

LUBBOCK'S CRYING NEED IS A BIGGER HOTEL

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REBEL CHIEFS ISSUE MANIFESTO

SALE OF ARMS IS CRITICIZED

CLAIMED PLACES GOVERNMENT IN PREARIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES

By RAYMOND CRPPER, United News Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—In deciding to furnish arms and ammunition...

As revolutions elsewhere are substitutes for elections in Central American countries...

Thus the policy just announced appears at first glance to commit the United States to maintaining...

Already many members of the senate and congress are severely criticizing the new arms policy...

As the list of supplies desired by the army of the Mexican government...

As to the effect of the move upon the situation in Mexico, there is considerable difference of opinion...

Protest of Bloodshed. WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Sale of government arms and ammunition to the Mexican government...

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ONE KILLED WHEN LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODES

By United News. BUCKLIN, Mo., Dec. 31.—Harry L. Harriety of Marcelin, Mo., a brakeman...

The engineer, J. D. Jamieson, Fort Madison, Iowa, was badly injured in the blast...

MANY NEW STUDENTS WILL ENTER CANYON NORMAL. CANYON, Texas, Dec. 31.—Indications now point to 75 or 100 new students...

CANYON NORMAL PURCHASES HALL

CANYON, Dec. 31.—The West Texas State Teachers College has today closed a deal whereby Huntleigh Hall...

The hall accommodates 120 girls. It is steam heated, lighted with electricity and possesses all modern improvements...

Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Savage, assisted by other faculty members will continue to have charge of the hall.

ELDERLY COUPLE KILLED BY LIMITED TRAIN. LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 31.—Funeral arrangements for George W. Fishback...

As normal conditions are restored the troops will be taken out of the cities...

FRANCE TO HALT OCCUPATION OF RUHR

By JOHN O'BRIEN, United News Staff Correspondent. PARIS, Dec. 31.—Almost on the first anniversary of the occupation of the Ruhr...

As normal conditions are restored the troops will be taken out of the cities...

The occupation of the Ruhr has kept the European political pot at a boiling point throughout the past year...

WAR VETERANS DEMAND PROBE

ASK THOROUGH INVESTIGATION LEONARD WOOD'S OIL OPERATIONS

By JAMES McCLAIN, United News Staff Correspondent. CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Evidence here of the sale to world war veterans of stock in the Acme Producing Company...

Apparently the Acme is a Fort Worth, Texas, concern...

Only veterans of the World War were allowed to buy the oil stock...

D. Johnson, one of the complaining veterans...

FOUR MEN BREAK FROM PRISON BY TUNNEL

By United News. ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 31.—George Anderson has made good his escape from the well-guarded federal penitentiary here...

Prison authorities have broadcast descriptions of the four throughout the south and officers in all towns are on the watch for them.

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COOLIDGE SAYS ADVANCEMENT WILL CONTINUE IN COMING YEAR

By United News. WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—President Coolidge looks forward to advancement in the coming year...

The president said in his message: "At the end of the old year and the beginning of the new year..."

DALLAS COMPANY BUYS LARGE TRACT OF LAND NEAR LITTLEFIELD

LITTLEFIELD, Texas, Dec. 31.—The Yellow House Land Company has just sold to the Cotton Lands Company of Dallas, Texas...

Earthquake Shakes Italy. ROME, Dec. 31.—Three earthquake shocks were recorded at Siena...

E. R. HAYNES DIED MONDAY AT 9 A. M.

County Superintendent of Schools E. R. Haynes died Monday morning at nine o'clock...

WINTER PREVAILS IN MID-WEST STATES. CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Old Man Winter walked in on the middle west...

Merchants to Celebrate New Year

This week's issue of the Weekly Avalanche will carry many bargains in Dry Goods and other lines...

Trades' Day in Lubbock is growing in popularity and is rapidly extending Lubbock's trade territory...

WOULD SELECT OWN CHIEF AND PRESIDENT OF COUNTRY OUSTING PRES. OBREGON AND HIS CABINET

Military Trumverate would Collect all Taxes Advising Companies Not Pay Present Government

By United News. EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 31.—Consul General Ruiz at El Paso on Monday afternoon received official advices from Mexico City...

DISTRESS CALL IS HEARD FROM VESSEL

By United News. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—An unidentified vessel in distress on the Atlantic appealed for assistance twice Monday night...

Upon the receipt of the distress calls, all broadcasting stations in the vicinity of New York were asked to cease their programs...

WIFE OF ARBUCKLE SUES FOR DIVORCE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 31.—Minta Arbuckle, the girl who forgot her quarrel with Roscoe (fat) Arbuckle and flew to his side in the court room when he was in danger from the gallows...

MINISTERS URGED SUPPORT WORLD COURT OF JUSTICE

By United News. CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Condemning "war and the war system" as threatening destruction of christian civilization, the Union Ministers League of Chicago...

Efforts were made to keep the ceremony a secret, but the fact that a license was obtained leaked out.

