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## DALLAS COPS BATTLE WITH BANDITS LAST NIGHT

Miss Neely Sees Liberty Bell.

Friends of Miss Neely have received cards today saying she saw the great historic old Liberty Bell in Ft. Worth. She said it was made a great day in Ft. Worth and viewed by thousands and thousands of people. Miss Neely goes on to Austin to witness the great foot ball battle between the A. & M. and the University teams.

Remember the ladies of the Christian church will have their Christmas Bazaar Dec. 2, 3, 4. See their assortment of pretty things before you select your Christmas presents.

Read it first in the Daily Reporter.

### Severe Storm on East Coast

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 19.—The heavy gale, lashing the Atlantic coast from Florida to Maine is doing considerable damage to the wire communication and endangering shipping.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Cumble are in the city trading today. They report crops in their vicinity all pretty well gathered.

### Blacklisted by the Paris Dressmakers

By Associated Press. Paris, Nov. 19.—Two American customers of German origin, one of whom was commissioned to buy gowns for the trousseau of Mrs. Norman Galt, who will marry President Wilson, have been black listed by Parisian dressmakers. The dressmaking syndicate made offers today to handle Mrs. Galt's orders direct.

Rev. C. A. Engle of Sweetwater filled his regular appointment here at the Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Engle and R. K. McAdams of Sweetwater attended the services. Mr. Engle expects to preach here again next Sunday.—Roscoe Times.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Collins have returned from their bridal trip to Cross Plains and other points. They will soon be at home with Mr. and Mrs. Brainard Bardwell in the Orient Addition.

### Br. Gunboats Sunk by Subs

By Associated Press. Berlin, Nov. 19.—Two British gunboats were sunk off the Egyptian coast by the German submarines, says an official announcement. The details are lacking and it is not known whether the crew was saved or not.

Mrs. W. J. McCollum of Clyde is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Robbins on Lamar St.

any assistance he may need. Resp. M. Q. Hardin, Postmaster.

### Allies Want China's Aid in Big War

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 19.—England, Russia, France and other allies are trying to add China to the Entente allies to prevent future friction between China and Japan.

If China agrees to join the Entente allies, no military participation will be expected or required from China. The United States is being kept informed of the progress of the Allies.

Washington, Nov. 19.—This sensational turn of affairs in the far East on the eve of the proposed change of the government of China back to a monarchy, has been the topic of the hour among the Allies during the past week but only became known to this government today.

So far as is known, Japan has not been consulted, the negotiations being between the European powers and China. It is not known what position Japan will take on the subject.

### Kitchener is at Salonika

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 18.—Field Marshall Earl Kitchener today arrived at Salonika but departed without disembarking, says a dispatch. He held a conference with the commander of the French army in the Orient.

A German aeroplane is reported by Berlin to have bombarded the British troops west of Poperinghe.

A. F. & A. M. Regular stated meeting Saturday night at 8 p. m. Visiting brothers cordially invited. J. H. Hamilton, W. M. A. S. Mauzey, Sec'y.

### Is Killed by Firing Squad

By Associated Press. Salt Lake City, Nov. 19.—Joseph Hilstrom, who was condemned to die for murder, whose case attracted attention throughout the country and prompted the intercession of President Wilson, the Swedish minister to the United States, and the American Federation of Labor, was put to death today by the firing squad in the state prison.

## SWEETWATER'S POSTOFFICE IS SUPPLY HEADQUARTERS FOR 7 BORDERING COUNTIES

Social Dance.

A few couples and their chaperons met at the Elk's Hall last evening and enjoyed a while dancing. Most of them were the floor committee, and they were trying (2) the floor for the big Elk's Thanksgiving dance next Thursday evening. Messrs Deo Simmons and George Conly furnished the music. Among those present were noted Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morris, Misses Gussie Ragland, Ruth Hamilton, Josie Moody, Ione McLain, Taylor, Lancaster, of Marshall, and Fitzgerald of San Marcos. Messrs E. R. Logan, Robert Calvert, Southern, Hamp Snell, Hamilton, Dr. Brann and Joe Boothe.

