LUBBOCK, TEXAS, "THE HUB OF THE PLAINS"

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1923

## arm Land

Thousands: of Acres Being Placed on Market To Supply Demand Made by Coming of Farmers From Many Places.

The year 1924 promises to be a ban-ner year in the development of the South Plains country as the banner farming section of the state. A thousand and new farms have been opened in the past twelve months and nevt year promises to see many more than that number. The outside world is just now beginning to realize that opportunity that can not be found elsewhere awaits those who come to the great South Plains to engage in agricultural pursuits.

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Mr. Harris states that he will subdivide ten 177 acre tracts of Coke County school land in Cochran county for the Simmons-Beed company of Hills-boro in the next few days and this land

ten miles west of Hale Center.

## Santa Claus Coming

the poor families of the city on Christ- in that manner again. mas eve, which will be Monday after-

any of the several pots at prominent street corners of the city.

The Salvation Army will give a Christmas tree for all the children of families of the city at the Army poor families of the half, 1010 Avenue J, at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, Dec. 29. All children who do not receive the presents they expect at Christmas are most cordially invited to come to the Christmas fee and everyone will receive a pres-

Those who wish to make contribuworkers will call for the donations,

J. Clements, residence to cost

business matters.

TERRACING ON

### Crosby Co. Booming

Being Opened Farmers From North and East Find Acres Being Placed on in Former Homes.

Special to The Plains Journal, CROSBYTON, Texas, Dec. 19,—One

An every section of this and adjoining states one may find dozens of farmers who have heard of Lubbock and the South Plains and are talking of coming here. The South Plains would seem to be the best advertised section of the nation today for people in distant states are talking Lubbock and the Plains of Texas Already this week The Plains of Texas Already this week The Plains Journal has received letters of inquiry from California, Illinois, Mississippi and South Carolina besides several from different points in Texas and Oklahoma, from people who are interested in Lubbock and the South Plains and want to know something of Plains and want to know something of land, the price, terms, etc. To all who have asked us for information we have mailed a sample copy of The Plains Journal and, in some instances, we have asked a few of the local feators to write the parties. From all these inquiries and from producing districts of the north and from the scientific tests that he has this sources are feel safe in predicting that the year 1924 will see far more new farmers come into this section.

The Land Awaits All Who Come With barely more than fifteen per cept of the great South Plains actually under the play there is planty of great the agricultural supply district of a number of new tracts are being placed on the market from time to time there are yet many thousands of acres that have never been subdivided but will be as soon as the demands make it necessary to take care of these who would come of the prospects of the cut come of her for prospects of the cut. as the agricultural supply district of our great country and now have the

the market the Hyla T. Boyd ranch in Cochran county. This tract, which comprises 50 labores (177 acres each), is known as the Boydell Farms. The tract is located about fifty miles southwest of Lubbock, in Cochran county, during the last few days. Mere sub-

tract is located about fifty miles southwest of Lubbock, in Cochran county,
near the Cochran Hockley counties
line. The farms are about twenty-six
miles west of Meadow, and approximately the same distance west of
hopes.

Near the center of the tract the
townsite of Boydeli has been layed out
and plans are going forward for the
erection of a gin, school, church and
other institutions. The townsite and it is copied by
order to the farms were named for Hyla Boyd
and R. J. Ellington.

The tract was recently surveyed by
Terracing on the plains of West
Terracing on the plain terracing the popular terracing of a sulky plow. A space about three
Terracing on the plain terracing terracing the popular terracing terr and R. J. Ellington.

The tract was recently surveyed by great numbers as it is the actual natural resources for diversified farming.

The towns are building with the development of the survey of th The towns are building with the developing of the country which assures an altogether he boyd ranch near points of extension service, A. & M. College, and a copy to the newspapers of the four original demonstrations quite the broadening and addition of all community, with the four original demonstrations of the four original demonstrations quite the four original demonstrations.

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\*\*Christophic form of the county was thrown up on this unbroken land or the state and federal gove progressive element of law-abiding. God fearing citizenship, the substantial and ever increasing development of Crossby County is certainly destined to continuously increase from year to year.

There are two good and sufficient reasons for terracing our so-called level lands; first, to prevent soil evolution on our lake sides (and there is at least one lake on practically every soil and the soil of the county.

CHRISTMAS CHEER TO THE MARK CHEER OF THE STANDARD CHEER OF THE STANDA sold by Pool and Godman. This fearing citizenship, the substantial and land is in Terry County.

Noah Bell has subdivided five sec-County is certainly destined to contions into 160 acre tracts and is selling tinuously increase from year to year.

## bero in the next few days and this land bero in the next few days and this land will also be available for farming pur-

John Morald and his dog "Boots,"

## MERRY CHRISTMAS



New Officers are Elected and J. W. Byron Dickinson Chosen Head of Or-Jennings Endorsed as County Agent. ganization for New Year's Work.

noon, with about a hundred members other year of vigorous activity for the progress of the city. R. E. Overstreet, field service director . Byron C. Dickinson was selected to of the Farm Bureau Cotton Association, head the organization, succeeding Louis delivered an interesting address, in F. Moore. Vice Presidents chosen were which he outlined a program for the J. R. Germany and Harold H. Griffith. next year's work. J. H. Burroughs, who New men on the board of directors are recently succeeded Mr. Overstreet as di- Lee M. Duggan, Russell Myrick, H. D. rector for the Cotton Association for the Woods, Joe Nislar, Bob Barrier, Louis Eighteenth District, told of the ware- Price and H. L. Allen. In addition to house and compress facilities the asso- the new directors the following hold ciation maintains at Houston and told over on the board: Ernest Conley, T.

L. O. Burford, who lives two miles The Junior Chamber of Commerce east of Lubbock, was chosen president composed of men between the ages of for the new year. W. E. Bennett of 18 and 31. A membership fee of \$1 per Posey was named vice president and month is charged. The organization the following were elected directors: a working auxiliary to the Chamber of Precinct No. 1, B. W. Casey, of eight Commerce and much of the detail work miles west of Lubbock: district No. 2, that is necessary to the upbuilding of C. Z. Fine of the Posey community; a city is entrusted to the junior organi district No. 3, R. C. Camp of Idalou; zation. Since its beginning the Junior district No. 4, W. O. Sheety of Shallo Chamber of Commerce has handled a water. Mr. Sheely was the retiring number of difficult problems and the that matter being deferred to the next before it for solution. As one of the

the membership has increased more rest upon its laurels but must continue than 200 per cent during the year. The to keep pushing forward onward and present membership is 490 and the of- upward-and, as is usually the case, it ficers predict another increase of 50 devolves upon the Chamber of Com-

The meeting, which was also partied back but that everything that should be done for the promotion of the best Cotton Seed Association, voted an en. interests of the city is done. Agent and requested the county comfor another year. The following reso- will carry on in everything and it belution and letter were made public by hooves every man to be a member of the officers of the associations: Resolution Indorsing Jennings.

ton Seed Association held in Lubbock on above the age limit join the Chamber the 17th day of December, 1922, the following resolutions were presented by and work for the good of all. Pat Nix and seconded by J. H. Bur-

"Resolved, That we the Lubbock County Far mBureau and the Pure Cot- house family Monday. ton Seed Association, in meeting as W. Jennings as county agent for Lub in putting National' weather strip of bock County, and respectfully request the Lubbock county courthouse.

### Farm Bureau Meets Junior C. of C. Elects

The annual organization meeting of The Junior Chamber of Commerca the Lubbock County Farm Bureau was held its annual election of officers last held at the courthouse Monday after- week and began preparations for an-

of a visit to the Dallas office, explain- E. Bückner, Roy Starnes, O. L. Petering the manner in which the members' man, S. E. Cone, F. W. Groce, Harbert cotton is handled at the office and at Stubbs, Edgar Inmon, W. A. Rood and

president. No secretary was chosen, organization has many other problems fastest growing cities in the country At this meeting it was learned that today, Lubbock cannot be content to per cent within the next few months, merce to see that there is no lagging

missioners to reappoint Mr. Jennings there should be a united strength that one of the Chambers of Commerce. If you are within the ages specified for "At a joint meeting of the Lubbock members of the junior chamber, join County Farm Bureau and the Pure Cot. that organization today. If you are

> Jimmy Caldwell, with the Dorsey Printing Company, called on the court,

sembled, unqualifiedly endorse Mr. J. J. T. Magee has completed his work

of which are of equal importance.

from the northwest to the southeast | wood ewes.

land in the county), and second, the to cotton, the balance to corn, kafir and conservation and proper distribution of mile. On account of the width between moisture on our more level lands, both of which are of equal importance. the land was benefited. The cotton Three of the four terracing demon- above the terraces made approximately year were to prevent soil erosion, each low the terraces it required fifteen acres

Results of Past Year's Work Prove every 200 yards across the field. The will double the number of terraces in mously for this resolution and the That Per Acre Vield May Be Greatly terraces, or more properly speaking, his cultivated lands.

## FOR LONELY FOLK ON PITCAIRN ISLE

(By International News Service.) HONOLULU, Dec. 19. - Christmas and requested the honorable commis-Last month Mr. Harris surveyed five sections in Hale County for W. M. Mullican. This was a part of the Frank Norfleet ranch and is being sold, in Norfleet ranch and is being sold, in the form of fresh fruit and sections in the form of fresh fruit and five feet vertical drop per hundred feet. The kafir and mile made about one ton vegetables, candles, nuts and clothing, and the five feet vertical drop per hundred feet. The kafir and mile made about one ton vegetables, candles, nuts and clothing, and the five feet vertical drop per hundred feet. The kafir and mile made about one ton vegetables, candles, nuts and clothing, and the five feet vertical drop per hundred feet. The kafir and mile made about one ton vegetables, candles, nuts and clothing. one of these fields having from three to to make a bale. Above the terraces cheer in the form of fresh fruit and stoners' court to appoint him for the 150 acre tracts by Wilson and Stanton blanket for your dog—not in Birming—show as good results as quickly as terraces only about 500 pounds of heads lonely inhabitants of Pitcairn island, a races on the more nearly level lands. per acre was produced, and this not tiny, isolated speck of land in the south— The purpose for which they are constructed will be fulfilled the first year of August. The feed on the protected regular trade lines of Pacific steamers, hiking from Boston to New Orleans, spent a night in jail when they passed through here recently all because structed especially at the weak points on the unprotected land was out of bound from Hawaii to the Panama through here recently, all because Where the problem is simply one of the boot. Corn above the terraces made canal will swing from its course and "Boots" had the Stars and Stripes proper distribution of moisture, the reproper distribution of moisture, the results will be outstanding the first year. day Afternoon.

Where the problem is simply one of the boot. Corn above the terraces in while approximately 25 bushels per acre while below the terraces it was an absolute below the terraces it was an absolute the failure, not even tasseling out.

This is especially true in a dry season. Arthur Greenwood, commander of the The fourth terracing demonstration Mr. Fuchs' pasture lands drain into Californian who, saddened by the loss Envoy T. B. Gregory, in charge of American Legion Post, happened to on the field of Fritz Fuchs, three miles his field and it is his plan to terrace of his wife fifteen years ago, went with the local Salvation Army post, tells us see the two and warned Morald to re- east of Abernathy, was simply a prob the pasture also, to prevent an excess his young son to Pitcairn Island, where that he has had a communication from move the flag from the dog's back be-lem of moisture conservation and dis of water from running onto the farm they have since lived with the descend-tribution. This field of 160 acres had land, and also to insure proper distribu-ants of the Bounty mutineers who dis-

Santa will be on the streets of Lubbook Saturday afternoon and will be
After a night in jail, however, Morald
the hundred feet to the northward and lands. It is his opinion that this will than 100 years ago. Clark's son, now apologized before Judge Abernathy and to the eastward. It was found by the double or treble the grazing capacity grown to manhood, is married to one of folks. Santa has also volunteered his was allowed to proceed on his journey use of the farm level that by running of his pasture on which he runs his the island girls. The residents of the services in delivering baskets of food to with the promise not to use the flag a straight diagonal line across the field work stock, milk cows and 100 head of island, more than 100 in number, are

Terracing on the plains of West

Texas was an altogether new experiment this year, but on account of the ment this year, but on account of the was thrown up on this unbroken land service of the state and federal ment the plains of West

The definition of the dist of this demonstration in the dist of a suiky plow. A space about three tion may be seen in A. B. Conley's show minutes of the meeting, a copy sent to the honorable commissioners' court, a should be appointed.

