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FIVE KNOWN DEAD IN FIRE

Would Suppress Klan Probe In Mayfield Case

EFFORT BE MADE TO CONFINE INVESTIGATION TO CASE CHARGING EXCESSIVE EXPENDITURES

Some Claim that Charges are Wide and Loosely Drawn and Should Bear More Explicitly on the Case

By United News.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Fear that the Ku Klux Klan specter will intrude itself too strongly into the coming investigation of the election of Senator Mayfield, of Texas, which may lead to his ousting, is already showing itself as the time for the probe approaches.

The special subcommittee will get down to work next Tuesday to sift the evidence preparatory to the main investigation. Strong pressure will be brought upon the committee, it now appears, to soft pedal the Klan charges and confine the investigation to the charges of excessive expenditures which have been made against the Texas Senator.

The committee will have charge of drawing the bill of particulars. This was decided Thursday when a broad resolution was passed by the senate, giving the committee full power. The resolution, however, did not pass until after an hour's haggling resulting from an effort to define the charges against Mayfield.

Senator Borah wanted to make the charges specific, saying that if he "was going to be investigated as the senator from Texas, I should demand to have the right to know what I was being investigated about." He declared that in his opinion the resolution "is very wide and loosely drawn."

This threw the whole matter into debate and several senators added their pleas for definition of charges to that of Borah. Though the Klan was not mentioned, it was evident that the desire to keep this issue out of the investigation, or to give it an indefinite place in the background was behind the efforts of some who spoke.

Senator Heflin, of Alabama, a close friend of the Texas senator who is expected to be the principal champion of Mayfield when the fight comes to the floor of the senate, was among those who asked that the charges be defined.

"I haven't any objection to the investigation and I don't think the senator from Texas has any," Heflin declared, "but I think the resolution ought to set out all the charges."

Heflin quizzed Senator Spencer of Missouri, for several minutes as to the scope of the investigation, but finally consented to passage of the resolution when Spencer assured him that all the definite charges would be given to Mayfield.

When the special subcommittee begins its work next Wednesday, it will have to decide not only the bill of charges against Mayfield, but will have to sift a huge mass of evidence which has been presented to Senator Spencer, chairman of the investigating committee and determine what part of it will be presented publicly in the open hearing.

One paramount question is whether all of the election ballots shall be brought here and counted. This would require sending a number of deputies to Texas and a great amount of detail after the ballots were brought back. It would take a large appropriation to carry out such a plan. However, the Colonel has unlimited expenses. It is also likely that scores of witnesses will be brought here from Texas and other distant points to testify.

CONTRACTS FOR TEX. U. AND VANDERBILT GAMES

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 28.—Contract has been made for football games between University of Texas and Vanderbilt of Nashville, Tenn., for 1925 and 1926, according to announcement today by L. Theo Belmont, director of athletics of Texas University, who attended the Atlanta meeting of intercollegiate athletic representatives. There will be a game between Texas and Vanderbilt in 1924. The 1925 game will be played in Nashville on October 16, and the teams will meet for the 1926 contest in Dallas on October 17.

CAN OF HOT ASHES STARTED REAL FIRE

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 28.—When T. L. Ray placed a can of hot ashes on his back porch here he started something. First the porch caught fire. Then a ladder truck, rushing to the fire, went into a ditch and broke a wheel. The loss all the way around was small.

JOHN W. VEALE DIES SUDDENLY AT AMARILLO

AMARILLO, Jan. 3.—Judge John W. Veale, 67, died suddenly at his home here Tuesday morning at 8:30. He was found sitting in a chair holding a morning newspaper. He and Mrs. Veale had spent the night with a neighbor as their house was being renovated. Judge Veale went to his own home after dressing and eating breakfast. Mrs. Veale followed him in a few minutes and found him dead. His death was due to heart failure. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at the First Baptist church.

Shot by Crazy Indian. ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Jan. 3.—Chief of Police Harry Kavanaugh, who was shot through the back Wednesday by a drink crazed Indian named Nicolai, died Thursday.

Kavanaugh is the second local police chief to die from an assassin's bullet within the past three years. Nicolai has served three years on McNeil's Island for a previous killing, records show.

LESS WHITTAKER ON TRIAL AT AMARILLO

AMARILLO, Jan. 3.—The trial of Sheriff Less Whittaker began in district court this morning. Whittaker is charged by indictment with misconduct in office. The case has attracted a great deal of attention. The indictment is said to have grown out of incidents occurring prior to the whipping of E. T. McDonald by a masked band last summer.

REBEL TROOPS ACTRESS SLOWLY DESERTING LEADER RECOVERING OPERATION

By the United Press.

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 3.—Consul General Ruiz in El Paso on Thursday received official advice from Mexico City that rebel soldiers are deserting the de la Huerta forces in large numbers, owing to the fact that they have not been paid for their services as soldiers. There is also a great scarcity of food in the rebel ranks, it was announced.

General Marcelo Caraveo has inflicted a severe defeat on General Figueroa in the sector south of Mexico City, Mr. Ruiz was informed.

According to Consul Ruiz, the rebels now have control only of certain portions of six states. This would indicate that President Obregon has made steady progress in his campaign against the rebels.

The de la Huerta junta in El Paso served notice today that if Uncle Sam ships ammunition supplies into Mexico to aid Obregon, the supplies will be blocked.

They refused to reveal just how. Local army officers, while shying at being quoted under their names, insisted that American shipment of munitions to Mexico is likely to lead to trouble on this side. One of them said:

"It is a small step between sending guns and cartridges and sending some men along with them. If Huertistas are apt to make reprisals by shooting up American mines or ranches."

"American men on the Huasteca region may suffer. They'll put it up to us to abandon our Monroe doctrine or settle the trouble for injured foreigners. If our own people are slaughtered as was the case at Columbus, New Mexico, again, we may be forced to intervene."

Wants More Bananas.

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 28.—This beats all the rest of the banana stories. Stanley Ziellinski, 16-year old school boy, ate four dozen of that famous fruit Friday.

Then he announced that he was

NINE FISHERMEN LOST DURING HEAVY STORM

By United News.
BABYLON, L. I., New York, Jan. 3.—Nine fishermen are believed to have been drowned in a terrific storm which swept great South Bay on the south shore of Long Island during the past 24 hours. Two of the men were on the speed boat Electra which grounded on Fire Island bar, and the other seven members of an emergency crew hastily assembled which set out in the power boat "Sid" to rescue the men on the Electra. Among the seven missing members of the emergency crew were two who volunteered at the last minute who were unknown to the harbor men who saw the Sid off on her perilous rescue mission. The other victims are nearly all water men of this town.

ATTEMPTED JAIL BREAK FRUSTRATED BY OFFICERS

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 3.—An attempt to escape from "murderer's row" in the county jail was frustrated early Thursday by the discovery of saws with which many bolt heads had been cut from the tank where several alleged murderers are confined.

Among the inmates is Fred McCle, convicted and sentenced secondly to life imprisonment for the murder of Miss Louise Frenzels. McClure, a former Cleveland newspaper man, was circulation manager of a local newspaper at the time of his arrest. His case is now on appeal.

OLD METHOD OF PUNISHMENT INVOKED IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 3.—A new method is punishing prisoners at the city prison farm which harkens back to the time of the pilgrim fathers, is now in effect here.

Unruly inmates who heretofore have been given extra periods of service and other penalties are now tied to a post and left to stand there until they decide to work.

The plan was prescribed by Mayor Louis Blaylock and is proving effective, authorities at the farm said.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 3.—Stoically surviving an operation for recurrent appendicitis, Mabel Normand, film beauty and one of the central figures in the dramatic shooting of Courtlandt S. Dines, New Year's Eve by Horace Greer, the star's chauffeur, Thursday night, lies in the hospital here but a few rooms away from Dines.

Pale and wan, Miss Normand is successfully recovering from the serious operation for which she was resting when the sensational affair occurred at Dines' apartment. The star's doctor reported her condition as "fairly good." Her recuperation is being hastened by her bravery and determination to recover.

After a relapse during which he was expected to die, Dines rallied Thursday night. Pneumonia complicated the bullet wounds in his chest; but the doctor announced that danger apparently was passed.

Edna Purviance, with Dines and Miss Normand when the shooting happened, who has been fearfully watching over the bedside of Dines, has turned her attention to Miss Normand, praying that death will not take the beautiful star from them. Greer, who it is believed shot Dines because he wanted to shield Miss Normand from possible harm, was informed of the operation.

FINE POINTS OF PAINTER'S ART DISCUSSED IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 28.—The fine points of a painter's art were discussed here recently when acting Mayor John C. Harris found he needed an "atmosphere painter." In placing the curbing signs and street guides on Zang's Boulevard here the city sign painters failed to give the proper possessive designation in the name of the street which was given its title in honor of the late J. E. Zang. Painters now will course the boulevard and make the necessary corrections.