Let a cleaner town be the watchword.

Be sure to examine your flues, as well as the stoves. A little care may prevent a big fire.

Mrs. Frank Stinchcomb of Abilene is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Graves in the Orient addition.

upon approaching hillstrom's cell, found the door tied with strips torn from blankets. He used the handle of a broom as a weapon but the outburst was only temporary.

He retired last night calm, and remained calm and apparently asleep until four o'clock this morning when he began to shake the cell door and to shriek.

The prison physician tried with little success to quiet him. He was entirely calm when executed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boothe are in the city today shopping.

Read it first in the Daily Reporter.

Postmaster R. C. Crane has received official notice that the Sweetwater P. O. has been designated as supply headquarters for a district including seven counties. The counties are Nolan, Fisher, Scurry, Borden, Mitchell, Howard, and Glasscock, excepting the office at Treadway in Borden County, Colorado and Big Springs. After December 1st, of the present year the offices in this district will make their orders for all printed blanks and office supplies from the office here instead of Washington direct as heretofore.

This is no small distinction for Sweetwater and very plainly shows that this place is very much on the map in the estimation of the Federal authorities at Washington. It also indicates that Sweetwater has a wide awake postmaster who is continually on the outlook to see that the Sweetwater office is keeping squarely in the forefront.

Moose Social Meeting.

The Moose and their families will enjoy a social meeting at the Moose Hall this evening. The principal feature of the program will be splendid music and a good supper.

## REVOLVER BATTLE BETWEEN OFFICERS AND BANDITS IN DALLAS: SEVERAL WOUNDED

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 19.—A pistol battle between the police and alleged bandits in a downtown rooming house early today resulted in the wounding of city detectives George E. Elmick, and Frank Smith, and the arrest of supposed highwaymen, one of which is believed to be "Red" Kelly, of Oklahoma City. Two holdups last night followed by the arrest of Dave Widener, of Oklahoma who disclosed Kelly's hiding place led to the gun battle.

The wounded detectives are expected to recover.

COTTON REPORT

4232 bales of cotton had been received at the yard Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. 4002 bales had been ginned in Roscoe. The cold, blustery weather this week has retarded picking. The freeze which came Saturday and Sunday nights and the clear, cool weather since are causing the cotton to open rapidly now. It is the opinion of many farmers that much of it will not open at all, however, the bolls not being sufficiently matured to open.

E. J. Miller of Brownwood is a business visitor in the city today.

NEW MEXICO POSTMASTER WRIT'S ABOUT MAN KILLED

Lordsburg, Nov. 16, 1915. Miss Lora Maples.

Dear Madam,—I received your letter today and will say that a Mr. J. H. Hollen ran a saloon and a hotel here, who had a son named Walter J. Hollen, that fills the description of the man you refer to. Mr. J. H. Hollen has been notified and I expect he is in Sweetwater by now. If he is there, and it was his son Walter that was killed, and he needs any help, of any kind, wire me and I will see that he gets it.

Walter was a good boy and a personal friend of mine. I surely hate to think it was him, but from the description it is surely him.

Please send me the Sweetwater papers giving an account of the killing and all other information you can as he has many friends here that will be glad to learn how it happened. Any information you may send us will be greatly appreciated.

The editor of the paper here will publish your letter Thursday. Tell Mr. Hollen to call on me or any of us for

# J. P. Majors



## My Annual Discount Sale Is Now On

My prices are very considerably reduced. You are going to buy a Christmas present for some one. Buy it now. Select it before my wonderful assortment is broken up, and for another reason that should appeal to everyone: On every article sold now I will give a special discount of from 20 to 33 1-3 per cent. This sale will last only till Dec. 1st. So it means considerable money in your pocket to make your Xmas purchases in any line before that date. All goods sold will be artistically engraved free, and laid away for you.

J. P. MAJORS, Jeweler and Engraver

## 5000 SERBS CAPTURED BY GERMANS, REPORTED

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 19.—The capture of five thousand Serbians was announced by the German war office at Berlin today. This marks the advance of the Teutons in the Balkans.