The terracing work is a part of the copy sent to Mr. T. O. Walton, director was thrown up on this unbroken land service of the state and federal meeting. ried and ordered it spread upon the work

"By a resolution adopted by these or- yours,. ganizations on this the 17th day of December, 1923, we have unqualifiedly endorsed Mr. J. W. Jennings as County Agricultural Agent of Lubbock County, ensuing year, as we feel that he is best

chairman declared the resolution car has made an appropriation for this

To the Lubbock Chambers of Com. things you have done for our organimerce, Lubbock Retary Chable I ubbock rations, and assuring you that we feel Kiwanis Club, Slaton Chamber of that the best interests of our people Commerce, Idalou Chamber of Com- will be served by the appointment of Mr. Jennings, we are, respectfully

L. O. BURFORD, PAT NIX. J. H. BURROUGHS. W. M. ROSS,

reau, Lubbock County Pure Cotton Seed Association.

#### The Plains and The Plains Journal

not Lubbock already well served by tural and commercial life of the the established newspapers? Is not Plains and while doing this to reneach of the surrounding towns al- der a real service to its readers and ready well served by a local paper? the patrons of its advertising col-Where is the need for and what; is umns in giving them full value rethe purpose of The Plains Journal? ceived for their time and money. It

the goods. Then too, newspapers, comparisons of values both in readlike the stores mentioned above, de- er interest and advertising returns pend upon the prosperity, the pro- on your money spent for space. gress, growth and development of The Plains Journal carries a full the city or section they serve for stock of Local News, some choice their increased growth and prosper- displays of feature stories dealing in the world could not show a prof- structive discussions of the problems it in the middle of the Sahara Des- of the section, and a number of ert-neither could the greatest news, specialty departments-such as Wopaper. On the other hand it is im- men's Department, With the Younge possible to conceive of a depart- Folks, Windy Wolf, Wise and Othment store great enough to serve er-Wise, Fashions, and general the entire city of Chicago or New news, views and comments. It of-York. It-takes a combination of fers the advertiser the widest circonditions to justify any basiness culation in Lubbook County with a and that combination, in the opinion wearing and revenue producing of the builders of The Plains Jour- quality that is subject to closest innal, exists in this section today.

Semi-Weekly Farm News have rep- building in West, Texas and will resented agricultural Texas to the carry a full line of job printing, world for the past many years. The stationery, office supplies, every Dallas News, The Star-Telegram and department and commodity found in other daily papers have represented any modern up-to-date well planned commercial Texas to the world for newspaper bulsiness. have rendered a great service to their here to serve Lubbock and the readers in giving them dependable Plains. It invites comparisons of news, reliable information and sub- values, respects competition and stantial food for thought. Each pa- competitors, and wants the support per has justified its existence and is and patronage of the busine a better paper from having the and citizenship of Lubbock and the other newspapers to compete with. Plains country upon a strict basis Your dry goods stores, furniture of full value received for any dollar stores and others are better stores spent with the publication or combecause they have other stores of pany. the same kind to compete with them for your business.

The Plains Journal attempts to

Why is The Plains Journal? Is represent to the world the agricul-Newspapers are like grocery will be a better paper and give you stores or dry goods stores in many better papers by having other newsways. They have something to sell, papers to compete with. No one a service to render, must give their store can carry every item a section patrons full value for the money or a city like ours needs nor could charged for their wares and either any one store please every possible prosper and grow as a result of do- customer in this section. The Plains ing these things or else go broke be- Journal offers you a newspaper cause they do not or cannot deliver shopping opportunity and invites

The greatest department store with this city and section, some conspection and test. Within a few weeks it will be in the most The Farm and Ranch and the modern and attractive newspaper

While doing this they In short, The Plains Journal is

THE PLAINS JOURNAL

# number of nice baskets to take to those a large number of nice baskets to take to those would not have a stress dinner in keeping with the customs of the day and would like for all who will to donate to the basket found. Contributions may be made at the several note of the several note. MAKES \$4,000,000 SALE

take it to the Army hall or if the giver general sales manager of the Texas sociation."

"This cargo is valued at approxi-

will do for the Christmas haskets, may Dec. 22, according to T. M. Edwards, of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton As- that has been made to date and accord co-operatively last season.

will telephone 795-M one of the Army Farm Bureau Cotton Association, when The "Abercos," a ship of 6,076 gross is the largest single water shipment of ly good rate daily, and it is thought approximately 20,000 bales of the co- tonnage, has been furnished by the Texas cotton by any one shipper from that the receipts this year will approxioperative members' cetton will be United States Shipping Board, and Texas." As compared to last year the mate 170,000 bales, it was announced shipped will dock at Houston. Dec. 17. Five Association has already increased its In view of the large increase in memdays have been allowed for loading and output to foreign markets over 600 per bership since the start of the present arrival of cargo in Liverpool will be cant, it was assounced. It was also season, and the large number of mem-

is an increase of 85,504 bales over the lief that it will be doubled again.

cotton ever made by any one shipper ing the ten days when the market was shipments to Liverpool and other for- 1922 by the Association, and more than tions other than cash, such as fruits, from Texas to Liverpol or other foreign at its peak," Mr. Edwards said, "and eign markets this year," Mr. Edwards double the 1922 receipts of 7,798 bales. eggs, butter, poultry or anything that consuming markets will leave Houston represents a big profit to the members said, "but this is the largest shipment A total of 77.706 bales were handled ing to the best foformation we have. Cotton is still being received at a fair-

H. E. Crosby, residence to cost \$2,500. "and the entire cargo will be cotton of have been made for officials of the proximately double the amount of cot-present time, together with the better of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from top sold overseas but the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from top sold overseas but the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from top sold overseas but the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommany the beat from the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to accommand the texas Farm Bureau Cotton Asso-sociation to acc R. E. Crosby, residence to cost \$2,500.

Geo. T Morrow, store building to cost \$6,000.

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Today: ianta's Glamour Dim in N. Y.

What He Does "Between Times." BY JACK CARBERRY

International News Service Staff Correspondent. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.-Everybody knows there is a Santa Claus. There

are so many of him. and his uniform that never cost a cent timers are winning degrees of "C. P. had gone on an orgy of buying. less than \$2.25, he has taken his place B." right along, if the word of officers The path of the reindeer was being on every important corner from Broad- of the law can be believed.

conception of the old saint. Others are kentucky moonshiner has been containing, dyspeptic follows, with scrag-ducting schools in distilling in various avenue took on the appearance of a more Carsoss range all the way from

What does he do between sea in after school. sons? And do the children believe in

get him by, I guess," the conductor around for life,

treated with respect in New York. ing of their alma mater at present.

Can you picture Santa at home and CHARGE AIRPLANES Can you picture Santa at home as

That's what the 200-pound individual of the red suit and whiskers in the Times square district must do. And sad to relate Clarence was of served in the act of rescuing an almost presents TELL FRENCH there-it wasn't half smoked.

"Do the kids believe you?" the Santa and he looked like Santa, too-at no

"Nu York kids don't believe nothin'," Santa informed.

"Today I sticks out me mitt to a kid dat ain't over 4. Does ya want to shake hands wid tchevo.

Santa Claus?' I asks. big bum? Back to de truck for youse" be tells me. Dat's how we fool de kids. Maybe in Joisey City, or any of dem other far western towns it may be dif-

What do you do in off hoursafter Dec. 26?" the representative of the spirit of Christmas cheer who holds QUEEN MARY BUSY forth on tark Row was queried. "Well, mister, while I'm not Sandy

looked up an down the street

the rumble of a passing truck.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Denham.

Bert Pray of Meadow is building a London stores. nice brick home in the 2160 block Main | When the Queen goes shopping she Street. D. N. Leverton is the contract is accompanied only by one lady-intor. Mr. Pray is building a home in walting and moves about among the Lubbock in order to give his children shopping crowds almost unnoticed, ex-

trate Sue's Art Shop, moved into their heads. nice new-home in the 2100 block Broad. Pictures, books, lampshades, clock way the first of the week.

2000 block Main street.

Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Keen made several purchases. left Sunday morning for Los Angeles. The Queen has waited three years and other California points. They are for the glassware in order that she making the trip in their Hupmobile might purchase only British made and expect to return about January 1. goods.

City Manager Martin S. Ruby and family are spending the holidays with relatives at Cameron, Texas.

Mrs. W. M. Woodall of Austin is the holiday guest of her daughter, Mrs. Neil H. Wright,

Miss Edith Wheelock arrived Sunday from Pasadena, California. Miss Rdith is undecided as to whether or not she will return to California.

Mrs. N. L. Peters has as her guest for the holidays, her mother, Mrs. Lav-

Mrs. V. T. Swenson of Belen, New Mexico, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. F. Benson. Mrs. Swenson will be remembered as Miss Flo Benson.

Miss Frances McCue of Roswell, N M., is the guest of Lubbock friends

### For Sale or Trade

One 20-25 Twin City Tractor. A bargain.-D. T Haines, Cova Hotel.

#### C. P. B. DEGREE FOR **MOONSHINE COURSE**

'OLD TIMER" TEACHES PU-PILS TO MAKE MOUNTAIN DEW OF RARE QUALITY.

(By International News S Dressed in his flowing King Lears education is located in this city, but old- It will break all records. Manhattan

way to Market street—hired by depart—
"C. P. B." means "certified private row little island, bulging with cash, was "Christmas spirit."

"Christmas spirit." the thirsty. According to the informond necklaces—all to be distributed spends the most on its liquid cheer. mation reaching officers here, an old as Christmas gifts Some are portly, fitting the universal mation reaching officers here, an old as Christmas gifts. spots around the surrounding countryBut what is he? Where does he come side, and his pupils are anxious to stay

What does he do between sea.

The officers declare the old man, O. Henry found one who was a bur- who learned his profession from generations back, visited many homes near And Santa left a Broadway surface by the products of the new school of thousand. "He didn't have a jit to pay his fare spring water to a country schoolboy. thought them phoney whiskers would The old gentleman was invited to stick was anything like it."

Evidently Santa Clauses aren't tigating, and the alumni-are not boastwated with respect in New York.

GOVERNMENT DROUTH IS DUE TO FLYING.

BELGRADE, Dec. 19.-Because peasants in the Pantchevo district aver that the company's aeropianes prevent rain "How can we fool de kids when dere's from falling and have caused a long from two to eight of us wolkin' in de drought, it seems likely that the Franco-Rumanian Aero Navigation Company will have to discontinue its service and close down its aerodome at Pan-

has been sent to the Government to sup-

STARTED BEFORE THANKSGIVING TO DO CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

He for we have never met. After he feels me over I may seem tack to fit begin alone. But I will at least have need a lot of country and spaked in a lot of information in the necessaries. MAS SHOPPING.

(By International News.) doing her Christmas shopping early. fatigable shopper and even before bock Wednesday. Thanksgiving day she had started her Claude Denham, who attends Sim Christmas shopping and has been mons College at Abilene, is home to working at it strenuously ever since spend the holidays with his parents. Now that the Queen is a grandmother she is spending considerable

the benefit of our excellent schools. | cept when she is occasionally recognized, and then crowds gather to Mrs. Cooke and daughters, who op-watch her purchasing gifts for erowned

and many pieces of china have been purchased by the queen for gifts, but W. B. Atkins will move into his new she has a decidedly practical turn of home in the 2200 block Broadway this mind and has been particularly inter-week. The Atkins home is of elegant ested in unbreakable glassware for English architecture and is one of the cooking purposes. In this connection finest homes built in the city this year, there is an interesting tale. Three years ago the queen was shown this W. M. Jackson is finishing his ele- glassware and asked where it was gant pebble dashed residence in the made and wa sinformed that it came from the United States. She asked why it wasn't made in Great Britain WASHING WANTED for single peo and then her interest seemed to lag ple. Family washing only, 209 Ave- Recently an English firm began to manufacture the glassware, and the Queen was informed of the fact, She Curtis A. Keen, secretary of the immediately renewed her interest and

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#### **FIVE HUNDRED MILLION NEW YORK'S CHRISTMAS** BILL, FIGURES INDICATE

International News Service Staff NEW YORK, Dec. 19.-This will be a SPENCER, Iowa, Dec. 18. No insti- \$500,000,000 Christmas in New York, children. tution of learning teaching the higher merchants and bankers here estimate.

The big leading department stores, New Yorker, were "mad houses."

Sidewalk venders on lower Sixth ay- and electric trains for \$1,500. here, taught the men to concoct nectar poor sold their German made trinkets trinkets that thrill the children of the

Mr. and Mrs. Keen Drive Through to California for Holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis A. Keen left for California Sunday morning for the Christmas holidays. They drove through the country and while away will make a special study of Chamber of Com-merce work, agricultural conditions and o-operative marketing as found in California and intermediate points.

said Mr. Keen Saturday afternoon in resumed immediately following the de discussing the trip. "Our present route more that we will cover in visiting va- | Company. rious outstanding communities and The decision of the lower court not

rain has fallen, and a unanimous appeal and the organizations that serve them." case of non-payment, is illegal, and that press the station. The Government brother from Saskatone, Saskatchewan, the county as well as all other taxes promises to give their appeal "sympa- Canada, will meet them in Los Angeles under county jurisdiction. The decision at the home of her sister for a family is the same reversed by the late ruling reunion. Her father and brother are of the state supreme court. "Incidentally," said Keen, "I think the

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Queen Mary is R. J. Belcher recently of Odell, Texas. Haines, Coya Hotel. The queen is an ardent and inde- at Ralls, was a business visitor in Lub

touch \$25,000 for the night before On Main street Christmas is for the

On Breadway-one motor-car dealer admits he already has orders to deliver \$10,000 cars to two stage doors.

will buy up every drop.

