I. N. Barber was ordained to the ministry. Rev. W. L. Williamson and Rev. Grant of Lamessa, with the deacons and pastor, Rev. C. P. Bass, composed the ordaining council.

Mrs. Ray of Troupe, Texas, delighted our little people by her interesting story of the baby Moses on last Sunday morning. The Sunday School attendance continues good, but we wish more of our good people would come and enjoy the pleasures of the school with us.

Any one who can be in the preaching service, and isn't, is losing much by not hearing Pastor Bass in the splendid sermons he is giving us Sunday morning the theme was "Doing the best we can, with what we have" based on the story of Moses and his shepherd's rod, and the evening discourse was the story of the Prodigal Son, given in a very impressive manner with helpful application.

On Monday afternoon the women of the church met in the home of Mrs. C. S. Holmes for their regular Missionary Meeting program. The subject for the afternoon was, "Enlistment," and Mrs. Henley, in her efficient manner, had arranged a complete program for the discussion of all the phases of the subject, making a well rounded and helpful study.

The duet by Mesdames Hatcher and Ralph was particularly pleasing. Assisting Mrs. Holmes as hostesses

who served those present with sandwiches.

The pastor is attending the State convention in Dallas but will be back for the holidays.

We deliver any time of your orders to Pool-Reed Co. want choice roasts, beef steaks, groceries. Pool-Reed Co.

President MacCracken says that woman is fifty years of men. It's a long haul, but she still pursues her.

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standard remedy for kidney,
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for G. W. B. M. Day at
First Christian Church
night, Dec. 4th, at 7:30.
Mrs. Parks
Choir.
Bro. Brown.
Quartet.
Mrs. I. D. Eddins.
Mrs. Lesson—Mrs. Parks.
Mrs. K. Hogg.
World Tack—Mrs. E. W.
Choir.
Day in the Church—Mrs.
Ervin.
Mrs. Sam Hall.
and Christian Stewardship—
Cowan.
Choir.
Madames Pursner, Bogard,
invited to come and enjoy

December 15-16

ladies have decided to
big basar in Big Spring,
15th and 16th, and are now
plans to make this one of
events of the kind ever held

further announcements re-
basar and make your
attend for you are going to

articles suitable for Christmas
will be on sale at the basar.

Bridge Club Notes

E. C. Strain was hostess to the
of the Bridge Club, Wednes-
and an especially pleas-
ing was in order.

ladies participated in
of interesting games. Mrs.
Fisher was the winner of high
and Mrs. A. M. Evans made
high score.

Club met Thursday afternoon of
with Mrs. Jao, Clarke and
tables of players thoroughly en-
the occasion. Mrs. W. W. Inkman
high score and Mrs. Gordon
made visitor's high score at

Anglo is to have a fund of more
for charity. The Board of
Charities of San Angelo expend-
for the alleviation of suf-
unfortunates during the

Of Interest to Women

"The Problems of Woman Citizen-
ship," is the title of a bulletin issued
by the College of Industrial Arts just
now off the press and ready for dis-
tribution. Dr. Theodore G. Gronert,
Director of the Department of History
and Social Science, is the author of the
bulletin. It has been prepared in re-
sponse to the numerous requests that
have come to the College from the
women's clubs and other organizations
of women throughout the State who are
eagerly interested in studying the prob-
lems which confront them as citizens,
and it is believed that the bulletin will
prove a real service to them. To quote
from the preface: "This bulletin at-
tempts to present in outline form some
of the significant problems of citizen-
ship, especially from the woman's
view point." It contains also available
bibliographies on the topics discussed.
The material for this work was sug-
gested largely through class work in
the course in Government given at the
College of Industrial Arts. More de-
tailed outlines on the various phases
of Civic and Social Life mentioned in
the bulletin, have been prepared and
these are in the course of preparation.
The bulletin and the supplementary
outlines may be secured, without
charge, upon application to Miss Lil-
lian Humphries, Department of Exten-
sion, College of Industrial Arts, Den-
ton, Texas.

**What Would You
Think of Yourself**

IF Your car should be damaged by
fire from any cause and you have
no insurance?

IF Your car be stolen anywhere you
may leave it standing, in pursuit
of pleasure or business, and you
have no insurance?

IF You should run over some person,
be threatened with a law suit for
damages, and you have no insur-
ance?

**INSURE Your automobile with
PINER, BROOKS & McNEW
Big Spring, Texas**

"When I was your age," said the
stern parent, "I thought nothing of
working twelve or fourteen hours a
day."
"Father," replied the young man
with the exquisitely pressed trousers,
earnestly, "I wish to heaven you would
n't mention it. These non-union senti-
ments are making you hideously un-
popular."—Town Topics (London.)

**THE BEST MILK, CREAM, BUTTER,
AND BUTTERMILK DELIVERED
AT YOUR DOOR**

Deliveries made twice each day. Get
the best dairy products and satisfactory
service by patronizing the **BIG
SPRING DAIRY**. Phone 389.
(40-25c-Pd.—Advertisement.)

The following recently appeared in a
Chicago newspaper's advertising col-
umns:
"If Wilbur Blank, who deserted his
wife and babe twenty years ago, will
return, said babe will knock his block
off."—American Legion Weekly.

To Trade for Mules

I have a 75 Overland automobile to
trade for mules. See or address W. M.
FLETCHER, Rt. 1, Box 16. 10-2-p

Dangers in Overproduction

Arthur Balfour, noted British states-
man and Deputy President of the
British Chamber of Commerce, in a
recent discussion of England's econo-
mic problems, made a statement which
might well be applied to the condi-
tions which our cotton farmers will
face another season. Mr. Balfour said:
"Man may get hungry for food and
clothes and yet be unable to get either.
Hunger does not buy. What buys is
capacity to pay. And this hungry
world can not buy simply because it is
a beggar."

The world is hungry for cotton goods,
but can not buy because it has not the
capacity to pay the price that makes
production profitable. If all the peo-
ple in the world could buy and pay for
all the clothes they need to keep them-
selves warm, the entire South with
every acre planted to cotton could not
meet the demand. But the world is a
beggar and must dress in beggar's
rags. Only a certain few can purchase
the required amount of clothing and
food considered necessary to maintain
strength and health. Therefore, when
the statistician comes forward with a
statement showing in cold figures de-
pleted stocks of cloths and empty cot-
ton warehouses, just think in Cartoo-
nist Goldberg's terms, "They don't mean
anything."

Farm and Ranch reiterates its belief
that more and better cotton per acre,
but a greatly reduced acreage, will
bring more money to farmers than a
large acreage indifferently planted and
cultivated. Cotton should be made a
real money crop and the only way to
accomplish that desired end is to pro-
duce a better staple on a smaller
acreage, planting surplus acreage in
other crops. Producing as many com-
modities for home consumption as con-
ditions will permit should be the aim
of every farmer in the Southwest.—
Farm and Ranch.

Monuments, Markers and Curbing

I have the agency for Texas Grey
Granite and am prepared to furnish
the finest monuments at fair prices.
With ten years of actual experience in
that line of work I can give good ser-
vice. I guarantee that when monument
is erected it will remain in position.
If you will phone 379 I will be glad to
show you designs and quote prices. 10-17
J. M. MORGAN, Contractor.
Big Spring, Texas.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends for
the many kindnesses that were so freely
tendered during the illness of our
daughter. We shall ever remember
and appreciate your kindness.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Young.

