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WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY

## FOSTER NO. 1 COMES

Co., at Iatan, 18 miles west of Colo- ed while in the city Tuesday attendrado, blew in Thursday of last week ing the district preachers and layand flowed by heads for twelve hours mens institute. "In those days," Dr. producing during the time 200 bar- Hunt continued, "I saw Colorado as rels. The well has flowed for a short a town of tents. Yes, I remember Bill time on two different times since and John Doss, F. M. Burns, and then, once Monday at noon, when others who played their role in the the well flowed for twenty-two min- first days of Colorado. I would come utes, and again Tuesday.

When the well quit flowing Thurs- Estacado after supplies." ed. The rod was broken within a few former days with them. continued to be pumped from the 000 to \$4,000,000." well until Tuesday afternoon when A beautiful campus comprising 40 the pump rod has roken again.

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#### BOILER EXPLOSION DELAYS

ter No. 2 at Iatan Sunady night de- 1 1 1 1 1 1 layed drilling there until a new Cood Co. and installed.

crew at the well was on the tower First State Bank, Abilene; Prof. R. in which the accident, happened. No D. Green, superintendent of the Abione was injured by the explosion.

#### COLORADO TO SUSPEND ALL BUSINESS MONDAY, DEC. 26

The banks, stores and offices of Colorado are to be closed throughout the day Monday out of recognition RURAL SCHOOLS CLOSED of Christmas. According to information given The Record Tuesday every business house in the city is to obat nine o'clock.

this plan and make their purchases accordingly. See to it that your gas plied with groceries, as every concern tank is filled Saturday night and in the city plan to close throughout that you have the eupboard well sup- | Sunday and Monday.

#### PRESIDENT McMURRY COLLEGE SAW COLORADO 37 YEARS AGO

"It was just thirty-seven years ago that I visited Colorado for the first time, Dr. J. W. Hunt of Abilene, Foster No. 1 of the Colorado-Tex president of McMurry College, stathere occasionaly with my father from

day, if was put on the pump, but it | Dr. Hunt spent a part of the day was found that the pump rod was Tuesday visiting these "old timers" broken and the tubing had to be pull- and renewing his acquaintance of

feet of the bottom. Reparis were In speaking of McMurry College completed and the pump again start- at Abilene, Dr. Hunt stated that ed Monday at noon. The well flowed construction on the first of the for a short time and afterwards was twenty-one buildings to be erected pumped steadily for several hours. A would be commenced within a few representative of The Record who weeks, just as soon as water could left the well at 6:30 Monday after- be piped out to the college campus neon, stated that the well produced near the city. These are to be ad-75 barrels of oil under the gauge ministration building and girls dorduring a period of five and one half mitory. "When the entire plant is hours. Reports from the well Wed-completed," he said, "it will reprenesday morning were that oil had sent an expenditure of from \$3,000,-

trouble with the pump was again en- acres overlooking the city and an bondage upon them. countered. It was not known what endowment of \$450,000 was given this trouble was, but it was believed the Northwest Texas Conference as representatives at Abilene. A further inducement by of the Continent. Gulf, Texas Com- the city of Abilene was free water pany and other large producers have rights for all purposes at the college, visited the well. These men authoriz- this equaling an endowment of aped the statement that they believed proximately \$40,000. The Abilene Foster No. 1 had come in a good Street Railway Company is buildpumper, with an estimated produc-ing its system out to the property tion of from seventy-five to one hun- and large sums are to be expended in making of the place a civic beau-Geo. Reese, manager for the com- ty spot, in the way of ornamental pany, stated Monday that the gravity trees and strubbery and architect-

affording very little water. In a Finances with which to erect the statement to the Chamber of Com- first two units of the plant, the adlocal operator, said he felt assured dormitory, are available, Dr. Hunt the latan well would cinch the prov- stated. Plans for entire twenty-one ing up of this territory, and predict | buildings have all been drawn and | ed that some of the larger companies accepted by the board. T. W. Stonewould be in this field at an early road, Jr., of Colorado is one of the forty trustees of the Institution.

The building committee is composposed of the following gentlemen: DRILLING AT FOSTER NO. 2 H. O. Wooten, wholesale grocer, Abilenes Henry "pot" can be shipped to the location President Buick Motor Co., Abilene,

W. J. Fuller, president Ford Motor Jim Anderson, attached to the Co., Abilene; Oscar Parker, president lene schools.

"We are going to build at Abilene an institution that not only West Texas will be proud of," Dr. Hunt concluded, "but one in which the entire Southwest may well be proud."

### FRIDAY FOR HOLIDAYS

All rural schools of the county and serve the day. This includes the the Loraine schools were closed Fridrug stores and markets are to water this week to attend the Triopen Monday morning but will close County Institute and during next The public should take notice of the Christmas holidays.

## CAUSE FOR TAKING UP ARMS

THE RECORD'S AMERICANIZATION SERIES.

Thomas Jefferson

June 23, 1775, a committee was appointed by the president of the Continental Congress "to draw up a declaration, to be published by General Washington upon his arrival at the camp before Boston." The report was brought in the next day, and, after debate, was recommitted, and Dickinson and Jefferson added to the committee. the average town or city of Central usual occurance, the grand jury is A draft prepared by Jefferson being thought by Dickinson to be too or East Texas. outspoken, the latter prepared a new one, retaining, however, the closing paragraphs as drawn by Jefferson. In this form the declaration-was reported June twenty-seventh, and agreed to July sixth. The closing paragraphs which Jefferson composed are as follows

We are reduced to the alternative of choosing an unconditional submission to the tyranny of irritated ministers, or resistance by force. The latter is our choice. We have counted the cost of this contest, and find nothing so dreadful as voluntary slavery. Honor, justice, and humanity forbid us tamely to surrender that freedom which we received from our gallant ancestors, and which our innocent posterity have a right to receive from as. We cannot endure the generally there." infamy and guilt of resigning succeeding generations to that wretchedness which inevitably awaits them, if we basely entail hereditary

Our cause is just. Our union is perfect. Our internal resources an inducement to locate the college are great, and, if necessary, foreign assistance is undoubtedly attainable. We gratefully acknowledge, as signal instances of the for the consideration that the ten- president of McMurry College, Rev. Divine favor toward us, that His Providence would not permit ant pay the taxes on the property. W. E. Lyons of Abilene, centenary us to be called into this severe controversy, until we were grown up to our present strength, had been previously exercised in war- to plant other crops," he stated. Abilene, educational secretary for like operaion, and possessed of the means of defending ourselves. With hearts fortified with these animating reflections, we most solemnly before God and the world declare that exerting the utmost at forty cents a pound. We had a and dinner in the basement of the energy of those powers, which our beneficent Creator bath bestowed short crop this year, and the pros- church free to all the visitors. Resoupon us, the arms we have been compelled by our enemies to assume, another year, and in those sections church for their hospitality were we, will, in defiance of every hazard, with unabating firmness and where the weevil cannot hibernate adopted. merce Monday, W. J. Thompson, ministration bailding and the girls perseverance, employ for the preservation of our liberties, being with one mind resolved to die freemen than to live slaves.