# FIRST PROGRAM OF THE KIWANIS PROGRAM FOR 1924 TO BE GIVEN TO DISCUSSION OF "LIBRARY WEEK"

Louie F. Moore, chairman of the program committee of the Kiwanis Club, announced Monday that Thursday's program will be devoted to "Library Week" and that speakers will be given subjects in time to prepare to inform the Kiwanians along the lines of library work and the value of a public library to Lubbock.

George Brewer, newly elected secretary, will issue his first letter to members announcing the program, and in every way plans are being made to make Thursday's one of the snappiest meetings of the season.

The club is fortunate indeed that the board of directors were lucky enough to secure the services of Mr. Brewer as secretary, as his keen executive ability and promptness equips him well to fill that office. It is

hard to estimate the amount of constructive work these civic clubs are doing for Lubbock without a survey of the correspondence done by the secretaries and a progressive program for the year has been outlined for the Kiwanis secretary, who is able in every respect to do this work.

Thursday's meeting is one of the most important ones of the season, as it is the first meeting of 1924, the year in which the club will in all probability make greater expansions and touch upon more phases of development than in any of the two years since it was first organized, and each and every member will have to snap into it and be a real Kiwanian and fill the bill as a regular member if the club meets with the success it deserves to attain.

Lubbock Candy Co.	12.00
Oscar Brant	12.00
Palace Market	12.00
John Duncan, Abilene, Texas	12.00
L. Hays, Abilene, Texas	12.00
Paul Hatcher, Abilene, Texas	12.00
Fred Hewitt	12.00
M. J. Lewis	12.00
F. R. Pickins	12.00
Lubbock Coal & Grain Co.	10.00
Holmes Gin	10.00
E. L. Fletcher	6.00
D. C. Coffman, Abilene, Tex.	6.00
Gus Irvin	6.00
F & M Market	6.00
Dean & Williams	5.00
W. E. Boskin	5.00
Stevens & Bacon	5.00
West Texas Gin	5.00
Ciegro Smith Lumber Co.	5.00
Higginbotham-Bartlett Lbr. Co	5.00
C. D. Shamburger Lbr. So.	5.00
W. C. Bowman	5.00
Long Bell Lbr. Co.	5.00
E. K. Lamb	5.00
W. O. Hilton	5.00
W. H. Hooper, Abilene	5.00
Mrs. Turbo	4.00
Jas. L. Dow	2.00
Cullum Bros.	2.00
C. H. Hilton	2.00
Taylor Higginbotham	1.00

terial: Peter tells us that God is no respecter of persons. When in the physical world one receives the required volume of electricity death results. The innocent child who touches a live wire loses its life as does the hardened criminal, because each received the proper shock to extinguish life, the laws in the material world are fixed.

God does not detail to man his physical laws, there are left largely for man to discover, because God, the Father of Spirits is more interested in man's spiritual being. So He gives man the Bible by which he may adjust himself and become more like his Maker and Savior.

Since grace reigns thru righteousness and God's commands are righteousness, the grace of God reigns in our lives by our study and appropriation of the New Testament.

The reason so many scientists are infidels is because they operate wholly in the material world, losing sight of the best part, their Creator and author of science. The carnal man is not subject to the will of God neither can he be. Rom. 8:7.

The past fifty years have seen

wonderful discoveries in the development of God's physical laws. It does not yet appear what the next half century may reveal. So also by a study of spiritual law we may say with John 3:2: Behold now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be; but we know that, when He shall appear, we shall be like Him; for we shall see Him as He is.

The scientist-infidel never sees, he operates in two worlds. The Bible, however, is so simple that a wayfarer man tho a fool, may not err therein.

**Church of Christ**

One of the largest Sunday School attendances of the season was shown by the report, and all classes were conducted.

At the morning service Elder F. M. Carney preached to a large congregation on "Important New Year's Resolutions for the Church." This message had to do with the plans of the pastor for the coming year.

At the evening service Elder Carney preached an impressive sermon on "God's Immutable Law."

**CHICAGO SALESMAN IS VISITING IN LUBBOCK**

H. H. Whipp, specialty salesman for Hillard Spencer-Bartlett & Company of Chicago, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. C. M. Whipp of 1826 Main street.

Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley Bldg., knows how to cure Pyorrhea 297869

## Report of Drive for Funds For West Texas Orphans Home

Following is a list of names with amount given, to whom we feel that we owe the credit for the success of the West Texas Children's Orphan Home, who came to our rescue and made it possible for us to shelter the little homeless child. Such kindness will never be forgotten by the founder as well as the little children whom this home will shelter.

This home has cared for 19 orphan children since October 25, 1923. We have 12 orphan children in the home at the present time with other applications for admittance which will be taken care of just as soon as possible. God in heaven only knows the good that can be rendered to the homeless child through the aid of this home. We do hope and pray that through the aid given in this home that hundreds of little children will go forth from its portals real christian men and women, who will be an honor to our state and nation, and we know that the only way that we can do this is for those who can vision our great needs to come to our aid and give with a free and willing hand just as those who are mentioned below, and we want everyone to feel and know that this is your institution and will be just as big as you want it to be and accomplish all the good that your backing can make possible.