Wanted

Oldest and largest loan and invest-
ment company in North America wants
live manager for Big Spring and coun-
ties surrounding it. Address 610 Two
Republics Bldg., El Paso, Texas.
—Advertisement-10 St.

Col. Charles W. Whittlesey, com-
mander of the famous "Lost Battalion"
during the World War, is dead. Secret
brooding over memories of his experi-
ences in the war, from which he
emerged one of America's greatest in-
dividual heroes, was ascribed by
friends and relatives as the cause of
his taking his life last Sunday while on
his way to Havana.

World's Opportunity for Peace

"And they shall beat their swords
into plowshares and their spears into
pruning hooks; nations shall not lift
up a sword, neither shall they learn
war any more."—Micah 4:3.

And it may yet come to pass that we
of this generation will witness the ful-
fillment of the prophecy when "every
man may sit under his own vine and
fig tree and none shall make them
afraid."
Five years of bloody conflict in
which every known agency of destruc-
tion was brought into play convinced
the people of the civilized world that
some way must be found to settle the
political differences arising between
Nations other than a resort to arms.
With the League of Nations, conceived
for the purpose of lessening the chances
of war, weakened by the non-partici-
pation of the United States, the peo-
ple of the world turned, as a last resort,
to a combined effort to remove the
causes of war. In the conference of
powers now in session in the city of
Washington, the chosen leaders of the
people are seeking the solution of poli-
tical problems and devising ways of
reducing armies and armament.

The power of public opinion has
often found expression in the correction
of evil tendencies and in the shaping
of public policy, but never before in
the history of the world has the will
and desire of the people had a more
pronounced influence in the shaping of
the destiny of Nations than it has ex-
hibited in the call for the disarmament
conference. Rulers of Nations and
political leaders, as individuals, no
doubt entertain the same sentiments re-
garding war as do the mothers who
bore the sons for war's victims, but in
their public capacity they indicated
that in their opinion civilization had
not yet reached the heights where na-
tional differences could be settled with-
out a display of force or a resort to
arms. Their political opinions have
been swept away by the waves of pub-
lic sentiment; they have been lifted
to a higher plane through the prayers
of the Christian citizens of all Nations,
and they are viewing the question of
war from a humanitarian as well as an
economic standpoint. The proposals of
Secretary Hughes on November 12
startled the world. Prompt acceptance
by representative powers of the prin-
ciples laid down is indicative of the
sincerity of those who are charged with
the tremendous responsibility of bring-
ing permanent peace to a troubled
world through the creation of a brother-
hood of Nations.

Party lines fade when the Nation is
in peril, and it is equally so when we,
as American citizens, view the action
of our President in taking the initiative
in calling a disarmament conference,
and the master stroke of our Secretary
of State, Charles Evans Hughes, in
placing before the powers a clear cut
program of action. Whatever doubts
may have been entertained regarding
the outcome of this conference, no one
can question the sincerity of President
Harding, when, standing over the bier
of the unknown soldier in Arlington
cemetery, and facing the representa-
tives of other Nations, he said:
"Standing today on hallowed ground,
conscious that all America has halted
to share in the tribute of heart and
mind and soul to this fellow-American
and knowing that the world is noting
this expression of the Republic's kind-
fulness, it is fitting to say that his sac-
rifice, and that of the millions dead,
shall not be in vain. There must be—
there shall be, the commanding voice
of a conscious civilization against armed
warfare."
The disarmament conference is one of
the direct results of the world war.
Should its deliberations result in find-
ing a basis for permanent peace and
good will between the Nations of the
earth, then the supreme sacrifice of
those millions of strong, virile young
men has not been in vain. They have
earned a place in history and a crown
of glory throughout time and eternity.
—Farm and Ranch.

200,000 People Moving From Canada.

We may have a chance to see some
of the 200,000 Mennonites who are to
move their homes from Canada to Old
Mexico as it is stated they will travel
over the Texas & Pacific railway from
Fort Worth to El Paso. This will be
one of the largest concerted movements
of a sect or people in modern times.
Two hundred thousand Mennonites,
now living in Western Canada are
planning to leave there and take up
permanent residence on the great
Bustilla ranch in the state of Chihua-
hua and Durango Mexico. They have
purchased 50,000 acres of land there
and have an option on 300,000 acres
additional.
The first movement will witness the
transfer of 35,000 of the sect who will
go to Mexico early this winter and it
is expected that two years will be re-
quired in which to complete the entire
movement.

Odd as it may seem, these 200,000
Mennonites are leaving peaceful Can-
ada for war-ravaged Mexico for the
purpose of avoiding war. The sect for
several centuries has had as one of its
chief tenets "peace at any price" and
church obligations prohibit the mem-
bers from taking any oath, such as was
necessary in the world war when Can-
ada, and the United States as well,
sought to draft them in their armies.
As pacifists the Mennonites gave the
authorities a grave problem during the
war and the Canadian church declared
the Dominion government had promised
it when its members first located in
Canada that they could worship in
their own way and would not be called
upon to fight.

The Mennonites may this agreement
was violated. No oath of any nature
permitted by the church, oaths of

of allegiance, and although
revolutions have seethed in Mexico for
ten years, the church leaders believe
their interests are safer there.
Henry F. Bulla, traffic agent at El
Paso for the Chicago & Great Western
Railway, has announced that his road
has been granted the routing of the
200,000 men, women and children, and
that they will enter the United
States at Emerson, Minn., and at Portal
B. C., from which points they will go
to Minneapolis, thence to Kansas City,
Fort Worth and over the Texas and
Pacific to El Paso.

The Mexican government will trans-
port the Mennonites from the border
free of charge. The first train will
carry about 1,000 members who will
get buildings under way. Improve-



Motorcycling the Children to School

STORMY weather or bad roads won't keep the child-
ren out of school when there's a Harley-Davidson on
the farm. And this handiest of vehicles is cheaper than
car fare, shoe leather, automobile, or the "horse and buggy
way."
A Harley-Davidson will serve the farmer and his family
every day of the year, for years and years. For hurry-up
trips to town, railroad station, creamery or neighboring
farm—with the roomy sidecar full of luggage—a Harley-
Davidson combines speed, comfort, economy and depend-
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tires. You can't beat that for
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Come in and inspect the 1922 models.
Prices have been reduced 25 per cent.

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Big Spring, Texas

Prices Down 25%!
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The young man or young woman who makes a resolution that
they will have a Christmas fund for next year, is taking a step in the
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ments already have begun. One train
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gers at Bustillos.

A Card of Thanks

I want to thank the people for their
kindness to me and for the many nice
flowers and good things to eat, while
I was crippled. I invoke the blessing
of God upon them all.

And many, many thanks to the
Woodmen for the nice turkey they sent
me for Thanksgiving and may God
bless and prosper them.

Mrs. R. B. Zinn.

A good hot water bottle these cold
nights is a fine thing to have for your
wife's cold feet.....Cunningham &
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PETE KING, Proprietor
Phone 615 : : Big Spring, Texas

Notice to Boys' Basketball Teams

Meriol, Texas, Nov. 28, 1921. Schools of Callahan, Fisher, Haskel, Howard Jones, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan, Chadkford, Stephens, Stonewall, and Taylor counties that are interested in boys' basket ball will please have a representative present at the County Superintendent's Office at Abilene on Saturday afternoon, December 10th at one o'clock to arrange a schedule for the Basket Ball Tournament of the University Inter-scholastic League. If you cannot be present, notify me not later than December 8th that you wish to be included in this schedule. Don't wait until after the schedule is made if then want to compete for any championship.

