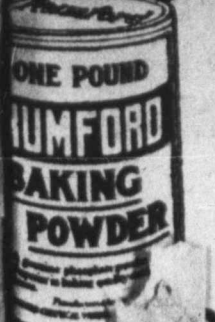


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Best Texas Can Be Made Our Great Poultry Section

BY F. W. KAZMEIER

The almost unlimited acreage, the variety of feeds, the sandy soil, the rolling hills and woodlots, and the climate, all make West Texas the greatest poultry country in the United States.

Any man or woman who is willing to study the poultry business and work can make a good living in West Texas, in almost any location, raising chickens. Poultry raising in West Texas can not help but be the mainstay of that country for years to come. Everything is favorable and success assured, provided you are willing to work for it. You say it does not rain often enough; we maintain that is no advantage. You can overcome this by installing a good oat sprouter, or you can irrigate a small patch to grow all the green food several thousand hens can eat.

We really believe that the local chambers of commerce that are awake to their opportunities will make all they can out of the fact that a flock of standard-bred chickens are home builders, and the backbone of the West Texas country. Do not let the fact that the chickens individually are small and insignificant, cloud your appreciation of their possibilities. We meet with pleasure the slogan of the Chamber of Commerce, "100 Standard-Bred Hens on Every Farm."

We believe that is a splendid idea, for a starter. We also feel that later this slogan can be changed to read 200 hens on every farm and a flock of turkeys. We are sincere in our belief that the turkey and hen in West Texas are the backbone of the country for the next generation at least.

It is to be regretted that many strong organizations deem the poultry business too small to warrant their attention and consideration. Just one thought of the possibilities and a little investigation will at once show my point well founded. Why not feed a great quantity of milo maize to the chickens and ship it in the shape of fresh eggs and good poultry meat? In Petaluma, the greatest poultry producing section in the world, the main feed is milo, the very feed grown in great quantities in West Texas.

Some of the doubting Thomases may say how about the disadvantages. You have not said a word about that. True it is there are stumbling blocks and disadvantages. These are, however, of a nature to be easily overcome.

Two hundred hens on every farm in West Texas should be adopted as a slogan by the Chambers of Commerce and it should be sold like nothing has ever been sold in West Texas. It can be sold in a short time if the necessary push is put behind it. The bankers and merchants know as well as anybody that they could not afford anything else but

lead their support to such a move. I want to say here that this is not propaganda, not in any sense of the word. The poultry proposition is a home and community builder in West Texas, and for this reason should receive the support of every right thinking citizen. The home demonstration agents and agricultural demonstration agents can recommend nothing safer than farm poultry keeping. It is a business that seldom fails. It is the surest money crop in all of West Texas. If the market should go to the bad, you do not have to pay storage and depreciation; you can eat the chickens and eggs and thus reduce the cost of living.

Chickens are drought resisters and turkeys flourish in dry Springs and Summers. We can recall not so many years ago when the drought was depopulating many sections of West Texas. We personally made an investigation and found that those fortunate enough to possess a flock of chickens were not facing starvation and they had credit at their local stores and banks. A flock of chickens will, of course, suffer if the drought destroys all green food. But the good feature about this is that the up to date poultry keeper does not let that stump him. He realizes that he can sprout oats for the hens until it does rain. In other words, the flock of hens is a safe proposition. The merchants, banker, public officials, papers, schools and the county agents can do nothing better than to encourage 200 standard-bred hens on every farm.

The first step is to launch a definite campaign to replace the mongrel flocks with standard-bred poultry. This need not be at a great expense. Many mongrel flocks can be sold on the market, and the money thus realized be used to buy a flock of standard-bred fowls. It is a regrettable fact that too many farmers still believe in mongrel chickens. That very thing has hindered their progress more than any thing else. It is true that a flock of mongrel fowls is not a very profitable investment, and hence many people are hard to convince regarding the profitableness of farm poultry keeping.

One of the greatest enterprises to build up the local interest in poultry keeping is the establishment of a mammoth hatchery to be located at some central point in the county. Such a hatchery will simulate the standard-bred poultry business more than any thing else would. It creates a market for the eggs. Such a hatchery can be made to be profitable to the parties interested in the enterprise as well as its patrons. Mammoth hatcheries all over the United States are replacing the setting hen and small incubators. These hatcheries hatch better chicks and do it cheaper, hence their popularity.



THE 1922 CHRISTMAS SEAL

The campaign is now on to raise funds with which to continue the fight on T. B. and every citizen should have a part in this worthy undertaking. Hundreds and hundreds of those to be directly benefitted through the sale of these seals are former service men who contracted the disease while in service during the recent war. Go over the top in buying your quota of the seals.

SWEETWATER NEWS NOTES FROM THE DAILY REPORTER

Herman Stafford reports a second visit from thieves in which the lock on one of the oil barrels at his garage was broken and copious quantities of lubricating oil removed one night recently. The matter was reported to the authorities.

Several automobile owners have also recently reported the theft of gasoline from their automobile tanks. Drainage was accomplished by means of valve in the bottom of the tank. There have also been one or two recent reports of sneak thievery round residences. According to the authorities, however, the ranks of the hoboes are thinner than usual at this time of year.

Porter Whaley of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce accompanied by E. F. McCarter of same organization passed through Sweetwater Friday evening enroute to the banquet of the Lions at Colorado. Mr. Whaley said that he wanted Sweetwater to get one of the cotton mills for which plans for locations in West Texas are being considered.

Mrs. Edna Coughran is spending the week-end at Colorado with her brothers, Sam, Oscar and Edgar Majors and families. She attended a reception and dance in that city Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Majors were Thanksgiving visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Majors.

Mrs. J. D. Faulkner has returned from a trip to Colorado where she was looking after her farm property south of Colorado. Miss Linnie Faulkner who is teaching at Roscoe also came home for the holidays.

The children at Buckner's Orphan Home feasted on 60 nice fat hens from Sweetwater on Thanksgiving day as a result of the "Hen Party" held by the congregation of the First Baptist church last Sunday.

Miss Inez Faulkner will return home this evening from Colorado, where she has spent the holidays guest of Miss Dora Jones and Miss Annie Smith.

Rev. R. A. Stewart is holding quarterly conference at Roscoe and Lorraine yesterday and today.

\$25,000 DEPOSITED HERE FOR BUREAU DISBURSEMENT

The cotton association of the Texas Farm Bureau deposited \$25,000 in the two National Banks of Colorado Friday for distribution to members of the organization in this territory who have pooled cotton this season. This approximates the amount due members here on December disbursements.

BIBLE CLASS CONTRIBUTES \$275.00 TO ORPHANAGE

Members of the Men's Bible Class of the First Christian Sunday school contributed \$275.00 Sunday morning as an offering to the orphanage maintained by the Christian church at Fort Worth. With an attendance of 106 in the school Sunday, the usual Sunday school offering totaled \$111.00, an average of more than one dollar per member.

WOODMEN ARE BUILDING SANITORIUM AT SAN ANGELO

The Woodmen of the World, national fraternal organization numbering 800,000 members and with a large membership throughout Texas, has begun the erection of a tuberculosis sanatorium at San Angelo. 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 Southwest 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, equitable temperatures and beauty of the country in the San Angelo 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 sanatorium will be known as "The Woodmen of the World War Memorial Sanatorium," 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 ground and will be inscribed with the names of all Woodmen who died for their country.

The sanatorium 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 sanatorium will be opened early in the spring.

"The Woodmen," said Mr. Fraser "have for years used the Texas State Sanatorium 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 sanatoriums as well as a home for its aged members and an orphanage for its dependent children. Sites for the three other proposed sanatoriums have not yet been selected but the second one probably will be located at Saranac Lake in the Adirondack region of New York."

Miss Georgia Laceywell returned Friday morning from College Station where she attended a district meeting of home demonstration agents. Before going to College Station Miss Laceywell spent one week with her parents at Evant.

Raise More Farm Poultry and Livestock in the West

W. A. Dulin, county agent, and Miss Georgia Laceywell, county demonstration agent, have returned from College Station where they attended a meeting of West Texas and Panhandle County agents of the Extension Department. A. & M. College. The meeting was called by the Extension Department to discuss the outstanding features of the past year and to plan for the year ahead.

In speaking of the meeting at College Station, Mr. Dulin stated that it was emphasized more strongly than ever that every farmer in Texas should have some registered livestock and pure-bred poultry, and the agents were directed to work to create a popular sentiment among the people of their counties demanding more attention to these important side lines on the farm. Some of the agents reported that eggs were quoted at 60c per dozen in their counties and were unobtainable even at that price.

In addition to these subjects, disease of livestock and poultry were also discussed, together with field crops, the several varieties, yields and methods of cultivation. Among the counties to report increased demand for pure bred cotton was Mitchell, and the farm agent estimated that the crop in 1923 would represent the largest acreage planted to pure standardized cotton in the history of the county. Reports submitted by a number of West Texas county agents disclosed the fact that this county is devoting more than the average attention to pure seed for planting.

The additional suggestion of the farm agent from Mitchell County that cotton planters settle on one standard variety of pure cotton for planting their crops was also emphasized at the meeting. This method has been shown to be of much value to the farmers, in that a better

stable price is always quoted on those markets where only a standard long staple cotton is offered by the producer. The county agent of this county has devoted much of his attention to this campaign during the past five or six years.

The importance of terracing was another subject discussed at the meeting. During the past year a large number of farms in Texas were terraced and according to reports submitted by the county agents, the actual value of these increased approximately 15 per cent in amount of productiveness. Dulin reported last week that several farms in this county had been terraced and that many others would be just as soon as he could get to the work.

Perhaps the most interesting discussion among the home demonstration agents was on the subjects of canning meat and garden products and the domestic science work being done through women's and girls' clubs. The demonstration agent from Mitchell county made an interesting report of the work here and according to information received by the Chamber of Commerce, officials at College Station praised the Chamber of Commerce, Mitchell County Farm Bureau, county officials and the Federated Clubs for cooperation in this work.

Several canning demonstrations have already been given by Miss Laceywell in Mitchell County and others are to follow. During the month of December she will be busy in the work of organizing girls clubs throughout Monday, is to organize announced Monday, is to organize one of these clubs in every school district. The county agent will also organize boys clubs in these school districts and it is understood that Mr. Dulin and Miss Laceywell will do much of this work together.

POULTRY SHOW OPENS AT SNYDER THURSDAY

The third annual Poultry Show of Scurry County opened at Snyder Thursday for a session of three days. The Snyder Signal stated last week that not less than one thousand entries had been made and that plans were being arranged to entertain several thousand visitors.

Poultry specialists from A. & M. College are in attendance and have charge of the judging. Several poultry enthusiasts will attend the show from Colorado.

WORKER'S CONFERENCE

The Worker's Conference of the Mitchell County Baptists met with the Lorraine church last Monday.

Pastor M. C. Bishop attended. He states the meeting was very fine in every respect. The attendance was good and the program was of a high order. Pastor Bishop spoke by special request on the relation of pastor and church. He delivered this address once before and several asked that he repeat it at Lorraine. Dr. Moroney, pastor of the First Baptist church, Sweetwater, brought a great message on "Sound Words." The next meeting will be held with the First Baptist church of Colorado on Monday after the first Sunday in January. The meetings are held monthly.

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YOUTHFUL BURGLARS ARE SENTENCED IN DIST. COURT

The first two cases on the criminal docket to be called for trial by the court were those of Edwin Rice, 24, and Clyde Smith, 17, two boys charged with indictment by the grand jury with burglary in connection with robbery of the store of Dec Simpson at Cuthbert November 21. The defendants in each case entered pleas of guilty and were given a suspended sentence.

Rice, the younger of the two, was tried last week in juvenile court and

following sentence was paroled to his father for a period of two years. His father, a minister, was here from Abilene for the trial. Smith was tried Monday morning and sentenced to five years, the sentence, however, being suspended. Smith claimed to be a licensed preacher, according to statements made at the court house.

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28 BILLS OF INDICTMENT RETURNED BY GRAND JURY

The Mitchell County grand jury empaneled Monday, November 20th, by District Judge W. P. Leslie, was adjourned Friday until Thursday, December 14th, when the body will re-convene to complete its deliberations for the term. In its report filed with the court Friday, the grand jury outlined twenty-eight bills of indictment voted. Fifteen of these indictments were for felony charges and thirteen for misdemeanor.

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Republican leaders "failed to correctly interpret the sentiment and opinion of the country," and their party "sustained one of the most extraordinary political defeats in this history of the nation," W. G. McAdoo, former secretary of the Treasury, said in a statement recently.

"The Republican party has sustained one of the most extraordinary political defeats in the history of the nation.

"The administration has given us a wholly materialistic and soulless America. It has been devoid of political morality, as evidenced by its whole-hearted support of the seating of Newberry. It has made no appeal to the conscience and spiritual forces of the nation.

"This is serious enough, but its policies have been equally mistaken. The Fordney-McCumber bill is indefensible. The new income tax law was a discrimination against the great body of taxpayers for the benefit of the favored few. Its callous disregard of interests of the farmer, the laboring men and for the great mass of consumers was glaring contrast to favoritism to the trusts and powerful interests which have dominated its policies and consistently controlled its action. Its hopeless and uninspiring theory of Americanization has caused grave injury to our material interest and material influence.

"Widespread business depression has resulted and our agricultural industry, always the basis of general prosperity, has been reduced to a tragic state.

"There can be no return of general prosperity until the farm industry has been rehabilitated. This cannot be given access to foreign markets where he can sell his surplus at a profit. To get these foreign markets a reasonable tariff law must be adopted and a national policy of international co-operation must be pursued. Granting of great subsidies to favored interests through tariff laws, railroad gratuities and ship subsidies at the expense of the people must be stopped.

Perhaps the new Congress may be able to force upon the administration an intelligent comprehension of the grave problems that confront the nation and compel remedial and progressive legislation that will set us again on the road to prosperity and world influence.

"The administration has been reactionary, narrow, provincial and uninspiring from the outset. Has made no appeal to the great moral and spiritual forces without which no nation can endure. Defeat was, therefore, inevitable."