It is an undenominational institution; its doors are open to homeless, helpless children from everywhere and as it grows, its influence will

spread until we hope the day will dawn on which this home will be known as one of the best in the nation. It can be done with your help, and we are sure that no man or woman will turn it down. Your help will be appreciated in any way that you see fit to give it. We need furniture, bed clothes, chickens, pigs, cows and food stuff, in fact anything that will help carry this home to a success.

Here is the list of names and amount given and pledged to give to the support of this home. Who will be next.

Ku Klux Klan	\$640.00
W. O. Stevens	500.00
W. T. Gregory	80.00
E. L. Robertson	50.00
H. H. Halseell	36.00
Moore Bros.	30.00
Mrs. W. O. Stevens	25.00
M. H. Frances, Anson, Texas	25.00
M. R. Shaw, Elkhart, Texas	25.00
Wilson and Stanton	24.00
Lubbock Variety Store	24.00
Spikes Bros. Grocery	24.00
Rix Furniture Co.	24.00
Elmo Walls	24.00
J. S. Brabham	15.00
I. R. Dunn, Abilene, Texas	12.00
Sam Reed, Abilene, Texas	12.00
D. T. Laughter, Abilene, Texas	12.00
Ed. Calhoun	12.00
Chas. Calhoun	12.00
John Welch	12.00
Collie Printing Co.	12.00
Simpson Electric Co.	12.00

**AT THE CHURCHES**

**Methodist**

Sunday school attendance hovered around the two hundred mark with the majority of the members being included in the primary to intermediate departments.

Prof. M. M. Dupre and his class had charge of song services and some real pep was shown, which had an agreeable effect on the services.

Rev. Ferguson preached at the regular morning hour.

At the evening hour Rev. Ferguson took a fling at "pessimistic" church members, with the assertion that "A Christian cannot be a pessimist, nor a pessimist a Christian," and based his opinion on the theory that one skin cannot fit the two bodies. He told the story of Caleb in an impressive manner and declared that too many of the members are like the men Caleb first sent to explore the new country of which he had been told.

Epworth League services in the evening were well attended.

**Church of Christ**

Bible school attendance was cut down one third because of sickness, mostly measles among the children.

In spite of this fact a larger audience than usual greeted the minister who spoke at the evening hour on "The Immutability of God's Laws," scriptures following were used: Heb. 6:17-17; I. John 3:2; Rom. 8:7.

A few of the outstanding points of interest in the very interesting lesson are as follows: God is the author of all law whether spiritual or ma-

**"THE FRIENDLY LITTLE PLACE"**

**EXTENDS**

# New Year's Greetings

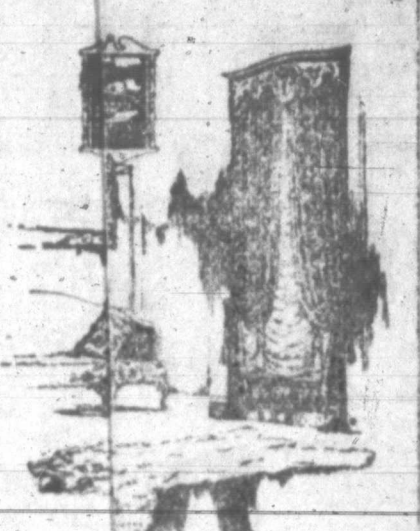
—to our friends and patrons and thanks for the business given us through 1923.

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The better you become acquainted with the quality of these fabrics the more will you be surprised at the moderate-ness of the prices. We invite your careful inspection of our new line.

*Trappell-Price Co.*

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**WE HAVE SAID IT 13 TIMES IN LUBBOCK and WE SAY it AGAIN!**

To Our Friends and Patrons  
We Wish You and Yours—  
A Happy New Year!

# MARTIN BAKING COMPANY

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# PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS BUSY

By LAWRENCE MARTIN  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—With the coming of the new year and the reconvening of Congress, presidential politics will have the right of way. Even the activities of congress, which promises to be meager in a legislative way will bear directly upon the presidential contest.

For one thing, the new year will be marked by an increase in democratic activity. Up to this time, republican campaigners have been much more in the public eye than the democrats. The republican campaign was given its formal send-off when the republican national committee met here and selected Cleveland June 10, as the place and date for the national convention.

Furthermore the fact that Mr. Coolidge, now president, is seeking the nomination, has focused attention on the republican side of the contest.

The democrats will get under way January 15 when their national committee meets here to select the convention city and fix the date. That meeting will afford an opportunity for the supporters of various candidates to do some "scouting" and may cause a test-of-strength, just as the republican meeting did, by showing that the Coolidge forces controlled the issue of southern representation.