The bombardment of a military establishment in Venice by the Aviators of the German government was announced today.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Moody are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. Moody's parents. They are en route to Stanton where Rev. Moody will have the pastorate of the Methodist Church for the next year. He has been in charge of the Stamford church.

Read it first in the Daily Reporter.

## Brit. Checked by a Mutiny

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 19.—The British advance against Bagdad has been checked by mutiny of the Indian troops in Mesopotamia, says a Constantinople Dispatch. The sacred relics in Bagdad are said to have caused dissatisfaction.

Mr. Bernard Fisher has as guests his mother and Aunt, Mesdames Fisher of Big Springs, for a few days.

## Suit Was Dismissed

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 19.—The District Supreme Court today dismissed the action brought by a group of Louisiana Negroes for sixty-eight million dollars against the government.

They claimed that the money was due their ancestors as slaves for involuntary servitude by the servants in the federal handling of cotton during the Civil War.

## AERO SQUAD IN WICHITA FALLS; TRAVELING FAST

By Associated Press. Wichita Falls, Nov. 19.—All six of the military aeroplanes of the U. S. Army squadron which left Fort Sill this morning en route for their new station at San Antonio reached here in safety after one hour's flight.

They will continue their flight tomorrow. The flight made this morning was at the date of nearly ninety miles

an hour at most perfect conditions. Six automobiles and six motorcycles reached here after the aeroplanes, arriving some time later than the aircraft. The automobiles were compelled to take a much longer route than the air line.

E. H. Russell of Abilene is looking after business matters in the city today.



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Any erroneous reflection appearing in this paper will be cheerfully corrected when called to the attention of the publishers.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**FOR MAYOR**  
A. B. YANTIS,  
J. D. SLOAN.

**Ladies' Bazaar.**

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church will hold their annual bazaar at the Palace Drug Store, the 2nd, 3rd and 4th of December.

They will have on exhibition all kinds of fancy work, in crochet and embroidery, aprons of every description and all kinds of ready to wear garments. They invite every one in the city to wait and see their stock before buying their Christmas presents.

**A. & M. COLLEGE MEN COMING**  
County Demonstration Agent W. C. Calvert states to the Times that a corps of four or five A. & M. College

men will make a five day's tour of Nolan County, spending one day in each of five different communities, either in December or January, most probably in January. These gentlemen will make talks on the best methods of farming, stock-raising, dairying, poultry-raising, etc. The people of the communities visited will be expected to assemble at their schoolhouses or other convenient places, bring their dinner and spend the day. Mr. Calvert is sure that much interesting and helpful information and suggestions will be given by these experts and it is hoped that the people of the communities which the occasion will afford. The first communities sending invitations will be visited. It is understood that Champion and community in another part of the county have already extended invitations. Let others do likewise.

**Automobile Runs Over Boy.**

As a car containing four or five men was coming from Sweetwater two miles east of Roscoe Wednesday, it passed a wagon coming in the same direction. A man and a little boy six or seven years of age were walking behind the wagon and just as the car approached the boy evidently became confused or excited and ran out by the side of the wagon immediately in front of the car. The car passed over him and it was at first feared that he had been seriously if not fatally injured. The car picked him up and brought him on to town at a rapid rate where he received medical attention. His face was considerably bruised but otherwise he did not seem to be hurt. As the wagon was merely passing through the country we did not learn the name of the boy.—Roscoe Times.

Miss Malissa Chandler of Toyah has arrived to spend the winter with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler.

**Jitny Diamond Club**



**Special Offering of DIAMOND RINGS \$25.00**

This is the way you pay on **Our Jitney Plan**

1st week	.....	.10
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3rd week	.....	.30
4th week	.....	.50
6th week	.....	.60
7th week	.....	.70
8th week	.....	.80
9th week	.....	.90
10th week	.....	1.00
11th week	.....	1.10
12th week	.....	1.20
13th week	.....	1.30
14th week	.....	1.40
15th week	.....	1.50
16th week	.....	1.60
17th week	.....	1.70
18th week	.....	1.80
19th week	.....	1.90
20th week	.....	2.00
21st week	.....	2.00
22nd week	.....	2.00
Total	.....	\$25.00

Save your dimes and buy a Diamond. If You Don't Understand it, Come in and ask me.