> Lest this declaration should disqueet the minds of our friends and the weevils would reach this far cred for the day: fellow-subjects in any part of the empire, we assure them that we west, his reply was that he did not. mean not to dissolve that union which has so long and so happily subsisted between us, and which we sincerely wish to see restored. being sold, the summers dry and of the church (missionary education, Necessity has not yet driven us into that desperate measure, nor in- hot, all of which serve to destroy the conscience and finances) - Ben Harduced us to excite any other nation to war against them. We have pest Then, too, you do not have the dy, C. L. Browning, H. A. Nieke, not taked armies with amore or designs of separating from Great we do which furnishes winter quart- our district-A. D. Johnson. Britain, and establishing indeweddent states. We fight not for glory ers for the pests." or for congrest. We exhibit to a ankind the remarkable spectacle of a people attacked by unprovoked enemies, without any imputation or suspicion of offense. They boast of their privileges and civilization, and yet proffer no milder conditions than servitude or death.

In our own native land, in defense of the freedom that is our Department, State Railroad Combirthright, and which we ever enjoyed till the late violation of itfor the protection of our property, acquired solely by the honest industry of our forefathers and ourselves, against violence actually Monday afternoon, making a personoffered, we have taken up arms. We shall lay them down when hostilities shall cease on the part of our aggressors, and their all danger of being renewed shall be removed, and not before.

With an humble confidence in the mercies of the supreme and barber shops, filling stations, drug day until after the holidays. Teach- impartial Judge and Ruler of the Universe, we most devoutly implore of Commerce as to his opinion of stores and markets. However the ers of these schools are in Sweet- His divine goodness to protect us happily through this great conflict, to dospose our adversaries to reconciliation or reasonable terms, and fer has been a frequent visitor to the week the schools will be closed for thereby to relieve the empire from the calamities of civil war.

#### FOSTER-HOLT.

22nd, at 6 o'clock Miss Geneva Holt and the groom his attendants Art- had led him to the conclusion that and Mr. Gray Dean Foster were craft letter openers. united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holt were assisted development is well under way. the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. in serving breakfast to the guests by P. Holt, Rev. T. L. Kimball, pastor of Misses Rath Dorn and Annie Form- the Toyah and Pecos fields and durthe bride officiated, using the ring walt, Ford Merritt and Willie Dorn. ing recent weeks has made a personceremony. The house was decorated Mrs. H. P. Ragan assisted in receiv- al visit to practically every wildcat with Christmas decorations, real hol- ing the guests. and groom stood during the cere- after January first will be at home concerning the Colorado field. mony. As a pre-nuptial song Mr. or Vine and Sixth streets. appliqued flowers and veil to match. life. Her slippers were patent leather with a shower bouquet of cream roses and D C. Byrne for the holidays.

and the same of

orange blossoms

Stansil Whipkey sang "Because," ac- The bride is the only daughter of companied by Mr. Dawes, who also Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holt and is well played the wedding march from known and loved by a wide circle of Lohengrin. The bride and friends. The groom is a teacher in groom entered the parlor from the high school here his third term Colorado will celebrate their golden the rear, preceded by Miss Frances and is a fine Christian young man wedding aniversary on January 25, McMurry and Mr. E. Paul Stewart, who counts his friends by his ac- according to information received by o' Canyon! The bride wore a Susan quaintances. The Record joins the the Record. Smart suit of Reindeer Panvalane many other friends in wishing them and a hat of gold metal cloth with a long and happy journey through

#### COTTON WILL SELL AT 40c GRANBURY CITIZEN PREDICTS GRAND JURY RETURNS

B. C. Cogdell of Ganbury spent Saturday and Monday in Colorado on business in connection with his ranch holdings in Mitchell County. town.

business activity is concerned," Cog- demeanors were returned. dell stated Saturday afternoon, in

"During recent months I have visited practically all the large cotton FREACHERS AND LAYMEN'S producing counties of Central and North Texas", he said, "and agricultural conditions there are becoming alarming. Almost everywhere I found and several laymen of the Swee that the cotton had been destroyed water district 'were in Colorad by boll weevils and these farmers are Tuesday to attend the district insti going to be compelled to divert their tute meeting convened at 10 o'cloc attention to other crops. I have a Tuesday morning at the First Metho brother-in-law in Lamar County who dist church by Rev. R. A. Stevar gathered three bales of cotton from of Sweetwater, pesiding elder of the eighty acres of land this year, and district. this is but an example of conditions The business session of the insti

only recently he had leased an eight journed for lunch. hundred acre, well improved farm In addition to the ministers of the

that you will witness cotton selling livered addresses, and cotton can be grown, the farm- The institute was closed Tuesday for the commodity."

"You have everything in your favor decaying wood and other matter that

#### OIL PROSPECTS HERE ARE BEST IN WEST TEXAS specials W. E. Lyon.

J. M. Hoffer of San Angelo, spec- laymen and how may we better orisl representatives of the Oil and Gas ganize them?-R. C. Thomas mission, was registered at the Barcroft Monday. Mr. Hoffer spent several hours at Foster No. 1, at Iatan al inspection of gague tests of production from this well.

"The visible prospets here are the best I have seen in West Texas," Hoffer stated in making a statement to a representative of the Chamber field being developed here. Mr. Hof-Colorado field during the past several months and stated that a technical try, together with formation depos- Terrell. The bride presented her maid of its, as revealed through a study of On Thursday morning, December honor a pair of cut glass bud vases the ogs of some of the wells here, Lightfoot, leader. oil would be encountered here when

Mr. Hoffer came to Colorado from territory in this section of the state. ly, which was sent the bride by a Mr. and Mrs. Foster left on the Mr. Hoffer is an expert in the line relative from Arkansas, was used, castbound train for Canyon to spend represented by his department, which for an arch beneath which the bride the holidays with his people and adds emphasis to his conclusions as

#### WILL CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. B. U. Barnett of

#### JIGGS AND MAGGIE.

Dugan's Place still open and serving Jiggs and his friends with Ham- Wednesday for the Christmas Reindeer inserts. The imported over- Mr, and Mrs. Byron Byrne and lit- burgers, Ham Sandwiches, Egg. Cays and will open again on Te blouse was brown georgette embroid- the son of Fredericksberg, are with cheese sandwiches, Pure pork sausered in cut steel beads. She carried their mother and grandmother, Mrs. age and eggs. Soft Drinks .- Loyd ers have already left to

