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SALOON LITERATURE CANNOT BE SENT OUT

LAW STILL BARS SOLICITATION OF ORDERS IN DRY TERRITORY

COUNTY ATTORNEY IS ADVISED

Attorney General's Department At Austin Answers His Inquiry As To Matter

While local saloon keepers may ship liquor into prohibition territory for personal use, under the Allison law ruling, they are still barred from circulating printed matter the effect of which is to solicit orders. The attorney general's department at Austin, answering a query from County Attorney Bruce Greenwood, wrote him as follows:

"Hon. T. B. Greenwood, Wichita Falls, Texas. Dear Sir:

"Your telegram of December 28th asking to be advised if the department considers that the circulation of literature soliciting orders for sale of intoxicating liquors would be a violation of the law in view of the recent decision of the court of criminal appeals, received.

"We advise you that as we understand the decision of the court of criminal appeals, it in no way affects that part of the law which prohibits soliciting orders in dry territory. That provision of the law in a section by itself and absolutely prohibits in any manner or for any purpose soliciting orders. As we understand it the court does not in any manner attempt to modify this provision of the statute and that it is in full force and effect.

"We therefore advise you that all printed matter circulated in dry territory of any character whatever, the effect of which is to solicit orders for intoxicating liquors, which should be ascertained from all of the facts and circumstances surrounding the advertisement, would be a violation of the law and if the concern circulating the advertisement is a corporation it would violate that provision of the statute which makes it an offense for any corporation to violate any provision of the law and subject such corporation to a penalty suit. Where newspapers carry advertisements of this character, which advertise intent to solicit orders in dry territory, and the newspaper is a corporation, we think under proper pleading such corporation could be subjected to penalty suits under the provision of the law above referred to.

"We are very glad you are looking into this matter, and hope that suits will soon be instituted testing out this part of the law which in the opinion of this department remains in fact. Very sincerely yours,

"W. A. KEELINK, Assistant Attorney General."

SHOOTS WIFE WHEN HE SEES HER SITTING IN MAN'S LAP

Cabaret Singer Figures in New York Tragedy Involving Woman's Brother

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Francis Collins was shot and killed early today at her home where she lived with her husband, Willis, and her two brothers. The husband is in jail charged with murder. Collins, who is a cabaret singer and her wife quarreled early in the evening. When he returned home he heard her voice in an adjoining bedroom. He went to the door, peeped through a key-hole and saw her sitting in a man's lap. Collins demanded admission and it is charged fired through the paneled door. Mrs. Collins was fatally injured. The man in whose lap she was sitting was said to be her brother, George.

CHRISTMAS VACATION AT A. & M. COLLEGE ENDS

By Associated Press.
College Station, Texas, Jan. 4.—Students of the Agricultural & Mechanical College returned to their college work today after the holiday recess. The school closed Dec. 19 to Jan. 4.

PESTILENCE IS SPREADING IN BELEAGUERED PRZEMYSL

Serries by Members of Garrison Lack Vigor and Provisions Are Believed Short

By Associated Press.
Lemberg, Galicia, Jan. 4.—(Via Petrograd and London) It is reported here that pestilence is spreading in the city and among the garrison of Przemysl which is now almost without provisions. Infectious diseases still continue from Przemysl but they are less vigorously pushed. This is due, it is thought, to the garrison's knowledge of the failure of the Austrian relief forces to break through the Russian lines.

PETROGRAD CLAIMS MINOR SUCSESSES

REPORT SAYS GERMANS WERE REPULSED ALONG SZURA RIVER

SEVERE BAYONET FIGHTING

Continued Progress in Galicia and Against Austrians is Also Reported

By Associated Press.
Petrograd, Jan. 4.—An official communication tonight by the general staff of the Russian army regarding the fighting in Poland and Galicia says:

"A strong artillery combat is in progress all along the front on the left bank of the Vistula. The attempt of the Germans to gain ground in certain places in the region of the Szura river was without success. On the night of January 2 we discovered the passage of Germans across the Baura in the vicinity of Kosowa and Biskoupti. Having watched the concentration of the enemy's forces one of our glorious regiments surrounded the regiments. They attacked them with the bayonet without firing a shot and in a hand to hand struggle which followed killed several hundred men. The survivors saved their lives by surrendering.

"About 3 p. m. on January 2 a brigade of German infantry attacked our position near Borjimow southeast of Hillmow but the German assault was repulsed with enormous losses by the fire from several batteries and a counter attack made with the bayonet. Desperate fighting occurred during the night of January 2 continuing until daylight northeast of Miawa where we succeeded in sloughing the enemy from some of the trenches which they had previously taken. South of the Pilica river fighting took place at Mirice and Geczek west of Nowoloz and also southeast of Malakoz near Volimne where we repulsed all attacks of the enemy.

"In Galicia the fighting around Gorlice and Kaliszyn continues. In the region of the Usok pass we made progress. We drove back the enemy who fled in great disorder. We captured 2,000 prisoners and some mitrailleuses. In their retreat to Usok the Austrians abandoned arms and ammunition. Our offensive in Bukowina is progressing."

COURT BILL INDORSED BY BAR ASSOCIATION TODAY

Committee Appointed to Present it To Legislature—Members To Go To Austin

The Wichita County Bar association this morning endorsed the bill for the new district court here, drafted by the committee and published in Sunday's Times, and appointed the same committee to present it before the legislature.

The committee was authorized to call for volunteers from members of the bar association, citizens to go to Austin to help in getting the matter before the legislature. Citizens and members of the bar also were asked to write to any members of the legislature with whom they might have influence, urging favorable action on the bill.

To meet the claim that is being urged in some quarters that the congested docket is a thing that was deliberately brought about to secure an additional court here, District Clerk A. P. Kerr has been asked by the committee to go through the file docket for the last four years and furnish the number of new cases filed for each term of court.

JUDGE AKIN PRESIDES AT HIS FIRST TRIAL TODAY

Hears Contested Divorce Case From Friberg As First To Be Tried Before Him

Judge Akin presided over his first trial as judge of the 30th judicial district this morning in the old jail building, while county court was held in the district court room. The county court was engaged in finishing up a damage suit case begun last week. As the case to be heard in the district court was a divorce suit not requiring a jury, Judge Akin gave way to the county court and took his court over to the old jail. The suit was that of C. O. Jennings vs. Reta Jennings. The couple were formerly residents of the Friberg community. Mrs. Jennings is contesting the suit filed by her husband and is represented by Attorney Liston of Pawnee, Oklahoma and Hon. Lindsay Bibb of this city.

BIG SPINACH SHIPMENT IS MADE FOR AUSTIN

Austin, Texas, Jan. 4.—The first shipment of spinach this season started for northern cities last Friday when a car load valued at \$1200 was shipped from a plantation near here. It is estimated 200 cars of spinach will be shipped from this vicinity this year as against 100 cars last season. Five million cans of spinach has been contracted for with one plantation here for 1915.

