

# JOYOUS THROUGH GREET'S SANTA ON ARRIVAL AT COLORADO PAVED CONNECTION NORTH, SOUTH ASSURED, BELIEF

## DESIGNATION OF HIGHWAY NUMBER 101 IS EXTENDED SOUTH TO STERLING CITY

### Chamber of Commerce Elated Over Developments On New Road Project

The State Highway Commission Friday announced extension of Highway 101 south from Colorado to Sterling City, intersecting Highway 9, among the important State and Federal roads serving the Southwest. Extension of the route south from Colorado, either connecting with Sterling City or San Angelo by way of Robert Lee, has been sought by the chamber of commerce for months.

"I have nothing to state further than the department has authorized the new designation," Judge W. R. Ely of Abilene, chairman of the commission, told Jim Greene, chamber of commerce secretary, in a telephone conversation Saturday morning. "I might add," he continued, "that we made the designation largely due to persistent demand from your organization that such be done."

"The most interesting news that has come into Colorado in a long time," was the declaration of Greene Saturday morning. "Our highway department has worked faithfully and long for this forward step and it is most gratifying to realize that the first move looking to the building of a paved thoroughfare connecting Snyder and Sterling City by way of Colorado, has been achieved."

Just when surveys are to be made on the route from here north to Snyder has not been announced. District engineer representing the highway department stated here several months ago that the road would be paved on condition the counties of Mitchell and Scurry furnish without cost to the State a 100-foot right-of-way. This condition was met by commissioners' courts of the two counties.

## MRS. B. DONNELL RITES SATURDAY MORNING AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Funeral rites for Mrs. B. Donnell, 52, were conducted Saturday morning at the Church of Christ with Minister J. D. Harvey officiating. Mrs. Donnell died at the family home in East Colorado Thursday night at 10 o'clock following an illness of several years. Burial was in I.O.O.F. cemetery.

During the extended illness of deceased, Minister Harvey and members of his congregation have cared for the indigent woman and her four children. Expenses of the funeral were paid by the church.

The four surviving children, Travia, Fannie, Coleman and Hazel, have all been placed in good homes, Mr. Harvey stated Tuesday morning.

## ROBBER STANDS OFF 6 AND TAKES \$225 WITH AID OF MENACING GUN

Entering a San Angelo grocery at 9:30 Saturday night a lone bandit stood six persons along the wall with their hands elevated while he robbed the cash register of \$225 in cash. The bandit spurned checks.

A short time later police arrested two men who were speeding through the city in a motor car. One of them was believed to have been responsible for the holdup.

## COLORADO ELECTRIC CO DISTRIBUTOR UNIVERSAL MOTOR THIS TERRITORY

The Colorado Electric Company of which W. M. Godbe is manager has recently been designated as factory distributor for Universal Motor Company in this territory. The equipment consists of newly designed electrical plants especially made for use on the farm.

## FIRE BOYS TO REPAIR DISCARDED TOYS FOR CHARITIES USE HERE

The United Charities and other benevolent organizations of Colorado hope that an appreciated toy will find its way into the hands of every boy and girl during this Christmas season. To attain that worthy goal cooperation of the citizenship is sought in drive to collect all discarded and broken toys and deliver them to the fire department.

Joe Farr, member of the fire department, informed the chamber of commerce Monday morning that fire boys would be pleased to repair and place in good condition all of such toys delivered to them. Distribution of these gifts will be under personal direction of Mrs. Boyd Dozier.

If not convenient to deliver the toys to the fire department, telephone the chamber of commerce and some one will call at your home or store for them.

There are scores of deserving boys and girls in Colorado who will receive no practical gift at Christmas time unless Coloradans extend full cooperation to this worthy program.

## NEWT MILLER CASE GOES OVER TO APRIL TERM OF COURT ON DEFENSE PLEA

### Robbery And Booze Cases On Card During Second Week Of 32nd Dist. Court

The Newt Miller murder case received its third consecutive continuance Monday morning in 32nd district court and is now pending for trial at the April term. Plea for continuance was made by counsel for defense on contention that a material witness was absent and chief counsel could not appear in court due to illness.

In granting the continuance Judge Mauzey stated that the court was taking into consideration prevalent illness in the community, due to influenza and doubted seriously if twelve men selected on the jury could be kept well during time to be taken up in disposing of the case.

J. W. Fletcher and Louis Scarborough, associated with a group of cotton pickers giving Carlsbad, New Mexico, as their home, were tried Monday on a hi-jacking charge and given five years in the penitentiary. The pair were charged with robbing participants in a poker game in East Colorado on the night of Saturday, November 26. Indictments against them were returned last week by the grand jury.

Lloyd Hastings and Jewell Weeks were found guilty on the charge of car theft and each assessed a two years suspended pen term. The men were indicted in connection with theft of a small motor car from the R. T. Manuel home last September 5.

Coy Britton was given ten days in jail and deprived of privilege of driving a motor car for six months upon a grand jury.

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## Annual Banquet For Members of Wolf Squad Set For Thursday At Colorado

Annual banquet honoring Coach Cantrill and members of the Wolf squad is set for Thursday evening of this week in banquet room at the Colorado. The Lions Club will be host to the popular mentor and the men who so commendably defended traditions of Colorado high school during the league season closing a few weeks ago.

## SCHOOLS WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23RD, FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

### Class Room Work Be Taken Up Again On Monday, January Second

The city schools are to close Friday afternoon of next week until after the Christmas holidays, giving an entire week to faculty and student body with no attention to regular class room work. The schools will be opened on Monday morning, January 2, 1933.

Several teachers plan leaving next week-end for their respective homes to spend the holidays. Others are to remain in Colorado.

Students who during the past two weeks have been detained at home due to illness from influenza are gradually taking up their studies again. School officials Thursday expressed belief that few would remain on the absentee roster from that cause after the holidays.

John E. Watson, superintendent of the schools, has been absent from his office during this week. After experiencing some two weeks of the trying task of employing substitute teachers for faculty members who were down with the flu, he himself was overcome with the disease a few days ago.

## BIG SPRING STUDENTS HIT BY FLU EPIDEMIC SEVERAL HUNDRED OUT

The epidemic of influenza that for the past few weeks has raged at Colorado, Sweetwater and other West Texas communities, swooped down on Big Spring last week and sent hundreds of school students and others to bed. The Daily Herald for Sunday reported.

A total of 306 students were absent from junior and high schools there alone Friday. The number was estimated at thirty percent of total enrollment.

The county superintendent was quoted in statement that ten percent of students attending rural schools of Howard county had been stricken. At Vincent, thirty miles northwest from Colorado, the ratio was larger, with entire families being in bed. But few fatalities have been reported from the disease.

## Rogers School Is To Give Play And Auction Tuesday

"When A Woman Decides," the best play of the season, will be presented at the Rogers school house Tuesday night, December 20, at 8 o'clock. Patrons and pupils of the school are invited to see their faculty on parade as one of them expressed it "See them at their worst."

You are also requested to bring your nickles and dimes for the big auction sale.

The admission will be 5 cents and 10 cents. The public is urgently requested to attend.

## Masonic Committee Urges Members To Attend Celebration

Urge that every member of the Masonic and Eastern Star fraternities attend fiftieth anniversary program at First Christian church Friday evening was made Tuesday afternoon by a committee representing the two orders. W. W. Porter, Jas. Sherwin and Mrs. J. Lee Jones constitute the committee.

A program of strong merit, depicting tenets of the orders together with interesting historical data having to do with establishing Masonry in Colorado fifty years ago, has been arranged. The program is to begin at 7:30.

## GREATEST MOTOR CAR OF THEM ALL MILLS SAYS OF 1933 CHEVROLET MODELS

### First Showing Announced At Local Distributor Show Rooms Next Saturday

"The greatest motor car ever built by Chevrolet."

That was the statement employed by Joe B. Mills, owner and manager of Mills Chevrolet Company, upon his return from Dallas last week-end where he had gone to attend initial showing of the new 1933 models in Texas.

The Mills Chevrolet Company announces that these new cars will be on display on floor of their show rooms Saturday. Shipment is in transit from the factory at Detroit and should reach Colorado Thursday or Friday.

"We do not prefer to attempt describing the many superb features of this new automobile in an interview," Mills stated Thursday afternoon. "We prefer that the motorist visit our show rooms Saturday and inspect the cars for himself. I will say, however, that I am delighted with sterling qualities of the car and have every reason to believe such will be verdict of the public."

In announcing initial showing of the new Chevrolet in Colorado Saturday, Mr. Mills stated that courteous attendants would be on the floor to explain in detail the several material improvements that have been built into every feature of the machine.

## HARLEY SADLER LENDS COOPERATION TO FETE GIVEN FOR OLD SANTA

Harley Sadler, owner of the tented theatre showing in Colorado this week under his name, lended every cooperation to the chamber of commerce and merchants committee in plans for reception of Santa Claus Wednesday afternoon. In addition to having his band at the airport to welcome Santa as he swooped down to earth from out of the north, Sadler extended other courtesies.

The Sadler shows are located across the Colorado river bridge on lots known as the old cotton yard. Nightly performances are being liberally patronized by the public, due to fact he is giving some excellent theatrical bills and has his large tent made comfortable by heating.

## SNOW FLURRIES ADDING ZEST TO WINTRY BLAST

Flurries of snow arrived out of the north Thursday morning to add zest to the wintry blast holding this section in its grip for several days. It was still snowing Thursday afternoon but the precipitation was melting almost as rapidly as it fell.

## COTTON PRODUCTION GOES TO NEW HIGH FIGURES FOR ANNUAL YIELD IN COUNTY

### 1925 With 41,188 Bales Has Second Place For Past Twelve Years

Mitchell county farmers will harvest from the crop of 1932 the largest cotton production ever recorded, exceeding the county's banner year of 1925 when a total of 41,188 bales were ginned.

The 1932 crop, however, will not offer consistent comparison with some of the previous years in the matter of profit realized to the producer. Thirteen years ago from a production of 26,154 bales, the cotton farmer made money "lands down." The crop of 1919, following in wake of one of the most devastating droughts West Texas ever experienced, was sold at from 30 to 40 cents per pound.

Smallest county yield within the past twelve years was in 1930 with a total of only 15,208 bales ginned. 29,734 bales were ginned from the crop of 1931.

Sub-freezing weather that has prevailed during the past week has resulted in little activity in the fields. Farmers have been kept indoors, condition that permitted but few bales being picked. A good percent of ginnings reported for the week represents cotton that had been picked before the blizzard arrived Friday.

Due to near approach of end of the harvest, The Record will not publish weekly cotton reports regularly hereafter. It is estimated that receipts will come in slowly now and all the cotton should be out and ginned in a few weeks with return of favorable weather conditions.

Total gin receipts from this year's crop had reached 42,356 bales at noon Thursday, weekly report issued by The Record showed. The report accounted for only 1,541 bales received during the week.

Colorado has ginned a total of 27,733 bales, Lorraine 11,868 bales, Westbrook 5,427 bales and Buford 2,328 bales.

## Baptist Program At Dunn Not Given On Account Cold Snap

The sub-freezing weather that prevailed during the past week was responsible for suspension of outlined program for meeting of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist associational workers conference at Dunn Tuesday. Less than fifty delegates representing only a few churches braved the bitter cold to attend.

The program, however, will be given at Dunn at next meeting of the conference to be held January 10.

The few messengers attending Tuesday had lunch at the Baptist church. Impromptu addresses were delivered by Rev. Dick O'Brien of Colorado, Rev. Bill Devers of Snyder and Rev. H. B. Naylor of Champion. Rev. Mr. O'Brien spoke from the subject of loyalty.

## Mitchell Farmers Express Interest In Move Started To Rid Cotton Of Board

Move originating with Governor Harvey Parnell of Arkansas Thursday to demand repeal of the Federal Farm Board act, in so far as it applies to cotton, is being received with a deal of interest among farmers of Mitchell county. Several of these planters have insisted that workings of the Farm Board were detrimental to their interests.

## THESE THREE WEIGH NEAR 1,000 POUNDS; ONE IS LOCAL 'COP'

No, the three ponderous gentlemen seen together in town the other day were not connected with the side show of some circus, as some one might have suggested when J. E. Payne, member of the local police force; "Babe" Hall of Lubbock and W. K. Kellogg of Abilene, strolled down Second street together.

However, the trio represented about the heaviest weight "on foot" or otherwise, seen in town for several months. Payne weighs 315 pounds, Hall 365 pounds and Kellogg 285 pounds, making the total 965.

Payne, who boasts of being the champion heavyweight in these parts, admits now that the Lubbock citizen has him bested by several pounds, fifty of them to be exact.

## HEART ATTACK FATAL TO F. M. THOMPSON, PIONEER FARMER OF MITCHELL CO.

### Funeral Rites Wednesday At 2 O'Clock P. M. From Baptist Church

Funeral rites for Frances M. Thompson, 84, were conducted Wednesday afternoon from the First Baptist church with Rev. C. A. Allen of Westbrook, assisted by Rev. A. D. Leach of Colorado, officiating. Burial was in I.O.O.F. cemetery.

Mr. Thompson died Monday morning at 6:40 o'clock at his farm home six miles west of Colorado from a heart attack. He had been a resident citizen of Mitchell county for twenty six years, moving here from Cooper, Texas, in 1906.

Deceased had been prominent in Masonic circles for more than half a century. For several years after locating in Mitchell county he was active in activities of the fraternity at Colorado, where he held membership.

Surviving are four sons, J. M. Thompson, C. J. Thompson, and O. H. Thompson of Colorado and A. H. Thompson of Leadville, Colorado, and two daughters, Mrs. G. W. Hamrick and Mrs. J. W. Harris, both of Colorado.

The Jones, Russell Company were in charge of funeral plans.

## SLIPPERY ROADS CAUSE OF TRAFFIC INJURY TO TWO VINCINT CITIZENS

J. K. Hill and Chas. Dees of Vincent were seriously injured late Saturday in a traffic accident between Vincent and Big Spring.

Hill, suffering a crushed thigh and internal injuries, was reported by the Big Spring Daily Herald Monday as being in a serious condition at a hospital there. Dees is suffering from internal hurts and a crushed shoulder.

Sleet covering the road was blamed for the accident.

The fight was instituted at Little Rock late Thursday when the late Arkansas chief executive announced that he was out to get cotton from under control of the board. Governor Sterling of Texas, along with governors in other Southern States, were appealed to for cooperation.

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## LANDS AT PORT WEST OF TOWN TO CONCLUDE FIRST PLANE TRIP TO COLORADO

### Patron Saint Urges Shoppers To Make Gift Purchases At Local Stores

Wednesday was a gala day for the kiddies of Mitchell county, Santa Claus came to town.

Braving near sub-freezing weather that had prevailed since Friday of last week, hundreds of children from Colorado and surrounding territory arrived at the improvised landing field west of town several minutes before 4 o'clock in the afternoon, time set for arrival of the Patron Saint. It was one of the largest gatherings of children and grown-ups seen there this year.

At five minutes before 4 plane of Santa Claus appeared from the north. His pilot circled over Colorado for a time or two and then brought the ship to a landing. Difficulty was experienced by police, members of the sheriff's department and a score of special officers in keeping the eager throng into zones of safety.

No sooner had the plane been sighted than the children swarmed about it. Santa Claus emerged and with his usual broad smile, extended greetings. He made his way to a waiting automobile and began throwing handfuls of candy into the mass of humanity. An entire barrel of "kisses" were given away.

Arrival of Santa Claus was not only welcomed by about 1,000 children and as many elders, but two bands were present at the air port to impress him that Colorado was indeed pleased to have him stop here. The Eddie See orchestra, associated with Harley Sadler's show, and the Colorado high school band took turns in letting loose lively airs.

Reception over at the airport, Santa Claus gave directions that his motor car start procession to the business district. So long was the line of automobiles that after his machine had reached downtown Colorado, others were forming in line almost a mile distant.

Visit to the stores and shops in which Christmas gift merchandise is on display was the next order of business for Santa Claus. He smiled and acknowledged entire satisfaction everywhere. Not one single Colorado merchant was found to have disregarded his instructions that nothing but the best merchandise and at prices lower than ever be offered the public this Yuletide season.

"I appreciate more than they will ever know the royal reception given me by those several hundred boys and girls when my airplane landed here this afternoon, Santa remarked to a reporter for The Record after

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## COLORADO WANTS POSTOFFICE, PAVED HIGHWAYS FOR XMAS

Along with scores of children, every one of whom is much appreciated by this newspaper, The Record sends a letter to that gracious Patron Saint in which we ask Santa Claus to hurry along with our new postoffice building and the paved highway connecting Snyder and Sterling City, by way of Colorado.

We realize that these things are coming our way, Santa, but can't you use your influence and bend the two projects a bit? We need them both right now.

Colorado wants these two things very much. They have been assigned to us but delivery is a bit slow. What can you do about it, Santa?



