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SHORTEST DAY

Friday is the shortest day of the year, when the sun shows himself for the fewest numbers of hours. Farther north, the day is still shorter, until north of the Arctic circle the sun shows himself not at all. During winter, which is officially in force from Dec. 21 to March 22, the days increase in length a few minutes each day until the spring solstice, when the days and nights are of equal length. In the celestial wobble of the earth around the sun each year, there is much that is yet uncharted by scientists. The main movements, causing day and night and the change of seasons were plotted early. The distance from the earth to the sun was accurately measured by triangulation by the early Greeks. Later it was discovered that the whole solar system was hiving on off toward the north Star. Whether this last movement is in a straight line or in a circle around some huge central sun remains to be seen. The movement has been under observation for less than 100 years and it may be the circle has so vast a radius that it seems a straight line to the thus far limited observation. Folks with an exaggerated idea of their own importance in the general scheme of things are cordially invited to study astronomy. It has such a wholesome effect.

WEST WARD P.T. A. MEET

The West Ward Parent Teachers Association held their last meeting Wednesday afternoon for 1923 and a representative number of mothers answered to roll call. Mrs. George Parker president, presided over the business session when plans were laid for work early in the New Year. Mrs. O. L. Stamps and Mrs. Brady read papers full of interest.

Brevities

It is possible that mail and express records in West Texas will be broken this year. Certainly a deluge of it is flowing through Sweetwater. Extra cars of it stacked to the doors are passing through. It is principally on account of the baggage mail and express that the second section was added to T-P No. 5 and 6, from Dallas to Big Spring.

A little miss of three or four summers danced up to a woman in a store here the other day and said, "See my new pocketbook" dangling it out before her. "Did Santa Claus bring that to you?" asked the lady. "No, we got it from Sears-Roebuck," said the little miss.

Reduced rail rates for the Christmas holidays is certainly stimulating Christmas travel, which is very heavy through Sweetwater.

A fast special train will leave Abilene Friday morning at 6, arriving at Dallas at 11:30 and returning after the game at a special rate so that Abilene fans can take in the Waco-Abilene contest for the state championship at Dallas Friday afternoon.

The general direction of holiday travel is east and south. Ticket agents Gibson of the T-P and Jackson of the Santa Fe report everything sold on pullmans east and south for the next two days on reservations made ahead. North and west the travel is much lighter. A much heavier business than last year is the general expression among railmen.

Heavy mail and express and late connections at Amarillo were given as the reason for the delay of southbound Santa Fe 96, due here at 6 a. m. and which arrived at 8:40.

ISSUE MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Gus Farrar: R. H. Rogge and Miss Gladys Cates of Ballinger; Jeff Blair and Miss Thelma Daniel, both of Blackwell; Lester Jones and Miss Inez Allen; L. H. Montgomery, Blackwell and Thelma Webber.

BUY BOTTLING WORKS

Aldredge Brothers Purchase Plant From Wade Bartlett

L. H. Aldredge and W. E. Aldredge owners of the Sweetwater Ice Cream Company have purchased the Sweetwater Bottling Works from Wade Bartlett.

The machinery and equipment will be moved to the Meyer building adjoining the ice cream plant in latter part of this month.

RECITAL PLEASD

The piano recital by piano pupils of Miss Ruth Payne and expression pupils of Mrs. Robert Withers at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening pleased a large audience. The program was well arranged and each number warmly greeted by parents and friends of those present.

MARRIED IN NEW YORK

Cards have been received in this city by friends, announcing the marriage in New York city of Miss Alleen McKenzie to George H. Norton, December 12.

Mr. Norton staid in Sweetwater some months last winter in the interest of the United States Gypsum, by whom he is employed as a geologist. In the wedding announcement his home address is given as Arden, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cowen will enjoy visits during Christmas season from their daughter, Miss Lella Cowen, who is a member of the Amarillo school faculty and Mrs. Carl Boatright and family from their ranch in Mitchell county. They will arrive Saturday.