STOCK EXCHANGE IN LONDON REOPENS

BUSINESS IS RESUMED WITH VERY STRINGENT RESTRICTIONS

TRADING DECIDEDLY CURTAILED

Aliens Unable To Furnish Sufficient Proof Are Excluded From Floor

By Associated Press.
London, Jan. 4.—The London stock exchange reopened for business today after being closed since July 30. Severe restrictions were placed on trading to prevent anything approaching panic-selling or the unloading of securities by hostile countries. The session opened with cheers and the strains of the national anthem, sung by a rather smaller attendance than usual.

Aliens unable to satisfy the committee they have severed all connection with foreign countries were excluded. Several English members appeared in khaki. There was no shouting of bids across the house and business was on a strictly cash basis. The committee decided to allow dealings only between the hours 11 and 3 inside or outside the stock exchange. There will be no street dealings in securities at the present time.

The general opinion that the restrictions to trading would curtail business to a considerable extent was borne out during the first half hour. Not a single bargain occurred in American and only a few of those securities appeared.

EFFECTIVE CANNONADING IS MENTIONED BY FRENCH

Tell of Success Over Germans in Artillery Engagements—Some Gains in Alsace

By Associated Press.
Paris, Jan. 4.—The French war office gave out an official statement in Paris this afternoon as follows:

"From the sea to the Oise the day passed in almost complete calm. The weather was rainy. There were artillery exchanges at some points of the front. In front of Noulette our heavy artillery reduced the German batteries to silence. On the Aisne and in Champagne the cannonading was particularly violent. Our batteries showed their superiority and brought under their fire reserve forces of the enemy.

"We became possessed of several points of support held by the Germans in the region of Perthes and Meulles-Irurils between the Argonne and the Meuse as well as on the heights of the Meuse there was intermittent cannonading. An effort made yesterday morning by our troops to occupy Douerville did not succeed. Our advance continued in the forest of Lepertrie which is to the north of Ponta-Mousson.

"In upper Alsace we occupied an important height to the west of Cernay. A counter attack was repulsed. At Steinbach we have taken possession of the vicinity of the church and the cemetery."

LOCAL WHEAT CONTINUES AT \$1.20 PER BUSHEL TODAY

Wheat continued at \$1.20 a bushel in the local market today. Futures were higher at Chicago and if further gains are made tomorrow another advance in the local price is expected. Cotton futures were also stronger at New Orleans and New York and middling cotton was quoted here today at 7 1/4 cents.

PARDONS BY COLQUITT WILL TOTAL NEARLY 1,500

By Associated Press.
Austin, Texas, Jan. 4.—When the secretary of state's department completes the task of compiling the number of pardons granted by Gov. O. B. Colquitt, it will disclose, according to opinion in official circles, that Colquitt has broken all previous records in decreasing the population of the penitentiaries. It is believed the total will reach nearly 1,500 including conditional pardons.

TO SERVE REFRESHMENTS AT MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Simple Menu Planned For Chamber of Commerce Session Wednesday Night

Light refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, etc., will be served at the Chamber of Commerce meeting Wednesday night. B. J. Bean will donate the coffee and other parts of the menu. Aside from the election of directors for 1915 there will be no formal program although impromptu talks are expected from a number of members. It is planned to hold the meeting in the Elks hall.

MARKED GAIN TODAY IN COTTON MARKET

ADVANCE OF MORE THAN \$1.50 RECORDED AT NEW ORLEANS

SEVERAL CAUSES CONTRIBUTE

Heavy Outside Buying and Large Tonnage Bookings Are Responsible For Gain

By Associated Press.
New Orleans, Jan. 4.—Cotton today made the greatest advance it has in one day since trading was resumed on the local exchange. The most active months of the trading up to noon went 26 to 32 points over last week's close a gain of more than \$1.50 per bale on the strongest months. March rose to 7 1/2 as compared with the low level of 6.94 made during the long decline which followed the beginning of the European war.

The advance was caused by heavy buying by outside interests, continued long transactions in the spot department, heavy booking of ocean tonnage by cotton exporters and the better reports from the stock market.

WHEAT MAKES NEW HIGH RECORD TODAY

TOP PRICES SINCE OPENING OF EUROPEAN WAR ARE REACHED

STOP ARGENTINE COMPETITION

South America Will Be Able To Ship Comparatively Little Grain To European Ports

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Wheat prices today over-topped all high records since the beginning of the European war. May delivery went to 123 3/4 per bushel. Shutting out of fear of Argentine competition was the immediate cause. Ocean rates from Argentine have advanced so sharply that the South American grain is no longer relatively cheap.

Besides higher quotations at Liverpool today showed the urgency of the demand. During the advance, a jump of 1 3/4 since Saturday night, trading appeared of a decidedly more lively character than recently has been the rule. Margins required on transactions are now only half what required not many weeks ago.

BOLD DAYLIGHT ROBBERY OF BANK IN LITTLE ROCK

Cashier and Others Are Locked In Safe While Loot Get Away With \$2,000

NEGRO BOY IS RUN OVER, LOSSES PART OF BOTH FEET

Willie Thomas, a negro boy aged about fourteen years, lost the front part of both his feet when they were dragged under the wheels of a railroad car in the lower Fort Worth & Denver yards Sunday afternoon. His feet were mangled so badly that both had to be amputated at the instep. The accident happened at about 4:30 o'clock. The boy was trying to ride a southbound freight.

KATY TRAIN KILLS YOUNG MAN NEAR TAYLOR, TEXAS

By Associated Press.
Taylor, Texas, Jan. 4.—Howard McDavid about nineteen years old of Egin, was killed by a Katy train here shortly after midnight.

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED BY MOB IN ALABAMA TODAY

Charged With Being Implicated in Assassination of Farmer. Sheriff is Overpowered

By Associated Press.
Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 4.—Ed and Will Smith, negroes, arrested last Thursday charged with implication in the assassination of R. A. Stillwell, an Elmore county farmer, were taken from the jail at Wetumpka, Ala., early today and lynched by a mob of 15 or 20 men. About 1:30 o'clock this morning a mob of men attacked and armed entered the jail, overpowered Sheriff Jackson bound him to a chair and forced a negro deputy to unlock the cells of the two negroes.

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS PRIZES

TOTAL OF \$10,000 IS TO BE AWARDED DURING THIS YEAR

TO COMPETE IN NINE CLASSES

No Award to Be Made for Cotton—Announcement is Made at Dallas Saturday

Special to The Times.
Dallas, Texas, Jan. 4.—The Texas Industrial Congress has issued its annual announcement of \$10,000 in prizes for the best results during 1915 in farming, gardening and stock feeding contests as follows:

Class A—Four-crop model farms; an acre each of cowpeas, cotton, corn and kafir, milo or fetterita; \$1,500 in prizes.

Class B—Best acre of corn; \$1,000 in prizes.

Class C—Best acre of cotton; no prizes offered this year.

Class D—Best acre of kafir, milo or fetterita; \$1,000 in prizes.

Class E—Best acre of peanuts; \$1,000 in prizes.