OFFICIALS BELIEVE 27 OTHERS ARE DEAD IN RUINS FOLLOWING FIRE WHICH DESTROYED STARCH PLANT

Grief Stricken Relatives await Outcome of Search of Charred Ruins For Bodies of Missing Men

By United News.
PEKIN, Ills., Jan. 3.—Two men who were injured Thursday in the explosion at the Corn Products Company plant here died Thursday night, bringing the list of known dead to five.

George Liber died in the Pekin hospital, and Manuel Hicks died at Peoria. Two others at Peoria and three in Pekin are expected to die before morning.

Officials persist in the belief that the twenty seven missing men are dead in the ruins of the plant. A railroad wrecking crew started work removing the debris late Thursday night, but it will be noon Friday before they reach the place where it is believed the other bodies will be found.

Officials, in their announcement, expressing conviction that the bodies of these men will be found when the smoldering ruins cool sufficiently to permit workmen to conduct a thorough search. A careful investigation shows that they have not been seen since the explosion, the company says, adding that they have not returned to their homes, nor are they among the wounded in Pekin and Peoria hospitals.

Many of the injured in the hospital are burned so severely that their legs and arms will have to be amputated, physicians told the United News. Others lost their eyesight in the explosion or the fire that followed. Suffering among these men is great.

The cold wave struck Pekin Thursday night and is expected to handicap the rescue work, despite the cold, however, a crowd of 3,000 anxious citizens surrounded the scene of the disaster until late into the night.

Two Bodies Identified.

The bodies recovered from the ruins have been identified as those of Lee Harding, 45, packing house foreman, and John Hooper.

James Holton died of injuries in the hospital and the three who are not expected to live through the night are William Vogelsgang, Tony Kares and Otto Wiesenburg. Vogelsgang had been reported as dead.

Thirty-one injured employees are being cared for in the Pekin hospital, and when the last bed was filled thirteen were rushed to the Peoria hospital in automobiles. Dozens of others, who are only slightly burned, are receiving treatment at their homes.

Two hundred employees of the Corn Products Company have joined friends in searching for the bodies of those believed to have died when the dry dust explosion wrecked the plant. Their efforts were still confined to the outskirts of the smoldering ruins early Thursday night, however, and it was feared that morning might come before the heat would abate sufficiently to permit the work to go forward without danger and difficulty.

5,000 Grief Stricken Present.

Around the plant grounds grief stricken people line the radius of the glow of the slowly dying embers. Members of families of men have stood for hours with tear-stained faces, silently watching the fire subside and the search for bodies gets underway. The crowd numbered 5,000 persons during most of the day, and at least 2,000 kept up the watch after darkness fell.

The Salvation Army is serving coffee and sandwiches to the rescue workers and the families of the missing, while women of the town are making hot soup in great kettles and will serve it throughout the night. More than a score of women have been pressed into service as nurses to help out at the hospital and to visit the homes where the slightly injured are being cared for.

J. C. Collier, Jr., of Durant, Okla., was among the business visitors to Lubbock Saturday.

Just because a fellow belongs to the rising generation some old carehead wants to denigrate him as upstart.

Kaufman Smith, Emmett and Co., of St. Louis, represented by W. A. Myrick were the purchasers of the bonds, which sold unconditionally. Representatives of seven bond houses were present at the sale but only four of the men bid on the offering. They were representatives of:

Fuller Co. of Chicago; Southernland and Barry of New Orleans, and James N. Wright Co. of Denver.

The bonds were sold unconditionally and a certified check for \$25,000 put up as a deposit to assure good faith. The bonds will be delivered to the buyer at once.

This means that there is now no obstacle in the way of the immediate carrying out of the road program for Nolan County. John Focht, county engineer, will begin work the first of the year and it is expected that one or more stretches of road will be in shape for the contractors to bid on by early spring and from present indications actual road work under way by summer.

BUILD A HOME!

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WHAT DOES LUBBOCK LOOK FORWARD TO FOR ITS FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

This is a question that was put to us straight
from the shoulder a few days ago, by a man who
is figuring on investing a lot of money in Lub-
bock during the next few months. He said that
he had known of many towns that had a boom
that hurt them more than any other town, and
that they were smaller, sorer towns now
than they were ten years ago. Right? Old boy,
but they are not located where Lubbock is and
the boom was not the steady growth that Lub-
bock is experiencing. Fact of the matter is, Lub-
bock is not on a boom. She is just like a well
fed, healthy child, she is just growing—she is
growing every day. Every line of business is
growing and developing.

Lubbock is looking forward to the future
development of the agricultural possibilities for
her future growth and support. Lubbock is sit-
uated in the center of one of the largest areas
of tillable land, and diversified farming condi-
tions that is known in any section of the coun-
try, and this great expanse of agricultural land
has scarcely been touched by the plow, at this
time. We are just entering upon this feature of
development, and this is going to be the main
stay to the hub city of the South Plains. For miles
west and many miles east; three hundred miles
north and a hundred miles south of Lubbock
there are acres and acres of rich farming land
that has never been touched by a plow. This
land has been under the control of a few men
up until the last few years, but it has gradually
been cut down, and today there are numbers of
the biggest ranches in the South Plains being cut
up into small tracts, eighty, one, hundred and
sixty acres etc., and sold on easy payment plans
and over a long period of years. This has brought
many people to this section during the past twelve
months who will help to develop this great coun-
try. This is what Lubbock is looking forward
to in the future as her main stay in growing to
the city that we have predicted that she will make.
While the population of the South Plains has in-
creased very materially during the past ten years,
still the country comparatively scarcely settled
fast enough have come here and farmed to prove
that this is one of the greatest farming sections
of the southwest, and it has been proven that cot-
ton will produce here abundantly, and it is freely
predicted that the South Plains will become the
greatest cotton producing section of the state.
Cotton men are frequently heard to say that with-
in a few years—and some of them even bring
the time down to 1924, that the plains country
within itself will produce more cotton than all the
balance of the state together. We have never
gone just that strong, but believe in years to come
that this will be the case, and it may not be far
in the future that this will come true. However
we have no fears that Lubbock is growing faster
than the development of the surrounding terri-
tory will justify. Lubbock is fast becoming the
wholesale center of this country, and is looked
upon as the logical place for the big wholesale
and distributing houses of the United States to
have their plants, and the way that new towns
are coming along, we feel that this is not over
estimated, and that Lubbock is no bigger than
the trade territory will justify, and as the farmers
come and other towns come along, and more
business concerns are necessary to take care of
the business, Lubbock will grow, and will in the
space of time predicted by us, make the city
that we have in mind for her to make. Lubbock,
being the location of the Texas Tech school will
naturally bring many people here to take care
of that great institution and the people who will
come to Lubbock for an education, and we be-
lieve that there is every reason that Lubbock
will within the next two or three years double
its population and a boom will not be necessary
to accomplish this. The present rate of growth
of the town will be even more rapid during the
next two years than it ever has been.

The South Plains is going to be the farming
section of the state. This is certain, and it being
an ideal country for diversification, it will develop
that much quicker. The one crop country, can
never stand by the side of the country where
the farmer can make money off several different
kinds of products, and that is what they can do
in the Lubbock section.

Lubbock is the center—the hub—she is re-
cognized as the most promising city of the plains—
the people here believe in her—and she will be-
yond a doubt live up to the expectations of all
of us who have lived here for years, and who
have watched the growth of the town and the
development of the country, and have learned
that there is much virtue in the soil. There is
wonderful comfort in the climate and health
abounds. The people are robust, and thrifty,
and for that reason we feel that there is a possi-
bility for the Hub of the plains that is not found
elsewhere. We are building more rent houses;
we are building more business houses. We are
building bigger churches and bigger schools, and
the main thing we need—a bigger hotel, will be
forthcoming in due season.

Put your investments in Lubbock—it's no fake
proposition—it's no boom that will blow up in a

few months. We are growing. We are to be
that big city of the south west. Just mark down
what we say.