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WOODMEN PLAN TO HELP MEMBERS BUY HOMES

OMAHA, Nebr., Dec. 6.—W. A. Fraser, sovereign commander of the Woodmen of the World, has presented a plan to the executive council recommending loans of \$1,000,000 annually to members of the order to build or buy homes of their own.

This own-your-own home movement, it is expected, will be approved and the loans will begin as soon as the necessary business details are arranged. Mr. Fraser's idea is to have every member of the fraternal society own his own home eventually. The order numbers 800,000 members throughout the United States.

Under the proposed plan, the Woodmen would select a reputable

mortgage company in each state. Members desiring loans would apply to the mortgage company which would inspect the property to be purchased and file a report with the Woodmen. If the mortgage company recommends the loan, it would agree to the collection of interest and principal, guaranteeing the value of property and improvements.

If the loan is made, the Woodmen would advance the amount to the mortgage company, which would charge the borrower probably one-half of 1 per cent of the loan as compensation for its services.

The borrower would be required to carry a life insurance for at least the amount of the loan, the premium to be merged with the interest due on the loan to be collected by the

mortgage company and remitted to the Woodmen. The insurance certificate would be assigned to the Woodmen.

"Every man of family should own his own home and I want to make it possible for every one of the 800,000 Woodmen to be a householder," said Mr. Fraser. "Every member should arrange for sufficient home protection so that if he dies before the home is paid for, it will not be necessary for his wife or family to sacrifice the home at forced sale or lose it because of inability to meet the maturing mortgage."

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Married

At the Christian church Sunday afternoon at 3:15, Mr. Leroy Gressett to Miss Thelma Hudson, Brother Hardison performing the ceremony. Quite a number of good friends were with the contracting party to wish them a happy voyage through life. This splendid couple have the

sincere good wishes of a host of true friends.

Thanksgiving Picnic

The Willing Workers and a number of their friends met at the Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 3:30 enroute to Seven Wells for a picnic. After a few hours of frolic and fun among the Rocks and around the big swing, the chaperones led the crowd back to the cars where a camp fire was built and marshmallows were toasted for the six o'clock lunch, after which each and every one present expressing a

most enjoyable time returned to their homes in the city.

Girls if you are not in Sunday school we extend to you a most cordial invitation and welcome to join one of the most enthusiastic classes to be found anywhere. "The Willing Workers of the Baptist Sunday school." We continue to grow in numbers, enthusiasm and spirit.

Young Women's Society

Young People's Missionary Society met Tuesday afternoon with Misses King. This was a regular business meeting. The following officials were elected: Mrs. Floyd Quiney, president; Mrs. Harry Ratliff, vice president; Miss Jessie Stell secretary; Mrs. Norris, treasurer. It was adopted that every member should telephone in their excuse of absence or pay fine of 10c. The hostesses served biscuits, chicken, cream potatoes, pickles, cakes and coffee. The meeting next week will be with Miss Jessie Stell. All members are urged to be present.

CIVIC LEAGUE

The Colorado Civic League met Saturday afternoon at the Baptist Sunday school rooms. As this meeting completed the year's work, the treasurer gave the report for year as follows:

COLLECTED

On hand No. 8	\$21.15
Dues for year	42.00
Serving luncheon to Jno. Tarlton band boys	22.50
Sale of ice cream	36.35
Sale of extra trees	3.00
Endowment fund	3.50
For Colored school, lights	11.05
	\$139.55

PAID OUT

State dues	\$7.50
Secretary's book	1.50
Bill for lights on Court H lawn	15.00
Advanced to colored school	11.05
District Dues	1.00
Donation prison reform	1.00
Endowment fund	3.50
Clean-up campaign	30.00
Expense for lunch, for John Tarlton band	8.20
Delegate's exp. to Ranger	9.75
County Federation dues	1.50
Expense sale of ice cream	16.40
Donation to Colorado Booster Band uniforms	20.55
Decorations for car in Fair	1.00
State Federation dues	5.00

Bank balance \$133.95

It was voted to send note of congratulations and encouragement to Shepard school house in work it has undertaken in improving grounds and building. It was voted to take \$5.00 space in High school annual. The clean-up campaign was reported to have done some good. The city bore the expense in clean-up. It was voted to take subscriptions to Holland's Magazine as a means to secure funds.

The League arranged to place Red Cross Seals in business houses—our part in the campaign. Mrs. Boyd Dozier was appointed, from League to serve on down town sales committee. It was voted the League adopt some rural school. This was tabled. The election of officers for ensuing year resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. A. L. Whipkey; Vice president, Mrs. H. C. Landers; recording secretary, Mrs. Stewart Cooper; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. G. Merritt; treasurer, Mrs. Boyd Dozier; chairman of membership, Mrs. J. B. Dobbs.

The chairman of other committees will be appointed soon. The League adjourned to meet Saturday, January 6, 1923.

Business Meeting

The women of the Baptist church met in business session Monday afternoon at the church house. Thanks giving was the devotional topic. Besides the regular business the year book committee had ready year book for approval. It was decided to have them printed. Each member was requested to have the name of some one to be specially remembered with Christmas cheer at the next meeting.

Mission Study

The Methodist Missionary Society met for the study of Building with India Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. A. Buchanan in her new home. There was a large number present and all had good lessons. It was decided to hire the quilt quilted which is to be used as a Christmas present. The hostess served sandwiches, pickles, salted almonds and coffee. There will be no more meetings till after the holidays.

The Holland Plan.

It is interesting to many to know that the Holland \$50.00 plan has been the means of placing about a quarter of a million dollars in the hands of school, church, civic, fraternal and other organizations. The

Holland's is a Texas magazine standing for the betterment and growth of Texas along all lines. It was Holland's that originated the Texas clean up campaign. Holland's stands for the pure food law, child welfare and many other things too numerous to mention. Holland's has spent thousands of dollars in taking the Southwest to the East.—Advertising our great State. The Civic League has accepted the Holland's plan and will work for new and old subscriptions during December. In addition to the plan of three years for two dollars you can now enter into this plan by getting it one year for one dollar. All the proceeds will go to the Civic League so you are not only getting value received but will be helping a home institution. Think about it for a Christmas gift to a friend, either in or out of the State.

Hesperian

The Hesperian met with Mrs. Lee Jones. Special references to the play were given by Mrs. Sadler and Mrs. Whipkey. The study of Carionanus was led by Mrs. Leslie. Christmas cheer was discussed and a committee appointed to confer with other organization in regard to the best way to cheer the host. The hostess served sandwiches, cake and coffee. Mrs. Sadler will be hostess this week.

Bay View

Mrs. R. O. Pearson was hostess for the Bay View with Mrs. Joe H. Smoot leader. The time was spent studying Antony and Cleopatra and an English Story. A salad course, grape gelatine, cake and coffee were served. Mrs. Thomas R. Smith and Mrs. Bynum were guests. Mrs. Jack Smith will entertain this week.

Standard

Mrs. Coleman was hostess for the Standard. The program was on Shakespeare's Carionanus. Mrs. Chambers was a guest. A delicious two course luncheon was served. The meeting this week will be with Mrs. Sherwin.

Junior Missionary

The Juniors met with Mrs. Marvin Dorn as hostess on last Friday afternoon. There were 36 present, several visitors. One new name added to the roll. Business was attended to with reports from the officers. Miss Alla B. Cooper was elected delegate to the Harvest day meeting at Sweet-

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water. Nelda Atkins Garrett was elected alternate. At the social hour hostess served lovely cake and chocolate. It being Mrs. Sheppard's 18th wedding anniversary a large cake with candles, containing a copper, a pin and needle, was cut. After toasts had been given by Miss Stell and Mrs. Grantland, a jolly good time was engaged in by the children as well as the grown-ups.

1921 Study

Mrs. Charlie Thompson was hostess for the 1921 Study. The study of Southern Literature was continued. Confederate Lyrics. Special work was given by Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Tom Pritchett, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Dolman. Refreshments were served at the social hour. The club meets with Mrs. Pritchett this week.

County Federation

The Mitchell County Federation of Women's club will hold December meeting Tuesday the 12th promptly at 3 p. m. (note earlier hour) At Baptist Sunday school rooms. The members of the Hesperian club will be hostess at the social hour. The entertainment will be the exchange of Christmas gift ideas.

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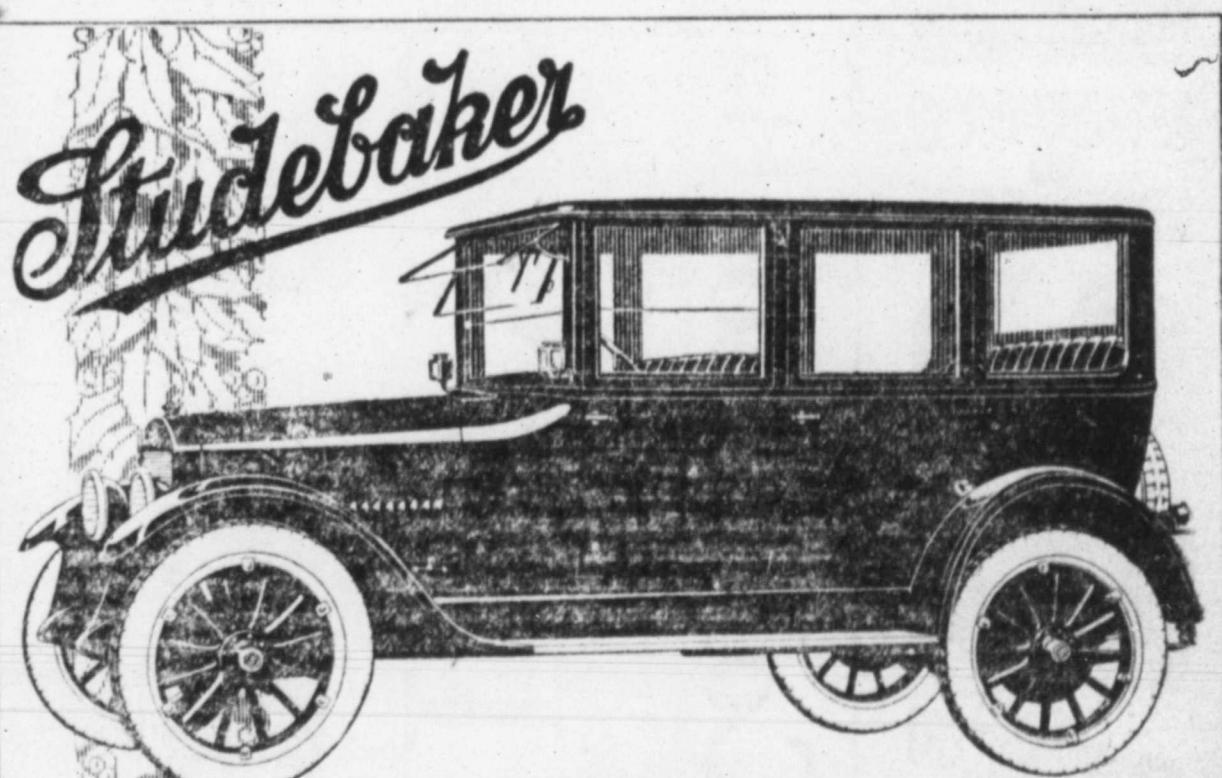
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When you buy a house you make sure that the foundation, the walls and the roof are constructed for permanence. Buy a motor car in the same way.

The sturdy body of the Studebaker Light-Six Sedan is an admirable example of substantial body building. It is constructed of the finest materials and with a high degree of craftsmanship to give years of satisfactory service—no makeshift construction merely to meet a price.

Eight stout ash pillars, from floor to roof, insure permanent strength and rigidity. The four wide-opening doors are a real convenience in getting in and out. Broad windows provide clear vision in every direction.

Seats are of generous proportions with deep springs to give lasting comfort. The upholstery is of mohair velvet plush, as durable as it is attractive. The heater will give warmth and comfort on cold days.

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The low price is due to complete manufacture by Studebaker in one of the most modern and complete automobile plants in the world. Middlemen's profits are eliminated and the savings are passed on to the buyer.