Santa's headquarters for Mrs. Average In Toyland there are doll houses for New Yorker, were "mad houses." \$250 each; dolls for \$500; toy automobile enue-Toyland for New York's countless The German imports - the windu "Ga-wan, ya bum beat it! Ya can't and often remained from four to six by the gross. On the avenue the dolls tenement will reach \$10,000,000 this by the gross. On the avenue the dolls tenement will reach \$10,000,000 this pull that stuff on me. If ya ain't got weeks in one home. To palates which that walk and talk and the toy automo. year, Customs Office officials estimate. nickel ya can't ride on dis car see" had been burned, broiled and scorched biles that run were being bought by the breaking all records since before the

> Out-of-town shoppers packed hotels. New York's Christmas bill for frees Motor-car row declares "there never alone will be \$1,500,000, venders of the twice that sum.
>
> And for the man who pays the bills

#### Paving Program to Await Action of Oklahoma Court

(By International News.) TULSA, Okla., Dec. 18.-The paving "We will go by way of Midiand, E program of Tulsa, Sapulpa and other Paso, Tucson, Yuma and San Diego." Oklahoma cities and this section will be cision of the state supreme court in the calls for something more than 2,500 Land-Sapulpa case, according to R. C. miles there and back, with 400 or so Allen, attorney for the Standard Paving

towns in the valley up and down the only tied up all paving but brought up state where co-operative marketing and the question of the validity of approxiconstructive chamber of commerce work mately \$5,000,000 of Tulsa paving script have made such an international repu- and some doubt as to the legality of tation. I want to see just what they the city charter, according to attorney The peasants maintain that ever since are doing, get some facts and figures. The decision held that the present "Say, where do yo get dat stuff, yo accoplanes began landing at the station on how they do it and kinder get a methods of owners of paving property it

over four months ago not a drop of pulse of the spirit of these communities foreclosing on the benefited property in Mrs. Keen's mother, father and the paving taxes should be collected by

cellent condition .- D. T



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bock county have purchased two tenton C. L. Best tractors from D. T. Haines of Amarillo, district agent for the R. B. George Machine Company of Dallas. The tractors are to be road work and it is expected that they will be in use within the next fifteen days. The two tractors that were purchased were selected after several Pearls and fur coats, according to the tractor men had demonstrated their strewn with tinsel from East Side tene-ment to Riverside apartment. The nar-favorite gifts for women. The har-favorite gifts for women. The machines on the new road southwest of Lubbock, that is being built as a short Lubbock, that is being built as a short And next to its women New York cut on the Brownfield road.

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#### THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS GIVING.

The Joyous Christmas Holidays are right upon us. Busy handed down the story of his repentance and kindly deed, which shoppers are rushing everywhere. Tired, overworked clerks are has been immortalized by the famous American poet, trying to do the impossible—take care of the rush without losing money in giving him one that might cost a few pennies more than families gather for care free merriment. not to be "talked about

A Christmas Gift given in the spirit of paying an obligation of purchasing future good will or of anteing the other fellow into giving us one in return is not a Christmas Gift at all-but a traversity on the Season actuated by greed, selfishness, or curlish preciation on their automobiles not to mention broken springs, hankerings after prestige-which is a combination of the first tires, gasoline, etc., to more than pay all interest and sinking two. The gift freely and unselfishly given to a true and worthy fund for the construction of hard-surfaced highways between friend needs no explanation, comparison of values, or thought as every county seat in the section. to what that friend may possibly give you in return. Any gift given in any other spirit is not a Christmas Gift at all but a tax dollars annually to East and Central Texas to build their roads given in any other spirit is not a Christmas Gift at all but a tax dollars annually to hast and deliver and humorous comments in his column and development that is being made the country is undergoing so radical a for effect in the hope that you will get more out of the Season build some for ourselves. That's mighty poor business. than you put in.

Christ, the Great Christmas Gift to suffering Humanity, was sent to the world to be born of woman, to live as a man, to be tempted, to suffer and to strugg'e as does all humanity. Yet thru registered hog or cow and how little attention he pays to good participate in the entrance examina-His Divinity and thru the Endless Marvel of the First Christmas seed for his crops. Gift from Our Heavenly Father -- everything that is Good, in lasting, and satisfacting was made possible. Without reference to jum of from \$25 to \$50 per acre for good seed as against just or- a Dallas party, who he calls Corinth Eterniiy or Immortality, God's Great Christmas Gift to the world dinary down-at-the-heel cotton seed. 1923 years ago was an unselfish gift of Love, of Compassion, and who would be willing to write his name gathered in their own gardens. West on the pillars of eternal fame by testing to the Christian religion which has grown out of that crops. Certain varieties of seed are recommended by the State on the pillars of eternal fame by testing to the change, and are waking up to the new electric chair at the remaining the results of the change, and are waking up to the new electric chair at the remaining the remaining the remaining to the change, and are waking up to the change, and are waking up to the new electric chair at the remaining the remaining that the remaining is the motive power of all love, compassion, justice, service Experiment Station at Lubbock after fifteen years of close study out the new electric chair at the peni and life that is worth while in the world since that time. So let and experimenting. The varieties are grown from carefully se-tentiary at Huntsville. S. P. declined.

THE MANUEL OF AME MYTHE

Why do parents tell their little ones that the Christmas gifts are brought by Santa Claus? Do the grown-ups enjoy fooling YOUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OR COMMUNITY CENTER. their children, and seeing how many absurdities they will swallow?

life to making toys for children, and should emerge at Christmas ment of conditions found there. and get a year's worth of fun by making the youngsters happy. In their inflocence of the world's strivings and selfishness, a

life of this kind would seem normal to them. It does them no kept them longer, teh world would be less heartless.

#### THE CHRISTMAS GIFT CUSTOM.

It is human nature, when people get hold of a good idea, to from a religious motive. The example was set by the savior of festival should take place as an exemplification of his spirit.

The holiday as now observed gives an enormous amount of happiness, yet the gift custom is overdone in some respects and not done enough in others. The parents that load their children up with a lot of superflous presents, ought not to do any less giving. They would better give their youngsters just what those more with it and make some presents that would meet the needsand longings of the children of the poor.

The women who make Christmas a burden to themselves, by

able to make equal returns.

If such women who thus take the holiday so seriously would hand more of these gifts to families that really need the help, in the progressive citizenty of Lubbock the progressive ci self sacrifice and helpfulness that it was originally meant to exvine Creator—of God as the Maker and the Ruler of the Universe. For a lighting and power system, \$15,000
Randstlf county, several counties. It is reported that in the same is true in Lubbook. Every candidates are lockering for a lighting and power system, \$15,000
Randstlf county, several prospective night there is somebody in Lubbook. press. Let us all give no less for Christmas, but let us place the wifts where they will count the most.

#### THE CHILD AND THE TOY.

as mere playthings, a means to keep his mind occupied so that he that He needs. Let the Spirit of Christmas be one of reverence by paving almost fifteen miles of ery time there is an election for another hotel here, a hotel won't be bothering the family. There is something in that point and humility as well as rejoicing. of view. A kid with nothing to play with has got to find vent for his activity, and he may become a public nuisance.

But toys rightly selected can be more than that. They are Wise Cracks of The the tools with which the child makes his first impression upon the world. Except for some simple little duties, the small child can do little but dream he is a grown-up, and toys are his first attempt to realize his hopes of achievement.

The boy sees the men digging in the street. He admires to look like when a woman business in the state capital has double in the candidates are business in the state capital has double in the citi. The capital has double in the capital has double in the citi. The capital has double dig in his sand box. He is really trying to emulate those muscular diggers out in the street.

Tools with which boys and girls can play at work have their play in New York and the leading femiliar to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry, and get it started at an effect to develop the motive of industry effect to develop the motive of industry effect to develop the effect to develop the effect to develop the motive of industry effect to develop the e

technical career, as the result of the interest stimulated by a set

Bats and balls, croquet sets, tennis rackets, and other equipment for games, both indoor and outdoor, start the little folks Entered as second-class mail matter at the Post Office at Lubbock, Texas, early on the paths of physical and mental development, and help them make their way in their own accord. A well made mechanical toy should set a boy to thinking about the physical forces that make machinery act. The doll should arouse the motherly and housewifely instincts in the little girl, and so on. A toyless child not merely misses an element of child happiness, but something is lacking for his normal development.

A CHRISTMAS STORY.

The poet Longfellow once wrote a little lyric which suggests versified form how the Christmas thought has softened human Telephone 884 life through all the ages. It was called "The Norman Baron."

It told how on Christmas eve this old nobleman lay dying. His life had been a heartless one, and amid the pomp of his high station he had wronged many poor people. While his life drew toward its close, the serfs and vassals of his land were singing Christmas carols in the hall.

"Wassail for the kingly stranger," they sang. Born and cradled in a manger. King like David, priest like Aaron,

Christ is born to set us free." So touched was the dying nobleman by these sweet carols of Christmas time, and the message of love and good will that they brought, that he wrote on the sacred missal a decree giving freedom to all these wronged and wretched creatures. History has

So the Christmas thought ought to come into every life, and their temper under the strain. Foolish, worthless knic knacks are bring impulses of kindness and good will. For a day the world being bought without regard to price, suitability as a gift, or use- seems to forget its worldliness. People make generous gifts in a fulness. The great American game of trying to guess at what the way that would never occur to them at other times of the year. gift the other fellow is going to give you will cost so that you can They find pleasure in making other people happy. The innocence be sure to give him one worth as much-and yet not waste any and sweet simplicity of childhood seems to pervade the homes, as

the one he gives us, is under way. In short the Spirit of Christ- A certain mystic charm attaches itself to Christmas. There mas Giving is abused beyond reason in an effort to meet that is a singular sweetness in the carols that express the thought of most stupifying of taskmasters, Madame Custom. All individu-ality, personality, or native expression of appreciation of the Great ment. But this charm comes principally from the suggestion of Underlieing Spirit of Christmas Giving is being stiffled in hemani- nobler ideals. If people could but keep the Christmas spirit ties' goat-like tendency to do what the other fellow does in order through all the other days of the year, all life might have this Christmas joy and charm.

#### GOOD ROADS PAY FOR THEMSELVES.

The Plains people spend more every year on unnecessary de-

In addition to that this section sends more than two million

Cotion planted sided by side this year is paying a prem-

The same things are true of grain sorghums and other field lected seed by many progressive farmers in the Plains country and with a little care and extra expense can be secured by any . "Smile—any body can smoke, curs and Nebraska. In West Texas good agrifarmer and they will nay a profit on the investment. spit-smile."-The Vanguard.