Before that meeting James M. Cox, democratic nominee in 1920 is expected to avow himself again a candidate. Cox is scheduled to speak at a Jackson Day dinner in Columbus, Ohio, on January 8.

Reports reaching democratic circles are that Cox intends to put himself in the ring as a League of Nations candidate.

In congress the shaping of issues for the campaign will get under way when the leading political orators of both camps get back.

The republican tariff, the proposed tax reductions, the soldier bonus and international relations will figure largely in the discussion. The wet and dry issues are in for a thorough airing in congress also.

Senator Borah of Idaho will deliver an important speech on the tax issue in New York, January 5th before the Young Men's Republican Club.

In his speech he will state the position definitely on the proposals of Secretary Mellon and on tax reductions generally.

Ohio will be the central battleground for two months beginning next week.

Hiram Johnson, California senator, will declare his principles in his first official campaign speech in Cleveland next Wednesday.

Senator Oscar Underwood, Alabama, will follow Johnson into Ohio with a speech at Akron.

The latter will speak the last of the month. He will also address another meeting at Cleveland on the same trip. He will also state the principles upon which he will oppose William G. McAdoo for the democratic nomination. After him Senator Jim Watson, Indiana, will speak at Springfield, Ohio, answering the issues raised by Johnson and Underwood.

Watson will express the attitude of the administration. By that time he is expected to have withdrawn as a candidate himself and pledged himself the full support of President Coolidge.

**IMPERIAL POTENTATE TO BE ENTERTAINED BY KHIVA TEMPLE**

Khiva Temple will entertain the Imperial Potentate with Ceremonial January 9, 1924. Date for the Fall Ceremonial for Khiva Temple was postponed from November 20th to January 9th in order that the Imperial Potentate may be present. The usual order of the day will be observed for the Ceremonial. Roy Thimpson, Potentate-Elect, and other officers of Khiva Temple, will be installed at 10:30 a. m. Ceremonial will begin at 1:30 p. m., and will conclude in time for visitors to see the evening trains out of the city if they wish. The Ceremonial will be held in the Municipal Auditorium. If the weather permits, the parade will be held. Dinner will be served at the Auditorium from 12:30 to 12:50 for all Nobles, Novices and Ladies. After the Ceremonial a Ball will be given at 9:00 p. m. Registration of Novices at the Headquarters will begin promptly at 9:00. All Nobles are invited to bring every Novice possible for Ceremonial. Many local shriners will attend ceremony according to an announcement made here Monday.

**OBITUARIES**

**Miss Mary Witt**

About three o'clock Sunday morning, December 30th, Miss Mary Witt made the passage, which every mortal being that has come to this earth must make, and passed from this scene of temporal habitation to realms and things eternal.

In the joy of youth and buoyancy of a glad, sunny disposition, she took leave of her earthly friends and possessions, committing to them the fruits her life and service had brought into the world. And who shall complain of her early going? Or say her life was incomplete? To me it has always seemed an unhalloved thing to feel that the mission of a life has not been performed. Who can behold the mystery of creation and the wonder of life and then sit in judgment on the acts of its accomplishment?

If life consists in mere existence, then he who lingers longest, lives the most. But in the heart of man the measure of life is valued by other standards. The number of days across a barren span holds no relation to the sunny smile, the appeal of a tender heart, which quickens the spirit of gladness and sends the pulsation of love through a being to rob it of its dullness.

Forlorn, indeed, must have been the heart, which having known Miss Mary, if she did not bring it gladness. Unhappy was the heart that was not filled with joy in her presence. Frank, sincere here spirit made its appeal to every one. She knew no whimsical sympathy, and a hypocritical spirit of service never found a sensation in her being to give it life and action. Above the trivial mimings of life she lived and gave an individual expression to the lofty traits of character, which were not only loved by, but ennobled the lives of every one who knew her.

The glory of her life that will endure finds its expression in that clinging love of those who remain, and in the manifestation of that love there paid the tenderest tribute to its worth that could come to the

memory of the departed, for sorrowing at her casket's side, one could see smiles through tears and back of grief's sad look, one could see the inexpressible look of a joy that no desolation could remove.

Father, mother, brothers, and relatives and friends, this possession of yours. It is the heritage she left us. Can we wish for more? If she

had lived an hundred years, would it have been dearer?

The very texture and quality of her heart led her, at an early age, to be reconciled to God, and reverently she obeyed the Master and lived a devoted Christian life, a member of the Church of Christ.

Miss Mary was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Witt, who,

for many years made their home in Crosby county, but for the last two years have lived about three miles south of Lubbock.

Interment was made Sunday evening at 4:30 in the Lubbock cemetery.

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# Happy New Year

## A BETTER BATTERY BEARING SERVICE

GOOD LUCK IN 1924

Here's to the new year—may it hold for you prosperity tenfold; may it make up to you in worldly goods and health for any losses in the past; may it keep you at the top of the wave, and help us merit your continued and appreciated patronage.