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LIGHT-SIX 5-Pass., 117" W. B. 40 H. P.	SPECIAL-SIX 5-Pass., 115" W. B. 50 H. P.	BIG-SIX 7-Pass., 126" W. B. 60 H. P.
Touring.....\$975	Touring.....\$1275	Touring.....\$1750
Roadster (3-Pass.) 975	Roadster (3-Pass.) 1250	Speedster (4-Pass.) 1835
Coupe Roadster (3-Pass.) 1225	Roadster (4-Pass.) 1275	Coupe (4-Pass.) 2400
Sedan.....1550	Coupe (4-Pass.) 1875	Coupe (5-Pass.) 2550
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Non-Skid Cord Tires, Front and Rear, Standard Equipment
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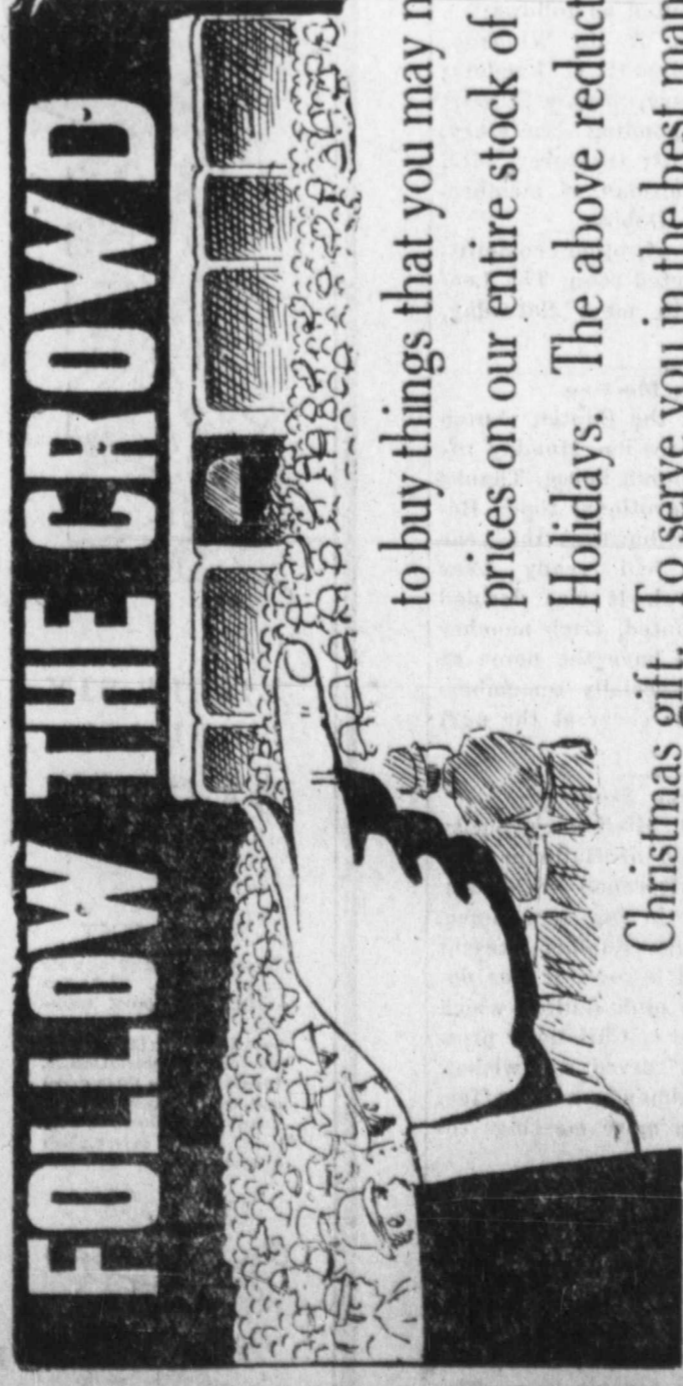
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GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE

At The Colorado Bargain House, Colorado, Texas

Beginning **FRIDAY, December 8, at 8:30 a. m.**



With the first days of December comes the thought of CHRISTMAS and planning soon begins. There is quite a little worry that goes with this planning. You want to try your best to obtain the best selections of merchandise to give to your friends and loved ones as a gift and for remembrances. We are taking the lead in giving extra values and special prices in this great Christmas Sale. This Sale is not put on for the purpose of working off old stock or to encourage you to buy things that you may never use for until next year or may be never as a lot of sales are. We are making this sacrifice and are reducing the prices on our entire stock of Ladies and Gents Ready-to-Wear, Dry Goods, Hats, Boots, Shoes and Everything that you may need as gifts for the Holidays. The above reductions are made to our trade to show our appreciation of your patronage and are giving this reduction to serve as a Christmas gift. To serve you in the best manner possible is our constant aim, and to accomplish this, we have selected the best lines of merchandise on the market.

5,000 Yards
L. L. BROWN
Kingsford Sheet-
ing, as long as it
lasts, at
9c per Yard

CONDITIONS GOVERN-
ING THIS SALE
 Because of the great suc-
 cess in the prices of all mer-
 chandise in this Great Sale
 we are compelled to make
 these rulings. THIS SALE
 IS CASH ONLY. No goods
 will be sent out on approx-
 imation.

MEN'S FOUR-IN-HAND
TIES
 In a special assortment and
 a very special price, regular
 price from 75c to \$1.00,
 Christmas Sale Special
 49c

BOYS SHIRTS AND
BLOUSES
 Of best quality fine materi-
 als priced for immediate
 close out.

MEN'S OVERCOATS
 Don't go through this winter without an overcoat. Our stock is
 complete and we reduced our prices so low that everyone can
 afford a coat. We have divided these into four lots regardless of
 cost value or quality.

- Lot No. 1---35 Coats at \$9.90
- Lot No. 2---43 Coats at \$12.65
- Lot No. 3---29 Coats at \$16.75
- Lot No. 4---19 Coats at \$21.90

ONE LOT LADIES SILK
DRESSES
 To close out. This lot con-
 sists of dresses that former-
 ly sold from \$17.50 to \$25.00

Christmas Sale
Special
\$8.90

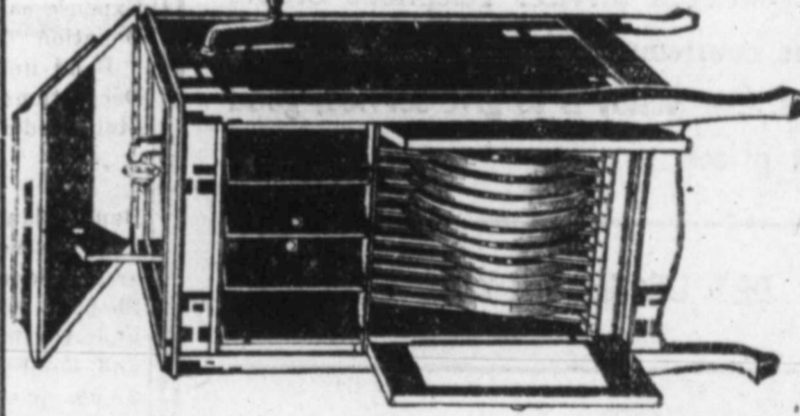
FREE HAIR NETS
 To the first Fifty Ladies
 entering our store Friday.

LADIES' SPORT SUITS
 In Tweeds nicely trimmed
 and most suitable for dress
 wear. This is a special bar-
 gain. There are only eleven
 suits in this lot, all different
 colors, all wool.

Christmas Sale
Special
\$5.95

MEN'S LINEN COLLARS
 Arrow brand, regular 20c
 Christmas Special
 17 1/2c

BLANKETS AND COM-
FORTS
 At close out prices. It will
 pay you to investigate.



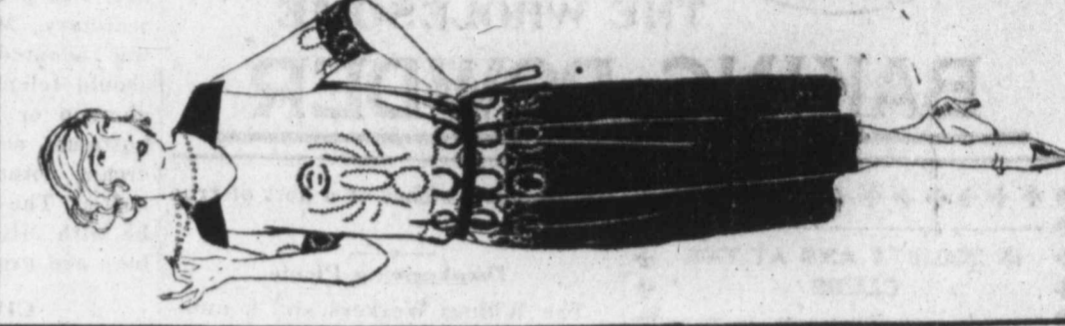
Free, Free, Free

This \$150.00 Talking
 Machine will be given
 away absolutely FREE
 of charge to the one
 holding the lucky num-
 ber on Saturday, Dec.
 23rd. Ask for a coupon
 and have it put in the
 box. One coupon will be
 given with each one dol-
 lar purchase.

ONE TABLE OF LADIES'
HIGH TOP SHOES
 French heels, will be offered
 in this sale at about 25c on
 the dollar. These shoes for-
 merly sold from \$8.00 to
 \$13.50



\$1.95 and up



CLOSING OUT OF WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR

And getting ready for Spring shipments at sensational prices. There'll be thrills of excitement in the women's section. Be prepared for the exhilarating sensation of un-expected low prices. Hundreds of items not listed for want of space. If you don't see the entire stock of Ladies' and Misses Ready-to-Wear including Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts, Blouses, Furs and Sweaters that will be sacrificed at a saving from 25 to 50 per cent.

THE FOOTWEAR SENSATION OF COLORADO AND SUR-
ROUNDING COUNTRY

That's what its going to be, beyond a doubt. Never before in the history of West Texas merchandising has such an immense stock of high grade shoes been thrown open to the buying public at such prices as these. Take a glance at these prices listed below and be convinced.

Regular \$10.00, Special	\$7.50
Regular \$9.00 Shoes, Special at	\$6.75
Regular \$8.00 Shoes, Special	\$6.35
Regular \$7.50 Shoes, Special	\$5.65
Regular \$6.50 Shoes, Special	\$4.90
Regular \$5.00 Shoes, Special	\$3.90
Regular \$4.50 Shoes, Special	\$3.85
Regular \$4.00 Shoes, Special	\$3.25
Regular \$3.50 Shoes	\$2.85

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Wool Goods such as Serges, Trousers, coats, suits, for women, Skirts, Suits, Etc. Every bolt has been cut to the lowest price. We cannot list such a big stock, but you will be greatly pleased with the bargains you will find in the Wool Goods Section. White Goods, Linens, Table Linens, are all reduced in price. Napkins, Scarfs, for Christmas—all go at slaughter prices.

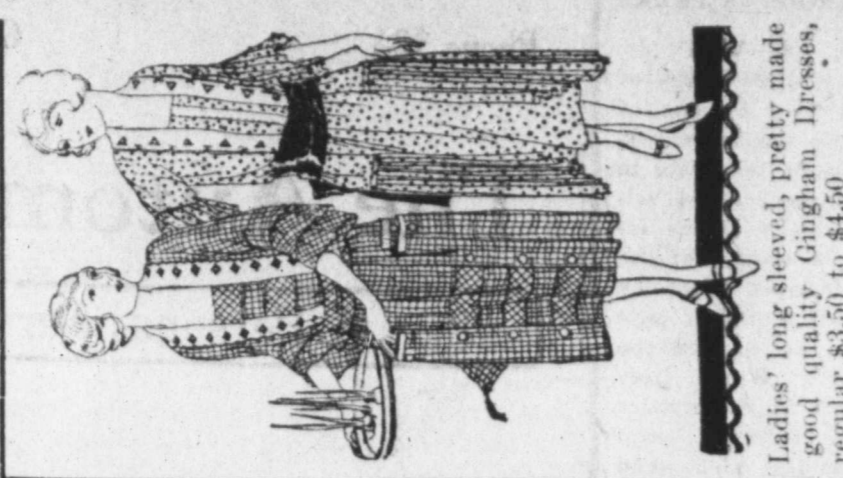
SHOP EARLY
 On the opening day of our Sale Friday morning between 10 and 11 a. m. we will sell men's hose at 5c per pair only 5 pair to a customer.

BOYS BLUE DENIM
 Overalls sizes 4 to 9 as long as they last
49c Per Pair

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GENTLEMEN WHY NOT BUY NOW!

Store closed all day Thursday to Arrange Stock & Reduce Prices for this Great Sale



ONE LOT LADIES' SILK AND JERSEY BLOUSES
 Sold from \$2.50 to \$6.00 your choice in this Sale
\$1.00
 As long as they last

10,000 GANNON TOWELS
7c Each

MAKE
 Your own Silk Shirts and Save money. Just received a new assortment of beautiful Crepe de Chine, good quality, worth \$2.50 per yard, extra special

\$1.69 Per Yard

LOTS OF REMNANTS
 Are included in this sale. Come early and get first choice.

This Sale \$1.98

Ladies' long sleeved, pretty made good quality Gingham Dresses, regular \$3.50 to \$4.50

One assortment of Ladies' Coats black only, on sale, will go at
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Bargains Galore in Bleached and Unbleached Muslins

MEN'S, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SWEATERS
 We have gone over our stock of Sweaters and reduced the prices so low that we are confident that we will not carry over a single item in this department.

SPECIAL TO OUR CUSTOMERS
 Who are acquainted with our lot No. 275 Gordon Hose. This is a real nice silk hose in all colors, which formerly sold at \$1.25. Those who have worn them longest will appreciate this reduction the most. Christmas Sale Special 89c

MEN'S BLUE DENIM OVERALLS
 From 30 to 44 at a Special Christmas price to the working man
SPECIAL PRICES 98c

Our entire stock of Men's and Boys Hats, Stetson Hats included in this Sale.

SPECIAL
 For the opening day of the Sale Ladies' Silk Hose. 49c
 1 lot, 250 in lot at 49c
 1 lot, 265 in lot at 73c

ASSORTMENT OF 36-IN. WIDE PERCALE
 Dark and light colors worth 22c extra special, per yard ... 17-12c

ONE LOT CRETON
 Yard wide special
17c Per Yard

Special Prices on Babies' Crib Blankets.
 Beautiful Assort. of Ladies' Blue-glow Aprons, worth \$1.50, extra special 85c

CAMISOLE SPECIALS
 One lot at, each 29c
 \$1.25 value at, each 85c
 5c values, each 65c

LADIES' FELT SLIPPERS
 In all colors and sizes. There are 250 in this lot. Suitable for Christmas Gifts.

Christmas Sale Special 98c

LADIES' SILK ROSE
 Some of the leading brands of prices so low that it will astonish the buying public.

Men's Suits
 Men, now is your chance to dress up at a very small cost. We have divided our entire stock of Men's Suits in four lots and we put the following prices on these lots regardless of the cost to us:

Val. to \$17.50 at **\$11.80**
 Val. to \$22.50 at **\$14.90**
 Val. to \$27.50 at **\$18.90**
 Val. to \$35.00 at **\$23.90**

These are all high grade suits and there are 25 or more 18 ounce blue Serge Suits included in this lot.

MIDDY BLOUSES
 White with colored collars, special this sale
98c

SEE OUR WHITE GOODS
 Two rows of shelves to suit the fancy of the bargain hunters

GENTLEMEN
 Buy a new pair of trousers. Prices ridiculously low

CHILDREN'S DRESS SHIRTS.
SPECIAL 89c

The Turn is the Thing. Having turned our stock six times, our ambition is to turn it once more.

BUY YOUR MERCHANDISE NOW
 And Bank your savings.
 This is a Colorado Bargain House Sale—NUFF SED

65c

Bleached Muslin Sheets at a close out price, 176 in this lot, only four to the customer at
EACH 89c

CURTAIN SCRIM, assorted colors, Extra Special PER YARD 12 1-2

SPECIAL SELL YOUR COTTON
 For working men, blue work And then buy cotton from us to make your comforts and save money. Cotton batts, they last 49c PER ROLL

LADIES!
 Now is the chance to get Silk material for the Christmas Dress, crepe de Chine, Messalines, Taffetas, Canton Crepes, marked in the reach of everyone.