**P.T.QUAST**

Jeweler, Optometrist and Music Dealer

**LOCAL WANT ADS**

**SWEET POTATOES**  
Choice Dooley Yams, 70c per bushel, f. o. b. Clyde.—Earl Slater, Clyde, Texas.

LOST—A gold bracelet with an amethyst center, diamond on each side of amethyst. Finder please return to this office.

Typewriter ribbons and carbon paper for sale at this office.

**W. T. Daniel**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

Will practice in all the Courts. Crane & Bradford bldg., with R. G. Smith Adjustment Co.

LOST. A small bundle containing underwear for children and grown up people. Finder please return to the Reporter office, and greatly oblige owner.

Packing and shipping household goods is a part of our business.—**HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO**

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We are prepared to make abstracts on short notice to any tract of land in Nolan county. The Ragland Abstract Company. With Texas Bank & Trust Co.

Let Monday and McMurry put up that stove for you.

**KANDY**  
Mrs Stewart's Kandy Kitchen  
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Chas. Starr, Meat Market.  
A variety of fresh candy every day. Prices reasonable.

**WOOD—WOOD—WOOD—** Phone 33—Hanna & Patterson ..... 6-10

Place and the top at Monday and McMurry's opposite Postoffice.

Coal Coal, best quality and at the right prices. Sweetwater Bottling Co. Phone 318.

**WOOD! WOOD!**  
For Heater and cooking. Phone Burge & Hope, No. 1 or 7.

Phone No. 1 or 7 and let Burges & Hope supply your wood for cold weather.

For Rent.—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. —Phone 153.

FOR RENT. Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children.—Phone 46.

Get your stove pipe from Monday & McMurry.

For Coal telephone 318. Sweetwater Bottling Co.

Get ready for cold weather, buy your coal from Sweetwater Bottling Co. Phone 318.

We weld brass, Aluminum, steel, and castings of all descriptions, at the Sweetwater Machine Shop and Garage.

For best grade stovepipe and flues have Monday and McMurry furnish them.

We have money to loan on improved farms and ranches at 8 per cent interest. See T. O' Cowan, Sweetwater Texas, or W. D. Beall, Jr.

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FOR SALE—477 Acres good land adjoining the town of Roby known as the Roby land. Prices and terms reasonable. Dr. J. M. Mathis, Sweetwater, Texas.

**MONEY TO LOAN**  
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**New Dress TRIMMINGS.**  
Just Received by Express an Assortment of Beautiful Trimmings and Ornaments

FUR TRIMMED IN WHITE, GREY, BLACK AND BROWN—  
BEADED BANDS  
BEADED MEDALIONS  
BEADED BUCKLES  
BEADED BUTTERFLIES  
MILITARY STRAPS ASSORTED COLORS.  
FROG FASTENERS, ASSORTED COLORS.  
SILK TASSELS IN BLACK AND WHITE.  
SILK AND FUR COLLARETTES.

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"THE MAN IN THE MASK"  
"The Smouldering"  
Selig 2 reel Drama  
"Falsely Accused"  
Ham & Bud Comedy  
**ADMISSION - 5 & 10c**

**YESTERDAY**      **TODAY**

When you talked to a spect about the advantages of Honey Comb Radiator, Cantilever Springs, crown Fender, Full floating rear Axle, one man top, the average man did not appreciate these features, but

There is not a man in the country— who don't know what you mean when you tell him you have one man top, demountable rims, Full floating axle, honey comb radiator, cantilever Springs, Crown Fenders.

**We ask you to take a ride in a REGAL before you buy**  
Study Specifications of  
**Regal Automobiles**  
**Auto Sales Co.**

**WATCH THIS SPACE FOR SUGGESTIONS FOR CHRISTMAS**  
**GUY E. MORRIS**

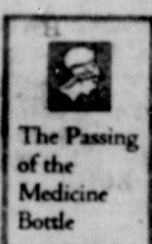
One hundred years ago today when wilderness was here With powder in his gun, the man Went out and got a deer. But now the thing has changed. And on another plan With powder on her cheeks, The "deer" goes out and gets the man.

