

The Big Spring Herald

Big Spring, Texas, Friday, December 1, 1922

By Jordan & Hayden

NO. 11

DEVELOPMENT THIS TERRITORY

Now at interesting are being watched closely for development

Enders-Cushing Test

A breakage of the engine, of removing pipe from the tubing test No. 1 has been this week. As soon as the engine has been completed will be resumed.

McDowell No. 4

Drilling by the lost string McDowell well No. 4 of the Company is being carried steadily. Owing to the hard nature of the rock the task is a difficult one. It is believed that the lost string will be recovered when the work is completed.

Westbrook Section

Long delay due to a water well on Stewart No. 1 of the Johnson Co., located north of the Westbrook section, has been resumed. Water is being produced from the well.

Improvements at First State Bank

The First State Bank recently installed safety deposit boxes for the convenience of their customers. These are the latest improved boxes and offer the greatest measure of protection for valuables, deeds, records, etc. They are located within the fireproof vault and offer a double protection against theft.

New Garage and Repair Shop

A building is being erected on West Third street on the rear of the lot on which is located the home of W. R. Marlin.

Four O'Clock Tea Tuesday, Dec. 5th.

On Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, Miss Barnes will be hostess at a tea, to which she cordially invites all her women friends of all ages, beliefs and creeds.

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Red Cross Relief Work

During the fiscal year of 1921-22, ending June 30th, the Southwestern Division of the American Red Cross expended \$730,936.79 in disaster relief. Part of this came from the National Red Cross funds secured from memberships, part from Chapters and part from individual contributions. This money was expended in disasters in various parts of the Division, especially in the flood areas along the west bank of the Mississippi in Arkansas, in Texas, around Fort Worth and in the Rio Grande Valley, and at Burlington, Kansas.

The greatest amount of time and effort in any of these disasters went in the rehabilitation of the district covered by the Rio Grande Valley flood of last June, according to a report from the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross, in St. Louis, fifteen hundred and ten families were affected by that flood.

The manner in which the Red Cross undertakes these disasters depends upon the conditions to be met. In some cases the local chapters and citizens committees take charge and the Division Office goes in an advisory capacity. In others the situation is reversed, and in still others the work is handled jointly by the Red Cross and the citizens.

BIG MEETING FOR STRIKERS

The Special Services for the Members of Shop Crafts at M. E. Church is Well Attended

The special service for members of the railway shop crafts out on strike, their families and those in sympathy with the strikers held at the Methodist Church at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, was an interesting and helpful meeting, and was attended by several hundred of our citizens.

Rev. Ben Hardy, pastor of the Methodist Church, presided as chairman. After the opening prayer and some inspiring songs, Rev. Ben Hardy read the governing principles of the Methodist Church, and in which it was plainly stated that the church was heartily in favor of labor being paid a just and reasonable wage. After which Rev. F. B. Eteson, pastor of the Episcopal Church, was called on for a talk.

Rev. Eteson, in a strong and inspiring talk, made it plain that the church is represented for the man who toils first, last and all the time. He praised the men on strike for the faithful fight they were making and assured them that justice and right would eventually prevail. He pointed out that if Christians would make only half the sacrifices the strikers and their families were making that this old world could soon be made a better place in which to live.

Mr. Winslow who was awarded the contract to construct the concrete bridges and dips on the Puget Sound to Gulf Highway in our county has completed those on the section of the highway between here and the north county line. He constructed two concrete bridges and eleven concrete dips. These dips are from forty to sixty feet long with only a twelve inch slope so they will not prove objectionable as do the short and deep dips that are to be encountered in many other counties.

Mr. Winslow is now building a concrete bridge for the City, at the intersection of Main and Third streets and has the contract for two additional bridges at the intersection of Main and Second but these may not be started until after the holidays.

UNION GET-TOGETHER MEETING

300 Attend Business and Social Session and Perfect Organization for Union People of Our County

The W. O. W. Hall was filled to capacity Thursday night for the purpose of establishing a permanent organization to take the place of the former get-together meetings and this was one of the best meetings ever held by the union people of our county.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the ladies of the Shop Crafts and this feature of the evening's program was especially enjoyed. The meeting was a successful one from every standpoint and the social features of the evening were especially pleasing.

Elks Thanksgiving Party

An old time Thanksgiving party was held at B. P. O. E. Hall on Thanksgiving day for members of the Elks lodge and their families. Two hundred folks, young and old, took part in the entertainment and a jolly time was in order.

Arrangements were made for the playing of Bridge, Rook, Forty-Two, and Dominoes, and from three o'clock in the afternoon until 10 p. m., many were engaged in these interesting games. Punch and wafers were served throughout the afternoon; and from 6:30 to 7:30, turkey sandwiches, dressing, olives, cake and coffee were served.

Building Bridges and Dips

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Fireworks Prohibited in Fire Limits.

We don't understand why folks like to break our laws. For the past week or so not only boys, but grown-ups as well have been guilty of setting off fire crackers and other fireworks in the business district. For many years there has been an ordinance against the discharge of fireworks within the fire limits of our city and there isn't any reason now why this ordinance should not be strictly enforced.

Every citizen should aid the officers by reporting every person who wilfully or maliciously sets off fireworks within the fire limits of our city. A stiff fine marked up against a few violators may nip this practice before some one is injured or a serious fire is started.

What and How?

What do we most need in this town? How are we going to get it? Answer those two questions in a satisfactory manner and you will have performed a wonderful service for your community.

There are many ways of improving a town and its adjacent countryside, but they can not all be employed at one and the same time.

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Buy the best!

Columbia Dry Batteries

—they last longer

More Columbia Batteries are used in the United States than all other makes combined, because—

Columbias have been manufactured on a large scale considerably longer than any other dry battery

They have over 30 years of battery manufacturing skill and improved equipment behind them

Every improvement of any account has been developed in the Columbia laboratories

The Columbia "Hot Shot" was the first successful assembly of dry cells in one package

And again Columbia has demonstrated its leadership through the development of the new Steel Case "Hot Shot" Battery

Wherever a dry battery is needed, Columbia will always give the best service

For sale right near you by

Hall Tire & Top Co.

Look for the name Columbia

Columbia Dry Batteries

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Farmer Legislation for the Short Session

The farmers of the country, through their union organizations, are demanding that laws be enacted by Congress convening this month the following subjects:

The completion of the dam at Muscle Shoals and the operation of the Nitrate plants for the manufacture of fertilizer by Henry Ford, under lease, or by the government itself.

Farm Credit Legislation to provide for short term credits, six months to three years, needed by farmers in equipping their farms, making and marketing crops and handling livestock.

Federal Land Bank loan limit raised from \$10,000 to \$25,000, so that all farmers may take advantage of the cooperative system and obtain loans needed at the very lowest interest rate.

Limit the interest rate that banks may charge, or the spread between the rate the member bank must pay the Federal Reserve Bank and the interest rate it charges to customers. Now this spread is from three to six per cent. It should be limited to two or three per cent at most.

Enable small banks, that is state banks under a capital of less than \$25,000, to join the Federal Reserve system and thus be in a better position to serve their customers by borrowing direct from the Reserve banks.

The tax laws in regard to national banks and national bank stock are not in line with state laws affecting state banks and trust companies. As it stands today they can be taxed only for real estate and they cannot be taxed as going concerns.

A True-to-name Fabric law, so that when woolen goods are purchased one may know whether they are made of virgin wool or shoddy. Such a law will be of great advantage to the wool grower as well as to the consumer.

Standard containers for fruits and vegetables will eliminate many fake measures and unfair practices, and serve both producer and consumer.

The anti-filled milk bill has been passed by the house and is now before the Senate. This bill also seeks to protect the health of the public by prohibiting the manufacture of filled condensed milk made by removing the butter fat and substituting vegetable oils. With the removal of the butter fat gone also a large percentage of fat soluble vitamins claimed to be indispensable, particularly in the diet of infants and growing children.

A bill which the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee has before it is designed to regulate foreign commerce by prohibiting the admission into the United States of certain adulterated grain seeds unfit for seed purposes. It provides that no person shall import these seeds unless the container is marked plainly and correctly to show the nature and quantity of the contents, country and locality where seed was grown, address of shipper, owners, or persons shipping or forwarding the same, and the address of the consignee.

Good Farm For Sale

210 acres of the J. W. Posey farm, 20 miles northwest of Big Spring at Knott. All tillable, good five room house, out buildings, and small orchard, 50 acres in cultivation. \$1000 in Federal Farm Loan. Must sell to close up estate. Price \$27.50 per acre, W. W. McELHANNON, Adm'r. 223 Callaghan Ave, San Antonio, Texas. 9-41.

Age Heifers Should Freshen

A reader wants to know "At What age heifers should be bred?"

It is also customary to breed beef heifers a little later than is practiced with dairy heifers. Some think the earlier one can start a dairy heifer to giving milk—her life work—the better she will do this work, the more milk she will give. There may be some question about this but there seems at least good ground for the conclusion that rather early breeding, if she be well fed and handled, does not injure her future usefulness as a producer. Probably well grown dairy heifers should not be bred to freshen before they are about two years old. A little younger is sometimes practiced with the smaller, earlier maturing breeds, but is probably not the best practice. Heifers not well grown should probably freshen a little later, say at 28 to 27 or even 30 months old, and this also applies to the later maturing Holstein heifer.

Beef heifers probably should not freshen under 30 months old, but this will depend largely on the condition they are in and what their future use is to be.—The Progressive Farmer.

SUBSCRIPTIONS WANTED

H. R. Hayden is now authorized to solicit and receipt for subscriptions to Fort Worth Star-Telegram Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News. Abilene Reporter. Big Spring Herald and other publications.

Any subscriptions given to him will be properly attended to and appreciated by us. See him personally or phone 28.

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GATES TIRES

The Tires with the Wider and Thicker Tread

No Matter How Little You Pay—

—for the extra miles in a cord tire, you ought to get every mile that's in the better cord material.

Then don't you need a longer wearing tread on a cord tire to match the longer wearing carcass?

Any user of Gates Super-Tread Cords will tell you that he is getting two or three thousand extra miles simply because the wider and thicker rubber tread protects the side cords till they have given their last mile.

Get the Habit of Phoning 196

HALL TIRE & TOP CO.

The Automobile Supply House



"Stop, look, and listen"—is not a bad motto at any time. It is equally good in matters of health.

Some day you will stand at the cross roads—with the road to health stretching out before you in one direction—and the road to disease in another. The road down is always an easy one to travel—just neglect, carelessness, disobedience to the laws of health.

The road upward to health is always a little harder to travel—it means a little thought, a little attention, a little self denial.

In either case, stop and think—What is at the end of the road? Are you at the cross roads now? Or have you already slipped a little on the downward road?

Stop now, and think where you are. Choose the right road now while you may—and if you have already thoughtlessly started on the downward path, turn back now before you get too far from the goal of health.

Let us help you check up on your physical condition. Let us show you how we may help you onward on the right road, the road worth while, the better way to health. Consultation and spinal analysis free.

Guy E. Longbotham

Chiropractic

Office Phone 40. Res. Phone 205. Lady Attendant.
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Chicken Pie

Cover and cook a chicken in cold water until two-thirds done, salting to taste, then cook until meat will fall from bones readily. Remove all bones and place in a pan not larger than eight by twelve bread pan or a granite one in the same proportion.

Church Notice

Church of Christ meets at court house every Lord's day at 10 a. m. for Bible lesson, preaching and communion. Subject, 11 a. m. Dec. 3, on Love.

The Best Place to Eat

Oysters—Chili—Short Orders—Just what you like, prepared to please you. Take some of our Chili home with you. BEARD & MERRICK LUNCH ROOM 11-41.

Farmer's Share of Profit on His Products Looks Like What the Little Boy Took a Shot at

The public is more or less inclined to raise complaint from time to time regarding high prices of various commodities and frequently wonder why these high prices are asked by local retailers when they read in daily papers about producers selling at such low prices, as reports state they do.