## **NINE BILLS: ADJOURNS**

The Mitchell County grand jury Mr. Cogdell owns a pasture south of filed its final report with the court late Tuesday and was discharged by "You have one of the best towns District Judge W. P. Leslie. Indictthat I have ever seen, in so far as ments of five felonies and four mis-

The grand jury was in session a giving a comparison as between con- total of 16 days, establishing a new ditions here and those to be noted in record for Mitchell County, as a soldom in session over one week

#### INSTITUTE CONVENED HER

Twenty five Methodist preache

tute, in which various phases of the Continuing his remarks, Mr. Cog- church work were taken up and disdell stated that he was representative cassed by the preachers continued of Former Postmaster General Al- until 5 p. m. Tuesday afternoon with ber! Burleson in handling the latter's the exception of one hour and thirty properties in Hood county and that minutes, when the session was ad-

to a tenant for a period of five years district, Dr. J. W. Hunt of Abilene "Farmers throughout those sec- secretary for the Nortwest Texas tions of the State are being forced conference, and Rev. D. B. Doak of "and I am making the prediction the conference, were present and de-

on the streets of Colorado next fall | Ladies of the church served lunch pects are that it will be even shorter lutions thanking the ladies of the

ers are destined to receive big prices night following a sermon delivered by Rev. A. D. Jamison of Blackwell. When asked if he considered that, Following is the program as rend-

Devotional service - M. H. Hudson. The strategic place of the preacher h that question, the winters usually in the enlarged missionary program

> Aggressive forward movement is our league work-J. W. Watson. The Centenary and missionary

Building the Sunday schools of

The resources of service in our

Sermon-G. H. Gattis.

AFTERNOON. Devotional service-J. R. Bright. The preacher and his charge

Pastor of the People-C. E. Jamion and Silag Dixon. The preacher in his pulpit-H. G. Walton and S. H. Young.

Revivals: The preacher's own preparation J. W. Griffin, J. R. Plant.

The preparation of his people for prospects for a big commercial oil revival-H. W. Hanks, L. K. Malone, Conserving the results of our educational campaign-D. B. Doak. Finances:

Importance of definite plans and survey of the geology of the coun- nethods-R. S. Watkins and B. H.

Round table-our problem-W. L.

Evening sermon A. D. Jameson.

#### COLORADO HIGH TAKES ONE GAME AND LOSES ONE

The Colorado High basket ball team defeated the Rosco- Tena here Friday 26-20 in an ire game on the High School can

The girls team of the Colors, High School went down in defeat Saturday afternoon at the hands of the girls team from Big Springs, the score being 24-8. The game was stopped before it had been payed out because of canges made against the visitors that they were not conforming to rule of the Athletic sociation.

#### COLORADO SCHOOLS CLOSED WEDNESDAY FOR HOLIDA

The Colorado schools were January 2, 1922. Some of

## Announcement

For the convenience of the shoppers who can not come down town during the day, our store will be open until 9 p. m. during this week, beginning Thursday night and will be closed all day Monday to give our employes a chance to celebrate the holiday right.

## COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE

## Stop! Look!! Listen!!! At Last Our=

# BIG PRE-INVENTORY

## SAIL F

surpasses our most sanguine expectations and to show our appreciation we are going to make the following additional reductions

You promised to buy when merchandise got cheaper. Now is the opportunity to fulfill your promise. Every article in this

store is marked down to sell.

Men's Army Wool Socks, original price 60c, sale price, pair, .. 25c 100 hats offered, quick sale \$2.69 100 Hats for quick sale at ...\$3.48 100 our good hats at .....\$5.00

Dress Shirts, 100 our best offered for ..... \$1.29 each Boys Overcoats, regular \$10.00 values, Sale Price .....\$3.98

Shoes, reg. price \$8 to \$12 at \$4.98 

This sale is not in one department only, but is all over the house, and includes Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, Hats, Calin Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery of all discriptions. In fact, every item reduced in proportion to Goods advertised.

Gloves Galore at reasonable prices DRESS TROUSERS GALORE

Jersey Gloves, regular price 35c, Sale Price, 2 pair ......25c Greatest Values in Men's Suits and Overcoats ever put on SALE Regular 25c Men's Hose, all colors Sale Price, 7 pairs for ....\$1.00 Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 Silk Ties 

The Sale you cannot afford to miss, as our intention is to give you more for your dollar than you have ever received in the past. We will be prepared to take care of the crowds in a systematic way, and your money's worth guaranteed.

## Sale Starts Saturday 9 a. m., Dec. 17th

LASTING TWO WEEKS, ENDING SATUR DAY, DECEMBER, 31st.

We only have one Sale a year, and this is our big event. We do not run continual sales, when we do advertise a Sale it must be a REAL SALE, a sale in which we are prepared to supply your wants at prices even less than you expect to pay. Meet your friends here, you will not be disappointed.

Here is where you save, save, and save. And too, the assortments are large in all kinds of staple goods, standard brands and all the new patterns and colors for fall and winter, 1921.

Men's All Worsted Sweater Coats, \$5.00 values, sale price Men's Cordurory Suits, two and three piece, regular price \$17.50, sale price - \$10.69 Cordurory Pants - - \$2.79 Khaki Pants - - - -

We have put our entire stock on the slaughtering block. COME EARLY DON'T MISS IT.

Largest assortment of Neckwear just received at low prices.

Come Early for good selection and avoid the big rush Too Many Bargains To List Them All

Now is the time to buy. Select your holiday goods here. There will be made Terrific Reductions Throughout the Entire Store

Kind Friends — In this Pre-Inventory Sale, which includes every article in the store, you have a chance to buy the things you need and must have, at prices which make such purchases, not only normal ones, but real bargains in every sense of the word. We want you to know that there is nothing fishy about this sale. We have prepared in a big way to make this the most valuable sale you ever attended. There has been a good old fashioned cut made on every item. We have gone thru the entire stock and remarked goods even lower than the low prices that have been prevailing in this store. We have an idea these reductions will mean a great deal to you who are familiar with the stock. To those who are not, we merely ask that you come and convince yourself that we have the goods you want at the prices you want to pay. Very truly yours, J. H. GREENE-

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Pen and Pencil Tablets

Theme Tablets

Blank Book

Drawing Tablets

Tale of Saint Stephen, the First Martyr, Whose Day is December Twenty-Six.

EVER since that first Christmas eve the cock has crowed all night long on the anniversary to keep away evil spirits; for the cock is a holy bird and a knowing one. There is a pleasant tale of him and Saint Stephen, the first marryr, whose day is December 26, close by his dear Lord's.