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LIBRARY BENEFIT

Mrs. Carl England's chorus of 35 girls sang Monday evening at the Love Star library benefit. Mrs. England played the accompaniments. The chorus was very well received and responded to an encore.

Miss Helen Carr will spend the Christmas holidays at Big Spring with her aunt Mrs. Ella Barrick and cousins Mrs. Blanch Richardson and Mrs. Jas. T. Brooks.

FOOTBALL IN JAIL

By The United Press.
HOUSTON, Dec. 20.—Rabid football spirit threatened destruction of the police station here recently.

Two youthful fans, debating the merits of the high school teams here just before a city championship game, became so wrought up over the subject that they engaged in fist combat. Police took the mug tow. While they were inside telling it to the judge, a howling mob of high school students gathered about the jail and after debating whether they should tear the structure down and rescue their heroes decided to let the law take its course.

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Phone 371

WEATHER

West Texas tonight and Friday unsettled, somewhat colder.

Bogota Colombia—3,000 dead and 23,000 homeless is the latest estimate on the earthquake ravages between Ecuador and Colombia recently.

Austin—The state will go on a cash basis March 1 when warrants will be cashed at par it was announced by Lon A. Smith, State comptroller.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. O'Dell will leave Saturday night for Houston to spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Emma Stewart and family.

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| Suit Cases \$1.25 to \$6.00 | Hose Supporters 25c, 35c, 50c |
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| Neckties 35c to \$3.00 | Shoes \$4.95 to \$10.00 |
| Auto Gloves \$2.50 | Riding Breeches \$2.50 to \$7.00 |
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"The Men's Store"

Miss Elizabeth Hicks of Center, but at present Music director of the Merton school arrived this morning to spend the holidays with Miss Lorena Kelsey. Miss Hicks and parents formerly lived at Sweetwater.

Ready for Christmas?

You may have your gift list all filled and still be shy one very important essential—

Presentable Clothes

Send your suit or coat or dress to be cleaned and pressed—so you will be ready for the holiday festivities.

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Persons With Income Less Than \$5000 Year Only Have Three Questions To Answer—Single Sheet

BEGIN PAYING JANUARY 1

Forms Will be Available on and After January 1—Persons Larger Income To Use Old Form

The following statement is issued by collector of Internal Revenue Geo. C. Hopkins, of the second district of Texas:

Assured by the Bureau of Internal Revenue of prompt service in furnishing the necessary forms, taxpayers need experience no delay in the filing of their income tax returns for the year 1923. The filing period is from January 1 to March 15, 1924. On January 2, the 1st being a holiday, forms for filing individual corporation, partnership personal, service corporation, information, fiduciary and other returns required by the revenue act will

be available at the office of Collector of Internal Revenue Dallas, Texas, and the following branch offices Abilene, Dallas Fort Worth, Tyler and Wichita Falls, Texas. After January 2 a copy of the form desired may be obtained on written request.

Form 1040A, heretofore used for filing returns of individual net income of \$5,000 and less, from whatever source derived, has been revised and simplified in the interests of the largest class of taxpayers, salaried persons and wage earners. The new form will be used for reporting net income for the year 1923 of \$5,000 and less derived chiefly from salaries and wages. Reduction to a minimum the problem of correctly making out an income tax return, Form 1040A consists of a single sheet in which space is provided for answers to only three questions in relation to income, salaries, wages, commissions, etc.; interest on bank deposits, notes, mortgages and corporation bonds, and "other income." On the reverse side are instructions. Formerly Form 1040A has consisted of six pages the questions pertaining not only to salaries and wages, but to income from business, professions, sales of real estate, and other sources. It is estimated that for the year 1923 more than 4,000,000 persons, or 70 per cent of those who annually are required to file income tax returns, will use the new form.