Class F—Best steer not over three years old when finished; \$1,000 in prizes.

Class G—Best baby beef not over twelve months old when finished; \$1,000 in prizes.

Class H—Best hog not over twelve months old when finished; \$1,000 in prizes.

Class I—Best acre-yields of wheat, oats, rye, or barley on not less than five acres; \$1,000 in prizes.

Class J—Best gardens; \$1,500 in prizes divided into four parts of \$375 each for best rural and graded schools, best high schools, best home plots, and best vacant city lots.

Entry may be made without any cost in any class a person is qualified to enter. The money prizes of the congress are worth earning, but its main prize of learning to produce the largest possible field crop or garden or greatest gain in live weight at the least expense is the most valuable and lasting of all. Every reader of this article owes it to himself or herself to enter this contest and learn by actual experience how much he or she can do in comparison with others. Write to the Texas Industrial Congress at Dallas, Texas.

FIGHTING IS IN PROGRESS ALONG CAUCASIAN FRONT

Russia Claims Turks Have Been Repulsed and Many of Them Taken Prisoners

PRICES ARE ADVANCED IN EASTERN OIL FIELDS TODAY

Pennsylvania Crude \$1.50—First Rise Recorded Since Last August in Market

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By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, Jan. 4.—An advance of five cents a barrel in the principal grades of crude oil was announced here today at the opening of the market by the West Penn Oil Company making prices as follows: Pennsylvania crude \$1.50, Marcor Black and Newcastle \$1.00, Cabell \$1.10; Somerset 90 cents; Ragland 70 cents; Corning was advanced ten cents to 95 cents. This is the first advance recorded since August 20 when Pennsylvania crude, the basis of the market dropped to \$1.45 after a long series of declines beginning when oil sold at \$2.50 per barrel. Renewed activity of all eastern Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia fields is expected as a result of today's prices.

PROGRESS BY FRENCH AND RUSSIANS INDICATED TODAY

Results In Poland Still Declared Indecisive, However—Turks Campaign Progressing

GERMANS LOSE TOWN OF STEINBACH IN ALSACE

Petrograd Claims Failure of German Attacks In Poland—Russian Invasion Of Hungary Expected

By Associated Press.
London, Jan. 4.—The capture by the French of Steinbach, a small Alsatian town near Thann, is admitted in today's statements from the Berlin war office. The official statement about the fighting in the east are utterly irreconcilable. In the west the unprecedented wet weather precludes operations which could give decided advantage to one side or the other.

The activity of the Turks in the Caucasus seems to be assuming an increasing importance, judging from the attention the Petrograd official communications are devoting to this region. Although not admitting that the Turks have been victorious, it is conceded that they are fighting with great valor and stubbornness in the vicinity of the fortified town of Seri-Kamysh. The Turks claim to have taken this position. Russia, however, does not admit this and says the Turks have suffered enormous losses. Comparing the Turkish and Russian statements, it would seem that the Turks at the present time are making some headway, although both sides are losing heavily, as their troops flounder and fight through the deep snow and in the bitter cold of these high altitudes.

The battle of the rivers in Poland has not yet come to an end, the Germans say they have taken Borjimow, a strong Russian position east of Lowicz and a step nearer Warsaw. This the Russians contradict, flatly saying the German assaults there have been repulsed with heavy losses and that otherwise they have been held at bay. Petrograd professes to see the end of the battle of the Polish rivers and a concentration of German forces at some other strategic report in a renewed attempt to break through, but like the predictions of what this side or the other purposed to do in Belgium and France, this must be classed as a guess.

It is true that the Russians have taken another pass over the Carpathian mountains; the invasion of Hungary in real force should be in the opinion of British observers soon to be a reality. Up to the present time detachments of Russian cavalry have crossed these mountains, but there never has been an invasion in strength.

Further developments in Albania have been hanging fire since the Italian occupation of Avlona.

MARKET REPORTS

New Orleans Cotton.
By Associated Press.
New Orleans, Jan. 4.—Spot cotton steady. Sales on spot 360. To arrive 5525. Middling 7 1/2.

Chicago Future.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Highest prices reached in years were scored today in the wheat pit here. The reason was the virtual certainty that at least at present Argentine shipments to Europe would be much smaller than the generous size of the crop as reported recently had seemed to warrant. Prices opening one to three fourths up. Corn rose in sympathy with wheat. The opening varied from 1/4 to 7/8 higher. Oats showed independent strength. The rise was thought to represent a considerable amount of export business. Wheat closed strong. Corn closed steady. Closing: Wheat, May 1.34 1/4; July 1.22; Corn, May 75 1/4; July 75 5/8; Oats, May 35; July 35 1/8.

Kansas City Grain.
Kansas City, Jan. 4.—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.24 to 1.26; No. 2 red 1.25; Corn No. 2 mixed 65 3/4; oats No. 2 white 49 1/2 to 51.

Fort Worth Livestock.
Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 4.—Cattle receipts 3550, steady. Horses \$5.50 to \$7.25. Hog receipts 2300, ten to fifteen cents lower. Bulk \$6.80 to \$7.20. Sheep receipts 1000, steady. Lambs \$7.50 to \$8.15.

ITALY FULLY SUBSCRIBED
Rome, Jan. 4.—The loan of \$200,000,000 arranged for by the government for use in connection with its military preparations has been fully subscribed according to all indications.

New York Cotton.
By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 4.—The cotton market made new high ground at the opening today and business was active with the realizing old long

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SAYS RESOLUTIONS ARE WORTH WHILE

PURPOSES IN MAN'S HEART COUNT, SAYS FIRST M. E. PASTOR

SECOND SERMON ON SUBJECT

Large Making of Worthy Resolutions and Keeping of Them, For New Year

Rev. C. C. Smith, who preached Sunday night of last week upon the folly of making idle resolutions for the New Year, spoke on New Year resolutions again last night, but approached the subject in a different manner, pointing out the value of good resolutions. It was the purpose before the Almighty as much as the things he actually achieved. The pastor urged worthy, righteous resolutions for the New Year. His text was:

"Thou didst well that it was in thy heart." II. Chronicles 6-8. A summary of the sermon follows:

"Last Sabbath we were considering a kindred subject, one relating to purposing but approached rather from a negative standpoint. This evening I wish to consider more from a positive viewpoint our privilege of purposing and the good which may be derived from it. The textual incident is taken from the great dedicatory address made by King Solomon at the completion of the temple in Jerusalem. This temple was Solomon's life work and now at its completion it was being dedicated to Jehovah with fitting splendor and deepest earnestness. Solomon recalled the beginnings of the temple and realized what influence the thought of rearing a house for Jehovah as conceived in the heart of David his father had had upon the actual building of the temple. He recognized that the temple idea was born in the heart of David even before the execution of the plan had been left to him. He reviewed before the people the leadings of Jehovah in the matter and recalled that God had spoken to David and told him that it was a good thing that he had purposed in his heart to build a temple ever though he himself were not allowed to finish the task. This is a good illustration of the fact that a man of worth can be a power for good, even beyond his actual life. Every man who has been seeking to live well, all has some regard for the effect of his life. His work will live after him. David was a warrior a man of blood not of choice I think, but of necessity. It was his task to unify the kingdom so that the temple building might be accomplished. He did well in the leadings of Jehovah because he purposed in the right direction ever though his purpose was not fully accomplished in his day. He laid plans which others completed. He impressed himself upon the future in this way and it was well for Solomon that he did. The glory of Solomon's reign could not have been so marked had David failed in doing his work.