To participate a school must have paid its membership in the League and to have also paid its one-dollar entrance fee for basket ball. Send this to Roy B. Henderson, Austin, Texas. League membership is \$1 for one and two teacher rural schools, \$2 for three-teacher rural schools, \$3 for ward schools, \$5 for Class B high schools, and \$8 for Class A high schools.

Let all players and coaches become familiar with Spalding's Basket Ball Rules for Men. Also read page 59-61 of the League Constitution. All school men will be expected to co-operate to see that the eligibility rules are strictly complied with.

The championship in the Abilene District consisting of the above named twelve counties must be determined by February 15th, 1922. This means everybody on the job.

Please give all the publicity possible to this announcement. Newspapers will accommodate many of their readers by publishing this notice.

Respectfully,

Roger A. Burgess,

Athletic Director Abilene District.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Notes

The Auxiliary will meet next Monday at 3:30 at the church for the Mission Study class. The second chapter in the book and appendix one is the lesson assigned. Many interesting facts in connection with great men and women who as writers, or otherwise have been associated with Africa will be brought out by different members of the class. All the ladies are urged to come.

On next Thursday, Dec. 8th at 3:00 o'clock a meeting will be held at Mrs. T. S. Currie's home to pack the Christmas box for the Piles Valley Home and School for orphans. Every member of the church and any friend is urged to make gifts of money, clothing (old or new), household linens or gifts for Xmas. Send to Mrs. Currie's or phone any of the Presbyterian ladies and your gift will be called for.

A splendid business meeting was held last Monday. The self-denial offering received during Home Mission Week was \$32.00.

Unloading on George

One reason it is so difficult to carry any improvement in our city to a successful conclusion is because too many of our citizens have formed the habit of shirking responsibilities, and are all too eager to get out from under, expecting the other fellow to carry on.

Most of you can call to mind scores of fellows who can tell you what should be done as well as how it should be done, but put one of these guys on a committee to do anything and you have "tubbed a stump."

We can't recommend a cure but we do know that is a disheartening task to undertake anything until these guys show a willingness to help George a little otherwise than with "hot air."

Those who are unwilling to shed their coats and jump in to help put worth while propositions over should never grumble about a lack of accomplishment, for this "put all on George's shoulders" class of citizens are a detriment to any undertaking.

Pool-Reed Co. Add Improvements

Pool-Reed Company continues to grow. In addition to their Grocery and Meat Market, they are fixing to install an up-to-date Sausage room, where Bologna, wienies and fresh meat will be cured. This will enable them to use more beavers and hogs. No cured or fresh meats will be shipped in but will be bought from home people. Farmers and ranchers will be able to dispose of some of their stock at home and not have to ship.

Pool-Reed Co. have built up a large meat business in connection with their already large established grocery business. They fatten their own hogs and beavers and do their own killing. The public is invited to visit their killing pens and take a look.

Chamber of Commerce Moved

The office of the Chamber of Commerce was moved Thursday of this week from the Ward building to the northeast room upstairs in the West Texas National Bank building.

The new location is only a temporary one as a place on the ground floor will be available about January 1st.

The Chamber of Commerce had no lease on their former location and were ousted to make way for The Cash and Carry Store.

Real Estate the Best Investment

We have some nice 80-acre tracts of land, adjoining the town section, accessible to city water. Price right and can make good terms to purchaser.

We have some nice residences priced to sell; good terms. Come in and let show you some real bargains.

SHOCKLEY & CURTIS

We have not learned the final report on the Red Cross Roll Call Campaign in Howard County but are sure the number of members secured will fall below the two hundred mark.

"Gifts That Lasts"

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Something for Each—At a Price You'd Thought of Paying!

For Ladies

- Mesh Bags... \$10. to \$30
- Vanity Cases... \$3 to \$10
- Veil Pins... \$1.00 to \$5.00
- Belt Buckles... \$1.25 to \$25
- Toilet Sets... \$2 to \$50
- Photograph Frames... \$1 to \$5
- Jewel Boxes... \$3 to \$10
- Leather Bags... \$2 to \$50
- Card Cases... \$1 to \$5
- Manicure Sets... \$1 to \$25
- Fountain Pens... \$1.50 to \$17
- Change Purses... \$1 to \$5
- Wrist Watches... \$5 to \$50
- Bar Pins... \$1 to \$100
- Dinner Rings... \$2 to \$50
- Kodaks... \$2 to \$50
- Cut Glass... \$1 to \$5
- Fancy Perfume... \$1 to \$5
- Fancy Stationery... \$1 to \$5
- Box Candles... 50c to \$10
- Casseroles... \$2 to \$5
- Photo Albums... \$1 to \$8
- Table Silver... \$1 to \$5
- Carving Set... \$5 to \$10
- Eye Glass Chain... \$5 to \$5.00
- Brooches... \$1 to \$50
- Bracelets... \$1 to \$50
- La Vallieres... \$1 to \$25
- Barrettes... \$1 to \$10
- Powder Cases... \$1 to \$5
- Dorine Cases... \$1 to \$2
- Vanities... \$1 to \$2
- Diamond Pins... \$1 to \$2
- Diamond Rings... \$10 to \$1,000.00
- Birthstone Rings... \$1 to \$1,000.00
- Ladies Hand Bags... \$3.00 to \$15.00
- Etc., Etc., Etc.

For Men

- FOR MEN
- Watches... \$2.50 to \$75
- Watch Chains... \$5.00 to \$40.00
- Vest Chains... \$1 to \$15
- Rings... \$1.00 to \$50.00
- Cuff Links... \$1 to \$15
- Watch Fobs... \$1 to \$15
- Scarf Pins... \$1 to \$15
- Collar Buttons... \$1.50 to \$95
- Emblems... \$1.25 to \$25.00
- Bill Folds... \$1 to \$5
- Cigar Cutters... \$1 to \$5
- Toilet Articles... \$1 to \$5
- Flash Lights... \$1 to \$5
- Traveling Cases... \$10.00 to \$40.00
- Cigar Cases... \$1.25 to \$3.00
- Photo Frames... \$1.25 to \$3.00
- Cigars... \$1.25 to \$3.00
- Soap Boxes... \$1.25 to \$3.00
- Fountain Pens... \$1.50 to \$17.00
- Safety Razors... \$1.25 to \$7.00
- Smoking Sets... \$2 to \$5
- Military Brushes... \$1 to \$15
- Gold Pocket Knives... \$5.00 to \$15.00
- Pencils... \$1.00 to \$10.00
- Cigarette Cases... \$1.00 to \$5.00
- Briar Pipes... \$1 to \$10
- Etc., Etc., Etc.
- Box Papers... 25c to \$7.50
- Eastman Kodaks... \$2.00 to \$50.00
- All the newest patterns
- Cut Glass.