It makes no difference where you live it is your obligation More likely they do so from a certain admiration for the in- and opportunity to take an active part in the civic, educational, goodness way of speaking a real truth. nocence of childhood. We live in a skeptical and sophisticated church and social life of your town or community. You should world. There is a pretty contrast in the lack of this spirit among be an active member of your Chamber of Commerce, your Parentbe an active member of your Chamber of Commerce, your Parents while only a dozen are required to be and make the buyer independent for put into action to make a smile. So, life. it seems to them the most natural thing in the world that zations of your city or community which have for their purpose what's the use of wasting all that enersome good natured old sport called Mr. Claus, should devote his the advancement of your town or community and the improve sy in from a smile is worth

#### MAN'S DOMINION OVER NATURE

"We have already had two and a half inches of rain since the harm to cherish such illusions for a little, and if more people first of January and our "rainy season" is already over so I am sure that you will have no trouble from mud over the roads in this section." So read a letter from the Yuma Chamber of Commerce to make us believe that he has been not live there, due to the higher alti-

Yuma is the flower that blooms in the desert—a tribute to warp and twist it more or less out of shape. Thus it is to some the ability of man to overcome the handicaps of nature, and to met him. On the other hand we some probably on its way to become the cotextent with the matter of Christmas presents. The idea started his mentality which makes him ruler over the land and the seas think that if he were to turn his face and the beasts of the field. In 1912 the valley served by the Yuma skyward it would clabber the Milky mankind that people should give of their best to each other, in- irrigation project produced \$497,000 worth of products of all Way and when you offer to shake hands stead of seeking personal acquisition so selfishly. It was a natural kinds. The project cost \$9,000,000 and the same land—as a rething, therefore, in celebrating the birth of Christ, that a giving sult of the irrigation, produced for 1922 crops to a total value of when you shake it it feels like a print. Derity, every inducement to newcomers. \$10,500,000 -or more than enough in one year to pay for the en- er's towel (before using). He may be tire cost of the project and more than maintain the pre-irrigated a pretty good sort of fellow in some production. Since 1912-when the water was first turned into ways but if he can't shake hands and the canals the project has paid the United States thru increased A man may have the Map of My. production and prosperity to the citizenship who have taken ad- opia written all over his face and look vantage of the conditions made available, a profit of more than as ugly as plucked rooster but if he can children could enjoy and take the rest of the money and put some \$65,000,000 upon the investment above total cost—and each year smile and shake hands like he meant sees greater production and addition and additional extensions of to have him around and like to do busi-

the project. Indeed MIGHTY are works of man. He makes the deserts making out very long lists of friends each of which must receive to blossom as the rose. Mountains bow their majestic peaks befrom them some remembrance, show a fine spirt of generosity fore his handiwork, his machinery, his engineering skill and pawer of organization. The very seas are joined as one and the forces But, if they get all tired out in so doing, if they load many of gravity is conquered by the swift flying airplane. Yet in one Callege that the city where it is to be look of gravity is conquered by the swift flying airplane. Yet in one Callege that the city where it is to be look of gravity is conquered by the swift flying airplane. The editor of The cated by an overwhelming majority votgifts upon people who already have a superfluity, their effort instants time God wipes thousands from the Earth with an Earthlacks judgement. They may place burdens on some who are not quake. The boasted perfection of centuries of naval progress is ted a \$500,000 bend issue for public imquake. The boasted perfection of centuries of havai progress is provements. Paving bonds in the sun sent to the bottom of the seas in the twinkling of an eye. World's of \$360,000 were carried by a vote of are thrown into Space, are peopled, endure for a time and are re- 30 to 1 or 428 votes for to only 14

As man rules things material so does God rule man, with waterworks bonds. these great differences man works with material things—water, these great differences man works with materials and forces he wood, ore, man adapts to his needs the materials and forces he would be adapted to his needs the materials and forces he would be adapted to his needs the materials and forces he would be adapted to his needs the materials and forces he would be adapted to his needs the materials and forces he would be adapted to his needs to his needs the materials and forces he would be adapted to his needs to his needs the materials and he would be adapted to his needs to his needs the materials and he would be adapted to his needs to his need finds-God works with immortal elements-Life, Love, Time, book has voted on herself practically News, THE CHILD AND THE TOY.

Inds—God works with initiotal regard to san Angelo's bonded indebtedness. At one swoop Lubbock there is an election there is some mighty fine little hotels but the Spirit of Christmas be one of reverence proposes to lift itself out of the mud that feels he ought to be elected? For

# Southwestern Press | Telegram, consists of learning the gentle art of kicking the opponent some-

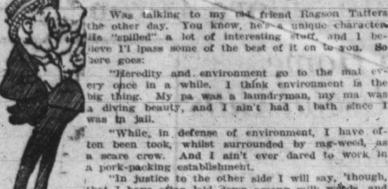
(By International News.) either a preacher, a lawyer or a gun. | tive?

Avery Hopwood is opening a new

A goodly per cent of college training. n the opinion of the Fort Worth Star-

where that the referee isn't watching.

#### WINDY WOLF SAYS:



Was talking to my old friend Ragson Tatters the other day. You know, he a unique character He "spilled" a lot of interesting stort, and 1 beieve I'l lpass some of the best of it on to you. So

"Heredity and environment go to the mat ev ery once in a while, I think environment is the big thing. My pa was a laundryman, my ma was a diving beauty, and I ain't had a bath since I

ten been took, whilst surrounded by rag-weed, as a scare crow. And I ain't ever dared to work in a pork-packing establishment. "In justice to the other side I will say, 'though, that I have often laid down among milk weeds, and

o one has ever called me 'boss.' --"But you take any boy and send him to a co ed school, and he'll be influenced to smoke cigarettes immediately, and inside of three engagements he'll smoke purty near as many as his finessay!

Why, I was egg-cook in a big hotel oncet, and I've been hard-boiled

"There ain't no argument at all. Any monkey kin learn to cat with a knife as well as I do; and you put me over-in Afriky with a couple of boconstrictors headin' for me, and I'll show him some stuff he never saw before in plain an' fapcy tree-work. Quack doctors collect their bills and then duck

A friend of mine, (at least she admits it) who evidently is a "hello" girl sent me the following delicately perfumed envelope. (Glad Mrs. Windy didnt see it.) Can't say I'm not fair. Here's what she wrote: The telephone girl sits still in her chair, and listens to voices everywhere. She hears all the gossip, she hears all the news, she knows who is happy and who has the blues. She knows all our sorrows, she knows every girl who is chasing the boys, she knows who is mean to his wife, she knows everytime we are out with the "boys," she hears the excuses each fellow employs. She knows every woman who has a dark past, she knows every man who's inclined to the "fast," in fact there's secret beneath each saucy curl of that quiet demure looking telephone

If the telephone girl told all that she know, it would turn all our riends into bitterest foes; she could sow a small wind that would soon be a gale; ingulf us in trouble that would land us in jail; she could let go a story which gaining in force, and could cause half our wives to sue for divorce; she could get-all our churches mixed up in a fight, and turn our bright days into sorrowful nights; in fact she could keep the whole own in a stew if she'd tell only one-tenth of the things that she knew. Oh, friends, now doesn't it make your head whirl, when you think what you owe to us telephone girls? So please give number and do not forget that we are not an automatic telephone yet.

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#### THEY'RE SAYING

in the Dallas Morning News, has been throught the Plains country. invited to speak at the dedication ex- Do not WATCH Lubbock grow-but tions when Texas Technological College is opened and now he tells of another invitation. He received a letter from Saint Dallas, in which was an invitation

That le what David D. Shanks, who

a whole lot more

Receptive. It is significant that on the day that Dr. P. W. Horn, Texas educator, was voted for \$75,600 for a city hall, \$50,000 several counties. It is reported that in

Telegram, consists of learning the gen. provement.

meant business in applying for the have good men in them but if the vot- if there is a field on earth wherean The Topeka Capital says the water as. Taking on the obligation of sup-manner of man the candidates are hotels with an assurance that he were feetive way of acknowledging such a ers and crooks but that can not be Brother Stricklin, let's form a hotel gift from the people of Texas.

example of where they are building a real city. But then the leaders of Lubbock are broad enough and intelligent enough to admit that Lubbock could off steer. never build a city without the support an confidence of its surrounding trade all my life. territory, neighboring towns and coun-

GOOD SEED ARE MORE CERTAIN.

works in Amerillo or Gustine or some to every town and that applies to every town and county on the participate in the entrance examinate examinate the entrance examinate examinate examinate examinate examinate examinate examinate examination examinate examin

Door Is Open to Land of Promise.

(Editorial appearing in Hearst Newspapers through the United States.) Out in West Texas the farmers are to offer himself or suggest somebody still decking their tables with flowers same opportunity to become indepen-dent land owners which was offered in the '70s and '80s by Iowa; Wisconsin, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Kansas and

Land crops can be raised-cotton. Everybody is employed and happy, it wheat, dairy, meat and poultry prod-

The cotton situation alone assure West Texas. In spite of an annual in-As we watch, in going about over this crease in acreage planted in cotton, the tempestuous world in which we live and nation's crop gets smaller year by have our being we note that people are year, due to the ravage of the bell made different and use themselves in weevil. There is a weevil "deadline" different ways. Sometimes we meet a running north and south about 100 a mattress here. handshake that is not of such nature as does not get west of this line; he can working in an ice plant at the North tude and the scarcity of trees to feed Pole and we feel that is well that we on in winter; therefore, West Texas is The weevil-free area is enormous

there are four hundred miles from the "deadline" to the western border of Besides the promise of material pros-

farmers live there. The climate is so mild that the California bungalow type of farm house prevalls, frequently cheaply heated by the natural gas B. found in abundance in this part of the good substantial BOOM state, and a statewide hard surfaced road system is rapidly being completed. There is a splendid equipment of County Herald, which aunounces the

BEES A' BUZZING.

is to be reckoned with as no mean imof good men for every office; all the for accommodations.

It begins to look as though Lubbock times it looks like all the offices can't in a number of South Plains towns.

#### Wise and Otherwise

We need some more broadcasting staons sending out joy and good will.

You are not down and out as long as you have a desire to get up and go.

Speaking of taking life seriously and in dead earnest, what can beat the gunmen of New York and Chicago?

Cotton is soing up and silk is going down. Does this mean that America is supporting home products? Let us hope that it is,

We are continually saying that the world needs leaders. It is true, and it will be true twenty years from now, also ten years and thirty years ahead, Get into the training now.

European nations are not liable to pay America the war debts they owe, but they are able to do a great many other things. France, for example, can support huge armies for herself and other Continental nations.

In view of the prospect of further increase in taxes, the coat situation and general increase in living expenses, many people are not inclined to show much enthusiasm about the announced ment of the discovery of a new serum to prolong life.

might make some Oklahoman sore) slips in by fooling a lot of people, Politics ain't what they used to be. A fellow told us the other day that when he was eighteen years old he voted twenty-seven times in one day and got two bucks for each vote-a pretty good day's run for an amateur, but such as that does not happen out in the great West where people know their neighbors and their neighbors know that

they know them. Now, we did not start out to give an exegesis on politics. What we wanted to say is that politics is a great game ed candidates are a great American stitution and-the more the merrier.

BROWNFIELD CROWDED. Have you been upon the streets this

afternoon? I bet there are a thousand people; up there you would not know from Adam's Never saw the like of new people in

"State Press," who makes many wise ties and she glories in the greaf growth our natives here who can hardly realize These are some of the expressions of

change Just a few years back, counted on the HELP Lubbock grow-and that applies fingers of one hand, when Saturday came, the crowd was some larger than other days, but you knew the whole crowd and they knew you by your first name. Now Saturdays are different. They look like our picule days of a Tew years back, and the art of jaywalking is being lost, unless you are

an expert dodger. here in Terry what we have been knowing for years. That we have the most premising country on the globe for

And they are rolling in every day. cultural land can be bought for prices sometimes two or three rulus a day. ublishes a little menthly paper down almost upon the buyer's own terms of Don't know where they will stay until

Doctors tell us it takes more than a ucts-in such abundance as to pay for bulging with money. But you can't get a soul to do nothing as they are already employed. You do the job yourself or let it go.

continued prosperity for the farmers of streets in Dallas during the fair all We used to see people night because they couldn't get a bear and we never did believe we would se it here the same way. But we have, Dozens, sometimes cannot connect with

fellow who is all smiles and has a miles west of Fort Worth. The post terial of one sort and another is on the men are unloading day and night. Any time you may wake up at night you may hear the slam of lumber, or the dull thud of coal being unloaded on the track. The merchants are putting on lots of extra help and they are kept busy. Even the Herald that has run for years in the even tenor of its way, too dignified and lazy to work at night, is new running along after supper tryis offered by the conditions under which farmers live there. The city at less than in the bog hole, we only seem to get deeper.

What the Sam Hill is the matter with That's all.

The above appeared in the Terry Above all, the man who goes to West County, on the South Plains, the last Texas finds himself a fellow-citizen of stand of the cattleman and the future as fine a type of men and women as the country can show. The population the United States. We most hearting is nearly 97 per ce nt American-born concur in Editor Stricklin's prognostiwhites. The West Texas Chamber of cations as to future development and ther information about this garden Brownfield a couple of times of late and notices that they do have big crowds there and that hotel accom-County candidates are beginning to of the comers and goers and the prescandidates are Jockeying for a place in who cannot find a place to hit the mat-

Now, isn't it funny that tvery time has some mighty fine little hotels but to put him up for the night, Lublock by paving almost fifteen miles of ery time there is an election for any with modern rooms for at least a hunstreets, and to beautify the city other- office from constable to President there dred and fifty guests. It would not wise. A lighted way on the main is somebody that feels that he is good hart the business of the hotels we now street leading to the Tech is one pro- material for that office. And there is have, for they do not have the room posal while improved sewage disposal and he is-maybe. There are plenty for all the guests who apply to them

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newest educational institution in Tex- ers could just know in advance what hotel man could put in a string of

true for if it was it would mean that combine among the newspaper men on Right after you see two women pass | Carry on, Lubbock | San Angelo the voters who elected them wanted the Plains and go into the hotel bust-

## WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT

Ruth Moore Tuton, Editor

### Decorating the Home and Useful Gifts

thed with red sashes grow to be a sa-cred tradition from which we dare not depart. Of course there's a special

Wouldn't it be a pleasant change to scheme and the next room in a different scheme, keeping in mind the old favorites red and green and white and be effective on a background of white adding tinsel as a fourth, to the possible combination?