Good Intentions.

"Consider then the possible effects of right purposing. Some one has said, 'Heil is paved with good intentions.' The meaning of this proverb evidently is that so many people make worthy resolves and then fail to keep them. We might better say heaven is paved with good intentions because only he who intends, he who purposes ever gets to heaven or anywhere else worth while. We get nowhere by accident. It is better to purpose on something worth while and then after worthy effort lose in the struggle than not to try at all. I we lose in pursuit of the worthy we have well done that it was in our hearts. It is better to have the consciousness of divine approval saying to us, you did well in that you sought to accomplish something worthy even if your powers were too weak and your days too few. The purposing man is an optimist and it seems to be generally agreed that only people of this general temperament are worth much to society. The purposeful man is constructive in character. He is a builder of temples. Many circumstances crystallize into temples. The optimistic purposer is not privileged to complete his work he may perchance project his purposes down into another generation which will be able to complete what he has contemplated.

"Purpose is interwoven with morals. We are living scarcely above the animal plane unless our life is purposeful. Impulse and instinct govern the animal. Man is morally obligated to live on a higher plane. Of course in all this we are not considering that shallow wishing that sometimes passes for purposing. There is a wide difference between wishing and willing. We are talking about people who have manhood enough to purpose. And after all in the sight of God the purpose is the big thing. It is what we intend to do that pleases God. This is plainly taught in His word. He does not need the actual achievement in order to know what we would do if we could. He does not need the actual achievement to improve his material universe. He pronounced the world very good before man undertook to conform its surface. If we were particularly concerned about having a temple in Jerusalem, he could send legions of angels to build one faster than Solomon's. He himself is master architect and builder of all the universe.

Purpose vs. Achievement.

"What God was building in Jerusalem was not so much a temple as he was building David and Solomon and a host of people devoted to his worship. The temple has been long since crushed into the dust, but David and Solomon abide. He does not need our material achievements but he does need our worthy purposing in order to build us into the sort of

people we should be. Intelligent effort to some worthy end is commendable. We may fail of ultimate achievement, but the purposing is well and we may contribute something by which others will succeed. There was a man in New York State who built a biplane some time ahead of the Wright Brothers. But he could not fly. He tried repeatedly but invariably fell into the lake. He died without ever flying his machine. Recently, however, one of the expert bird men took that same machine and without a single alteration in mechanism circled the lake easily several times. This man was working in the right direction even though he fell somewhat short of achievement. So in living it is well for us to be purposing in the right direction even though we come somewhat short of perfection. God will say, thou didst well that it was in thy heart. We attach no moral significance to the accidental.

"An accident happens which takes the life of some one. If it is plainly an accident there is no legal or moral responsibility. The reverse is equally true. If it were conceivable that we should happen to do something noble without purposing to do it that deed is likewise accidental and we can claim no honor for the deed. A great many people that are accounted very worthy simply inherit all that they possess of wealth and position and throughout all their lives are not guilty of executing a single worthy purpose. The accident of birth has located them and they deserve no credit for any achievement of their own. Some very humble person who purposes to do well and repeatedly but is restricted by circumstances is unable to fulfill that purpose has far more credit before the One who deals only with motives.

Step in Right Direction.

"Good purpose therefore is the first step in the right direction. Good purposing is the seed from which right action springs. David was forestalled in his purpose to build the temple because he had been a man of blood. Jehovah was seeking to raise up a nation devoted to peace. Beyond the necessities of the day he did not encourage war and held up this great object lesson before Israel to teach them the fundamentals of peace. We are sometimes forestalled of God in our good intentions. Circumstances arise that make it impossible for us to do as we would. But God is aware of all hindering causes and credits us according to our purposing rather than according to our achievement. Like every other faculty of our nature this faculty fades away unless used. So many are living purposeless lives. They have been living purposeless lives so long that they have become moral imbeciles. For the lack of exercise the distinctive characteristic of personality is allowed to waste away and die. What shame that we will not use that faculty of soul which most clearly differentiates us from the brute. But says one, life is so short and we can accomplish so little. Why map out large things only to fail? In the first place it is better for us since we are immortal to purpose because he self which purposes does not die with the body. Then too posterity will reap the benefits of our larger work even though we do not live to enjoy victory. Thou didst well that it was in thy heart to do a good work. This approval of God will be worth while in the end.

"Have we purposed upon anything worth while for the coming year? We must keep that purpose strong and alive and be honest with it and it will be well for us that we have had it even though life proves too short and our strength too limited to accomplish our purpose. We are entering upon a new year with manifold opportunities. What do you purpose to do with the new year which, please God, we may all have?"

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AUTOMOBILE HITS BUGGY

OCCUPANTS ARE INJURED

Mrs. William Friberg Is Hurt Sunday Evening in Accident On Tenth Street

Mrs. William Friberg, 2301 Ninth street suffered severe sprains and bruises Sunday evening when the buggy in which she was riding with her two sons was struck by an automobile at the corner of Tenth and Tenth streets. The buggy was overturned. One of the boys was thrown out and the other managed to jump out but Mrs. Friberg was held in the



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MEMBERSHIP RALLY OF CIVIC LEAGUE TUESDAY

Tomorrow, Tuesday, Jan. 5 will mark the close of the two month membership rally of the Civic League and at the meeting to be held with Mrs. H. L. Hunter...

D. A. R. MONTHLY MEETING WITH MRS. O. E. MAER

For their regular monthly meeting the D. A. R.'s met Saturday after- noon with Mrs. O. E. Maer as hos- tesses. The lesson for the afternoon the administrations of Monroe, was led by Miss Young...

HEART PARTY FOR MISS DELPHYNE WYATT SATURDAY

A thoroughly delightful affair of the holiday season was the hospital- ity extended by Mrs. Wylie Wyatt and Miss Wyatt to a number of young people Saturday evening at the West- land, honoring the younger daughter of the house, Miss Delphine, home for the holidays from boarding school in San Antonio...