# SOCIETY

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would appreciate report of all social and club meetings, as early as possible, and all such reports must be phoned in not later than Wednesday afternoon each week  
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**Daughters of the King Class**  
The Daughters of the King Class met Thursday with Mrs. McCall at the home of Mrs. Q. D. Hall. In the absence of Mrs. Sam Smith the vice-president Mrs. Costin presided. Mrs. Terrell read the Christmas story from Luke and Mrs. Merritt read an article "Christ is Safe." Reports were given from the various committees. It was voted to help with the tree for the Mission church. A cake was promised for each family and candy and fruit will be given if the downtown Sunday school does not provide it. Twenty five were present on the Sunday previous.

It was voted to remember one of the good friends of the class with a gift. Several families had been helped, many trays sent to the sick and many visits made. The flowers had been sent each Sunday to some one ill.

Mrs. Webb and Mrs. W. C. Hinds of Childress were guests.

This was the eighty second birthday of the class teacher and at the social hour she was presented a tray heaped with dainty gifts from the class members which she very much appreciated.

Mrs. Rube Hart assisted the hostess in serving chicken sandwiches, spice cake and tea.

Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Sheppard presented Mrs. Arnett and Mrs. Hinds each with a beautiful chrysanthemum.

**Hesperian Club**  
Because of the bad weather the Hesperian Club met Friday with Mrs. Edgar Majors instead of Mrs. Arlie Martin in Loraine as had been planned. Arrangements for the Bible day program were completed. This is to be given at the Country Club Thursday with the study clubs of the town as guests. It was voted to send a Christmas treat to the clubs two adopted schools.

It was reported that Mrs. J. T. Whitmore was moving to Colorado and the club voted to invite her to again become a Hesperian. The Health seals were given to Mrs. Jas. G. Martin at three high school. She was asked to have a health program and otherwise enthuse the youngsters who are to visit them.

This was Parliamentary day with Mrs. Thomas as leader. Roll call was answered with qualifications of a good officer. Mrs. Millweave gave a very splendid talk on Education toward Permanent Peace Mrs. Whipple told of the origin of Parliamentary law and Mrs. Merritt of the conduct of a simple meeting.

The next meeting will be Jan. 6th with Mrs. Randle.

**Shakespeare Club**  
The Shakespeare Club met with Mrs. Thomas R. Smith Friday. Roll call was answered with current events. Lesson nine in the Dolphian was studied. Mrs. Pearson told of the physical features of Palestine and its effect on the Hebrews. Mrs. Snyder told of sources of Hebrew history. Mrs. Stoneroll of Solomon and his successors. Mrs. Greene told from the Capture to the fall of Jerusalem.

The lesson in Richard third was also studied.

The club adjourned until Jan. 6th when the meeting will be with Mrs. Joe Smoot. At the social hour the hostess assisted by her daughter Niria Laura served a delicious plate lunch.

**Legion Auxiliary**  
The American Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday with Mrs. Merritt. The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. Ferguson. Mrs. Merritt led in prayer. The minutes were read by Mrs. Boston. Gifts for nine soldier boys were shown by Mrs. Hughes. They will be packed at once.

It was reported that a little more than \$54 was taken in on the poppy sale. A letter asking for help on the Childrens Christmas party was told of by the president. It was decided to do this and to have a party some time during the year at Legion. Mrs. Merritt reported an Americanization program given Nov. 10th at high school. The meeting adjourned to meet in January with Mrs. Hughes. The hostess passed fruit cake and candied grape fruit peel.

**Self Culture Club**  
The Self Culture club met Friday The Health seals were delivered to them for downtown and committees appointed to attend to their distribution. Mrs. Willbans resignation was accepted with regrets. Mrs. Lavender led the lesson on Health. Roll call was answered with a duty of the County Health officer. Mrs. Dawson told of the need of a county health nurse. Mrs. Whitmore gave a lecture on care of a child from birth until high school. This was both interesting and most instructive.

At the social hour a salad plate with sandwiches and coffee was served. The meeting this week is with Mrs. King.

**Standard Club**  
The Standard Club met Friday with Mrs. George W. Smith who was also leader. The latter part of Mrs. Richard third was studied. Mrs. Buchanan gave a very splendid paper on Shakespeare's Buckingham.

At the social hour Miss Mabel Smith served a delicious luncheon plate to her mother's guests.

**U. D. C. Meeting**  
Mrs. C. C. Thompson will be hostess to the Robert E. Lee chapter U. D. C. Tuesday at three thirty o'clock. At this time Christmas plans for the veterans will be made and a report of the state meeting given.

**Martin-Campbell Nuptials**  
Miss Mildred Martin and Bruce Campbell were married Friday, Dec. 9, in Sweetwater by the bride's pastor Rev. L. A. Webb. From there they went on a wedding trip to Ft. Worth and other points east returning to Colorado the first of the week.

Miss Martin was born and reared in Colorado. She is the daughter of Mrs. Miller of San Antonio, the niece of Mrs. Myhre and the granddaughter of Mrs. Martin. She is a graduate of Colorado high school and a most popular member of the younger set.

Mr. Campbell is employed at Col. Tex refinery and is a well known young business man.

Mrs. Campbell's friends are entertaining for her this evening.

Many good wishes are expressed for the happiness of the newly wedded pair.

## Street Cars That Go Straight Up

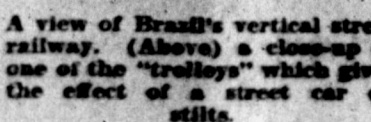


A vertical street railway system where the trolley cars instead of running on the highways go almost straight up in the air, has recently been put into operation in Bahia, Brazil.

This thriving Brazilian town is built on two levels, the residential section being considerably above the commercial district. It is necessary daily to move the town's entire population from one level to another. Recently Bahia, opened the La Cerdas tower connecting the two levels with high speed elevator service. Before the tower was erected the town depended upon an incline railway known as the "stream chariot."

As the population grew, additional transportation facilities were required, and the engineers of the Otis Elevator Company last year converted the "chariot" into what is probably the only vertical trolley car system in existence.

This unique railway has two cars, each having a capacity of forty passengers. The travel of these cars is about 175 feet on an incline from the horizontal at an angle of 35 degrees. The cars travel at a speed of 550 feet per minute, and each has two en-



A view of Bahia's vertical street railway. (Above) a closing of one of the "trolleys" which gives the effect of a street car on stilts.

trances and two exits protected by power operated doors.

The re-opening of this vertical street car system was made a public function, attended by the local authorities, representatives of the press, and many of the prominent citizens of the city. The ceremony was conducted by the acting Prefect of Bahia who stressed the marked improvement in communication between the two levels which will be provided by the new conditions.

### London Bridge Club

The London bridge club met Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Price. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Latham. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Majors and Mr. and Mrs. Stoneroll. High score for ladies was made by Mrs. Cantrill who won a necklace. High for men by Mr. Latham who was given a necktie and handkerchief set. Mrs. Majors made low for ladies and Harry Ratliff low for men. Both were given handkerchiefs.

A very delicious salad plate with coffee and pecan cake was served.

### 1921 Study Club

The 1921 Study Club was scheduled to meet Friday with Mrs. J. T. Pritchett, but so many were victims of flu there were not enough attending to have a meeting. They will have their Christmas tree with Mrs. Sam Majors. Friday, then close for the Christmas holidays.

### Pastime Bridge Club

The Pastime Bridge Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Scarbrough who had three tables of players and three guests. They were Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Lee Dorn and Mrs. Lavender. Mrs. Williams made high score and was given a silk pajama bag decorated with a colored lady.

Mrs. Lavender won high cut for guests a picture. A refreshment plate of chicken salad, crackers, fruit cake, with whipped cream and hot cider was served.

The next meeting is with Mrs. Willbanks.

## COMMUNITY FETES WERE CURTAILED BY BLIZZARD WEATHER OF LAST WEEK

Community programs arranged to have been given in several school buildings of the county Friday night of last week were either postponed or definitely annulled due to severe weather conditions. Box suppers and other school programs had been arranged.

Colorado speakers, debaters and other brands of entertainers were scheduled to have appeared on the programs.

A. C. Connell, responsible for debate feature at Landers school that evening, announced Monday that he would arrange additional school programs with reluctance. "I have never yet planned such features but that blizzard weather conditions made it impossible for me to carry them through," he explained. Last year Connell, then trustee of the local negro school, arranged to take his choral club to Bauman. A blizzard arrived an hour or so before time to leave Colorado and the trip was called off.

## COLORADO GIRL NAMED CANDIDATE IN ANNUAL SCHOOL BEAUTY RACE

FORT WORTH, Dec. 14.—Miss Winnie Powell of Colorado has been named as one of the candidates of the freshman class of Texas Christian University for beauty honors in the student annual, The Horned Frog.

Miss Powell's name, along with the

other candidates, will be voted on first in an elimination contest, in which four finalists from each class will be selected. These four will be presented to the student body at the annual style show sometime in January. Then a secret ballot will be taken which will name two from each class who will be honored with a full page picture in the annual.

Each class was limited to 15 nominations and Miss Powell was one of the favored few thus to be nominated by her classmates.

## Palace Theatre Has Interesting Program Billed During Week

Douglas Fairbanks' latest picture, "Mr. Robinson Crusoe," comes to the Palace theatre on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 15 and 16, and thus local fans will have their first opportunity of seeing the adventurous star in a modern version of the famed Defoe character, a character destined to take a high place with the gallery already composed of "Robin Hood," "Don Q," "The Three Musketeers," and all the other Fairbanks masterpieces.

Randolph Scott, Sally Blane and J. Farrell MacDonald head the cast appearing in the movie version of Zane Grey's action romance of the west, "Heritage of the Desert," which shows Saturday, Dec. 17, at the Palace Theatre.

The picture, filmed in remote sections of Utah and Arizona, the setting used by Grey in his novel, follows the Grey story closely.

Jackie Cooper makes his latest appearance on the Palace screen Sunday matinee and Monday, Dec. 18 and 19, in "Divorce in the Family."



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## COTTON GROWING BAN IS PROPOSED FOR 2 YEARS IN BIG BEND TERRITORY

### Pink Boll Worm Infestation Said To Be More Acute Than Ever Before

There is likelihood of a two-year ban on cotton growing in the Big Bend country, in event recommendation of Commissioner of Agriculture McDonald becomes a reality. Speaking at Austin Saturday the commissioner declared that pink boll worm infestation in that section was heavier and more threatening than ever before.

Control measures in an endeavor to stamp out the pest while continuing to grow crops would be impossible, McDonald stated. He announced every effort would be made immediately to effect agreement with the Mexican government to join the United States in establishing a non-cotton zone for a period of two years as the only way to eradicate the pest.

The pink boll worm has caused considerable worry to West Texans for several years. Bitter fights in the Texas legislature developing out of demands for damage payments to farmers have been waged and the issue at one time became injected into politics.

Mitchell county farmers have never been effected directly by the pest and subsequent State and Federal regulatory measures imposed. A quarantine station was maintained at one time near Itan tank, twenty miles west of Colorado on Highway No. 1.

Based on an original story by Maurice Rapf, the new picture shows Jackie as the son of a scientist, divorced from his wife. When the boy is placed in the care of his mother and stepfather he experiences a longing for his real father and a reluctance to atone himself to the strange environment of his new home.

One of the season's most highly dramatic screen plays has just been booked for showing at the Palace Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 20 and 21, according to announcement by Manager Mrs. McKenzie.

The picture is "Scandal For Sale," the Universal drama which follows the career of a professional scandal-monger—a black sheep among newspaper men who prostitutes his professional newspaper, through in no sense typical of newspaperdom, this man has risen to a place of power on a New York daily, and exercises a tremendous power on the lives of those surrounding him.

"Blessed Event" Thursday and Friday, December 22 and 23. The "Blessed Event" is not what the name might suggest. The story is taken from the stage play of the same name, which attained such a high degree of success on the New York Stage. There is a bit of drama, a bit of pathos, but above all, a world of good, fast comedy in the picture. Tracy ruins the life of a girl through his allegiance to his column in the newspaper for which he works. At first he chooses his column in preference to his sweetheart, but he finally succumbs to romance. There is nothing the youngsters shouldn't see. It is really a "Blessed Event" to the show going public.

The "Blessed Event" has come almost to be the trademark of the peculiar phenomenon of modern journalism, the "smart" columnist, who digs dirt for his pay, who gossips,

## BOB LOVEJOY, MANAGER HICKS RUBBER COMPANY, HUNTING IN OLD MEXICO

Mr. R. B. Lovejoy, local manager of the Hicks Rubber Company left Saturday night on the midnight train for San Antonio where he joined a bunch of Hicks store managers on a four day hunting trip into old Mexico. It is confidently expected that Mr. Lovejoy will bring back several bear and therefore patrons of that store and friends of Mr. Lovejoy are anticipating a great banquet feast as a result of his hunting powers and good fortune in winning this trip, all expenses paid in six weeks sales in a ninety day contest.

## FAT AND LEAN MERITS BE DEBATED SATURDAY NIGHT AT LONE STAR

That perplexing question, which is of the better service to his community, a fat man or a lean one, is still unsettled, according to Chas. Brazil, principal of Lone Star school. Brazil stated Wednesday that this subject would be debated at Lone Star Saturday night with Jim Greene defending the fat man and Rev. Dick O'Brien taking up defense of the lean citizen.

The debate is just one feature of an interesting community program to be given. There will be a box supper and other entertaining features on the evening's program. The program is to start at 7 o'clock.

not wisely, but too well about every one else's business, and whose motto seems to be: "The bigger they are, the harder they fall."

Lee Tracy does the part to the hilt. He is worth the price of the show all the way.

### District Court

(Continued From Page One) conviction of driving an automobile while intoxicated.

Charlie Blalock, convicted on a driving while intoxicated charge, was assessed a six months suspended term and deprived from driving a motor car for ninety days.

Joe Creamer was assessed a five year term in the penitentiary, suspended, on the charge of possession of intoxicants.

Tom Mints received a one year suspended pen sentence as penalty for conviction on a liquor possession charge.

Zimery Vaughn was fined \$25 and costs, together with being denied privilege of driving a motor car for 18 months by the jury trying him on the charge of driving while intoxicated.

### Joyous Throng

(Continued From Page 1) getting out of his automobile downtown. "I realize that the boys and girls of this territory are about the best I have ever had the pleasure of visiting with. I am going to do my very best to bring them just the things they want at Christmas."

"I want you to say for me that it is my wish that these little friends of mine insist that their parents do their Christmas shopping in Colorado," he continued. "I ordered my pilot to stop here just to see for myself if the gifts being offered met my specifications. I was delighted to find that a genuine bargain is offered in every item."

Santa Claus called at The Record office and was given copy of this week's paper in which letters to him from the boys and girls of this county were printed. Second section of the paper containing these letters was printed Wednesday in order to deliver it to him personally.

"Now isn't that just too fine," chuckled the benevolent old gentleman as he scanned through the printed letters. "I am delighted to have these children write me personal letters and I wish that I had time to answer every one of them individually. However, that will be impossible, because there are so many children throughout the world I could never get around when it came to writing letters."

"I will be seeing you again Christmas eve and I hope that conditions will make it possible for me to bring the very things that each boy and girl has requested," Santa Claus stated just before stepping into his plane. A wave of his hand, a smile covering his face and he was off into the air again with the homes of other kiddies his destination.

### Mitchell Farmers

(Continued From Page 1) Charging the Federal Farm Board has done more to destroy the cotton market than any other factor except possibly the Grundy tariff act, Gov. Harvey Parnell asked the Governors of cotton-producing States to join a movement to ask repeal of the Farm Board act as it affects cotton.

A cotton farmer himself, Governor Parnell telegraphed the other Governors that he was convinced the only way "we shall see the return of happy days" is to get the Government out of the cotton business.

He proposed to the cotton States governors that they ask their Senators and Representatives to strive to

bring about repeal of the act creating the board in so far as it gave the board power to handle cotton, and to require the board to sell each month a certain percentage of the cotton it now holds until the total is liquidated.

Governor Parnell said he opposed the appropriation of a single cent to the board or granting it any of the additional powers it Wednesday asked of Congress.

"Why should we spend more money or grant new powers to a bureaucratic organization which had the foolish conceptions that the farmer's problems could be solved merely by plowing up every third row of cotton, slaughtering every tenth dairy cow or limiting cotton production to home consumption, he said.

"Of course such policies are ridiculous and childish, but the entire program of the board as it affects cotton has been tragic and ruinous. Its activities, coupled with prohibitive tariffs, have almost destroyed the Southern farmer.

"Our immediate need as I see it," he said, "is to get the Government out of business and our immediate interest is cotton. Therefore, let us at once petition our Representatives in Congress to introduce appropriate legislation to abolish the Farm Board, to take the Government out of the cotton business, and by legislative act to definitely dispose of the now existing surplus of cotton under Government control. I would suggest that such disposition be made over a period of two years by proportionate weekly sales between January and September of each year so that a minimum of competitive selling would be offered during the harvesting period. Such sales, I think, should be of a public nature, advertised and offered in designated public markets."