A local jobber has just received and unloaded a car consisting of 330 sacks of potatoes—the shipment originating at some point in Idaho. The potatoes were sold to the jobber on a delivered basis and after deducting the transportation company's charges, a net balance of \$128.21 remained to be remitted to the broker selling the potatoes, from which amount the broker must deduct his charge of approximately \$15.00 per car and the farmer must pay for the 330 sacks which will amount to another \$15.00, leaving less than \$100.00 for the farmer producing this carload of potatoes. Aside from the labor, growing, gathering and sacking these potatoes, there is not taken into account the drayage from the farm to the railroad station which would probably amount to \$15.00 more, leaving less than \$85.00 the farmer in Idaho received for the 330 sacks of potatoes.

"From these figures it looks like the transportation companies are getting the lion's share of the dollars the consumers spend with their retailers," a jobber points out. "Until something is done to remedy the present transportation rates, the people will find little relief for this general complaint of high prices."—Brownwood Banner Bulletin.

EVER HAVE IT?

If You Have the Statement of This Big Spring Citizen Will Interest You.

Ever have a "low-down" pain in the back? In the "small," right over the hips? That's the home of backache. If it's caused by weak kidneys, Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Big Spring people testify to their worth. Ask your neighbor! Mrs. A. Bilger, Big Spring, says: "I had heavy, bearing-down pains in my back and was all tired out. I was sore and lame all through my kidneys. I had headaches and was nervous and usually felt languid. A friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, so I started using them and I got the trouble in time. Doan's certainly brought me fine relief. Since then, I have used them once in awhile to keep my kidneys in good condition." Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Bilger had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement 2

The president is in favor of the restoration of light wines and beer, and then again he isn't—depending upon which side is doing the talking.

Why speak of your neighbor's faults? They may be only the reflection of your obstinacy in refusing to recognize his virtues.

Mrs. L. I. Freeman and daughters left Tuesday morning for El Paso to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Resolutions of Respect to H. E. Mills, who died Nov. 1922.

Leaves have their time to bloom, flowers to wither at the cold blast, but thou, O H. Mills, all seasons for thine own.

Again have we been called to consign to its last resting place the remains of a departed friend; and again we are reminded of the fact that we were born to die.

Death came to him as it does to all. Not as an enemy, but as a friend; Not as a sudden, unexpected blow, but as a long-expected thing; Not in the pain of a broken heart, but in the form of an angel's kiss; Not as a life's tragedy, but as a life's coronation. His work on earth was done; his life's journey completed; his pleasant voice is heard no longer; but his good deeds live on in the hearts of those who were his friends; and we are all proud to know that a noble and faithful servant of his country and his loving husband and father, H. E. Mills, the Federated Farmer's champion, has passed on to his reward. His life's work was done; his life's journey completed; his pleasant voice is heard no longer; but his good deeds live on in the hearts of those who were his friends; and we are all proud to know that a noble and faithful servant of his country and his loving husband and father, H. E. Mills, the Federated Farmer's champion, has passed on to his reward.

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Which blossoms into life, finds perfection in its death. If the seed be perfect, the fruit is pure.

If the fountain be sweet, the water is pure.

If the present be right, the future is plain.

If a man die, he lives on in the hearts of those who were his friends; and we are all proud to know that a noble and faithful servant of his country and his loving husband and father, H. E. Mills, the Federated Farmer's champion, has passed on to his reward.

GIVE US A TALK
SLAUGHTER'S FILLING
We Value Your Patronage
Corner Main and 1st
See What You Get—Get What You Want
VICTOR VISHNIEVSKY

The Lord has blessed you with an amount of brains you can't expect to get by brushing the cobwebs out.

You may have more brains than your neighbor, but telling him so is not the best way of getting them to the best use.

LATE FICTION: INEXPENSIVE GIFT. NINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Miss Nell Hatch returned from a ten day trip to relatives in Dallas.

Purses: Every man who has a broken one should buy a Phillips.

Do your Christmas shopping now.

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Why Be Thankful?

(By H. W. Morelock, Head of the English Department, West Texas Normal, Canyon)

All life is a relative something. We are even prone to measure our happiness by comparing our station with that which our friends have achieved. In other words, happiness—the basis of most of our gratitude—has material prosperity as the source of its inspiration. Even our Pilgrim Forefathers were grateful that plenty blessed their land during the dark days of our early history. To put it differently, we are happy when life, whatever it be, turns to us the bright side of the material picture.

But there is a spiritual happiness, which springs from the consciousness that we are making the most of life, that we are developing into our best selves, that we are making the life of some one else brighter and better. For this opportunity we should be thankful. All young people have a dual station in life: they are the boys and girls of today, and the boys and girls they hope to be. If the individual is constantly growing towards his ideal self, he should be happy. Too many people are piqued by the apparent successes of others, ignorant of the tragedy of those failures which are enacted behind the curtain. Heroic happiness should result from a comparison of what we are with what it is possible for us to be.

Our method of expressing our gratitude—whatever its source or its nature—is often inadequate and sometimes tainted. Our national holidays illustrate the point. Our Fourth or July celebrations and other similar occasions have degenerated, for the most part, into tin pan parades or pyrotechnics. I sometimes wonder how our forefathers would look upon our ways of holding sacred those principles of liberty and justice for which they made such heroic sacrifices. We should feel thankful for all they bequeathed to us, and we should show our gratitude by the way in which we celebrate the holidays commemorating their achievement.

We should be thankful not alone for what we have inherited from the past, but for the opportunities of the present and the promises which the future holds out to us. I am thankful that I have a life to live; that the most glorious age the world has ever known stretches out before me invitingly, that I am blessed with health and a reasonable degree of intelligence as aids to learn something of life's deeper meaning; that I have friends who believe in me and are willing to make sacrifices for my comfort and happiness; that I have the advantages denied so many others—of a college education with its opportunities for cultural uplift, for social prestige, and for service to my fellow man. In truth, as I look about me I find so many

things for which I am thankful, and yet so many things about which I ought to be more thankful that I am. And at this Thanksgiving time, I would dedicate it with this vow: I shall from this day endeavor to live a life broader in scope and richer in content, that I may earn the gratitude of others.

For Sale

My two story home, two blocks south of courthouse on Scurry street, one of the best in the city. Could be divided into an apartment house. Has hardwood floors—all built-in features, beaver boarded throughout. Three thousand cash; balance long time. I am intending to move to my ranch. W. A. RICKER, Phone 613. 9-31

Tax on Unearned Increment

When a tax is levied upon realty it is passed on to the renter in higher rent. When it is levied by the tariff it is passed on, many times increased, to the consumer. Just as the walls of a building press upon the lowest tier of bricks, and with increasing weight the higher the wall goes, just so taxation bears with its increasing weight upon the consumer and the toiler—the men at the bottom. Those higher up often derive really more profit than the tax adds to their normal burdens.

There is one tax that can not be "passed on," and that is the tax upon the unearned increment. The unearned increment is not due to the labor or any effort of the owner of the property. It is added entirely by the increase in population and business.

In England whenever property is sold or as often as it is transferred by inheritance, or devise, the government takes 20 per cent of the increased value. This is the most just of all taxes, and it would be fairer perhaps for the public to take back one-half of the unearned addition in value.

In looking around for subjects to be taxed that will bear the least oppressively upon those who create the wealth of the country ought not some organized effort be made to present the justice of such taxation?—Chief Justice Clark.

If every crop and all the livestock pay as good profit on the original investment and for the labor given as the hens the farms of this country would be far more profitable. Yet little thought is too often given to the hens and very little provision made to make them more profitable. The time has come when the hen should have a "square deal."

It will now be in order for the school auditorium to be used by the older people of the neighborhood as well as the children. Community meetings should be regular practice as these meetings will do much to strengthen the sentiment for educational advancement.

Let our Optician fit your glasses for you. All our work guaranteed to your satisfaction. Prices very reasonable. Ward's.

Get Ready for Christmas Shop Early

THE glad time of year is at hand when every heart is stirred, when the spirit of good feeling becomes boundless, when those united by bonds of affection sound the depths of devotion through tokens of esteem at Christmas time. This store is prepared for taking care of your wants for the Yuletide—gifts for every member of the family are to be had here.



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Christmas comes
but once a year
so let's make the
best of it



Try to gladden some
lonely home and catch
the Christmas Spirit



"Dad" has been going without Suit and Overcoat for some time now; let's dress him up so he will be proud of his Christmas gift

We have the good old Hart Schaffner & Marx at

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It is already open and ready for you to make your selection of Dolls, Games and Toys for the little ones. Get 'em now while they're plentiful

For the ladies who like Silk Undergarments we have "Dove" novelties of delightful charm.

The new arrivals in Silk Gowns Camisoles, Teddies and Stepins are beauties. You will be proud to give these for Christmas or to wear them yourself.



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Thanksgiving

Now sing we a song for the harvest; Thanksgiving and honor and praise, For all that the bountiful giver Hath given to gladden our days; And thanks for the harvest of beauty For that which the hands cannot hold; The harvest, eyes only can gather, And only our hearts can enfold. O thou who art Lord of the harvest The Giver who gladdens our days, Our hearts are forever repeating Thanksgiving and honor and praise!
 —John W. Shadwick.

Endeavorers have we ever really stopped to think of the many, many blessings which we have to be thankful for? Thanksgiving has come to mean to the American people as a whole a day of feasting rather than a day of thanking our Father who has made these blessings possible. We in this land of ours, even with the hard times we are undergoing, have more to be thankful for this Thanksgiving Day than any other country under the sun. For one thing we live in a country that is largely Christian, and where every person may worship according to the dictates of his own conscience. We have mother and fathers to guide and direct our footsteps in the way we should go, though we sometimes do not heed their teachings. We should be thankful for our schools. And we, as loyal Endeavorers, should be thankful that we have an Endeavor society and we should think it a special privilege to make someone happy this Thanksgiving. We should be exceedingly glad that God has heard our prayers and sent us a preacher to help us do great things in the name of our Savior. Of course we are thankful for these and many other blessings which God has given to us. But on this Thanksgiving day we mustn't forget to give our thanks to Him, and not only on this one day in the year but on every other day as well.

We must not, however, think that because we have so many things to be thankful for that we must sit down. We are, I think, just waking up to the realization that the happiest person is the one who is always doing something for someone else. It makes me feel happy clear down to the bottom of my shoes to think of how we have improved since I was with you before. Even in the last month we have improved so that I hardly realize it is us. And don't you think we should all thank our God for it? I do and I have for I have prayed that this society would catch a broader and a bigger vision of the work that it should do and do it. I believe we have caught a glimpse of it, but we must ever have before us the picture of the world's great needs and we must answer that call. Last year I heard Dr. Royal Dye, a Missionary from Africa, tell of an old man who wanted to hear the story which the white people came to tell his people. In his search for the white man he came to the river. To his delight he saw a boat and saw the white men. Stretching out his hands he called out to them. "Come and tell me the story. I'm getting old and I want to hear it." The boat, however, was bound for another place and the men told him they couldn't stop there that trip. "Oh, stop and tell me now, for I may not be here when you come back. I'm getting old, oh tell me now." And the last seen of the old man he was standing there in that appealing attitude begging to be told the story. Several months later the men came back to this village only to find it deserted, but each in his mind could see the feeble old man begging to be told the story. And there are millions just like him, not only in Africa, but in every corner of the earth. How happy and how thankful we could make these people if we only would. There are those in our own city we could make happier on this great Thanksgiving day. Make it truly a day of thanks and not feasts.
 Reporter.

Think This Over

This happened at the Chicago Livestock Show. A doctor stood admiring a large fat hog, when a small boy standing by piped up, "That's my father's hog. He got first prize."
 "Wonderful," said the doctor. "Certainly a very fine hog." Then he looked at the boy. "How old are you son?" he asked.
 "I'm twelve past," said the boy.
 "Why," said the doctor, "you are small for a nine-year-old. What do you eat and drink?"
 "Just the same as the rest of the folks do—bread, meat, pie, potatoes, coffee, cake and tea."
 "But," queried the doctor, "don't you drink milk?"
 "Naw," said the boy in tones of disgust, "we feed milk to the hogs."