ONE BY ONE THEY ARE COMING UNDER THE PLOW

One by one the big ranches are coming under
the plow in West Texas. For years and years,
after the great range was put under fence the
country has been controlled by the large ranchers.
The big land owners have held the reins, but they
have come to the conclusion that ranching will
not pay under the present high prices of land,
and the demand for the land that they hold for
agricultural purposes. The A. J. Norton tract of
land located near Quanah in the northwest corner
of Hardeman county, is the latest addition to the
amount of land that will be sold to the farmers
and converted into a real farming section of the
state. The west is just beginning to develop into
a farming country and the greatest change that has
ever come over a country will be noted during the
next few years. The soil in this section of the
country is rich and productive, and it has been
shown by past experience that the variety of crops
that can be raised in this country is so varied, that
diversification is practical, and profitable. For
this reason we know that there will be a great
change in this country, and that there will be still
more land given over to the great agricultural
needs of the country. The state will soon come
into possession of a large tract of land in the Pan-
handle somewhere, as the result of a recent sur-
vey of the Capitol Syndicate lands, revealing a
large excess of land in the tract that was given
them when the state capital was built. This land,
according to the construction placed upon the
order by the attorney general must be average
land, and that will mean that it will be all good,
agricultural land, and will be subject to sale by
the state as soon as the proper classification can
be placed upon it. There is land here for thou-
sands of farmers, and they will take it within the
next few years, and that will mean one of the
most wonderful developments that has ever been
known in any country.

PANHANDLE AND PLAINS IN THE FOREFRONT

For many years the people of other sections
of the state and other states kinder looked upon
the Panhandle and the plains as a place that
was not fit for anything but buffaloes, antelopes
and coyotes to occupy. A little later when the
cowman came along and brought his herds here
they admitted that it might be alright for cattle
raising and big ranches, but never would it be
any good for anything else. The legislature af-
terwards decided that they wanted a new capitol
building, and as they had more land than any-
thing else they decided that they would just
simply take in that bunch of contractors who pro-
posed to build that handsome structure, in re-
turn for a large tract of land, and the wise guys
at the state capitol who were not brave enough
to come out into this country and see what kind
of land it was decided to give the contractors
this body of land once the Plains and Panhandle
of the state and they did. That large fertile
body of land lies within less than a hundred
miles of Lubbock, and is as rich as any soil in
Texas, now the state department of labor has
recognized it, and in their efforts to help those
who are in need in securing homes, they are
starting a campaign for the settlement of this
great undeveloped section of the state. The new
step taken by the department follows conferences
with chamber of commerce officials and leaders
in the Northwest part of the state, Joseph S.
Myers, state labor commissioner, announced. Lit-
erature telling of the advantages of the section,
the crops and land prices, is to be distributed by
the labor department to persons making inquiries
regarding Texas lands, Mr. Myers said, while ef-
forts will be made to induce settlers from outside
the state to come here, wherever possible.

FARMERS ARE GETTING DESPERATE

Faced with the unfavorable conditions in
agriculture in many regions of the United States
that have resulted in a widespread emigration
from the rural districts to the cities and indus-
trial centers, estimated by the United States
Department of Agriculture at nearly 2,000,000
during the years 1922-23 many American farm-
ers are seeking betterment through the enact-
ment of state or national legislation. There does
not appear to be any general agreement as to
the kind of laws that they want, or that might
reasonably be expected to give them better re-
turns for their labor and capital invested in their
farms, but they are agreed that for many of
them existing conditions are intolerable, and that
some method of relief must be found. United
States Senator Wheeler, of Montana, aptly ex-
pressed the sentiment of the West when he de-
clared that the farmers are tired of theories, and
that they do not propose to go along with Mr.
Coolidge's suggestion. He closed a more or less
fervid statement with the assertion that the West
would send representatives to Washington that
would make Magnus Johnson look like a rank
conservative, unless something tangible is ac-
complished, and soon. It is a serious situation,
not alone for the farmers, but for the great mass
of people who are dependent on them for an
existence. Money has been loaned until it is
doubtful if the debts can ever be paid—certain-
ly not under existing conditions. Co-operative
buying and selling is only a partial remedy, one
that will require several years to produce tangi-
ble results. Meanwhile the farmer struggles al-
most hopelessly along because there's no other
place for him to go, and nothing else to do.

President Coolidge asserts that our part in the
World War cost the nation \$40,000,000,000.
We have paid \$18,000,000,000, leaving \$22,-
000,000,000 outstanding. Against this debt we
have foreign notes of hand for about \$11,000,-
000,000 including the Great Britain settlement.
If this were all paid or secured, it would leave
us with \$10,000,000,000 more debt than when
the war started. Surely America paid both in
men and in money but we have yet to realize
either material or spiritual benefit to the world.

Local Happenings

(From Saturday's Daily)

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence T. Mar-
tin, Jr., passed through Lubbock Fri-
day and stopped a few hours with
Mr. Martin's father. They were en-
route to Amarillo, where they will
make their home. Mrs. Martin was
before her marriage Thursday Miss
Mary Killingsworth of Houston.

Mrs. J. W. Gentry of Sweetwater,
was a guest in the home of her niece,
Mrs. J. M. Ottinger during the hol-
idays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hilburn of Ta-
hoka, arrived in Lubbock Friday to
make this city their future home.

Miss Anita Nance, teacher of piano
of Rotan, New Mexico, is here spend-
ing the holidays with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Nance of 2105
13th Street.

Mrs. Browning and daughter, Mar-
guerite of Sweetwater are the guests
of the former's sister, Mrs. N. E.
Nance.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Green and
son, accompanied by Mrs. Aven Mel-
ton and little son Winifred, went to
Ligon Thursday. They will return on
Saturday.

Amos Howard of the Guarantee
Abstract Company left Thursday for
a few days' stay in Henrietta.

Mr. Bailey Roper and Miss Eddie
Ray Welch of Wilson, were united in
marriage Wednesday at the office of
Judge I. P. Metcalf. They will re-
side in the vicinity of Wilson.

(From Thursday's Daily)

Dr. Flavius Green, prominent
dentist of Crosbyton, was here Tues-
day and Wednesday on business.

F. H. Furman, with Donald Magin-
nis Company, is here from Houston
on a short business visit.

Joe and Luther Henderson of Roper-
ville were here on business Wednes-
day and visited their brother, J. E.
Henderson of the Avalanche.

Ed Schroeder was here Wednesday
from his home east of town. Mr.
Schroeder recently purchased the old
home place from his brothers and sis-
ters and says he is in line for a bumper
crop in 1924.

Dr. A. W. Berch, osteopath of 28
years' experience, has arrived here
from Marlow, Okla., and will estab-
lish an office here in the near future.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY HERE ON BUSINESS

District Attorney Gordon B. Mc-
Guire, is here looking after busi-
ness relative to the January term of
District Court which convenes the
21st.

Attorney McGuire stated that they
have a full docket of both criminal
and civil cases, and that some hard
work is ahead of all officers of the court.

THE FUNERAL SERVICES FOR E. R. HAYNES CONDUCTED AT THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH TUESDAY P. M.

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Funeral services for E. R. Haynes,
prominent Texas school man, who has
served the people of Lubbock county,
as county superintendent of schools
since that office was created by the
county commissioners, were held at
the First Methodist church Tuesday
afternoon at three o'clock.

Services were conducted by Rev.
W. A. Bowen, pastor of the First Bap-
tist church of which the deceased was
a member, and Rev. C. N. N. Fer-
guson, pastor of the First Metho-
dist church. In addition to the words
spoken by the pastors, prominent lay-
men eulogized the deceased, refer-
ring to the patient, human service
he had rendered as a teacher and
good citizen and gave special empha-
sis to his loyalty to the church and
its institutions.

Prof. M. M. Dupre, superintendent
of the city schools, who has been
closely associated with Judge Haynes
for the past ten years in the schools
of Lubbock, spoke of him as a teach-
er and in connection with his school
work. He stated that Mr. Haynes
would live for many years in the lives
of the young people of this country,
for the good work he had done in the
schools. Prof. Dupre appreciates very
greatly the work he has done, and
the life that he has lived. He stated
that a man's life is not measured by
the wealth he accumulates, by what
he writes, by what he says, but by
the influence that he leaves.

Judge P. F. Brown spoke of Mr.
Haynes as a citizen. He gave a brief
account of the political life of Judge
Haynes. He stated that while Mr.
Haynes had held political offices,
that he was not a politician; that he
did not seek the office but that the
office sought him. That he had ac-
complished much in his political life,
and that he was a true friend to those
who were his friends. He was a man
of truth and honesty and stood four-
square for the things that are worth-
while, making him a genuine citizen,
and one who will be greatly missed
in the community. Judge Brown
counted Mr. Haynes among his
warmest personal friends.

Judge Foster spoke of the deceased
as a Christian layman, and of his ac-
tivities in church work. Judge Haynes
was president of the laymen's orga-
nization of the Baptist church, and
Judge Foster attributed the success
of that organization largely to the
efforts of Mr. Haynes. He was true
to his church, to his religion, and to
every trust that was given him. He
was a man people liked and ap-
preciated and will be greatly missed
in the community.

Rev. J. B. Cole, a brother-in-law
of Judge Haynes, spoke feelingly of
the life of the deceased and the
pleasant association he had been priv-
ileged to have during the years pass-
ed, and assured the hearers that he
was a man of sterling qualities and
that his association would be keenly
missed by him and all of his relatives
and a host of friends.