A red and white living room will be friendly and gay. An old white mantle will make a wonderful centerpiece, as home. White cotton show covering the mantle shelf with a pair of great tall thin red candles flanking both sides of miniature tree in the middle, is sucsted as an attractive setting. en of the tree would be subordinate, aking red the principal part of the Red and white decorations hangfrom chandeliers, or wall brackets, d placed over picture frames will add nberries and popcorn will add wonfully to one of the big white globes ally in the center of the room.

its will give an unusual touch to be long cherished.

Neckwear.

of inces and fine linens. Every frock

vals in fashion items. The well groomed able?

Bestmas decorations. Holly wreaths have to be used exclusively for the Christmas tree.

Tinsel can be used for tying Christmas gifts, combined with red or green Christmas flavor to holly wreaths, just ribbon, or tied into the bow knot on as there is to the fragrance of pine the packages. Brilliant colors for tying branches. For older folks, vague mem- make attractive all sorts of gifts and ories of childhood joys are awakened the combination can be chosen from by the associations of scents and the colors that clash slightly. Bright blue Christmas festival is hallowed by old and green tied together will attract attention as will two shades of red-like cherry and crimson, for instance. Litdecorate an entire room in one color the flat paper flowers of gay colors can be cut by the children and with a little paste can be used as seals. These will

tissue paper. Table decorations give one abundant opportunity for the use of the imagination. A large snowball containing tiny wrapped gifts each with a ribbon ottached is not an entirely new idea but it can be decorated in a new way by having each string lead to a place card, on which resides a gumdrop man with

clove eyes. Gum drops can be used in so many ways for decorations. Christmas trees, eight inches high, can be constructed of them. Four of these set on the table with fat gumdrop men on sleds here the effect. Beaded fringes, made of and there will make a quaint and un-

usual table treatment, In all our decorations either for the Freen and white will be cool and galety is the key note for Christmas for the library, or for the dining With the proper spirit and care the In the latter one might want familiar rooms and objects of our every-ecial note of emphasis in four tall day living can be suddenly transandles on the table. In the library formed from the humdrum to the ro soft green of bayberry candles will mante, from duliness to sparkling, add ing zest and buoyancy not only to our sel can be combined effectively friends and relatives but to ourselves either red or green. The use of making the close of the old year and lines of tinsel or of tinsel orna-

Stockings.

sheer, silk hose in a "weather" color,

Heaven and earth shall flee away When He comes to reign; In the bleak mid winter A stable place sufficed The Lord God Almighty

But only his mother Worshipped her beloved has its own smart collar this season, Stockings have become more sheer

to the costume generally. Matching to choose: smoke, spenge, filbert, hamto the costume generally. Matching to choose: smoke, spenge, filbert, hamI would do my part,
collar and cuff sets are "in" again, boo, log cabin, nude, ashes, rain, honey. Yet what I give him,

-By Christina Rossetti.

ThE TyPwriter YESTRDY was the gulden jubilee of be worn with the sweater and a certain style sheer, silk stocking as typrit If it were not for the typewrit? rose petals. Only a poet should de- editor-al so quickly @s our ordinary The big set is a well liked combi- scribe this stocking and even he must hand-writing is not only hard to read Very attractive was one of search for endless fragile comparisons." but takes a long time to write. Because Alencon and point de Venise lace over Bee careful that the heel of the shoc fiftyers ago the typwrit%r was invnted n net formation. The understeeves are is not too wide, for the stockings will by Alex Bell or whoever) the tenks of the formation. The undersited with a tiny cuff suffer. With each step the foot will allwriting men should bexxtended to slip up and down and the friction will the pioneeer spirit wha first conveixed Worn with the black satin or velvet soon wear a hole in the stockings. See this tim and money sa?inf deVice! Be-Worn with the black sitting also if the lining under the shoe strap cause of the typwritt robert W,Chamin white or deep cream, or the is smooth, and be careful the shoe bern and Harold ,b wright and the effect in white or deep cream. This last buckles do not catch on the fine others can turn out &\$45.1")? mire bks per yr than Plato. Aristott -Bneuvoto Most musical comedies have discard- Cellinny on the other aneniets cud There are the bertha-like affairs of ed the use of stockings, for the theatri- writ in a lifetim and if that is nto a There are the bertha de cale shoes are so fancy with buckles and sing of progress then WE ash whato is N;B} wE hope our readers will exscue the tiping od the above as oir

> SUE'S ART SHOP Art needle work material Embroidery stamping, hemstitching. Novelty Goods. Ir

### A Christmas Carol.

Jesus Christ.

when doing housework and wear spe- Cherubim and Scraphin Neckwear is one of the recent revi- cial shoes that are frim and comfort. Thronged the air, man neglects neither wrists nor For Christmas, why not buy her a in her maiden bilss

With a kiss. has its own smart conditions and fancy. Medaillons of Chantilly and What can I give him. open clox are innovations. And the new Poer as I am?

An inexpensive bit of neckwear freshAn inexpensive bit of neckwear freshwhen shopping. First the right one If I were a shepherd An inexpensive bil of neckwise and softens when shopping. Each house has its I would bring a lamb, one neckline and lends a delicate note own colors. Here are a few from which if I were a wise man

What more acceptable Christmas regla steno? hash gone off in a resi present can there be than a pair of hushona-

> You and I are inseparably bound. Recognition and respect for our relationship is vitally essential. What I know and possess is of no value aside from my comrades and friends.

PHONE 33

### For Christmas Dinner!

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## Gifts a Housewife

Don't imagine that fancy things are all that a woman would be pleased to do not change much, but the in er sofa pillow or piece of bricabrae in- better. tended for an already crowded mantel, would be to pleased for words over almost any sort of practical household quake shock from California.

For the fact that many a homemaker is just longing for some time strength saving appliance, which she feels that she cannot afford to buy herself, but which she nevertheless would be over joyed to receive as a gift. The son who is puzzling over a suitable present for his mother could not do better than to choose of vacuum cleaner, which will save her time and strength each day. And it is safe to say that she will like that much better than a costly broach. candy or flowers. When you think of something for the linen closet, do not let your mind dwell on a foolish little dolly, which your friend will probably never use, because it does not match anything she has. How much nicer would be a large center piece. A wor man never has too many of these. Little guest towels are very pretty indeed In the shops but in a home, where there are many guests, they do not be gin to compare with the three hundred sixty-five days a year variety of every day towels. Linen pillow cases hemstitched and embroidered are as pleasing to the older house wife as to the young bride, and if there are sheets to match, your gift is lovely indeed.

A bread mixer or cake beater does not sound much like a holly and Christmas ribbon sort of present, but many a housewife has needed and wanted just those articles most of her life and would on Christmas morning. As real labor savers, there are the vacuum ice cream freezers, electric frons, special brushes and so on. Other desirable gifts for the dining room are fumblers, pitchers, bowls and casseroles. A tea wagon could never be anything but a welcom

Judge Clark M. Mullican spent the gift. week-end with his family, returning to A new reading lamp, floor lamp, day Crosbyton Monday morning to continue bed, gate-leg table, a fine woolen blankthe busy session of district court. It is et or bed spread would hardly be a miss expected that the term will be ad- in any home. Make these Christmas gifts as useful as they are desirable.

From all that we hear from the platform and read in the press, it is apparent that the business of law making Would Choose and law enforcement is not diminishing in interest and concerns every man n the state and in the ation.

It is said that the morals of the world eceive at Christmas time. Many a wo- do, at least in form. It is perhaps due nan would despair at the idea of anoth- to this that many people conclude that

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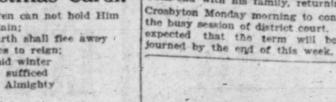
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Brings. I am ever green My limbs are yearning to

Bear the burden of gifts of

Noel. I live in high, open

Spaces where God smiles his light

Keeps the memory of Christ's birth

Refreshed. Years ago men fought and

Knew no time to think of the Gentle

One who spoke of Love. And then one

Night a star beamed in the east and filled

Me with a sweet grace. My soul quivered, And I was born again. And now I come

With the Christmas time to remind you of

Love-Love, that fades, but lives again. I am

But a dream unless you know me. I vish

To ache under the burden of love gifts

You do not know me always. I ask

You to remember the little ones Whom love has passed when some

Forget me. I pray the light that

Never dies shall flame out again

In your heart. For this I live

For this I ask, I wish

To live and serve

I am

Love

Hope Life

I am the Tree of Love.

Yes, I am ever green; I live forever, but



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#### collar and cuff sets are in a grantfet banana, meerschaum, Indian, blush, Give my heart. end fashion has prought to the dressy bionde, tortoise shell, freekles, phantom, sets there is more elaboration on the shiek, soleil, moonlight, noisette, and cuff than on the collar, where the col-One Fifth Avenue house describes a adjunct, are the airy as star dust and as

**FASHIONS** 

throat and dresses them in the daintiest pair of sandals, or dancing slippers?

ar is a simple round one,

hade is particularly effective with threads of your stocking.

trimmed with tucks and insertions or straps that the expense of hosiery was made entirely of lace, which cover the terrible. entire front and back of the waist.

There are the fine, sheer organdle ts in white or ecru, plain or trimmed; worn with those fashionable anything but black, for black are ta boyish frocks." Butchers' cuffs, a boo just now. long gauntlet, has had a vogue and with them goes the collar that is round and deep. They are of linen and made attractive with an Irish crochet edge or archy and the careless fellow who thinks and says that nobody obeys the

A severe style is one of oyster white law these days, is mistaken. Non-obmen with round collar attached to a servance of law will show up someestor, and cuffs, with drawn work and where, We can not escape it. We can not deliberately defy a rule of conduct hand embroidered dots.

Women's neckwear is showing an en- which happens not to please us. If the tirely new origination in evening scarfs machinery of law enforcement immedimade of chiffon and novelty fabrics with ately at hand does not reach us, rest front balcony Barrier Brothers. slaborate bandeau combined. These assured, the penalty will be paid in one scarfs, when in use, are partly draped day, over the face and shoulders, giving a rming oriental effect.

What a Very acceptable Christmas present a collar and cuff set would

Was it attractive ideas in shoes that made skirts go up; or was it short skirts that brought smart footwear? Up shoes have been anything but w, shoes have were made ugly, if welf-nigh deformed by the extreme high heel and pointed toe for all day wear. With the new idea in footwear and the frequent changing during the day, has come the care of the feet and with it, comfort. In these days we never see the strained and tired look that comes from aching feet from illfitting shoes.

There are special shoes for each cos tume and for every occasion. are the oxfords with the sensible heel to companion one bueyantly through winter walks. Sandals for tea-time and matinees, special shoes for the dress cont, the street frock, the failleur, the dinner gown, and slippers to dance away a whole evening full of shining

Worn with the lace dance freck are slippers in satin and metal brocades, with buckles or ornaments of rhinees, or resettes of lace. The buckles are of any size. Some of the popular trimmings for setting up an evening shoe are ribbon bows, tiny jeweled but ions or fan-shaped ornaments. The heel is either French or Spanish. Heels studded with rhinestones are the height

while there is a shoe for every why not apply this princip

#### FREE STATE TRIUMPHANT IN YEAR FRAUGHT WITH REVOLT AND FINANCIAL STRINGENCIES

Dy DANIEL O'CONNELL. International News Service Staff

Correspondent. Free State came into existence a year new regime. This election, carried out aco the most difficult problem facing under a scheme of proportional reprethe new government was the restora- sentation that mitigates against sweepration of peace throughout the country. ing victories by any party, resulted in Suppression of the activities of the Ir- the return to power of the Cosgrave reguers, lead by Eamonn de Valera, Government, Although the existing was the immediate task the govern- Government's majority in the Dall Elment must accomplish to guarantee its reann, on strict party lines, is not forown continued existence.

ly has vital import to the new govern- ing able to enact the legislation it deways must take second place to the resulting from the activities of the Irproblem of restoring order and quell regulars the election was held for the ing armed resistance to the authority most part under peaceful auspices, and of the State. Hence the matter of the no se government's fiscal policy is still to a red. considerable extent unsolved because severnment officials have been compelled to devote so much time to meas ures far the pacification of the country.

In the field of finance probably the outstanding achievement of the Goverement has been the successful flotation of the first national loan. The reloan has been highly gratifying to President William Cosgrave and his as-The fact that the loan was quickly and fully subscribed as regarded as an indication that the people have orfidence in the Government. The success of the loan has greatly encouraged Government officials in their

It has been unnecessary to indulge in tatives of the Free State, the Ulster throughout the country.

It has been unnecessary to indulge in tatives of the Free State, the Ulster throughout the country.

Before the war the army as a pro
Taken from the Masonic lodge room principle that Ireland will "pay its own was extended by the British Govern- age college man, officials say, because place. The jewel is from the worship foreign countries is not a part of the Cister and the Free State.