Stationery in gift boxes at right prices. Ward's.

M. H. Morrison was a business visitor in Eastman Monday.

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If you have been ailing for any length of time and do not get any better, do not fail to call, as improper measures rather than diseases are very often the cause of your long standing trouble.

Remember above date, that consultation on this trip will be free and that his treatment is different.

Married women must be accompanied by their husbands.
 Address: 336 Boston Block, Minneapolis, Minn. — Advertisement.

Christian Endeavor Notes

We will have our regular Sunday evening services at 6:30 p. m. next Sunday. We have a good topic, "Better Speaking." If you are prone to say biting, cutting things about your neighbor or even your best friend, come out and learn why you shouldn't do this. Learn how it affects the person you are talking about and also yourself. If you aren't in the habit of doing such things and you know of someone who does bring him along, you both will get some good from the lesson. Come and help us for we want to break up the gossiping habit in Big Spring. A very bad habit, let me say for the good of our city. Remember choir practice at 7 o'clock Friday. Come and help us help Big Spring. We Endeavorers could make the town set up and take notice if we would only try. Come on out next Friday and help us do it. We have our eyes on you, so don't fall us, but come.
 Reporter.

Toys for Everybody

You can find Christmas gifts and toys for every member of the family in our big stock of Christmas goods. Come see, and be convinced. Stokes-Hughes Co.

Methodist Notes

Our all-day week of prayer meeting at the church Monday was one of the very best services we have ever had for this special feature of our missionary work. A good attendance and splendid spirit of interest marked the entire program. Our offering was \$24.15, the largest ever made in our Auxiliary on the day of prayer observance.

Next Sunday night at seven o'clock Bro. Hardy will preach a sermon on Missions for our Auxiliary, and the offering at this time will be added to our special for Missions. We urge all those whose sympathies are with the great work of our Missionary Council to bring a fitting offering at this time. Every one invited to the Sunday night service, December 3rd.

Ivory manicure sets in beautiful cases. Select yours now and let us put it away for you. Ward's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown arrived Tuesday from McComb, Miss., for a visit with friends in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Brown formerly resided in Big Spring.

Come in and see the newest things in cut flower bowls—all colors and prices. Ward's.

Mrs. Durah McNew and children arrived last Saturday from Lamesa to visit relatives here. Mr. McNew came down Thursday afternoon to spend Thanksgiving day with his family and relatives in this city.

Cakes, pies, cookies, etc. can be purchased for less than you can make them. The Home Bakery.

Beautiful Boudoir Lamps of all designs. Come in and see our selection. Ward's.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Notes

The regular monthly meeting of the Auxiliary was held at the church last Monday, with Mrs. Barnett in the chair, and a goodly number present; business was transacted with vim and enthusiasm. Circle reports were of more than usual interest, one circle in particular reported many good things for the Orphan's box. The packing of this box will take place at the home of Mrs. Flaniken Thursday afternoon Dec. 7th at 3 o'clock. The fact is there will be two boxes instead of one. The usual one for the Home and School at Files Valley, Texas and one, mostly filled with bedding for the Indian Orphanage at Goodland, Okla. Gifts of money, clothing (old or new), table or bed linens, and Christmas goodies of all kinds are acceptable. Any one wishing to contribute may phone one of the Presbyterian ladies, or send your gift to Mrs. Flaniken's. Your Christmas will be more blessed if you help some of these little ones.

It was decided to hold all Auxiliary meetings for the Winter in the homes of the members. Next Monday, Dec. 4th at 3:30 the Home Mission Study class will meet with Mrs. J. I. McDowell. The following Monday, Dec. 11th, the program meeting will be held at Mrs. Whitney's home. The Circles will hold no meetings in December, but will meet again as usual on the third Monday of January. The business meeting on the 4th Monday will be at Mrs. Barrick's home. We are hoping that the attendance will be increased, and the work progress along all lines with these winter meetings in the homes.

Senior C. E. Program

December 3, 1922.
 Topic—Better Speaking. (Consecration Meeting.)
 Leader—Charlie Dunn.
 Song.
 Prayer.
 Scripture Reading, Prov. 10:10-21, 31, 32—Mack Earley.
 Recitation—Fannie Gilmore.
 The Bitter Retort and its Effect—Oma Maxfield.
 Wit, the Bright Starlight of Speech—Doc. Howell.
 Courtesy in Speech—Mrs. Howard-ton.
 Four-Square Circle Prayer—Joe Earley, Helen Creath, Mrs. Green and Buell Vick.
 Piano Solo—Ara Leach.
 Circuit Talk—Wilbur Brown, Business.
 Missions Benediction.
 This is a consecration meeting—remember your duty. Meeting starts at 6:30 p. m. sharp. Meet me there exactly on time.

East Third B. Y. P. U. Program

December 3, 1922.
 Subject—Amusements That Is Worth While.
 Leader—Jessie Bugg.
 Scripture Lesson—Read by Leader.
 Prayer—By all who will volunteer.
 Introduction—Talk by Leader.
 Amusements Have a Place and Value for the Christian—Mamie Padgett.
 Amusements Should be Recreative—Ollie Cardwell.
 Amusement That is Well Timed—Mary Bates.
 The Moral Test of Amusements—Algie Smith.
 Amusement That is Worth While is Wholesomely Associated—William Arnett.
 Social Life a Place for Testimony—Irene Arnett.
 What Can Our B. Y. P. U. Do to provide Amusements that are Worth-while—Sophronie Smith.
 Song.
 Benediction.

Methodist W. M. Auxiliary

Monday, Dec. 4th the W. M. Auxiliary holds its last session of the year. It is time for election of officers, both in the Auxiliary and the Circle, so let all who can be present. This has been a year of advance in many respects. Let us close it out in perfect order. If you owe any dues, try to bring them, or send them in. Mrs. Neel, our treasurer, wants a clean sheet to report. Also Mrs. Stripling, our Cor.-Sec. will be present to receive the pledge. Let no one fail to pay their pledge, made last January. Quite a number have waited until the close of the year to fulfill this obligation. Please do not neglect this important matter. Whether for one, two or five dollars, let us bring in "all our offerings," at this time. Come to the meeting at the church at 3.

W. O. W. Circle to Elect

The election of officers will be the main business at the meeting of the W. O. W. Circle at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, December 14th. If you want an office come. But if you do not desire to be elected, you had better be on hand. COMMITTEE. 112-

Piano Tuning and Repairing

I will be in Big Spring all next week and if you have any piano tuning or repair work to do, leave orders with the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. Phone 260. J. T. Collins.



WE Want Something Worth While

At last the important problem of what to give for Christmas is answered. The answers are right here. Look these over if you want something appropriate, something worth while and something that will be appreciated.

Here's Appropriate Articles for HER

Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Silk Stocking, Handbags, Slippers, Shoes, Sweaters, Cloaks, Coat Suits, Dresses and many other appropriate and useful gifts.

Useful Gifts for Men and Boys

Shirts, Neckties, Mufflers, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Pajamas, Suits, Housecoats, Bathrobes, Socks, Shoes, Slippers. Any of these will suit him fine, so don't fuss around for some useless trifle that will be cast aside and not appreciated.

Make This Christmas a Sensible Christmas

by purchasing gifts that will be useful—as well as being appreciated. In addition to a thousand and one things in our big stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Etc., we have many SPECIAL CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES suitable for Christmas Giving! So visit our store and let us aid you in making your dollars and dimes go farther. Give toys to the smaller children but give gifts worth while to the older ones and the grown ups.

Do Your Shopping Early and With Greater Satisfaction—Come to Our Store Where You Can Get

THE BEST FOR LESS MONEY

SHOES HATS CLOTHING
The Grand Leader
 DEPARTMENT STORE
 PAY CASH & PAY LESS
 READY TO WEAR - DRY GOODS - BIG SPRING

Each member gets two new members. 10-22

Quite a few hunters were out Thursday to enjoy a day of real sport.

Albert M. Fisher returned the first of the week from a business trip to New York City and other points in the north.

Electrical goods of all kinds. They make appropriate gifts for all occasions. Prices right. Ward's.

Rev. F. B. Eteson, pastor of the Episcopal Church, who has shown such a deep interest in the welfare of the members of the Shop Crafts out on strike was, at the Wednesday morning session, made an honorary member of the Federation and appointed a member of the press committee.

Services at Catholic Church. Mass will be held at the Catholic Church on the first, second, and fourth Sunday of every month at 10:30 o'clock.

Fountain pens: We have three of the leading kinds....Cunningham & Phillips.

If you haven't a Conklin pen or pencil buy one now. No time like the present. We have them. Ward's.

Light Housekeeping Rooms For Rent. Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping for rent. Phone 375.

W. B. Burns was in Wednesday from his ranch in Glasscock County and reports conditions down his way the best ever. He reports the rainfall in Glasscock County last week amounted to three inches and range conditions could not be any finer than they now are.

On account of a number of cases of scarlet fever having developed in the Moore community the Moore school was closed Monday until danger of an epidemic has passed. Three of O. A. Goodman's children were reported ill with this malady last week and two other children have since developed.

Forty-four Club. The members of the club met with Mrs. Dan O'Connell Nov. 24. A delightful afternoon was spent by three tables of cards. Cowan made club high score. S. P. Daily made visitors high score. The club will meet with Mrs. O'Connell on Friday, December 8th.

Motor Truck for Sale. A 5 1-2 ton Mogul truck, equipped with new Conklin tires, to sell at a bargain. Also 16 gauge iron tank, either or both at a real low price. Call me at 606 Nolan. A. Ward.

Pearl Necklaces Endorsed by Every Woman of Every Where. Ours are indestructible, beautiful and exceptionally reasonable.

Back for Truck or Car. Have a good Studebaker or will trade for good car. Phone 1003-FX.

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Use Rumford—then you can be sure that your baked foods will always be raised just right—even in texture, delicious, digestible, and highly nourishing with Rumford's vitalizing phosphates. Baking success with Rumford is the rule with the inexperienced, as well as with the expert.

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Pure Milk

From tested cows is safest and best. It is the only kind we sell. When you buy from me you are assured

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JACK WILLCOX
Quart BIG SPRING, TEXAS 8c Pint

Gem Barber Shop
BARLEY & WARREN, Proprietors.
1st Door South of First State Bank
Big Spring, Texas
BATH ROOMS IN CONNECTION
We Lead—Others Follow
If You Have Not, Try Us. We Please
Good Service

CITY BARBER SHOP
Courteous Workmen—
Satisfaction Guaranteed
—Give Us a Trial
BATTLE & INGLE, Proprietors
Main Street Big Springs, Texas

Example to Follow
A good citizen who practices of casting his eyes upon the grounds from day to day or up and any other place where they belong. He picks them up and carries them home. He has a tendency to litter. He is always neat, and clean, and attractive to the people who pass by. He is a good citizen who is a credit to his community, but there might be others like him here.

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Both of the Old Parties Are After Daugherty

(By Edward Percy Howard)
Right on the heels of an open attack on Attorney General Daugherty by Representative Oscar E. Keller, of Minnesota, and Representative Woodruff, of Michigan, announcing that these gentlemen intend to press to a conclusion the House impeachment charges approved in a formal House resolution arraigning the Attorney General, Mr. Daugherty has written a letter to Representative Volstead assuring that a copy of the charges be supplied him so that he may aid in bringing the hearing to a head.

Keller and Woodruff, backed by Representative Royal C. Johnson, of South Dakota, openly allege that the Attorney General has sat firmly on the war fraud lid, that he has failed to prosecute flagrant cases of alleged robbery of the government, and that no amount of prodding, seemingly, will get him to function in the courts against those who are accused of frauds running even into the millions.

They state that the election returns show a determination on the part of the people to stamp out graft and corruption in government, and that the nation is not getting any aid along this line from the Department of Justice. They contend that evidence of war funds has been in the hands of the department more than two years.