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  - LARD, 8 pound pail ..... 59¢
  - SPUDS, 10 pounds ..... 17¢
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- HOT BARBECUE DAILY

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## CHURCHES

**Episcopal Church**  
Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Visitors welcome.  
ALEX. B. HANSON

**Church of Christ**  
Two more sermons about the Christ next Sunday will interest. "Christ—The Hope of the World" (Acts 26:6) will be the morning theme and "Christ—The Christians Creed" (Jno. 20:30-31) for the evening Gospel service.  
Teaching: Lordsday Bible school 10 a. m. Young Peoples' meetings

Sunday 6:30 p. m. Ladies Bible class Monday 3 p. m. Study of Paul's prison letters Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
We welcome your presence to all these services.

J. D. HARVEY, Minister,  
Presbyterian Church

Worship at 11 o'clock. Christmas Pageant at the 7:30 p. m. hour. Church School at 9:45. Junior Society of Young People will not meet at 5 o'clock. Senior Young People's prayer service at 6:30.

Tues. will not be any prayer service next Wednesday evening.  
Come and see the Christmas pageant Sunday night at 7:30.  
Bring your friends.  
W. M. ELLIOTT, Pastor.

## LORAINNE NEWS

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS ABOUT LORAINNE AND VICINITY

MRS. ZORA DEAN, Correspondent

Mrs. Dean is also authorized to receive and receipt for subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact other business for Whiskey Printing Company. See her and take your County paper—The Record

Weather conditions were somewhat improved here with the sun shining unclouded Wednesday over a frozen ground. The past week has been one of the coldest for the season and declared by many the coldest since early 1930.

Many predict the cold weather will be of great assistance in clearing up the influenza epidemic.

Lorainne schools have continued even though with lots of sickness reported there have been no deaths to date. There has been only one home-under quarantine for scarlet fever.

### Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Alonzo Phillips gave a birthday dinner last Sunday to her husband and Walden Smith. Those beside the family attending were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Derryberry and daughter Freda, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Sloan, Doyle Hester and Melvin Calhoun.

### Literary Societies

According to the plan of organization, the first group of the literary societies, the "Alitor Club" presented a program to the other group and to the grades.

The first number was a clever faculty take off, there being one scene in Mr. Bennett's office, and another in a faculty meeting after school.

The teachers were impersonated as follows: Mrs. Johnson, Aulene Beights; Miss Spikes, Bertha Fae Wilkerson; Miss Spurger, Helene Bennett; Miss Edwards, Ruby Martin; Miss Coffee, Princess Martin; Mrs. Hooker, LaVerne Nelson; Miss Waggoner, Emma Louise Zellner; Mrs. Ison, Lella June Harrell; Mrs. Lawyer, Sibyl Simmons; Mr. Bennett, Ray Preston; Mr. Williams, Charlie Meek.

Opal Armstrong sang, "An Old Fashioned Locket and a Curl," followed by two musical numbers by Ira, Avilen, and Voyd Beights.

The closing number was a humorous reading by Ruby Martin.  
After the program the societies met for a brief business meeting. The next program will be presented by Group 1.

### Methodist Church Notes

Rev. Harrell preached on "Sowing and Reaping" Sunday morning. Using the text "Behold a sower went forth to sow." A fairly good crowd was in attendance in spite of the bad weather. A few gathered Sunday night for song and prayer service. We are uniting our prayers and efforts for a revival this year. Lorainne needs a revival. Let everyone pray and work to that end.

The pastor will preach next Sunday at eleven o'clock. After the singing Sunday afternoon, Mrs. W. K. Martin will conduct a program at the church. Be sure to come. League meets at 6 p. m. Evening service 6:45. Be sure to attend Sunday School and church next Sunday. It will make you appreciate Christmas more. Visitors are welcome.

### Baptist W. M. S.

The Baptist W. M. S. met at the church in a missionary meeting last Wednesday.

A missionary program was rendered and the day of prayer observed. Our pastor Bro. A. C. Hardin was present and gave some interesting points on the Bible and missions with Christ as the center.

A nice offering was taken for foreign missions at the close of the service.

Eight members of the Doreus class of the Baptist church and two guests met in the home of their pastor's wife and fellow class member Mrs. A. C. Hardin, last Thursday and helped her with sewing. A number of garments were made and a fine lunch enjoyed at the noon hour. Those present were: Mesdames Henderson, Ferguson, Smiley, Richburg, Cope, Wilson, Martin and A. C. Hardin, members.

Mrs. S. J. Norman and Mrs. G. Miller were guests.

### Primitive Baptist

Elder T. A. Dunn is expected to preach at the primitive Baptist church in East Colorado next Dec. 17 at 2:30 p. m. and Sunday at 11 a. m.

We are expecting to give our pastor a little surprise Christmas shower of canned goods, etc. and any friend who desires to join us will be more than welcome to scatter flowers in the path of the faithful laborers in God's vineyard.

### Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker entertained with a dinner at their home Sunday honoring their neighbors Mr. and Mrs. Luther Anders, who are moving soon to their newly acquired home near Roswell, New Mexico. Other guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Dunnahoo, Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Richburg, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Walker. The afternoon was given to singing and pleasant conversation.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Hester will spend the Christmas holidays with their daughter Miss Gaither Lee, who is attending John Sealey at Galveston.

Miss Irene Brown is a guest of Mrs. Robert Lowey at San Angelo this week.

Bob Templeton of Dublin, a student in Sweetwater High School, visited his aunt Mrs. Zerah Dean, Sunday.

News was received here Friday of the death of E. W. Furlow, who died of pneumonia at his home at Corpus Christi Friday. Deceased, who formerly resided here was a brother of Grady Furlow of Lorainne. His wife and one child survive.

Mrs. W. S. Thomas returned from Snyder Tuesday, where on Saturday she was called to the bedside of Mrs. Marvin West.

Eldon Mahon son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mahon is reported ill of double pneumonia since Tuesday following an attack of flu.

Homer Hart, bookkeeper at East Lorainne Gin has been absent from his work the past week due to an attack of flu.

Mrs. Jack Walker is among the reported ill this week.

Misses Lois Kidd and Vivian McCoeten spent the first of the week here visiting Miss Nannie Morrison. They reside at North Champion.

Mrs. R. L. Tucker of Eastland county came in Sunday to be at the bedside of her father H. H. Hardin, who is reported seriously ill of heart disease at his home out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Walker are home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin at Hubbard, Sunday. The Walkers also visited with relatives at Ft. Worth enroute home.

W. T. Sloan, Walden Smith and Arnton West made a trip to Big Spring Tuesday.

Oscar Wilcox, wife and baby Madine who formerly resided here, moved back from California, Tuesday, to make their home in Mitchell county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith, Mrs. Willie Mae Thompson and Mr. and

## MITCHELL COUNTY FARM NOTES

J. L. Burleson and sons of Valley View are feeding threshed maize and a mixture of cottonseed meal and tankage in a self feeder, to two litters of pigs that averaged 25 pounds each two months ago. Raymond Burleson writes: "The largest pig that weighed 34 pounds sixty days ago now weighs 143 pounds. The smallest pig 2 months ago now weighs 115 pounds. The black gilt that weighed 100 pounds now weighs 234 pounds."

With terracing time drawing near, folks are beginning to think about building more terraces. Albert Young who has field partly terraced says he is going to build them over and put them on a dead level. Byron Byrne of Landers community says he has six hundred acres he plans to terrace this winter. Edgar Andrews of Lorainne says he has to have some terraces this year. J. A. Merket south of Lorainne says, "count me in for some terrace lines this winter. I have my rows contoured but I am going to build some terraces this winter."

Fowler McDaniels of the Dollar farm killed eight hogs last week. He cut them up and cured them according to the A. & M. formula. The hogs averaged a little better than 200 pounds each. Valuing the boned loins, hams and other pieces of meat that went into the cure at 12 cents per pound he has approximately \$38 worth of meat in the cure in addition to the lard, sausage, mince-meat, head cheese and other products.

J. L. Payne, one of the first men in the county to try the new way of cutting up hogs, last week killed a beef and cut it up the A. & M. way for canning and curing. A part of the beef was corned and part dried. The beef was allowed to hang in cold storage seven days before canning as this improves the quality of the meat.

E. J. Cramer of the California Company secured a formula for poisoning sparrows last April and recently he reported that it killed them by the hundreds and they have only lately begun to come back. They are starting poisoning them again. Wheat and silychnine were used, the grain being placed in holes bored in heavy planks that were placed on the rafters in the garages and sheds where the birds were.

## Another \$500,000 Received By Fort Worth RACC Branch

Another \$500,000 for the stabilization of the livestock and agricultural industries of Texas was transferred to the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation of Fort Worth Tuesday by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Fort Worth offices of the corporation were informed of the transfer by telegraph late Tuesday and the money now is available for loans to Texas livestock men and farmers.

Exhaustion of the first \$1,000,000 of the Texas corporation's \$3,000,000 capital required transfer of the additional \$500,000 by the R. F. C. to its subsidiary there.

Most of the first \$1,000,000 has been advanced as feeder loans to livestock men, officials explained. Prime purpose of the corporation has been to assist in stabilizing livestock and farm industries by keeping both livestock and feed stocks off the market.

Loans are being made, however, by the corporation at Fort Worth and its Houston and San Angelo branches to borrowers in virtually every phase of agriculture where security is good and credit is not available through the usual channels.

### Record Want Ads Pay Dividends

Let the advertisements help you make your shopping plans.

Mrs. Bertram Smith were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Sunday. J. A. Martin made a trip to Dunn, Sunday.

Lawrence Trott of China Grove and Bennie Trott were Sunday guests of B. T. Trott and family.

### TAX-PAYERS

If delinquent taxes are paid before December 31, 1932, there will be no penalty or interest collected. This applies to State, County, and School taxes. After the above date 10 percent penalty and 6 percent interest per annum will be added to all delinquent taxes. Tax-payers of this county are urged to pay their delinquent taxes, while they are able to make this saving and at the same time prevent possible tax foreclosure. The Commissioner's Court, Mitchell County, Texas, 12-30-32

## Continued Fight On Liquor Planned By Dry Force Leaders

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Edward B. Dunford, attorney for the Anti-Saloon League of America, today told the organization's "resist repeal" convention that reliance on state police powers to enforce liquor bans "would deliver the country to the liquor traffic with new facilities for exploiting the citizenship for private profit."

Mrs. Ella A. Boole, president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, who spoke also at the convention, said of repeal or modification measures pending in congress: "It is our deliberate judgment that the adoption of any one of these measures would increase the problems of enforcement, result in a flood of liquor distributed through widespread advertisement, and open the way for the ultimate return of the liquor traffic in all its hideousness."

"The glib promises of politicians that the Webb-Kenyon act will protect dry territory from invasion by

the liquor interests are worthless," Dunford said, referring to the act in force prior to national prohibition which permitted state laws to govern interstate shipments of intoxicants.

"The Webb-Kenyon act contained no penalties which are enforceable in federal court," he continued. "The burden of policing such interstate shipments would fall entirely upon dry states."

"No wet advocate is able to assure any one what particular program of liquor control would be substituted should the eighteenth amendment be repealed. The only certainties involved in repeal are:

"Restoration of the legalized liquor traffic in many states. The return to saloon. The exploitation of the citizens by the liquor interests for private profit. The expenditure of money for liquor which is now being spent for products of essential industries."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pidgeon and little daughter are back from Gladewater. They are with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pidgeon.

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150 size

ORANGES 252 Doz 19c  
size

Mince Meat R. & W. 10c  
Package

STEAK Baby 2 lbs 25c  
Beef

Beef Roast Home Killed 12c  
pound

CHEESE LONG HORN Pound 15c

Sliced Bacon, 2 lbs. 29c

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## New Model Chevrolet Cars Go On Display Saturday; Many Improvements Announced

Chevrolet's new 1933 models will go on public display, Saturday, December 17, it is announced by company officials. Plans call for simultaneous showing at all of the company's more than 10,000 dealer showrooms in the United States. For the building up of parts

banks, Chevrolet manufacturing operations have been under way since October, with full quotas of men now back at work in the foundry and manufacturing plants. First public display of the new cars will add the 36,000 members of the sales organization to those other thousands al-

ready employed on the new line. Dealer orders for the first consignment of 50,000 display cars have already been placed, and many retail orders have been reported placed with dealers in all parts of the country, according to H. J. Klingler, vice-president and general sales manager. He stated, however, that it was still too early to attempt an estimate of total retail orders now on hand, inasmuch as his company's policy has been to receive field reports only at ten day intervals, and those reports cover only actual deliveries of cars to consumers. He said, however, that a poll of pre-announcement buying is now being taken to determine the volume of orders from retail purchasers, already on hand.

A large number of dealers have already pre-viewed the new line at the General Motors proving ground at Milford, groups from different parts of the country having been here for a regular all-day presentation program presided over by Mr. Klingler daily for the past ten days. Remaining dealers will pre-view the cars shortly at scheduled meetings held at zone headquarters in key cities throughout the country. Interest engendered among the dealers by the new Fisher "no-draft"

## Negro Who Spent Half His Life Behind Prison Walls Wants To Be Sent Back

DALLAS.—Will Moore, a 41-year-old negro, glanced at the ice on trees, heard someone say the temperature was around freezing and decided he'd be better off in the penitentiary again.

Just out of "the walls" at Huntsville, after 21 years, Moore appeared before Grover Adams, criminal district judge, bearing a soiled general parole and asked how he might get back. "Ah might do somethin' and lose mah parole," he said, when some spectator suggested a certain way of getting behind the bars again. "Ah wants to get back down dead, but Ah wants to get out when times is better."

Judge Adams advised the negro to make his way to Huntsville and see Lee Simmons, director of the ventilation, the increased wheelbase and other new features is resulting in what appears to be the largest accumulation of pre-announcement orders yet experienced by his company, Mr. Klingler stated.

state prison system. Moore said he was sentenced to six years on a claim of another negro that "I steals his pants, but I didn't." While serving that term, he and another negro were playing a game of dice in the penitentiary. The other negro, disagreed with Will and reached for a knife. "Ah beat him to it," said Moore, "and kill him. Den, dey give me ninety-nine yeahs."

**NOTICE—Burton-Lingo will have car Strawn Lump Coal on the track Friday and Saturday. Come and get it off car and save the drayage. c**

Lenn Bodine of Buford called at The Record office Saturday to renew subscription to The Record and his favorite daily, taking advantage of the attractive club rates offered.

Typewriters and Typewriter Ribbons at Whipkey Printing Company.

## Valley View Visits

By Pauline Ringener  
**School News—** Several pupils were absent from school Friday on account of cold weather. Several new pupils have enrolled this week. We are indeed glad to have them.

We are going to turn out school Thursday, December 22, 1932, and have a week off for Christmas, this means we will take up school again January 2, 1933. The pupils of the school have been working on the school grounds and it is now in pretty good shape.

**Honor Roll—** Tenth Grade: Pauline Ringener, B. Ninth Grade: Pauline Robertson, B. Seventh Grade: Lucile Caswell, B; Maurine Robertson, B; Ruth Snider, B; Fifth Grade: Bernadine Rone, A; Kenneth Hoover, B; Russel Saunders, B; James Nunn, B; Margie Hamilton, B.

Fourth Grade: Juanita Davis, B; Phlorene Mize, B; Dorothy Myers, B; J. W. Hamilton, B. Third Grade: Reta Beights, A; Lila Dean Boon, A; Alvin Moody, A; Doris Hamilton, B; Katherine Hoover, B; Norma Jean Compton, B; John William Nunn, B.

Second Grade: Thomas Nunn, B; Dorothy Walker, B; Joyce Hilderbrand, B. First Grade: Joy Saunders, A; Sybil Walker, A; Jaunita Brown, A; Max Caswell, B; J. M. Ringener, B; Edna Mae Hamilton, B; Junior Hoover, B; James Hart, B; Eloise Hayes, B; Everett Haggerton, B.

**Santa Letter—** This is a copy of the letter the school received from Santa Claus Tuesday, December 13, 1932. North Pole, Dec. 12, 1932. Mr. H. P. Powers, Loraine, Texas, Dear Sir:

At four o'clock on Wednesday this week, I will arrive in Colorado by airplane. I am very anxious to have all of my little friends of that county meet me on my arrival at Colorado. I will land across the river west of town. Our merchants are making special displays and prices for those who care to shop while in Colorado, however, the purpose of this letter is not to get you to buy the merchandise but to extend to you a cordial invitation to bring all the kiddies to meet this friendly old man from the North. I will, perhaps, have something for everyone.

Colorado Band and perhaps the Harley Sadler band will welcome Old Saint Nicholas and lead me up to town and through the business section. Officials of your school are urged to dismiss school in time for all who desire to take advantage of this great opportunity to meet personally the Santa Claus of the air. This being the first visit of this kind in Mitchell county. Signed: St. Nicholas, the Santa Claus of the air.

**Personal Notes—** Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hart and sons, James and Merel, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ringener and family spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. George Walker Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Noah Graham and son James, and Mr. Client Graham of Sweetwater spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker accompanied them back home. They are going to can beef this week. Several farmers are taking advantage of this cold weather and are killing hogs and bees.

Miss Pauline Robertson was absent from school last Thursday and Friday on account of sickness. Mrs. George Walker entertained a group of young folks with a forty-two party Friday night. Last Sunday was singing day at the Valley View church but there was no singing on account of bad weather.