Children

- (In School and Out)
- Watches... \$1 to \$75
- Wrist Watches... \$5 to \$50
- Manicure Sets... \$2 to \$15
- Pencils... \$1.00 to \$10.00
- Toilet Sets... \$1 to \$50
- Mesh Bags... \$1 to \$50
- Necklaces... \$2 to \$50
- Bracelets... \$1 to \$50
- Safety Razors... \$1 to \$7
- Emblems... \$1 to \$7
- Cuff Links... \$1 to \$7
- Collar Buttons... \$1 to \$7
- Birthstone Rings... \$1 to \$7
- Belt Buckles... \$3 to \$15
- Toys... \$1 to \$15
- Drawing Sets... \$1 to \$15
- Thermos Bottles... \$1 to \$15
- Box Paper... \$1 to \$15
- Traveling Cases... \$1 to \$15
- Leather Goods... \$1 to \$15
- Novelties... \$1 to \$15
- Dolls... \$1 to \$15
- Etc., Etc., Etc.
- For All
- Huyler's Candy... \$1.50 to \$5.00
- Liggett Candles... \$1.00 to \$10.00
- Books for all... 25c to \$2
- Xmas Cards and Booklets... 1c to 25c
- Silverware in flannel non-tarnish rolls.
- Week-end Hand Bags fitted with ivory mirror, hair and cloth brushes... \$10.00 to \$50.00

Let Us Help You Dispense With the Worry of Christmas Shopping

J. L. Ward J. & D. Co.

The Price is the Thing

Reply to A. Dun
Mr. Inzer, Usher & Wesner.
Dear Sir:
I received your letter about what I owe you.
Now be patient, I ain't forgot you, and as folks pay me I'll pay you, but if this was judgment day and you was no more prepared to meet your God than I am to meet your account then you shore would go to hell,
Goodbye,
B. FUNK.

JUST RECEIVED NEW SHIPMENT of high-grade ladies' suits and skirts. Come early and be assured that you get the best selection.
WILLIAMS DRY GOODS COMPANY
Big Spring, Texas.

Home Again
Prepared to do your sewing. Call at 301 Gregg street. MRS. BURCH. 1-9

The Stanton Reporter will soon take its place among the newspapers of West Texas as W. O. Kent is now making all necessary plans to start a newspaper at Stanton within the next two weeks. Mr. Kent is an A1 newspaper man and will give the citizens of Stanton and Martin County a paper they will appreciate and can be proud of.

At the annual reunion service at San Angelo on Thanksgiving, \$1,980.20 was pledged to the United Charities to continue their great work during the year. At the Thanksgiving union service in Big Spring approximately \$17. was donated for charity. Something wrong with our hearts.

P. C. Leatherwood and family are now occupying their new home on the Lamesa pike, three miles northwest of Big Spring. After buying the Spencer place Mr. Leatherwood had a large addition built to the residence thereon and he has made this an ideal home.

WANTED—Young lady as governess on ranch. Must be high school graduate and capable of teaching music. Address P. O. Box 157, Fort Stockton, Texas. 11-21-p

Clyde Fox made a business trip to Stanton the first of this week.

W. CARROLL BARNETT JR
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Office upstairs in West Texas National Bank Bldg.
Big Spring, Texas

Rail Employees Counter by Requesting Increase.

As a counter proposal to the proposed wage reduction by the Texas & Pacific Railroad, as announced in a bulletin issued from the receiver's office and posted Nov. 29, Texas & Pacific clerks and shopmen have filed requests for pay increases to the scale in effect July 1. While the brotherhoods of the system will comply with the request of railroad officials for conferences on the proposed reduction, the men will not announce their policy until a conference of brotherhood chairmen has been held.

M. F. Barrett, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Firemen on the T. & P. system, announced Wednesday that representatives of the firemen and engineers will probably leave for Chicago within the next few days, where they will discuss the wage situation with the Labor Board.—Dallas News.

Kellogg's Big Advertising Campaign

Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes are going to be well advertised throughout the Big Spring section, as the Herald has been awarded a contract for 458 inches of advertising for Kellogg's—this being the largest single advertising order for a nationally known food product we have ever received. In addition to the big newspaper advertising campaign Kellogg's Funny Jungles, moving picture book, is to be given free with each package of Toasted Corn Flakes. Every kiddie in West Texas will want one of these funny jungles books.

HAVE YOU INVESTIGATED

our Cash and Carry Grocery store? Come and save five to twenty dollars a month on your grocery bill.

In the rear of
WILLIAMS DRY GOODS COMPANY
Big Spring, Texas.

Suit Case Lost

An old suit case—one side torn off—containing baby clothes was lost between town and P. C. Leatherwood's place. Finder please return to Herald office.

Horsepower Wanted

I desire to purchase a secondhand horsepower for feed crusher. Must be in good condition. Address Box 113, Coahoma, Texas. 11-p

Pure Bred Rhode Island Roosters

Have a few pure bred Rhode Island Red roosters from Tompkins stock, for sale. Phone 611. 11-21

Wm. MINGER.

Home and School Club Notes

The Home and School club at its meeting Friday, Nov. 18th, had 33 present. After the roll call the High School quartet sang for us. Every one enjoyed and appreciated the music.

Mrs. Edington reported that the visiting committee had been quite busy trying to visit each school; finding things moving along nicely in all the rooms visited.

Mrs. Shick, for the first aid committee, reported that the necessary purchases had been made.

The sanitation committee, Mrs. Sam Cauble chairman, reported that since a few things had been looked after everything was in good shape. The auxiliary committee found the books O. K.

Mrs. Reagan, chairman of membership committee, had no report.

Mrs. O'Keefe said she had heard from the nurse who said it would be impossible for her to come before the first of the year. A "Health Crusade" was discussed at length. No definite action was taken so the matter will come up again at the next meeting. Nearly all the teachers present expressed themselves as being in favor of it.

Mrs. Hardy read a very interesting paper on "Social Needs of our Young People."

The chair announced that at the next meeting Dr. Wetzel will read a paper on "Oral Hygiene." Every one who is interested in the schools or our children should attend this meeting. Miss Ethel Palmer's room again won the book.

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Pool Reed Co.

E. E. Fahrnkamp on December first accepted a position with the city and has been busy at the City Waterworks plant this week.

For Sale--Oil & Gas Lease

5 acres near McDowell, 5 acres near Sam Hill, 5 acres near Roberts, 5 acres near Neal, 5 acres near Reed.

Wm. F. SULLIVAN
228 5th Ave., McKEESPORT, Pa.

Report of Prayer Circles

Wednesday, November 30, 1921.

Circle 4A. Met with Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Hughes was the leader, and 6 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Hatcher and Mrs. Talbot will be the leader.

Circle 4B. Met with Mrs. Settles, Mrs. Hardy was the leader, and 17 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Troop and Mrs. Settles will be the leader.

Circle 4C. Met with Mrs. Bray, Mrs. Smith was the leader and 12 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Lester and Mrs. S. H. Morrison will be the leader.

Circle 6. Met with Mrs. Zlan, Mrs. Clay Read was the leader, and 5 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Clay Read, and Mrs. Reeves will be the leader.

Circle 8. Met with Mrs. Franklin, Mrs. Snyder was the leader, and 29 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Larson and Miss Mary Rogers will be the leader.

Only sixty in the Circles this week, which is a falling off, but probably the chairman is partly responsible because of failure to get the report in the Herald last week.

Prayer is appointed to convey. The blessings God designs to give. Long as the live should Christians pray.

For only while they pray they live." J. W. Harrison, Chairman.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting

A fine meeting for men and boys will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Every man and boy in Big Spring and Howard County is extended a cordial invitation to be present.

60 in 60.

Have you heard about it?—60 in 60.

San Angelo to Pave 5 Miles of

By a vote of 664 to 217, the owners of San Angelo, on Thanksgiving, cleared in favor of a bond issue of \$150,000 to pave five miles of principal highways now under construction.

Good Small Farms for Sale

Three 80-acre tracts of land, each one mile from Big Spring, for sale—long time to pay for easy pay to T. H. Johnson Land Co.

A fifteen year old negro boy taken away from the sheriff's office about noon, Wednesday, and his body riddled with bullets. A negro assaulted a nine-year-old girl Tuesday night and threatened to kill her if she told it.