"This inactivity on the part of Mr. Daugherty is not due to lack of evidence," says Representative Keller, in a written statement. "Experienced prosecutors have declared that in many cases the evidence is sufficient to proceed to trial without further investigation. Mr. Daugherty himself more than a year ago officially stated that he was in possession of evidence sufficient to establish criminal conspiracy in a case involving millions of dollars. Attorney General Daugherty has not yet presented this case to a Grand Jury or instituted civil suit for the recovery of stolen money.

"From time to time Mr. Daugherty has widely proclaimed his intention to take action against the war grafters, but whenever public indignation has flared up because of his inaction, he has attempted to cool it off with more promises."

Oil Investments Total Billions!

In 1921 there were 55,260.10 miles of oil pipe lines in the United States. These figures represent an investment of approximately \$652,138,894, according to the best figures available.

More than a half billion dollars! This investment is based on the total mileage filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission by the pipe line carriers.

When one considers that the pipe line is just one of the four branches of the oil industry, figures are dangled before the eyes that jar all imagination. If the pipe lines alone of the oil transportation system are worth more than half a billion dollars, what is the producing, refining and marketing systems worth?

Or for that matter, what is the entire industry valued in dollars and cents?

It's hard to imagine. Millions of dollars have been invested in the oil business. It is one of the most profitable businesses in the entire world.

Millions of dollars have been paid stockholders. Millions of dollars have just been paid in dividends declared. The end is not even in sight for this year. Millions more may be involved in dividends to be announced later.—Oil Gazette.

Economic Loss by Motor Accidents

The recent Census Office bulletin, which presents statistics for deaths in automobile accidents for 1921, in the thirty-four States reporting, shows that 10,168 men, women and children lost their lives through accidents which can not be held to be preventable.

It is pointed out in the National Capital that the economic loss of such wholesale killings is enormous, no matter how conservative the figures are which enter into such calculations. Supposing that the average earning of each of the killed people was or would eventually be at the rate of one thousand dollars a year, and that the life expectancy of all those who thus die was but ten years each, and the enormous total of \$100,000,000 is reached, as the earning power wiped out by automobile accidents in one year.

National campaigns are undertaken in the interest of stamping out tuberculosis, cancer, and other diseases which yearly slay their thousands. None of them, it is pointed out among legislators in Washington, who see in automobile accidents a wholly curable canker in the body politic, are more deadly than the improperly, carelessly, or drunkenly driven road vehicles. The accidents caused by them thus take a place side by side with the other plagues against which society is at war.

The work of placing gravel on Main street, between First and Second street, is now in progress.

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Get Behind It

A ride in a Lincoln is one continuous trip of comfort and enjoyment. Changes in road conditions bring security and power to the driver in the smoothness with which your car tracks.

Running on a Lincoln is like driving through a tunnel—dark, smooth, with superior control of the motor power itself, affords a master sense of security in any driving emergency.

The Lincoln
\$3800
E.O.A. DETROIT
The Body Runs

Stokes Motor Co.

Cor. 4th and Main Sts. PHONE 636 Big Spring, Texas

Bridge Club Notes

Mrs. C. W. Cunningham was hostess to the members of the Bridge club last week and an especially delightful meeting was enjoyed. Mrs. D. Hilliard had the honor of making high club score and Mrs. R. L. Davis made visitor's high score. Delicious refreshments were also served.

For Rent

A nice house in College Heights Addition for rent. Call at 806 Johnson St., or phone 405.

Rev. Kerr of the First Presbyterian Church laments that newspapers consider violations of the Volstead act news, while nothing is said of the thousands of instances where the law is respected. Rev. Kerr apparently wishes that the press would print nothing about such law violations, arrests or trials. This doctrine strikes a sympathetic chord with the World. It would be a pleasant privilege, indeed, to abolish the police court reporter and omit all mention of news emanating from that quarter. But we wonder how long it would be before there would be wrathful resolutions announcing the press for its connivance with law violators? Tulsa World.

Fruit Cakes — Fruit Cakes

The finest Thanksgiving Fruit Cakes now on sale. Home Bakery.

W. A. Griffith who has been in charge of a still laying crew for the T. & P. has resigned his post to engage in farming. Mr. Griffith has been with the T. & P. nearly twenty-five years. He owns two good farms in the Iatan section and is going to give his time and attention to developing this farming land.

If you are not a member, why not?

American Legion

S. E. Ord of El Paso sold his ten room two story residence at 111 Pine street to a local contractor and the building was torn down and the lumber will be used to build some homes in the country.

Perfume toilet sets that will please any young lady. Reasonable. Ward's

G. Y. Wilson was a business visitor here Wednesday. He expressed himself as very optimistic as to the outlook next year and believes that the stockmen as well as the farmers will enjoy prosperity.

Watch our windows for all the latest things for Xmas. Ward's

Rev. W. L. Shepherd of Houston will preach at the Presbyterian Church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. next Sunday, December 3rd, and all members and friends are cordially urged to attend.

Clyde Branon of Lamesa spent Thanksgiving at the ranch home of his parents in the north part of the county

Equipment for Presbyterian Missionaries

Southern Presbyterians are energetically putting their hands and hearts to the task of providing adequate material equipment for its home and foreign mission forces, the lack of which for a number of years has been a matter of colossal concern to the respective committees directing the missionary program and to the church at large. The church has a splendid corps of gifted and consecrated men and women representing it in its numerous mission fields. In fact, its unchanging policy has been to accept and appoint to this work only those of the very highest qualifications in character and training. This being true, consistency, wisdom and economy demand equipment commensurate with the dignity and growth of the work.

Sunday, December 3rd, has been officially designated by the church as "Equipment Day" and the churches are preparing to observe it, in the presentation from the pulpit of the distressing equipment needs and a cash offering. The goal for the current year ending March 31, 1923, is \$500,000, to meet the immediate and pressing needs for comfortable and sanitary homes for missionaries, school hospital and church buildings to accommodate increasing attendance. The General Assembly's stewardship committee, Times Building, Chattanooga, Tenn., directing the raising of this fund, is suggesting that each church take shares of stock at \$100 each for every fifty members or major fraction thereof.

In addition to the special offering on December 3rd, a number of individuals of means throughout the bounds of the church, will be asked to make larger gifts to meet some definite need, such as building a home for a missionary, a chapel, a school building or a hospital. The raising of this fund has the hearty endorsement of the leaders of the church. Dr. R. C. Reed, Moderator of General Assembly, says: "Not even the boll weevil, nor the rapid deflation of currency can justify longer delay. Not to furnish equipment is to make what we have done largely a failure." Dr. Homer McMillan of Atlanta, Ga. says: "A better material equipment is the outstanding and imperative need of our home mission work. It is almost a tragedy to send the brave men and women who are serving the church in the hard places on the margins and frontiers against the conditions they have to face without proper buildings in which to gather the people and decent homes in which to live. No church was ever served by a more devoted or capable body of workers, and no workers so inadequately equipped and supported in their task." Dr. Egbert W. Smith of Nashville, Tenn., says: "For years our missionaries' lack of physical equipment has been the scandal of our church, the astonishment of foreign travelers, and the con-

stant theme of committee appeals. That our missionaries have no superiors, and that the equipment furnished them is the poorest to be found, is the eye-witness testimony of world tourist Wm. T. Ellis."

Visiting The Sick
One of the highest arts in the human repertory is the gift of making the right sort of visits to the sick. Some people have the "bedside manners of a Plute medicine man" and the soothing presence of a drayload of scrapiron," as O. Henry phrased it. They drag their visits out to great length, and sometimes throw the patient into a high fever. But happily this class of sick visitors is small. The great majority of men and women have the knack of cheering up the patient by their presence, and nothing is appreciated more by the sick than to have visitors of this sort. The Houston Chronicle, speaking along this line, recently said: "She was a doctor's wife—perhaps that is where she learned what is called a 'knack with the sick.' "But if she learned it by association with a physician, she was not personally conscious of it. "It took a patient in a hospital to analyze her charm. "She never went into a room where a person was ill without changing something before she went out." "How many persons would have thought of it that an invalid gets tired of the very sameness of the surroundings? "How many, though appreciating this fact, act upon it when they call on persons who are ill? "To straighten a pillow or the bed cover, to pick up something on the floor, to get a glass of water, to adjust the window shade or the lighting so that it is more comfortable, to put a window up or down as the case may be, to put a book within reach, without asking the patient what was wanted. "Can you remember the things you wanted and hated to ask for when you were ill? "Then be a good Samaritan, now that your attention has been called to it."—Ablene Reporter.

Mules for Car or Truck
Will trade one 18-month old mule colt, one 6 month old mule, one 7 month old mule, one mare bred to Percheon horse, one Jersey milk cow and young heifer calf for second hand car or truck. Will give or take difference. R. C. EDGELL, box 665, Colorado, Texas, phone 290. 11-p

Mrs. F. C. Niedermeier and daughter Valrie arrived Thursday from Van Horn for a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. T. Lloyd and Mrs. Wm. Mengor.

Gifts that are appreciated—Pyrex Casseroles, cut glass tops—in beautiful designs. Ward's.

The Christmas Gift OF A LIFE TIME

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Miss Marion Sybil left Sunday evening for Oklahoma City.

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Bob Helms was in Monday from the General Oil Company's McDowell well No. 4.

B. Franklin of Tulsa, Okla., has been here this week to investigate oil development in this section.

Mrs. Harry Lees returned Tuesday from a visit in Fort Worth and Mineral Wells. Her sister Mrs. C. H. Bussie and children accompanied her to this city for a visit.

Geo. Amery in charge of the land department of the Texas Company in West Texas after a business trip to this territory left Monday evening for his headquarters at Wichita Falls.

Phonograph Wanted

Am in the market to purchase a phonograph. Must be practically as good as new and a bargain. Phone 9002-F21 or see D. B. COX. 11-2

Have your engraving done early. Ward's.

The Home Bakery, successor to Bob's Bakery has good bread and pastries every day. Phone 142 or call at our bakery.

Unless all signs fail, it is going to be difficult to find any farms for rent when planting time rolls round next Spring. Buyers are coming in bunches now and they are purchasing farms with the expectation of making their homes thereon.

With the big street improvement work now in progress along three blocks in the business section on Main street and on intersecting streets, our town is pretty much torn up but unless bad weather interferes this work will be completed before the holiday rush.

Hunting and Trapping Prohibited

Hunting or trapping on my ranch 1 1/2 miles west of Big Spring is prohibited. My place is posted so keep out and avoid trouble. W. E. CREIGHTON. 11-2

W. O. W. Sanitarium

Omaha, Neb.—The Woodmen of the World, a national fraternal organization numbering 800,000 members and with a large membership throughout Texas, has begun the erection of a tuberculosis sanitarium at San Angelo near San Antonio, Texas. This will be the first of four such institutions for the treatment of members to be built in different parts of the United States, according to W. A. Fraser, sovereign commander.

The selection of the site was a tribute to the wonderful climate of Texas. Sites were offered in New Mexico, Arizona, North and South Carolina, the two Virginias and New York. The board of directors of the Woodmen investigated these sites and decided on the Texas location because of the mild, equable temperature and beauty of the country in the San Antonio district. The climate of this region with its dry-pure air and perennial sunshine, is famous as one of the most healthful and delightful in the United States.

The sanitarium will be known as "The Woodmen of the World War Memorial Sanitarium" and will be in honor of the members who made the "supreme sacrifice" in the world war. A monument to the dead heroes will be erected on the grounds and will be inscribed with the names of all Woodmen who died for their country.

The sanitarium will be a reconstruction and enlargement of an old Spanish mission. The main building will be 300 feet long and three stories in height with broad verandas surrounding it on every floor. On these porches the patients will live in the open air the year round.

An administration building, residence for the chief medical officer, and cottages for nurses and assistants will form an attractive architectural group. A farm will be operated in connection with the institution with a dairy, poultry yards and gardens. The sanitarium will be opened early in the spring.

"The Woodmen," said Mr. Fraser, "have for years used the Texas State sanitarium in caring for its members afflicted with tuberculosis. Thirty-six Woodmen are now in this institution. Increased facilities have become necessary and the society has decided to build four tuberculosis sanitariums as well as a home for its aged members and an orphanage for its dependent children. Sites for the three other proposed sanitariums have not yet been selected but the second one probably will be located at Saranac Lake in the Adirondack region of New York."