Please bear in mind—A DOLLAR SAVED IS A DOLLAR MADE.

Beautiful Lot of Children's GINGHAM DRESSES
 Some priced as low as 55c

CHILDREN'S DRESS SHIRTS.
SPECIAL 89c

Children's assortment of Eskimo Suits were also marked down for this Sale. To see them is to be convinced.

Low Prices! Remember, it costs nothing to look and very little to buy.

Ladies' White Muslin Petticoats Embroidery Blouse, attractively priced

65c

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WEST TEXAS NORMAL TO TEACH LIVESTOCK FEEDING

CANYON, Texas, Dec. 4.—Courses in feeding of livestock are more in demand in the West Texas State Normal Agricultural Department than any other subject matter except stock-judging work, according to Prof. Frank R. Phillips, director of agriculture for this West Texas institution. Mr. Phillips thinks that this unusual interest is due to the present high prices of feeds, and in speaking about the matter he had the following to say:

"The West Texas boys are becoming far more interested in the cost of feeding cattle and hogs than they were formerly. The class work is more popular, and more questions are coming from the outside. In the classes in vocational agriculture over half of the members have some kind of feeding project that they are running as part of their agricultural work. The boys are taking great interest in figuring out economical rations. For illustration, several of the boys are feeding milk cows. These boys have found that they can feed their cows on from 27 to 40

cents per day at the present high price of feed material."

Those interested in feeding cost and balanced rations are writing more letters to Mr. Phillips about this work than ever before in the history of the school. Anyone having feeding problems should address his letters to the Agricultural Department of the West Texas State Normal College.

WESTBROOK ITEMS

(Delayed from last week)

H. C. Lockhart, one of the owners of the Rio Grande Oil Co., was in Westbrook today. He reports things going nicely out at the lease. They have the boiler repaired and in good shape.

W. J. Thompson, reports that he is making fairly good speed at Badget No. 2 and is confident of getting a good well at this location.

We are informed by reliable authority that the Magnolia Company well south of Lan had a very good showing at twenty-four hundred feet or a little deeper but did not amount to anything more than a little encouragement for deeper drilling. It

is to be hoped they will encounter a pay sand at the depth of the Morrison No. 2 and get a gusher.

Mr. Riley says he has a good pumper at Murphy No. 1 but did not give out any information as to his intentions for future development. However, it is to be hoped that he will soon begin another well.

S. A. Sloan and associates are drilling steady on the Smart No. 1 just north of the Morrison No. 2, and expect to soon be down to the pay.

Messrs Carey and Lewis are getting along nicely at Smith No. 1 and we are told they have a nice showing of oil.

Business continues good in Westbrook and the future looks good to all for a prosperous year in 1923.

Prof. P. T. Brown, principal of Westbrook High school, has improved as well as beautified the school grounds. There has been added a number of things in the way of swings and indoor sports. He has also erected a 40-foot flag pole and is ready to hoist the Stars and Stripes as soon as it arrives, which is looked for daily now.

Westbrook won the basket ball game last Saturday over Conoway which goes to show that Westbrook has some real good players.

E. V. Bell has returned from a business trip to Big Spring where he has had a car load of mules for sale. He is in good spirits, so we judge he made good up there.

R. L. Steger has returned from his old home where he was called to attend the bedside of his father who was quite sick but we are glad to state his father is much better. It seems that the grand jury is not showing any partiality in this vicinity every one seems to be invited to appear before this body for some reason or other.

A. L. Young returned from a prospecting trip in New Mexico last Thursday. He decided that Mitchell County, Texas, was the place for him and says he will not move to Mexico any time soon.

R. T. Callison is visiting in Carlsbad, N. M. this week with home folks.

Mr. Barber of south of town is having an addition built onto his home, S. W. Bernard having the contract.

There is no trouble in starting cars when you use that Good Gulf gasoline. Call for it when buying gasoline.

WEST TEXAS FARMERS ARE MOST PROSPEROUS IN TEXAS

DALLAS, Dec. 6.—With development of the vast resources of West Texas accelerated by one of the most prosperous seasons experienced by that part of the State in many years, an unprecedented volume of business awaits Dallas institutions, R. L. Winfrey, of the Adolphus Hotel declared Thursday after completing a trip of four days during which time he covered the territory west of Fort Worth, from Wichita Falls south to Sweetwater by automobile. He conferred with many bankers, business men and stock raisers.

"After an unusually poor year the farmers have made not only large crops, but have received most satisfactory prices for their products," Mr. Winfrey said, "and the bankers report the agricultural population wiping out their indebtedness in a manner which assures wholesome and active business conditions. Stock raisers, especially sheep and goat raisers, are also optimistic.

"There is an increasing demand for Dallas-made goods and many representatives of Dallas establishments are covering the territory. Dallas salesmen are to be met in the hotels and business houses of practically every village, town and city of West Texas.

"West Texans declare that a new railroad into the heart of that territory direct from Dallas would be of great benefit both to Dallas and the West and would, in their opinion, pay for itself in a short time.

"Junking of the Orient Railroad is inconceivable to most of the men with whom I talked. Traversing a section which is rapidly increasing in population and with prospects of millions of tons of traffic in time, the Orient, if nursed along a while longer, as every railroad of West Texas has been in its infancy, will become one of the most important and prosperous lines in Texas, a Sweetwater banker said.

"The West Texans as a hospitable and optimistic lot. They have not forgotten the courtesies shown them in Dallas during the State Fair and many expressed themselves as anxious for closer business relations with Dallas establishments."

Mr. Winfrey's trip included Wichita Falls, Bowie, Alford, Decatur, Seymour, Henrietta, Haskell, Stamford, Sweetwater and Colorado.

NEW HOPE HAPPENINGS

(Delayed from last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Self entertained with a dance Friday night.

Miss Emma Lee Boyce is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Sweet.

Clifton Brown and father and Ben Elliott, Curtis Smith and Dick Gregory returned Saturday from Lamesa where they went to look at some land to buy.

Miss Dora Jones and little sister, Louise, are spending the week-end with home folks.

The party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Handlin was well attended Saturday night.

Mr. Albert Erwin and Miss Mable Guthery of Westbrook attended the party at Handlin's Saturday.

Miss Iny Gregory was in Westbrook Saturday.

Miss May Dell Latty was the guest of Mrs. Leonard Hazelwood of Westbrook Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sweatt, Sr., and daughter, Miss Willie Motored to Big Spring Friday.

Mrs. Buck Latty was the guest of Miss Leola Jackson Friday.

Hallie Jackson is some better now he has had a rising on his face.

Mrs. Zora Wagner is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben Walker at Sterling City.

Miss Mamie Brown was the guest of Miss Lela Jackson Saturday night. Rachel Jackson was the guest of Sofa Brown Saturday night.

Eisie Self was on the sick list Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker of Westbrook spent Sunday with Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hazelwood of Westbrook spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, also Mr. Hazelwood's parents of Arkansas were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub May of Westbrook were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harlow were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Buck Latty Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Handlin were the guests of Mr. Gus Burrow and wife Saturday night.

The bronc riding at Mr. McCarty's was well attended Sunday afternoon everyone reported having a delightful time.

Miss Wheeler's parents visited her Sunday.

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R. L. RICHARDSON

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and children of Colorado were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. George Sweet Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Mae Richards' parents of Loraine visited her Monday.

Mrs. Ben Elliott spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Latty.

Grandmother Puch isn't so well this week. She is the mother of Jim Latty and is 103 years old.

Bob Parish was the guest of Mr. W. O. Jackson Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fay Sweatt is teaching expression twice a week at the school building. She has six scholars.

There is going to be a box supper at school house Friday night, December 1st. Everyone invited.

The singing at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweatt's was well attended and all reported a nice time.

Misses Suddie and Thresa Jones accompanied by Mr. Tom Jackson, motored to Colorado to take Miss Dora and Louise Jones to their school Sunday afternoon.

CHUMS.

I have several tracts of close-up acreage for sale at exceptional prices strictly in line of development. Investigate.—Arthur W. Palmer, care Colorado National Bank, Colorado.

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According to his method of treatment he does not operate for chronic appendicitis, gall stones, ulcers of the stomach, tonsils or adenoids.

He has to his credit wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidney, bladder, bedwetting, catarrh, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and rectal ailments.

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

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

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Perhaps I do not solicit business as much as I should, but I am still selling tombstones and would like to mark the grave of your loved one. If you contemplate buying a monument, I wish you would examine those at the following graves marked by me, and see me for price of about such an one as you find among them that you like.

W. F. Hughes, Frank Hughes, J. L. Ross, Dr. N. J. Phenix, W. T. McAfee, S. Gustine, W. H. Pond, Muel Loving, Henry Loving, Martha Helen Bellah, Willella Mount, Sarah B. Runyan, Jeff D. Falkner, G. R. Beard Hattie B. Stoneham, C. C. Blampford, B. B. Chaney, P. W. Crump, Frances Elizabeth Looney, Vada Lee Bizzell, L. H. Weatherly, Flora Burns and "Burns," John Henry Brown, Elizabeth M. Brown, J. Newman Free, Ruthie S. Shurtieff, Clifford Lee Shurtieff, Henry Humphreys, J. P. Hunter, Norris James Slaton, J. M. Eudy and many more, too numerous to mention. The following are some placed in other parts of the country: D. M. Stell, D. S. Beeman, Laura E. Bullock, Frederica Elizabeth Ellis, Needham P. P. Browne, Frances M. and Louiza Collier, Arnett Daniel, Thelma E. Powell, Fannie E. Murphy, and Thomas Burrus. I wish I could mention all, but this will give you designs enough to select from if you are interested, phone, call on, or write me.—

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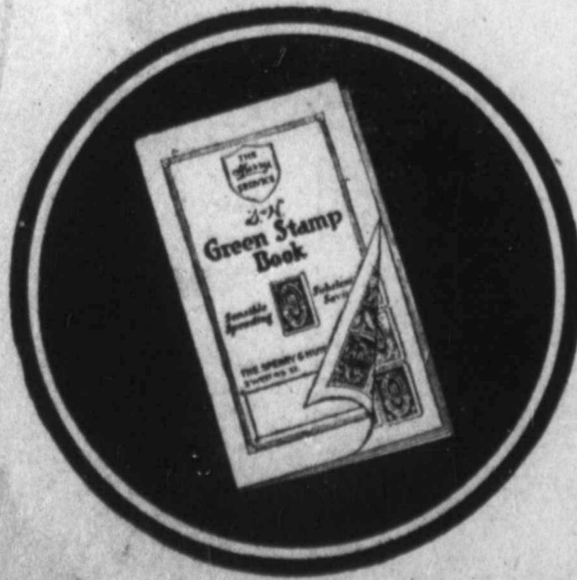
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Second Sunday in Advent, Dec. 10, Church school 10 a. m. There will be no other services on this day.

Every pupil is urged to be presented Sunday morning at school, so that we may practice our Christmas carols and recitations. This program will be given Saturday night, December 23, instead of Christmas Eve night as heretofore. There is a great deal of sickness and absences from city among the church folk. This accounts for the small attendance at both services last Sunday. This is a regretted fact, as Reverend Eteson especially requested a representative congregation on this day to hear the topic assigned for the day discussed.

Reverend Eteson has announced his Christmas plans, which include the beautiful midnight service of Holy communion to be held in All Saints' Mission December 24th at 11:45 p. m. A more detailed announcement will be made later. A Guild Tea was given November 23 at the residence of Mrs. Thos. R. Smith. Silver offering of around \$5 was given.

Reverend Eteson will arrive in Colorado Friday night, December 15th to hold the following services. Saturday Dec. 16th at 5 o'clock at

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the church second Advent women's meeting. Topic to be discussed, "Shall We Have the Christian Nature." Series in our church school. Everyone is urged to attend these Advent meetings. The attendance Monday was discouragingly small to the minister.

December 17, Third Sunday in Advent:
 Church school 10 a. m.
 Morning services 11 a. m.
 Evening services 7:30 p. m.

Monday, December 18th, Third and last Advent meetings of women. Topic to be discussed, "How can we make our local women's Auxiliary more efficient?"

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Last Sunday much enthusiasm was in every class in the Bible school. There were 111 present with an offering of \$20.55. The Men's Bible class pledged to give shoes to the orphan home children at Dallas. Also enough pledged by another class to put footwear upon the babies in the home.

There were good audiences at both morning and evening hours. At the meeting of the Senior Epworth Society the boys outnumbered the girls three to one. The girls will have to get there to keep pace with the young men.

Our services will begin promptly at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. You will find a sincere welcome at every service.

D. R. HARDISON.

WITH THE BAPTISTS

With over 200 in Sunday school and three additions to the church made us feel that last Sunday was a good day for us. Two good audiences. The Senior B. Y. P. Y. had more than 30 young people present. The Junior Union was very well attended. We are delighted to see the folks taking interest in the work. We need more folks interested in the church. We believe the church is worth the cost of maintenance and should be honored above all other institutions or events. We want the members of this church to feel that nothing should be allowed to come in between them and their church services. Wednesday night shows and carnivals should not interfere with prayer meeting.

M. C. BISHOP.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Now let all be on time. Please do not get in the habit of coming late. You know what habit is? Let us look at the thing—let's take away the first letter and we have abit left. Let's take another letter off and we have the bit left and that is the thing which holds you back from being on time. But let's take off another letter and there you have IT left on your hands. The only way to get rid of a bad thing like habit is to erase the whole thing from one's life. Be on Time.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. I think I shall preach on Stewardship Sunday morning and I want to preach in the evening on What This Age Demands of our Young People. Some of us who are older if we had life to live over I am sure we would appreciate having some one who is a friend to tell us about the ways and point out to us the way which shineth brighter and brighter unto the perfect day.

Epworth League Sunday 6:15 p. m.