Watch for 60 in 60.

The "Boogie Woogie" Orchestra title of a new musical composition with Carroll Barnett as director, pianist; Barney Russell, saxophone; Lloyd Gardner, drums; Chas. L. tenor banjo and one other member to be secured to play the title tune.

60-1-60.

It's coming—'60 in '60."

Piano for Sale
\$250.00 will buy a good piano. Cash and \$25.00 per month. See The Variety Store. W. W. McElhannon.

To Trade for Cattle
150 high grade Rambouillet cattle to trade for cattle. One Ford roadster, in good condition. D. W. CHRISTENSEN.

If You Have a Suit



that is unwearable because it is soiled or spotted, don't discard it as useless. You can get plenty of good service out of it if you will send it here for renovating by our dry cleaning process.

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You are always welcome and we are glad to have you visit our store any old time. We just want to remind you that we can help you solve some troublesome gift problems if you will visit our store before the big Holiday rush sets in.

Be sure to get your Christmas Candy at our store.

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Entered as second class matter at the Postoffice, Big Spring, Texas, under Act of Congress, March 8th, 1897.

Big Spring, Friday, December 2, 1921

The statistician tells us that more than half of the people of the United States live in rented houses; judging from the scarcity, the other half must be living in tents or under the trees in the city parks.—Galveston Tribune.

A state-wide campaign is to be conducted to have the Texas constitution changed so as to reduce the Texas house of representatives in half. While there are many things to be said in favor of it, the fellows who are behind the plan have an awful hard job. You can't get the people to monkey with the constitution, no matter how many screws are loose. The Texas constitution is in bad shape, antiquated, out of date, and behind the times, but the people are afraid the politicians are trying to put something over on them when they bring up the constitution ghost.—Sweetwater Report er. * * * Yet this same bunch that votes against changing the constitution will ride in automobiles and farm with tractors. Our present constitution fits the present times and conditions about as well as the ox does. If we were one of those that held so sacred the acts and doings of our forefathers we sure would never be caught in an automobile or farming with a tractor.

Automobiles, trucks and tractors do not consume grain and hay, but these vehicles have displaced horses and mules both in the city and on the farm that once consumed great quantities of farm products. Then thousands of brood mares and immature animals that once had to be maintained to keep up the horse supply that has since been displaced and that made a market for the farmer's corn, oats, and hay, are no longer needed. Motor-driven vehicles support vast industries in the cities and the oil fields, and, while adding enormously to the comfort and convenience of the farmer, have curtailed in a measure the demand for his wares. This is one of the many reasons why the price of corn, oats, and hay has recently touched lower levels than have been reached before in years. In attempting to get back to normal, we shall have to take all these facts into consideration and realize that it is not the old, but a new, normalcy we seek to attain. The farmer must readjust his production to the changed needs of the market.—Kansas City Times.

We received the Big Spring Herald last week after an absence of two years or more. We missed the Herald more than any of our exchanges along the T. & P. Ry. and are glad to get back on the exchange list. During and after the war news print became so scarce and high priced most country papers had to cut out their exchanges. The government had something to do with it but conditions have changed somewhat and we can afford a few exchanges, but the old time unlimited exchange list has gone. That perhaps is better for all of us, because we will appreciate the few exchanges we have all the more.—Herald Star. * * * This was an oversight of the mailing department Uncle Billie for the writer thought you were getting the Herald all the time until he read your notice. Yes the war board commission made the country weeklies do many things they had never done before, but they may all prove for the best in the long run. One good thing they accomplished was to make us all more conservative with news print.

The Dyer anti-lynching bill now before congress is only another effort to invade the right of the state, and no doubt is aimed at the South mainly. For many years we have favored an anti-lynching law, but see no reason why the federal government should stick its nose into a question that belongs particularly to the states. We have always opposed lynch law of any kind and the state should enact strict laws against it, and each county should be held responsible in damages where persons are killed or seriously injured. You can arouse some people only by hitting their pocket book and since a law as we suggest would make law abiding tax payers take more interest in enforcing the state laws, and thus do away with the excuse for mob law. We would not favor a law that makes the county alone responsible, but make each individual connected with a mob, either directly or indirectly, responsible in a damage suit where death or serious bodily injury is inflicted by a mob. Men who would be legally responsible for damages inflicted upon any one would hesitate to join in a law breaking mob when they would be subjected to both civil and criminal suits. People are not much afraid when the victim of mob violence is a notorious disreputable character, and some of them perhaps deserve all they get and more, but let the punishment be inflicted by the legally constituted courts of the state. Lynching is dangerous to the established order of society and should be condemned by all good citizens. The only way to have a good government is to enforce the law against all manner of crime.—Herald Star.

Who Fixes Cotton Prices?

With cotton crop shown by ginners' reports to be somewhat larger—although not a great deal—than forecasts by the government bureau of crop estimates and private sources, the price of cotton has declined below the prices of a few weeks ago, showing that the law of supply and demand will not be denied. Nevertheless the question is asked, as it has been asked time and again, "Who fixes cotton prices?" E. F. Shropshire, secretary-manager of the United Campaign for Better Agriculture in Texas, an earnest advocate of diversified crops, answers the question. He says: "All other factors entering the various phases of marketing are only temporary or speculative. The farmer or spinner will ultimately fix the price for each year's production of cotton, the law of supply and demand being the final governing factor. That the farmer, the producer, the spinner, the consumer, are the determining factors of cotton values is evident, all, however, being governed by the law of supply, plus the surplus produced, or minus the required amount."

Writing in Cotton News, Mr. Shropshire insists that the farmer's greatest opportunity to have a real say in the market value of his cotton is at the time of planting, and the force of his voice is largely governed by the acreage planted in cotton and of other crops to sustain him. The spinner's time comes after the crop is produced, and is governed by the amount produced, the demand for cotton products and economic financial conditions throughout the world.

He says that the farmer, with rare exceptions, year in and year out, has merely planted and produced, without giving due consideration to factors that control his efforts being governed more largely by the amount of credit extended by his merchant and banker and the acreage that he and his entire family can cultivate. The spinner, on the other hand, has made a most careful study of his industry, by utilizing the best brains that money can obtain; knows the factors governing and will not operate unless a profit is obtained.

Notwithstanding a large reduction this year in the cotton acreage, market conditions show the present acreage in cotton is sufficient under normal conditions of weather and insect pests, to produce an adequate amount of cotton to meet the world's requirements for some time to come, wherefore the farmer is urged to be slow to increase his cotton acreage for 1922 and thereby bring a return of the disastrous con-

ditions of 1920. The advantages gained by diversified farming, as practiced this year, has shown the farmer where-in his safety lies. He may about for fair values but his voice does not carry far unless he has behind him the strength of ample food and feed crops to sustain him, so that he need not depend upon advances by merchants and bankers which hinder more than they help him in the ultimate conclusion.—Fort Worth Record.

WORN NERVES

Nervous troubles, with backache, dizzy spells, queer pains and irregular kidneys, give reason to suspect kidney weakness and to try the remedy that has helped your neighbors. Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. A. B. Winslow, 108 Scurry St., Big Spring, says: "Quite a few years ago I began having pains in the small of my back just over my kidneys. I couldn't rest at night because no matter how I lay there was a steady pain that felt like a red hot iron across my kidneys. Sometimes I was so drawn up with pain I could hardly get out of bed. I was subject to nervous headaches and the least noise would startle me. My kidneys didn't act regularly at all. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Ward's Drug Store and they entirely cured me. I haven't suffered from kidney complaint for five years."