#### HOLLYWOOD SHOOS AWAY FILM-STRUCK

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iven Coroner's Physician William 8. high school. atrended by nearly 200 leaders of the said:

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some of the more deadly species solve get statted in the movies." a social problem, was occasioned by the proper's physician rounding twenty. four years of service. During this time . My ideal of a true citizen is a man E. G. Lewis, he performed 6,000 autopsies and won or woman who can look over the rivers accommation as the "foremost autopsy the mountains and the far-distant crease of the city council.

ordinary powers the City of Brotherly can give aid, who sees good in every Love would be the "goodest" city in faith that helps man to lay hold of dithe universe. At present it is the most vine things and grasp the wondrous important center of the religious press meaning of life, no matter what name of the world. Right here are publish- that faith may pass by, and does not ing headquarters of four great religious attribute to the particular fleeting dedenominations Presbyterian, Reformed nomination or sect under which he may Lutheran and Raptist and the Ameri- worship exclusive claims to life eternal, ean Sunday School Union.

publishing houses in the city issue 46 puddle and see something more than weeklies, 26 monthly and 146 quarterly mud, and into the face of the most fortenpers and magazines for a total an lorn mortal and see something beyond nual output of 138,978,000 copies,

milk at 11,000,000 marks at Pfullinger, nobility; clean, calm, open-eyed, sane in the Wurtemburg, is the information contained in a letter from relatives in that pose; who sees no evil, hears no evil. German municipality to Mrs. Lewis and does no evil; A BIILDER, who Motienengs, a local resident. . hever seeks to tear down the

| Free State's fiscal program.

The first year of the existence of the Free State also witnessed the holding DUBLIN, Dec. 19. When the Irish of the first general election under the midable it is sufficiently strong to make The problem of finances was of hard- the Government reasonably sure of beus outbreaks of violence occur-

Other outstanding events of the first famous general hunger strike of the appointment. tiovernment's appeal for support of the thousands of De Valera's followers held Of the 114 men who received commis Government had to deal.

One, of the questions still remaining tion to Irishmen is that of the bounnorthern counties that comprise Ulster. the regular army. ence soon to be held between represen-

IN SCREEN CAPITAL.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19 .- "Don't try PHILADELPHIA. Dec. 19 .- "The to break into the movies in Hollywood." hard that rocks the cradic nowadays That is the nucleus of a sticker printed by the Hollywood Chamber of Com-That's the belief of Judge J. Willis merce, and it will be broadcast through-Martin, president of common pleas out the nation to discourage romantic Columbia University, has said that the came into my possession, minus the court who expressed himself in this girls and boys, who, according to re-intellectual and moral productiveness of label spoke of, and with this limited

the uncivilized sports of murder, sul. Angeles. The Hollywood Chamber of things have greater monetary values for feel they have been short-changed. de and perhaps the sanguinary topic Commerce considers the campaign one the average man, or that the average how best to perform an autopsy. of the most important moves under-man can make money without an edu-And Judge Martin, following his above taken in recent months. Its design is veation. On this account men argue ferest of his illustrious audience by embarrassment of having a lot of un- worth the effort. He hopes for a renatrained youngsters thrown upon its issance, but fears that a dark age will sught a woman's heart and hand they to save the youngsters themselves the work of others, but helps them remedy

The unusual tribute to Dr. Wads- have invaded Hollywood to seek em- mortar and bricks to build it. THAT is country is not the easiest thing in the orth at which Judge Martin delivered playment in motion pictures. The rec- a true citizen. We may not be able to world. himself of the choice "expose" of how ords show that none was able even to achieve this ideal ourselves, but in our

and sunshot expert of the country." landscape, and the great universe And it developed at the dinner that above him in the sky, with a dee Wadsworth receives only \$2,500 a sense of his or her own littleness in the year from the county. Not enough, was vast scope of things, and yet have ap the convensus of epinion of judges, law- abiding faith, hope and COURAGE yers and doctors, and forthwith was ap- Who knows deep in his heart that pointed a committee to request an in- EVERY other man is just as noble just as vile, just as divine, just as dia bolical and just as lonely as he is, and You may not be aware of it, but Ben- seeks to know, to forgive and to love granin Franklin was the inventor of the the weakness and virtue of his fellows, onck-lunch counter chair and the rock- sympathizing with them in their soring chair device which causes gentle rows and even in their sins, knowing whyrs to carees the pate of him who that each fights a hard battle against many odds; who knows how to make At least these are contentions of Dr friends and keep them, but fears no Ava Den Dickinson, University of Penn- an enemy, and keeps friends with himsylvania librarian, who makes a great, self; who loves the birds, the flowers, point of showing visitors the large arm the beasts of the field, and whose heart chair in the university's Franklin col- thrills to the laugh of a little child; ction, which he calls "the grandfather who can be happy and high minded in of the quick-lunch counter chair." Ben the midst of the most menial and trying Franklin invented the chair and kept drudgeries of whatever place he finds it in his library. One arm is of unusual his duty; who can look up, always up, width and can be swung to a side when and face the sunshine through life, not in use. This arm, according to rec- casting back of him the shadows as the ords, held many of Franklin's frugal sunshine will ever cast them, and who on a brilliant, starlit night, gazing at The founder of Penn was no lover of the billions of worlds above and arous thus, and the other invention accredited him, of which the one on which h to him by Dr. Dickinson was a device stands is among the least, and then which caused swinging of an automatic down at the tiny crawling ant, really fan over his bald head as he swayed that he is a SOUL, something that do backward and forward in his rocking not die, a son of GOD and accountable to HIM; who never passes by the hand held out for help, if he can help, or fails If the religious press wielded extra- to hear the voice of distress when he with damnation to all who disagree Statistics show that twenty religious with him; who can look into a wayside sin; who knows how to pray, to love and to hope, but can never learn to fear; glad to live, not afraid to die BUCYRUS, Ohio, Doc. 19.-That wise, tolerant, brave, gentle, faithful fresh eggs are selling in the market at and loyal, free and true, noting the a million marks each and a quart of foily of mankind but not forgetting its

# **SCHOOLING AND**

THESE ARE PRIME REQUI-SITES FOR CO MISSIONS,

RECORDS INDICATE. EXPERIENCE NOT NEEDED

of 114 Recently Given Bars and Braid Only Seventeen Missed

(By International News Service.) WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 .- Youth and college education, rather than expe man, handing Holmes the stub of a but financial considerations al- sires. Despite the disturbed conditions rience and mature years, are the prime ranch of the army.

College.

year of the Irish Free State's history either college graduates or had had seas and bring it back to the United were the capture and imprisonment of college training. The average age of States in hope of meeting the donor and Eamonn de Valera, the leader of the officers appointed was 24 years, and returning the pencil to him. so-called Republican, or Irregular, the maximum age was 29 years. Many of the Irregular organization and the and him months old at the time of the lewel Taken in War

in Irish fails. Labor disputes also were sions only 17 had never attended colamong the problems with which the lege, and of these the majority had seen former military service in the regular

On the other hand, 86 were civilians, to be settled that is a source of irrita- without former active army service; 17 at Frederickhurg. Va., during the civil were civilians, with former active army war when raided by Federal troops, has daries between the Free State and the service, and nine were enlisted men in been recovered by Fredericksburg lodge

makes an adjustment of boundaries in the number of college men applying wrote in part: A significant fact about Free State necessary. It is hoped that a satisfactor for commissions in the army to the a youth, my recollections were of see finances is that the Government has tory solution of this vexatious question courses in military training which have ing this jewel in a curio box of my been able to a large extent to find the will be reached as a result of a confer- become a part of the regular curricu- father's, having attached to it a small

connect recently has laid down the ment. The invitation to this conference fession was not considered by the aver- at Frederick during a raid on that and extensive borrowing from ment and has been accepted by both he was never brought into contact with ful master's collar and has no doubt vere never given the proper publicity, acting as master of that lodge."

precedented action.

has been destroyed in a large measure prayerfully hoping that it will find Winds worth. The dinner having been Officials of the Chember of Commerce by what he calls a "boll weevil" sys place worthy of it." tem of education. He means that the charity; rather the primary object is follow. There is food for thought here boys and girls we can lay the founda-

#### PENCIL LENT FIVE YEARS AGO RETURNED

VETERAN CARRIED IT OVER-SEAS; IT SERVED AS GOOD LUCK OMEN, HE SAYS.

BRIDGEPORT, Ohio, Dec. 19.—More han five years ago, when a draft contingent was leaving Bellaire, Ohlo, near here, a residefit of this city, C. A. Holmes, heard one of the boys in the train ask for a pencil. Holmes gave him a pencil. One day recently as he was passing

a young man on a street in Bellaire, Holmes was stopped "Here's your pencil," said the young

requisites for officers of the army of The young fellow explained that he

the United States, according to figures carried the same pencil all through ecently compiled by the statistical France. At times it was the only one in the entire company, he said-and it These figures show that out of 114 served as a good-luck token. The exofficers who have just received their service man said he decided to keep commissions ever 84 per cent were what was left of the pencil while over

## Raid Returned

WASHINGTON, D. C .- A jewel reefforts to put the Free State finances Ulster's refusal to enter the Free State Army officials attribute the increase by J. I. Penny, of Ingram, Pa., who many schools and colleges cardboard label bearing the following

it, and the opportunities it afforded been worn by George Washington when This was due to the old military was no date, to my knowledge, and as policy of considering the army as an I have never heard of our great Wash. organization entirely separate and dis- ington acting as master of the lodge at tinct from civil life in every way. The Frederick I am convinced that the name var brought about a great change in on the card may have been Fredericks is attitude, however, and Secretary of burg, and all the more so since you tell War Weeks and General Pershing are me that the lodge at Frederick never inducting the affairs of the War De- was raided. When I was made a Ma partment now along lines which they son the memory of seeing this jewel hope will influence the public to take was revived and I determined that if n a greater interest in military affairs ever came into my possession I would As an example of this policy General restore it to the brethren, who cannot Pershing recently invited newspaper but value it highly. A few years ago correspondents to look over the mili, my father told me it had been given tary plans of the General Staff, an un. him by one of the raiders upon his return from the war. He also told me that the other jewels had all been re-Nicholas Burray Butler, President of turned. At my father's death the jewel nanner at a recent testimonial dinner ports, really should be in grammar or the elementary and secondary schools information I gladly give it to you

medical profession, bench and bar, the "We have started a campaign to dis- world is being educated away from the Modern surgery, says the Kansas City speeches just naturally had to deal with courage the unwarranted influx of value of intellectual and spiritual at. Times, can change your face, and then entertaining after-dinner subjects young people into Hollywood and Los fainments, because crude and practical there are some who have tried it and

dence district, called Tametown, which ntroductory sentence, sustained the in not entirely to relieve Hollywood of the that an education is useless and not adjoins Pepville on the north, it is learned from the Emporia Gazette.

Farming is the biggest industry in the world and the most lacking in eremberrassment that inevitably awalts its defects; who has no words of malice ganization. One reason for this is that and enmity for others, circulates no farming touches practically all other in-"Compiled records show that during evil things about his fellows, and if he dustries, and organization presents the past year 10,000 boys and girls, who cannot himself design and conceive the many difficulties. Effectual organizashould be in grammar or high school, structure, helps at least to pass up the tion of the farming interests of the

> We hear people talking these days tions by our own examples that will who have rewitten the Bible, but we enable them to achieve it in fullness - are hearing little about the people who have reread it.



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to pass judgment upon the internal af- of L.fairs of the Federation. That is some-

stamp of appreval upon the booze busi- to express our condign disaccord, ness and in-condemning the one inde-pendent, reliable labor news service in the United States because it was not ontrolled by the present executives of

By a divided viva voce vote the Coner and light wines, condemning "irthis action is to publish below the judg-

glares that "the use of intoxicating li- by next year. B. of L. E. is prohibited."

traffic shall be expedied from the order. organized labor Is in favor of any modification or repeal of the Volstend Act. President Lee of the Bastinghood of

Railroad Trainmen says: I man very emphatically says that so long as this Act is on the statute books of the country the B. R. T. is in favor of its enforcement, as it is in favor of We believe that prohibition has ush-

money over the saloan bar oc pitting its this time results in the destruction of money over the saloan bar oc pitting it 985 out of every 1,000 bugs. "wholepome" wines and beer recom-

ploiters of labor and the worst corrupt. to burn close to the ground. ers of our political life. As a promin-Denver labor lead, quoted in a re-"In Denver we had 108 unions meeting ing in 28 different places, mostly above tensive burning alone, but have one or talloons. We could not get together be two men to assist with the work. Alor temples that have been erected since John Mitchell, beloved leader of the When there is a high wind. United Mine Workers, declared: "Tear Co-Operation. lown a saloon and in its place build a

We equally deplore and disavow as he judgment of American labor the act areas. While the individual will profit of the Portland convention in condemn-somewhat by burning, the efficiency of ng the Federate Press, the only indecisting in this country. The Federated Press is a "co-operative labor news the campaign and a campaign unit pervice catering impartially and cor-lially to every group in the labor moveent." It is owned by the 90 papers sing its service, a large majority of thorough work. which are the official papers of A. F. of L. unions or indorsed by them. Ev ery daily labor paper in America takes the Federate Press service, as does also the B. of L. E. Journal. It is governed v nine directors democratically elected y the member papers, six of whom are .F. of L. members, as are also the

ger of the Federated Press absolutely impartial. It will admit ternity ever since. membership any bona fide labor par. whether or not it espouses the A. of L. Furthermore, it competes tih the weekly news service sponsor- Tuesday.