All are most cordially invited to attend and take part in our services.
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On Thanksgiving day as is their usual custom Mr. and Mrs. Jake Maurer served a free Thanksgiving dinner to those whom they found in this popular hostelry on that day. An extra large turkey, 17 pounds dressed was prepared by Mrs. Maurer in French style, she being one of the best French cooks in this country. All the accessories and concomitants, etc. to make Mr. Turkey palatable were served and all the guests were loud in their praise of the way the meal was prepared and served by Mrs. Maurer. It has been the custom of these people for some time to celebrate Thanksgiving in this manner and Mrs. Maurer's fame as a French cook is known all over the West.

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa Claus:

I am trying to be a good boy and mama says I am improving. I saw a little green car at Mr. Riordan's store that I want and a little windmill at McMurry's and I want a little engine, a little train on a track, some Mother Goose books and a big box of games. Bring my little sister a doll, a red chair, doll bed, little piano, doll buggy and a spoon. Bring mama a chest of silver and a pretty clock. Bring daddy a big Morris chair. Bring Irma a comb, brush and mirror, some pretty black silk hose and some gloves. Bring Mildred a beau, an ivory powder box, some gloves and some pretty hose.

If you don't mind Santa Claus, I'll sit up and wait for you and watch you put the things on our tree and—or if you had rather I will drive your reindeers around a block or two while you are tying the things on the tree.

Your good boy,
 Harold Lambeth.

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 1, 1922.
 Dear Santa Claus:

We are little twin brothers six years old.

We want you to bring us a sack of marbles a piece, a rubber ball, and please, Sir, bring us a Tricycle. Bring us two, where we can ride lots.

We sure do like apples and crack-jacks. Will you bring us some if you don't get tangled up with the Radio.

Now, Dear Santa, don't forget us for we are pretty good boys when we are not riding the calves.

O. T. and O. C. PALMER.
 Fortieth Anniversary

Last Saturday, December 2nd, Mr. (Daddy) F. M. Burns celebrated in a quiet way his 40th year of continuous mercantile business and is no doubt the oldest merchant in all the West. We do not mean to say oldest in years but oldest in one business having been here continuously without the break of a single day for 40 years. In May of this year the Record had this to say of Mr. Burns:

Colorado was established as a post office away back in 1879. Mr. F. M. Burns, owner and manager of the F. M. Burns dry goods store, which was and is yet, one of the established forces in Colorado, and has been a potent factor in making Colorado as a trading center.

Forty years of continuous service under the same management in town Mr. Burns has the distinction of being the oldest continuous merchant between El Paso and Fort Worth, including those two cities.

In 1882 and 1883 the business was on Oak street. Ever since that time it has been in the present location.

Mr. Burns is a live wire. One of those empire builders of this great southwest and West Texas in particular.

For a quarter of a century Mr. Burns has been vice president and for several years has been president of the Colorado National Bank, the oldest bank in Mitchell County.

It takes a strong character to carry on a successful business through the trying times that Colorado has indulged. During the days of Indigo blue, when all was seemingly going

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against the country. Mr. Burns, a characteristic character of the West Texas pioneer, stuck. He is probably the best known man in Mitchell county, certainly the best known merchant and there are few who do not consider Mr. Burns their friend.

He has helped more individual farmers and ranchmen than any other man in Mitchell county—but he has always been the big hearted man of the great West Texas country ready to stretch out the helping hand to the man in hard circumstances.

Mr. Burns has been one of the potent forces in the development of Mitchell County and Colorado. He has always stood for better progress and high class citizenship and forces that make for good.

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Select your Christmas cards now from the samples at Record office.

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Men's Moleskin Pants, worth \$4.50, Sale Price \$3.00

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\$6.00 Values, Sale Price \$3.98

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75c Values, Sale Price 49c
\$1.50 Values, Sale Price \$1.00
\$2.50 Values, Sale Price \$1.98

Men's Heavy Weight Sox, 25c values, Sale Price only 17c
Men's Fine Lisle Sox, 35c values, sale Price only 27c
20c Bath Towels, Sale Price 12 1-2c
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DECEMBER BOOSTER MEET WILL BE HELD THURSDAY

Several visitors are expected to attend the December banquet of the Colorado Booster Club at the Barcroft on the evening of Thursday, December 7th, according to a statement made Wednesday by J. H. Greene, president of the organization. Greene visited Loraine Tuesday to personally extend the invitation to President Caswell of the Loraine Chamber of Commerce to have his organization well represented, and he stated that representatives from Westbrook and other communities of the county had been invited.

The membership committee was busy Wednesday taking reservations for the banquet and they were expecting to have the dining room at the Barcroft filled to capacity. The November meeting of the club was one of the most successful held for some time, and the aim is to make the December meeting even better.

An entertainment program is being arranged by Mr. Greene and M. S. Goldman. It is expected that discussion of the proposed new Mitchell county court house will take much time of the business session. The banquet will be called at eight o'clock.

SALE CHRISTMAS SEALS IS BEGUN DECEMBER 1ST

Under direction of the Federated Clubs of Mitchell County, the campaign to sell Mitchell County's quota of Christmas seals was commenced Friday, December 1st. Mrs. J. G. Merritt, of Colorado, president is directing the sales drives and states that the several affiliated clubs of the county will push sales of the seals in their respective communities.

The quota for Mitchell County is 30,000 seals and most of these have been delivered to the clubs who will sell them. Funds received from the sale of the seals will be used to combat tuberculosis.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL FINANCE LEAGUE

Expenses to be incurred by the Interscholastic League meet at Colorado next year were guaranteed by the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday afternoon. The appropriation was made by executive officers of the Chamber to guarantee to Director General G. D. Foster funds with which to finance the program and awards as planned.

It was stated Wednesday that a number of Colorado business men contemplated offering individual prizes in some of the entries at the meet. The program will be arranged to include every affiliated school in the county, according to Foster.

\$875.00 SCHOOL ANNUAL FUND HAS BEEN PLEDGED

Roddy Merritt, member of the Lone Wolf staff, stated Monday that approximately \$875.00 of the fund needed to finance publishing the high school annual, had been pledged. This represents about two thirds of the estimated cost of the book.

The High school student body is working hard on the annual and continue to be possessed with the determination to put it over. Business and professional men of Colorado who have not contracted for advertising space in the annual are invited to do so, and co-operate with the general public in guaranteeing that the annual will be successfully financed.

MR. AND MRS. D. N. ARNETT TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett of Colorado will observe their golden wedding anniversary next Monday. Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Arnett, their daughters, Mesdames J. G. Merritt and T. W. Stoneroad, Jr., will entertain with a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stoneroad Monday evening from seven to ten o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnett are among the pioneer citizens of Mitchell county and the latter is one of the most prominent families of the city.

CLUB WORK ITINERARY TO COVER MITCHELL COUNTY

Plans for organizing boys and girls clubs in practically every school district of the county were announced Monday by W. A. Dulin, county agent, and Miss Laceywell, county home demonstration agent. Visits are to be made to every school in the county, whether a club is organized or not, it was stated. No club will be organized unless a membership of ten enters the club work.

Under the organized club plan, these representatives of the extension department hope to reach every boy and girl in the county who can be interested in the various phases of the club work. The several clubs will be fully organized, with their own officers, and will follow out a plan of work under the personal direction of the officials.

Dulin already has a few boys clubs organized in the county, and it was the members of these who entered registered pigs and calves at the Mitchell County Fair last September. The animals were fed under schedules outlined by Mr. Dulin and the results were most satisfactory. The growing of pigs and baby beeves, however, is not all that Dulin plans to recommend to his club members. They are to have scientific instruction in planting and cultivating individual patches of cotton, melons, the sorghums and probably other crops.

The work as outlined for the girls clubs will be largely within the domestic science and home economics branches. As the clubs are organized they will be given special instruction in dress making, millinery, cooking, garden cultivation and other interesting phases of the extension work. It is understood that plans are being worked out for the organization of poultry clubs among the rural girls clubs.

Mr. Dulin and Miss Laceywell expect to spend the next three weeks in this work and soon after the first of the year plan assigning definite programs. The girls clubs will, in instances where practicable, work in co-operation with the woman's clubs several of which are now organized.

Products made by the members of these boys and girls are to form much of the specimens from which to draw exhibits for the next annual Mitchell County Fair. It is expected that the livestock and poultry entries alone by the boys and girls of the county will be large. The girls, likewise, will have an important part in making the fancy vegetable pack and fine arts departments an attractive feature of the next fair, should the expectations of Miss Laceywell materialize.

The itinerary, as announced Monday, will start today with a visit by Mr. Dulin and Miss Laceywell to Buford and Little Sulphur school houses. They have not announced the date for visiting the McKenzie school, but will probably arrange a meeting there before the holidays. The plan is to visit the schools and discuss the importance of club work with the boys and girls themselves, and as many patrons and parents who may be induced to attend the meetings. County Judge J. C. Hall is co-operating in the work and will accompany the agents on several of their visits to the schools.

The general public is urged to co-operate with these people in this work and attend the meetings at their respective schools on the dates announced. The itinerary for visiting the schools follows:

- Friday, Dec. 8.—Buford, Little Sulphur.
- Monday, Dec. 11.—Longfellow, Valley View, N. Champion, Lone Star, Sheppard.
- Tuesday, Dec. 12.—Payne, Lowe, Seven Wells, County Federation.
- Wednesday, Dec. 13.—Pioneer
- Thursday, Dec. 14.—Looney, Landers, Baumann, Silver.
- Friday, Dec. 15.—Dorn, Spade, Conoway.
- Monday, Dec. 18.—Westbrook, Iatan, Daniel.
- Tuesday, Dec. 19.—Cuthbert, County Line, Fairview.
- Wednesday, Dec. 20.—Rogers, Horns Chapel.

"COURT HOUSE DISGRACE" FORMER CITIZEN DECLARES

That the present Mitchell county court house is a disgrace, not alone to this county, but "to any county," is the statement of Gus Bertner of Little Rock, Arkansas, special agent for the New York Life Insurance Company. Bertner made his home in this city for a number of years, owns property in the county and in a letter received by Joe H. Smoot Thursday morning, expresses the wish that the proposed new court house bonds are adopted. In writing of the court house problem in this county, Mr. Bertner said:

"I notice that you are to have an election on court house bonds and God knows there is no county on earth that needs a court house as bad as Mitchell county does. I hope that every man will vote for these bonds to have a new court house as I think the court house in Mitchell county is a disgrace to any county. It will be a pleasure for me to pay the extra taxes in order to get a new court house."

The committee appointed at a mass meeting held here one month ago by citizens of Loraine and Colorado to circulate petitions asking Commissioners' Court to order an election to vote on \$115,000 five per cent court house bonds state that they are meeting with but little opposition and that the petitions will be presented to the court Monday. Discussion of the coming election will be taken up at the Booster Club banquet here Thursday night, and several citizens from over the county who are interested in carrying the proposed bonds are said to have made reservations to attend.

MITCHELL FARM BUREAU TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual business meeting of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau will be held Saturday afternoon, December 9th, at 2:30, at the district court room. Reports of officers on business for the past year are to be filed and officers and directors for the ensuing year elected. E. M. Baldwin, secretary-manager of the organization, has mailed notices to the 275 members of the bureau, urging them to attend the meeting.

HIGH SCHOOL CARNIVAL NETS \$100 FOR ANNUAL

Pupils of the High school conducted a carnival Wednesday night in the old Herrington Building on Walnut street for benefit of the school annual fund. A member of the school annual staff stated Saturday that \$100 was cleared after all expenses had been paid and that the amount had been placed to the credit of a fund being raised to pay expense of the 1922 edition of The Lone Wolf.

The carnival was a decided success. The varied carnival attractions including the fat woman, fortune teller, doll rack, novelty stands, drink and lunch counters, black and varied colored faced comedians were all represented. The noise was one continuous roar, making it difficult for one to even hear the Colorado Booster Band, which furnished a number of concert selections. Music was also furnished by the High school orchestra. The building was literally crowded with old people, young people and little folks, all of whom were full of the carnival spirit and out for no other purpose than to help the students put the carnival over. Confetti was flying everywhere and the noise and merry making overflowed the building and spread into the street and to a distance of two or three blocks away.

The success of the carnival is just another illustration of the determination to do things by the boys and girls of the High school," one of the teachers stated Wednesday night while the carnival was in full swing, "and of course they are going to put their job of financing the Lone Wolf over the top."

RICHARDS CASE GOES TO JURY THURSDAY

The Herman B. Richards case, on trial in the 32nd District Court here since Tuesday morning, went to the jury Thursday at noon, following arguments by counsel. The introduction of evidence was completed Thursday morning and the jury received the charge of the court at 9:30. Arguments of counsel continued until court recessed for lunch.

Richards is charged with the embezzlement of three Liberty bonds from the vault of the First State Bank of Loraine, the offense alleged to have been committed December 6th of last year. A number of witnesses were introduced by both the State and defense.

The defense is represented by Jas. Cunningham of Abilene, W. W. Heal of Sweetwater and M. Carter of Colorado. County Attorney Thos. J. Coffee is assisting District Attorney E. I. Hill in the prosecution.

WATER EXTENSION WORK WILL BE COMMENCED TODAY

Frank Banack, engineer in charge of the sewer and water extensions projects in Colorado, stated Thursday afternoon that the contractors, Weeks & Hightower, would complete excavations for the entire sewer system that afternoon and would commence ditching for the water extensions Friday. Ditching for sewer laterals in the residence section of the city were completed Thursday at noon and the only remaining work to be done was a few feet of excavation near the disposal plant.

The water mains to be laid first under the program to extend this service throughout the city will be those in South Colorado. Ditching will be commenced Friday morning immediately south of the Colorado river bridge. This portion of the city is at present without adequate fire protection.

It will be several days before the sewer plant is placed at the use of the public, according to information from the city hall. This, however, will be done at the earliest possible date. The water extensions should be completed and ready to be turned over to the city within sixty days.

DAN LEWIS TO COMPLETE FOSTER NO. 2 AT IATAN

Horace Cook of the Colorado-Texas Company was in Colorado Saturday and stated that he had contracted with Dan Lewis to complete Foster No. 2, which has been drilled to a depth of 2575 feet. The well was spudded and drilled to that depth under contract with Geo. Adams of Ranger.

Mr. Lewis authorized the statement that he had contracted to complete the Iatan well.