Saint Stephen was King Herod's steward, it seems, who served him in the kitchen and at table. One night as he was bringing in the boar's head for his master's dinner he saw the Star shining over Bethlebem. Imme diately he set down the huge platter and exclaimed

"No longer, Herod, will I be thy servant, for a greater King than thou is born.

"What alleth thee?" cried the King wrathfully, "Do you lack ment or drink that you would desert my service for another's?"

"Nay," answered Stephen. "I lack neither meat nor drink. But the Child that is born this night is greater than all of us; and IIIm only will I serve." "That is as true," quoth Herod. smiting the table with his fist, "as that

this roast cock on the platter shall crow before us."

Hardly were the words out of his mouth when the cock stretched his neck and crowed lustily, "Christus I natus est!" At this proof that Stephen's words were true, Herod was so angry that he made his soldiers take. Stephen outside the walls of Jerusalem and stone him to death. And this is the reason why, unto this day, Saint Stephen is the patron of stone-cutters. -Abble Farwell Brown, in Lippincott's

WHEN the evening shadows gather and the time is eight o'clock Sand Man's gentle knock, Then you'd better hustle lively -time your evening prayers were said And each boy and girl well tucked in their cozy, downy little bed.
For when Mr. Sand Man's knocking Santa Claus is closely watching from his

And the children that are noughty and Get their names down in the "Bad Book" that is kept by Santa Claus,

Boys who never split the kindling, and the girls who always cry
When they're asked to wash the dishes-Santa Claus has got his eye such boys and girls, and watches with a sad and setty look

pages of his book.

But old Santa keeps a "Good Book"-it's

the bestest book of ail, Where he writes the names of children who are prompt at duty's call, And the boys who split the kindling and the girls who never shirk rise early in the morning and help mamma with the work;

the boys who never grumble there's work for them to do, And the girls who help their mammas till the housework is all throughthey needn't ever worry when I

Christmas time, because All their names are in the "Good Book that is kept by Santa Claus. a your name down in the "Bad Book?" Well, there is still a chance for you

you what to do. Don't act naughty, don't talk

Get up early in the morning. early at night. Cheerfully perform each duty. work before you play.

ver put off till tomorrow should be done today. you do these things, dear children, it will please your ma's and pa's, your names go in the "Good Book that is kept by Santa Claus.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN

It's Getting so You can't tell when the Younger Set have taken to Dress. ng like Actors. For Collar Overcoats lave-the Cloth Sults, Adams-Appl ars and Clarence Marsh

FORMER PASTOR EULOGIZED

Rev. R. A. Clements, pastor of the Sweetwater women. First Methodist church at Swetwater and formerly a pastor of the Colorado church, was praised in addresses Better pay your tax now. Bring your matinee at the Best Theatre S delivered and resolutions adopted by old receipt to get car description. visiting preachers here Tuesday attending the Sweetwater District Institute. Rev. Mr. Clements has been in poor health for some time and en account of illness could not attend the meeting.

A special prayer for the recovery of the sick preacher wsa offered by Rev. W. E. Lyons of Abilene. Rev. Mr. Clements is reported as suffering from the after effects of a severe atack of influenza, which he had several months ago.

ALI DAY MEETING.

There was an all day meeting of the Methodist Women of the Sweetwater district at Sweetwater last Thursday. Those attending from bere were Mesdames W. H. Garret J. G. Merritt, E. A. Barcroft, E. H. Winn, Lucian Madden, Jim Dobbs

and Boyd Dozier. They report an in- Easter seems to BY VISITING PREACHERS spirational meeting, are loud in their appropriate time for praises of the hospitality of the wear a hat that looks like a

All auto tax is due by Jan. 1st.

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Bargain Days

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From now until January 4th the rate will be \$7.75 for both papers The Star Telegram and the Colorado Record. After that date it will be \$10.00 for the Star Telegram. This is for Daily and Sunday.

From now until January 4th the rate will be \$5.85 for both papers
Star Telegram and Colorado Record. TAfter that date it will be \$8.00 for the Star Telegram. This is for the Daily Except Sunday.

The Colorado Record

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O GIVE CHRISTMAS DANCE mission at the door.

dence on Monday night. This is ex-pected for the biggest dance of down on a slippery sidewalk. secured and refreshments and

Everyone cordially invited, Ad-

local post of the American There are some conpensations for on will give a big Christmas the little man. For one thing he

LARGE CROWDS THRONG COLORADO SHOPS SATURDAY

Christmas shoppers.

to her home in Lamesa after a visit the ctiy planned the purchase of

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gordon last Saturday morning, at the heme of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dozier, a

H. F. Wade of Sweetwater spent several hours in Colorado Tuesday

"I am glad to note that you have an oil well flowing by heads," writes A. G. Webb from McKinney, requesting that the address of his paper be changed to Abilene.

Miss Hattie Conway, who has been

There will be a Christmas tree and program at First Christian Church Saturday evening, December 24th, 7:00 p.m. Everyone invited to attend. The program will be interesting but not lengthy. Come.

Revs. D. B. Doak and Lyons of church here, were among those in too good to be spoiled by oysters. Colorado Tuesday to attend the district institute meeting.

Mrs. Meda Robinson, local milliner left this week for Olney, to spend

the holidays with home folks. EVERSHARP GOODS RECEIVED

The Record has just received a shipment of Wahl "Eversharp" silver and gold pencils. A large shipment of Wahl fountain pens is exCLETRAC PURCHASED FOR STREET WORK BY COUNCIL

A "Cletrac," fifteen horsepower merchants of Colorado, especially caterpillar tractor, manufactured by hose who are displaying holiday the Cleveland Tractor Company, was goods. People from the rural dis- purchased Saturday by the City tricts, in some instances from a dis- Council for use on the streets of tance of thirty miles out, as well as Colorado. The council voted to from near-by towns, were here to purchase the machine following deavail themselves of the inducements monstrations here on some of the offered by local shop keepers to streets by representatives of the fac-

Joe H. Smoot, a member of the Mrs. Conrad Watson has returned council, stated Monday morning that with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van other needed equipment for street work and would commence on an extensive street improvement campaign as soon as rain came

The Colorado Chamber of Commerce assisted the city in a financial way in purchasing the machine.

W. O. W. Electe Officers.

At the regular meeting of Mesquite Camp No. 244 last Tuesday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

S. D. Wood, Con. Com,; M. C. Ratliff, Adv. Lieut.; W. R. Morgan, banker; E. Keathley, clerk; W. G. DeLaney, escort; H. F. McCorkle, watchman; Clem Daugherty, sentry; in Baylor University, is home for the T. J. Ratliff, physician and W. L. Doss, manager. B. T. Tankersly was elected deputy to solicit members

under contract from Omaha, Nebr. H. F. McCorcle, M. C. Ratliff and W. L. Doss were apointed to act with IF YOU want rooms, furnished or a committee from the Woodmen unfurnished for light housekeeping flat work neatly ironed and balance Circle and arrange for a joint in- call at the Alamo Hotel. stallation of officers in January.