Labor, Booze and the ed by the present administration of the A. F. of L. The Executive Council of the Federation therefore appointed a committee to "investigate" the Federation the Federation therefore appointed a committee to "investigate" the Federation the Federation therefore appointed a committee to "investigate" the Federation therefore a committee to "investigate" the Federation therefore a committee to "investigate" the Federation the Federation therefore a committee to "investigate" the Federation therefore a committee the committee

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Committee to investigate the redered at the not only welcomed this "investigation," this has been the recognition of the most progressive note sounded but actually sent its books and papers fact that, regardless of his energy, his The most progressive note sounded but actually self-to the committee was economy, his utmost efforts, the breach to annual convention of the American to the hotel where the committee was economy, his utmost efforts, the breach the authors give any between what he have and what he Federation of Labor held in Port- staying and had its editors give any between what he buys and what he hand. Oregon, during the past month further information desired. The one sells, grows greater.

was the emphatic ladors ment of workimportant fact that the committee found was that the Federated Press, of living—is growing less all the while, ge by A. F. of L. executives. In by opening its membership to "every and the goods made from his products genuine labor paper," necessarily took are increasing in price. the Plumb Plan were also approved, in some papers outside the A. F. of L. If extremely energetic, he grows two as they were at the Montreal conventor whose policy the administration of blades of grass where he grew one beion of the Federation and with prob- the Federation is opposed. But for the fore, and finds his two blades of grass the same result-indefinite inac- committee to draw the conclusion that have lost their purchasing power. He

on.

These gains are offset by two backnot serving labor" or "does not promote can live at home in an isolated position ard steps which deserve the disapprov-trade unionism" is an absurdity dis-of independent poverty, but when he of every clear-headed worker, proved by the very fact that two-thirds comes to market his surplus, that the whether within or without the A. F. of of the directors and member papers of field of distribution is occupied by or-L. Now, this Journal does not presume the Federated Press belong to the A. F. ganized speculative interests, who make

thing which an A. F. of L. union alone partial labor news service is one of the The young men and young women of has the right to do. But when the most crying needs of the American la- the farm see that intelligent effort pro- himself credited with being a big busi- fly across the Atlantic, and one ca Pederation claims to speak for the Am- bor movement. We have found that duces less net results there than emerican labor movement and makes de- the Federated Press service full meets ployment in the cities and in the of- to operate for less than 'reasonable re- bilities of aerial communication bridge cisions which are repugnant to the that requirement. This is not to say fices of those who are organized to do business. Kindly, altrustic souls restant the present administration of the business. Kindly, altrustic souls restant the present administration of the pushes to business. Kindly, altrustic souls restant the present administration of the business. Kindly, altrustic souls restant the old method of rate making under which experience demonstrated that the present commercial centers of the nation. are under a moral obligation to ex- should not have its own factional news seeing a growing menace to society, orsa our disapprova) lest by our silence service if it wants its it. But when any ganize a "back to the farm movement" such faction attempts to cripple the -back where one is near to nature's We refer specifically to the dots of the only unbiased and uncolored daily labor heart—where the birds sing sweetly and lisher of the St. Joseph. Mo., Gazette. services a day between Paris and Lon-Portland convention in putting labor's news service in America, we are bound the air is pure back to joans breeches,

#### Burn Chinch Bugs

Now is the time when the chinch rention adopted the recommendation of bug can be most successfully controlled. the Executive Council calling for the Whenever the bug has caused injury mufacture and sale of "wholesome" during the past season, 98 per cent of them will-be found in the fall hiberal efforts' to suppress the liquor ating in the clump-forming grasses, such raffic, and ridiculing prohibition en- as bunch grass and bluestem, in meaproement officers. Our comment upon dows, pastures, ravines, waste places and along roadsides. Co-operative- exat of the executives of the four periments with farmers in many localirtation Brotherhoods upon the lies have shown that where these bugbusiness, and upon another page infested areas have been systematically statement by Governor William E. burned during November and early Dereet of Colorado, ope of the finest cember, the chinch bug problem has spirited friends the workers of this been solved for the ensuing year. It is, country have. Grand Chief Stone of this Brotherhood states: The international convention of the boring a dangerous number of bugs, and B of L. E. in 1918 declared by unani-mous vote in favor of world-wide pro-burn all the bug-infested grasses withhibition. The vote was cast by \$28 dele- out delay and get his neighbors to cogates representing 20,000 locomotive en-emeers in the United States and Canada, are neglected, and with climatic condiaddition, Section 52 of the constituton and by-laws of the B. of L. E. de. corn and sorgulms will suffer severe- sonable effort should bring forth a re-

President Robertson of the Brother- along railroad rights-of-way, roadsides banking and unprofitable agriculture, and the hall redecorated in 1904. President Robertson of the Brother-hood of Locomotive Fire and Engine-burned over it it is found that they are his clothes his shoes his farm ma-have been made in the building. New "I would be bitterly opposed to any medification or repeal of the Volstend Acts Section is at the constitution of the B. of L. F. & E. states: "A member who uses intolecting liquors to excess or who assa intolecting liquors to excess or the crow of the plant. When no bugs are found by this method, then a number of clumps should be dug up at random over the area and pulled to pieces over a large sheet of white paper of cloth. If there is an average of 10 or 15 bugs to the clump, then the area should be purely when the provides that have been moved at large sheet of white paper of cloth. If there is an average of 10 or 15 bugs to the clump and not matter how large his markets and not matter how large his markets and not matter how large his markets and not matter how large his products—not matter how large his products—not matter how large his products—not matter how large his products—of the floor; while the second floor; while the second floor; while the second floor; while the scoil floor; while the sonic Museum, and the top floor; while the scoil floor; while to "I would be bitterly opposed to any harboring chinch bugs. If bugs are chinery—is organized; his cotton, his kitchens have been added to the ground not harbor many bugs and do not re-I do not agree with Mr. Compers that quire burning. Blue grass pastures, even though they may harbor some bugs, should never be burned. Chineh bugs will also be found in a number of places, such as corn shocks and stubble, but with ordinary winter conditions these will perish before spring.

When to Burn. the enforcement of all the laws of the in hibernation is from November 1 to December 15. The grass is drier at this time and will burn closer to the ground, ered in a new day for the workers of thus killing a larger per cent of the bugs by fire and exposing the remainder to their families to enjoy comforts that they never could afford when a part of periments, in many localities and over there living. He comes to realize that if the may envelope went for booze; that a period of years show that burning at

Whenever possible the grass should ention be burned with a back fire, against the less of the fact that he has tried organithis way who can argue that it will not mil- wind. Such a fire burns closer, holds zation and failed in order to succeed he serve to steady, to stabilize, to standardastitute the precise reason why mil- wind. Such a fire burns closer, holds ons of workers in Europe have nover the heat longer, and is easier to keep been able to secure as high a standard under control. A head fire sweeps over of living as have American workers, the ground rapidly, does not burn brains are so pickled in alcoho closely, and often gets out of bounds. that they cannot think straight. No The method of burning, however, will man ever yet improved his lot by taking vary somewhat with the different areas and must be determined by the indi-We further charge that the liquor in. vidual at the time. The principal re-terests of this country have always been quisite in burning the infested grass is n league with the most ruthless ex. to handle the fire in such a manner as

Precautions. Since fire is always a dangerous agent, certain precautions should be mentioned. Never attempt to do extensive burning alone, but have one or cause the liquor interests didn't want to ways have a barrel of water and plenty see us bunched. But when the state of gunny sacks along; a spade is also went dry, we were able to pur it over, very useful for fighting fire. When and we have a splendid labor tem-ple, and and controlled by the local able to have a team and plow along. mions." Count up for yourself the la- Should the fire get away, it can be stopped by plowing a furrow some disthe coming of probibition. As the late tance shead. Never attempt to burn

The most effective results from burning will be had when it is carried out over relatively large co-operatively this method of control increases with its rightful place in the temple of ecoident and reliable labor press service the area. The best results are to be had where the entire county enters into should not be less than a township. In now investing that money in short time fact, the only essentials to make burning successful are co-operation and

### Masonic Twins

BELLEVILLE, N. Y. - This city boasts of having the oldest twins in the Masonic fraternity. Amasa and Anson Hungerford will be 80 years old anaging editor and the business man- in May, 1924. Born in 1833, they took ger of the Federated Press. the Blue lodge degrees of Masonry in The crime of the Federated Press is Rising Light Lodge No. 687, at Bestehat it Afuses to color its news to sulf ville, in February, 1866. They have my faction of the labor movement. It been enthusiastic members of the fra-

Phinview was here on legal business a half bales this season throughout the

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of L.
This Journal believes that a fair, imhe does, with all his labor and sweat. blue overalls and baths once a weekwhere a man can raise his own milkwhere a man can raise his own milk Historic Masonic Hall by train and boat, one travels com-and butter, chickens, eggs, and ducks. Historic Masonic Hall fortably in three hours from one's ho and after having spent a glorious holiday "out in the fields with God," can come home covered with honest sweat -can "homeward wend his weary way" sink into the arms of Morpheus the scent of clover and new mown hay in at

> Fine, isn't it, but when he aspires to pair of good shoes, he remembers he has six fresh hides salted away in the barn that won't pay for them! He also wanting a good plain suit, the clip from his little flock wouldn't buy it. He resized steak in the city restaurant cost which is Bath Albey. 80 cents and he looks reproachfully into the eyes of a fat steer calf in the barn lot that will net three cents a pound. It suddenly dawns on him that his glorious independence is limited to a narrow, penurious life-that his intelligent effort and close economy will merely bring him existence.

He knows that farming is a basic industry more necessary than manufactsult approximate to the return from all tions were made and the Royal Cumuor as a beverage by members of the All clump-forming grasses found attends why there should be profitable to be and the Royal Cum-

> buys in the hands of highly technical men trained in distribution, and he reas storer, but it takes something more natural discontent is true. To the non-, ers. rogressive type of mind, the solution The cartoonist re ducts are finally thrown into a fiercely city life. apetitive market that at the best

> inly allows him a net profit of exceedinsmanity's road gait is four miles and hour and he only travels two, that those in front will win all the prizes. He must keep up with the procession and the road leads to organization. Regardmust try until he wins. His mind must ize the crop? It is good common sense distribution as a technical, intelligent, or the American Bankers' Association

informed group problem. Manufacturing has passed from individual processes to group processes and to keep step with civilization and progress, agriculture must adopt scientific group distribution or selling. means co-operative marketing and wherever co-operative marketing has been practiced intelligently, happy results have been marked and definite, California is a splendid example of scientific distribution, and across the sea Denmark is an object lesson of admiration and encouragement, 'She co operative marketing of cotton is steadlly gaining ground in the face tremendous opposition. Every man admits that 100,000 bales of cotton can be better merchandised than 5 to 100. It can be graded better, insured cheaper, carried at a lower rate and sold better-regardless of an ascending or descending mar ket. Co-operative cotton in the South is already an influencing factor-in ten years it will be a controlling factor. When it gets to be a controlling factor the cotton farmer will have passed from the competitive era to the co-operative time, and farming will assume nomics and big busines

Some banks in Texas that have encouraged the dumping of cotton are Eastern paper in order to liquidate the decling deposits of Spring and Summer. If they will help sell this cotion co-operatively in an orderly manner, deposits will not decline and banking deposits in Texas will be stabilized. Why should not the farmer organize for business as has every other basic industry—why should any one oppose it? 16,000 new members have aligned themselves in this movement since January, 800,000 bales were sold last season co-operatively in the South and this season will show a large gain.