W. C. Barton of Nolan is in the city today trading.

The Ladies' Home Journal for October, 1915

EVERY DAY in radiant enthusiasm, there's a man concentrating at a dollar's worth. And the little girl? Yet thousands are like energy, or integrity, or confidence at so much an hour or week it will teach us the lesson that is yet to be born who can help, or whether we travel the single virtue to his by and of himself.

WOMEN are so bad that complaint is the first. As a quite literally occasion-sauringly d habits, pleasant romments, surround ion here is revention T.



The Passing of the Medicine Bottle

WE ARE CERTAINLY MAKING LONG STRIDES forward when we read such words as these, and they concern us all because they concern our health. And it must be well borne in mind that the writer, Sir William Osler, M. D., is unquestionably the foremost living American physician and the highest authority on drugs in the medical world. He says what follows in the "Encyclopedia Americana":

The new school does not feel itself under obligation to give any medicine whatever, while a generation ago not only could few physicians have held their practice unless they did, but few would have thought it safe or scientific.

Of course there are still many cases where the patient's friends must be humored by administering medicine, or alleged medicine, where it is not really needed, and indeed often where the buoyancy of mind, which is the real curative agent, can be created only by making him wait hopefully for the expected action of medicine; and some physicians still cannot unlearn their old training.

But the change is great. The modern treatment of disease relies very greatly on the so-called natural methods, diet and exercise, bathing and massage; in other words, giving the natural forces the fullest scope by easy and thorough nutrition, increased flow of blood, and removal of obstructions to the excretory systems or to circulation in the tissues.

One notable example is typhoid fever. At the outset of the nineteenth century it was treated with 'remedies' of the extremest violence—bleeding and blistering, vomiting and purging, antimony and calomel, and other heroic remedies. Now the patient is bathed and nursed and carefully tended, but rarely given medicine.

This is the result of the remarkable experiments of the Paris and Vienna schools in the action of drugs, which have shaken the stoutest faith; and partly of the constant and successful lesson of homeopathy. No regular physician would admit that the homeopathic 'infinitesimals' could do any good as direct curative agents, and yet it was perfectly certain that homeopaths lost no more of their patients than others. There was but one conclusion to draw, that most drugs had no effect whatever on the diseases for which they were administered.



The Safest

A WOMAN SAVES OR INHERITS SOME MONEY, and immediately she is sorely puzzled as to how and where to invest it. She is timid about making known her possession and she is skeptical of advice. She reads alluring advertisements for "stocks" that pay ten per cent and she

Methods Like Those Mentioned Above For Regaining Your Health Can Always Be Obtained at  
**GROGAN WELLS**  
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# SHOES! SHOES!

Shoes for every member of family, all styles and prices the lowest. Bring your family and get your shoe bill here, we can fit and please you.

## MILLINERY AT HALF PRICE

All Hats at half price in our Millinery Department. Better come early and make your selections.

Yours to please

**SOUTHERN MERC. CO.**

# JACKS!

High Grade Registered Jacks For Sale. I will be in Sweetwater Ten days at the Trammel Barn in the North part of town. Anyone wanting Jacks see these

**W. T. WHEELER**

### TWO URGENT NEEDS IN SWEETWATER

That Sweetwater needs a better depot at the Texas and Pacific station is apparent to anyone who makes the least observation. The need for larger facilities for the Wells Fargo Co. express is equally as apparent. In fact, neither the Texas and Pacific and the Wells Fargo Express Co., are giving Sweetwater in these respects anything like what the business they receive will justify. Both companies are handling an enormous business at this place. The employees of each are doing the very best they can under the conditions which they labor, but larger and better buildings are needed. The Texas & Pacific could well afford to use the passenger part of their station in enlarging their depot for freight and build a passenger station that would be both adequate to the needs and be a credit to that big road and to the section it would serve. Our people should become interested in these propositions and endeavor to influence both the railway and express companies in giving better building facilities.