Mrs. Henry Beights is on the sick list this week. T. C. U. STUDENTS PLAN TO LEAVE FOR COLORADO SOON. FORT WORTH, Dec. 15.—Miss Winnie Powell, a freshman in Texas Christian University, will leave Dec. 21 to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lay Powell, Colorado.

Miss Powell was graduated from Colorado High School in 1932. She is a member of the Women's Athletic Association and the Frogettes, an organization of freshman girls living in the dormitory. W. R. Powell, Junior, and her brother will accompany her. Powell is a 1930 graduate of Colorado High School. He is an outstanding track star and a member of the "T" Association, an organization of athletic lettermen.

Read the ads as carefully as you read the news articles. Carpenters Pencils.—Record office Put a new Typewriter Ribbon on that machine. Whipkey Pig. Co.

## SPECIAL RATES FOR THE HOLIDAYS

DALLAS, Dec. 15.—New Year holiday vacationists will be able to take part in gala celebrations in the larger cities on the Texas and Pacific Railway at a lower cost this year than ever before, according to Frank Jensen, general passenger agent, who announces drastically reduced round trip fares for the holidays.

"Encouraged by the remarkable response to the Armistice Day Excursion, the Texas and Pacific Railway has completed arrangements for a gigantic New Years Excursion which will make it possible to visit one of the famous guest cities on the T. & P. lines and remain for five days at destination for a fraction of the usual cost," Mr. Jensen said. "This provides an unparalleled opportunity to visit El Paso and see a thrilling bull fight in Juarez, just across the border in Old Mexico, to spend New Year's in romantic New Orleans and witness thrilling horse races now in progress, or to join with the gay and happy throngs in the great hotels and theaters of Dallas or Fort Worth."

The round trip rate from Colorado to New Orleans is \$7.25, to El Paso \$3.00, and to Dallas or Fort Worth \$2.25. Tickets will be good in coaches or Pullmans and Pullman car fares also have been greatly reduced in many instances, Mr. Jensen said. New Years Excursion tickets will be good on trains departing December 29, 30 and 31 with a return limit of January 4. Children will be carried for half of the adult fare.

Round trip Christmas rates to all parts of the country also have been greatly reduced and may be obtained from Texas and Pacific ticket agents.

I. L. Elwood of the Spade ranch spent a few hours in Colorado Tuesday.

C. A. Wilkins, principal of high school, is back at his post after several days illness. Mr. Wilkins was in bed from an attack of influenza.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

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There's big news for you in the advertising columns.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Burpee pressure cooker and sealer, practically new. Cooker is 17 quart size. Offered at a bargain. John Carey, 1 mile south Looney school. 1tp.

**TURKEYS FOR SALE** I will have load of Turkeys, Friday Dec. 23rd all day at C. E. Hammonds Garage on Oak st. Come and get a nice turkey. R. Y. Hammond. 12-23-pd.

FOR SALE—Coop fattened Turkeys. E. S. Phillips, East 10th street, east of Smith's store. Call and select your turkey and I will deliver to your home. 1tpd.

FOR SALE—Gas cook stoves at a bargain, from \$3 to \$6. See them at 237 Oak street. M. F. Perkins. tfe.

### LOST

REWARD OFFERED—Lost a ladies' pocket book containing \$25 to \$30, near Presbyterian church Sunday. Finder please return to Mrs. A. E. Maddin for reward. 1tp.

LOST—Child's slipper between water works and 735 E. 7th. Leave at Record office. 1tpd.

LOST—Screw tail bull dog, 10 inches high, white streak in forehead. Answers to name of "Mickey." Please notify Brady Warren or Dale Warren for reward. 1tp.

LOST—Big bull dog, red and white, bobbed ears and tail, answers to the name of "Booger." Reward for recovery. Call Jeff Parker at 357. tfe.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Ramsay's Nursery, Austin, Texas, has been selling home-grown trees of the highest quality for 57 years. Their products give returns in health and beauty, and help fight the depression. This is a good time to plant Fruit Trees, Pecans, Berries, Shade Trees, Evergreens, Roses, Flowering Shrubs, Bulbs. Write for their free catalogue of reduced prices. March 17-33chg

THE LEADER CAN ACCOMPLISH



WHAT OTHERS DARE NOT TRY

# TOMORROW CHEVROLET PRESENTS A NEW SIX

Longer • Larger • Faster • Smoother • New in Styling • More Economical • And Featuring Fisher No-Draft Ventilation

TOMORROW will be Chevrolet Day throughout America. And the new car that millions have been watching and waiting for—the latest product of the world's leading builder of automobiles—will go on display: the New Chevrolet Six—at a new scale of low prices. Front, side, rear—inside, outside—everything about this new car is advanced, improved, exciting. Longer wheelbase makes it the biggest automobile in today's low-price field. The latest principle of car design, "Aer-Stream" styling, gives it a totally different, ultra-modern appearance. The new Fisher bodies are larger, wider—faultlessly streamlined—swung lower to the road—and offer the first basic improvement in travel comfort in over ten years. Fisher No-Draft Ventilation. Chevrolet performance in every gear is faster, flashier, more brilliant. The time-proved six-cylinder engine is more powerful

as well as more economical. Improved Free Wheeling is combined with a "silent second" Synco-Mesh gear-shift. Chevrolet engineers have developed a remarkable new invention that wins a complete victory over vibration: The Cushion-Balanced Engine Mounting. And as far as prices are concerned, several models now sell at the lowest figures in Chevrolet history. Chevrolet is able to do all this because Chevrolet has the advantage of being the world's largest builder of cars for 4 out of the past 6 years. Chevrolet builds cars in greater volume—buys materials in greater quantities—does everything on a bigger, more economical scale. Hence, Chevrolet is in a position to provide a better car at a better price than could possibly issue from any other source. The leader can accomplish what others dare not try! CHEVROLET MOTOR COMPANY, DETROIT, MICHIGAN

## AT A NEW SCALE OF LOW PRICES

SPORT ROADSTER \$485.00 COUPE \$495.00 COACH \$515.00  
PHAETON \$515.00 SPORT COUPE \$535.00 SEDAN \$565.00 CABRIOLET \$565.00

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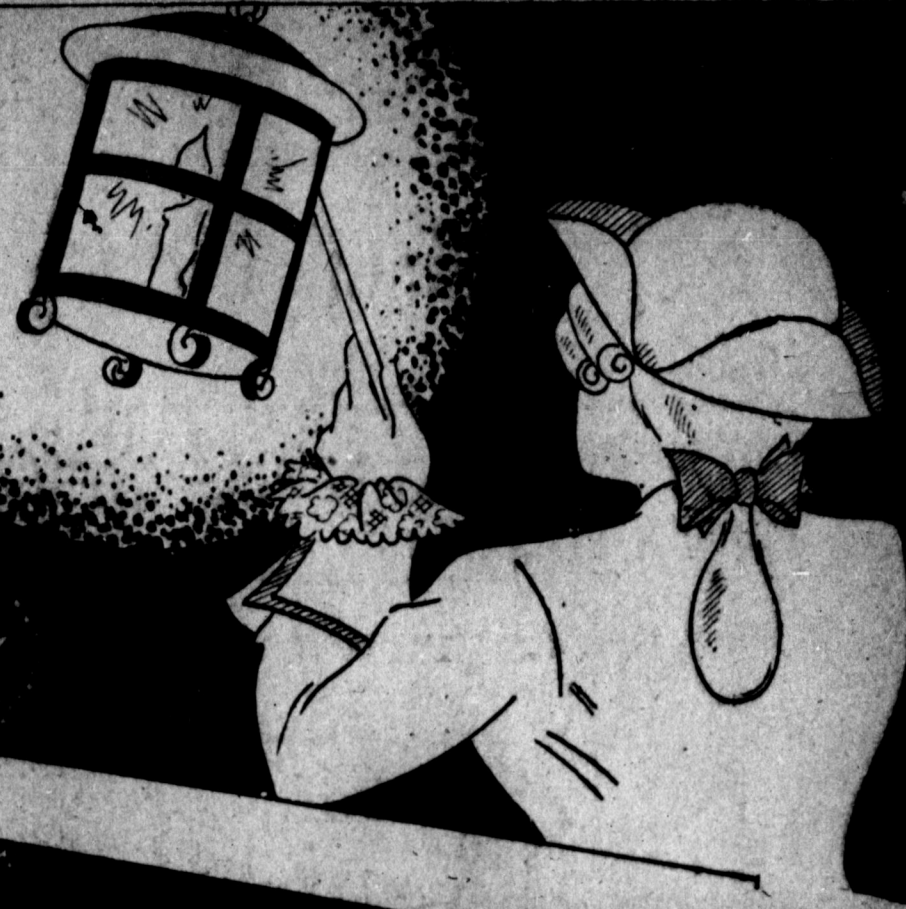
A GENERAL MOTORS VALUE

# MILLS CHEVROLET COMPANY

COLORADO, TEXAS.



# Penney's has them all!



## J. C. Penney Co. Inc.

Here's **GIFT** Another **IDEA**

**SHEET AND PILLOW CASE SETS**

98c to \$1.98

"Just What I Wanted!" He'll Shout!

**Turk Capekin GLOVES**

NEW PRICE **\$1.49**

HOW pleased he'll be when he sees the imported leather label... the seamless knit wool lining which makes these gloves extra-warm!

Some Like Black! Some Like Colors! But EVERY Man Likes

**SILK SOCKS**

and this perfect gift costs so little you can afford to give him several pairs! They're pure thread silk, with high spliced heel and toe-guard!

A variety of colors! **25c PAIR**

**Gift Sets** that Make Boys Happy!

Something different! Belt and choice of pencil-box with pencils, or pistol and whistle.

In Gift Box **49c**

Here's **GIFT** Another **IDEA**

**SHIRTS**

Fast Color **49c to \$1.49**

This Christmas It's **PENNEY'S** for **Smart GIFTS!**

*Gift Linens from PENNEY'S*

**49c**

**MEN LIKE TIES**

These Will Prove Your Good Taste and Thrift-Wisdom!

**RESILIENT! HAND-MADE! SILK LINED!**

**Duplex Standard Construction Set**

Builds 210 models! Inter-changeable with Erector, Tru-model, Steel-Tech, Meccano.

NOW! No. 1 **79c**

Other Sets \$1.98 Up!

What Parties They'll Have!

**29-piece Aluminum Set - 98c**

4 piece Percolator  
1 Serving Tray  
4 Aluminum Cups  
4 Aluminum Saucers  
4 Aluminum Plates  
4 Lemonade Glasses  
4 Gay Paper Napkins  
4 Napkin Rings

70 Pieces Complete! Let's Write to Santa Right Away!

**BLACKBOARD** With Drop-Desk!

Roll chart with 3 colored designs! **98c**

Others 39c and UP

**GAYMODE** hose makes everybody HAPPY!

ASK FOR No. 446!

**Glorious SILLS to the top!**

It's GAYMODE and she's the merrier! She can't have too many pairs! Exquisitely full-fleshed with dainty picot top and dainty French heels! All in the NEW colors.

**49c** SEMI-SERVICE WEIGHT!

Cute little baggage! **Baby Doll in CASE**

**49c complete**

Extra dress petticoat and diaper! Sateen pillow!

**MEN LIKE TIES**

These Will Prove Your Good Taste and Thrift-Wisdom!

**RESILIENT! HAND-MADE! SILK LINED!**

A break for Santa!

**27-in. CRIB with DROP SIDE**

Oh! ONLY **98c**

Rock-a-bye dollie-go to sleep - in the best crib ever at this price. Enameled.

**Toy Dresser** Dollie needs it for her clothes! **89c**

17 1/2" high, with 2 big drawers, a real mirror, 2 imitation lamps!

CHIFFOROBIE to match 89c

Scoot! **Jr. Pedal Bike**

Baby's first bike! No sharp edges! Tubular frame.

**89c**

8 1/4" front wheel!  
1/2" tires!

**Zowie!** Sustains 2500 lbs.!

**Steel Wagon** 33" x 15" With Brake! **And Only \$2.98**

Others - 69c and up!

"O-o-h! Just what Christmas Gift I wanted!"

**Odorless LINGERIE**

The Kind Everybody Likes!

**49c** Department

She knows how this velvety charonize wears-how it holds its sleek shape!

Lovable! Lifelike!

**"BUTTERCUP"**

**Horsman's Famous RUBBER BABY**

14 inches TALL - yes only **2.98**

She's so much like a real baby! Dimpled curves and lovely rosebud skin... long, long lashes and go-to-sleep eyes... the smartest doll to own now at a savings-in-your-pocket price!

Imported! Richly Dressed **DOLLS**

yes only **98c**

Curly wigs! Movable heads! 16 1/2 inches tall!

Other Imported Dolls, 25c. 49c

"Grrr" Growls This **Big Teddy BEAR**

"I cost only **98c** - But I'm Worth Much More!"

20 inches tall in his teddy-bear feet-with legs that move!

Other Teddy Bears 25c up

**BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS!** - that every youngster craves!

Adorably Illustrated! Beautifully Written!

• Story Books  
• Paint Books  
• Picture Books  
• Fairy Tales  
• Junior Fiction

**10c 19c - 25c and UP!**

only **2.98!**

Tubular! Ball Bearing! **VELOCIPEDA**

1-in. Tire!  
12-in. front wheel!

Others **89c and up!**

**13-PC. COFFEE MAKER SET**

Pure Aluminum! Embossed Design!

4-PC. drip coffee pot, 2 plates, 2 cups, 2 saucers, 2 napkins, table pad!

**49c**

Other Sets 25c Up!

**GAMES** Old and New FAVORITES!

Old Maid, Rummy - card games. 39c, 49c

Ring Toss and "pitching" games 59c

Amazing variety! 10c and up!

**SEWING SETS Complete!**

**19c**

Silks, seissors, thimble, embroidery hoops, novelties stamped on quality fabrics... and a lovable dolly to sew for!

Other Sets 10c to 79c



# Santa Claus

Has Established His Headquarters At The

## Ben Franklin Store

Because he can find suitable gifts for children as well as grown ups all under one roof.

And he says he finds things priced so low that he will be able to bring more gifts this year than usual.

Come in and select your gifts now while stocks are complete.

## The Ben Franklin Store

H. I. BERMAN, Owner

There was an old woman Who lived in her shoe. But the holes grew so big Her children fell through; In vain she tried These holes to stop, But that was before We started our shop. H. H. HERRINGTON Fine Shoe Repairing.

**LOCAL NOTES**

"It is very hard to get along without your paper and I appreciate it very much," writes Gus Bertner, former Coloradoan, from his home in Little Rock, Arkansas. Bertner enclosed check to keep The Record coming to his address.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Owen of Abilene, were in Colorado during the week-end. Mr. Owen was at one time secretary of the chamber of commerce here.

John Carey of the Looney community spent several hours in Colorado Saturday.

R. S. Gilliam of Fort Worth, traveling auditor for the Greyhound bus lines, was in Colorado Friday.

Doc Wimberly of Loraine spent a few hours in Colorado Monday.

Mrs. M. O. Chapman left Saturday for Temple to visit with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Leatherman. She expects to be absent from Colorado until after the Christmas holidays.

Don't miss a copy of The Record. Better pay up now.

**STAR-TELEGRAM** renewals and new subscriptions to the states greatest daily. Bargain days now on.

**ROY FARMER** W. L. Blakney of Abilene, district manager for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, was a Colorado visitor Thursday.

## PALACE

All children are invited to attend a free show at the Palace Theatre, Saturday, December 24 at 10:00 A. M., given in their honor by Master Ross D. Dixon, Jr.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

On the night of December 31st (Saturday), at 12 o'clock midnight, we will run a special showing of the weirdest love story ever written, "WHITE ZOMBIE." The leading role being enacted by Bela Lugosi (Dracula himself). This will be your only chance to see this picture in this town. It is one of the year's greatest road show attractions. A picture in a class all its own. We will give special rates to parties of ten or more, who would like to reserve seats to see this midnight matinee.

Thursday-Friday, Dec. 15 and 16

### MR. ROBINSON CRUSOE

With Douglas Fairbanks Sr. and Cast. Paramount News—Metro Short Matinees at 2:30 P. M.—Night Shows at 6:45 P. M.

Saturday, December 17

### Heritage Of The Desert

With Randolph Scott and Susan Fleming. Paramount Short—Chapter 8, "Heroes of the West," from 1:30 P. M. until 11:00 P. M.

Sunday-Monday, Dec. 18 and 19

### Divorce In The Family

With Jackie Cooper and Lewis Stone. Fox News—Paramount Short No Matinees—Night Shows at 6:45 P. M.

Tuesday-Wednesday, Dec. 20, 21

### SCANDAL FOR SALE

With Charles Bickford and Rose Hobart. Comedy—"Stop That Run" No Matinees—Bargain Nights 5c and 15c at 6:45 P. M.

Thursday-Friday, Dec. 22 and 23

### BLESSED EVENT

With Lee Tracy and Mary Brian Paramount News—Columbia Short—Matinees 2:30 P. M. Night Shows 6:45 P. M.