Why Take Chances?

A man who slaves a lifetime to secure a little property and then falls to protect same against loss by fire or tornado is taking mighty big chances; and is acting foolish to say the least. It doesn't cost much to insure property against such losses. I will gladly show you why you cannot afford to be without insurance if you will consult me. I am prepared to offer Fire, Tornado, Auto insurance. Real estate deals, commissions and rentals are also attended to.

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Henry Ford Wants to Share Rail Profits With Workers

Permission to share the profits of his railroad—the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton—with its workers is asked by Henry Ford in an application filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission. The plan to be followed, if the application is approved, will be similar to one which has been in force in Ford's automobile factories.

The commission is asked to approve an issue of \$1,000,000 of investment certificates, which will be sold to employees in denominations of \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. The money received from the sale will be invested in railroad and other property, and at the end of each year an amount ranging up to a limit of 25 per cent of the railroad's net earnings will be distributed to the employees holding certificates. No guarantee of definite interest payment will be given.

The Ford road now employs 2,229 men, who, according to an official, are earning an average of \$185 a month.

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Daugherty Seeks to Break Unions, Richberg Claims

Asserting that American workmen are denied their constitutional rights as citizens in the Daugherty injunction against the striking railroad shopmen and that the decree is in violation of the national statutes, Attorney Donald R. Richberg, counsel of the Railway Employees' Department, last Saturday filed an extensive brief in support of his pending motion to dissolve the injunction before Judge James H. Wilkerson in the United States District Court for the northern district of Illinois.

The printed brief consists of an eight page history of this notorious case, inaugurated by Attorney General Daugherty to break down organized labor and place a club in the hands of autocratic employers for future use, 138 pages of argument as to why the motion to dissolve should be accepted by the court, and an appendix of 67 pages.

"The railroads which refuse to settle with the shopmen's organizations," the brief states, "are maintaining a lockout to supplant the employees' organizations with company unions."

"The injunction is being used to aid these railroads and to tie the hands of the workers in an anti-labor union fight."

"Such a use of authority of the court is unlawful, unconstitutional, and an outrageous abuse of judicial power."

Should Judge Wilkerson deny the motion and sustain the temporary injunction now in force, trial will then follow on the demand of the Attorney general that it be made permanent. Until the injunction is made permanent it cannot be appealed to the United States Supreme Court.

These proceedings are an attempt on the part of Attorney General Daugherty, with approval of President Harding, to write upon the records a judge-made anti-strike law which Congress has repeatedly refused to enact. Labor.

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Messages for General Health

MRS. ELLA KROHN.

Start Probe of T. & P. Wreck

Mineola, Texas.—Investigation into the cause of the wreck of the Sunshine Special, No. 2, eastbound, of the Texas & Pacific railroad two miles west of here Friday night, when one was killed and another badly injured, was begun here Saturday. Charles Cox, fireman, was scalded to death and Grant Pillow, engineer, was seriously hurt when he leaped from the cab.

Bible Found

A Bible was found last Sunday, with the following inscription on fly leaf: to X. Y. Eakers, presented by his son-in-law, Ira C. Akers on father's 50th birthday. Owner can secure same by paying for this notice.

Ladies Flashlights. Small and fits in a small mesh bag.... Cunningham & Phillips.

W. E. Hornbarger left Sunday night for Kansas for a visit with relatives.

Allied Debts to be Devoted to Schools

The proposal of Dr. John H. Finley, editor of the New York Times, that the allied debts, instead of being paid, be converted into a trust fund, the interest of which should be devoted to the primary education, first of the children of those who were killed or rendered unfit to earn by the World War, and later for the education of all children the world over, is receiving much favorable consideration from legislators and educators in the National Capital.

It has been repeatedly said by those in authority in Congress that no proposal by which the United States would "forgive" foreign debts would ever pass the electorate of this country. At the same time many economists and financiers see no way in this generation, at least, by which Europe can possibly pay anything on the principal of the huge sums owed, even if they pay the interest.

Dr. Finley's proposal recalls the Boxer Indemnity Fund, which, instead of being turned back into the Treasury of the United States, has been used ever since the Boxer uprising to educate selected Chinese students in American schools and universities, with the result of spreading the gospel of western civilization and ideals throughout all China. Just how much this generous use of this fund has been responsible for the awakening of China, it is not possible to say, but it is unquestionably very large.

Should it be possible to work out a practical plan by which Dr. Finley's proposal could be put into effect, the cause of education and Americanization would receive an impetus, such as it has never had. The interest payments of the allied debts would doubtless reach the huge sum of five hundred millions yearly, which, devoted to the children of the world, would have an effect on the next generation impossible to calculate.

Look With Disfavor on Proposed Justice

President Harding's appointment of Pierce Butler, St. Paul lawyer, to the United States supreme court is unacceptable to some progressive senators. Whether these senators will actively oppose Butler's confirmation depends somewhat on what they learn from queries begun Friday concerning Butler's qualifications for the post and his "slant" on economic and other public questions.

The mere fact that he was once counsel for a big northwestern railroad is enough to cause some of the ultra-progressives to regard his appointment with some disfavor.

Demand Open Door

Richard Washburn Child, American ambassador to Rome, who is sitting in as American observer at the Turkey-Ally peace parley, served notice on the conference today that the United States demands the open door policy and commercial equality in all territorial settlements of the present convulse.

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Woman Soles Back to Cartersville, Ga.—"I'm so happy and mighty glad to be again," was Mrs. W. H. Felton's Washington where she was an ad-interim senator from Georgia following the death of the late R. Watson.

Mrs. Felton was much pleased with the courtesies of all who and looked on the day that she was seated as one of the greatest history "for all women."

Reasonable Suggestions

I read a very interesting other day that should make mother speed the giving of in diphtheria. When given the first day of the disease, typically none die; when given the second day, 4 out of 10 die; given the third day 7 out of 10 die; the death toll is 11-14 per cent until the fourth day—progressive Farmer.

Electroliners: Come and see the values do their own talking. Cunningham & Phillips.

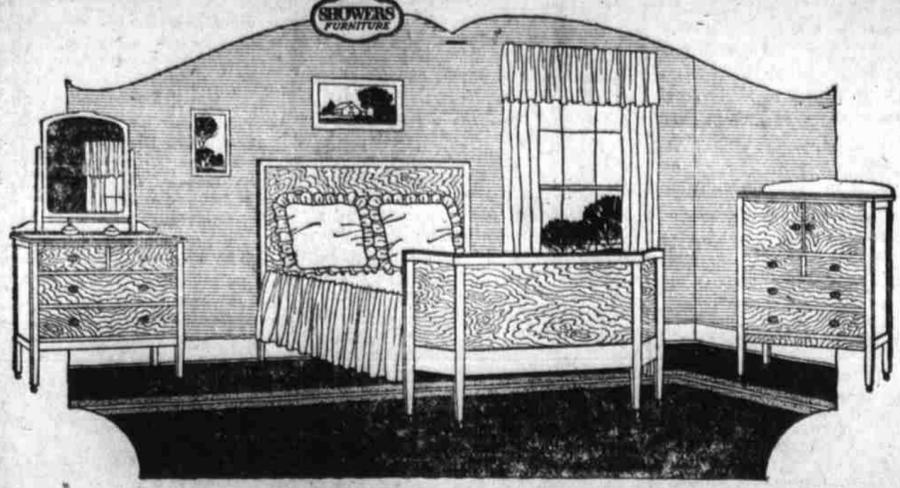
Prices Will Be Higher
 From the big eastern hide market that prices will increase, according to J. L. ...
 Hides have hardly been marketed with the result that all butcher hides are now being shipped to the top price. The ...

Nonpartisan of State to Convene
 Union labor and farmer voters of Texas are already looking forward to the next state election.
 Reorganization of the Nonpartisan Political Conference of Texas will take place at a meeting in Fort Worth tentatively for December 5. Every union and farmer body in the state is being urged to send representatives.
 The meeting will be held simultaneously with convention of the National Farm Labor Union, of which W. W. Fitzwater of Bonham, is president. Membership of 150,000 in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri and Louisiana is claimed by this body.
 Official notice of the Nonpartisan gathering has been sent out to all unions affiliated with the Texas Federation of Labor. George H. Slater, president of the federation, will be one of the leaders present.
 Measures to upbuild the political prestige of the Nonpartisan Conference and to assure closer cooperation of union and farm labor toward achieving the progressive ends of the movement will be undertaken.
 Last July the Nonpartisans supported Fred S. Rogers of Bonham for governor and Rogers polled more than 200,000 votes. He was defeated by Governor Pat Neff, whose vote was about 330,000.—Fort Worth Press.

Eliminating Fire Hazards
 S. W. English, Manager of the Texas Inspection Bureau for the National Fire Protection Association gives the following information relative to fire hazards in connection with oil burning equipment and the use of kerosene heaters:
 If an oil burning system is to be installed see that the installation and type of burner has the approval of the local authorities.
 The safest type of oil burning system for domestic use is that employing a pump to deliver the oil to the burner and having all piping and the top of all tanks located below the level of the burner base. Systems employing gravity or pressure feed to the burner introduce a greater hazard and should not be installed unless the recommendations of the National Fire Protection Association for the Construction and Installation of Oil Burning Equipments for Domestic Use are fully complied.
 Portable kerosene stoves, designed for temporary heating, are not suited for continuous use. They should never be left unattended for any length of time and should be watched closely for the first half hour after lighting, when the wick will need adjusting as the stove gets hot.
 Cleanliness is of utmost importance in the handling of kerosene stoves. Thoroughly clean the heater and put in a fresh wick before use, and clean it at frequent intervals.
 Always fill the stove by daylight and away from all open flames. Kerosene in small quantities involves no unusual fire hazards if stored in a safe place and carefully handled. When heated to about 100 degree F., kerosene gives off vapors which are explosive when mixed with air; warm kerosene is similar to gasoline.
 It is safer not to move kerosene stoves when lighted. The catch holding the upper to the lower part is a point of weakness, and if this gives way while the stove is being carried, lighted, fire is quite apt to result.
 Kerosene heaters should never be used in a room without ventilation. This is as important as in the case of gas.
 These stoves should never be placed under or near any combustible furnishings or other material.
 In case of any trouble with the stove, the safest thing to do is to immediately carry it out doors (by putting a stick under the handle if it is too hot to touch). Once outdoors the fire can be allowed to burn out without danger.

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At War on Rail Law
 Nothing except out-letting of the Eech-Cummins rail law will satisfy the union labor and out of congress.
 Official organ of the rail-organisations, is now call-organisations and senators themselves to be "trick-acceptance of a half-loaf" between now and March 4 routed at the polls, the of the Eech-Cummins law during this session of trick labor and the farmer of a "half-loaf" in the thorough victory they says Labor.
 admitted in Washington that the new congress will probably repeal the

Dolls — Dolls — Dolls
 We can sell you dolls from 50 cents to \$10. See our Talking Dolls. Call now and make selections while our stock is complete. All kind of Christmas toys now on display. Stokes-Hughes Co.—Advertisement.

A Good Farm For Sale
 200 acres fine farming land, 90 acres in cultivation, located northwest of Big Spring. See or write C. A. TALBOT, Big Spring, Texas. 10-tf

Some young men are so energetic they never go to bed until just before dawn. Usually dad pays the bills.

Don't be too free with your advice if it is of any value it is too good to give away.

Stationery: We have always sold more than anybody....Cunningham & Philips.