**Young Peoples' Christian Workers.**  
The Young Peoples' Christian Workers will hold their regular Sunday afternoon meeting at the Central Presbyterian Church next Sunday. The meeting will be conducted by Mr. S. D. Myres. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the meeting.

On account of the increasing volume of photographic work Mr. Willis has had to increase his help. Mr. Earl Hamock of Dallas, an experienced photographer, is now connected with him in his studio and outside work and they will appreciate a continuance of your patronage.

**Young Man Dies.**  
Tuesday afternoon all that was mortal of Mr. Johnson was laid to rest in the city cemetery, Rev. T. Y. Adams, pastor of the Baptist Church conducting the burial services at the cemetery.

Mr. Johnson has been making his home in the Orient Addition, where his audience listened to every word with

mother still resides. Recently he went to Longworth to work with his brother in the blacksmith shop. He took sick Saturday and Sunday he had a congested chill, and was brought to Sweetwater to his mother, and medical treatment, but he rapidly grew worse and died Monday night. He leaves a wife and baby, besides his motred and two brothers to mourn his loss.

Our sympathy is extended the sorrowing family.

**Central Presbyterian Church**  
S. S. at 9:45 a. m. with graded lessons. Prof. D. A. Clark, Supt.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon on "Sweetening the Bitter Waters."

Evening services at 7:00 o'clock.—Subject of sermon "The Crown of our Blessings."

Special music in each service and both music and sermons will be appropriate to the Thanksgiving season.

Ladies Auxiliary Monday at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Simms.

Prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 o'clock p. m.

All are cordially invited to all the services of the homelike church, and will find a hearty welcome. Strangers especially invited to worship with us.

Geo. W. Beck, Pastor.

**Self Culture Club.**  
Mrs. Guy Morris was hostess to a most interesting meeting of the Self Culture Club yesterday afternoon. The subject for the afternoon was of deep interest to every mother. The value of obedience.

Mrs. F. G. Robertson led the discussion which was turned into a round table talk. Mrs. D. A. Clark talked very interestingly on the use of tact in securing obedience. Mrs. Reynolds told a story illustrating the great power of habit in securing obedience.

Mrs. Shugart told the story of the Boy and Duke.

Mrs. Ollinger, Mrs. Morris' sister from the City of Mexico, added much information in the story of her experiences in Mexico since the outbreak of the war. She is a most charming conversationalist and story teller. Her

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Gold Band Coffee  
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Cream separator 600 lb. capacity, Economy Chief, in use only three months and is just like new. This separator cost \$48 and I will take \$35 for it. I also have nine jersey cows for sale, some fresh now and some will come in December and January. might take saddle or wagon in trade.  
O. L. Coleman, Eskota, Texas.

**Our Store is Open until 10 o'clock every Saturday Night.**

A SPECIAL INVITATION IS EXTENDED ALL TO VISIT OUR STORE AND HEAR THE MOST PERFECT MUSIC BY THE GREATEST ARTISTS, PLAYED ON MR. EDISON'S MASTERPIECE "THE DIAMOND DISC PHONOGRAPH."

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# WE WILL MEET COMPETITION

FOR SOME TIME WE HAVE BEEN PONDERING, THINKING, OPTIMES WONDERING IN WHAT WAY WE COULD BEST SHOW OUR APPRECIATION TO THE PEOPLE OF SWEETWATER AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES FOR THE LOYALTY AND COURTESY SHOWN US EVER SINCE WE OPENED OUR STORE TO THE PUBLIC.

WE HAVE ENJOYED TO THE FULLEST EXTENT THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE AND CONFIDENCE OF YOU PEOPLE AND HAVE LEFT NO STONE UNTURNED TO CATER TO YOUR WHIM AND DESIRE.

WE BELIEVE THAT YOU HAVE APPRECIATED THIS FOR YOU HAVE SHOWN IT. OUR BUSINESS HERE HAVING MORE THAN DOUBLED, YES, THRIbbLED, SINCE WE OPENED UP. WITHOUT ANY BRAGGING ON OUR PART, WE THINK THAT WE HAVE THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF THIS KIND IN THIS SECTION—

WE DON'T THINK THAT WE WILL BE ABLE TO MAKE OUR YEARLY SALE THIS FALL AND HAVE THEREFORE DECIDED TO MEET COMPETITION IN A WAY THAT WILL SAVE OUR TIME AND WILL SAVE YOU TROUBLE.