Get at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. (advertisement) 2

Government Aid for Puget Sound to Gulf Highway

The State Highway Commission has granted Howard County \$15,000.00 for road improvement on the Puget Sound to Gulf Highway, known as State Highway No. 9. County Judge James T. Brooks spent last week in Austin to make a fight for aid for this highway and had a job to convince the Highway Commission that it should be granted since they are receiving so many appeals for government aid for road construction at this time.

Judge Brooks asked for \$30,000.00 and it will require that amount added to an equal amount from the road bond issue to place this highway in first class condition thruout our county.

Judge Brooks is using every effort to give our county first class roads and at a minimum cost to our people and all who are aware of the untiring work he has devoted to this task appreciate the results he has accomplished.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate

WHEREAS, by virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the District Court of Howard County, Texas, on November, 1921, on a judgment rendered in said Court, on 8th day of July, 1921, in favor of The W. Leigh Co. against S. A. Harrison, Ames and J. H. Anderson, being No. 812 on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, levy upon the following described and parcel of land situated in the County of Howard, State of Texas, and belonging to said defendant, J. H. Anderson, to-wit:

All of Section No. 26, in Township 1 North, Certificate of Survey No. 10, Texas & Pacific Railway Company, comprising 640 acres of land, and about eight miles west of Big Spring; and

On the 6th day of December, 1921, being the first Tuesday of the month, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 o'clock p. m., at the Courthouse door of said County, I will offer for sale and auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. H. Anderson, and to said property.

Dated at Big Spring, Texas, this 1st day of November, A. D. 1921.
J. W. McCRACKEN,
Sheriff of Howard County.

Notice of Final Account

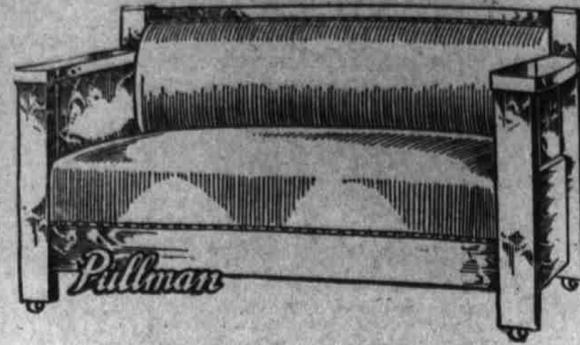
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HOWARD
IN PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of C. B. Andrews, deceased: Chas. L. Andrews, administrator of the estate of C. B. Andrews, has filed his final account in the probate court of Howard County, Texas, which will be acted on at the day of this court commencing on the day of December A. D. 1921. All term persons interested in the estate may appear and make objections thereto.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said court at office this 1st day of November A. D. 1921.
(Seal) J. I. PHILLIPS,
Clerk County Court
Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. ... daughter, Margaret, returned from a visit with relatives Antonio and Cameron.

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SEE A MAN WORRYIN'
BOUT WHUT FOLKS THINK
BOUT 'IM, W'EN DEY
AIN' STUDIN' BOUT 'IM,
'TALL!



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SLATS' DIARY

Friday—1 of my puppies is named Brizz and pa has been trying 2 teach him to do trix like setting up and etc. He will set up now. As long as pa holds his front ft. Ma sed to pa if you want to teech trix 2 a pup you got 2 have more sents than the pup has got. Pa replied and sed to her This pup hassent got very much sents.

Saturday—Ma was pritty sick today and pa sent for the doctor, he cum & tuk a instrument like a little toy Telephone and put it on her chest and then he sed Les see yure tongue and she did. When he cum out pa sed to him Doe do you think it is overworked. Doe sed Think what is overworked. And pa sed Why her tung.

Sunday—The teacher ast Blisters what was the Cause of the Fall of Adam and Eve and he sed Because Eve got 2 bumming with a snake.

Monday—Slim Gates sed he saw a actor in the show last week which played on a Trombone with his toes. Jake sed That issent enny thing our little baby plays with her feeta all the time. When she issent a balling.

Tuesday—as ma was still sick to-day pa sed he wood get dinner not being so very busy. So he put on a apron and split a lot of water and cust. But kinda silently. Then he sed Les have mashed potatoes and I consented to it. So he hunted all round and finely yelled to ma What in heck can I do about mashing them and me sed to him Use yure hed Jim use yure hed.

Wednesday—Me and Jake past a couple a setting on the front steps and he kist her and he sed Yure the 1st woman I ev r kist except my ma and she sed to him Well you done fine.

Thursday—pa went to a club supper which served oyster supe. when he cum home ma ast him was it a nice supper and he sed it was very quite. For a Supe supper.

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SHOCKLEY AND CURTIS
Big Spring, Texas

—Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Durnell left this week for Fort Worth where they will make the home in the future. Mr. Durnell has resigned as trainmaster on the Rio Grande division to resume his old run as conductor on the Texas & Pacific railway out of Fort Worth. Mr. Durnell has made his home in Big Spring the past year and a half and though he came here a stranger he has won a host of friends whom he can count on to stick to him through thick and thin. Our entire citizenship regret to lose Mr. and Mrs. Durnell as residents of Big Spring, and our best wishes will attend them in their new home.

THESE COLD NIGHTS WHEN YOU HAVE TO CUT OFF YOUR WATER... YOU WILL NEED ONE OF OUR FLASH LIGHTS..... CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

The fire department was called out Sunday morning about nine o'clock in response to an alarm sent in from the Methodist Church. Burning soot in the chimney made it appear that the structure was afire between the ceiling and roof. Fortunately the soot burned out without causing any damages to the building.

Any woman who is losing her hair can get good results with a Hughes Ideal brush. (This doesn't apply to bald headed men.).....Cunningham & Phillips.

The Hila Morgan tent show closed a week's engagement here Saturday night and especially large crowds attended every performance. The student body of the Big Spring High School received \$60 as their share of the proceeds from the sale of admissions and reserved seats.

Box stationery at pre war prices... You can get a nice box for fifty cents.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Misses Nell and Sadie Hatch returned Tuesday morning from an extended stay in El Paso.

Join the crowd and buy your fresh meats and groceries from Pool-Reed Co. We kill fat young bees and handle Quality Groceries. Pool-Reed Co.

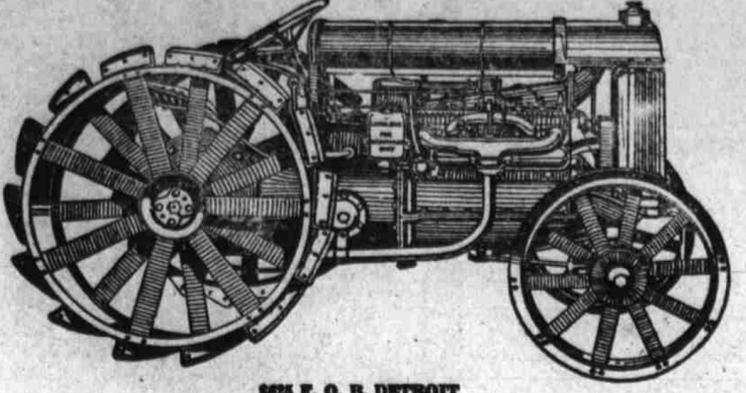
We are of the opinion that there are too many officials in Texas, for the best interests of the people in general. The salaries are too low to keep the best men. A number of officials have resigned recently for the reason that they were not getting enough money from their salary to keep their families, and hence had to quit. From what little we know of the work of the State and Federal Government too, there are too many people doing the same work, and getting half paid for it. Why not cut out half of them and pay the other half a decent salary?—Lubbock Avalanche.