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# GOOD MORNING LUBBOCK!

## AND OUR WISH FOR

# A Happy New Year!

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GEORGE W. MORRIS, Local Agent

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NEW YEARS DAY.

The need of getting a convenient division of time into days and years which correspond with the movements of the earth and sun, is not sufficient explanation of the New Year's festival.

We seek constantly a realization of completeness, of a beginning, a middle and the end. Life which is formless, must have form given it.

The New Year's festival is an inn which folks reach at the end of a long journey. They sit a while—and are merry. They take up their journey again.

As a matter of convenience we call January 1st New Year, whereas a matter of fact every day is a New Year, and a life time is the only period of existence about which we need to be concerned.

Life is a whole, and will be as perfect as we choose to make it.

The more careful our preparation for taking up the duty of living the more readily can we adapt ourselves to the ways of the world, and greater will be our usefulness as well as our share of comfort and peace.

Custom has designated New Years Day as a time for starting over again—as a day for beginning a new effort—a determination to rise above past weaknesses and failures.

The need of the hour is good citizenship—and that does not mean following blindly ambitious and designing men with little sympathy in the perpetuation of republican institutions.

If every man and woman could be made to feel and realize in every fibre of their being that they are individual stockholders in this great co-operative government—that no man on earth has more right to his say-so than you have, then, and not until then, will good citizenship be fully recognized and pure democracy rule.

This is a fitting season to discard the mental attitude of self-depreciation and demand the best there is in self and in the world.

COTTON CROPPY

Lubbock Avalanche: There is a tendency, even on the part of business men and men who should be wise and level-headed, to encourage almost the total acreage of cultivated land in the South Plains country to be planted to cotton next year.

A timely and proper warning. Many of the older settlers of the Lubbock country went there to escape the tyranny of cotton. For them now to return to its imperious rule for no better reason than that the price of cotton is good for the time being, their last estate may become worse than their first.

Little Avalanches

Boston man paid \$250 for a Christmas seal. Bought it for his wife. It was a Hudson seal. Coolidge buys stamps for his personal use.

TIME FOR BRAIN WORK.

As the Plains folks stand at the threshold of the new year, prospects are certainly very pleasant to contemplate. With such a season in the ground as we have not known for years, there is every promise of abundant moisture for the crops that can be planted and we all know what that means.

Right now is a good time to do a goodly portion of the "brain work" that has to be mixed with the hard labor to make farming successful in any section. Make plans for the acreage to be devoted to the various crops and arrange to raise some of each of those that we know are adapted to this region.

Certainly, we should not cut down much, if any, on the acreage put in the sorghum grains. These are a safe bet always and it is decidedly unprofitable to raise other crops and buy feed.

Next to feed, will come the money crops of which wheat will probably take first rank over the Plains generally, even though the acreage this year will be considerably under what it has been in the past.

Wheat farmers who are planning on putting in a large acreage of cotton should remember that cotton has to be cultivated and is not likely to make a profitable yield if carelessly cared for as may of the growers have been wont to care for their wheat.

"More hogs, more milk cows and more poultry" is another good slogan for Plains farmers as it is for farmers everywhere. Cream checks come in mighty handy and the milk fed to a bunch of good shoats soon makes hogs out of them.

Mr. Asquith and Lloyd George have made it clear that they propose to compel the Labor Party to assume management and responsibility in the faith and hope that they will fail and another election be forced before April 1st next.

LUXURIOUS AMERICA

Chewing gum costs America \$50,000,000 annually. The United States spends more for luxuries of all kinds in a single year than it has spent for education in the entire history of the country.

SOCIETY

Sunday School Class Enjoys Party. The girls of Mrs. W. L. Baugh's Sunday School class of the M. E. Church were delightfully entertained Thursday evening, December 27, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Trigg, 1919 13th St.

The evening was one continuous thrill such as only girls of this age can experience, and needless to say, they were in a fine humor to enjoy the bounteous plate lunch served by the hostess.

Lynn County Weddings. Lynn County News: L. A. Minor and Miss Opal Farris, both living in the New Home community were united in marriage Monday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage.

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MARSHALL CAMPBELL DIED HERE MONDAY AFTERNOON. Marshall Campbell, aged 26 years, died here yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock following a short illness. Mr. Campbell recently came here from Oklahoma.

PERSONALS. Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Stewart of Dallas, left Monday morning for their home, after spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. C. M. Whipp, of 1820 Main street.

C. N. Woods of Woods' Jewelry, is at home after having spent a few days visiting friends at Haskell.

Sid Taylor BRICK CONTRACTOR. Residence 1306 Ave. Q Lubbock, Texas. 11-30.

Announcement. This is to announce the opening of an Automobile Repair Department in the Earhart Motor Company Building. THE WEST GARAGE. Earhart Motor Company—North Side Square. Storage Week or Month.