LIONS CHANGE LUNCHEON DATE TO FRIDAY NOON

The Lions changed the regular date of their weekly luncheons Wednesday from that day to Friday and in the future the club will meet at Friday noon, instead of on Wednesdays, as in the past. An attendance of twenty-eight was reported Wednesday. John L. Doss, a cub, was inducted into the den for the first time.

COLORADO PASTORS PRAISE AMERICANISM OF LEGION

Co-operating with the American Legion in observing the week of December 8-9 as Educational Week, pastors of the churches at Colorado delivered special sermons Sunday on themes suggested by the Legion. Former service men were praised for the stand they are taking for Americanism and to eliminate illiteracy in this country.

22 HUNDREDTHS INCH OF RAIN FALLS THURSDAY

Twenty-two hundredths of an inch of rain was registered Thursday by E. Keathley, local observer. The rain fell slowly, as recent previous showers, and most of the moisture was absorbed by the ground.

Farmers and cattlemen of the Colorado territory report an ideal season in the ground.

DERRICK AT LE'SURE IS BURNED; TO BE REBUILT

The derrick at LeSurre No. 1 burned down Saturday night and will be replaced at once. It was stated here Thursday that the derrick at LeSurre No. 1, north of Iatan, had been purchased and would be moved to the LeSurre well. The fire originated from a lantern being used by a member of the crew, which ignited gas coming from the well.

Rig materials for Morrison No. 2 were being hauled to the location Thursday. This new test will be drilled 660 feet north of Morrison No. 2. Six and five-eighths inch casing for Smith No. 1 is being hauled to the well and will be landed at 2416 feet. The crew have an eight inch hole to that depth. Attempts to remove the string of tools lost several months ago in this well proved unsuccessful and the crew drilled by them.

Badgett No. 1 of Bowser & Reed, was uncapped last week and assumed its former large proportions as a huge gas and salt gusher. The salt and water was thrown higher into the air than before, because there is no derrick there to retard force of the stream. Roaring of the well was easily heard a distance of several miles.

Bill Thomson refuses to confirm the report carried in some of the daily papers Saturday that Badgett No. 2 had blown in a big salt well. He is making good progress at this test after a slight delay in shutting out water.

Reports from every section of the field are good. Drilling is under way at a number of wells and preliminary tests. Zilpha Morrison No. 1 has an excellent showing at 2570. This well was drilled to 2550 feet several months ago and shot, but production was not satisfactory and drilling was recently resumed for deep production.

SNYDER SHIPS CATTLE TO PASTURE IN KENT COUNTY

Marcus Snyder shipped a train load of steers to the Bilby ranch in Kent county last week, where they were placed on pasture. Snyder stated that he had leased the Bilby ranch properties, which comprise one of the largest ranches in this section. There are two hundred and seventy-seven sections in the holdings.

MEN BURGLARIZING ADAMS STORE GIVEN TWO YEARS

J. J. Howington and George Herod charged with the burglary of the dry goods store of C. M. Adams at Colorado on the night of May 27, this year, were convicted in district court Monday afternoon and given two years in the penitentiary. Indictments against them were among the fifteen felony bills returned by the Mitchell County grand jury last week.

When the case was called for trial Monday afternoon each of the defendants entered a plea of not guilty. Herod admitted his guilt as entering the store, but denied the charges of appropriating the grips and clothing described in the indictment.

Dick Hickman, night watchman, was the first witness introduced by the State. He identified Howington and Herod as the two men arrested by him in the store May 27th, and described the hunt for the men, which lasted for some time. Herod was found hidden underneath a pile of hat boxes and Howington under a pile of comforts.

Frank Newmon and C. M. Adams were the other witnesses introduced by the state. Both identified the two men as those found in the store. Adams gave an itemized statement of the articles found in the store, grips and placed their value at more than \$300.

Just before the case went to trial the defendants filed request for suspended sentence. The defense introduced no witness. Each of the defendants had been in jail at Colorado since their arrest on the night of the burglary.

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THANKSGIVING SERVICES HELD HERE THURSDAY

A beautiful service commemorating Thanksgiving was observed at the First Presbyterian church Thursday morning from ten to eleven o'clock. A choir composed of singers from the several churches of the city furnished music. Every Protestant church in the city was well represented at the services.

Rev. W. M. Elliott, host pastor, presided and following a few preliminary remarks, called for reading of the Scripture lesson by Rev. M. C. Bishop, pastor of the First Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Bishop also spoke the Thanksgiving prayer. The sermon was delivered by Rev. J. F. Lewis, pastor of the First Methodist church, who read his text from Isaiah 63:13-14. The sermon follows:

It was a custom of the prophets to recite to the people the history of their fathers and emphasize the generational care and leadings of Jehovah their God. They refreshed their minds with the divine plan purpose, and thereby warned them in their waywardness and encouraged them to a loyal faith and practice.

I think this is a good way to approach now. I know of no more beautiful and inspiring way than for you to take a look into some of the events which enter into our individual lives and especially into our national history. Our nation is as much a child of providence as was Israel of old. We have been planted and cultivated and kept for a purpose as great and Godly as were the children of Abraham. God speaks his message to North America today just as He spoke His message to Israel long ago.

We are living in a wonderful age, an age for which all the other ages that have gone before, were made. This, then, makes it the most stupendous of all the ages thus far. Nothing in the past begins to approach what we are witnessing on every field of human endeavor today. Never before in the history of the race have foundations been laid so deep and buildings raised so high. Never before have distances been so completely wiped out and every man become next-door neighbor to every other man.

The figures representing our movements and achievements today begin to approach a comprehension so bewildering that we cannot make a conservative estimate of the size of our wealth we step from tens to hundreds and from hundreds to thousands and from thousands to millions and from millions to billions without passing our little minds unimpaired by such gigantic greatness. I suppose we are now accustomed to think in vast terms without the least comprehension of the tremendous results.

But all this has not come about in a day. We have been rapidly but surely taking our place among the great nations of the earth. The mighty armies of Germany, although called to service in a day and for more than three years jarred the earth with their mighty movements, were not the creatures of a day, but were more than forty years in the making, and begin then on a foundation that reaches back into the centuries. Some of the events and incidents which have gone into our making unmistakably bear marks of God's providential care and leadership. To properly understand and appreciate the present of any age we must take into account some of the more important events which enter into the making of that age.

How often has the hand of God overruled the mistakes and blunders of men in the promotion of his holy purposes in our national history. The story of our nation properly begins with Ptolemy (Tolmy), the astronomer of Alexandria, who made a map of the world in the year 150, showing a mere fringe of the countries around the Mediterranean sea. He made the mistake of bringing the western border of Europe and the eastern border of Asia so near together that the adventurous sailor imagined he could sail across the waters which rolled between these two countries within a few days.

Thirteen hundred years later that old map fell into the hands of Christopher Columbus, who dreamed over it and was misled by it. The voyage of Columbus was considered as God's errand. His hope was to discover the fabulous Northwestern Passage. The fact that he found something better was due to a providential direction in spite of his false conceptions. It is true of nations as it is true of men. There is a Divinity that shapes our ends. Had Columbus known the many miles that lay before him, he doubtless would have stayed at home. In his story of the voyage, how often do we read, "This day we sail forward."

It was a trifling matter that turned him from his true course, which would have carried him to the coasts of Florida; but turned him southward to San Salvador, and prevented him from discovering the Main land of North America. Had it not been otherwise he doubtless would have brought North America completely under Spanish rule, and a tremendous Papal civilization. As it was Columbus landed at San Salvador and planting his red-cross banner said, I give the land to Castile, to Jesus and to Mary. But God had better things in store for North America than the type of civilization we now see in Spain, in Mexico, and in the South American Republics.

Then came a hundred years of the shifting of the souls of men before permanent settlement was made. This shifting process began with that historic blunder of Martin Luther, when on October 31, 1517, he nailed his 95 theses to the chapel door of Wittenburg.

Pope Leo the Tenth, said it was a blunder. So said Charles, the Fifth. So said Elector of Saxony. But it awoke the thunders of the Reformation and kindled the fires of persecution, which were not to be quenched for more than two hundred years. It served as the husbandman purging the threshing floor for the best of the wheat to be sown in the fallow grounds of America.

There must be men of courage, of intelligence, of industry, of independent conviction. To this end they must be tried in tempests of fire and in tempests of blood, for they were to stand forth as haters of tyranny, lovers of freedom, purged of superstition, and devoted to Almighty God and His truth. The story of how James the first attempted to force conformity to the established Church is familiar history. Also how Holland's three million people had floated their craft of state in a sea of blood for nearly one hundred years, a finally landed it from under religious tyranny, and had opened a door of relief for the oppressed. Our Pilgrim Fathers went to Holland in 1608 and took a twelve years course in religious liberty, and in 1620 sailed in the Mayflower for America. This is but a type of the experiences of many of the early settlers God seemed to be handpicking the world for the choicest spirits of all bloods and religions, that He might lay anew the foundations of civic and religious liberty.

England was not destined to have a perpetual tenure in the heart of North America. The blunder of George, the Third, in trying to chastise the colonists into a recognition of the rights of the mother country, the Stamp act, three pence on a pound of tea, the Boston Tea party, the Old Independence Bell, Valley Forge, etc., all go to show that it is God who can make the foolishness of men to praise him. The Continental Congress, George Washington, the Colonists themselves never thought of becoming disloyal to the mother country, but were fighting for what they had read in their open Bibles to be their inalienable right, life and liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. So God was more in their movements than they thought. George, the Third, started the chariot but God held the reins. Our fathers never dreamed of such a country as we have today. Some of the singers of the constitution wanted that document to prohibit for all time the extension of the country beyond the Mississippi river. In 1803 when Thos. Jefferson purchased Louisiana, one whole political party considered that he had made the blunders of blunders. But what a tower of strength that piece of property has been to this nation. The story of Marcus Whitman's influence in saving to us the Northwestern territory with an area of thirty-six times as great as Massachusetts, is well known history and is looked upon now as a remarkable piece of work. Every student knows of the strong and stubborn opposition when Texas desired to come into the union. It was seriously objected to and bitterly opposed by some of the ablest statesmen of that day. They argued that Texas would ever be a burden to the union. They could not dream of its vastness nor of its possibilities. Texas! If you could put a great pair of hinges on the eastern side and then lift it as you would a great door and lay it down to the east you would cover, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Tennessee, South Carolina and a part of Florida, North Carolina, Kentucky and Arkansas, and the place where El Paso now sits would extend far enough in the Atlantic ocean at Atlanta, Ga., to cause a wave that would inundate much of the country of Europe. Texas! Why, if you could grow all the cattle that are grown in Texas in one year into two mighty oxen and could get a yoke strong enough and could build a wagon big enough you could haul all the corn and the wheat and oats raised in all the

states represented by all the men who in 1845 opposed the admittance of Texas into the union. Thus we see how God, in spite of our blunders and unwillingness, has led us until we have within a little more than one hundred and forty seven years since our birth became the mighty nation that we are.

The United States aside from Alaska and her Island possessions, is as large as China, Japan, Norway and Sweden, Austria, Germany, France, Spain, Italy, Turkey, Greece, Switzerland, Denmark, Portugal, Belgium, Holland, and Great Britain. In other words, our country is eight times as large as Spain, thirty-one times as large as Italy, and sixty times as large as England and Wales. Mr. Gladstone once said of this country, They have a national basis for the greatest continuous empire that will very be established by man.

Of the many inexhaustible resources of our country I shall not take time to speak. Everybody knows we have an inexhaustible supply of raw material. And we have splendid access to this raw material. East of the Rocky mountains we have forty thousand miles of river flow, not counting any stream less than one hundred miles long. All Europe has but seventeen thousand miles of river flow. Our Mississippi with its tributaries affords thirty-five thousand miles of navigation. We have the most trustworthy and the best skilled class of labor in the world. Last year our railroad earnings were nearly \$550,000,000. We exported nearly \$7,000,000 worth of automobiles and could have spared a few more.

Strangely enough our riches are becoming a burden and not a blessing. We have forty-four families whose income each has been for the last two years more than \$1,000,000 or an amount that will aggregate the total income of 100,000 of our average wage earners. Comparatively few people realize the fabulous increase in riches that has come to this country within the last score years. No wonder the Comptroller in summing up the wealth of this country a few years ago turned prophet and spoke words of wisdom and words of warning. He quoted with telling effect the words of the English Litany. "In all times of adversity, in all times of prosperity, in the hour of death, in the day of Judgment, Good Lord deliver us."

Now I have thus far spoken that I might say what every one of us should know and doubtless knows, that with every increased blessing there comes an additional responsibility. With our increased wealth there is laid at our door an extraordinary opportunity. With our large advantages there comes our large problems.

We now have 110,000,000 people in the United States. Of these, 49,000,000 are native, white, born of American parents. 14,500,000 are immigrants. We have 19,000,000 born of foreign parentage. We have 10,000,000 negroes, 300,000 Indians. During the last ten years we have had 10,000,000 immigrants to the United States. One-fourth of these returned to their native lands, leaving 7,500,000 in this country. Less than ten per cent of these speak the English language, and less than 20 per cent have manifest any interest in the Christian religion. 3,000,000 persons of foreign parentage are in the South. Texas has one million. Of the eleven million Jews in the world, more than two million are in the United States. Have we a foreign problem?

Of the 110,000,000 people in the United States 27,000,000 are members of some Protestant Church. 15,900,000 are Roman Catholics, counting children and all, 2,000,000 are Jews. 55,000,000 do not belong to any religious organization. Have we not a home mission problem?

Of the 110,000,000 people in the United States, 23,000,000 are of a scholastic age. A little more than 12,000,000 of these are in our Sunday schools or some form of religious training school. Nearly 13,000,000 are without religious instruction. Nearly half of these are growing up without any adequate sense of justice, of right and wrong. Has not this government a problem?