Jack Smith, Joe Mittel and Alvin Bates returned Sunday from a hunting trip in the Sonora section. They killed no deer but were successful in getting three wild turkeys to furnish them good eats during their hunt.

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Good Breeding Necessary for Poultry Success.

(By R. M. Sherwood, Poultry Husband, Texas Experiment Station.)

One man said, "Egg production must be bred into hens before it may be fed out of them." In other words hens must be well bred before they will be most profitable, even though they are well cared for. This principle was well demonstrated at the Texas Experiment Station, Substation No. 10, College Station, in an experiment using 340 pullets of medium quality but not from the highest bred stock; 17 pullets whose sires were bred for highest production, and whose dams laid well but whose breeding was not known; and 15 pullets whose sires and dams were of the highest breeding, they having been trap-nested and pedigreed for many years.

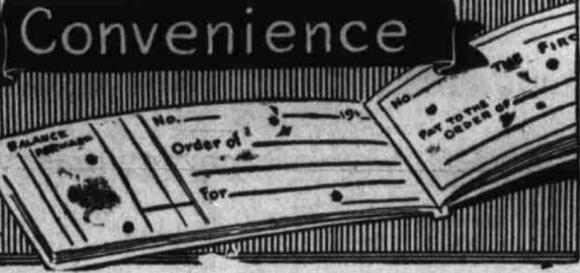
The results of the past years trap nesting at the Station show that of the 340 pullets of medium breeding, only 5 or 1-2 per cent laid over 200 eggs before November 1st. Of the pullets from pedigreed cockerels and unpedigreed hens, 3 or nearly 18 per cent laid over 200 eggs before that date. Of the 15 pullets from pedigreed cockerels and hens, 5 or thirty-three and one third per cent laid over 200 eggs before November 1st. A number of the pullets from this last class are from Texas No. 4, the hen that laid 261 eggs her second laying season and has laid 191 eggs her third season and is still laying. She has two months to complete the third year. She laid 24 eggs during the month of October of this year.

The pullets at the Texas Experiment Station now are all from pedigreed cockerels and a number of them are from pedigreed cockerels and hens. These are all Single Comb White Leghorns.

The feed given these fowls is not a complex mixture of feeds that are expensive. The fowls receive milo for grain, together with a dry mash made of one part each of bran, shorts, and tankage and two parts of ground milo.

Sour milk plentifully fed will take the place of tankage; but the hens should have all they will eat of the sour milk. They have free access to water, oyster shells and green feeds at all times.

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Pay, all bills, make all remittances by check and avoid disputes.

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Somebody Praying

"Somebody has been praying," said Lord Kitchener, when he received news that the German army had begun to retreat after reaching close to the gates of Paris, and Forbes' Magazine (N. Y.) recalling Lord Kitchener's remark, says:

"The momentous events at the Washington conference inspire the same thought. The praying on this occasion has gone up from the heart and soul of every right-minded man and woman throughout the world. Vigilance must be exercised lest the humane, far-seeing, righteous proposals of American statesmen be not destroyed by those who live by the sword and the battleship. Let us be quick to resent accepting war-tainted orders from them. Let us insist that they do our peace-bidder bidding. For many centuries war has been the 'sport of kings.' We have in our slowly-evolving enlightenments almost done away with kings. Let us wholly do away with war."

Somebody has been praying, indeed, and working, too, for prayer and good works go together. And none has been working with greater energy and determination than the women of the United States and Great Britain. Probably the women of other nations are work-

ing, too, for women everywhere are the greatest sufferers from war and have learned to dread it.

From every portion of the United States comes the report that the club women have banded together to advance the disarmament of the nations and in the interest of peace. They appear more active in some states than in others but everywhere they are working and praying and their efforts and their faith are certain to succeed.—Fort Worth Record.

Lost

Lost a ladies' black leather purse, containing a lavalliere, two gold pins and a book of stamps. Finder leave at Herald office and I will pay reward. It-pd. Mrs. Hazel Phillips. Big Spring, Texas

For Trade

I have a J. I. Case plow and a John Deere cultivator, both as good as new, to trade for milch cows. Phone 9006-F1. It-

J. B. Hodges returned Monday morning from Abilene, where he had been to attend a meeting of managers and salesmen of the J. M. Radford Wholesale grocery company.

Methodist Notes

We must go back to Thursday of last week to make special mention of our "Methodist Flower Show." The Thanksgiving service was held at our church that morning, and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hall decorated for the occasion. These two staunch and loyal hearted Methodists brought their entire flower garden of beautiful chrysanthemums.

About the altar these gorgeous plants of pink, white and bronze made a veritable bower—the autumn coloring of the foliage tying in beauty with the enormous blooms, such a mass of Thanksgiving plants, appropriate and of most artistic arrangement, lent an atmosphere to the entire service of unusual beauty and impressiveness.

The Thanksgiving anthems were beautiful in themselves and well rendered—Mr. Dawes and Mrs. Morris deserve great credit for this musical treat given us—the "Harvest Home" hymns lending themselves most delightfully to the spirit of the season.

Mr. Brown gave an excellent sermon at this hour, so appropriate that by special request it will appear in this same issue of the Herald.

Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Burrows, and Mrs. Patterson entertained the Beginners and Juniors. Games and stories made the hours go by all too quickly, and small souvenirs for every child made it a red letter day for the little ones.

Sunday we lacked only six of having our three hundred back in attendance at Sunday School. At the close of the lesson, the parents who had babies present to be baptised, came to the front. After a prayer by Bro. Hardy we had a solo by Mrs. Morris, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine," in honor of mothers present and absent. Mrs. Yates sang "Father Mine, in honor of the heads of the family—who are sometimes overlooked.

After the charge to parents, given by Bro. Hardy, a quintet of the following ladies, Mesdames Miller, Flew-llen, Hughes, Bunn, and Talbot, sang the beautiful hymn on perfect childhood, "By Cool Siloam's Shady Hill."

After the baptism of the infants some 12 or 15 in all) Miss Barnes, the superintendent of the S. S. assisted by little Miss Margaret Stevens, passed dainty gifts to the ones christened, and also to all the babies present. One father present was kind enough to say that he thought our Baby Special was the best he had ever witnessed. The church was gay with flowers and ferns arrayed in honor of our little folks by Mrs. Morris' class.

At the morning hour, Mr. Coulter of the Y. M. C. A., gave a most instructive address on "Roll ye away the stone." Chief of the obstacles the church needs to remove he pointed out, were the sins of criticism, unbelief, unconfessed sin, and indifference. His sermon was interesting and well given. A large crowd was present to hear him.

Monday afternoon the W. M. Auxiliary met in social session at the home of Mrs. Johnson. After a short program, the election of officers for 1922 resulted in the following:

President, Mrs. M. P. Stevens.
Vice president, Mrs. Chas. Yarnell.
Secretary, Mrs. Sam Caulte.
Treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Miller.

Quite a nice sized crowd was present and a jolly time had. Delicious refreshments were served.

Monday is business meeting at church at 8 o'clock.

Tuberculosis Christmas Seals on Sale.

The 14th Annual Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Sale is now in force and will continue until Christmas.