Mr. Haynes has stood out as a
great character in West Texas. A
student of the schools of two and
three generations ago, his principles
were based upon the profoundest
ideals upheld by men, and his teach-
ings were patterned upon the teach-
ings of the fathers of the present
school system of Texas.

He is survived by his wife and one
son, Bob, and the latter's family, to-
gether with a host of other relatives
and friends.

In the death of Mr. Haynes, which
followed years of patient suffering
through which he was active, and
which came following an operation
which was performed at Temple sev-
eral weeks ago, Lubbock suffers a
distinct loss. He was an energetic
civic worker and one upon whom the
various clubs of the town and county
learned to depend for leadership.

He was a charter member of the
Lubbock Kiwanis Club, president of
the Lubbock County Teachers' As-
sociation, a member of the Lubbock
Parent-Teachers Association and the
Baptist church.

Among the out-of-town people who
attended the funeral were: Rev. and
Mrs. J. B. Cole of El Paso; Mrs. Cole
and Mrs. H. B. Haynes are sisters, and Rev.
Cole was pastor of the First Baptist
church here several years ago; Sam
and Will Hedgecock of Clemons,
Texas; A. Wells of Amarillo;
John P. Staten of Hereford, and Mr.
and Mrs. R. B. Haynes and daughter
Juanita, of Tahoka.

MALLARD SISTERS AND MRS. BARKHAM FORM PARTNERSHIP

Mallard Sisters and Mrs. L. H.
Barkham have leased a portion of
the Avalanche building and will, with-
in the very near future establish a
ladies store, in which millinery and
other furnishings will be sold.

Mallard Sisters are remembered as
having conducted a millinery and
ladies furnishing business for some
time in the building now occupied by
the W. J. Garrett Dry Goods Store,
and their many former customers
will be delighted with the news of
their re-entering business.

FOR MY LADY—

Visit Our New Store!

AS LUBBOCK GROWS— FAILURES BREAK; SUCCESSSES EXPAND

Thanks to the generous patronage of Lubbock and the South Plains
generally and our diligent effort to make "A Barkham Hat Makes You
Look Your Best" a true slogan, our business has grown to such proportions
that a mere balcony will no longer suffice our needs. So in order to serve
the ladies of Lubbock and Lubbock's ever-increasing territory, in a manner
more befitting their desires, we have secured part of the New Avalanche
Building—directly in front of the postoffice, and are now located there.

There is an abundance of light; plenty of room, no stairs to climb,
and our service will make it a pleasure for you to do your shopping with us.

We extend a most cordial invitation to every lady in Lubbock and
surrounding territory to visit our new shop; and we will give souvenirs to
every lady who visits us Saturday—Corsage Bouquets Free!

FOR MONDAY—TRADES' DAY WE OFFER

- Choice of all winter Hats priced \$10.00 and over, extra
special \$4.00
- Some Ladies' Hats and many Children's Hats \$1.00
- Caps and Scarfs HALF PRICE

OPEN FOR YOUR INSPECTION—MANY BEAUTIFUL SPRING HATS,
BOTH SATURDAY AND MONDAY—A TREAT AWAITS YOU.

Continually taking advantage of every art known to the millinery busi-
ness to make our hats the most desirable from every standpoint, we will
always strive to make our service merit your valuable patronage and for your
past favors we thank you.

Mrs. L. H. Barkham, Milliner

The Postoffice is Now in Front of Our Shop.

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ROTARIANS OBSERVED LIBRARY WEEK AT REGULAR LUNCHEON WED.; REPT OF THE LIBRARIAN READ

"Library Week" was observed at the regular meeting of the Rotary Club Wednesday at noon, and a very comprehensive discussion of the benefits of a library to Lubbock was made by the members and guests.

Mike Ballenger, one of the prime movers among the library forces, was chairman of the program, which was conducted in a most admirable manner.

Mrs. Roscoe Wilson was first on the program and pointed out the many favorable features of a public library, and was specific in naming many achievements of the Lubbock Public Library, and expressed herself as being delighted with the work of the librarian. She told how the people of Lubbock had striven for a library and gave an account of the first work that was done in this connection.

Walter Posey, president of the Board of Directors of the library, spoke about the wonderful developments that have been made by the library since it was organized on February 22, 1923, and made a brief outline of the work that had been done in its behalf. He said that all of the money that is donated to the library goes into the general fund for the regular and incidental expenses and the salary of the librarian, while membership fees are used exclusively for the purchase of books for the library.

Mr. Posey, too, was astonished at the rapid rate at which the library had grown, and said that all who were connected with the library in any way were pleased with the splendid service given by the librarian, Mrs. Smelser, and said that he believed that much of the good work that has been done for the library is due to her efforts.

Mrs. Smelser made a report of the work that has been done since the library was organized, one of the high points in the report being that more than eight hundred volumes had been added to the library since it was put into operation.

The librarian's report is as follows: A detailed report of Lubbock Public Library from its opening, February 22, 1923 to December 31, 1923.

Number of books in library Feb. 22, 1923. Number of books in library Dec. 31, 1923. Gain 857.

Number of books donated, 482; number of books bought, 384; number of memberships 616; number of letters written 786.

Amount received on membership by librarian, \$442.50; amount received on fines, \$64.42; amount received on donation, \$31.00; amount received from Lindsay Theatre, \$25.00; total, \$562.92.

Amount paid out for salary, \$600; amount paid out for books, \$315.85; amount paid out for magazines, \$14.50; amount paid out for incidentals, \$64.42; amount paid out for chair, \$20.00; amount paid out for magazine stand, \$8.50; total amount of expenditures, \$1063.07.

The following memberships are: Lubbock, 520; R. R. A., 28; R. R., 28; R. E., 9; Shallowater, 10; Slaton 5; Monroe, 6; Lorenzo, 6; Idalou, 3; Becton 1; Wilson, 3; Slide, 1; Tahoka, 1. Out-of-town memberships, 98. Total memberships 616.

The following magazines were bought by the committee for the library: The Atlantic Monthly, Current Opinion, The American, The Scientific American, The American Boy, Literary Digest.

The following donations were made: 9-section book case, 1 rocker, 1 month's salary for librarian, Civic League; 6-section book case, 1 table, 24-42 Club; 2-section book case, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Atkins; 1 rocker, 20th Century Club; 1 rocker, Junior 24 Century Club; 1 chair, Simmons Furniture Store; 1 lamp, Rix Furniture Store; hauling cases and books to court house, \$10.00, Montgomery Transfer Co.; 1 200-watt lamp globe Simpson Electric Co.; 2 150-watt lamps, Texas Utility Co.; Woman's Home Companion Magazine, Lubbock Drug Store; Youth's Companion, Martin's Bakery; Rail Splitter, paper, A. B. Ellis; World Call, missionary magazine, Mrs. Poston; Missionary Voice, Woman's Missionary Society; Dallas News, O. H. Belle; Fort Worth Record, 6 months, Mr. Brick; Avalanche, J. L. Dow.

Number of book read, 11,000.

The library is now equipped with 52 sections book cases, 6 chairs, 1 table, 1 desk, 1 settee, 1 magazine stand.

MRS. J. J. SMELSER, Librarian.

OKLAHOMA MEN HERE WITH PLAINS JOURNAL

J. C. Nance of Marlow, Okla., and Dorance Roderick, of Perry, Okla., are now here to take up their work in the Plains Journal office.

Mr. Nance will have the management of the Journal, while Mr. Roderick will take charge of the advertising department.

Mr. Nance has rented the Byron Dickinson home on 15th St., and will be joined here by his family in the near future. They will occupy the Dickinson home until their own is built.

ONE DAIRYMAN SHOULD TELL ANOTHER

Why not stick to my Policy To Get The Best Possible Price For Cream, Dried Skimmed Milk, etc. It's economy. You get better prices. We get better cream. THINK IT OVER. EL PASO CREAMERY CO. El Paso, Texas.

BUILD A HOME!

ANNOUNCEMENT

At the earnest solicitation of many friends I have decided to offer for re-election to the office of county tax assessor, subject to the Democratic primary.

I feel that it would be useless to go into any lengthy details as to who I am and will only state that my past official record is an open book to friend and enemy alike. There is nothing to conceal and I certainly want each and every voter of this county to know and feel that I will appreciate their vote and influence.

My all is staked on the future of Lubbock and for the past thirty-five years I have had no interests outside this county. Therefore, if you see fit to favor me with the office I will endeavor to fill the place to the entire satisfaction of the public and if you should not see fit to elect me I will still be a citizen and a booster for Lubbock and the great South Plains.