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MONROE SEWING CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. FRAZIER

The Monroe Sewing Circle met Wed- nesday of last week with Mrs. Frazier as hostess. The afternoon was spent in the usual pleasant manner and the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Alice, served a delicious two-course luncheon. The guests were: Mes- sames Tandy, Johnson, Hilton and Mel- by; club members present being Mes- sames Parika, Taylor, Chauncey, Kliek- man, Minor, Thorburn, Brody, McCon- nell, Bradshaw Selman and the hos- tess.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF TULSA WEDDING RECEIVED HERE

Announcements have been received here as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLaughlin announce the marriage of their daughter, Odie, and Mrs. Clarence R. Long on Friday, the twenty-fifth of December, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, Tulsa, Oklahoma." The

groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. echney, Elizabeth Patterson, Lella Beall Anderson, Norine Usery, Grace Nolen, Cathleen Coffield, Messrs Woods, Wade Arnold, William Robert- son, Twigg Boger, Tom Taylor, Ev- ertt Whitley, Robert Nolen, Fred Warner, Arthur Fontaine, Allen Montgomery, Eugene Mathis, William Ward, Bill Honner, John Mackechney, J. L. Jackson Jr., Cherry Campbell, Louis McGinley, Jim Jennings, Mack McGinley, Homer Crawford, T. B. Noble Jr., James Williams, Chester Mor- gan and Brennan Gillespie.

READY TO CONTRACT FOR HANDLING 1915 CROPS

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heralded to the public as a relief for the difficulties of the cotton farmers; the small relief granted through the buy a bale movement; the incapacity of our legislative machinery to cope with the situation and the complete collapse of every effort put forth by government and the business interests to help the farmer, bring the sound thinking people of Texas face to face with the urgent necessity for concerted action in solving our marketing problems. While the war is, in a measure an emergency factor, its elimination in no way diminishes the necessity for storage facilities and cheap money to properly market the crop. As the authorized representative of the men who produce and own the cotton, we invite men with money in Texas and out to finance the crop



helping the farmers of Texas and the South solve this monumental prob- lem. If we are to take care of the 1915 crop, now is the time to begin. W. D. LEWIS, President. SEWER EXTENSION WORK UNDER WAY THIS MORNING City forces this morning began dig- ging dirt for the new sewer extension which is to serve the territory east and south of the Wichita Valley tracks. A large force of men were put to work, but a number of applicants could not be started to work this morning be- cause there were not enough tools to

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It's this paper's candid observation that most people who protest they are "neutral" in this European war affair have worked themselves up to the point where they don't care which of the allies shall be permitted to lick Germany.

Emperor William and King George have replied to Pope Benedict's suggestion that the warring powers exchange prisoners of war who are incapacitated for further fighting, and both have agreed to comply with the suggestion.

Three years of war has brought a famine in many Mexican cities. That is just about what is going to happen in Europe, but it is not going to happen three years to bring it about.

As yet England has not replied to the complaint of the American government regarding the interference on the part of England of American shipping interests.

COLQUITT'S RE-EXPLOSION. On the eve of his retirement from office Governor Colquitt of Texas issues a statement in which he scathingly arraigns the administration of President Wilson, branding it as "the greatest failure of the day."

MANY INTERESTING NOTES ABOUT YOUNG NATION RUSSIA

Washington, Jan. 4.—Showing how Russia is larger than the entire continent of North America, with the islands of the Caribbean thrown in; how it occupies three-fifths of Europe and two-fifths of Asia; how its Asiatic possessions are one and a half times as great as those of China and three times as great as those of Great Britain.

DO WE NEED A LARGER ARMY AND NAVY?

Over one-half the world is at war today. Perhaps if America had a standing army of a quarter or half million fighting men and a navy three or four times as large as our present one we might be at war with some other power.

prepared for war, the great majority believe that being unprepared is really the greatest blessing that we can hope to enjoy. So far as we know there is no power that has the slightest idea of making war on us, or taking any of our present possessions.

COLQUITT AND THE EL PASO PLATFORM.

In jumping on President Wilson and the National administration Governor Colquitt gets entirely off the El Paso Democratic platform, in the writing of which he played an important part. That document declares: "We cordially and heartily endorse the National Democratic administration and congratulate the people of the United States upon the patriotic fidelity with which the administration has kept faith with the people and has passed into living laws promises made by our party in its national platform at Baltimore."

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After dealing briefly with Russia's remarkable history, especially with the surprising reign of Peter the Great, Mr. Grosvenor shows that when Alexander I freed the five million serfs of Russia, he released from bondage a population equal to that of the twelve leading states of the United States, and a population more than twelve times as great as was freed by Lincoln's emancipation proclamation.

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George Carter, a very just man, carrying on business in a small village, found it necessary one day to leave his establishment to the sole charge of John, his assistant, and, as usual, thinking it necessary to impress upon him the necessity of dealing fairly by his customers, left him with these words: "Well, John, if ever in doubt, quote a text to yourself, and you will find great help from it in your dealings."

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The Gem.

Albee-Joyce is featured in a two-part Kalem drama, "The Lybrook Tragedy." Mabel Trunelle, Frank McGlynn and Robert Kegeris are featured in an Edison drama, "The Everlasting Triangle." Santley, man of the West, and Philbin of the East love the same woman, Kate. Stanley marries her and a short while after Philbin becomes embroiled in a gambling house fight and shoots a gambler. He leaves and Santley and his wife live a quiet life until Santley decides to go on a long prospecting trip.

The Empress.

Richard Stanton and Rhea Mitchell are featured in "The Master of the House," a two-part Kay Bee. Guy Winston, owner of the Croesus Mines is captured while on an eastern business trip by Lois Harrington, a society girl with a very ambitious mother and a parasite brother. After their marriage, the girl and her family use Winston as a "mark," running up scandalous bills which he pays without a murmur.

The Lydia Margaret.

Jack and Helen Dakota, sharpshooters of note, and Knight and Moore in "A Comedy of Errors," make up the new vaudeville bill coming here today. Judging from the press notices the bill is a superlative one. Mary Fuller is featured in the "movie" program in "The Heart of the Night Wind." In "The Heart of the Night Wind," Mary Fuller comes to us in a real love story with a bigger plot and more action, deeper mystery of bills, sweeter sentiment and stronger passions than in any play she has so far appeared.

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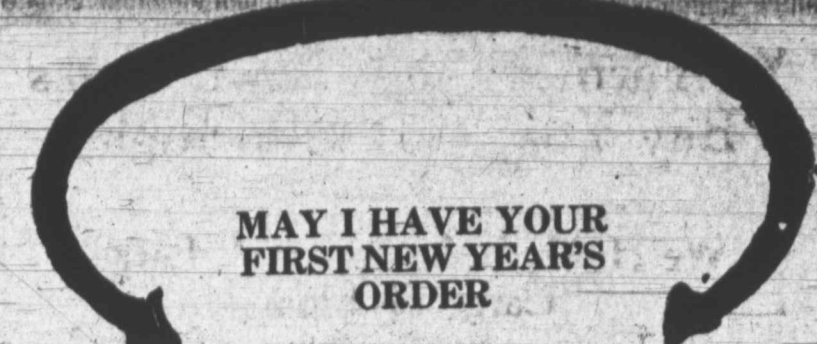
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Notice We have leased the rear part of our building to H. W. Arbuckle, who will conduct a general repair shop. Also have room for a few more storage cars. Imperial Motor Sales Co., 615 Tenth street. 1 3tc

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Read The Times ads and make money. You will find many bargains both in real estate and household goods. If you have a lot or house you want to sell, phone 167 and they will get results. 82 tlc

Sheric George Hawkins wired from St. Louis this morning that he would leave there tonight on his way home with Frank Rembert Sr., whom he is bringing here from McKeenock, Pa. Rembert will be placed on trial on an indictment for murder in connection with the death of Ed Hardwick.