### Colorado Hotel Beauty Shop CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

Zotos permanent wave given without machine or electricity. \$10.00—Special \$7.50. Shelton oil and Frederic—\$6.00. I X L—\$3.75. Plain Shelton—\$2.50. Open nights next week.

H. L. Lockhart of Dallas arrived Saturday to spend a few days looking after his farm and other properties in Mitchell county.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hooks of Dunn were among the shoppers in Colorado Saturday afternoon.

**NOTICE—Burton-Lingo will have car Strawn Lump Coal on the track Friday and Saturday. Come and get it off car and save the drayage. c**

Rev. Dick O'Brien returned late Thursday from Plainview where he had gone to assist in funeral rites for Mrs. J. Pat Horton, wife of pastor of First Baptist church at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Mills and little daughter, Jo Ann, have returned from a motor car trip to Dallas and Fort Worth.

When I take trips, I seldom stop. It's almost like an ocean "Hop." I fill less often. I'm saving dough. I get more miles with Conoco! Let's Go! with Conoco. The gasoline that's packed with power! Conoco Service Station No. 1

John Houston Lupton has returned from Fort Worth where he had gone to visit with friends and relatives.

Edwin Chase and Monroe Herrington returned last week-end from Dallas where they had gone to attend showing of the new model Chevrolet cars.

"About the coldest snap we have had in a long time," remarked Clyde Smith, Loraine, when seen on the streets Monday afternoon. Smith is retiring as county commissioner at Loraine.

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Mack Holt, county commissioner representing this precinct, reports that he continues to find plenty to keep him busy. Holt was in town Monday.

Coley Smith of a few miles west, was among those seen on Colorado streets Monday morning.

Clarence, 8, son of Sheriff and Mrs. R. E. Gregory, is recovering from slight hurts sustained Tuesday afternoon of last week when he fell two flights of floors at the county court house building.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Hester of Loraine were shopping in Colorado Monday afternoon.

J. E. Skelton, county commissioner of the Westbrook precinct, spent several hours in Colorado Monday looking after official business.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Pete McCurry Sunday at the Root hospital a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith Saturday a daughter.

Mrs. Jack Smith returned Saturday from Abilene where she attended the State U. D. C. Convention as the delegate from the Robert E. Lee Chapter.

Cal Boykin, manager of the Crawford Hotel, Big Spring, was in Colorado Tuesday. Mr. Boykin stopped here enroute home from a trip to Abilene.

Frank M. Smith was in Sterling City Saturday on business.

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Davis R. Hall of Abilene, former manager of the Hicks Rubber Company here, is in Colorado this week. Mr. Hall is looking after business affairs at the Colorado store.

George H. Mahon will be master of ceremonies at annual Wolf banquet at the Colorado Thursday evening. President Joe Pond of the service club insists that every member be present.

Mrs. Otto Jones is sick with "flu" at the ranch.

## Life Story Of Pioneer West Texan Will Be Published In Popular State Journal

Life story of J. Wright Moor, among the few remaining rugged pioneers who erected along frontier of the West foundation upon which the phenomenal civilization of today was built, is to be published in Holland's magazine. First installment of what is expected to be an interesting portrayal of typical early day romance in this part of Texas is to appear in the issue for January 15.

The story is being compiled by Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College, Abilene, and himself a pioneer of the Western Plains. The contribution will deal with part played by Mr. Moor during those hectic days when the Indian and buffalo disputed aggressively for possession of the great open stretches of West Texas.

Mr. Moor, to quote his statement, "came to this section before Colorado was ever heard of and before Mitchell county was organized." It was in 1876 that he migrated to what is now Mitchell county and established a buffalo hunting camp. Later he established a ranch home in Scurry county.

The aged citizen is a frequent visitor to Colorado. Years ago he knew personally every resident of these parts for many miles around and the venturesome cow boy and "tenderfoot" coming his way ever received a warm welcome into his meagre home. More than fifty years ago Moor killed the only white buffalo ever seen in this part of the West. The animal, a bull of large size, was shot on Deep Creek near what is now the site of Snyder. This hide, along with the antediluvian rifle used in bringing the bison down, have since been placed in the Smithsonian Institute at Washington.

Moor made his home in Colorado for some time. He developed a residence addition to the city, which bears his name.

## Sixty Men At Work Here Under Terms Of RFC Allowance

A total of sixty men have been given employment in Colorado under terms of the R. F. C. appropriation recently awarded to Mitchell county by the Federal government. The money is being expended under supervision of C. C. Thompson and a committee designated under approval of the West Texas chamber of commerce.

One crew of workmen is graveling East Seventh from Austin to Ruddle Park, a distance of three-fourths of a mile. This thoroughfare is to be placed in first class condition.

Other employees are detailed to the cemeteries cutting weeds and otherwise cleaning the grounds. A third group is trucking earth to the high school grounds to fill in low places in order that grass and shrubbery planted there may be grown with a more civic aspect.

## JIMMIE BEAL ON STAFF OF T. C. U. PUBLICATION

FORT WORTH—Jimmie Beal, Colorado, who is enrolled in the graduate school, has been appointed to cover general assignments on the editorial staff of the 1933 Horned Frog, student annual of Texas Christian University. His appointment was made at the beginning of this year by the editor-in-chief and the business manager who selected nineteen students to compose the staff.

College life will be the general theme of the 1933 Horned Frog. The book will be planned to depict the life of the student on the campus and in the classroom.

There will be many new features, one of which is an entirely distinctive arrangement of the different sections of the book.

Beal, who received his B. A. degree last June from T. C. U., was awarded a fellowship this year and is instructing in government, under the supervision of Prof. John Lord, chairman of the social science departments.

## Drink Water With Meals Good For Stomach

Water with meals helps stomach juices, aids digestion. If bloated with gas add a spoonful of Adierika. One dose cleans out poisons and washes BOTH upper and lower bowels. Colorado Drug Co., and W. L. Doss, Drugist.

Range cattle were weathering the blizzard favorably and but little consequences were anticipated from effects of the several days sub-freezing. O. F. Jones, manager of the Spade ranch, stated while in town Tuesday.

Promote Prosperity With Printer's Ink!

## COLDEST BLAST FOR WINTER HOLDS WEST TEXAS WITHIN GRASP

Coloradoans shivered from effects of the most severe cold snap of the Winter last week-end, as the mercury tobogganed to well below the freezing point and a driving sleet covered everything out of doors. A temperature of 22 degrees above zero was registered at 7 o'clock Friday morning.

The weather continued cold throughout Friday, Friday night and Saturday. Slippery pavements made motoring hazardous and several minor accidents were reported. Bent fenders and damaged wheels constituted most of the damage done. Radiator repair shops reported a rush business during Friday, the sequel to consequences of several motor car owners neglecting to drain the radiators, or take the precaution of using anti-freeze compound.

Snow covered much of North-west Texas and the Panhandle. Monday, the blizzard was even more severe, with a temperature of 14 above at 5 a. m.

"Killed my first bear and got one deer," wired Bob Lovejoy, from Old Mexico Wednesday afternoon. Lovejoy, manager of Hicks Rubber Company, is enjoying a hunting trip complimentary given by the company.

Due to illness among members of the Howl staff this section of The Record carries but little news today. Mrs. Jim Cantrill, sponsor, stated Tuesday afternoon that several members of the staff were confined to their homes with flu.

## The "HOWL" NEWS NOTES FROM COLORADO HIGH

**THE STAFF**  
 Managing Editor.....Lillian Bean  
 Sports Editor.....James Lupton  
**REPORTERS**  
 Freshman.....Jane Axtell  
 Sophomore.....Brady Warren  
 Junior.....Mabel Majors  
 Senior.....Frances Williams  
 "La Tertulia" Club.....G. Otis Witten  
 Band.....Harold Hester  
 Students' Little Theatre.....L. Bean  
 Faculty Sponsor.....Mrs. Cantrill

**Basket Ball**—  
 Coach "Big Jim" Cantrill started his basketball season with about fifteen boys out. With many of our letter men back from last year we expect to have a good team and surprise all other teams in the district by winning district championship. Colorado starts their season off by playing Sterling City Monday night, Dec. 19.

**Future Farmers**—  
 Rev. Dick O'Brien on the evening of last Tuesday, December 6th, gave the Future Farmers a talk on "Habit Formation."

Rev. O'Brien listed the "Health Habits" under two heads. First, Habits to form. Care of the teeth, carefully selected diet and plenty of exercise. Second, Don'ts of Health Habits. Don't keep late hours in or out of the bed. Don't use tobacco in any form for it is expensive and very offensive to others. Don't use intoxicating drinks. This reminds us that early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise. An apple a day will keep the doctor away and an onion a day will keep everybody away.

Under moral habits, Rev. O'Brien stated that the use of slang is very

offensive to others. Always be careful of your associates for they can soon ruin your character and always be willing to take older persons advice for they have more experience than you have. Which reminds us of "Birds of a feather, flock together" and "A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches." Rev. Dick O'Brien said that he wasn't preaching so he must have been telling the truth.

**Commercial Classes**—  
 The Commercial classes have not been very large for the past few days due to the inroads of the flu, but the ones that have been here have made speedy progress, due to having more assistance.  
 The Vocational classes have been slim because many of its members have been substituting for sick teachers.

**TRY TO IMAGINE!!**  
 Massive Walnut Poster Bedroom Suites.....\$39.75  
 Genuine Mahogany Bed Suite nice as new.....\$29.50  
 New Loom Woven Fibre Suites Best of Construction.....\$35.50  
 Beautiful Floor Lamps, Burnished Brass Bases.....\$5.75  
**OIL STOVES AT REDUCED PRICES**  
 Shopping at Gleen's Saves You Money  
**"BARGAINS"—OUR MOTTO**  
**GLEEN'S FURNITURE BARGAINS**  
 In Cook & Son Old Location

## SAFEWAY STORES DISTRIBUTION WITHOUT WASTE

|                |                 |       |     |
|----------------|-----------------|-------|-----|
| PECANS         | Shelled Halves  | lb    | 39c |
| RAISINS        | 15 oz. Package  | 3 for | 25c |
| COCOANUT       | Fresh and Moist | lb    | 29c |
| MINCE MEAT     | Little Cook     | pkg   | 9c  |
| CHRISTMAS NUTS | Mixed           | 3 lbs | 50c |

FRESH CRISP VEGETABLES - RIPE FRUITS

|             |              |       |     |
|-------------|--------------|-------|-----|
| APPLES      | Delicious    | dozen | 23c |
| CELERY      |              | 2 for | 17c |
| LETTUCE     | Firm Heads   | each  | 3c  |
| CARROTS     | Nice Bunches | each  | 4c  |
| BANANAS     | Golden Fruit | lb    | 5c  |
| CRANBERRIES | Fancy        | lb    | 15c |

**Oranges**  
 Nice Size, Dozen  
**10c**

SPECIAL MEAT MARKET VALUES

|            |                     |             |     |
|------------|---------------------|-------------|-----|
| STEAK      | Cut From Fed Calves | lb          | 12c |
| CHEESE     | Full Cream          | lb          | 16c |
| BACON      | Sliced              | 2 lbs       | 29c |
| SAUSAGE    | Pure Pork           | 3 lbs       | 29c |
| BEEF ROAST |                     | Chuck, lb   | 9c  |
|            |                     | Brisket, lb | 6c  |

**Christmas Candies**  
 1 lb . . . 15c

**Airway Blend COFFEE**  
 1 lb . . . 22c  
 3 lb . . . 63c

(We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities)  
 Friday, Saturday and Monday, December 16, 17 and 19 in Colorado

**Insure WITH AN OLD ESTABLISHED COMPANY**  
 I. T. A. Since 1903  
 Life—Health—Accident  
 E. V. GRANTLAND  
 Phone 121-W



Community Thought Is Centered Around Yuletide

CHURCHES PLAN PORTRAY STORY OF CHRISTMAS IN SONG, TABLEAUX, SERMON

Cantatas And Holiday Parties Prominent In Religious Program For Week

Stories of Christmas depicting the birth of the Saviour will be featured in songs, sermon addresses and tableaux in the various Colorado churches during the Christmas holidays.

Appearance of Santa Claus in town Wednesday afternoon added interest to the prevailing Christmas spirit.

A number of tree programs are to be given in town Saturday night before Christmas Day.

Coke County Would Reduce Road Bonds By Special Election

Coke county commissioners, following a public hearing at Robert Lee Saturday, have announced that a special election will be held January 7 to determine whether \$50,000 of the \$175,000 highway improvement bonds voted two years in district No. 2 are to be cancelled.

A considerable amount of the bonds have been used in improving highways in that county, one of which extends northwest from Robert Lee to intersection of the Mitchell-Coke county line several miles from Colorado.



LET US BE SANTA To You During The Holidays —Call 255— And We Will Be There

COLORADO LAUNDRY

Merchants Cooperated To Bring Liberal Holiday Trade To Colorado 21 Years Ago

December 15, 1911, twenty one years ago this week, Colorado merchants "went after" holiday business in such an aggressive manner as to attract large numbers of shoppers into the stores.

So well were local merchants impressed with the value of advertising that The Record that week appeared in a 28 page edition. There were a number of full page advertisements in which merchants of the town carried into the homes of this section interesting store news.

The paper for that week published a scene along Lone Wolf Creek just northeast of the city limits, near "where is to be located dam that will impound a large lake of water."

Spread of the "live-at-home" idea, sponsored by W. S. Foster, county farm agent, and Miss Abbie Sevier, home demonstration agent, means that scores of Mitchell county farmers and land owners will set acreage to peach and other fruit trees during the winter.

The county farm agent has given considerable study to fruit culture in this territory. He found several months ago that certain varieties of cherry would produce prolifically in Mitchell. These trees are unusually hardy, in some instances they have been known to bear fruit after having been killed by freezing.

In Texas not less than 7,000 acres will be planted to peach trees during the season, according to estimates recently made.

CHILDREN ENROLLED AT COLEMAN BUILDING ARE HIT WITH FLU EPIDEMIC

The "flu" epidemic that during past two weeks raged among students attending high, junior high and the Hutchinson schools, has now attacked tots attending Coleman school, it was reported from the building Monday afternoon.

Principal Hays Holman of junior high stated that attendance there was larger Monday than during the past few days.

Peak of the epidemic was passed in high school several days ago, according to statement by John E. Watson, superintendent.

ROBBERS TAKE ABOUT \$1,000 IN LOOT FROM BIG SPRING MERCHANT

Effecting entrance into the L. C. Burr department store at Big Spring through a skylight, robbers carried away \$500 in cash and \$400 worth of select merchandise.

The robbery was discovered when employees opened the store Friday morning.

BISHOP BOAZ TO HOLD MEETING AT COLORADO

Bishop Hiram A. Boaz of Dallas, among the leading prelates in the Southern Methodist church, will conduct a revival meeting at First Methodist church in March.

SQUARE DEAL IN STATE'S COMMERCE BEING SOUGHT BY INTERIOR LEADERSHIP

Colorado Invited To Attend Conference At Lubbock On December 29

To further perfect the organization started at Greenville October 7, representatives of inland cities of Texas, forming the Interior Protective & Development association, are to gather December 29 at Lubbock.

Charge that Coastal cities, especially those having commercial port facilities, had taken from the interior commercial centers of Texas much of the business that rightfully belongs upstate.

Governmental meddling, such as the imposing of transportation rates unfair to certain interior communities, were cited by Scott as handicaps that must be overcome.

Expenditure of millions for improvement of port facilities at Houston and other coastal cities was referred to by the speaker as a project by the government intended for general benefit of all concerned.

Quoting from resolutions adopted at meeting of association held in Waco, October 30, Mr. Hardy said: "We oppose any agency or system that tends to unfairly take away from the interior communities the natural advantages they have and thereby concentrate at ports, industry and resources which the interior communities are rightfully entitled to retain."

SCHOOL JOURNAL PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE TO LATE 'FATHER TEXAS TECH'

An impressive tribute to life of Dr. P. C. Coleman, pioneer civic, religious and educational leader of Texas who died at Colorado, October 28, is carried in current edition of Texas School News, published in Abilene.

Suspension of Miss Mildred (Babe) Didrickson, Texas "wonder girl" athlete, on the grounds that she sanctioned the use of her name and photograph in an automobile advertisement, was upheld Tuesday by the registration committee of the Southern Amateur Athletic Union at New Orleans.

SUSPENSION OF MISS DIDRICKSON ORDERED BY SOUTHERN A.A.U.

Lawrence Di Benedetto, chairman of the A. A. U. committee, announced that "until such time as Miss Didrickson can show further evidence that she did not endorse the advertisement the suspension will remain in effect."

BEAUTIFICATION DRIVE OF WYCC INAUGURATED BY COLORADO CHAMBER

Campaign to transform West Texas highways and public parks into examples of civic attractiveness through the growing of flowers and shrubbery and otherwise improving, is to be adopted here, the chamber of commerce has announced.

J. Ralph Lee has been named chairman of the local unit and will supervise this civic work here. Club woman and civic organizations were cooperating.