## We Will Meet Competition

CATALOGUE HOUSE OR SALES OF ANY KIND IN A WAY THAT IS SIMPLE AND JUST. BRING YOUR CATALOGUE, YOUR CIRCULARS, THAT YOU HAVE IN YOUR POSSESSION AND WE WILL FILL THE BILL IN EVERYTHING IMAGINABLE IN OUR LINE WITH A BETTER GRADE! WE CAN DO SO AS WE HAVE HAD ALL OUR STAPLES BOOKED A YEAR AGO WITH A GUARANTEED PRICE THAT SHOULD PRICE RAISE WE ARE PROTECTED AND WE ARE MAKING THE HOUSES COME ACROSS.

## We Will Meet Competition

NO MATTER, EVEN AT A LOSS AS WE HAVE TO PROTECT OUR CUSTOMERS AND ARE ALWAYS SEEKING FOR NEW ONES. LOOK OVER ANY ONES PRICES AND LOOK AT OURS WHEN IN TOWN.  
THE PRICE IS THE THING, and we have it.  
LADIES DRESSES BELOW MANUFACTURER'S COST.  
LADIES COATS AND SUITS AT PRICES THAT YOU WILL BUY.  
MEN'S CLOTHING OF THE HIGHEST GRADES, PRICES AS LOW AS SEVEN DOLLARS.  
BOYS' SUITS 12 1-2 per cent REDUCTION TO EVERYBODY.  
MEN'S PANTS, GOOD GRADE—WE SOLD ONE HUNDRED AND FOUR PAIRS LAST SATURDAY AT 98c  
CORDUROY IN DARK SHADES, WE PAY TIME AND AGAIN \$24.00 PER DOZEN, SAME GOODS WE SELL NOW AT \$1.90 A PAIR.  
A TELEGRAM JUST RECEIVED FROM OUR NEW YORK BUYER THAT HE HAS MADE PURCHASE OF A LARGE AMOUNT OF UNDERWEAR IN LADIES' AND MEN'S AND AS SOON AS WE RECEIVE THE BILL AND KNOW THE PRICE WE WILL SURPRISE YOU ALL IN NEXT WEEKS PAPER.  
REMEMBER WE ARE NOT IN BUSINESS FOR OUR HEALTH—OUR WORKING SQUADRON IN EVERY STORE WE OPERATE ARE USING THE FUEL TO KEEP THE BLAZE GOING.

# Sweetwater Dry Goods Co.

"The Price is The Thing."



The Only Shop of This Kind West of  
Fort Worth, Texas

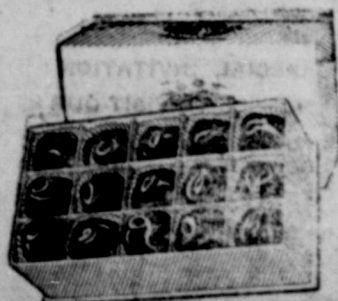
# Payne & Cordill

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MADE LAST NIGHT

# HORN'S

Stationer-News Dealer-Book Seller

### ODD BITS OF NEWS.

Mt. Vernon, Ky.—Rev. Ezra Campbell is believed to be the oldest minister of the gospel in the United States. He is the pastor of three Baptist churches, has been preaching for 73 years, and holds the record in Kentucky as the marrying parson.

Grand Rapids, Mich. On the 4th of July seven years ago, Salvator Amati, then 1 year old, was shot accidentally by his older brother. Paralysis followed, and the boy died recently, after lingering for seven years.

Milford, Conn.—Ralph von Hacht, 23, blind, from birth in one eye, had his sight restored when surgeons successfully performed an operation for appendicitis. The appendix had been resting against one of the nerves which connects with the optic nerves.