At the Empress Friday night the Wichita Quartet will sing a program of new songs. 2 tlc

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The eighteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter in the factory district died Sunday and was buried this afternoon in Riverside cemetery.

Pioneer Lodge No. 49, K. of P. meets Tuesday night at 7:30 in New Hall, Henderson building. Installation of officers. T. A. Bradley, C. C. 1 2tc

Odd Fellows Notice All members of Odd Fellows Lodge No. 341 are requested to be present at the meeting Monday night to participate in the conferring of the second degree. Refreshments and other business of importance. R. F. DUNAWAY, Sec. 51 tlc

Dr. H. A. Walker, dentist, room 307, K. & K. Bldg. Phone 538. 25 tlc

Notice to Stockholders. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita State Bank will be held in its offices at Wichita Falls, Texas, January 12th, 1915, same being the second Tuesday in said month, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting. W. W. GARDNER, Cashier. 83 tlc

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I have a thoroughbred Jersey bull for service. Fee, \$2.50. J. S. Gullhorn at Old Peter's wagon yard. 1 1tp

Ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner Saturday, January 9, in the building formerly occupied by McCarty & Son. A rummage sale began January 4 in the same building. 2 5t c

Notice C. E. S. Regular meeting of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening, January 5. All members urged to be present. Visiting members in the city are invited to attend. Mrs. H. C. Dakan, W. M.; Mrs. L. C. Hinckley, Sec. 2 tlc

Don't fail to hear the Wichita Quartet at the Empress Theatre Friday night. New songs, new pictures. 1tc

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FARMERS UNION OFFICIALS DISCUSS MOVEMENT IN THIS STATE

CREDIT SYSTEM CHIEF DANGER

Texas Needs to be Freed of Its Evils First, They Say, Before Adopting New Ideas

Special to The Times. Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 4.—The following signed article has been given out from the headquarters of the Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of Texas, in this city:

"Much is being said on the subject of diversification in Texas and the farmer for one product, and the solution of these problems require co-operation between the farmers, bankers and the business men. To give a concrete example, we will take Smith county, where one of the undersigned recently addressed an audience of farmers and business men and came in contact with actual conditions as they now exist there. That county cannot be excelled in the intelligence and patriotism of its citizenry. It probably leads all other counties in diversification. Its peaches, tomatoes, cantaloupes and other vegetables have made it world famous and it is one of the banner counties in prize farming contests, and it is there that the credit system flourishes and bears its most perfect fruit. Conditions there are, in the main, typical in many ways of agricultural conditions throughout the State, as a whole.

WHERO'S BLAME RESTS? "We want to say here that we consider the credit merchant a victim, as well as a beneficiary, of our financial system, and the farmer is not altogether blameless for blindly wearing the galling yoke of usury which custom has placed upon his neck. The farmers in that county, as well as those of many other counties, have been caught between the voracious jaws of usury and low prices, and wringed and they now lie writhing in agony.

"The good women of Tyler are relieving the distress by assembling cast-off clothing of the family and offering it to wives of the poorer farmers, some of whom, it is said, are glad to accept it. The high rate of interest has taken clothes off the backs of the families of many farmers and while their wives and children are shivering with cold, some of the farmers are mortgaging their crop, we are reliably informed, as far ahead as 1920 in order to obtain credit. Such farmers are no longer free men; they are agricultural peons, with mortgaged souls.

"Does Smith county need a battery of book farmers to teach them diversification? We think not. That county needs patriotic business men and level-headed farmers who will take the issue squarely and cooperate in getting cheap money, and in building warehouses and financing the cotton crop. The farmers know as much about raising pumpkins, potatoes and peanuts as they will raise them whenever there is a profitable market.

Too Much Theory Feared. "The over-zealous and well-meaning city diversifiers who urge the farmer to imbibe freely and blindly of their advice are at times a worse enemy to the farmer than the usurer, and there are many farmers in Texas today, stranded by participating in theoretical folly.

"We understand that a movement is on for city diversifiers to put on a whirlwind campaign, using the press and a train load of agricultural orators to impress upon the farmer the importance of diversification. The Farmers' Union stands for diversification along practical lines, but opposes diversifying from a marketable product to one that cannot be marketed, and the farmers of Texas can never hope to become either wealthy or intelligent through conversations with book farmers.

"It is a favorite pastime of city farmers, many of whom have profited by the high rate of interest prevailing, to contribute toward the expense of sending out a train load of book farmers who spin agricultural yarns and present get-rich-quick schemes of farming that have never failed to break every farmer who tried them.

"We understand that it is proposed to start the rain out early in the morning, dropping off speakers along the route and returning late at night to pick them up. We are especially interested in having them picked up, as we fear many of these agricultural experts, if left to make a living on the farm, would starve to death inside of ninety days.

Some Questions Asked. "We want to ask some of the titled aitches to this proposed train a few questions. Will the peanut professor please say what the farmers are to do with the surplus peanor crop now on hand and which cannot be sold at cost of production? These products were raised, in many instances, at the urgent insistence of city diversifiers who talked as though factories would spring up in every fence corner bidding for peanuts.

"During the past year, we think it safe to estimate that one-third of the vegetables rotted for want of a market. Shall we raise more? Why is it that these men who know so much about farming don't try plowing while and quiet talking about it?

"The Farmers' Union stands for co-operations. "W. D. LEWIS, President. "Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of Texas. "PETER RADFORD, Natl. Lecturer, "Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America."

Belgian Hat and Other Novelties Among Fashions At Horse Show

New York, Jan. 4.—The Horse Show has been the attraction of a week in New York. The horses groomed until they shone and in the pink of training came first of course in the minds of the people, but the clothes worn by the woman came a close second.

Designers from all over New York assembled there to note what the society women favored for the event of the early winter, and to temper their new designs accordingly.

The boxes were filled with a crowd of people dining their attention between the horses and the clothes worn by other women. With fewer Parisian styles the trend of fashion is a question much more interesting to the greater number of people that it has ever been.

The suits which were the most prominent were those made with a coat having a long and rippling tunic. These were usually worn with the

truly smart since last summer when New York started even itself by wearing velvet toques in broiling weather. The black, however, is giving way to the dark blue velvet. The hats are made in just the same way and trimmed in the same manner. The sailor shape is the most popular and the ostrich fringe is taking the place of the fringe like trimmings of moose fur which was the rage in the fall.

The Belgian soldier's cap has been used as the basis for a charming little toque worn by a charmingly dressed young woman at the Horse Show. It was rather round in shape and flattened over one side of the head, running to a point at the crown. A long straight-quirr ran straight up the back. It suits the fashionable coiffure very well indeed.