Of the membership of all churches of what soever creed one-half have no church going habit, two-thirds contribute little or nothing to the income of their church, three-fourths attend no services between Sundays, five-sixths have no interest in the general work of their church, nine-tenths are not developed and trained to take any active part in teaching, leading people to Christ, public prayer, or anything that means real religious service. Have we not the problem of the undeveloped church? Two per cent of the people of the United States own 60 per cent of the wealth of the U. S. 33 per cent, the middle class, own 35 per cent of the wealth of the

United States. 65 percent of the people own 3 per cent of the wealth of the country. In other words, 2,000,000 people own 20 per cent more of the nations wealth than the other 108,000,000. Has not the statesman, the teacher and the preacher a problem?

If the hand of God was in the formation of this country, if the Spirit of God was in the making of the Government of this country, the voice of God can be heard by the listening churches as He calls us to Christianize America. This is our problem. We must Christianize, because American missionaries should not be forced to apologize for American Christianity when the non-Christian peoples enter the school of Christ. Because to evangelize the world we must Christianize America, for through America are to flow today the currents that are revolutionizing the world's thought, and industry, and commerce, and government and life, and civilization. Purify the fountain and cleanse the channel of American influence and the world will receive the healing waters of life. Because the United States carries the largest measure of the world's hope and is capable of making the largest contribution to the world's redemption. Because, it must furnish at the home base that peculiar, stalwart, vigorous, vital type of religious life that will be a conquering spirit in the world's evangelization. Because, politically, commercially, educationally, and religiously the United States occupies points of vantage in its touch with all other nations.

Because God smiled His brightest smile when he planted us in this fertile soil and bereft these sunny skies, and the lines have indeed fallen to us in pleasant places and we have a goodly heritage. The response that should come from us for his loving kindness, his tender mercies, His faithful watch-care, should be the most noble, God-like manhood and womanhood and the most loyal service to all mankind.

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Thanksgiving Dinner.

The 42 club ladies entertained their husbands at their third annual turkey dinner, on Thanksgiving evening at six o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. L. Hester. The rooms were tastefully decorated with cut flowers and pot plants. Plates were laid for twenty and each and every one who attended were lauded in their praise of the good eats which the ladies had prepared. The napkins which were hand painted had pictures of turkeys on them and the score cards were decorated with dainty wish bones. The Hutchins and Hall drug store was kind enough to lend their radio-phonograph for the occasion and several musical numbers from Ft. Worth were enjoyed. After dinner 42 was played till

a cloud came up about ten o'clock and broke up the party but not before it had been voted quite a success.

Local Circle

The Local Circle met with Mrs. T. A. Martin Monday afternoon. The meeting began with roll call which was answered with "My favorite Sunday school song when I was a child." Some sang them and some just repeated the lines, but it was quite interesting and carried them all back to the pleasant memories of the hours they'd spent in Sunday school in childhood. After the business, a very enjoyable social meeting was held consisting of Bible questions, music and progressive conversation. Mrs. W. R. Martin favored the ladies with special music. The

hostess served delicious refreshments of sandwiches, salad and hot chocolate.

M. E. Church.

Regular preaching days at the Methodist church are second and fourth Sundays of each month.

Next Sunday at the eleven o'clock hour the subject, "The New Testament Idea of the Church," will be discussed and at the evening service a special address to the young people will be given by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Hanks.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at seven o'clock. Everyone is welcome to attend these services but all members are earnestly urged to attend regularly.

Rev. Hanks attended the district stewards meeting at Sweetwater Tuesday.

Leroy Fordtran who has been working at one of the gins here since early in the fall, returned Monday to his home at Industry.

Miss Elon McDonald spent the week-end at her home at Westbrook and while there attended the wedding of Miss Thelma Hudson and Mr. Leroy Gressett which took place Sunday evening. Miss Hudson was a member of the faculty of the Loraine school last year and has many friends in Loraine who wish for her all the good things of life.

We are sorry to report Mrs. W. A. Jarrett on the sick list again this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bryant moved Tuesday to Sweetwater. They will probably go on to Abilene in a short time where they expect to make their future home.

Miss Victrola Lawlis spent the week-end at Colorado.

W. W. Rowland and family are moving this week to the Sullivan farm south of town.

Several of the Loraineites witnessed the football game at Roscoe between A. C. C. and Roscoe Thanksgiving.

Since Mitchell county's salt well has blown the control head off the casing and is free again, it is still a curiosity and lots of folks go to see it daily. Quite a number from Loraine and vicinity have been back to see it again in the last few days.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Jameson and children of Snyder visited in the J. M. Bruce and Jim Johnson homes Thanksgiving.

A. E. Green and Robert Fisher visited in the L. W. Rhodes home Thanksgiving.

W. E. Dickenson and S. P. Jackson were Colorado visitors Tuesday.

Will Peach of Palo Pinto county arrived in Loraine Monday night for a few days visit.

Miss Lillie Mason of Abilene was the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. A. Parker last week-end.

Judge John J. Ford and family of Sweetwater visited in the J. M. Templeton home Thanksgiving.

Miss Estha Edwards left Wednesday of last week for Strawn to spend Thanksgiving and through the week-end with relatives.

S. D. Dunnahoo and family and R. A. Edwards and family spent Thursday in the Baran Haney home at Roscoe.

Miss Reba Dell Neil returned to Gorman Sunday night after spending several days here with her father, J. H. Neil.

Miss Florence Watlington of the Longfellow community visited Mrs. John Coffee Friday.

Mr. G. Miller went to Lamesa the first of last week to look after business interests and from there returned to his home at Plainview.

Miss Gladys Spikes has accepted a position as teacher in the Lunders school. Miss Spikes took Mrs. Otha Thompson's place as Mrs. Thompson will not be able to leave El Paso on account of her husband's health.

Miss Virtna Hudson spent from Thursday till Sunday at her home at Hermleigh.

Mrs. Edd Cougar and children of the China Grove community visited Mesdames Zora Dean and Jack Bryant Sunday.

Alton Robertson who is attending the National Business College at Abilene came home for Thanksgiving and also spent the rest of the week with the home folks.

Oscar Jones and family moved back to Colorado Tuesday. Mr. Hon-in and wife will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Jones and family.

Miss Inez Chapman spent from Wednesday till Sunday at her home at Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cranfill visited in the J. C. Hooker home at Colorado Tuesday.

Mrs. John Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Richardson at Colorado Monday.

J. H. Owens left Tuesday morning for a business trip to Arkansas.

Raymond and Homer Ballard of Hermleigh visited in the John Coffee home Sunday.

The Martin Drug store, Hutchins & Hall Drug store and A. Phillips Racket store have each received large shipments of holiday goods which they now have on display.

Miss Connie Baird was home from the Spade school for the week-end. She had as her guest Miss Minnie Lee Hogue who also teaches at Spade.

Miss Myrtle Hutchins returned to Simmons Friday afternoon after spending Thanksgiving at home.

morning for Erath county to look after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith visited in the Kay McCorley home at Valley View Sunday.

L. B. Walker was a business visitor to Colorado Tuesday.

Miss Laura Miller who is teaching in the Lone Star school visited her sisters, Mesdames Jim Johnson and W. W. Rowland the latter part of the week.

Mesdames C. Rowland and B. A. Miller were home from the Rogers school for the week-end.

Citation on Application for Letters of Guardianship—No. 401

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Mitchell County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the welfare of Paul Pace, Grissie Pace, Hulien Pace and Alice Pace, minors; D. H. Pace has filed in the County Court of Mitchell County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the persons and estate of said minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in January A. D. 1923, the same being the first day of January A. D. 1923 at the Court House thereof in Colorado, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, Texas, this 28th day of November A. D. 1922.

W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk,
County Court Mitchell County, Texas.

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A Dallas district has elected the first woman legislator in the history of Texas. She is Mrs. Edith Wilmans, and she is the second woman to be named to an elective office in the State, Miss Annie Webb Blanton being the first of her sex to hold State office by vote of the people. It is to be hoped that the lady member from Dallas will exert a good influence on the male members of the legislature. Certainly her presence should purify the atmosphere down there considerably, and even if she can accomplish nothing in the way of new laws, her presence there may make better men and legislators out of her colleagues.—Abilene Reporter.

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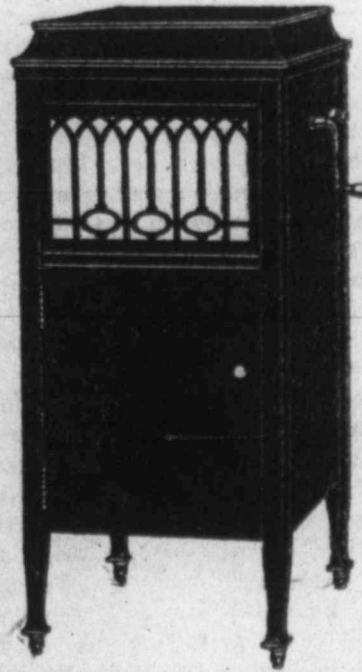
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People who do not chloroform their sense of fun before starting to read history have had many a chuckle over the Pilgrim and Puritan festival of Thanksgiving...

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BURGLARS ENTER BLANKS LAUNDRY FRIDAY NIGHT

Bundles to the value of \$50 were taken from the Colorado Steam Laundry, owned by A. B. Blanks, Friday night by burglars who effected an entrance into the building by breaking a front window. Mr. Blanks stated Monday that no clue establishing identity of the thieves had been found.

Blanks has been in the laundry business at Colorado the past nineteen months and the burglary Friday night is the second time his place has been broken into.

CHANGES ANNOUNCED IN T. & P. TRAIN SCHEDULES

Effective at midnight, Sunday, December 10th, there will be a slight change in all passenger trains, according to bulletin posted Thursday morning by W. B. Ralph, local agent. No. 15 and No. 5 will arrive a little later than now and No. 16 and No. 6 will arrive a little earlier. There will be very slight change in schedule of Sunshine Specials.

Effective Saturday night train No. 16 will operate through sleeping car to Dallas instead of Fort Worth as at present.

Notable Picture Offering

There will be a notable picture offering at the Palace Theatre next Friday when "The Bonnie Brier Bush," a Paramount picture screened in England and Scotland, will be shown. The story is as clean, sweet and wholesome as a breath from the heather-covered hills of Bonnie Scotland. It is one of the few screen offerings that relies for its appeal on fine characterization and human interest, and it is unique for it is a story without a hero and without a villain. Donald Crisp and Mary Glynn play the leading roles.

Merry Wives

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THE A. & M. QUESTION

Commenting on expressions about the West Texas A. & M. question by Editor Ben Smith of the Lockney Beacon and the editor of this paper, Lee J. Rountree, editor of the Bryan Eagle and legislator from the county in which the Texas A. & M. College is located, has the following to say:

"The platform demand of the democratic party of Texas unanimously adopted states that the legislature should establish an agricultural college in West Texas to be a branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical system of Texas and to be under the board of directors of the institution and a school of the first place. The day this school is opened it will be of the first class because the parent institution is of the first class. If you would spend one session of the legislature at Austin and deal with educational problems you would soon ascertain that educational institutions in Texas are not founded as first class in a moment, a day or a year. Education is not the question of a moment, a day or a year. Education is not the question of the moment but of the ages. There is a great demand in Texas for schools and education, but there is little money to appropriate. Ben Smith and Sam Braswell are patriotic citizens of the West. We have known them long and well—when they were school boys and before they moved out West. The Eagle is their friend and is going to support their noble educational aspirations based upon reason, judgment and success. Texas needs a great Agricultural and Mechanical college at Bryan and then other great co-ordinated colleges in one system so that they will not conflict and any other public policy would be an error. The fundamental principles of scientific agriculture are the source wherein the world survives, the only need of changes is in the different soils which are no different on one side of the world than on the other. Let us build in Texas, but build wisely so that all our educational institutions will be first class and have a real standing before the country."—Clarendon News.

Editor Lee J. Rountree, whom we have known many years and have been on intimate terms, has changed his views wonderful since he stood on the floors of the Democratic convention hall a few years ago, and opposed an A. & M. College for West Texas, and declared that West Texas was a vast granite waste, inhabited by coyotes and prairie dogs. We are glad that Lee has changed his attitude, but in the above he does not say that he is in favor of an A. & M. College in the West equal in every way to his home College—the A. & M. College at Bryan, Texas. West Texas people will not be satisfied with the branch college idea. The democratic party at San Antonio last summer did not voice the sentiment of West Texas

people. West Texas does not wish to recognize the Bryan A. & M. as a mother or father institution to the proposed West Texas A. & M. College. The friends of the Bryan A. & M. College have stood in the way of West Texas getting a fair and just division of tax money for educational purposes for years. Lee Rountree and his A. & M. College friends at Bryan opposed an Agricultural and Mechanical College for West Texas until they saw we were going to get it anyway then they came back with this branch idea. This was the next best thing for them. The Beacon stands out for an independent college to teach our

boys agriculture and mechanics. We will not be satisfied with a half loaf. We ask Lee J. Rountree, President Bizzell, who has appeared before every legislature for years as a lobbyist against a West Texas A. & M. College, and friends generally of the Bryan A. & M. College, to stand aside and see the salvation of the Lord. We invite them to get behind us, and let us build an independent institution of the first class. Our proposed West Texas A. & M. College does not need to suck at the breast of the parent institution at Bryan. We do not ask President Bizzell and Legislator Lee J. Rountree to stand as god-parents for

West Texas A. & M. College. The proposed West Texas A. & M. College does not need a guardian. We West Texans ask for educational bread and Rountree and his people offer us a stone.—Lockney Beacon.

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OUT BUFORD WAY

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Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ezell have a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Nash a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Webb, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rodgers, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Franklin, a girl. Some of the little folks are most old enough to enter a protest to this late announcement personally.

Some sickness and colds in the community.

Miss Bulah Hines took sick very suddenly Saturday evening, and her family and friends have been very uneasy about her condition.

The attending physician has called, in another doctor for consultation. Mrs. Hines is very sick too, and staying at her brother's, Mr. Counts, near town. We hope to report the folks much improved by next week.

A number of our folks are putting in new land, getting ready for a big acreage for 1923. Among the number are Mr. Gist, Key, Galey, Hooks, Bodine, and Franklin.

Mr. Berry, who has lived in the Rogers community and at Westbrook for several years will move to the Key farm. We welcome these folks to our community and invite them to all of our church activities.