Respectfully,

R. C. BURNS, Tax Assessor, Lubbock County, Texas.

RHINES LOOKS FOR BIG HARVEST OF ALL CROPS

P. W. Rhines, progressive farmer of the Canyon community visited the Avalanche office Wednesday to pay a renewal subscription to the Weekly Avalanche.

Mr. Rhines stated that he is well pleased with the production of his crop this fall and that he looks forward to a great harvest next fall due to the good season that is now in the ground.

W. M. PEVEHOUSE IS APPLICANT FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

I herewith make public my application for the appointment to the office of County Superintendent. I desire to acquaint the commissioners and the county judge, as well as my friends and supporters in general, with some facts.

I have been teaching rural schools for 15 years, not missing a term. I am 35 years of age, a supporter and believer of pure Christian Americanism, and a staunch advocate of the finest product of the land—the child.

I am a normal graduate, holding a permanent state certificate. My life's work has been with the rural schools and that kind of school is the only one the superintendent has jurisdiction over. I mean by that statement that the large schools are not under his control.

I call on my supporters to speak in my behalf. If my appointment is not satisfactory to a majority of the boards of trustees of schools under my jurisdiction, then I withdraw.

If Mrs. Haynes, and I sympathize with her in her bereavement, is an applicant for the place, then I withdraw my application. But I have learned she does not desire the appointment, though she may change her mind, and then I withdraw.

I desire this to be an open, above board offer. I ask no one to use undue pressure or influence in the hope of securing my appointment. But on the contrary, my friends should speak of my ability and qualifications as they see them.

The president and the secretary of the Carlisle board have assured me of their influence in my behalf and that they gladly help me receive the appointment. There will be no break in our school as my brother can take my place.

W. M. PEVEHOUSE.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Lubbock.

J. A. Moore, trading as Moore Grocery Company, plaintiff, vs. Lee Reagan, Alice McFadin and the Continental Commission Company, Corporation, defendants.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Erath County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1922, in favor of J. A. Moore for Moore Grocery Company and against the said Lee Reagan, Alice McFadin and the Continental Commission Company, Corporation, No. 1849, on the docket of said court, I did, on the 31st day of Dec. A. D., 1923, at 1 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described lot and parcel of land, situated in the city of Lubbock, in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to the Continental Commission Company (a corporation) and Alice McFadin, said lot is described as follows: Lot No. 19 in Block 104 of the original town of Lubbock in Lubbock County, Texas; and on the 5th day of Feb. A. D., 1924, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Continental Commission Company (Corporation) and Alice McFadin (an adult female sole) in and to said property.

Dated at Lubbock, Texas, this 31st day of Dec. A. D. 1923.

H. L. JOHNSTON,

Sheriff, Lubbock County, Texas.

By U. L. GEORGE,

Deputy.

J. W. Dixon returned to his home yesterday after a brief visit to Canyon.

COLLECTORS WORKED SLATON ALL DAY TUESDAY

I. F. Holland, tax collector, together with Messrs. Clark, Smith and Humble of his office went to Slaton Tuesday to collect taxes there.

During the day they raked in a total of more than \$8,000 and have not "scratched the surface" there yet. "Slaton's building program for the past three years has been carried on on a major scale, and this is evidenced by the tax returns," Mr. Holland said.

Stomach Misery Acidity, Gas, Gas, Indigestion

"Pape's Diapopsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gas, flatulence, heartburn, sourness, fermentation or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Druggists sell millions of packages.

FORT WORTH CO. IS INTERESTED IN PLAINS

In another place in this issue can be found the advertisement of the Fort Worth Well Machinery & Supply Company, Inc., one of the Fort Worth institutions they are turning their attention to the business possibilities of the fast developing South Plains territory.

H. G. Taylor, who headquarters at the Lubbock Inn, represents the company in the South Plains. Mr. Taylor is well known to the business men of this territory and is persistent in voicing the merits of his company's machines.

In a special communication to the Avalanche Mr. H. G. Parr, secretary-treasurer of the company, stated that his company claims the record of selling more tonnage of portable well drilling rigs and tools for shallow wells than all other manufacturers in the Southwest, and that a recently contrived "spudding" machine for the shallow oil fields of West Texas is taking well with drillers, and that their business in this department is growing by leaps and bounds, with every day's mail containing inquiries and in some instances orders, for the "Fort Worth Spudders" manufactured in their Fort Worth plant.

Mr. Parr expressed himself as being thoroughly interested in the progress that is being made in the development of the South Plains territory, and it is well indeed that such men become familiar with Lubbock, as he will through the daily visit of the Morning Avalanche to his Fort Worth office.

GAINES COUNTY REAL ESTATE IN DEMAND

C. B. Richards, local land agent, reports the following sales of Gaines county real estate for the past few days:

J. N. Autry, of Carlsbad, N. M., bought two tracts seven mile, northwest of Seminole, one 164 acre tract and an 80 acre tract, from the Spearman interests.

E. C. Acecock, of Oklahoma, 80 acres near S. H. Gilbreath's. And Mrs. J. B. Dodson, J. P. Paschall, P. W. Fisher and J. W. Fisher, all of Royse City, each 10 acres, northwest of Seminole 8 miles from, Spearman Land Co.

John Haney, of Ralls, to A. A. Reese and H. D. Stinson of Royse City, 640 acres west of town. These parties also purchased 640 acres from S. H. Gilbreath.—Seminole Sentinel.

A Good Thing DON'T MISS IT

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, in digestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scald, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

E. BURDETT RENEWED AVALANCHE SUBSCRIPTION

E. Burdett, one of the Avalanche subscribers who has been on the list several years, visited the office Wednesday to start the new year right by renewing his subscription to the Daily Avalanche.

Mr. Burdett is one of the many subscribers who has learned to depend on the Avalanche for all the news, and we are pleased to have him give the paper his approval in this manner.

J. D. BARTON MAY MAKE HIS HOME HERE AGAIN

J. D. Barton, formerly of Lubbock, but who moved to Slaton several months ago, will probably make his home here again within a few days, he announced to the Avalanche force Wednesday.

Mr. Barton's many friends would be pleased with an opportunity to welcome him here again.

Ben Roy, of the Citizens National bank at Crosbyton, spent several hours in Lubbock Friday.

LUMBER DEALER HAS EASY PAYMENT PLAN

The confidence that the people of means have in Lubbock's continued development is one of the main factors in the building program that is now under way, and the C. D. Shamburger Lumber Company, of which I. H. McLarty is manager, is one of the institutions whose owners have expressed such confidence in Lubbock that they have instituted an "easy payment plan" on lumber, which will enable many to build homes who otherwise would be compelled to continue renting.

Mr. McLarty stated Wednesday that his company now has a number of homes built in Lubbock whose owners have completed payment on the lumber on monthly payment plan and have expressed themselves as well pleased with the plan as it has benefited them.

The building boom that is now in evidence is due largely to the renewed interest lumber dealers have shown in making it possible for the construction work to be carried on and the C. D. Shamburger easy payment plan is meeting with approval by many builders.

Loving Appreciation.

In the depths of our great sorrow we entertain the tenderest love and appreciation for the numberless words and deeds of kindness from friends and relatives during the illness, death and burial of our loved one. May such Christian kindness come to every one of you if you are ever called to pass through the valley of suffering and bereavement.

Mrs. E. R. Haynes.

R. B. Haynes.

Mrs. R. B. Haynes.

Miss Juanita Haynes.

PICTURES OF CHICAGO SWINDLER FILED HERE

Among the many pictures of criminals in the office of Sheriff Bud Johnson are three electrotypes of Leo Koretz, Chicago "Ponzi," who has occupied a great deal of space in the newspapers since his sensational departure from his home in Chicago several weeks ago.

The local officers are keeping posted on all major crime developments in the country, with special attention given the developments in Texas and adjacent states.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 2c.

SOLICITOR ENGAGED BY LOCAL BUSINESS COLLEGE

C. L. Backenstos of Harrisburg, Pa., has accepted a position with the Lubbock business college as field man.

There have been a number of students enrolled for the 1924 term, with applications for enrollment received every day. Witt Brothers, owners of the college, have become well known for their ability throughout the South Plains and their continued success seems assured.

Cots Gamine Panama Hat.

M. M. Dupre, superintendent of the city schools, has just received a genuine Panama hat from his son, Lieut. M. M. Dupre, Jr., who is at Chefu, China, with the United States navy.

The hat was cleverly encased in a container made of bamboo, together with two hand made lace collars, the work of Chinese girls in a mission school at Chefu.

LOCAL LEGION TO OPEN DRIVE SOON

Allen Brothers Post No. 146 American Legion met in the Justice Court room at the court house last night. Post Commander H. L. Pharr briefly outlined plans for a concerted program for renewing and increasing memberships in the local post. Various devices for stimulating interest in the Legion activities were discussed including the proposal of a post auxiliary which has met with distinct favor at numerous places.