It is only once in a while in the history of dress that it is as becoming to the young girl as at the present time. The tight skirt slashed to give room for walking had no place in the young girl's wardrobe. In fact, she looked very much out of place in it. But the full skirts of the winter's mode, with or without the long tunic, are extremely appropriate to the slimmness of youth. So is the long



fuller skirts which ripped out beneath them. On all were deep bands of something, fur usually and braid sometimes to border the bottom of the tunic and skirt. This fur was often skunk, sometimes fish, kolinsky or sable, but the most popular was beaver.

A sand colored broadcloth suit made with a coat close fitting at the shoulders and flaring out at the knees, had a skirt with a band of beaver around it at least fifteen inches wide and possibly as wide as eighteen inches.

The fuller skirts were in evidence, showing that there is no doubt about the revival of the straight full skirts of crinoline days and among the coats was one which reminded me of the old fashioned dolmans.

A semi fitted effect is to be seen in dresses that is a distinct reminder of the princess dress. The illustration developed in sand colored broadcloth, although far from being a princess, shows a combined yoke and girde which fits around the waist and hips in a princess manner. The dress is made without trimming, the only variation in its simplicity being the chiffon sleeves and the flaring collar of chiffon. The skirt flares out in the accepted fashion at the ankles, showing the new breadth skirts are taking. Cloth covered buttons trim the yoke under the arms.

The second illustration shows a dress made on lines more similar to the princess. The dress is made of blue charmeuse, with skirt and waist in one. At the waistline it is shirred into the outline of the figure. A sash of a darker shade of the same material is brought around the front of the waist and tied at a low waist line and serves to break the princess effect. Buttons covered with the same material as the sash fasten the dress down the front.

Sand color was the shade of many of the most stylish suits. One suit of sand color had a jacket that was rather close fitting, quite tailored in its effect, the skirt was moderately full, cut circular and without any trimming. It was trimly short and showed shoes with the uppers and backs of sand-colored cloth to match the dress and the front of the shoes of black patent leather. A cunning little round hat of sand-colored velvet trimmed with a narrow band of beaver fur was worn with this suit which all in all was most complete from the soft crown of the hat to the sand colored heels of the shoes.

Velvet was in evidence in black and midnight blue. This fabric has been most fashionable all fall and yet trimmed with a narrow band of after-noon dresses, and is much less trying in the deep blue, which is so new than in the black. The soft quality of the velvet, which is termed chiffon velvet, is much more adaptable to draping than the velvets of old.

The black velvet hat has been ex-

truly smart since last summer when New York started even itself by wearing velvet toques in broiling weather. The black, however, is giving way to the dark blue velvet. The hats are made in just the same way and trimmed in the same manner. The sailor shape is the most popular and the ostrich fringe is taking the place of the fringe like trimmings of moose fur which was the rage in the fall.

The Belgian soldier's cap has been used as the basis for a charming little toque worn by a charmingly dressed young woman at the Horse Show. It was rather round in shape and flattened over one side of the head, running to a point at the crown. A long straight-quirr ran straight up the back. It suits the fashionable coiffure very well indeed.

It is only once in a while in the history of dress that it is as becoming to the young girl as at the present time. The tight skirt slashed to give room for walking had no place in the young girl's wardrobe. In fact, she looked very much out of place in it. But the full skirts of the winter's mode, with or without the long tunic, are extremely appropriate to the slimmness of youth. So is the long

Some of the serge frocks for wear at school are especially good for the little girl under twelve. They are often made with waist and skirt in one and unbelted. The waist is cut away beneath the arms, and the front and back is cut in U-shape. The edges of this frock are bound with wide black silk braid and a cunning little shirt of linen is worn beneath the dress in place of the conventional gumps. The sleeves of this shirt are long, finishing with turned back cuffs which fasten with cuff links. A collar is made to turn over also and is finished with the links.

The coat which is made to button straight down the front with a wide rolling collar, is decidedly suitable for a youngster. It is warm, comfortable and most becoming to the childish face.

Real Estate Transfers. L. W. Jackson to H. P. Hodges, lot 12, block 2, Burk Burnett, \$350. J. P. Rine to J. B. Duggin, lot 9, block 18, Burk Burnett, \$360. J. H. Dunnagin to J. P. Rine, lot 9, block 18, Burk Burnett, \$300.

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Boys' Suits and Overcoats

\$10.00 and \$12.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats go at	\$6.50
\$7.50 and \$8.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats go at	\$5.00
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats go at	\$3.75
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Eclipse Shirts

\$1.50 Values	\$1.15
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\$4.00 Shirts only	\$2.85
\$3.50 Shirts only	\$2.45
\$3.00 Shirts only	\$2.25
\$2.50 Shirts only	\$1.95
\$2.00 Shirts only	\$1.45
\$1.50 Shirts only	\$1.15

Men's Unionsuits

\$3.50 Values only	\$2.80
\$3.00 Values only	\$2.40
\$2.50 Values only	\$2.10
\$1.50 Values only	\$1.20
\$1.25 Values only	95c

Sweater Coats

\$7.50 Values at	\$6.00
\$6.00 Values at	\$4.80
\$5.00 Values at	\$4.00
\$4.00 Values at	\$3.20
\$3.00 Values at	\$1.85
\$1.50 Values at	\$1.20

Men's and Boys' Hats

\$3.50 Hats at	\$2.80
\$3.00 Hats at	\$2.40
\$2.50 Hats at	\$1.95
\$1.50 Hats at	\$1.15
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Men's Fancy Vests

\$6.00 Values at	\$4.25
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FOR RENT—Three large rooms furnished complete for light housekeeping. Phone 723 or 659. 80 11 c

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FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Modern. 903 Austin. Phone 273. 1 31 c

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Has an unlimited supply of Sudan grass seed; must sell at once; apply quick. Address R. H. Carey Times. 89 11 c

FOR SALE—Cheap, one set of new International Encyclopaedia, in half Morocco binding, twenty-one volumes. Call at 413 Scott Avenue. 1 31 p

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FOR RENT—After January 1st, garage on Wall street. Call at Simpson's Drug Store. 95 11 c

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FOR RENT—Several houses. See E. B. Corralles. Phone 728. 12 11 c

CHEAP RENT—Four or five-room houses. Phone 1588. 60 11 c

FOR SALE—Five-room house; all modern house; one-half block; car line; cement foundation; east front; in best part of city. Price \$12,100; \$100 cash; balance \$18 per month at 8 per cent. J. J. Simon. Room 6, Ward building. Phone 472. 59 11 c

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FOR RENT—Five-room modern house at 700 Van Buren. Phone 1095. 1 21 c

FOR RENT—Three or four-room house. Phone 1942 or call at 809 Ninth street. 2 11 c

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—To pack, crate and repair your furniture. We buy and sell everything. Wichita Furniture and Second Hand Co. Phone 528. 90 11 c

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Four room and hall, all modern, corner lot, walks; near Austin School. Will sell on monthly payments or trade for anything you have in Wichita Falls. Mack Thomas, phone 99. 200 11 c

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Three four-room houses close in on Fifth street. Five room modern house and barn 2013 Eighth street. Nice east front corner lot, all conveniences. Five acres of irrigated land one mile east of city. Will sell any of above on easy terms; or will trade for other property in Wichita Falls if priced right. Have a client who desires to purchase \$2000 of Vendors lien notes on a basis of fifty per cent. J. J. Moran, phone 884, K. & K. Building. 1 11 c

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By Associated Press. St. Louis, Jan. 24.—"Hands up" called a highwayman last night to Simon Spitzer. Spitzer looked into the muzzle of a revolver and complied. The robber took a watch and \$30 from the victim's pocket. Then looked into the latter's face. "Say, were not you in a store at Eighteenth and Market streets with five other men the other night when a guy came in and asked for the price of something to eat?" asked the highwayman. "Yes."