Lionism Stimulates Patriotism Among Its Members, Greenville C-C Executive Says

Lionism is an institution, international in its scope, the influences of which are injecting into society a strong balancing power to sustain respect for law and order.

"It was during those days of serious thought that Lionism so prominently declared its influences as a stabilizer among us," he continued. "After sitting in the office worrying over conditions entering into the general commercial fabric, Lions came together at this banquet table, sang a song, saluted the flag and were made to feel their blood flowing with renewed patriotism."

There is to be no meeting of the club Friday of this week, President Joe Pond announced.

'WHY WORRY OVER FIVE CENT COTTON?' FARMER SUGGESTS TO AUDITORS

"I can't understand why we should spend our time worrying over fact that cotton is down to five cents," mused R. Berger, farmer of fifteen miles east of town as he stood in a drug store here Monday and blew smoke rings from a choice perfecto.

That better times are in the offing was declared by this successful German planter who came across from his native Fatherland twenty odd years ago to locate a farm home between Lorraine and Roscoe.

There are many other commodities the farmer can produce than cotton from the sale of which profitable returns may be realized, Berger continued. On his farm he has registered dairy cattle, pedigreed poultry, meat hogs of the better type, geese, orchard, garden and annually grows a diversity of field crops.

FARMERS CALL ON THE PRESIDENT TO REQUEST CANCELLATION OF TAX

A group of 150 farmers marched to the capitol Friday, divided into many delegations and presented relief petitions to Vice-President Curtis, Speaker Garner and members of the house and senate.

Garner told the delegation he would rather refer their petition to the proper committees. "I will see that it gets the usual attention," he said.

The petition asked \$500,000,000 federal relief fund for distressed farmers, a moratorium on agricultural debts and cancellation of back taxes owed by needy farmers.

SMALL GRAIN ACREAGE RESULTS FROM SEASON WITH LITTLE RAINFALL

A Fall and early winter season that has proven of special benefit to the farmer in his cotton harvest has at the same time served to curtail any plans he might have entertained for seeding extensive acreage to wheat and other small winter grain.

Farmers who planted small grain earlier in the year have found difficulty in getting the crop up to a perfect stand.

Registered dairy cattle, pedigreed poultry, meat hogs of the better type, geese, orchard, garden and annually grows a diversity of field crops. He rarely comes into town but that farm produce of some kind is not marketed.

GOLDEN SANDSTORM WINS WEST TEXAS PENNANT IN VICTORY OVER MUSTANGS

The Golden Sandstorm of Amarillo high school won its way into the semi-finals of the state high school football marathon Saturday, blanking Sweetwater high 7 to 0 at Amarillo while 5,000 shivered in sub-freezing temperature.

Amarillo's score was the result of a blocked punt. Foster, guard, knocked the ball from the toe of Red Sheridan and McBrayer, tackle, covered it on the Mustang five-yard line.

The State Masonic Home's football team advanced to the semi-finals of the interscholastic league race by defeating Sherman at Fort Worth Saturday 20 to 0, on an icy field before 15,000 persons.

MRS. McMINN, PIONEER OF VINCINT SECTION, BURIED AT COAHOMA

Funeral rites for Mrs. N. E. McMinn, pioneer of Vincint, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Coahoma Methodist church with Rev. Ray Lee of Westbrook in charge.

She is survived by her husband, one sister, Mrs. F. A. Dicker of Florida, and four brothers, Dave and C. Alexander of Floydada, K. Alexander of Hill county and A. Alexander of Canada.

We're Ready For Christmas Everything for the holiday feast—at prices that make it possible to choose just the things to make Christmas perfect—at moderate cost.

ORANGES, good size . Doz. .19 CRANBERRIES, 2 pounds . .25 APPLES, DELICIOUS GOOD SIZE . . Doz. .19 GELERY, well bleached, bu. .09 KETSUP, 14 oz. . . ea. .12 COMPOUND, 4 lb. Ctn. .25 CHEESE, No. 1, full crm. lb .15 NUTS WALNUTS, BRAZIL NUTS ALMONDS AND PECANS 1lb. ASSORTED PKG. .14 PORK CHOPS, 3 pounds .25 BACON, Sliced, Dold's, 2 lbs .25 PORK ROAST, lean, 3 lbs. .25 VEAL LOAF MEAT, 2 lbs .15 PIGGLY WIGGLY These Prices Good Through Xmas



# Boys, Girls Have Been Good, They Tell Santa Claus

The Record herewith prints its annual collection of letters to Santa Claus, as written by the boys and girls of this territory. It is interesting to read these personal communications from the kiddies in which they outline the gifts that would be most appreciated at Christmas. This newspaper sincerely hopes that every boy and girl will receive just the things wanted.

That every one of you, together with your friends including dad, another and other members of your home, may spend a most enjoyable Christmas season is the wish of the publisher and every person connected in any way with The Record.

The letters follow:

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy 5 years old. I have picked some cotton this fall, and I want you to bring me a pop gun, a little truck and a pair of gloves. You can bring me some candy if you have plenty. Be sure and bring my baby sister a little doll, also remember my grandma and grandpa and don't forget Francis. Our tree will be by the north window. With love

BILLY EARLE ROACH

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 5 years old. I have been a good boy this year. Please send me a truck, a car, some nuts and candy for Christmas.

Your friend,

GEORGE FRANK MCQUERRY

P. S. Don't forget I live in T. & P. section house.

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl eight years old. I am in the fourth grade. I want a baby doll and her clothes. Would you please bring me an aluminum set of dishes, sleeping pajamas, beach pajamas size 10, gloves and a pair of shoes for my patsy doll.

Please bring the boys and girls I play with some toys. If you don't have all the things I ask for I will be pleased with what you bring me. I hope you get heaps of joy out of giving to the boys and girls this year.

Lots of love,

BILLIE TRUE TEMPLETON

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a elephant, a drum man and a wooden pig and a little car. How are you getting along in the North pole. I am just fine here. I am 5 years old. I sleeted yesterday. It was very cold too. The wind is from the Northwest of this part of town. I love you very much. I have been very good this year.

With much love,

PAUL MACKEY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a piano, a doll and a doll trunk with 8 dresses, 16 inches tall and 6 inches wide, roller skates and shoes to go with it, a cabinet, a table and 3 chairs. I love you very very much. I have been very good this year. How are you getting along in the North pole. I am just fine here. It sleeted yesterday and was very cold too. With much love,

LEBAMA MACKEY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 6 years old. I have been very good and please bring me a doll and lots of clothes for it and a French harp and lots of nuts, fruit and candy and dear old Santa I will try to be good next year.

LITTLE DORRIS WEBB

Westbrook, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am eight years old. I want a ring and a doll and doll clothes. If we have a Christmas tree put them on the tree, and if we don't I will hang up my stocking. I will try to be good.

Your friend,

FAY NELL GILLIAM

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a car to get in and a train and tricycle. I want a dump truck and a ball and a little set of things to put together.

PRESTON MACKEY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a boy 8 years old. I go to school at Seven Wells and I have been studying hard. I want you to bring me an air gun and a story book, some fireworks and candy. Bring my mother and dad something. Remember my little sister. You will find our tree in the north room by the window. With love to you,

EDWARD ROACH.

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 3 years old. Please send me a little train, a rubber doll and some candy for Christmas and please have the doctors let my Daddy out of the hospital so he can come home for Christmas.

Your friend,

VERNON MCQUERRY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

Will you please bring me some boots, a doll, a broom, some fruit, nuts and candy and don't forget to bring my baby brother Ralph a rubber doll.

ALENE BRYANT

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I have been good and I hope you come to see me this Christmas. Please bring me a baby doll that cries and goes to sleep. I would like some candy, fruit, and nuts. Please don't forget my sisters.

Your little friend,

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Yours truly,

TRUMAN USSERY

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I've been a very good boy this year and hope you be just as kind. The noise you hear where I live is that baby brother of mine. I only want a wagon, story book, stick horse and rope. Don't forget Dorothy Jane, Ann Nell, and Ora Bell.

ANDERSON BURNS JR.

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Lots of Love,

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Your little friend,

GOODWIN LEE SIMPSON

Cuthbert, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

Will you please bring me a pretty doll with hair like mine and some dishes, so when my cousin Goodwin and little friends, come to see me we can have a tea party.

Thank you,

FRANCES FAY JENKINS

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Dear Santa:

We have been pretty good children and please don't forget us. I (Buck) want an airgun, fruit and nuts. I (Alvin) want an airgun, a story book and some good things to eat. I (Sybil) want a doll, some dishes, candy, apples and nuts and please don't forget our grandma who lives at Hobbs, N. M. Lots of love from your little friends,

BUCK, ALVIN AND SYBIL MOODY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl. I am seven years old. I am in the second grade. I have been a good little girl so please bring me a sewing set and a nice story book, lots of candy, fruit and nuts and please don't forget Bobbie Lou. She is my little niece. She will be one year old December 21.

Your little friend,

FRANCES HENDERSON

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Dear Santa Claus:

I am a girl 4 years old. I want you to bring me a little wagon and twins. I have a little sister. She wants a dollie and a truck. Will hang up your stockings and be looking for you. Goodbye

BILLIE FAYE HIGHTOWER

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I have been a very good little girl and I wish you would bring me these things. I want a table and chairs and some aluminum dishes and some fruit and candy.

With love

DOROTHY CARPENTER

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a scooter, an air rifle, a "Super Deluxe" wagon, some fruit nuts and candy.

NEAL BRYANT

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

Will you please bring me a tricycle, a little car, a popgun and some boots. Don't forget Ralph.

G. L. BRYANT

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

Will you please bring me a pretty little iron and a beautiful little doll that talks. I also want a farris wheel. Please bring me a baby buggy for my doll to go riding in also. Please bring me some candy and fruit to eat and remember me Santy.

I am a little girl about 4 years and one week old today. I try to be good and help mother every day while brother and sister are at school.

Please remember me. Love,

JUANICE SUE HASTON

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I have been good and I want you to bring me a pretty doll dressed in blue and a toy wrist watch. I would like some fruits and nuts. Don't forget the little poor children.

Your little friend,

ESTHER ELLIOTT

Cuthbert, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Old Santa:

I have been a sweet little baby girl and I want a little piano and a little wagon and don't forget all the little boys and girls. With lots of love

BETTY JEAN WOMACK

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

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Yours truly,

DANA MARIE

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a doll, a broom, some candy, nuts and fruit.

DORIS BRYANT

Cuthbert, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa:

This is my first year in school and I have been a real nice little boy. Please send me a tricycle and a train.

Yours truly,

CARLTON FULLER

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I hope that you will bring me a Parkercycle, set of books and a Daisy air rifle.

Your friend,

EARNST PORTER

Westbrook, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I have been a good girl this year. I am eleven years old and in the fifth grade. Please send me a fountain pen and a pencil box.

Yours truly,

INA USSERY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy six years old. I help mother bring in the eggs every evening. I will be pleased with just anything you bring me Christmas. Don't forget little June. She is 2 years old. She has been a good little girl this year.

Wayne Taylor

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl 6 years old and have started to school. I study hard and like my teacher.

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Please bring me a scarf, a box that has a handkerchief and a bottle of perfume. I have been a good little girl this year. My mama is Meesette Haston. I am 10 years old.

With love,

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With love,

MULETTE



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Dear Santa Claus:

I am writing you to tell you what I want this Christmas. I am in the 3rd grade. I am 8 years old. How have you been getting along. I want a doll that has on pink rompers and has real hair that can be washed. I want a little tiny Patsy doll too, and I want the book Limpy and the Little Lame Prince, and the book Pollyanna. I hope you get here all right.

Your love truly,

BETTY LOU WHIPKEY

Colorado, Texas, Nov. 15, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 3 1/2 years old and I want you to be sure and remember me this Christmas. I would like you to bring me some dolls, dishes, toys, house shoes and new clothes. I will be a good girl and do what grandma wants me to.

Yours truly,

PEGGIE MORGAN

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 9, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I want you to come. I am good most of the time. I want you to bring me some house slippers, apples, oranges, a doll, doll clothes, a box, and nuts.

With love,

RUTH MORGAN

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I hope you will come this way. I am a little girl three years old. I want a doll and a doll bed and most of all I want a tricycle.

DOROTHY ANN COOPER

Westbrook, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

My little brothers and I have been pretty good this year and hope you will come to see us. I would like a ball, a tool chest, and train. Please bring Don, my little brother, some tinker toys and a little wagon.

With love, your friend,

CHAS. BASS HINES

Westbrook, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl 4 years old. My little sister is one year old. We want you to bring us each a doll, a little wagon and some fruit, candy and nuts.

Sincerely,

BILLY LOUISE OLIVER

Colorado, Texas, 344 Hinary st. Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl six years old. I want a tricycle, a doll and a little table, but I want a tricycle most of all.

Dot and I will leave some cakes on the dining table for you.

With love, I am

Your little friend,

RUTH COOPER

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 9, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I want two automatic cap pistols and two cap pistol scabbards and ten rolls of caps. I want a B-B gun and 5 packages B-B shots. I want 2 pairs of boxing gloves. I want 24 balloons. I want a knife.

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Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a girl ten years old and I am in the fifth grade. How have you been getting along this Christmas. I want a doll that has on pink rompers and has real hair that can be washed. I want the book Bobby Bubbles. I want a tiny Patsy doll too. I wish you good luck getting here.

Yours truly,

Lots of Love,

VIRGINIA WHIPKEY

Cuthbert, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa:

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Your little friend,

GOODWIN LEE SIMPSON

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Dear Santa Claus:

Will you please bring me a pretty doll with hair like mine and some dishes, so when my cousin Goodwin and little friends, come to see me we can have a tea party.

Thank you,

FRANCES FAY JENKINS

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

We have been pretty good children and please don't forget us. I (Buck) want an airgun, fruit and nuts. I (Alvin) want an airgun, a story book and some good things to eat. I (Sybil) want a doll, some dishes, candy, apples and nuts and please don't forget our grandma who lives at Hobbs, N. M. Lots of love from your little friends,

BUCK, ALVIN AND SYBIL MOODY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl. I am seven years old. I am in the second grade. I have been a good little girl so please bring me a sewing set and a nice story book, lots of candy, fruit and nuts and please don't forget Bobbie Lou. She is my little niece. She will be one year old December 21.

Your little friend,

FRANCES HENDERSON

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a girl 4 years old. I want you to bring me a little wagon and twins. I have a little sister. She wants a dollie and a truck. Will hang up your stockings and be looking for you. Goodbye

BILLIE FAYE HIGHTOWER

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I have been a very good little girl and I wish you would bring me these things. I want a table and chairs and some aluminum dishes and some fruit and candy.

With love

DOROTHY CARPENTER

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl 3 1/2 years old and I want you to be sure and remember me this Christmas. I would like you to bring me some dolls, dishes, toys, house shoes and new clothes. I will be a good girl and do what grandma wants me to.

Yours truly,

DANA MARIE

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a doll, a broom, some candy, nuts and fruit.

DORIS BRYANT

Cuthbert, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa:

This is my first year in school and I have been a real nice little boy. Please send me a tricycle and a train.

Yours truly,

CARLTON FULLER

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I hope that you will bring me a Parkercycle, set of books and a Daisy air rifle.

Your friend,

EARNST PORTER

Westbrook, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I have been a good girl this year. I am eleven years old and in the fifth grade. Please send me a fountain pen and a pencil box.

Yours truly,

INA USSERY

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy six years old. I help mother bring in the eggs every evening. I will be pleased with just anything you bring me Christmas. Don't forget little June. She is 2 years old. She has been a good little girl this year.

Wayne Taylor

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl 6 years old and have started to school. I study hard and like my teacher.

Please Santa I want a doll with red pajamas, a doll bed and table and chairs and little forks, knives and spoons. I already have my dishes. I got them for my birthday. Now don't forget my little schoolmates and teacher, also grandma and pa and my little cousin, and my daddy and mother.

Your little friend,

JUANITA BYRD

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a scarf, a box that has a handkerchief and a bottle of perfume. I have been a good little girl this year. My mama is Meesette Haston. I am 10 years old.

With love,

MULETTE

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Dear Santa:

Will you please bring me some boots, a doll, a broom, some fruit, nuts and candy and don't forget to bring my baby brother Ralph a rubber doll.

ALENE BRYANT

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I have been good and I hope you come to see me this Christmas. Please bring me a baby doll that cries and goes to sleep. I would like some candy, fruit, and nuts. Please don't forget my sisters.

Your little friend,

JUANICE ELLIOTT

Colorado, Texas, Dec. 11, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy four years old, and I have been a good boy all year. Will you please bring me a cowboy suit, tool chest, motorcycle and automatic pistol.

Your friend,

ED S. JONES, III

Westbrook, Texas, Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa:

I have been a very good girl his year. I am nine years old and in the third grade. Please send me a doll and a set of dishes.

Yours truly,

TRUMAN USSERY

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### Children Address Letters To Cheerful Patron Saint Noting Gifts They Desire

(Continued from Page 2)  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me china dishes and a choo choo train.