Oysters, stewed and fried, were Abilene, each of whom at one time served to all except one member, was pastor of the First Methodist asured as he had supped on eatables

All Woodmen are urged to watch for the date of the installation and

E. KEATHLEY, Clerk.

Maxwell Thomas, Jr., returned Wednesday night from Austin College for the holidays.

John Prude returned Wednesday Klassy Kleaner. from Sewanee Military Institute of Tennesee, for the holidays.

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#### CHRISTMAS TREE PROGRAM FEATURED BY CHURCHES

Elaborate Christmas tree programs have been arranged by several of th e churches of the city for rendition Saturday night. These programs are to be under the auspices of the Sunday Schools and no child will be overlooked by the generous hearted Old Saint Nick.

Sunday special services commerating Christmas will be observed at the several churches and at the evening hour other special programs are to be rendered, these taking place of the regular preaching service.

From local shops from which holiday goods have ben displayed comes the report that buying has ben heavy this week and thus it is expected that the gifts this Yuletide will be in keeping with the usual spirit of Colorado people.

#### ROGERS ITEMS.

A large crowd of rooters for both teams witnessed the basket ball game between our boys and the boys from Fairview Friday. The game was a bettle from the beginning and our boys having had a little more practice is all that won for them the game by the close score of 14 to 12. The visiting team showed real stuff throughout the game and took defeat like the good sports they are.

Outisde of the first games with Loraine, neither our boys nor girls have been defeated so far, and games with several other teams have been aranged for the future.

Services by Rev. W. S. Cooper were well attended Sunday morning and visitors from adjoining communities as well as Colorado helped to make the crowd.

Sunday school is growing rapidly and the singing class is showing real be represented at the next singing ing or alterations and neat, quick rado Drug Co.

isited home folks this week-end. Bert Smith and family were visiors from Colorado Sunday. Mr. W. M. Green has been quite

Ernest Rhodes and Burr Brown

sick bue is able to be up now. Misg Mattie Dell Weaver is on the sick list this week.

Chas, Thompson and Miss Ruby Templeton are attending the institute at Sweetwater this week.

A large crowd of young folks met Mr. Brown's Saturday night to make candy and a better time could not be imagined. The making of about ten pounds of delicious candy and games of 42 were the main fea tures of amusement.

We are planning for a large Christmas tree at the school house Saturday night and everybody is invited to come out and join us in the fun. Come out and bring your little folks for what is more fun than watching the kiddies enjoy them-

REPORTER.

#### WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Joe Gingerich was Christmas shopping in Colorado Wednesday.

School closed Friday for the Christmas holidays Friday afternoon the school had a Christmas tree and Santa Clause remembered each pupil and all of the teachers. The parent teachers club met in connection with the school.

Friday night the play, "Arizona Cowboy" was given for the benefit of the play grounds. The door receipts were \$47.00, a small amount was taken in from candy the exact amount is not known.

Miss Nora Gannaway of Hermleigh is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Wade.

P. L. Pleasant left Thursday for Shreveport, La., to spend the holi-

Mrs. Carrie of Goldthwait is visiting her sons, A. F. and Clifford

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bell entertained the young people Tuesday. Merry chat and games were the diversions of the evening.

T. A. and W. O. Lewis left Thursday for Ranger to spend their Christmas vacation.

Skelton and Lassiter sold their restaurant and meat market to H. L. Leach, Mr. Leach took charge Friday and is ready to serve the public and wants your patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore entertained the younger set Monday night Music and games featured the evening. Refreshments were served.

Misess Lula Mae and Elnora Dulanye and Annie May Lupton, Joe Earnest, Harry Ratliff and Vance Phenix, who are students at the State University, are home for the holi-

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> Miss Scottie May Hines and Annie Dean Smith are home from Simmons

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water attended the Foster-Holt wed-You can have your old thrown

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We Regret That Some Could Not Get Waited On Last Week and We Have Added Extra Salespeople In Order to Serve You All

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#### FAITH VS. WORK

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yourself. There is no quicker faith incarnated in every act of this terian Review (Ft. Worth).

or surer way of inspiring faith than great man. is an element often lacking to be so full of it that it becomes

Without it, it is impossible to please lieve in the great future of the Cum-Him. Without faith one never ac- berland Presbyterian church, and too many times as if we had complishes anything in the world of business, nor in the church.

If you would have others be- cellent sacrifice than Cain, It wasn't to quote the scriptures who said: in you, believe in them. To feel altogether that he believed the "Blessed is the man that expecteth others need inspiration, become stronger, that his offering was ac- not, for he shall not be deceived," yourself first. If you want cepted, but there was a service his philosophy was about right. If s to get a vision of their duty, rendered, a faithful serice. Abra- you have no faith, you can not exget a vision. If you would that ham's examble is one of the most pect to accomplish anything. Have a were of strong faith, have illustrious of them all. There was working faith.-Cumberland Presby-

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It is well to believe, have faith, but unless your faith is workable, it Faith is necessary to please God. will amount to but very little. Bework to that end, and you will be made happy to see the accomplish-Faith without works is dead. The ment of your working faith. Faith is elders obtained a good report by the substances of things hope for, faith. But it was a working faith, the evidences of things not seen. The Abel offered unto God a more ex- old colored minister who was trying

#### LOCAL CHURCH BUDGETS.

Church finances are usually in a state of depression bordering on bankruptcy. There is need now, more than ever before, for wise planning in regard to handling the business of the church. Every congregation, not already converted to the budget system, should make its acquaintance

A budget is by far the simplest arrangement for successfully caring for the expenses of a church. Let the list be complete. In making up the budget ,before the first of the year, consider pastor's salary, Sunday school expenses, upkeep on church and manse, monthly bills for water, lights, gas and janitor, sinking fund for past, present or future building projects, emergency or reserve fund, all other dues, missions, the Endowment fund, and any other expenses to be incurred during the year. Divide the total by the number of members and you will be surprised that the individual assessments are so low.

There is need for caution for inaugurating the budget plan in your church. Be sure you are asking for enough to cover everything and be certain, too, that those who pledge to pay their assessments will actually do so. Some members will be unable, possibly, to pay their full quota. Others will be able to pay more and the avereage will be maintained. But nearly all can manage the full amount if they discharge the duty incumbent upon them as Christians of giving "as God hath prospered." This means in proportion to the income, and as the only ratio mentioned in the Bible is one to ten, it is clearly evident that Christians are financially indebted to God in the amount of one-tenth of their income If they accept and fulfill this duty, they will seldom fail to meet the demands of a budget system: It is more likely that they will exceed their quota.