Last season the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association sold 77,000 bales this way and this season will probably more than double it. It is likely that co-op-Attorney George I. Mayfield . of erative sales will run into a million and cotton growing belt. This is not a con-

### Rail Official Raps Senator Capper's

only by making it possible for railroads gas. We are considering rather the into improve their facilities and increase caluculable possibilities of aerial comtheir capacities to bring about a roduc. munication opened up during the past tion of costs, C. D. Morris, assistant to few months by air craft achievement the chairman of the Western Railways both in this country and abroad. On

recently by United States Senator Ar- than four miles a minute. Three days thur Capper of Kansas, for a repeal of later another naval plane reached 250 the rate-making section of the transpor- miles an hour while a new Wright bi-

pect that a railroad can lift itself by are now delivering New York letters in ustries?" Morris asked.

ness man, does not expect the railroads vision the enormous practical possi roads were unable to meet the demands. Commercial airplane travel is already

## Remodeled at Bath

great historic interest. It was built in among the other cities regularly coverby John Palmer, the father of John planes to other cities may be had at very Palmer who introduced the stage coach reasonable cost for the transportation of recalls that a short while ago when system for carrying mail. The ground both passengers and baggage. on which the building stands was for- The airship and the airplane owe their merly part of an orchard belonging to rapid development to their utility as members a few days before that a fair the Benedictine Priory, the chruch of instruments of war and destruction, yet

1768, was granted letters patent and course will do more than many peace Provinces. The Theatre was closed in riers and overcome national prejudices 1805, and in 1809 was made into a Roman Catholic Church. In 1863 St. John's was completed and the Roman former theatre.

hall. In that year extensive alterastudy why there should be profitable beriand Lodge joined in the responsi-

Sleep is said to be nature's great re-

sons that he must, in order to keep step than sleep to restore a town to the powith progress, organize his own pro- sition it has lost through non-action. ducts in the same manner. Such facts Every number of the Plains Journal is as have been suggested here are unde a salesman visiting the home each week niable, and that such things cause a and soliciting business for its advertis-

that he should work harder, produce as having bushy whiskers, but even if more, spend less, and be content, but re- so, the same may not obstruct his visgardless of what he produces his pro- ion so that he can't see the shams of

> John H. Reed of Hale Center was in Lubbock on business Tuesday, O. D. Cardwell of Post was a business

trolling factor, but who can argue that would not issue a booklet in its favor. It is simply a step forward and he who



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Morris formerly was editor and publare now, three regular passenger plane firmly established in Europe. There and boat transportation, including automobile service between the flying field terminals and hotels. Brussels BATH, England,-The meeting place Amsterdam, Berlin, Warsaw, Moscow, of the Masonic order in Bath is of Strassburg, Vienna and Prague are 1750, in Orchard Street, as a theatre ed by airplane service, while special

This theatre, by Act of Parliament in motion of intimate international inter became the first Theatre Royal in the homilies to break down national bar -Locomotive Engineers' Journal

Catholic Church discontinued using the Okla., but now, of Floydada, was in Lubbock a few days ago. Mr. Sallee is ex-The lease of the building was pur- pecting to move to Lubbock with his chased in 1866 by the Royal Sussex family in a short time and will engage

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No Tears of Neglect in Texas Christmas. Texas Football Player Has Artificial Leg. Tea for Texas U. Co-Eds During

BY J. SYDNEY HUGHES. International News Service Staff Corre

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 18 .- Not a tear in Texas Christmas!

And if a tear falls in Texas Christmas day it will not be a tear of neglect nor disappointment, for this wast state is preparing fo the Yuletide with an unprecedented enthusiasm.

Committees, organizations, civic and independent, private chips, fraternal and religious, all are striving toward tongues of this qualit old town have banishment of sorrow and disflusion—been wagging vigorously for five banishment of sorrow and disflusion—been wagging vigorously for five banishment of sorrow and disflusion—been wagging vigorously for five been wagging vigorously for five bulletins for the summer session is rapidly going forward. C. W. Warwick of Canyon is doing the printing and they will be ready for cities for similar use.

and jubilancy for it is estimated over 1,000,000 will go to charity that day. metropolis to the most tranquil of isosated communities have formed various

there is neither suffering nor want. "Not a Tear in Texas Christmas" is the universal slogan of the state, and it is avowed not a tear shall there be other than perhaps a few tears of hap miness a

the task of earning a livelihood, there

Perhaps more truly does this admiration arise for the crippled athlete who -The demure young miss attended the

have their crippled members. Texas released on \$3,000 ball after the preliminary hearing.

Lindsey Jacks to the role of the preliminary hearing. Lindsey Jacks to the role of captain for 1924. Another team, which wished the fact held confidential, possesses a lineman who finds an artificial leg no drawback. Captain Jacks of the T. C. U. wife of Commander Murray, reads: squad has but one hand his right hand Wife of Commander Murray, reads:
Mrs. Christopherson need not have having been severed at the wrist.

genter has but one arm, the other hav-ing been amputated at the shoulder. Mrs. Marguerite Christopherson, to while yet another high school lad plays whom the above evidently refers, is one the difficult position of quarterback of the leading clizeque of Sheringham

The greatest fear within the heart of eyon spiteful, jealous old cat and

Scene: Almost any college class

Teacher-Miss Jones, will you please talk," said another letter rise and respond to my question?

us this afternoon?

tise cream, simply a lattle lemon. sity to serve ten to the ten-addict co- is a wicked, fast woman, and she is in eds during final examination week. The love with her servant, Johnnie, and idea has been adopted by several schools does not care a damn for her husband.

nation throughout Texas by a group Lady Bainbridge received a letter is of state statisticians shows all classes terms similar to these. dancy of range per head.

tors reports an excellent season in the othy Thurbura, Sheringham has some ground grass and winter weeds ex- thing to talk about for months to come ecotionally pientiful, with an abunda supply verywhere. It is predicted grazing will hold out to the satisfaction of the most particular.

He also predicts a big crop of calves based on the provision that the early year rainfall is not over normal. The high range condition, remain at 91 per cent, a noticeable improvement over the 80 per cent ranking, a-

#### Swine Breeders of Panhandle to Meet at Canyon

handle Swine Breeders' Association will State Teachers College at Canyon, Feb. hold its annual convention in Canyon 819; Buffaloes at Simmons, Feb. 12-13; next January. Invitations have been Buffaloes at Denton, Feb. 15-16; Bufasent asking that the swine breeders faloes at Oklahoma A. & M., Feb. 18,19; meet here at the same time the Pan-Buffaloes at Central Teachers College, handle Plant and Stock Judeing Con. Edmond, Okla., Feb. 20, and two games

## To Have South

erganization functioning similar to the the strongest scoring combination in West To as body, are about to become the Southwest.

a reality ith plans repidly nearing a Training is now under way for the head, according to Homer D. Wade, as conference race. Coach Burton and

Mr . Wade also states that an endeavor will be made to organize an "East! No doubt many good congressmen Texas" organization pointing out that have their ears to the ground these the combined efforts of three such tre- days, listening for a low voice or rummendous bodies, as the West Texas bling noise which is taken to mean that chamber would accomplish unprecedent- the average constituent is not averse to

### POISON PEN **NOTES BESTIR ENGLISH TOWN**

GIRL GOES TO COURT, IS CHARGED WITH WRITING ANONYMOUS LETTERS.

SCANDAL RUNNING AMUCK

Many Snickers Occassioned by Publication of Several Double-Edged Missives.

She has indignantly denied that she lege. ful of physical haedicap plunges into had ever "written a single anonymous table bit of pity that surges forth at that where the box was opened anony meetings have been held in the Windy more development in both the character Preparations are being made mous letters were found inside.

Maid Imperturbed. ersonally would give the world. If at first hearing of her case and was quite his estimated by the proceedings. De his afflictions and credit his efforts as Vere Stacpoole, famous novelist, stood Several football teams of the state as one of her sureties when she was

There is a high school squad whose She is in love with one of her serv-

with, a false chin and a partially par- and charges that she has been libeled.

crippled athlete is the belief that he she-devil" said a letter received by being shown leniency and considera- Mrs. Ethel Copeman. "So you let your tion by his opponents. It is not com- friend Dorts Hewitt, meet your old boy, mon for a crippled gridder to retire vel- but inquire into her past. But you untarily from the field of battle because won't let the Taurburn kirl meet him he believes his secret is out and the You see she has not a past like that of opposing squad, is purposely avoiding Deris. Everyone will be written to any risk of taking advantage of his ni- warning them about you and the old Christopherson girl. You both are

spiteful jealous, ugly cats! Raps Matrons.

"Look at her with the man who Miss Jones (ignoring teacher) Yes, she sits right out in the country. He Teacher Miss Jones, are you will calls her 'C' and she calls him 'J.' You are (1) new rich, (2) a very old woman trying to be young, (2) an evil-tongued Miss Jones Dearie, you know I never mischief maker a jealous, spiteful old cat, and you have yellow-dyed hair."

What's it all about? It's the result Scanley Christopherson received the of a recent decision at Texas Univer following letter: "Mrs. Christopherson throughout the state. Select your own pherson girl during the war. What A recent review of the livestock sit-has with Johnnie in London?"

of stock wintering in the best condi- These letters have supplied the "fire tion in years with an unusual abun- side lengues" of Sheringham with win-H. H. Schultz, one of the investiga- come of the charges against pretty Dor

#### Canyon Normal Has A Heavy Basket-Ball Schedule

CANYON.-Fourteen games are of he schedule of the West Texas State Teachers College Buffaloes' basketball season and included in this number are two games with the Oklahoma Aggies at Stillwater. The Buffaloes make nine games on two road trips, one of which will carry them to Abllene, Denton. Stillwater and Edmond for games The schedule as announced by Coach Burton follows: Abilene Christian College at Canyon, Jan. 28-24; N. M. M. I CANYON. It is likely that the Pan- at Canyon, Jan. 28-21; Sam Houston test is to be held. The Canyon Commercial Club and the agricultural department are fostering the joint meet.

Edmond, Okia., Feb. 20, and two games with N. M. M. I. at Roswell at a later date which has not been decided upon.

The 1924 Buffalo squad is headed by Captain Joe Lancaster at guard. Aside It is pointed out that should the two from one guard position to be filled events occur simultaneously much bene from raw material. Coach Burton has fit would come from the meeting of the a veteran group of athletes. Hale and heg raisers, the 150 contestants that are Lewis Hill are forwards of known expected, and the teachers of agricul ability and along with Mitchell, center, ture that are now being trained at the have, been considered the greatest scoring trio in the T. I. A. A. Davis Hill is a letter utility man and is a valuable scorer, as is Lancaster, veteran guard, who is a good defensive player, Othello Herm, stellar forward with Texas C. of C. the Grubbs Vocational College, is eligible for the Buffalo squad and it is likely that he will be able to play at STAMFORD, Texas -- Preams of a guard, Should be do this, Coach Bur-South Texas Chamber of Commerce; an ton will have what is believed will be

sistant manager of the West Texas Assistant Coach Lockhart have thirty men to work with at present.

#### Summer Normal Others Copy To Be Largest in History of School AUSTIN, Texas - Is Texas a model

CANYON.—Preparations are being "fashioning" planned throughout the made to care for one of the largest world it would seem so. German industrial magnates have satisfactorily viewed upon which Prof. Gordon M. Lang of session of the West Texas the state and after a peek at its in-State Teachers College. An unprecedure a peek at its in the economics and sociology department dented number of students are expected by the authorities in view of the fact. Russis will soon dispatch a delegation of the West Texas State Teachers College, will speak at Hale Center, Plainthat the enrollment for the message for the present full that the enrollment for the message for the message for the present full that the enrollment for the message for the m by the authorities in view of the fact. Russia will soon dispatch a delega-that the enrollment for the present fall tion to obtain a more thorough under-view and Floydada on Dec. 17 and 18. term has surpassed that of any other standing of the co-operative marketing

Selection of the summer faculty is Cotton Association.

anishment of softew and districtions are districted and districtions and d lic, and the whole countryside is agog, will be offered in the departments of emergency organizations to see that for Dorothy Myrtle Thurburn, aged chemistry, physics, home economics With Birmingham rivaling Pittsburg there is neither suffering nor want. twenty-three, has been haled into the French and Spanish. Other departments in the steel industry, Port Arthur bepolice court at Cromer and formally may also offer a full year's work in coming a great sea port and oil refincharged with having published a series the twelve weeks on the five-day basis, ing center, New Orleans increasing her the North Texas Agricultural College Fifteen term hours of work will be the pace, the slow trains of Arkansas turn- Jan. 10 and 11. Miss Thurburn is a pretty, demure maximum allowed any student except ed into Sunset Limited's and the staked little miss, very girlish in appearance, by permission of the dean of the col- plains of Texas blossoming as the rose, be confined exclusively to women and

letter postcard" in her life. The prose- But will a Republican convention not Once the whole region was either agthe task of earning a livelihood, there cution charges, however, that watch held in Chicago be constitu-agises a billow of admiration and re-spect that oft times hardens the inev-Thurburn was seen to post letters and sidering that for twenty years such much waste. There is room for vastly will be given.

# Texas Progress man Problem and

From the amount of "copying" and

methods of the Texas Farm Bureau now under way by President J. A. Hill and will probably be completed before the holidays.

Way up in Waterloo, Iowa, a duplicate plan of several state tourist camps were applied for and now Iowa

the South is witnessing greater changes girls with their problems of home life than any other section of the country. on the farm. and method of our industrial progress, commodate \$90 visitors.

## To Lecture on Wo-Child Welfare

Mr. Lang will address the Mystic and Home Economics clubs at Plainview and the 1922 Study Club at Floydada on "The Woman Problem." He will speak to the Delphian Club, at Hale Center "Child Welfare."

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