RODNEY LEE  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa:  
How are you? I am fine. I want Christmas to come. I have been a good girl. I want a dresser and a Hi-boy to match and table and chairs. Merry Christmas. Fill my stocking.

With love,  
IRIS LOVEJOY  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

I am seven years old and am in the second grade. I want you to bring me a train with track, an air gun, football, story book and some fire works. Of course I want some candy, apples, oranges and nuts.

Love,  
BOB GRANTLAND  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me china dishes and a doll. I want some doll clothes and a doll trunk. Our birds each want a bath tub and something to pick on.

IVA HELEN LEE  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl, so will you please bring me a doll trunk with some doll clothes in it, and some story books and if you have money enough, a saddle and a bridge and if you can a desk and a rocking chair.

I love Mr. Santa Claus and Mrs. Santa Claus.  
JOAN MILLS  
Please hurry and come.  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dearest Santa:  
I want you to bring me a little teddy bear, a doll, some apples, oranges, nuts, and grapes. Please bring me some peanuts and some fireworks too.

I have been very good this year and will be good one more week and I am three years old.  
Yours truly,  
OLGA MYRTLE THOMPSON

Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 12, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl six years old. I go to school and Santa I want you to bring me a little green coaster wagon, a doll, a lamp, and some house shoes and Santa please remember my little cousin Von Dell and my little uncles Leon, Wayne and Lewell Dean. I've been a good girl and I love you lots Santa.

DORIS NEWTON  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a rubber doll, doll bed, doll cabinet, set of dishes, ironing board.

ELSIE ANN SMITH  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been a good boy this year so I want to tell you what I want.

I want a punching bag, policeman suit and a pool table and also a good story book.

Now Santa Claus don't forget my little twin brothers. They also want policeman suits, and big pullman cars.

Santa Claus don't forget the poor children too. Your good friend,  
HAROLD BERMAN  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have tried to be a good boy. I would like to have some new toys. Will you please send me a lot of fire works, fruit, nuts and candy. I would like a bicycle, tinkertoys and a cap pistol and scabbard with a lot of caps.

Yours truly and wishing old Santa a merry Christmas.  
HAROLD EUBY SMITH  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I hope you have not gotten so very cold in your airplane. I will not ask for very much this Christmas. I would like to have a tricycle and some goodies to eat. I would be happy over anything else you would like to bring. I thank you for the other nice things you have brought me.

With lots of love,  
MARIE WOMACK

Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 10, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy eight years old and in the second grade. Please bring me a little red wagon and a football.

Allen Jr. my little brother is three years old. He wants a tricycle and a big ball.  
Remember Charles Leonard. He is five months old.

Your friend,  
KENNETH CONNELL  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

I have been a good little girl and I wish you would bring me these things. A little table and chairs. I like to go to school. I am nine years old. I'm in the third grade.

With love,  
MARJORIE LOWE  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa:  
We realize that times are hard but will you please bring me a cedar chest and doll. Please bring my little brother a car, wheelbarrow and some fruit. Remember my little cousin Hattie Ellen.

From,  
MARY LOIS JONES  
WEBIE GEORGE JONES  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 14, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little four year old girl. I want a little stove, ironing board, sewing box, and some fruit, nuts and candy.

Your friend,  
BILLIE ANN HILL  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 14, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a football, a radio game, a pair of gloves and some fruit and candy.

Your friend,  
CHARLES HILL  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 14, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a football, coloring book, pair of gloves and some fruit, nuts and candy.

Your friend,  
JACK HILL  
Colorado, Texas,  
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MRS. C. E. DANNER, Correspondent

Mrs. C. E. Danner is also authorized to receive and receipt for subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact other business for Whipkey Printing Company. See her and take your County paper—The Record

### Health Talk

Thursday morning Dr. C. L. Root from Colorado delivered an interesting health talk to the students. He stressed the importance of fresh air and sunshine. He also pointed out the importance of proper care of the teeth.

### Christmas Program

The pupils of the first, second and third grades are presenting a Christmas program Thursday night, Dec. 15, at 7:30 p. m. This program is under the supervision of Mrs. Lauderdale and Miss O'Kelly. This promises to be an interesting program, so don't miss it.

### News Items

We were sorry to lose our popular classmates and friends, Pete, Nell, and Jean Hazwood. They have moved to Kilgore and will attend school there.

Ozelle Berry was a welcome classmate after her long absence from school.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Lauderdale has the flu, and has been absent from school. Mrs. Lambert has been substituting in her place as teacher.

Several high school students have been absent this week because of the flu.

### Humorous Remarks

Miss Ott—Reba, you should call your sister soft names, not harsh ones.

Reba (to Louise)—Mush. Virginia's dignity is suffering because her name failed to be printed.

Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus:  
How are you? I hope you are fine and can bring all we children lots of nice presents.

Are you coming to see me? I want a pony and a real .22 target and nice bow tie and a nice new suit and a set of tools and apples, oranges, bananas, nuts and that is all I want.

Your friend,  
BILLIE JOE HALE  
Colorado, Texas,  
Dec. 13, 1932.

### GUARD CHICKENS AGAINST COLDS

Guard the chicken against colds—such is the timely warning that late fall brings to poultrymen as temperatures begin to drop and sudden changes in the weather become more frequent.

"Heavy losses are often the result of colds in the flock," says C. S. Johnson, Manager of the Poultry Department of Purina Mills, "which are usually caused by overcrowding and improper ventilation. Birds low in vitality seem more susceptible than those in good health.

"Cold symptoms are easily recognized by wheezing and sneezing, and often a watery discharge from one or both nostrils. The well-known ounce of prevention being better than the pound of cure, steps should be taken to minimize this danger by keeping the poultry house clean, dry, well ventilated, free from drafts, and care taken not to overcrowd the birds.

"A regular sanitation program for the poultry house is an essential measure of cold prevention. A good clean litter should be provided and changed as often as it becomes damp. The walls, floor, roosts, and ceiling should be sprayed every time the litter is changed with a disinfecting solution made of half pint of Cre-So-Fec mixed with three gallons of water.

"When colds occur, the sick birds should be placed in warm, dry, well-ventilated quarters and treatment applied by throwing a fine spray of that same strength Cre-So-Fec solution over the heads of the chickens after they go on the roosts in the evening. In severe cases the nostrils should be washed out with a solution made of one Chlorena tablet dissolved in a pint of water."

Both of these preparations—Purina Cre-So-Fec and Chlorena—may be obtained at D. M. Logan & Sons.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people who were so kind to us during the sickness and death of our mother.

COLEMAN DONNELL  
TRAVIS DONNELL  
HAZEL DONNELL  
FANNIE DONNELL

### SEVEN WELLS NEWS NOTES

By Alice Maines  
Mrs. Coleman gave Mrs. Clements a fine picture of Dr. Coleman to frame for the school. We thank her sincerely. We each one have written up in our note books a sketch of Dr. Coleman's work for education in our county.

Bad weather and sickness has cut our attendance at school to about half the number of pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and children of Loraine spent Monday night with Mrs. C. B. Reese, Mrs. Thompson's sister.

The following is Mrs. Robinson's honor roll for the past month: Virginia Cockrell, Grace Dossey, Dorris Reese, Loyd Cox, Joe Dossey, Nellie Mae Venus, Mildred House, Billie Gary.

Grandpa Wallace has gone to Eastland to visit his daughters. We miss his smiling face and cheery "Good Morning."

Miss Minnie Lee Felts of Colorado and Miss Carlene Felts of Buford visited Miss Alice Maines Sunday.

We have tickets sold for our entertainment on Dec. 21st and it is inconvenient for us to change the date because the tickets call for a special date, and have been sold in town. We have often changed dates that we might not conflict with our neighboring school, Payne. We are very anxious at Seven Wells to see Payne's entertainment. The whole school and community of Seven Wells ask Payne to change her date if at all convenient that we may enjoy their entertainment with them and that they may come to ours. We are not charging at the door. We will sell tickets to all we can but the door is open on Dec. 21st to all. Proceeds of ticket sale to be applied on February piano note.

## C. L. ROOT HOSPITAL

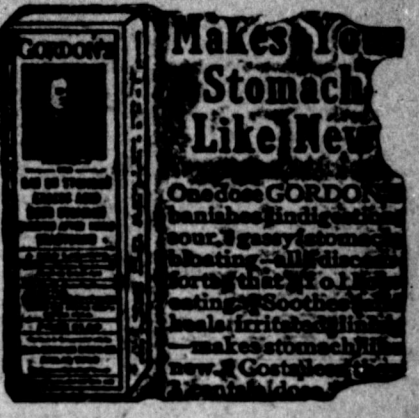
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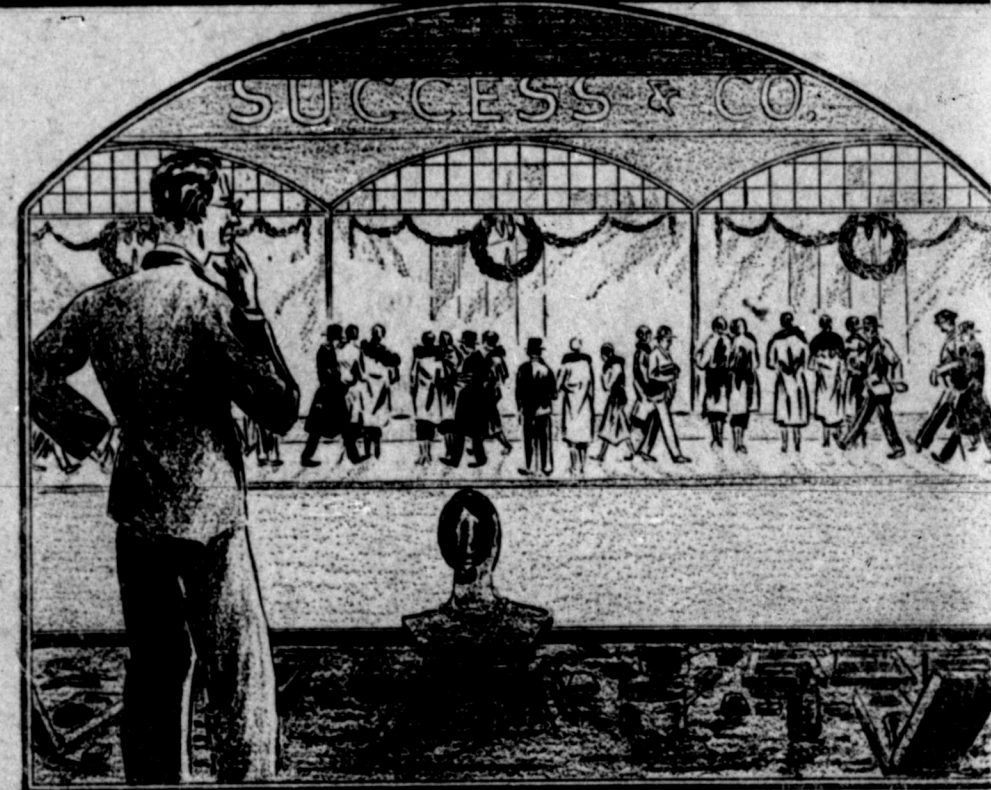
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Mr. Merchant:  
Is Your Christmas Business Going ACROSS the Street ?



Christmas crowds go where there is light and action. If your Christmas business goes across the street, investigate your lighting—your store windows and displays are evidently not as bright and attractive as the other fellow's across the way.

In one town, a row of stores on the dead side of the street were transformed with light. Their attractively lighted windows invited—commanded—closer inspection. By actual count, it was proved that light diverted people to that side—the wrong side—of the street.

Your show windows should make business for you. The higher the lighting intensity, the better people can see objects in your windows. That is why

big, successful stores keep their windows well lighted electrically all day long.

Skimping on light is penny wise but light foolish. Electric light is so cheap that abundant use of it is true economy. Current for a 50 watt lamp costs only one cent for three hours' use.

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Much Of The Fun At Yuletide Found In Zest Of Opening The Colored Packages

Half the fun of Christmas lies in the zest of opening glamorous packages that are so gay you just can't wait to get your fingers on them.

This year the wrappings, ribbons, stickers, tags, boxes and other package-businessmen run such a riot of color and variety that, with an early selection you can make your Christmas gifts the most attractive of the lot.

Newest and most glamorous, in a way, are the transparent papers, in exotic black, in scarlet, green, silvery white, purple and other rich tones. The trick is to use a figured paper first, then top each package with cellophane so it takes on Christmas glamor par excellence.

Now papers have definite old-fashioned atmosphere to their designs and blocked effects are the last word in Christmas wrappings. It may be a fine print like a pretty, gray red calico, made of minute Scotches, but the effect will be hand-blocked. It may be silhouetted figures, Victorian in flavor, but they too are designed in blocks, sometimes with silvery and black wavy lines and stripes for a border.

Embossed papers are in high favor this year, favoring the Christmas in color, rather than the Christmas in green and white, or old-fashioned holly-berry red. These features have blocked designs, too, one of them being an old-English coach in green, with holly wreaths in between, and pine cones.

There are fewer red, green and white papers than formerly. All seem to prefer two main colors and use gold or silver, just to give more glamor. One new paper uses russet colored red with an apricot tan, the color combination of the Prince of Wales reportedly is using this year in his Christmas gift wrapping.

This year it seems more popular to use paper ties than actual ribbon. Many of these are gold or silver, with Merry Christmas or other greetings printed on them. Stickers are huge this year, and so are tags. You can find ample room not only

Gov. Sterling Soon To Leave Post, His Close Friends Say

A few more days and Governor R. S. Sterling will return to private life after two years as chief executive of Texas. He will be the only Texas governor since Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, who has not returned for a second term.

Governor Sterling never has announced his plans for the future, but his friends expect him to return to Houston to make his home. He probably will not interest himself in politics again, although he has not publicly renounced the fickle game.

It is believed likely Governor Sterling will leave the gubernatorial office, probably a few days before Mrs. Ferguson's inauguration, by resignation in order to escape festivities incident to induction of his successor. It is said it would be distasteful to him to have any part in the inauguration, after the enmity that has existed between him and Mrs. Ferguson and her husband, James E. Ferguson.

Should he resign, it would be that it ends up by being one of the nicest gifts received. Remember, first appearances of your Christmas gifts are just as important as the gifts themselves.

Lieutenant Governor Edgar Witt's first chance to sit in the executive chair. During the lieutenant governor's tenure, the governor has not absented himself from the state to give him occasion to take the reins of the government. Witt was re-elected, however, and it may be Mrs. Ferguson will give him an opportunity to be acting governor.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS The Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, Texas, will receive competitive bids to ten o'clock P. M., on the 31st day of December, 1932, at the Court House in Colorado, Texas, on the following described road machinery: One or more 'Crawler Type Tractors, with approximately

35 horse power, and at said time and place said Court will proceed to let a contract if any bid be accepted. Certified check in five per cent of amount of bid required, and the Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

If any contract is made the Court intends to issue interest bearing time warrants for all or part payment thereof, in an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00, said warrants to bear interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum, and the full amount of said warrants to mature at a date not later than March 15, 1933.

Signed: A. F. KING, County Judge, Mitchell County, Texas.

COTTON GINNED IN MITCHELL COUNTY PAST 12 YEARS

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AS THE MASTER DID

"Feeding the poor and giving physical relief to the sick and outcast were of the major objectives of Christ as He walked among men in the flesh, and why should not we of today lend support to that important phase of the Gospel," commented Minister Jim Harvey of the Church of Christ Tuesday morning after some one had made reference to his work among the city's poor.

The Colorado minister has for several years directed much of his efforts to bringing relief to the indigent and neglected population of his home community. It is the down-and-outer without friends or funds found in dire straits that appeals to Mr. Harvey. Like the Salvation Army, he has put into practice the slogan, "A man may be down but he is never out."

Many are the times that this man has been seen going about the street leading some orphaned or neglected child to a place where suitable clothing might be had to cover his little body or medical attention given to relieve illness. Jim—and he insists that his friends address him as "Jim"—admitted the other day that members of his congregation had expended no less than \$1,000 in caring for a certain indigent woman and her four children. The mother was bed ridden and unable to provide even the necessities of life for herself and dependents. But the preacher saw to it that these and medical attention, too, were realized.

This Colorado preacher admits that the biggest thrill he gets out of living is to have some part in bringing happiness into the windows of a neglected soul. He finds ample reward in heeding that command of the Master that "we are our brother's keeper."

Such was as the Master did things as He trod the hills of Palestine two thousand years ago. Such is the spirit of Christ.

MERITING OF SUPPORT

The spirit of Christmas could not be more aptly reflected than in plan announced here first of the week to provide toys for children among the poor. It is not so much the expense involved by benefactors of this objective, but the genuine purpose behind such a program that counts. Certainly the move merits support from every Coloradan who is able to have a part in bringing smiles to the faces of neglected children who otherwise might not be made to smile this Christmas.

If you do not happen to have discarded toys that the fire boys can make useful, why not visit some of the toy shops and purchase gifts especially for this campaign? You would feel better by so doing and just imagine the joy such thoughtfulfulness might bring into the life of a deserving child in this community.