We notice an article from a Kansas City in the Star-Telegram telling of a new association being formed there called the "Association of Brothers under the Skin. Its a protective society for "Henpecked husbands" has for one of its motives "to stop the onrushing tide of feminism and female domination of the home." We have been thinking seriously of late of organizing a lodge that would be a cross between this above named organization and the "Lion-tamers club" and we really and truly think this lodge will be helpful to a number of our good men and true in the community.

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2. Faith in the Lord and in the
Brethren—Myrtle Seal.
3. Constancy in our daily tasks—
Laudry Smith.

4. "The Lord of Peace Himself
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5. The Apostles Autograph Fare-
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6. Summary—Laura Louise Pear-
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Harmony Club.

Mrs. R. E. Dolman entertained the Harmony club Tuesday. Her guests were Mesdames Harry Hyman, Y. D. McMurry, A. H. Dolman, Osborne, Pearl Shannon and Miss Mary Riordan. Refreshments were cream chicken in patty cases, fruit salad in orange shells, pickles, hot biscuits and coffee. Mrs. Blanks entertains next week.

HUNDRED PEOPLE ATTEND COLORADO LIONS BANQUET

That the banquet given Friday evening at the Barcroft by the Colorado Lions Club was one of the most successful social occasions ever attended by them, sums up statements of sources of Lions and their guests who were there. It is estimated that one hundred people were present to enjoy the turkey dinner and entertainment program, which continued without interruption from eight o'clock to midnight.

Col. C. M. Adams, president of the club, presided, and calling the large assembly to order, introduced Rev. J. F. Lawlis, pastor of the First Methodist church, who pronounced the invocation. The address of welcome, upon behalf of the club, was delivered by Hon. J. W. Sandusky, who expressed profound appreciation for the presence of the ladies and other guests. Rev. D. R. Har-ison, pastor of the First Christian church, was introduced and made an interesting address of response.

The principal address of the evening was delivered by Porter A. Whaley of Stamford, general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Whaley praised the citizenship of Colorado for its continued manifestation of a spirit of determination to do things for the city and community. In his address Mr. Whaley gave an interesting history of the first, second and third Thanksgivings, as generally observed by the people of America and outlined many of those things for which the citizenship of this age should be thankful.

Other speakers were E. F. McCarter of Plainview, district manager for the West Texas Chamber; Rev. J. F. Lawlis, pastor of the First Methodist church; Rev. M. C. Bishop, pastor of the First Baptist church; Rev. W. M. Elliott, pastor of the First Presbyterian church; Judge C. H. Earnest, Col. Adams and J. H. Greene.

Special music was furnished by Misses Hardison and Bird Adams, Mrs. O. B. Price, and M. S. Goldman and A. W. Palmer. A song entitled, "John Brown's Baby," was rendered by a Lions octette, which, according to the introductory remarks of the president, had been imported at great expense especially for the occasion. Little Misses Helen Lockhart and Aline Carey danced.

The program was appreciated by the banqueters from the outset and hardly a number was given that failed to meet with generous applause. Judging from expressions of members of the club this week, in discussing the event, "Ladies Night" will no doubt be observed regularly in the future. Mr. Whaley in his address stated that the Rotary Club of Stamford observes ladies night once in each month.

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17c**

Percale, 84 count, regular 25c grade from 8c to 12 1-2c per yard
Gingham, Red Seal, regular 25c grade, from 10c to 15c per yard
Overalls and Jumpers, Union made, damaged by water, \$1.00 to \$1.25 pair
A. C. A. Tick, from 15c to 24c per yard
Overshoes, not damaged, during this sale for only \$1.00
25 Plush Coats, retail price from \$40.00 to \$160.00, from \$6.75 to \$26.50

**8-oz.
Duck
17c**

Lots of other merchandise not damaged at all at a big reduction. Beyond any doubt, you will buy the biggest bargains that you ever bought in your life. With this stock you will find Shoes, Mens and Ladies-Ready-To-Wear, Gloves, Hose and many useful articles that you need every day.

Remember That This Big Sale Only Lasts Ten Days

A limited amount of goods, nicely rolled in bundles and tagged--all you have to do is to pick them out and have them wrapped. Plenty of salesladies to wait on you. This is an opportunity that you cant afford to miss. COME.

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SHOE SHOP
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LOCAL NOTES

J. H. Parker received another shipment of oranges from his place at Palacios Wednesday and remembered the Record again by leaving some of the fruit at this office. The oranges are most luscious we have ever seen.

If Martins Lung Tonic does not cure that cold, money cheerfully refunded.—Colorado Drug Co. 12-29c

Most complete stock of feed in West Texas and the price is right—Oliver & Bell.

R. M. Hoffer of San Angelo, district representative of the Oil and Gas Division, State Railroad Commission, was in Colorado Wednesday on official business.

We are now selling the fine Essex car delivered in Colorado for \$1195.—Price Auto Co.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

Rev. D. R. Hardison, pastor of the First Christian church, was in Sweetwater Thursday to deliver the sermon at union Thanksgiving services held at the Baptist church there.

Loose-Wilds fancy chocolates. Latest and best. Call for it.—Colorado Spot Cash Grocery

Sweet and Sour pickles in bulk and fine. City Market.

Several Colorado people were in Sweetwater Thanksgiving to witness the football game and spend the holiday with relatives.

Rub-My-Tism, an antiseptic.

I have fed you for 35 years, now I want you to sleep with me 35 years. Try my beds. First door north of Barcroft Hotel, across the street from Burns Store.—JAKE.

C. L. Browning, Jr., of Sweetwater, spent Friday and Saturday in Colorado visiting with friends in the city. Mr. Browning stated that his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Browning, were well pleased with their new home at Brady.

Bring us your furs and hides. Highest market price paid.—A. L. White Grocery Co.

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W. A. Dulin returned Friday night from College Station where he attended a session of farm agents Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Mr. Dulin stopped at Eastland en route home and spent Friday on business at his former home.

Loose-Wilds fancy chocolates. Latest and best. Call for it.—Colorado Spot Cash Grocery

When you want the best grade of kerosene ask for EUPION OIL.

Thos. R. Smith was in Austin Thanksgiving to witness the football game between the Aggies and the Longhorns. Smith is reluctant to admit the fact that the Texas University team met their Waterloo.

When you want the best grade of kerosene ask for EUPION OIL.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.
666 cures Bilious Fever.

R. H. Ratliff has returned from Austin where he had gone on legal business and to witness the football game last week.

Sweet and Sour pickles in bulk and fine. City Market.

Loose-Wilds fancy chocolates. Latest and best. Call for it.—Colorado Spot Cash Grocery

Mr. and Mrs. Iven Tilden returned from Abilene Friday afternoon where they spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends.

Turks, plenty of them. We buy the furs too.—A. L. White Grocery Co.

Phone 133 Klasy Kleaner for quick and correct work.

Judge W. W. Beal of Sweetwater was in Colorado Monday afternoon representing the interest of clients in the district court.

For Windmills and windmill repairs and pipe fittings phone 280.

Plenty of all kinds of feed and more coming—Oliver & Bell.

Mrs. H. C. Lockhart is visiting in El Paso.

666 cures Dengue Fever.

T. R. Moody, recently of Roswell, New Mexico, has returned to Colorado and is again a member of the force at The Record office. Mrs. Moody has been here several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

Have you still that cold? Why not use Martins Lung Tonic?—Colorado Drug Co. 12-29c

New Essex cars on the floor. Immediate delivery at \$1195. Free demonstration.—Price Auto Co.

T. W. Stoneroad spent Tuesday in Sweetwater attending a district official meeting of ministers and laymen of the Methodist church in the Sweetwater district. Stoneroad is district steward from Colorado.

666 cures Malarial Fever

Buy a good tire—The Hood at Price Auto Co.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.
Mose Newmon, vice president of the City National Bank of Sweetwater, was in Colorado a few days of this week attending district court.

Turks, plenty of them. We buy the furs too.—A. L. White Grocery Co.

Try the Eat More Cafe when hungry.

Judge W. P. Leslie spent a few hours in Sweetwater Saturday on official business.

Make your millinery selection now. Stock must be sold out before the Holidays, regardless of cost.—Mrs. Media Robinson.

Several Colorado Knight Templars planned going to Snyder Thursday night to attend lodge.

We clean your clothes right do it quickly and deliver. Phone 133 for quick service.—Klasy Kleaner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKenzie moved Monday to their new home in North Colorado.

Beginning December 1st, 1922, we shall sell everything for strictly cash. There will be no exceptions, do not ask for credit. A. J. Herrington.

Judge Jas. Cunningham of Abilene was in Colorado Tuesday on business in district court.

Are you a reader of Holland's Magazine?

Home ground guaranteed pure pork (all pork) Sausage, country style at City Market.

Judge J. C. Hall is in Austin this week on business.

If you want feed in quantities for future delivery any month this year guaranteed price, see Oliver & Bell.

B. F. Amery returned Sunday night from Wichita Falls where he had gone on business.

Our Ice Vault is kept to the freezing point all the time.—City Market.

One-fourth off on any hat in the house.—Mrs. Media Robinson.

Mrs. C. H. Earnest left Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Porter, in Nashville, Tennessee.

Subscribe for Holland's Magazine through the Civic League. 2w

When your windmill needs repairing, phone 280.

Fresh Mackrel every day, the kind you like eat City Market.

Mrs. Smoot has returned from her visit to Dallas.

Eat more at the EAT MORE Cafe opposite Post Office.

Our Ice Vault is kept to the freezing point all the time.—City Market.

The Misses Adams visited in Big Spring over Sunday.

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

ACTION APLENTY IN HART FILM
A western photoplay that is as full of action as the conventional egg is of meat, is William S. Hart's new Paramount picture, "Three Word Brand," that will be featured at the Palace Theatre for two days beginning Wednesday, next. From the scenes when Ben Trego, after placing his twin sons in safety, blows himself into fragments by igniting a keg of gunpowder to escape a band of savages that had him caught in a trap, to the final fade out when he holds the girls of his heart in his arms, there isn't a wearisome moment. Mr. Hart plays three roles and he portrays them all with consummate artistry. Jane Novak is his leading woman and heads a strong supporting cast of screen players.

Eat more at the EAT MORE Cafe opposite Post Office.

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GRUEN WATCHES

JUST ARRIVED

Shipment of the Newest in Jewelry and Novelties; just the things to make NIFTY Christmas Gifts and at prices to suit any pocket book. These new arrivals consist of

- ART LEATHER HAND BAGS
- SHELL TONE IVORY SETS
- POLYCHROME PICTURE FRAMES
- DUTCH REPRODUCTIONS IN SILVER
- DECORATED GLASS
- SMOKERS SETS
- NEW SHAPES IN WATCHES AND DIAMOND JEWELRY AND VARIED OTHER GIFTS

BIG LINE ENGRAVED CHRISTMAS CARDS

GIFTS THAT LAST

J. P. MAJORS
Your Gift Store

Store Open Evenings

Goods Bought Now laid away until wanted

LONGFELLOW LOCALS
Bro. Foster, our pastor delivered us a nice sermon Saturday night, and also Sunday morning. Bro. Tyson gave a nice Sunday school talk Sunday evening. Then preached for us Sunday night.

Singing was enjoyed by all Sunday evening.

Miss Grace Burrus from the Dorn community was visiting Miss Ola Westbrook Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roach visited in the Burk home Sunday.

Mr. F. L. Buckalew who was operated on for appendicitis last week returned home Tuesday morning and is doing nicely.

Mr. A. K. McCorley is afflicted with a new Ford.

Mr. Thurston Smith of Abilene was visiting homefolks Sunday.

Mrs. George Priester is on the sick list this week and her sister Irene is waiting on her.

Our boys have up their basket ball court and will soon be ready for all comers.

Farming will soon be the order of the day as we have a fine season in the ground.

A number of the Longfellow young people went to the salt well Sunday and in the meantime had a blow out.

H. A. Pond and family was visiting in the Fairview community Saturday night and was at the convention Sunday.

Miss Bennie Adams was visiting her sister up in the Rogers community Saturday night and Sunday.

Quite a bunch of the people out in this part of the country are grieving over the defeat of Andy Gump for Congressman.

Mr. Ernest Smith and wife were visiting at church Sunday.

Miss Annie Scott is on the sick list this week but is doing nicely at this writing.

PUG NOSE
Call me for good coal oil, in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

Hood tires the best there is at Price Auto Co.

Box letter files, the best made 50c at Record office.

JAKE'S ROOMING HOUSE
I have fed you for 35 years, now I want you to sleep with me 35 years. Try my beds. First door north of Barcroft Hotel, across the street from Burns Store.—JAKE.

STAR'S FINE SUPPORT.
"A Prince There Was," Thomas Meighan's new Paramount picture coming to the Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday will hold a double attraction for the host of star admirers among film patrons. For Thos. Meighan, the star, is supported by Mildred Harris, former star in Lois Weber productions and who recently was seen in an important feminine lead in Cecil B. De Mille's production, "Fool's Paradise." Miss Harris, who is one of the most popular feminine stars of the silver-sheet had an appealing role in the new picture and proves herself a capable leading woman for the "good luck" Paramount star.

CARD OF THANKS.
We take this method of expressing our thanks to the kind hearted friends who were so generous to us in our late sorrow. We wish to thank each one who did anything in any way to offer comfort and especially do we feel grateful for the floral offering. We pray God's richest blessings upon you one and all.

Mr. J. W. Nunn and family.

Try the Eat More Cafe when hungry.

DR. M. E. CAMPBELL
Of Abilene
Will be in Colorado
Sunday, Dec. 17th

To do any practice relative to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and fit Glasses.

Remember the Date

Give us that order for an Essex car while they are only \$1195 delivered.—Price Auto Co.

Now is the time to have your windmill repaired. Phone 280.

All kinds of Cheese, the very best at City Market.

When you shoe your car get the best—Hood casings—get 'em at Price Auto Co.

All kinds of office supplies at the Record office, also typewriters and draftsman's supplies.

All kinds of Cheese, the very best at City Market.

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Our Holiday Stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Novelties, etc., is first in quality and variety.

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