The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 16, by which time it is expected that committees now at work in obtaining applications for membership will have excellent reports of work they have done.

'You Get Better Values At Moore Brothers'

How often have you heard that remark? It is a fact that we do sell merchandise at very close prices. There is a wonderful stock to select from:

FURNITURE, RUGS, HARDWARE, LEATHER GOODS, DISHES, ALUMINUMWARE

Moore Brothers

On north side of Courthouse—Main St.

Exchange Your Cottonseed for Meal and Hulls

Feed a Well Balanced Ration

The practical common sense way to feed an animal is on a well balanced ration, that is, a ration which gives him at each feeding the proper amount of each of those things which science and practical feeding proves is necessary for health and strength. You can't get the combination out of the usual feeds, such as corn and oats, hay and fodder, but you can get it if you mix cottonseed meal with the grain and let cotton seed hulls take the place of the hay or the fodder.

On our exchange basis you get over two pounds of MEAL and HULLS for one pound of Cottonseed.

Lubbock Cotton Oil Company

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Memphill-Price Co.

ANOTHER OF OUR GREAT

Our Second Annual January

THE SEASON FOR THE CLEARANCE OF ALL WINTER GOODS IS NOW
ALL PURCHASES DURING THIS SALE---REDUCTIONS OF ONE-FOURTH OFF

ONE LOT CHECKED
AND STRIPED SILKS
\$1.95 TO \$3.00 VALUES
PRICED \$1.00

Now for a rousing January Sale, the good old kind this store is already famous for, the kind where prices are really reduced—reduced to such radical extent that you do not have to have a magnifying glass to see the reductions; the kind that puts thousands of dollars worth of merchandise into the hands of the people at prices that all know are cheap. This store never uses the term "Sale" unless we mean it, but twice yearly in August and January we clear our stocks, make way for new goods soon to arrive, and in general set our store in order for a new season. This is one of those Semi-Annual occasions, one of the times when we pass out the best we have in bargains, one of the times when we use the word "Sale" in capital letters. While this event is mainly a clearance of remaining winter goods, still most staple lines are included. Every where throughout the store opportunity awaits you. Put us to the test. We have the goods and the nerve to sell 'em cheap.

A Reduction of All Remaining Silks That Is
Most Unusual Even at This Season

\$3.00 and \$3.50 Charmeuse in black, navy and brown, yd. \$2.15
\$2.50 qualities, per yd. \$1.39

\$4.50 and \$5.00 Crepe Satin in coco, tan and red, yd. \$3.40

Crepe Sonye, a heavy popular goods, coco, tan and navy, at per yard \$2.95

Pretty Brocade Crepes in tan, rose and blue, \$7.85 value, at per yard \$6.15

Rousianare Crepe in tan, brown, blue and black, \$5.50 value at per yard \$3.35

Crepe Eponge in grey and blue, a regular \$3.50 seller, yd. \$2.15

Vanity Silk in a varied assortment of good colors, 50c and 65c, yard \$4.2c

75c and 85c Wash Satins in the light shades, per yard \$3c

1.85c Georgettes, green, blues, rose, reds and maize, yd. \$1.27

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Georgette, in plain and printed, priced at per yard \$1.39

\$3.00 Georgettes, a wide assortment of shades, priced yd. \$2.15

\$2.45 Crepe de Chine in all shades, priced yard only \$1.89

\$1.85 and \$2.00 Crepe de Chines, a very large assortment \$1.45

\$1.50 Crepe de Chines in white and rose, per yard only \$93c

\$3.50 Maironette and Canton Crepe, pretty shades, yd. \$2.85

\$4.00 Flat Crepe, a few very desirable shades, priced yd. \$2.85

Silk Poplin in black, a regular \$1.25 value, priced yard 97c

Silk Jersey in brown and blue shades \$2.50 value, yard \$1.95

\$2.50 and \$2.75 Pussy Willow Silk, good colors, per yd. \$1.85

\$3.00 Pussy Willow and Brocade Satin, per yd. \$2.25

\$3.00 Silk Jersey in Flesh and Orchid shades, per yard \$1.65

\$2.00 and \$2.25 Radium and Satins, pretty colors, yd. \$1.69

SATINS

\$2.50 Satins in the pretty shades you will like, an excellent quality, for Clearance Sale yd. \$1.85

Satine Etoile, one of our best Satins and an excellent value regular at \$3.00 yd., now yd. \$2.15

\$3.50 Satine Francise, the best Satin we carry, a beautiful weight, all colors, per yd. \$2.65

\$1.65 Radium Silk, a very fine cloth and a quality worth more regular, per yard only \$1.20

TAFFETAS

Regular \$2.00 quality Taffetas in all the shades you will like, good for the summer dresses, yd. \$1.37

Other Taffetas in pretty colors and a quality that sells regularly at \$2.25 yd, priced only \$1.49

Our best grade Taffetas in quality that sells regularly at \$2.50, now offered at yard \$1.74

Pretty Brocade Taffetas in shades for dinner dresses, a regular \$3.00 quality, priced per yd. \$1.85

MESSALINES

Messaline in shades that range from the light to the dark, a regular \$1.65 quality, priced yd. \$1.20

Other Messalines in fine quality, all good colors, priced regularly at \$2.00 and \$2.25, now yd. \$1.45

Pretty Silk and Kimona patterns, shades that will make up beautifully, \$2.50 values, yard \$1.65

Two pieces colored Pongee, all silk, in green and blue, regular \$1.75 values, only \$1.20

EXTRA SPECIAL

Printed Pongees in regular \$3.50 values, priced per yard \$1.50

One lot Miscellaneous Silk in values from \$3.00 to \$4.50, priced \$2.00

\$4.45 Duvityne in blue and black colors, priced per yard \$2.15

Printed Crepe in values from \$2.75 to \$3.25, priced per yard \$1.85

Choice of all remaining Velve's, both Chiffon and Costume 4 OFF

COLLARS AND COLLAR LACE

Now is the time also to buy collars for your winter dress as well as to lay in a supply for the new spring garments.

\$1.25 values now priced only 89c
\$1.50 values now priced only \$1.15
\$2.00 values now priced only \$1.39
\$2.25 values now priced only \$1.53
75c values now offered at just 60c

ALL SILK LACE AND FANCY TRIMMINGS GO NOW IN THIS EVENT AT ONE-FOURTH OFF.



Dry Goods Items at Clearance Prices

FANCY WOOLENS

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Fancy Skirtings and Coatings, priced yard \$3.35

\$3.00 Camels Hair Cloth in pretty colors and patterns, per yard \$1.65

\$9.00 Wool Brocades in two light designs, priced per yard \$5.85

\$6.50 Skirtings in a wide range of patterns, all go at per yard \$4.45

Wool Ratine, a very popular item regular \$2.75 value, yard \$1.85

\$3.45 and \$3.50 Wool Dress Flannel, all colors, per yard \$2.45

STAPLE WOOLENS

Staple Woollens and Fine Wool Crepes, all go at these reductions.

All \$5.00 values priced at \$3.75

All \$4.00 values priced at \$2.95

All \$3.45 values priced at \$2.65

All \$3.00 values priced at \$2.15

All \$2.50 values priced at \$1.65

All \$2.00 values priced at \$1.35

All \$1.75 and \$1.85 values \$1.20

All \$1.65 values go at \$1.10

All \$1.00 values priced at \$73c

All 85c Storm Serge priced \$63c

One lot of Cotton Suitings in values that range from 35c to 65c, 85c Underwear Crepe, yd. \$1.79

20c 45c Underwear Crepe, yd. \$1.37

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FANCY WOOLENS

50c and 45c Fancy Satines 38c

85c Fancy Satines, yard 59c

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29.75 Fancy Satines, yard 95c

OUR GREAT SALE EVENTS

Hemphill Price Co.

January Clearance Sale!

MER GO IS NOW AT HAND---YOU CAN SAVE GREATLY ON
DUCTION OF ONE-FOURTH, ONE-THIRD AND ONE HALFOPENS FRIDAY 4th—SALE
CLOSES SATURDAY 19th.Desirable Lines Completely Exhausted
Before Many Days Come Early!

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Our Men's Department offers some of the most deserving specials to be found anywhere in the entire sale. The Men's Goods we sell is all standard high class merchandise, goods that you know are good, goods you know are priced right at regular price. In this annual movement of merchandise, you can now buy this same high class goods at reduced figures, making it decidedly worth your while to supply all your needs.