AS IT SHOULD HAVE BEEN

Two members of Baylor University football team were indefinitely suspended from that institution Friday on the charge of hazing a freshman. Both of the men were prominent among the student body and had made good on the gridiron.

But hazing has no place in the schools of Texas, whether it be at hands of an otherwise model student or not. The practice, in some instances, has been "run into the ground" and should be checked. If

the students in question were guilty of undue harsh treatment to the victim the faculty will find popular support in edict dismissing them from this great Texas school.

DOING THE JOB WELL

Example set by citizens of a small Kansas community the other day, when three bank bandits were shot down after holding up the town's financial institution, should be followed by others, comments the Lubbock Avalanche. In its edition for Sunday morning, the Ayalanche says:

West Texas and South Plains towns which have been recently visited by bank bandits or which may expect to play host to members of the armed gentry in the future, should be interested in what was efficiently done the other day in Shawnee, Kansas.

Citizens of Shawnee, a small community located just southwest of Kansas City, had been reading in the papers about the depredations of bank robbers and made up their minds that should an assault be made on their own small bank they'd be ready with a warm reception.

Accordingly, they laid their plans. They formed a vigilantes organization and each man knew what he was to do if and when the time came. Included in arrangements was the stringing of burglar alarms from the bank to various business houses and residences. After they were strung the Shawnee folks sat back and waited.

The big day came last week. Three men drove into town and methodically set about robbing the State and Savings bank.

Then things began to happen. The burglar alarms rang and the vigilantes got busy. Each man did what he was supposed to do—with accuracy and dispatch. When the firing was over and the smoke rolled away the three bandits were down in a welter of blood, two of them so badly shot up that they had no chance to recover.

Shawnee's bankroll was saved and everybody there was happy—except the fellows who made the mistake of trying to rob the bank.

A number of banks have been robbed in this locality in the past year and it is not pessimistic to opine that others may be robbed before another year is over.

The Avalanche-Journal can't make any definite suggestions concerning how to organize against bank robbers but we hope our nearby towns can do it and do it right.

It would tickle us to death to print a big, black banner on Page 1 following the next bank robbery attempt in this area, providing it read: "West Texas Bank Robbers Shot Down In Streets!"

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN-DISTRICT OF TEXAS IN BANKRUPTCY ABILENE DIVISION.

In the Matter of Colorado Feed Milling Co. Inc., Bankrupt. No 1584 in Bankruptcy, Abilene, Texas, Dec. 8th, 1932.

BEFORE D. M. OLDFHAM, JR. REFEREE IN BANKRUPTCY

To the Creditors of Colorado Feed Milling Co. Inc., of Colorado, Texas, in the county of Mitchell and District aforesaid, Bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of November A. D., 1932, the said Colorado Feed Milling Co. Inc., was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, on the 21st day of Dec. A. D., 1932, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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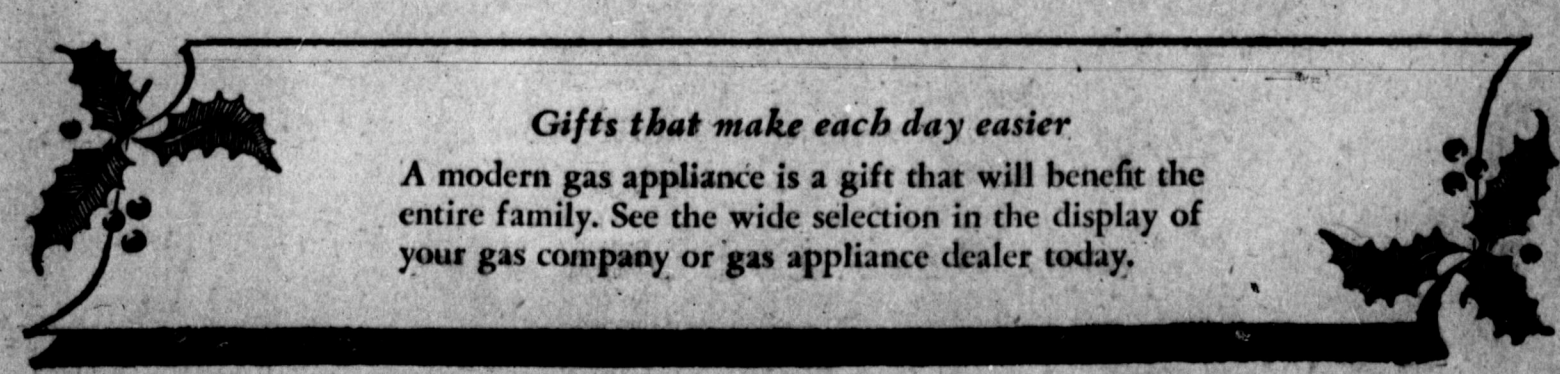
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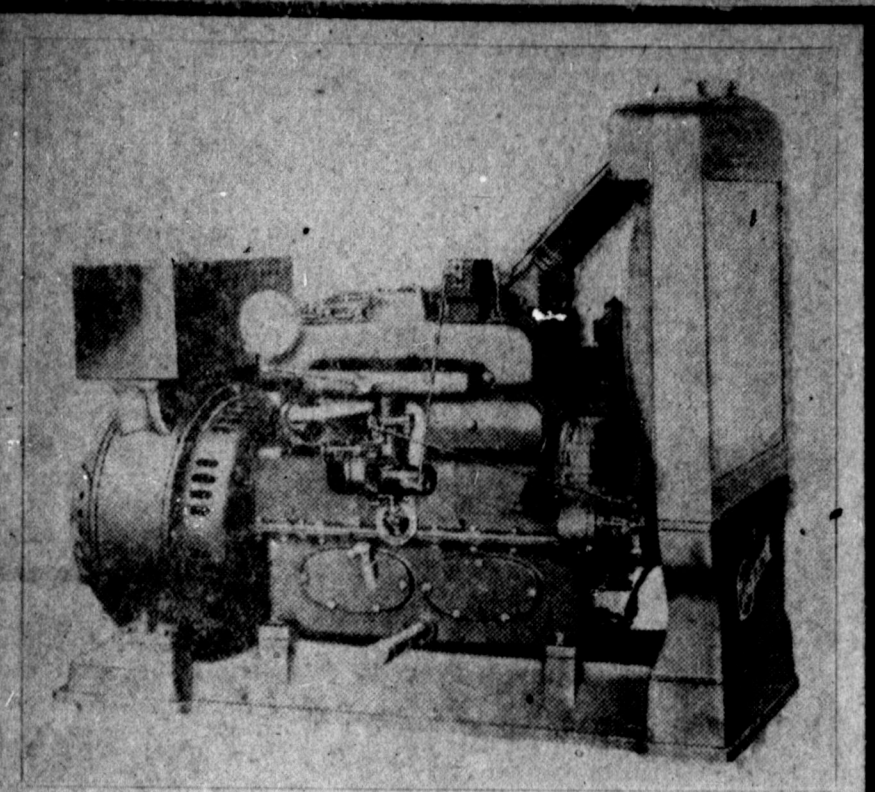
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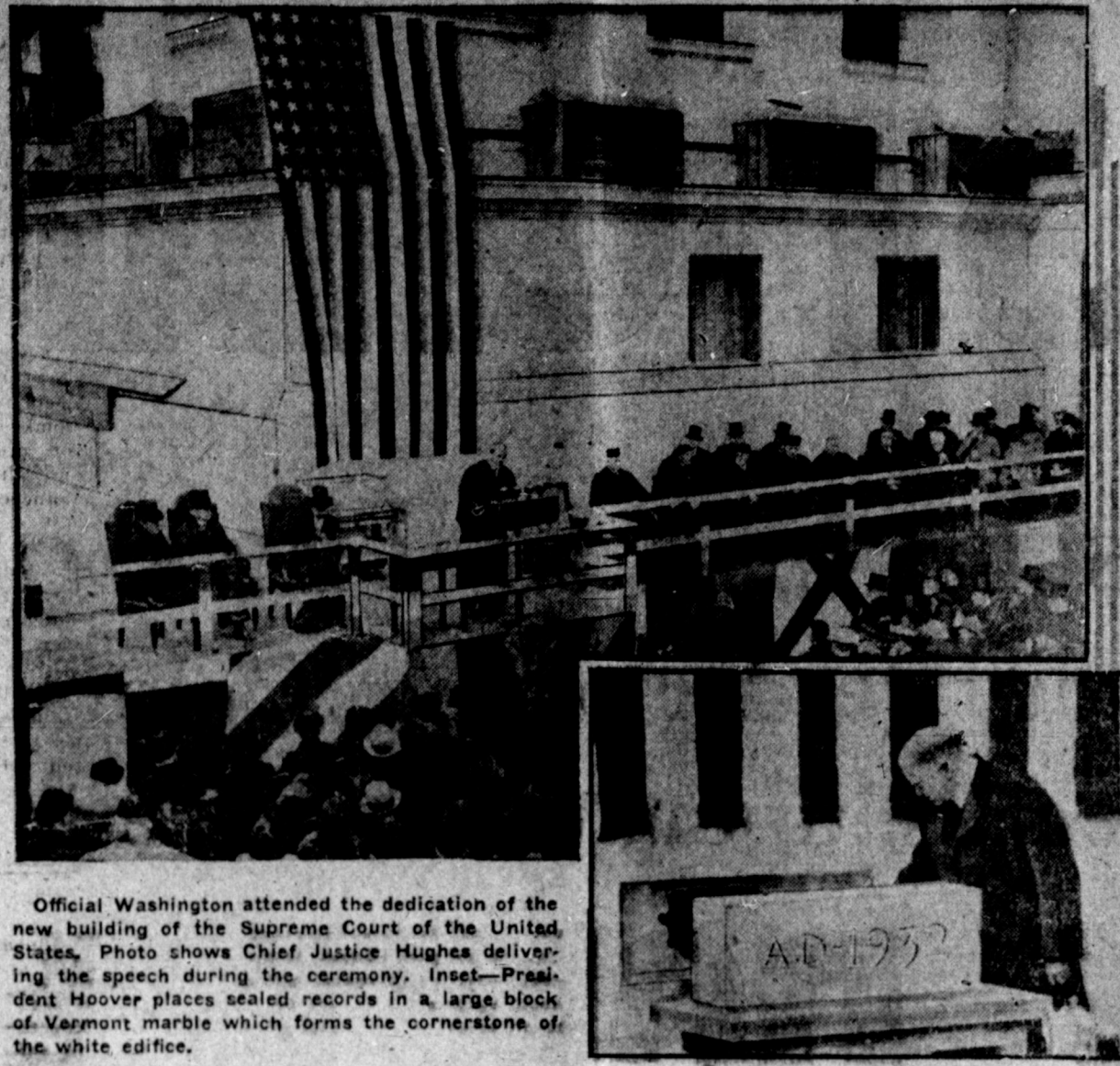
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Official Washington attended the dedication of the new building of the Supreme Court of the United States. Photo shows Chief Justice Hughes delivering the speech during the ceremony. Inset—President Hoover places sealed records in a large block of Vermont marble which forms the cornerstone of the white edifice.

### Interesting News Notes Of West Texas As Told In Columns Of The Area Press

Deputy Sheriff Crosby and officers from Colorado raided a "crap" game on the Jose Jimenez farm northwest from Lorraine Saturday night and secured about four gallons of whiskey. Jose was arrested and taken to Colorado to await action of the grand jury.—Mitchell County News (Lorraine).

"It has been estimated that as many as 450,000 containers of food have been canned in San Saba county this year.

"Thirty-seven 4-H Pantry demonstrators and many co-operators have canned according to a plan and budget made out last February with the help of Miss Lorena Dry, home demonstrator. This plan provides food for every need of the body.

"Its suggested budget calls for the following for a family of five: 50 to 100 cans of protein; 100 cans of leafy vegetables; 80 cans of other vegetables; 125 cans of fruit; 150 containers of tomatoes; 50 to 100 containers of preserves; 50 to 100 containers of pickles; 75 containers miscellaneous.

"The woman who cans by plan and budget is surer that her family will have the right things to eat than the woman who cans only peaches and tomatoes."—San Saba News.

"A contract for gas for the municipal gas system was signed with the Humble Co. Monday at a regular meeting of the city council, the contract embodying the terms as set forth in our news story the past week, that is the city is to be furnished with gas at the Humble line at the E. R. Patterson farm at 10c per 1000 the first year, 11c for the second, 12 1/2c for the third year and 15c thereafter. The contract covers a period of five years with the option of renewing it for five more on the same terms."—Rising Star Record.

"The first hunting fatality in the Kerrville vicinity in three years occurred Sunday when Wallace W. James, 46, lifetime resident of Kerr county, was fatally shot through the right lung with a .30-30 calibre rifle. "James was crouched in the edge of some brush with his gun barrel sticking up, when a younger brother, Guy James of Segovia, saw the barrel thought it was a deer horn, and fired. The accident occurred early Sunday on the James Ranch on Turle Creek, about nine miles southwest to Kerrville."—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

"Turkey raisers of this county are ready to place the remainder of their 1932 crop on the market. About half of the birds were sold in November and the remainder will either be sold this month or carried over. The average price paid for No. 1 birds in November was 12 cents but dealers are doubtful about the price for the Christmas birds. Many turkeys were held in cold storage last month and there is a surplus to overcome on the Christmas market."—Ballinger Ledger.

"Construction and repairing of lateral roads and bridges leading into Cross Plains put 60 men back to work here the past week. The crew was working on the Cross Plains-Olin road yesterday, widening right-of-ways and clearing underbrush."—Cross Plains Review.

"Garviel (Rafael) Gonzales, Mexican is in the Standifer Hospital in a critical condition as a result of knife wounds in an altercation Saturday night, and Louis Gonzales, who is alleged to have inflicted the wounds, is in the Kimble county jail charged with assault with intent to murder, and is awaiting the outcome of Garviel's fight for life."—Junction Eagle.

"John Castor of Ballinger and associates have moved in materials for a test for oil to be drilled in Runnels county about three miles northeast of Ballinger and about four and a half miles southwest of the McMillan pool.

"The location is on Thomas C. Hall's land in section 149, E. T. R. R. Co. survey, between the Ballinger-Abilene highway and the road leading to Crews. Leases on several hundred acres have been secured, it is understood."—Winters Enterprise.

"The showing of oil last week in Mintex Oil Company's No. 1 Waring fourteen miles north of Menard may cause some leasing activity, it was indicated here this week when scouts from different companies came to look over the prospects. It was reported that some land owners in the north part of the county had been given an opportunity to lease."—Menard Messenger.

### Carr Certifications

We have some new pupils making an enrollment of thirty five. We have had several absent due to bad weather. We are expecting more pupils and better grades when cotton picking is over.

We are busy preparing for our Christmas program the night of December 22. We will also have a Christmas tree. Everyone is invited. School will dismiss Thursday, Dec. 22 and take up Tuesday Dec. 27 for Christmas holidays. It was decided to give only a short time for holidays as school started late.

We had our first chapel program Wednesday morning by Miss Bulard's room. This week is Miss McDonald's time. Everyone is invited to attend our programs.

Margaret Jackson, a former student of Carr, who is now attending school at Teachers College in Denton, will spend Christmas holidays in Carr with friends and relatives.

There will be a Baptist meeting held at Carr church during Christmas week. It will start Wednesday night, December 2. Rev. J. F. Fields will do the preaching and George Sweet will conduct the singing. A good revival is predicted. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

The singing class of Carr has been revived again since the new books were received. Much interest is taken in singing at Carr. Carr is fortunate in having a group of good singers.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to publicly express my appreciation to every one who assisted me after my home was burned recently. I especially thank ladies of the Colorado Camp for providing quilts and other useful articles.  
C. H. STRICKLIN

### House Votes Down Attempt To Oust President Hoover

A rousing call for impeachment of President Hoover was promptly and emphatically smothered Tuesday at Washington by a startled house of representatives.

Hardly has Representative McFadden (R., Pa.), severe and persistent critic of the administration, charged the chief executive with high crimes and misdemeanors before the chamber, voting 361 to 8, tabled his motion for impeachment proceedings.

The Pennsylvanian's move came with an astonishing abruptness that quickly aroused the membership from its lethargic consideration of routine appropriations.

A hum of conversation that filled the chamber subsided as McFadden strode down the center aisle and addressed the chair.

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of constitutional privilege," he said. "On my own responsibility as a member of the house of representatives, I impeach Herbert Hoover, president of the United States, for

high crimes and misdemeanors." He proceeded to offer a resolution calling for an investigation by the judiciary committee.

The charges on which he would have based the investigation ranged from usurpation of congressional powers in negotiation with foreign countries to an accusation that the chief executive treated with contumely the bonus marchers who were in the capital last summer.

Tom Blanton of Abilene and Wright Patman of Texarkana, members of the House, voted against tabling the resolution.

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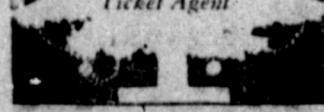
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Heralding this holiday selling occasion, the store this week issued a four-page circular replete with Christmas suggestions. Attractive gifts are to be presented those calling at the store each day of the sale.

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