Tithing is God's plan for the individual. The budget is the safest and sanest method of conducting the business of the church. Combine the two and the finances of your church will be on a firm basis and your energy can be used in more productive ways than in worrying over the money for pastor's salary and other

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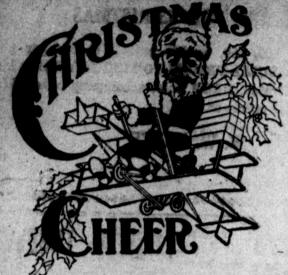
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#### 1921 STUDY CLUB

Mrs. C. L. Root was hostess for the 1921 Study Cub. Mrs. Ed Jones was reader for the afternoon. In the study of Julius Caesar, the roll call was Forcible Metaphors. Mrs. Tom Pritchett aptly discussed "Conspiracy Mob Rule and Tyranny." Miss Baker clearly explained Shakespeare's "Use of the Supernatural." Miss Hawkins' character sketch of Caesar was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Coffee read an original Christmas story,

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#### Colorado Testimony Remains Unshaken.

Time is the best test of truth. Here a Colorado story that has stood the test of time. It is a story with a point which will come straight home The first meting in the New Year

to many of us. J. H. Cooper, prop. of blacksmith shop, Sixth and Oak Sts., Colorado, says, "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills several times in the past for trouble with my back. I think they are a good reliable remedy and gladly recommend them."

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"The Game of Let's Pretend." In ++++++++++ the Home Economics, Mrs. Charles Reams Earnest gave a paper "New Methods in Cooking." This club will prepare baskets of cheer to be sent to homes not likely remembered on Christmas Day. During the social hour Mrs. Page was a guest. This club has been invited to met with the Standard Club-on December 30th, at Mrs. Smoot's. In view of this reception the club will meet with Miss Ollie Terry Thursday, December 29 at 3:30. Mrs. Page assisted Mrs. Root in serving a salad plate.

#### BAY VIEW

The Bay View met with Mrs. D. H. Snyder, Jr. Othello was completed, choir. the regular lesson in the Bay View Magazine was studied. Miss Mc-Comas was the leader for the afternoon. At the social hour the hostess served pressed chicken, sandwiches, perfection salad, a swet course and coffee. The first meeting in the New Year will be with Mrs. Jack Smith.

#### HESPERIAN

The Hesperian met with Mrs. Lee Jones for the final meeting before the holidays. The lesson was Antony and Cleopatra, Act IV, scenesI, II and III, led by Mrs. Vivian Shropshire. Plans were completed for the Christmas cheer to the lonely and

The hostess served a salad course, little cakes, stuffed dates and coffee. be with Mrs. Winn.

#### STANDARD

he Standard met with Mrs. Geo. Smith. The final lesson in Macbeth was led by Mrs. Smoot. Plans were made for a reception to be given at the home of Mrs. Smoot by the club to the other clubs and special friends from 4 to 6 o'clock December 30. The hostess served a salad course

#### MISSIONARY MEETING

The Baptist Auxiliary had a most der. interesting Misionary meting at the home of Mrs. Terell Monday afternoon. The lesson was on China, led by Mrs. T. J. Ratliff.

Mrs. White gave a talk on "What Ails China." Mrs. J. C. Hall told of the Religious outlook of China. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey on "Our Crown and Joy," telling of the location and growth of the work there. Mrs. Keathley told of some of the improvements in schools and hospitals Mrs. Lasky gave a paper on "His Unspeakable Gift." Not the least on the program were the talks made by Miss Coral Bishop on the Training School and Miss Mary Terrell on some of her work and good times at Belton College. Miss Bishop also favored with a piano solo.

The guests were given the privilege of speaking to the aged aunt, brings. Mrs. Virginia E. Johnson, who is an invalid. Quite a number left Christmas remembrances for her. Miss Bishop and Miss Mary Terrell assisted Mrs. Terell in serving sandwiches offering for Buckner Orphan's Home your own way.

#### PAYNE-DICKEY

Mrs. M. D. Payne of Clarksdale, Miss., announces the engagement and approaching mariage of her daughter, Omie Del, to Mr. Haywood Thomas Dickey of Fort Worth, Texas, the wedding to take place in Clarksdale at St. George's Episcopal charge. Church during the middle of Janu-

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#### WITH THE CHURCHES

#### ++++++++++++ FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Next Sunday services at 11:00 and the evening to be given to the White Gifts for the King. The following program will be rendered Christmas Carol-Vietrola.

Hymn-Joy Unto the Worldongregation.

Prayer-W. W. Porter. Reading-A Legend of Cathy Anthem-Glory to God-Choir Reading-Silent Night-Mrs. Bryant Fulkerson assisted by the

Prologue-The Christs Child's Birth.

Presentation Gifts Cradle Roll Fannie Price. Reading-The Beginners Gift Julia Mae Root.

Song-Away in a Mangerrimaries. Presentation of gifts-Primar-

es-Jaunita Donnell. Reading-The way to hold your hands-First Year Juniors.

Presentation of gifts First Year Juniors-Helen Hodges. The Christmas Surprise-Sec-

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Year Juniors-Katherine Price.

year intermediate girls. Presentation of gifts First Year Intermediates-Maxine Root. Presentation of gifts Second

Year Intermediates. Reading-They gave Him their reasures-Ida Bell Bean.

Hymn-Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem-Choir. Presentation of gifts Intermedate boys-Darrell Skinner.

Presentation of gifts from Senior Class-Loyd White. Presentation of gifts from

Ladies Bible class-W. A. Crow-Presentation of gifts from Mens

Bible class-L. W. Sandusky. Presentation of gifts from Home Department.

Summary of gifts-Self, Serice, Substance-D. R. Hardison. Benediction.

#### Sunday With The Baptists.

By the time you read this your blood will be saturated with germs of the near approach of Christmas; your brain will be in due to the 75,000,000 campaign, a whirl thinking of Santa Claus. The older ones wonder if Christmas really means now what it did when they were children and the children wonder if it meant to their parents what it now does to the children.

Le''s make all the children happy on this Christmas. In fact the older ones could stand a little of the good cheer that Christmas;

Here's wishing for each man, woman and child in and around Colorado one of the finest and happiest Christmas' its ever been your joy to pass. Laugh and othlittle cakes, ten and coffee. The of- ers will laugh with you, ery and fering of \$5.00 goes to the annual the folks will let you have it all

> Be with us Sunday in worship. A unique affair in the morning and a musical program at night. M. C. BISHOP.