RESOLVED. THAT: Bowen's Drug Store as every season in the world to be thank to the many people of and the South Plain for their generous patronage during our business career of 1923; and THAT: Bowen's Drug Store is determined to serve the public in a manner that will bring about greater patronage increased demand for superior service and THAT: We will do all we can to help Lubbock grow, to help customers and friends prosper and make our store worthy of the confidence of the thousands of new people who winter and trade at our store during 1924. We are thankful for past favors and hope they may enjoy the blessings a New Year. Bowen's Drug Store "HS IT"

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# SPORT NEWS

## DOPE GIVES NAVY 3 TO 2 FAVORITE FOLLOWING LAST PRACTICE BEFORE CLASH WITH WASHINGTON

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 31.—The Navy's finest and the Washington eleven, pride of the coast, completed final practice here Monday and are expected to meet at the zero hour of the East-West football classic New Year's day, which promises to be one of the most colorful games of western gridiron history.

Captain Enoch Bagshaw, true to the custom started by his predecessor at Seattle, Gilmour Dobie, has allowed starting bear stories to emanate from his training quarters here. According to announcement Elmer Tesreau, backfield star, will not play because of a bad attack of boils. Les Sherman, regular quarter, cannot play more than five minutes, it was announced, the physicians had ordered because Sherman is also suffering from boils and has a badly sprained ankle.

Nobody is giving these official reports much credence; it is getting to be an old story.

The Navy, however, is in the best of trim. Bob Folwell, more of a veteran than Bagshaw, is expected to discover a more varied attack. Both have all season exhibited a predilection toward a hard, driving offense because of their plunging backfields. Neither are particularly kindly toward the forward pass and have used it mainly for strategic variety.

Folwell, no doubt will start out cautiously and then open up with variety that is likely to dumbfound the huskies—as they were dumfounded and befuddled by California's whirlwind advance when the Bears handed them a 9 to nothing defeat. If the kicking game predominates, Folwell will have the opportunity to use Bellinger, second string back, who won the Princeton game for Annapolis by a drop kick.

Local dopsters figure the Navy is about a 3 to 2 favorite, but others, more authentic, think the odds are fifty-fifty. Folwell Monday refused in any way to comment on the game, and barred photographers from the practice field. Newspaper men were not allowed communication with any of the Annapolis officials.

Washington will use Fred Able at full back and Ray Hill at quarter, if Tesreau and Sherman do not play. Bill Beck of Portland, Oregon, it was announced, is very likely to get a chance at full back.

Commander McCandless of the Navy committee said he had about 7,000 unsold seats, and Washington also has plenty of tickets left. It was expected that approximately 55,000 persons would see the fracas.

Some 350,000 persons will be here for the Tournament of Roses. Weather forecasts have changed and rain is anticipated. Both coaches prefer a fast dry field and it is not likely they will be pleased.

### SPALLA SAILS TO FIGHT FIRPO IN ARGENTINE

ROME, Dec. 31.—Erminio Spalla, the Italian boxer who formerly fought as a preliminary boy in New Jersey and returned to his native land to win the Italian heavyweight championship, sailed in a hurry Monday for Buenos Aires, expecting to fight Luis Angel Firpo there. Spalla's brother, Giuseppe, said Erminio made a quick shift of his plans following receipt of a cable from Buenos Aires.

Spalla "signed" by cable last week to fight Gene Tunney, light heavyweight champion, in New York in January. Thus, he appears to have made a new deal without taking the

### FELT TIRED, SO TIRED

Indiana Lady Says She Was Run Down, Suffered With Her Back, Took Cardui, and Got Well.

Richmond, Ind.—"I thought I would write a line or so, to say that I owe my good health and strength to Cardui," says a letter from Mrs. Cora Courtney, 31 Railroad Street, this city.

"I was all run-down until my family thought they would lose me," writes Mrs. Courtney. "My husband coaxed me to take Cardui, so, to please him, I did, and will say I do not regret it, for I am able to do all my work and do my shopping."

"I have five children, four in school, my husband and a boarder to do for, and find time to play. We all praise Cardui. Every sick and run-down woman should take this wonderful medicine."

"I suffered with my back; a very weak feeling in my limbs.

"I felt hardly able to drag; just tired—so tired all the time.

"It was an effort for me to do anything, but Cardui helped me so I felt like a different woman."

If you are in a run-down physical condition, suffering as this Indiana lady says she should be.

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trouble to cancel his arrangements in New York. The latest word from Luis Angel Firpo was that he would remain in his native country long enough to meet Spalla there.

## STRIBLING IS TO MAKE HIS DEBUT

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Young Stribling, the Macon, Ga., high school boy, will go to the front for the first time in the wealthy zone of New York when he puts up his gloves against Dave Rosenberg, in Newark, Tuesday afternoon.

His mother and father will be in chief seconds and the K. K. K., which is reported to have numerous members in the state of New Jersey, probably will be represented by a few members, incognito, at the ringside. Although no outbreaks are expected, Stribling probably will have to expect a certain amount of jeering and other harmless demonstrations of unfriendliness from the body of the crowd.