These little seals make attractive markers for letters and packages and sell for one cent each. Every cent derived from the sale of the Christmas seals is expended to prevent tuberculosis and keep it away from your home and the homes of your friends. Help in this work by seeing that every letter and package mailed between now and Christmas has one of these seals attached.

The Texas Public Health Association has charge of these seals which can be secured at all our leading business houses.

The Texas Public Health Association trusts that the Seal Sale this year will enable them to carry on their work of disease prevention on a much larger scale than was possible during 1921.

We want to develop the work among children, for we realize that today's healthy child is tomorrow's healthy citizen. The Health Play, which has just been completed by the Texas Public Health Association, has proven to be a large factor in teaching health to children, and we are going to give this play to as many communities as possible during 1922.

It is hoped that sufficient funds will be raised to make possible the purchase of a motion picture machine and a Ford automobile for exhibits and educational work in the small towns where, without this equipment, it is impossible for us to reach the citizens of Texas.

The Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Sale is the only means the Texas Public Health Association uses to finance the Campaign against tuberculosis, and is held only once a year, from Thanksgiving to Christmas. We must increase the work in every department of this Association, and this is only possible through an increased Seal Sale.

Some states have cut their tuberculosis death rate 50 per cent. Won't you help do the same for Texas?

Every Seal sold aids in its little way to help stamp out tuberculosis.

Geo. Stripling of Abilene was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Kodaks and films....Cunningham & Phillips.



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It is the phonograph which the world uses today for all important musical events.

In a recent Broadway show, it supplied the off-stage music.

When the Prince of Wales visited this country, it played in his hotel suite.

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The Official Laboratory Model was chosen for all this work because it sustains the test of comparison with living artists,—and has therefore been accepted as the only phonograph which brings the true beauties and the full benefits of music.

The tests by which the Official Laboratory Model attained this recognition were continent-wide. Premier artists such as Case, Hempel, Muzio, Chalmers, Spalding, have compared their living performances with the RE-CREATIONS of those performances by the New Edison. These comparisons were made in famous auditoriums, such as Carnegie Hall, New York, Symphony Hall, Boston, etc. Thousands of people attended, including leading music critics. Newspapers such as the *New York Times*, *New York Sun*, *Chicago Tribune*, *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, *San Francisco Examiner*, published the facts of the Official Laboratory Model's triumphs. Even Bamboschek, leading conductor of the Metropolitan Opera Company, acknowledged that he could not tell living music from RE-CREATED music.

Hear the Official Laboratory Model,—and you, too, will discover that Mr. Edison has made his phonograph a new and finer kind of instrument.

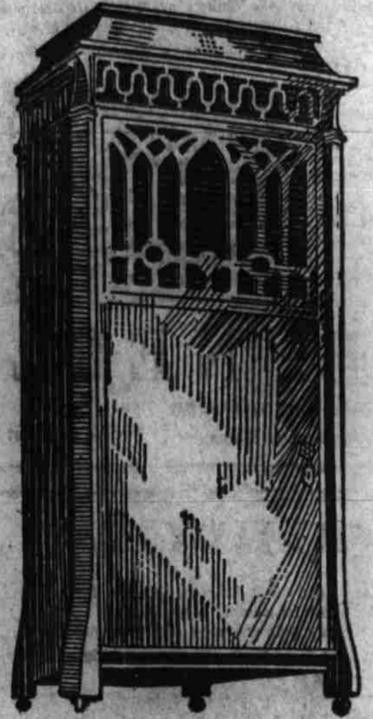
Compare it with other phonographs and talking-machines,—and you will discover that the Official Laboratory Model stands for new standards in home music.

We cordially invite you to come in and hear the famous Official Laboratory Model.

The Test General Wingate Heard

—was made May 25th, 1921 in the 2nd Field Artillery Armory, Brooklyn, N. Y.,—before Reville Post No. 127, American Legion, and its friends. The illustration (from a photograph) shows Miss Helen Clark making the comparison which so impressed General Wingate.

General Wingate, who commanded the 52nd Field Artillery in its operations against the Hindenburg Line, said he could not tell Miss Clark's living voice from the Edison RE-CREATION of her voice.



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Then tell us how you wish to arrange your Christmas Budget,—and the wonderful Official Laboratory Model is yours.

If you prefer, mail the coupon for complete details of this Christmas Budget Plan. Mail it at once.

Dear Sir: Please send me full details of your Christmas Budget Plan.

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____

Mail this Coupon to-day

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City Federation Meeting

The City Federation will meet Tuesday at 3 at the Rest Room in court-house. All members are urged to be present as this is the day we elect officers for coming year. The Federation is deeply indebted to Mrs. Ben McDermott, a former member and old time resident, for a box of fiction for our library. We appreciate this courtesy very much.

PIERRETTE FACE POWDER.... PLEASES EVERY ONE THAT USES IT.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

J. L. Lancaster, one of the receivers for the T. & P., was a visitor in Big Spring Sunday. A. P. Prendergast, superintendent of motive power, was a visitor here Saturday and Sunday.

The Shockley-Curtis Realty Company report the sale to Dad Stewart of a residence and three acres of land in the west part of the city. This place was purchased from C. C. Busby of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Pipes for two-bits up....Cunningham & Phillips.

Fancy lettering done on jewelry and ivory. Come early. Ward's.

Clyde E. Thomas made a business trip to Colorado Saturday night.

Attention! Bring your engraving early if you want it for Christmas. Wards.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cobb were here Monday from their ranch in Glasscock County.

White Pine and Eucalyptus...The healthful cough syrup....Cunningham & Phillips.

Clean teeth are noticed more than anything....Cunningham & Phillips for the cleaners.

Mrs. B. E. Howell returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Breckenridge and Abilene.

Don't run over a chair...Buy a flash light....Cunningham & Phillips.

Select your Christmas gifts now—beautiful selection of mesh bags—\$7.50 to \$50.00. Ward's.

At Clovis, N. M. the electric light rate was cut twenty per cent, or from 16 2-3 to 13 1-3 cents per kilowatt.

We make a blemish remover that will take the pimples off or you get your money back....Cunningham & Phillips

Would you walk 50 miles for a dollar—that's what you do if you walk—ride a Harley-Davidson—Advertisement.

Get 40 to 60 miles per gallon out of your gasoline, and 800 to 1000 miles per gallon out of your lubricating oil by using a Harley-Davidson motorcycle—Advertisement.

A better family laxative....Cascara Laxative....Cunningham & Phillips.

Jim Dorward was here Monday from his ranch in Borden County.

Alarm clocks that test your disposition....Cunningham & Phillips.

Save dollars and shoe leather—ride a Harley-Davidson to your work—Advertisement.

Croup has no terrors for the home equipped with Pandaz Croup Remedy....Cunningham & Phillips.

It's cheaper to ride a Harley-Davidson than to walk—so why walk—Advertisement.

E. V. Lowery of Wichita Falls, scout for the Pure Oil Company, was a visitor here the forepart of this week.

There are few of our folks grumbling about the mild winter we have been enjoying up to the present. If we could just have some big rains we would all be in favor of warm weather hanging on a while longer.

W. J. Garrett shipped calves to the Fort Worth day.

A quarantine against the cotton from Texas, Oklahoma, Mexico has been put into effect by the State of Louisiana through the Department of Agriculture of the shipment of cotton and into Louisiana.

Look over our fountain pen and figure which you are going to give some one for Christmas—Cunningham & Phillips.

The guy who has had a wife is going to present his wife now rug for the Christmas—Christmas present has purchase a new safety remembrance for his wife.

Two party furnished light housekeeping at 111 street, for rent.