#### CHRISTMAS SERVICES

EPISCOPAL CHURCH Rev. F. B. Etteson, priest in

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion on Christmas Miss Payne has many friends in morning at ten o'clock at All-Saints' Colorado who wish for her a long church. Every member of the church g urged to attend this service. There will be no session of Sunday school. At seven-thirty p. m. evening prayer will be said, after which a number of carols will be sung.

#### Children's Christmas Festival Christ. mas Eve 7 O'clock, Episcopal Church.

Coral-By Sunday school. Opening service-Superintendent Sunday school.

Coral. mas"-Mable Earnest Cooper.

Recitation-John Snyder. "Child Jesus-Margaret McCorcle. "A Cristmas Candle"-James Lup-

Coral Beautiful things for Christmas-Lady Bird Fowlkes.

Recitation-Susie Beal Snyder. Christmas Stars-Bobert Snyder. Recitation-Preston Fowlkes.

True Christmas Gifts-A song by Mable Earnest Cooper, Susie Beal phan Home at Waco. Two hundred Snyder, Peston Fowlkes and John children are on the waiting list for Snyder.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH. Sunday is Christmas Day and every body in Colorado should count it a privilege to attend church and worship God's supreme gift to the world-Jesus, the child of Bethlehem. Come to Sunday school and remain for the church services. One of the saddest prophecies of the future of the religious life of this town Your greatest blessing will be what Presentation of gifts Second is the great numbers of children and young people who do not stay for Christmas Carol—It came upon church. My advice is this: If you cana midnight clear-Unseen choir not stay for but one service on Sunand girls in pantomine-First day, let that service be the church service. This advice holds for both children and grown folks.

A Christmas tree will be provided for the children of the church in the tra. basement of the church Saturday night at 7:00. There will be a program in connection with this tree, and all the children of the Sunday "Twas the Night Before Christ- school and church will receive a

present. Be sure to come. Sunday morning the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon. His subject will be: "A Perfect Christmas Day." You are invited to hear this. Sunday evening there will be a White Christmas service at the church given by the Sunday school and the Epworth League. A splendid program will be rendered at that hour, and each one will be expected to bring some offering for our Ora place in our home and we do not have the room for them. Now is your chance to help to enlarge this home so that we can care for these waitirg orphan children, Let your offering be in money. Give freely, gladly, liberally. Let your Christmas gift this year be for Him who had no room in the inn, and He will bless it and give it to orphan childrenfatherless, motherless, homeless!

you give, not what you receive. A merry Christmas to every body. C. L. BROWNING.

You are cordially invited to attend the Christmas program at the Bap- pipe, see Celorado Supply Co. Phone tist Church Sunday evening, 7:30 p. 280.

Our Christmas services are as fol- m. The following program will be rendered:

Hail Emmanuel Baptist Orches-

Song-Joy to the World-Congregation.

Invocation. Piano Solo-Miss Coral Bishop. Orchestration-Selected.

Scripture Reading. Orchestration-Selected. Song-By the congregation. Quartette-The Lord is My Shep-

Sermonette-Text: Joy to the Vorld-Rev. M. C. Bishop. Duett-Dr. Ratliff and Mrs. Rat-

Closing Hymn-Congregation.

#### C. E. PROGRAM

First Christian Church, Sunday, ecember 25th, 6:00 p. m. Subject: Following the Star;

hat do we find? Election of Officers. Leader, Mary Lee Crowder.

Prayer-Song. Topies: What Star of Inspiration uides your life? Marie Ferguson What difference has Christ's com-

ing made in the world? What difference has it made you? S. D. Wood.

How may we give ourselves to the Christ and what change does it mal Discussion, Offering, Benediction.

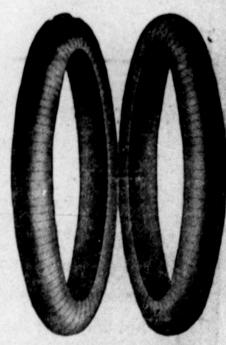
When in need of a windmill or

# Hood Tires

Do the tires you are now pushing merit your full confidence? Do you have the same confidence in them, year-in-and-year-out that you have in your bank or your own ability as a tire merchant?

The Hood Tire proposition is based on mutual confidence between the Hood dealer and the Hood Company. You will then build your business on Hoods with full confidence as to future developments

For years the Hood Company has maintained the highest standards in all its products. It is solidly established, strong financially, progressive in manufacturing and steadfast in its distribution policy.



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You needn't know his size. A fitting Christmas Gift that really fits.

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Surprise them—with SURE-FIT Caps. One for Bobby, one for Willie and one for Dad.

You needn't know the sizes, for every SURE-FIT fits everyone. The adjustable strap that is part of the cap sees to that. It's invisible, works like a charm, and has no elastic.

SURE-FIT Caps are practical, manly, attractive—many sporty patterns. They'll make a hit with the boys.

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We have the best six hole range ve built, long life and will bake fectly. Come in and look them -Colorado Mercantile Co.

Il kinds of water supplies, pipe

Just received a car of oak blocks and stove wood. If you do not burn plenty of fuel, either coal or wood. coal, this is the best fuel to be ob- Just unloaded a car of oak, in stove tained, R. L. Spaulding, Telephone lengths and blocks. Produces the

R. L. Spaulding has just unloaded a car of cak stove wood and blocks. See it and get prices before buying. Telephone 149.

For windmills get them from R. B. Terrell's.

A complete stock of water pipe and fittings at R. B. Terrell's.

Our stock of Collars, Wagon Harpipe fittings, bathroom fixtures hess strap goods and bridles is coma full set .-- Colorado Mercantile Co. ton's.

Winter is coming and I have best heat and least smoke. Telephone 149 .- R. L. Spalding.

Better pay your auto tax now. Time out Jan 1st. Don't wait until last day.

Vaughan & Son are still selling all kinds of feedstuff but it is for cash. Phone 27 and see for yourself.

A complete stock of water pipe and fittings at R. b. Terrell's.

If in the market for used cars see windmill supplies at R. B. Ter. plete and we will be glad to show you Maurice Coughran at A. J. Herring- Maurice Coughran at A. J. Herring-

A box super was held at Lone Star school house Friday night of last week. Judge J. C. Hall of Colorado acted as auctioneer in selling the boxes, the sale of which netted more than one hundred dollars.

"II am glad to note that you have an oil well flowing by heads," writes A. G. Webb from McKinney, requesting that the address of his paper be changed to Abilene.

When your windmill needs repair-

If in the market for used cars see Maurice Coughran at A. J. Herring

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

Beautiful line of lithographed holiday greeting cards-new styles at harm done. -VAUGHAN & SON, Record office.

Read W. W. Nance's ad on this ocal page 8

W. W Davis of Sweetwater spent several days of last week at Colorado on business.

Phone 27. We have plenty of Alfalfa on hand and more coming .-Vaughan & Son.