MEN'S HIGH CLASS SUITS and OVERCOATS AT
PRICE REDUCTIONS for CLEARANCEHART SCHAFFNER & MARX, RICO ROCHESTER and FRAT
CLOTHES ALL GO NOW AT SALES PRICES

OVERCOATS

HART SCHAFFNER &
MARX AND RICO
ROCHESTER, \$27.50 TO \$60-
00 VALUES 1/4 OFF
ONE LOT MEN'S OVER-
COATS, \$8.50 TO \$15.00
VALUES 1/2 OFFLOT 1—HART SCHAFFNER & MARX AND RICO ROCHESTER
SUITS, \$35.50 TO \$50.00 VALUES ONE-HALF PRICELOT 2—25 SUITS, HART SCHAFFNER & MARX AND RICO RO-
CHESTER BRANDS AT ONE-THIRD OFFLOT 3—ALL REMAINING MEN'S SUITS IN ALL MAKES, BLUE
SERGE INCLUDED ONE-FOURTH OFFMen's Corduroy and Whip Cord
suits, in values from \$15.00 to
\$27.50, on sale now 1-3 OffAll leather and mole skin vests,
\$6.00 to \$15.00 values 1-4 OffAll men's sheep lined coats, good
weights, priced 1-5 OffAll boys' clothing, suits with two
pair of trousers, \$7.00 to \$20.00
values 1-4 OffBoys' overcoats in values from
\$6.50 to \$12.00, now 1-4 OffBoy's shirts and blouses, values
from 65c to \$4.00 1-4 OffAll men's work gloves in this
sale offered at 1-4 OffOur entire stock Manhattan and
Eagle shirts, \$1.25 to \$7.50 values
priced now 1-4 OffMen's wool shirts, all sizes, priced
from \$2.00 to \$7.00 1-4 OffMen's night shirts and pajamas,
good weights, priced 1-4 OffAll remaining bath robes, blanket
and wool, priced now 1-4 OffMen's Haynes Underwear, unions,
regular \$1.50 value \$1.39All men's and boys' Munsing
underwear, values from \$2.00 to
\$6.00, priced now 1-4 OffAll Duofold unions and separate
garments, priced 1-4 OffAll boys' unions, all makes, priced
now less 1-4

HOSIERY

1-4 OFF

TIES

1-4 OFF

SWEATERS

1-3 OFF

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS

All \$19.85 Blankets and Comforts, priced \$16.45
All \$18.50 Blankets and Comforts priced \$15.35
All \$17.45 Blankets and Comforts priced \$14.65
All \$15.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$11.25
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All \$8.50 Blankets and Comforts priced \$6.85
All \$6.45 Blankets and Comforts priced \$4.70
All \$6.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$4.85
All \$7.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$5.25

HOSIERY

CHILDREN'S

50c Cadet hose, pair 41c
1.50 silk hose 89c
75c and 85c hose 53c
35c hose 27c
25c hose 21c
1.00 infant's hose 79c
85c hose 72c

LADIES' GLOVES

\$6.00 and \$6.50 gloves \$3.95
\$4.75 and \$5.00 gloves \$3.65
\$3.00 wrist gloves \$1.95
\$2.75 gloves \$1.95
\$3.50 driving gloves \$2.63
\$2.25 Suede gloves \$1.00

LADIES' HOSE

\$1.50 and \$1.75 wool hose,
on sale 69c
\$3.50 and \$4.00 plain and
fancy silk hose \$2.35
\$3.00 silk hose \$1.79
\$3.00 Chiffon silk \$2.25
\$2.50 La France \$2.15
\$2.50 Cadet \$1.95
1.50 silk hose \$1.15
1.00 silk hose .85c
85c silk hose .69c
50c Lisle hose .33c
25c cotton hose .19c
15c cotton hose .09c
Boys' wool golf hose, all sizes,
\$2.00 values \$1.25
Ladies' \$3.00 and \$3.50 fancy
silk and wool hose \$1.29
Ladies' \$4.00 and 4.50 fancy
silk and wool hose \$1.69

DRAPERIES

Choice now of our entire stock of fine draperies,
a wonderful assortment of both cretons and nats,
take your choice at ONE-FOURTH OFFMEN'S AND LADIES' DESIRABLE SHOES in the
CLEARANCE at VERY LOW PRICES

MEN'S SHOES AND OXFORDS

Howard & Foster \$11 shoes \$8.80
Howard & Foster \$10 shoes \$8.00
Men's \$8.00 shoes \$6.40
Men's \$7.00 shoes \$5.60
Men's \$6.50 shoes \$5.20
Men's \$6.00 shoes \$4.80
Men's \$7.00 shoes \$5.25

WORK SHOES

Men's \$5.50 work shoes \$4.20
Men's \$5.75 work shoes \$4.60
Men's \$5.00 work shoes \$3.75
Men's \$2.75 work shoes \$2.10
Men's \$2.50 work shoes \$1.90

BOOTEES

Men's \$10.00 Bootees \$7.50
Men's \$9.00 Bootees \$6.75
Men's \$7.50 Bootees \$5.45
Men's \$6.50 Bootees \$4.10

BOYS' SHOES

All boys' dress and work shoes in prices
ranging from \$2.25 to \$6.00, all go in
this sale at 1-4 Off

LADIES' SLIPPERS

Ladies' \$12.50 values, priced \$9.40
Ladies' \$11.00 values, priced \$8.25
Ladies' \$10.00 values, priced \$7.50
Ladies' \$9.00 values, priced \$6.75
Ladies' \$8.50 values, priced \$6.40
Ladies' \$7.50 values, priced \$5.45
Ladies' \$7.00 values, priced \$5.25

CHILDREN'S STYLES

Choice of all our stock of fine child's
shoes, in patent and brown calf leathers,
good shoes that will give service and
in prices ranging from \$1.50 to \$6.00,
in this sale 1-4 Off
One broken lot Children's shoes in good
shoes and all leathers, regular \$2.75
values, as an extra special offered \$1.95
Another lot of boys' shoes in black calf,
good soles, sizes 11-12 to 2, regular
\$3.30 values, priced \$2.35

HOUSE SLIPPERS

\$1.00 values priced now .75c
\$1.50 values priced now \$1.15
\$2.00 values priced now \$1.50
\$2.25 values priced now \$1.70

EXTRA SPECIALS!

Ladies \$9.00 brown satin, cross strap
pump, Junior Louis heel, a wonder-
ful value at \$6.85Ladies black kid, cross strap style,
a regular \$8.50 value, on sale in this
event at \$6.85
One lot Mimes patent and satin slip-
pers, low heel styles, odd sizes in
\$5.00 and \$6.50 values \$3.85
Ladies brown suede, self trimmed
oxford, a regular \$6.50 value, now
priced at \$4.85
Ladies black kid, patent trimmed
oxford, a good staple style, regular
\$6.50 value, now \$4.85
One lot of odds and ends in brown
kid and black strap styles and ox-
fords, \$5.00 to \$5.50 values \$3.85
One lot Mimes low heel, black and
brown oxfords, good sturdy shoes,
\$3.00 values, priced now \$2.25

Hemphill Price Co.

RIBBON! RIBBON!
One Lot Fancy Ribbons
22 Cents
One Lot Fancy Ribbons
11 Cents
All Other Ribbon At 1-4 Off

SOCIETY NOTES

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Mrs. LeMoine Entertains With Series of Parties
With the closing social functions of the old year, came two lovely parties Monday, with Mrs. J. W. LeMoine entertaining at her home on Avenue O.

The initial event was given from the hours of ten to eleven thirty o'clock in compliment to Mrs. LeMoine's sister, Mrs. J. A. Parks, of Crosbyton. The hours were devoted entirely to bridge and a number of rounds were played with unusual interest, wherein Mrs. S. P. Robbins was awarded a dainty art vase containing a bouquet of rainbow tinted sweet peas, hyacinths and fern, for high score honor.

Covers were laid for a dainty salad course consisting of fruit salad, meat loaf, sandwiches, olives and hot coffee with whipped cream, which was passed to the following: Mesdames J. A. Parks of Crosbyton, F. N. Payne, R. D. Moxley, F. R. Friend, G. H. Read, Maple Wilson, Clark Smith, S. P. Robbins, J. H. Goodman, Rufus Rush, J. T. Hutchinson, Paul Barrier, Guy McAfee, Fred Snyder, Lovell of Austin, W. G. Stevens, Lee Royalty, B. C. Dickinson, Joe Hill, Thad Thomas, E. P. Norwood, Misses Wilkinson, Denman, Gladys Douglass, Eunice Smith and Miss Triplet of Fort Worth.

The afternoon occasion was the regular meeting of the Merri-Bidders Club, and the hour was delightfully spent in a number of games of forty-two progressively played with Mrs. R. Q. Pierce making high score. Delicious pumpkin pie with whipped cream was served to the following members and guests: Mesdames John Moore, Arthur Adams, Raymond George, W. E. Baskin, Charlie Middleton, Ed Ainsworth, J. F. Tom, Sam T. Davis, Moreman, Panch Aslett, John Denman, R. Q. Pierce, Frank Brown, H. W. Stanton, H. W. Sims, Wedemeyer, J. H. Jenkins, G. F. J. Stephens, J. A. Parks of Crosbyton, Misses Tinker, Wilkinson, Denman, Beulah Dixon, Vernon Brown and the hostess.