Persons, any part of whose income for the year 1923 was derived from business or profession, farming, sale of property or rents, regardless of the amount, will be required to use the larger form 1040. The use of Form 1040 will be required also in cases where the net income was in excess of \$5000 whether from salary, business, profession, or other taxable sources. Formerly Form 1040 was used only for reporting individual net income of more than \$5000.

Forms for filing individual returns of income will be sent to persons who filed similar returns for the year 1922. It being impossible to determine this year the form desired by the taxpayer whether he be a man whose income was derived chiefly from salary or

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wages or from business, profession or other taxable sources, the taxpayer will receive both forms, and is advised to note carefully the instructions regarding their use.

FREAK CALF

By The United Press. DESDEMONA, Texas, Dec. 20.—The latest in freaks is a calf here born blind and without a tail. The calf is half red poll and hal Jersey. A few days ago a farmer reported killing a snake with two heads.

Leonard Beall, came home from Portland, Oregon to spend the holiday season with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Pope Beall.

Vernon and Grant Tinsley who spend the school term with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Pope Beall, will leave Saturday morning for Fort Worth to spend their Christmas vacation with their father and Grandmother Tinsley.

Mrs. S. H. Kelsey will reach home Sunday from Abilene where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Smith, who will accompany her home also little Billy Blanch. The Kelsey family will hold a family reunion Christmas Day when Loyd Kelsey of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kelsey of San Angelo will join the family.

Miss Myrtle Sublett of Abilene is here to spend the holidays with her sister Mrs. Gordon Hedrick and her father Mason Sublett.

Willard Bruce Gibson will come home from Fort Worth Saturday to spend his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gibson.

Mrs. Bert Mays and son Howe of Merton have arrived for a holiday visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Howe. Mrs. Fern Farquhar and little daughter Reba of Ranger will reach the city Saturday also to visit her parents for the holidays. Mr. Mays and Mr. Farquhar will join them Tuesday night.

Natlanta—The case of Phil E. Fox charged with killing W. S. Coburn will go to the jury this afternoon about 6 o'clock, it was indicated.

SHOP Early



SUGGESTIONS:

- Handkerchiefs
- Bathrobes
- Beads
- Pettibockers
- Hosiery
- Petticoats
- Coats
- Coat Suits
- Dresses
- Skirts
- Vanities—May Fair and Three Flowers
- Purses—the Latest Designs
- Beaded Bags
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FOR RENT—Four room modern house, mostly furnished, \$40.00, call 581, ask for Dr. Caultl, 2651fc

FOR RENT—Store building, 25x80 on Oak St. See S. Edwards Grain Co., 2311fc

MISCELLANEOUS.

HEMSTITCHING—Galbraiths, east side of square, phone 97. 252130

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FOR SALE—Shetland ponies at Hogues wagon yard, also one Shetland stallion. 27116p

Our monthly income policy will take away all anxiety about the future. Southwestern Life Insurance Company Dallas, Texas. Joe H. Boothe, Agent, Sweetwater Texas. 27416dc

FOR SALE—Milk cows, prices reasonable; terms.—Ray S. Smith, Box 371 27416dc

LOST—Gold watch chain and masonic emblem. Finder please return to Sweetwater Candy Kitchen and receive reward. 27412p

LOST—Tire & Carrier with number plate 677-170 on carrier. Finder please notify R. E. Dillon, 294 Lamar St. 27412dp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Racket Store and fixtures, invoices about \$600.—D. S. Layne, Blackwell, Texas. 27512p

FOR SALE—5 room house 2 lots, well located in Sweetwater; 320 acres of land 5 1-2 miles southeast Roscoe. If interested in either phone or call owner, C. W. Capp, Roscoe State Bank. 27512p

LOST DOG

Boston bull terrier, 7 months old, ears not trimmed screw tail, weight 15 1-2 pounds answers name Dinty Moore strayed from 404 Elm Street phone 227-J or 160; will pay you for your trouble.—W. W. Woolsey, 11p

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KNIGHT TEMPLARS

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LIST OF PREMIUMS

(Continued from page 1)