This feeling, already evidenced in New York when Stribling was introduced from the Garden ring and at Boston where he boxed a middleweight named Egan, appears to be derived from the fact that an Irish boxer was intimidated in Stribling's home territory. This was Mike McTigue, the light heavyweight champion who had the poor judgment to accept a match with Stribling at Columbus, Ga.

Rosenberg is of the type of fighter known as a hod carrier. His work is uninspired, messy and dull and although he is heavily muscled, he hasn't scored a knockout since Hank O'Day was a bat boy.

### MAN MISTAKEN BY FRIEND AS THIRD PARTY AND CHOKED TO DEATH

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 31.—In the darkness of a border jail, J. E. Donaldson of Palms, Calif., strangled to death Edward Hart of Los Angeles Monday, mistaking his friend for a third party of the cell.

Donaldson, heartbroken after the tragedy said that he choked Hart to death not knowing the man's throat he held in his hands was that of his companion with whom he visited Tia Juana, Mexico, a few hours earlier.

The pair, authorities said, had become intoxicated while across the border and were put into the "drunk

### ALL STARS TO MEET FLOYDADA TODAY

Despite the bitter winds which were prevailing at a late hour last night, Gib Jackson, who has been putting the local All-Stars thru some pretty stiff drills for the past several days, announced that the game would be played as has been announced unless Father Winter sees fit to bring a heavier spell than he has for the past few days.

The locals have seen some stiff drills the past few days and although they are not yet in the best of condition, they are going to be hard to catch this afternoon.

The game will be called this afternoon at Merrill Park, the home of the Hubbers at 2:30.

ell" here. Donaldson became infuriated at alleged unpatriotic utterances of the third inmate and a fight ensued, the jailer said. Later in the night Donaldson made the attack.

### MRS. MATTIE POWELL DIED SUNDAY MORNING

Mrs. Mattie Powell died at her home on Avenue H Sunday at 10:30 a. m., following an illness of several months' duration.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. Jack M. Lewis, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and Captain Gregory, of the Salvation Army.

She is survived by her mother, husband and three children.

### POSTOFFICE WILL BE OPEN ONLY ONE HOUR

The assistant postmaster announced yesterday that the postoffice will be open but one hour today—from two to three p. m., as all the employees will be given the New Year holiday. The employees at the postoffice have been sadly overworked during the Christmas rush, and in addition, W. B. Sides, a member of the force, has been at the bedside of his father, who died on Monday morning.

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### CHARRED WRECKAGE THOUGHT TO BE THAT OF THE DIXMUDE

ROME, Dec. 31.—Charred wreckage washed ashore on the Sicilian coast is being carefully analyzed to determine whether it was part of the ship Dixmude. Dispatches from Catania, where the wreckage was found, state that army officers believe the evidence may establish that the Dixmude was destroyed by an explosion.

### AGED LORENZO WOMAN DIED MONDAY NIGHT

LORENZO, Dec. 31.—Grandma Cartwright, 81 years of age, died at her home late Monday evening. She is well and favorably known in this community and leaves many friends to mourn her loss.

The Rix Co., of Lubbock will prepare the body for burial, but at a late hour tonight funeral arrangements for the aged lady had not been announced.

### Premier to Form Cabinet

ATHENS, Dec. 31.—Former Premier Venizelos will probably be invited to form a cabinet as soon as he arrives in Greece.

Political leaders here believe he

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will accept the invitation.

Premier Gonakas and his cabinet will resign Wednesday when the national assembly meets to consider the institution of a new form of government.

Hundreds of business and labor organizations all over the United

States, and many professional, civic and technical groups, as well as 120,000 ministers, have made definite plans for the "referendum" which is to be conducted some time in January on the winning plan chosen by the Jury Award of the \$100,000 American Peace Award.

## January Clearance

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### AUTO OWNERS RUSHING TAX COLLECTOR

Up to Saturday night one thousand and six of the more than three thousand five hundred automobiles in Lubbock county, had been registered at the office of Tax Collector I. F. Holland.

A mad rush was made to that office all day yesterday by car owners wishing to meet the requirements of the law by having their cars registered and tagged before the first of January.

### U. S. SALE TO MEXICO CRITICIZED

as all ports in Pacific, except those in Sonora and Sinaloa, and within a brief period expects to completely exercise dominion over the entire country.

In a statement issued here Seldner declared that the de la Huerta troops are in control of all the northern part of the state of Vera Cruz. He said that Acatalan, Puebla, has fallen into rebel hands as well as Tulcaningo in Hidalgo, and that capture of Pacuaca, also in Hidalgo, is expected momentarily.

### WAR VETERANS DEMAND PROBE

Leonard Wood's business deals and the sudden wealth acquired by Lieutenant Osborne Wood.