"Well, then here's your watch and money. You're the fellow who gave me a dime when the other five turned me down." The highwayman returned the loaf, pocketed his revolver and made off.

GROSS RECEIPTS TAX IS NOW BEING COLLECTED

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Jan. 4.—Three thousand and corporations in Texas subject to the gross receipts tax, have been given thirty days additional in which to pay the tax, which was due Jan. 1. The amount from all these corporations when paid, will reach about \$200,000 for the quarter ending Jan. 1. Thirty days after Jan. 1 delinquents will be subject to a penalty of ten per cent of the amount taxed. The money collected from gross receipts tax goes to the general revenue fund. Railroads are exempt from the tax.

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I resolve during 1915 to eliminate the possibility of— 1. Using AUTOMOBILE OIL treated with Sulphuric Acid, which is harmful to steel and iron. 2. Using OIL too thin in body to properly lubricate the motor. 3. Using OIL that forms excessive carbon. Therefore, I will use Exclusively AMALIE 1-2-3 Non Carbon Cylinder Oil For Sale by Motor Supply Co. Wichita Falls SONNEBORN BROS. Dallas

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New Year's Resolutions

We make them and we break them but there is one resolution that we should make and keep and that is to trade at home. Every merchant and business man living in the city of Wichita Falls is dependent upon you for patronage. Without you they could not have the fine city that you do. In trading at home, however, you must demand equal values, dollar for dollar, that you would get in Dallas or St. Louis. With a fair comparison I will guarantee you are getting that or should for the business men of your city can buy just as cheap in Eastern markets as Dallas men can and the business men here can operate with much less expense than the big city houses does. Now the holiday season is over. Many of you received photographs from friends at a distance. It is up to you to reciprocate in kind. We can assure you just as fine work in our studio as you can get in Dallas or New York and we do not have the heavy operating expense the city studios have, consequently we divide the profits with you. Give us a trial, we will convince you and when we succeed we will all be happy. Call and see us. It costs you nothing. The photos of your friends speak for themselves. Remember the place. J. M. HAVIS The Portrait Man 710 1/2 Indiana Ave.

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Personal Mention

Mrs. John Block of Charlie is visiting in the city.

J. M. Bowen has returned from a visit to his old home at Homer, La.

J. F. Peck of Sherman is in the city on business.

Mrs. W. C. W. Brown and daughter, Margaret, have returned from a holiday visit to Okonah.

George Woodruff and Wm. Bonner have returned from Weatherford and Fort Worth.

T. B. Taylor and J. L. McConkey left this afternoon for Eastland, where they will spend court.

Milton Chendinin, editor of the *Barkburnett Star*, was a visitor here today.

T. B. Noble, Jr., returned to Bell Buckle, Tenn., yesterday to resume his studies.

Dr. L. P. Anson left this afternoon for New Orleans, where he will spend a month attending clinics and lectures.

Dr. J. T. Lee and wife of Munday arrived this afternoon for a visit with their son, Dr. Q. B. Lee, and family.

John Mackechney returned to Arlington this afternoon, where he is attending the *Texas Woman's College*.

Mrs. L. A. Wade has returned to her home in Eufaula, Oklahoma, after a visit to J. L. Maxwell and family.

Robert Huff, Jr., left today to resume his studies at Northwestern University, Chicago, after spending the holidays here.

Mrs. W. T. Boone, who has been spending the holidays with her son, T. R. Boone, and wife, returned today to her home at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Texarkana and other Arkansas points.

Dr. A. R. Prothro and family have returned from Chickasha, Oklahoma, where they spent the holidays with Mr. Prothro's mother and other relatives.

Harrison Bachman, after spending the holidays with home folks, returned to Fort Worth this afternoon, where he is taking a course at the *Brantley-Draughon* business college.

Miss Frances Urbane and Miss Lorenza Agola, who has been here since through the holidays, returned this afternoon to Columbia, Mo., to resume their studies in Christian College.

James Jennings, Earl Pain, Leslie Stringer, Pat Carrigan, Joe Kell and Edger Goelins left this afternoon for Booneville, Mo., where they are students in the Kemper military academy.

Dr. W. A. Darnell and wife of Wittenboro the guests of their son, E. C. Darnell, advertising manager for the P. M. Co. for a few days. They are en route home from a visit to other relatives in Oklahoma.

J. E. Rayborn of Weatherford, who assisted at the Procar furniture store during the holiday rush, left today for Weatherford, and from there will go to Meridian, Miss., to sing at evangelistic meetings being conducted there by Rev. Martin.

Mr. E. W. Grogan, merchant at Byers, was here today with his daughter, Miss Fannie, who is returning to school at Clarendon. Mr. Grogan reports very prosperous conditions at Byers. There was not only an extraordinary cotton crop in the country around Byers, he says, but fifteen hundred bales of cotton have come across the river in Oklahoma to Byers to market. Wheat, he said, was looking as good as it did this time, last winter, although some of the crop is not so far advanced as a year ago.

A number of Wichita Falls young people left this afternoon for schools and colleges after spending the holidays at home. Among them were: Miss Cora Lee Waggoner, to Southwestern University at Georgetown; Miss Icie Stringer, to T. C. U. at Fort Worth; Miss Inez Geary, to Dallas; Miss Beth Lawrence, to the Presbyterian College at Millard; Oscar Snider, to St. Basils at Waco; Miss Dorothy Heavers, to Trinity University at Waukegan, and Miss Lella Bell Anderson, to T. C. U.

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A jury is being empaneled in the district court this afternoon for the trial of Tom Smith, negro, charged with murder for the killing of his wife. A special venire of 100 talesmen was summoned. Only two jurors had been selected up to three o'clock this afternoon.

Judge Akin's first day of active work as judge in the 30th judicial district today is a busy one. In the morning he heard testimony in a divorce suit. This testimony was unfinished when court recessed at 12 o'clock and as there were witnesses from out of town, Judge Akin announced that he would hear testimony after 5 o'clock this afternoon in the case. At 1 o'clock the special venire called for a murder case reported. Judge Akin will be busy in this case up to 5 o'clock.

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