Shenandoah, Ia. —Driving five dogs hitched to an Alaskan mail sled, Miss Estelle Mason of Nome, Alaska, is completing a queer world's tour. She finished her journey at Cincinnati, having traveled 32,000 miles. If she arrives at San Francisco with two of her original dogs and the mail sled, she will receive \$12,500.

Let the good work of planting trees and shrubs continue. Sweetwater has the water at a very reasonable rate, to keep the trees growing thru the summer. Look at the vast improvement which has been wrought during the past two years and let's see if the next two years will not see even a greater improvement. Don't spend all your time looking at your neighbor's lot, but take a peep around and see if there is not some place on your own property that could be made more beautiful by the judicious planting of trees and shrubbery.

### OUT CLASSED.

The Devil eat by the lake of fire,  
On a pile of sulphur kogs,  
His head was bowed upon his breast,  
His tail between his legs,  
A look of shame was on his face,  
The sparks dripped from his eyes  
He had sent his resignation  
To the throne up in the skies,  
I'm down and out' the Devil said—  
He said it with a sob.  
There are others that outclass me,  
And I want to quit my job,  
Hell isn't in it with the land,  
That lies along the Rhine.  
I'm a has-been and a piker,  
And therefore I resign.  
One ammunition maker,  
with his bloody shot and shell,  
Knows more about damnation—  
Than all the imps in Hell.  
Give my job to Kaiser William,  
Or to the Russian Czar,

Or to King George or Morgan,  
Or some such man of war,  
I hate to leave the old home,  
The spot I love so well,  
But I feel that I'm not up to date  
In the art of running Hell,  
And the Devil spat a squirt of steam  
At a brimstone bumble bee,  
And muttered that he guessed he'd go  
And be like young John D.  
Lillian Price in St. Louis Post Dispatch.

C. C. Beall of St. Louis is interviewing our business men today.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese of Dallas are spending the day in the city.

Mr. T. Vard Woodruff came in on the morning train from Abilene.

10,000 Sacks wanted—S. Edward Grain Co.

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FOR RENT—Five room home, furnished. Geo. Howell. 193

Mr. and Mrs. Roy of Fisher county are in the city today shopping.

J. V. Benard of Tharp Springs was in the city yesterday.

W. H. Wood of Waco is in the city today.

## Winter Clothing!

### Did Old Crimp Find You Unprepared?

If so we are Prepared with a Good Winter Stock of Suits, Overcoats, Sweaters, Pants, Underwear, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Wool Shirts Mufflers, Gloves, Collars, Ties, Hosiery, etc.

IN FACT, YOU WILL FIND THAT WE HAVE ONE OF THE BEST STOCKS OF GENT'S FURNISHINGS TO BE FOUND MOST ANYWHERE AND YOU WILL BE MORE THAN PLEASED WITH OUR PRICES. WE SELL FOR CASH ONLY—THUS IT ENABLES US TO SELL IT FOR LESS.

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Included are Hats of every recent creation; hats trimmed with flowers, feathers, and furs; hats in many beautiful shades and combinations; hats for street or dress—all have been radically reduced and await your inspection.

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Dr. McGuire the optician, has removed his office from the Maner Drug Store to the Sweetwater Theatre building, upstairs, where the Baker Manufacturing Co., formerly had their of-

## HERNDON'S ROYAL BLUE SHOE STORE

### Thanksgiving Proclamation

Make your feet glad that they are prepared for the winter that's sure to come. The Turkey will taste better.

We don't know whether or not that Turkey gobble is going to get caught in a severe snow storm before you eat him but we do know it is not as important as the question about *your own feet* getting caught in a snow storm.

So many people buy shoes like they buy rubbers. Wait until the storm catches them. Then they generally go to the doctor first. Why not come here first?

We were never in better shape to serve you with the finest of Seiz footwear than right now.

Prepare now—and be thankful for it afterwards.



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### FARM FOR SALE.

I will sell my 320 acre farm 7 1/2 miles south of Sweetwater at a most reasonable price.

R. R. O. Allen, Sweetwater, Texas.

Rev. J. P. Sharp of Tulsa is in the city en route home from a trip to eastern points.