Suggest Special Train to Exhibit West Texas Crops
 Stamford, Nov. 27.—Operation of a solid train of demonstration cars carrying West Texas agricultural products through Southeastern states to be sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with West Texas railroads, is suggested by the Fort Worth offices of the organization, according to a communication received here from Homer D. Wade, assistant general manager.
 Since observation and investigation have proved that most of the immigration into this state, especially to the western part of the state, moves from Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, Florida and the Carolinas, the idea of transporting a train-load of West Texas products was struck upon as a very feasible and practical manner of developing interest in West Texas. The train would be accompanied by representatives of the organization, agricultural experts and others. Stereopticon views of cities and towns of West Texas, the mountain and plains country, would be shown in all the towns visited.
 The matter has been put up to the several railroads of this section for consideration. It is believed that it will meet with encouragement in view of the fact that in the last two or three years West Texas railroads have taken a prominent attitude toward development and settlement of the sparsely populated regions. The Fort Worth & Denger railway operated a poultry special during the early part of the year throughout its West Texas territory—that focused attention and interest of rural folks on that important industry. This line now has under consideration operation of a swine special over the same territory to promote production of pure bred hogs and increase in swine herds on every farm. The Southern Pacific system is now running a special agricultural and livestock train over its entire southwestern lines which is carrying many West Texas products for which this section is being given credit and valuable publicity.
 The scheme of exhibiting agricultural products at great state and interstate fairs, followed so closely and successfully by the organization, has been provocative of much publicity and inquiries from all parts of West Texas, not to speak of the tide of new immigration that has set in toward the land of the setting sun.

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 When Major General George Bell, Jr., retired from the army recently a great reception, banquet and ball was tendered him and Mrs. Bell by the army officers of the Sixth Corps Area and the citizens of Chicago.
 That, however, was but an incident in the notable career of this grim fighter.
 The outstanding feature is the fact that his former officers of the 33rd Division from all over Illinois flocked into Chicago to attend the affair and testify to the love and esteem they still feel for their old commander of war days, who led them through the furnace of hell on the fighting front in France.
 We are not a hero worshipping people, but there are some things red blooded Americans never forget.

NOTICE
 I am selling some of my land near Stanton, and no one has any authority, other than by written contract, to represent me in any way in the sale of same.
 Am selling at reasonable prices on very favorable terms and in tracts cut to suit purchaser.
 As I will sell only a limited amount of my land—now anyone interested can communicate with me and buy direct from the owner. MRS MOLLIE ROBERTSON, Stanton, Texas. 116p

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Social Affairs for Young Folks
 The winter season is at hand and our young people will be planning many social affairs for recreation and pleasure.
 Let them go to it.
 There are too many vital activities ahead in their adult life to risk stunting their intellects by undue repression while in their formative stages.
 Activity breeds energy.
 Energy stimulates the intellect.
 A well developed and balanced intellect is necessary to success in our modern life.
 Again we say, let them go to it.

Christmas Gifts Galore
 Stokes-Hughes Company are prepared to play Santa Claus to the good people of the Big Spring country with one of the biggest and best lines of Christmas goods and toys ever put on display. It's worth a trip down town to see their array of suitable Christmas toys and novelties. They will appreciate your visiting this Christmas section.—Advertisement.

Entertaining a Tiger
 Georges Clemenceau, the "Tiger of France," honors us by his presence in America.
 He does not come to devour us, as did the tigers of old in their search for human meat, but rather for the more pacific purpose of renewing and cementing the former friendship that existed between our two nations.
 Let the Tiger roar often and loud, and to his heart's content.
 He is thrice welcome to our land and to our homes.

Farm For Sale
 220 acres of land, 18 miles north of Big Spring—part in cultivation—plenty of good water; not leased for oil. Adjoins Tom Branou's farms. Address Mrs. M. J. Crow, Olathe Kan, Route 4.

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Cotton Ginning Ahead of Last Year.
 There had been gined in Howard County prior to November 1st, 9,705 bales of cotton, according to the U. S. Department of Commerce, 7,619 had been ginned in our county for the same period in 1921.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dallas of Brownfield were here to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. Herb G. Lees and family.

DOINGS OF HIGH SCHOOL FOLKS
 (Frances Sullivan & Frances Melton)

Football
 There was no game Thanksgiving day for the Jayhawks as was expected.

Basketball
 The girls could not get a game this week end and they were very disappointed.

A meeting of the pep-squad was held Tuesday morning and all the members were urged to get the snap shots ready for the annual.

General Note
 Miss Theda Mott left Wednesday afternoon to spend Thanksgiving in Anson.

Miss Ida Hawkins left Wednesday night to spend Thanksgiving at her home in Abilene.

The following announcements have been made for next week: 1. Monday, 11:30 a. m. assembly. Monday, 4:00 p. m. High School Faculty meeting. 2. Tuesday, 4:00 p. m. Senior class meeting.

Next week is Educational Week in all schools so we have arranged for speakers to visit all of the schools.

Monday at 11:30 Judge Brooks will speak at the High School.

Tuesday at 9:30 C. S. Holmes will speak at Central school.

Wednesday at 9:00 Mrs. Stripling will speak at South Ward, and Mrs. L. L. Freeman at North Ward. At 11:30 Mrs. Koberg will speak at the High School.

Thursday at 9:00, Rev. Etison will speak at Central school, and Friday, at 11:30 W. W. Rix will speak at the High School.

Will of the People

Most people think the United States is the greatest democracy in the world, but this is not true, for Great Britain holds the distinction, in making its government responsive to the will of the people.

Less than three weeks ago the Lloyd George ministry found itself possibly out of harmony with the majority of the people. It resigned that day, and an election was ordered to select another parliament. Most all the leaders and members of the old body were candidates. The election was held last week; Lloyd George and his party were defeated. The new parliament convened this week, and is now legislating.

Not so, in America. Here, no matter how out of harmony with the will of the people the administration may be, it does not resign, and after an election in which it has been repudiated at the polls it continues to hold power.

Congress and the administration are often of opposing parties, and antagonistic. Then, the new congress which was elected Nov. 7th, can not take office until March 4th next, and not until first Monday in December of next year, unless President Harding calls a special session.

Though the vote in the recent election showed conclusively that the people of the nation are not in harmony with the administration on its ship subsidy and other important measures, President Harding has convened a special session to put through these bills before the old congress goes out of office, this being clearly an invasion of the will of the people as already expressed.

The United States could well adopt some of Great Britain's ways of being responsive to the will of her people. It is a sad commentary upon the greatest republic of the world being less democratic than a monarchy—but it is so.—Plainview News.

"Discontent looking for a sacrifice," was the way Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas analyzed the election returns. Jonathan M. Davis, Democrat and governor-elect of Kansas, is a farmer. This is his verdict: "The man with grease on his face and trousers, not the sleek, starched collar politician, he put me over. The people opposed to the industrial court law in its present form knew that they could not get relief from the Republicans, so they voted for me."—Wichita Falls News.

Christmas Silverware

Gifts of Silverware make ideal Christmas remembrances. Silverware sold at reasonable prices here. Stokes-Hughes Co.

Who's Who?

Who is Mittie Owen? Why, she's the girl that's got the Péppy C. E. at the Christian Church. Haven't you heard about them? Under her leadership they have done and are doing a wonderful work. She's the girl that's always there and always a little late. For everyone, especially for each visitor and new member she always has a smile and something so say like: "Come back again"; "I'm glad you're here"; "Come and bring someone with you"; and "Be here at 6:30." That society has two regular meetings every Sunday and Friday nights at six-thirty. They are at the church. On Sunday they have a program and on Friday they have an old-fashioned sing-song. They have socials, two or three times a month, at their homes and they sure have a good time. Why don't you come and see what they are doing. Come help them with their good 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. (50-1f)

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Orchard Whitewash

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Everything New For Christmas

Christmas toys all the best and latest novelties are now on display at our store. Everything new—no old carried over stock. Just come and see what we have to offer at prices that will please you. Stokes-Hughes Co.

Don't Go Delinquent

1923 dues for the American Legion are now due and payable. See R. V. Middleton at West Texas National Bank. 10-2t

Shorty Beard's Lunch Room

is the place to get your good Chilli, Hot Cakes and Waffles, Nice T-Bone Steak. SHORTY BEARD.—Advertisement 6-1f.)

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Sore Throat: We have a remedy, that's a dandy.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Thanksgiving Fruit Cake — the old original kind. Phone 142. The Home Bakery.

Rail Heads Conced Profits

E. H. Fitzgerald, president of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, comprising 270,000 workers, is seeking an advance of approximately 20 per cent in wages. He asked that the wage level be raised to that set by the Labor Board in its decision of 1920, which gave an increase of 20 per cent. Since that time, pay of those classes of workers has been cut twice—once 12 1-2 per cent and later six per cent.

"Despite claims of paid propagandists, railroads are now in excellent financial condition," Fitzgerald declared. "The net income of the railroads of the country was \$103,000,000 greater the nine months ending October 1, 1922, than in the corresponding period of 1921. This increase represents an increase of 30 per cent after all taxes and operating expenses are paid."

Fitzgerald presented data tending to prove railroad traffic at present is heavier than at any previous time except 1920.

"Weekly car loadings have run over 1,000,000 only six times in history," Fitzgerald claimed. "and two of these weeks were in last month."

Railroads are spending their earnings in over-maintenance, putting it back into new equipment. Track ballasting and other improvements. During the first seven months of 1922 fifty American railroads spent more than \$100,000,000 in over-maintenance.

Pleading for the advance, Fitzgerald declared that "workers have carried their share of the burden of helping roads through their period of financial difficulty."

"Now that they are out of the woods and making money," he said, "it is only fair that the workers who took such serious reductions when the roads were hard pressed, should be the first to be restored when the roads get on their feet."

Christmas Silverware

Gifts of Silverware make ideal Christmas remembrances. Silverware sold at reasonable prices here. Stokes-Hughes Co.

Who's Who?

Who is Mittie Owen? Why, she's the girl that's got the Péppy C. E. at the Christian Church. Haven't you heard about them? Under her leadership they have done and are doing a wonderful work. She's the girl that's always there and always a little late. For everyone, especially for each visitor and new member she always has a smile and something so say like: "Come back again"; "I'm glad you're here"; "Come and bring someone with you"; and "Be here at 6:30." That society has two regular meetings every Sunday and Friday nights at six-thirty. They are at the church. On Sunday they have a program and on Friday they have an old-fashioned sing-song. They have socials, two or three times a month, at their homes and they sure have a good time. Why don't you come and see what they are doing. Come help them with their good 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. (50-1f)

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Her Range

Is there a woman who doesn't take pride in her cooking? She knows that her range is the most important thing in the kitchen. If it is a Cole's Sanitary Down Draft then she is always sure of her baking and her cooking. She knows that it is the best range that money can buy. She relies on it absolutely. It means a couple third to one-half fuel saving and will hold fire over night.

**COLE'S
 HOT BLAST
 FUEL SAVING SYSTEM**

of combustion burns the fuel gases that other makes of ranges waste. This means a clean sweep of hot flame under all six lids and all around the oven. This insures quick oven baking and cooking on the entire range top. This range is designed with so much thought for convenience, comfort and economy of time that you will find the day's cooking or baking done as though by magic. This range has full enamel, rust resisting linings. This insures a long life and perfect satisfaction. We have a limited supply in stock so see us immediately.

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Ever Sharp: A gift for anybody
Cunningham & Phillips.

Let us have your order for engraved Christmas cards. J. L. Ward J. & D. Co.

The great trouble with a straw vote is that it is only a straw vote after it has been taken.

All men are foolish in one way or another, and most of us are trying to keep the fact a secret.

The most complete line of the new est things for Xmas ever brought to Big Spring. Ward's.

And still, there is one consoling thought about the short session of congress. It will be short.

Why envy the man who lives in clover? You wouldn't want to be rubbing elbows with a million bees all your life.

EVERY PERSON: WHO IS NOT TRADING WITH US IS MISSING SOMETHING.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Now if we could just make the wets a little dryer and the dries a little wetter they might be able to take it through the same straw.

Texas grape fruit—10c each or 3 for 25 cents. We believe this is the best grape fruit grown. Try it. P. & F. COMPANY.

A fellow went into a store the other day, made some purchases, stood around a while, and went out without saying a word. He was deaf.

No, brother, this sudden slump in patriotism is by no means strange. The elections are over and candidates are back to normal again.