"I am in the same position that many more of my fellow men and ex-service men are," Johnson wrote. "When the stocks were sold to me I was told they were exclusively for ex-service men."

"Since that time I have received two letters asking for more money to put the project through. I have never received a statement as to what the company had done or spent the money on. All that was ever written was in regard to plans to drill in the northwest part of the United States, where the company claimed to have some 100,000 acres of land, and requests for money.

"I have 54 shares of stock, and I can name many more ex-service men who were told the same story so that

they would buy shares. I am asking you to do all in your power to get to the bottom of this."

### E. R. HAYNES DIED MONDAY AT 9:00 A. M.

(Continued from page 1)

among the pioneer school men of the Plains. Mr. Haynes has been closely identified with the school life of Lubbock county, as he and Mrs. Haynes have taught in the Lubbock schools and when the county grew to such proportions that a county superintendent's office was created by the commissioners he was appointed to take charge of the duties of that office, and was later elected to that place by the voters.

Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon by W. A. Bowen, pastor of the First Baptist church of which the deceased is a member of long standing.

### FOUR MEN BREAK FROM PRISON BY TUNNEL

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rope last March. He threw the prison grounds in darkness and fled over the walls. Recaptured after a gun fight, in which he was wounded, he escaped from an Athens, Ga., hospital, in a similar manner. Shortly afterward, however, a nurse found him hiding in the basement, but when she went for aid he walked from the building and disappeared.

### J. B. SIDES DIED AT HOME NEAR CANYON MONDAY A. M.

J. B. Sides, aged 57 years, five months and 11 days, died Monday morning at his home east of the Canyon school.

Mr. Sides had been a prominent farmer of Lubbock county for some time and his death is a shock to his many friends. Funeral services will be conducted at the Canyon school at three o'clock this afternoon, and interment will be made in the Lubbock cemetery immediately following.

Jim Brown, who has been employed at the Spade ranch for the past several weeks has returned to his home at 2122 10th street and will be employed by Contractor Frost.

What we need is a coal wave.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Avalanche is authorized to announce the following for the office given below, subject to the Democratic Primary in July and the voters of this county are urged to give them due consideration at the polls. For County Judge:

### FIRE THREATENED W. T. ORPHAN HOME MONDAY

Fire that originated in a flue in the West Texas Orphan Home on 20th Street, caused quite a lot of excitement among the children there on Monday morning. However, the flames were extinguished by carpenters who were at work on an adjoining building before any damage was done.

There are now 12 children in the home and no injuries of any kind are reported.

### COLLIE PRINTING COMPANY MOVING INTO NEW HOME

The Collie Printing company is being moved into the new brick building on Avenue J, two blocks off the square, which has just been completed. This building, Mr. Collie stated, is sufficiently large to accommodate the business for a while and is so constructed that enlargements can be made from time to time.

### J. G. KEASTER FAMILY AT HOME FROM ARKANSAS

J. G. Keaster and family returned to their home here early Monday morning from a Christmas vacation with friends and relatives in Arkansas and Missouri.

Mr. Keaster stated Monday that he is now better pleased with West Texas than ever before.

He will start construction work on a beautiful home at 211 Tenth street this morning, which will be tangible

evidence of his faith in Lubbock. It had been nine years since Mr. Keaster had visited his old home in Boone county, Arkansas, and he stated that more than three-fourths of his acquaintances had moved away.


### MRS. FRANCES GRUBBS NOW WITH McAFEE SHOP

Mrs. Frances Grubbs, who for eight years has been in the millinery business in Lubbock, and who has recently been in the Abney Hat Shop,

has taken a place in the millinery department of McAfee's shop.

Mrs. Grubbs' long experience in the millinery business and her close association with the ladies of this community and the South Plains, fits her well for the responsibility attending her place with the McAfee shop, and that she will continue that department along the lines it has been conducted and will even increase the popularity of the millinery department of McAfee's shop is probable.

# Neat and Trim



Winter days mean more hours spent indoors, and bring a greater need for good looking, becoming housedresses. We have some new arrivals made of Percale, Gingham, and Chambrays in attractive colors and patterns.

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# NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

The incoming of the New Year marks the beginning of a new period in the growth of Lubbock and its surrounding territory. May we all look to the coming year with optimism, keen foresight and wisdom gained from the sad experiences of the past few years.

No institution has done more to improve and bring about the prosperity of its customers than this bank. The interest and welfare of its customers is our one great aim. We have extended the STRONG, FRIENDLY, HELPING HAND for six years to those in need. Our friendly attitude together with the SERVICE and PROTECTION given to depositors are the things which have brought about the rapid growth of this new bank. The prosperity of our customers is our prosperity. We hope you will feel an interest in our welfare as we do in yours.

"A friend in need is a friend indeed." It is the aim of this bank to be a friend in deeds. If we have measured up to this aim in our dealing with you, may we not have your help with your friends in making this a better bank through the coming year.

With a sincere desire to be of greater service, we wish you a HAPPY and PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

Yours truly,

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