We have a complete line of coal and wood heaters and the price is right.-Colorado Mercantile Co.

The Florence Oil Stove is the best, will use less oil and no wicks to lean or buy.-Colorado Mercantile

Shirts laundered for 15c now, ollars for 4c, old prices.-Colorado Steam Laundry.

Special attention given to ladies' shoe repairing at Ed Jackson & Co.s Shoe Shop. If we can't fix them they can't be fixed. All work guaranteed, satisfaction or no pay.

O. Clement of Fort Worth, left Colorado Saturday after spending two weeks in the city on business.

Let us be your wash woman. Colorado Steam Laundry.

For real shoe repairing see Ed Jackson & Co., north of fire station

If in the market for used cars see

#### PECANS FOR CHRISTMAS

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BUY NOW-50, 100, 150, or 200 pounds at 15c per pound f. o. b. Deleon, SPECIAL PRICES TO MERCHANTS in larger quantities. If not rated, CASH must accompany order. Write, wire or phone your orders at once.

W. W. NANCE

Phone 27.

Market quotations are high this year but these prices are for the very The Florence Oil Stove is the best, best furs and as we have not had will use less oil and no wicks to any cold weather yet the furs in this ing every day but cannot pay a first maize, kaffir, etc. class price for a 6th class fur. Bring in what you catch, we will make a bid you can accept or refuse; no

can Legion, was in Colorado Monday

Our stock of Collars, Wagon Harness, strap goods and bridles is complete and will be glad to sell you a full set .- Colorado Mercantile Co. Best Theatre Friday and Saturday.

We have the best six hole range stove built, long life and will bake perfectly. Come in and look them over.-Colorado Mercantile Co.

NOTICE-Orders taken for boots guaranteed hand made throughout by the best boot maker in the State. See Ed Jackson at Ed Jackson's

For a real lifelike picture see the 'Jack Knife Man' at the Best Friday and Saturday.

For Windmille and windmill repairs and pipe fittings phone 280.

Windmill repairing done at R. B.

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and play, the "Jack Knife Man" at the Best Theatre this week.

Read W. W. Nance's ad on this local page 8

I have a thresher ready to lean or buy. -Colorado Mercantile country are very poor. We are buy- serve the public. Bring on your

BENNETT SCOTT

West of Rockwell Bros.

E. B. Smith and family spest Sun-Dick Wood of Sweetwater, com- day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. mander of Sweetwater Post, Ameri- W. M. Green of Rogers. Mr. Green was confiend to his home all of last week on account of illness.

> What can you do with a jack knife? "The Jack Knife Man" at the

I will be absent from Colorado unntil about January 15th. Will leave my monument samples with J. D. McCreless in Colorado. For any work in this line see him until I re-12-23e

E. M. McCreless.

#### A REAL BARGAIN.

. To anyone who wants to buy good furniture, dining, kitchen and bed room set at a very low price. Inquire at Colichman's Dry Goods Store.

#### JIGGS AND MAGGIE.

Dugan's Place still open and serving Jiggs and his friends with Ham-Read W. W. Nance's ad, on this burgers, Ham Sandwiches, Egg. 12-30c cheese sandwiches, Pure pork sausage and eggs. Soft Drinks .- Loyd

I have fed you for 35 years, now Ellis Parker Butler's great story try my beds. First door north of Barcroft Hotel across the street from Burns Store. - Jake.

> Good second hand cars for trade 12-30c Harrell & Madden.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

May you have "The Best the World Can Give" -- Health to Enjoy it; Wealth to buy it; Happiness to Make it Worth While



### The Ford Sedan and Coupe

The open car owner of today is the closed car buyer of tomorrow.

All-weather comfort is insured in these beautiful Ford Sedans and Coupe Cars.

Not only does the coach-work conform to the very best practice in body building, but the entire fixtures have received that painstaking care and thought to which they are entitled; proper width of seats; adequate headroom; clear vision in all directions.

These cars are equipped with the Ford Starting and Lighting System; Demountable Rims; Spare Rim and Carriers; Timken bearings in front wheels; 30x3 1-2 tires all around. All equipment from the famous motor to tire carrier is worthy of the Universal name FORD. Let us come and demonstrate.

### The Ford Truck

A necessity on the farm. The Ford Truck handles all farm hauling from wood hauling to cotton hauling.—Dependable Service.

-FORD TRUCK SPECIALS-

Starter and Lights can be put on your Truck when so ordered. Speed, Special Gear and Gear Worm-a truck will develop two-fifths greater speed without increasing the speed of he motor. The "High Speed" must be specified when ordering your Truck. This equipment puts the truck close in competition with the pleasure car, with "High Speed" gears, Starters and Batteries for Lighting System. All of these specials can be gotten; however, it is optional with the owner, what equipment will best fill his requirements.

THE FIRESTONE TIRE is a world standard. We have accepted this tire and will be in a position to handle your needs in Firestone Tires and Tubes. For the Holidays, and to cut down our tire stock to Ford sizes principally, we are offering our entire stock of tires at less than Cost Price, foralimitedtime-Until Saturday night, December 24th, as follows:

#### STANDARD MAKES OF TIRES ON SALE CORD

	Price	Sale	Price	Sale
32x3 1-2	\$19.15	\$12.85	\$25.50	17.00
31x4	21.75	14.50	29.40	19.60
32x4	25.45	16,97	27.40	21.60
33x4	26.80	17.87	33.40	22.27
34x4	27.35	18.24	34.25	22.84
33x41-2		22.86	41.90	27.94
34x41-2	35.12	23.42	43.90	29.27
35x41-2	36.15	24.10	45.20	30.14
36x41-2	36.90	24.60	46.15	30.77
35x5	43.80	29.20	54.70	36.50

If you have a car that uses these larger size tires, why not take the advantage of these prices. Put New Shoes on your car, and the best on the market

#### **Fordson Tractors**

Power Farming Demonstration in South Colorado, just four blocks South of the bridge. We have a ten acre farm; we are going to plow plant and cultivate this piece of land. We are going to show you how much the Fordson will plow; how well it will plow; what the fuel consumption per acre will be-how well it handles the power lift implements.

#### **FORDSON FEATURES**

Standard Ford simplicity of design is built into the Fordson. It is compact and contains no unnecessary weight. The Fordson automobile-type drive insures easy handling and enables the driver to turn in a twenty-one foot circle. Unlike other tractors the Fordson has three forward speeds. This feature presents a greater range of power and makes the Po. son particularly adaptable to city work.

The Fordson operates on kerosine which aids in keeping the operating cost at a minimum. A Ford service organization of over 19.000 dealers assures continuous operation of the Fordson,

Christmas A. J. HERRINGTON Happy New Year