We never knew of a really good man who wasn't willing to admit his shortcomings. And, to be equally fair, we have never known a genuinely bad man who wasn't willing to admit that he was a paragon of goodness.

Imported perfumes and toilet water. See and smell.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Herald want ads get results.
 Gainsborough hair nets: Stay onCunningham & Phillips.

Nobody seems to be worrying about the frigid blasts of the coming winter. They are not here yet.

Miss Saylor's candy: Lots of girls won't mention any other kind..... Cunningham & Phillips.

The test of a newspaper is truth. To an editor in the pursuit of copy—there is no higher test than truth.

Cough Syrup: White pine and eucalyptus, half pint for half dollarCunningham & Phillips.

Some countries are talking loudly of the necessity of maintaining peace with other nations in order to cover up the absence of it at home.

The Stokes Motor Company received two carloads of Ford automobiles this week. Notwithstanding the fact that this company is now receiving double the number of cars formerly received, they are unable to supply the demand for cars.

Mrs. Carrie Stone, aged eighty-six years, was seriously injured on Thursday of last week due to a fall at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clara Edkins. Her hip was broken as a result of the fall and she has suffered much pain as a result of this serious injury.

Jno. M. Chase, president of the Chase Oil Association, Inc. and Harry J. Lawrence, secretary treasurer, left Wednesday for Boston, Mass., to attend a meeting of the stockholders. They will visit relatives also while in the north and may not return to Big Spring until after the holidays.

W. H. Greighton came very near having a costly fire at his place 1 1-2 miles west of town last week due to someone carelessly tossing a lighted cigarette in his pasture. From 90 to 100 acres of grass were burned off before the fire was brought under control. Mr. Greighton states that in order to protect himself against loss due to an accident of careless folks he has been compelled to prohibit one and all from hunting or trapping on his ranch.

Croup: Don't have it, it's a remedy.....Cunningham & Phillips.

A cold wave must be on its way. Judging from the army of beggars who have been working our citizens two weeks.

"The souls of little children marveously delicate and tender and keep forever the shadow first falls on them, and the mother's or at best a woman's first six years of six months—that is added is years."

Now is the time to open your heart and donate a liberal amount of charity for the ensuing year. Will donate generously all work of charity may be properly done by the United Charities. Make it a rule to refer all charity to the United Charities and discourage the work our citizens quite respect.

The drive for members for Cross and for funds for local was started Tuesday. If you have not seen you make it a rule to send a liberal donation to W. J. Nett Jr., chairman of the Campaign; J. F. Hair, chairman of the United Charities; and Howard County Chapter of the American Red Cross, or Rev. J. J. chairman of the United Charities.

Dodge Touring Car For Sale
 A 1921 model Dodge touring car, good running order, for sale by V. A. Merrick at Beard & Merrick Lunch room.

Nice Home For Sale
 A nice little home of 3 1/2 baths in desirable location on Main street. See me at W. J. Nett Jr. store. J. M. GARNETT.

Apartment and Room For Rent
 A two room apartment and room for rent. Good references required. Call at 700 Johnson street phone 456.

Ownership Sale
 Showing owners and buyers all land in Howard County. W. B. CARNIKER, Big Spring.

THAT SUIT!



or any other article of your wardrobe can be made to do double duty if you avail yourself of our dry cleaning methods. However bad its condition, let us examine something you have discarded because of being soiled. If we say so, it can be done. You will be pleased with results.

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Big Spring, Texas, Dec. 1, 1922.



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The Universal Buying every year of Seals Results in Causing a Uniform Lowering of Death Rates all over Texas. Sell Seals. It will help Save Lives.

EVERY SEAL A BULLET IN THE FIGHT AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS.

To Aid in Christmas Sales

The Postmaster General has granted permission for a booth to be placed in the lobby of postoffices throughout the United States to permit the sale of Christmas Seals. Following is a copy of the order:

"During the Christmas holiday period the National Tuberculosis Association is engaged in the very meritorious work of selling Tuberculosis Seals. The department is desirous of cooperating in this work in the very fullest extent consistent with the performance of its own services and to this end it gives its consent to the reasonable use of the postoffice lobbies subject to proper regulations on the part of the postmaster and custodian."

Postmaster J. W. Ward of this city, in compliance with this order, has tendered permission for the local chairman in charge of the Sale of Christmas Seals to place a booth in the local postoffice on such a date or dates as may be desired.

UNCLE JOHN'S JOSH

Observing Ole

"Some girls' faces ain't worth the skin they are painted on."

Order in the Court Room

"Get the prisoner's name and then go tell his mother."
"Plaz, y'r honor, don't you think his mother knows his name."

Drill Night

Drill Captain — "Right shoulder arms! Left shoulder arms! Present arms! Right sho'der arms! Left sho'der a-r—"

Millie Rook (putting gun down)— "Fr Heaven's sake, man—MAKE UP YOUR MIND."

Well, Read It Your Way

Little Willie Burns,
Yes, little Willie Burns.
He sat on a stove,
Yes, little Willie Burns.

Hopeless

"Young man, I'm surprised at you. You come from a good family—and when you took that watch—you knew it was wrong."

"Sure, y'r Honor, but it was only five minutes off, so why hesitate?"

We've Been It

"Hey, Pop, what's the ul-ti-mate con-sum-er?"
"Oh, the last one—the last one to eat. Why?"
"Well, Maw says I'm that Sunday, when company comes."

Proof Positive

"What's all this bunk about vitamins in food? I don't believe a word of it. My ancestors got along without such stuff."

"Yeh—but look at your ancestors, dead, all Dead."

Mother brags because son is college bred.

Father says he knows it takes a lot of dough.

We all know that son has plenty of crust.

Unanimous

Times were hard for an old couple in Europe so they wrote to their son in America. "If you don't help us we will have to go to the poorhouse."

Two weeks later they received a cable collect. "make reservations for three. I'm joining you."

So Plain Spoken

"What's the penalty for stealing a man's daughter?"

"Hard labor for life."

Dumb Dan—He's so Stupid He Thinks that reptile is a tall silk hat.

The tem o'shanter is an Irish Rebel, that "Null and Void" is a yandeville team.

that Yuletide is part of the ocean.

that Atlantic City boardwalk is a new dance step.

that Major cement is an army officer.

SERMON ON THE MOUNT

Delivered by Jesus The Christ, Anno Domini 31.

The only solution for the turmoil, social unrest and kindred evils which torment the world today, is found in the practical application of the teachings of the Master in the "Sermon on the Mount."

What the Constitution is to the Federal Government, "The Sermon on the Mount" is to the kingdom of righteousness which Christ came to establish in the world.

Section 11.—Matthew 6:9-15

THE LORD'S PRAYER.

9 After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

10 Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.

11 Give us this day our daily bread.

12 And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

13 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen

14 For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you:

15 But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

Gossip Stitch Club

The "Gossip Stitch" sewing club met Thursday afternoon, November 23, at the home of Miss Mary Rogers. A most delightful time was enjoyed by all. We were especially glad to have Miss Mary Merrick and Mrs. Ray Carter as visitors. We hope they will join our club.

The next meeting will be December 6, at the home of Miss Marguerite Winslow. You will miss a good time if you are not present. Reporter.

Farms For Sale

I am cutting and selling for farms the east part of my ranch, sections 33, 36, and 37; with 1-4 cash, balance long and easy terms. Phone 9005-F12. D. W. CHRISTIAN. 4-1f

Miss Corinne Flanken left Wednesday evening for Dallas to spend Thanksgiving with her sister.

Stock Reducing And Money Raising!

Is the reason for the under market prices we are selling goods at this season.

Our stock is too large in all departments therefore it will be worth your while to come in and look our merchandise over before buying. We will save you money on Clothing, extra Trousers, Shirts, Underwear, Hats, Gloves. We are overstocked on shoes and on many styles we are selling below market prices. We carry a complete stock of silk hosiery, also of lisle and cotton hosiery for men, women and children. We handle standard makes of goods in all lines. Come in, let us show you what we are doing in the way of prices on quality merchandise.

A. P. McDonald & Co

SHOES AND MENS CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS

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Everything for Fall and Winter

When a shopping you go make it a point to visit our store and inspect the largest and best selection of Fall and Winter Cloaks, Capes, Overcoats, Sweaters, anything and everything you could possibly desire in the clothing line.

Our goods are the very best quality and our prices are most reasonable.

We will appreciate a visit from you.

Big Spring and Howard County folks have long since found they can always get the best in the Grocery line at our store.

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NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS AND CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the First State Bank has been closed and is now in my hands for the purpose of liquidation.

All persons having claims against the First State Bank, Garden City, Texas, must present such claims and make legal proof thereof on or before December 21, 1922.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS MUST BE PRESENTED AND LEGAL PROOF THEREOF MADE NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 21, 1922.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS PRESENTED AFTER DECEMBER 21, 1922, SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO PAYMENT OF ANY PORTION THEREOF OUT OF THE DEPOSITORS GUARANTY FUND.

All claims and proof of claims must be presented to the special agent in charge at the banking house of the First State Bank, Garden City, Texas, or mailed direct to me at Austin, Texas.

J. L. CHAPMAN,
Commissioner of Insurance and Banking of the State of Texas.

Miss Cora Martin left Tuesday evening for a visit in Fort Worth.

Ladies hand-stamped bags: Look them over....Cunningham & Phillips.

E. P. Ricker left the first of the week for a business trip to Oklahoma City.

Do the honest thing—think the honest thing and good fortune will surely be yours.

You can get alcohol for your radiator at Hall's and get the solution tested free.—Advertisement.

Miss Jennie Harris of Toyah spent Saturday and Sunday in this city, the guest of Mrs. B. J. Lindner.

Let us bake your wedding cake or the cake for birthday and other anniversaries. The Home Bakery.

R. C. Hatch of Lorens has been here for a visit with his brother Dell Hatch and other relatives in this city.

PHONE 389 FOR PURE MILK

We can now supply you with pure milk from tested cows. To further insure absolute purity we have installed a Clarifier which removes all foreign matter from the milk. Get pure milk. From now on our price is 6 cents per pint and 10 cents per quart.

THE BIG SPRING DAIRY CO. J. T. Parrish, Proprietor. 28-1f

Medical Association Meeting at El Paso

El Paso, Texas.—Doctors of the Southwest will go back to college for three days during the eighth annual session of the Medical and Surgical Association of the Southwest to be held here December 7, 8, and 9th. Clinics in the local hospitals beginning at 7:00 a. m. until noon, classes and addresses from 2 p. m. until 5 will make up the work program of the doctors attending the meeting. Following this there will be banquets, entertainments and other amusement features. But, during the day, the doctors will be kept busy with the subjects in which they are most interested. The entertainment features include visits to Juarez, Old Mexico.

Notice

To one and all that owe me accounts at the Tourist Garage will please call around at once and Mr. J. D. McDonald will receipt you for same and oblige yours very respectfully. PETE KING. 5-1f

Why Not Here, Too?

A wise ruler once achieved greater wisdom by disguising himself and mingling with the people in the resorts and streets of his capitol city.

Our own senators and congressmen might display greater intelligence if they, too, would mingle more freely with the people after the votes have been counted.

It is doubtful if their wisdom is any greater than that of the ruler of old who sought and obtained first hand information regarding the needs and desires of his subjects.

Miss Ciella Denton has been spending the Thanksgiving holidays with homefolks at Midland.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have installed a Meat Cutter and Bone Grinder. If your hens are not laying try five or ten pounds of these meat scraps. 5c per pound.

We Also Announce a Five Cent Reduction on Steaks and Roasts

Give us a trial. Nothing slaughtered but fat, healthy young beeves.

Just received a shipment of East Texas Ribbon Cane Syrup.

Remember we carry the Famous Bell of Wichita Flour.

Pool-Reed Co.

PHONE 145

Groceries and Market

Address by Governor Neff

Brenham, Texas, Nov. 28.—Governor Neff addressed a large audience of citizens of Washington County here tonight. Hon. Buck Seary presided and introduced the speaker.

This was the first of ten addresses which the Governor will make before the organization of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, and stressed the need of a new constitution and the calling of a convention for the purpose of drafting one by the incoming legislature.