1st pullet 2nd hen. Partridge Wyandottes Mrs. Theo. Lanier, Blackwell, 1-2 Cks. 1st Ckl. 1-2-3-4-5 hen, 1st pullet. Golden Wyandottes All awards to R. Lanier, Blackwell. Dark Cornish L. A. Branell, citl. all awards. Black Giants All awards to R. G. Denman, Roscoe War Horse Games Awards to Claude E. Neely, Loraine. Pit Games Mack Brown all awards. Mammoth B. Turks E. G. Haggerton, Maryneal, 1st pullet, 3rd young tom. Ray G. Duncan Roscoe, 1st old tom. Mrs. G. H. Callaway, city, 1st young trio 1-2-4 young tom. Mr. Ewell Wright, Abilene, exhibited a nice display of Bantams. Kids do not fail to see this 8 different varieties of high class birds, such as Buff, Black and White, Cochin Bantams Japanese Fan-Tail, Golden Seebright and others. A pair of each breed.

Special Awards Best display all varieties, champion pen, champion female, best solid color female. Frank Antilley Elmdale on White Wyandottes. Best Buff bird Mrs. Joe Higgin Merkel. Best Parti colored bird D. H. Jefferies Abilene, S. C. Red Hen. Best Black bird Ewell Wright, Abilene, Blaew Cochin Bantams. Among the better known breeders attending the show are Frank Antilley of Elmdale with his White Wyandottes D. H. Jefferies of Abilene, single cobe Reds and E. A. Cordell of Merkel, also a Red Breeder. The show will be open tonight and Friday night to accommodate folks from town who might not be able to get to it during the day. R. L. Shafer, Show Superintendent stated. The Show was judged by R. L. Young, noted poultry expert from Abilene.

The model poultry house set up outside the front of the Show by local lumber dealers attracted no small amount of attention. It is designed to accommodate 65 hens. Remarkable improvement in the quality of the birds shown over the stock on exhibition last year is the comment of W. C. Calvert, County Agent. "The improvement of the poultry breeding shown this year as compared with last year is indeed remarkable," Mr. Calvert said. This improvement was especially noticeable among the Rocks and Rhode Island Reds. T. B. Wood, District Supervisor of Extension Service from College Station was among the visitors to the Show. Many birds scheduled to be shown failed to arrive Wednesday. Many crates of Plainview poultry was carried on to Abilene through error and other crates on the depot platform at Merkel did not arrive Wednesday morning owing to lack of room in the express car.

Are you helping Santa?

R. P. O. E. NOTICE An especially important business meeting of B. P. O. E. Lodge No. 1257 is scheduled for Friday night in connection with the Elk's Flying Circus. Initiation. Come, 27512c Gus Farrar, Exalted Ruler

WETS WIN AGAIN

Province Queensland in Australia Votes Against Prohibition—Saloons Shorten Hours

By The United Press. SYDNEY, N. S. W., Dec. 20.—The overwhelming victory of the "wets" in the recent election at Queensland, wherein the voters in favor of continuance more than doubled their majority over the election of 1920, is directly attributed to the fact that the liquor trade, or public houses, voluntarily consented to a curtailment of hours in which their places of business were kept open.

Until recent amending legislation was passed the bars kept open from 6 a. m. until 11 p. m. There were three issues in the election—abolition, state control and continuance. The campaign was unprecedentedly bitter because, under the recently amended legislation, it was the last poll that would have prohibition as an issue. The result was more than usually uncertain because compulsory voting, which was supplied to a liquor poll for the first time in Australia, introduced an unknown quantity into the factors to be counted on.

Shortly before the poll, however, the liquor contingent voluntarily submitted to the curtailment of hours from 17 to 12 daily. The bars agreed to open at 8 a. m. and close at 8 p. m. This reform had a profound effect on public opinion, and the result was a clean sweep for continuance.

Benny Alden has returned from a week end trip to Kansas City. He saw a lot of snow as far south as St. Louis.

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R and R PALACE

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