He paid a glowing tribute to the 56 heroes of Texas who assembled in Old Washington, on the Brazos, in 1836 and drafted the first constitution, saying that the constitution they formulated the verdict of history pronounces a model of its kind.

This was in the days of the republic and it was the first written document known to civilization to abolish imprisonment for debt, create a homestead law, recognize woman as a legal entity with equal property rights with man. Passing on, he reviewed the constitution adopted in 1845 at the time that Texas ceased to be a republic and the twenty-eighth star glorified the proud folds of the American flag.

Three other constitutions came in the fullness of time, the third being adopted in 1866, which was succeeded by another in 1869. Then came the constitution of 1876, which as drafted by John H. Reagan and 79 of the representative citizens of the State.

This was nearly 50 years ago, when only 175,000 boys and girls attended the schools of Texas, while today 1,300,000 answer roll call. He declared that Texans need a new constitution in order to perfect the educational system, to assist in the building of good roads, in the conservation of natural resources, in the handling of public utilities, in the building of factories, in working out the problems of transportation and declared with emphasis that the State in the matters of education and jurisprudence is hobbled and hamstrung by the limitations, inhibitions and prohibitions of a constitution written by sound statesmen who could not have dreamed of this mighty, complex, complicated civilization of ours.

"I am for a constitutional convention to write in the light and learning of this generation a new constitution for Texas," said the Governor. "If it is good when written, the people will go to the polls and adopt it; if it is bad, the people will go to the polls and reject it."

Speaking of the constitution adopted in 1876, the speaker said, "Texas then had a population of only 800,000 inhabitants. Now we have 5,000,000. All West Texas, now rapidly becoming the center of wealth and population, was so sparsely settled at that time that not even one delegate from that vast territory was sent to the convention that wrote the constitution under which West Texas now lives.

"At that time there was not a town in the state with a population exceeding 15,000. Now we have cities with more than 200,000 inhabitants. At that time there was not an oil well in Texas. Now we are producing and have been for some time, 10,000,000 barrels of oil a month, most of it going out of the state without paying proper tribute to the government on account of technical provisions of our present constitution."

There is one survivor of the 80 Texans who made the constitution of 1876, and the Governor paid this graceful compliment to this connection link of the old and the new Texas, "As the lone representative of that memorable gathering somewhat as a connection link between that glorious past and the still more glorious future, W. P. McLean of Fort Worth, crowned with more than four-score years of service nobly wrought for Texas."

Prevent Disease

We speak with bated breath of thousands killed in battle—and don't even discuss or notice the fact that hundreds of thousands of lives are hurried to an end each year, by absolutely known and preventable causes. We'll thankfully go to a hospital for six, eight or ten weeks, to recover and convalesce from typhoid or dysentery. But we won't give the few hours of time and the few moments of thought which given by us, would control this and other diseases almost to the point of extinction.

Farms for Sale

One farm, one mile from Mexia, fine location on rock road close to schools and churches. For sale; might trade. Farm 20 miles east of Mexia, close to Dew, good timbered farm country; no failures. Sell or trade. W. B. HUMPHRIES, Toyah, Texas, Box 88. 11-27p

City Federation Meeting

The City Federation will meet Tuesday, December 5th at 3 o'clock at the Rest Room in the courthouse. A full attendance is desired at this meeting, visitors are cordially invited to be present.

Good six room house furnished or unfurnished, convenient to town; and shops on good street, for sale at bargain. T. H. JOHNSON. 108p

Beautiful serving trays, \$2.75 to \$4.50. Ward's.



Character in Conservatism

The conservative man is not necessarily an unprogressive, cautious or timid man. The conservative man usually is thoughtful and intelligent, refusing to follow will-o'-wisp ideas of foolish or scheming leaders.

Summed up, the character of conservatism is caution without timidity and a sincere respect for the world's experiences.

This bank reflects an individuality of conservatism. It is a safe, sane and serviceable institution for you to profit through. Whether it be deposits, checking, investments or loans, you will be glad of making this bank your bank.

Make Your Dollars Have More Cents!

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Concrete Work

I am prepared to do any kind of concrete work—sidewalks, curbing, etc. See me for estimates. W. M. SHEPARD. 8-1f

Christian Church Notes

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Sam Hall, Monday, Dec. 4th at 3 o'clock. Beginning promptly on time. Mrs. Joe Jim Green as leader has prepared a splendid program on Latin-America.

If you are a member we urge you to be present, if not a member, come and visit our lively band and see if you can give one reason why you would not enjoy a part in this good work.

Below is the treat in store for you:

- Song.
- Prayer.
- Business Period.
- Song.
- Bible Lesson—Mrs. S. Hall.
- Prayer.
- Special Music—Mrs. Kelly Hogg.
- (1) People and Resources in Latin America—Mrs. F. Purser.
- (2) Light for Religious Darkness—Mrs. Howardton.
- (3) Vitalizing Life—Mrs. E. W. Brown.
- Echoes from Everywhere—Mrs. Earl Read.
- Quis.
- Circle of Prayer.
- Benediction. Reporter.

Woman's Day

Central Christian Church, December 3rd, 1922, at 7:30 p. m. Song—Reapers are Needed. Scripture—Matt. 28:1-8; 16-20. Mrs. Kelly Hogg. Prayer—Bro. Ruth. Solo—Mrs. Sam Hall. Address—Remembering the Past. We Build for the Future. Quartet. Planologue—Mittie Owen. Song by choir. Benediction.

First Baptist Church

E. N. Strother, Pastor
December 3, 1922.
9:30 Teacher's Meeting.
9:45 Sunday School.
11:00 Preaching.
3:00 Sunbeams and Intermediate B. Y. P. U.
6:00 Senior B. Y. P. U.
6:15 Laymen's Council. Visitor's welcome.
7:15 Preaching.
Monday 3:00 W. M. U.
Wednesday, 7:15 Prayer Service. Announcement will be made concerning Christmas program.

Episcopal Church

Services and meetings during Advent
Wednesday, Dec. 6, 9:30 a. m. Holy Communion.
Thursday, Dec. 7th, 7:00 p. m. meeting for the women of the church at the rectory. Rev. F. B. Etson, Rector.

Men's pipes: We haven't bought any for the women "yet"....Cunningham & Philips.

From Pills to Powder

Jim's cut finger or Sadie's nose That needs some powder to hold her beans; Or baby's food, that must taste good. Whatever you seek you will find if you peck In through the door of our drug store.

We have everything that a modern up-to-date drug store should have. Our prices are fair and our drugs are pure. Bring your prescriptions to us—Satisfaction assured. Get the Latest Magazines—We Carry a Complete Line

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Corner Main and West Third Streets

Stock Law Election Carries

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard,

Whereas, on the 25th day of October A. D. 1922 an Election was held in Howard County, Texas, for the purpose of permitting the Freeholders, who were qualified voters, in Howard County, Texas, to determine whether hogs, sheep and goats shall be permitted to run at large in Howard County, Texas.

And whereas, the returns of said election were made in accordance with law and duly canvassed and tabulated by the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas on the 4th day of November A. D. 1922, and it was found by said court that 147 votes had been cast at said election, of which 120 votes had been cast "For the Stock Law" and that 27 votes had been cast "Against the Stock Law," there being a majority of 93 votes cast "For the Stock Law," and it was ordered by said court that the proposition to prevent hogs, sheep and goats from running at large in Howard County, Texas had carried and had been sustained by a majority of the voters voting at said election as shown by minutes of said court in Volume 5, page 466.

Therefore, I, James T. Brooks in my capacity as County Judge of Howard County, Texas, hereby declare that at said election so held that there were cast 147 votes, of which votes 120 votes were cast "For the Stock Law," and that 27 votes were cast "Against the Stock Law," there being a majority of 93 votes cast "For the Stock Law," and the proposition to prevent Hogs, Sheep, and Goats from running at large in Howard County, Texas was sustained by a majority of the voters, who were Freeholders, voting at said election.

It is ordered that after the expiration of thirty days from and after the date hereof it shall be unlawful to permit hogs, sheep and goats to run at large within the limits of Howard County, Texas.

This Proclamation is issued in accordance with our Statutes. Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 4th day of November A. D. 1922. JAMES T. BROOKS, County Judge, Howard County, Texas. 8-4f

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Progressives Leadership Coming

Of course action that may be had in putting through progressive legislation at the short session of congress will be limited. But plans are already being made for the congress just elected, to meet Dec. 1922, unless called in special session earlier.

This, President Harding will not do if he can possibly avoid it. For the new congress is very likely to go contrary to the way he has been going.

The militant progressive group in congress of which La Follette and Borah are leaders, plan to call together real progressives of both parties shortly to formulate plans both for the present congress and one elected. To their present number have been added: Brookhart, Iowa; Shipstead, Minnesota, Howell, Nebraska; Frazier, North Dakota; Wheeler, Montana; Dill, Oregon; Ralston, Indiana; Bayard, Delaware; Copeland, New York; Edwards, New Jersey; Neely, West Virginia. These men have replaced republicans who followed the leadership of the Penrose crowd that elected Harding.

These men, together with such republicans as La Follette, Norris, Ladd, Capper, Sterling, of the farm group, can and will dominate the next senate, for their votes, together with democratic votes, will always give a working majority for liberal and progressive legislation. The House, while organized by the republicans, will have forces of the same sort in control. Truly not an unpleasing outlook for the administration.

In fact a legislative program is being outlined already, and this outline for legislation looks pretty good to the farmer. Included in it are:

Repeal or drastic modification of the Esch-Cummins railroad act.

Legislation to curb the use of injunctions in labor disputes.

Radical revision of the tax system, probable reenactment of the excess profits tax and higher rates on big incomes.

Curbing the powers of the federal reserve board.

Revision of the new republican tariff act.

Advanced marketing legislation for farmers.

Enactment of a child labor law that will pass the test of the Supreme Court.

Recognition of soviet Russia and re-establishment of trade relations with her.

Amnesty for political prisoners convicted for wartime offenses.

A rural credit act to extend greater aid to the farmer.—Southland Farmer.

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Don't forget to put alcohol in your radiator these cold nights to keep it from freezing—\$1.25 per gal. Ward's

Education Week Dec. 3 to 9

The incalculable good which must result to the cause of education through the holding of Education Week, December 3 to 9, inclusive, can not be summed up in a page, let alone a paragraph. But if it accomplishes nothing more than the focusing of public attention upon the inadequate teaching staffs of our public schools, it will have more than served its purpose.

The staffs are inadequate for one, and only one reason; the inability of those in authority to see with sufficient breadth of vision that teaching is highly skilled, specialized work, requiring the highest type of manhood and womanhood, and deserving an adequate wage. Because teachers' salaries are universally so low, those who stick to that noble profession do so from love of its ideals, from a sense of duty and the religion of services. Because teacher's salaries are universally so low, the youth of our land is not attracted to the normal school and the teacher's college; young men desire to enter occupations which assure them of comfort, and a reasonable luxury; young women, more and more taking their places in the economic structure of our country, are preparing themselves for other vocations where the rewards are commensurate with the preparation, the effort, the education, and the ability required.

The State depends now upon its citizens of legal age and over. In ten years it will be depending upon the children of today. If these children are not well taught, properly taught, highly taught, the future citizens of America will be ignorant, unable to think, to plan, to carry on this, our Nation, in its forward course. If the child of today is the voter, and perhaps, the Legislator and the President of tomorrow, then the teacher of today is the maker of the Nation tomorrow. The best teachers, paid well enough to enable them to give their best to our children, should be none too good for America; if Education Week can awaken the electorate to the need of the best, the need of paying for the best, it will not be held in vain.

V. A. Merrick and Albert Landers returned Sunday from an auto trip to the Laredo section. They report summer time reigning in that country with grass as green and rank as during our early summer. They enjoyed a deer hunt while there and each was lucky enough to kill a deer.

Christmas shopping can now be attended to as all stores handling Holiday goods now have all Christmas gift goods on display. Extra large stocks are a feature at these stores.

Each member gets two new members. 10-2f