Ray Sawyer Entertains With Watch Party.

Ray Sawyer was host to number of his friends Monday evening with a watch party, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Sawyer, 2324 Broadway.

Various games and dancing furnished entertainment for the evening and music on the Victrola was enjoyed. Mrs. F. H. Sawyer, in an unique manner of fortune telling told the fate of the guests, and especially of the girls, regarding the approaching leap year.

Assenting the fact that the hour was at hand to discard the old year and to welcome the new, shrills of glee were started and soon each one in turn took part in the sport.

Delicious hot chocolate, wafers and fruit were served to the following girls: Nadine Young, Lucille Davis, Lucille Moxley, Ruby Arnett, Mary Lou Bayless, Lucille Payne, Geraldine Smith, Mary Elinor Quick, Lou Alice Watson, Louise Wolfarth, and Annie and Mary Snyder, and boys: J. C. Alexander, Robert Brown, Charles Bacon, Harold Bowen, Roy Ingram, Ben Hutchinson, Oscar Slaton, Percy Denton, Maurice Powell, Roy Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Sawyer and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sawyer.

Miss Ellis Honored at Social Event.
The home of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Cole was in beautiful Christmas decorations on Friday, when their daughter, Miss Zerelda, was hostess for bridge. Mrs. Howard Bramlette of Jacksonville and Miss Ida Lou Ellis of Lubbock were visitors.

Miss Mara Trice was hostess on Wednesday, entertaining with bridge. The players enjoyed the afternoon amid Christmas decorations. Miss Ida Lou Ellis of Lubbock was an out-of-town visitor.—Longview Items in Fort Worth Record.

Epworth League Watch Party Given.
One of the most delightful social events during the holidays was a watch party given by the Epworth League of the Methodist church at the beautiful home of Miss Gladys Dean. The house was artistically decorated with Christmas holly and bells. Each guest registered as they entered, giving the month of their birth. This information was soon used in a game of months. At the end of the room between two large palms was an elevated throne for a king and a queen who were selected by lots hidden in small packages of angel food cake. Miss Gladys Dean drew the lot for queen and Otis J. Felty for king and Winford Tatum of Flint, Michigan, was court jester. Then an interesting game of "King and Queen" was engaged in by all. Later dainty refreshments carrying out the color scheme of pink and white were served. Bon hons in beautiful little baskets with bells attached were also passed around.

Those successfully ushering the old year out and the new one in were: Misses Nellie Lokey, Mary Bellah, Edith Carter, Hallie Wall, Fern Ramp, Anita Green, Eva Lawson, Vesta Lancaster, Leora Lokey, Blanche Dean, Evelyn Wilson, Gladys Dean, and Mrs. J. R. George; Messrs. Shorty Woods, Otis Felty, Ira Wilson, J. E. Mortimer, W. C. Terrel, Jr., Winford Tatum, Will Rose, Clifford Bryan and Mr. Terry.

Federated Auxiliaries Hold Business Meeting.

The Federated church auxiliaries of the city met Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the First Christian church in a business session. Mrs. C. D. Poston led the devotion and in the absence of the president, Mrs. C. J. Wagner had charge of the meeting.

Mrs. Wagner, as a member of the finance committee, gave a report of the Christmas tree which was held for the local orphans home by the federated auxiliaries.

Mesdames Bryan and Campbell were named as a committee to confer with the secretary of the local Red Cross chapter in regard to the Federated Auxiliary Loan Closet.

Mesdames Bacon, F. R. Friend, Moore, G. C. Wolfarth and Squyres composed the nominating committee for the annual election of officers were named: Mrs. W. C. Rylander, president; Presidents of each auxiliary, vice presidents; Mrs. T. W. Sawyer, secretary, Mrs. E. C. Young, treasurer, Mrs. Joe Penny, press reporter.

The presidents of the local auxiliaries will also compose the program committee for the year and a free will offering will be taken at each meeting of the Federated Auxiliaries to be used as the committee might see fit.

The ladies in attendance were shown through the new church and were served with dainty refreshments

in the basement by the ladies of the First Christian church.

Coleman-Howard.
The following announcement has been received of the wedding of a popular young couple of Lubbock: Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Coleman announce the marriage of their daughter, Unna May, to Mr. Amos H. Howard, on Sunday, December thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-three, Henrietta, Texas.

The bride is an attractive and accomplished young lady and has been a very efficient teacher of English in the local high school for the past two years. She is very popular in the social circles of the city and her friends are numbered by her acquaintances. The groom is formerly of Crosbyton, but for the past few years has been a member of the Guaranty Abstract and Title company. He is an active member of the Kiwanis Club and one of Lubbock's most capable young business men.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard will be at home in Lubbock after January 8.

EL PASO COUPLE HONORED ON 40th ANNIVERSARY

(From Thursday's Daily)

We are pleased to give space to the following clipping from the El Paso Herald, giving account of a recent social event honoring Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, who are now visiting Mrs. E. E. Haynes, at 1620 18th street here.

Rev. and Mrs. Cole were residents of Lubbock several years, during which time he was pastor of the First Baptist church, and their friends here are legion.

The El Paso Herald has the following to say of an entertainment honoring this popular couple:

A family reunion was held in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. Fred Cole, 3818 Clifton street, Thursday in celebration of the 40th wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Cole of 2908 Pershing Drive.

There were present the honored couple, their six sons and daughters, five grandchildren and two sons-in-law.

The wedding of Rev. and Mrs. Cole took place in Pilot Point, Texas.

Rev. Mr. Cole has been pastor of Baptist churches at Pilot Point, Plano, Aubrey, Denton, Floresville, Pecos, Lubbock, Memphis and Crosbyton, Texas, and of churches in Ardmore, Okla., and Almagordo, N. M.

He has preached for 40 years in Texas. He has baptized over 3000 people into Baptist churches in Texas received into churches 2400 people by letter and statement, buried or conducted funerals over 1100 people, married 1230 couples and made over 14,000 visits into homes of parishioners and others. He has assisted in organizing 16 churches in the state, preached four dedicatory sermons and many sermons for colleges and public schools, led in the organization of the Pecos Valley Baptist association and was one of its moderators and later was moderator of the Staked Plains Baptist association.

For many years Rev. Mr. Cole was a member of the executive board of the Baptist general convention of Texas and has assisted in the mission

ary, educational and benevolent work of the Baptists of Texas.

MONROE SCHOOL STARTED MONDAY AFTER VACATION

S. A. Ribble, teacher of the Monroe school, recommended the term Monday following a week's Christmas holiday period.

Mr. Ribble spent the holidays with his family here at 2012 9th street.

To Stop a Cough Quick

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a cough medicine which stops the cough by healing the inflamed and irritated tissues.

A box of GROVES O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup.

The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Groves' O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough.

Both remedies are packed in one carton and the cost of the combined treatment is 35c. Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

Speeding up South Plains Development; Bringing the Country to Town!

\$300,000.00

Overland and Willys-Knight Automobiles

Were Sold Thru the Lub-Tex Motor Co. in 1923

Entering the New Year of 1924 with an ambition to sell one-half million dollars worth of these dependable methods of transportation, the Lub-Tex Motor Company pauses to extend

New Year Greetings

—and thanks for the generous patronage, good will and confidence given us and shown in our products in 1923 that made it possible for us to sell \$300,000.00 worth of Automobiles which we emphatically believe are "THE GREATEST VALUES OFFERED TODAY IN AMERICA".

"Service"—Not Just a Slogan; It's Our Hobby—a Fact

We know we have the cars that pleases people who are thrifty and yet who demand more than "ordinary cars". We have pledged our organization to an unwavering policy of "Service" to every owner of the Overland and Willys-Knight and dedicate our energies to making more friends and customers for 1924!

YOURS, FOR THE BIGGEST YEAR IN THE HISTORY OF LUBBOCK—THE SOUTH PLAINS, AND THE—

Lub-Tex Motor Company

F. N. PAYNE, Manager

Lubbock

"In the heart of Auto Row"

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Our beautiful and the New Year, a clean page, our deeds of love, have worthy and no black.

The gin for home—to enjoy Mr. Wilkins returned to the city, and Mr. and Mrs. family reunion with all their children as Christmas day. At their daughter in Lubbock.

Prof. Jim V. a guest in the days last week. W. W. Cox, week with his Miss Lois were dinner Cox on Christmas. Mr. Henry last week with James, C. G. Cox, and his Batey being Batey of Slaton reunion.

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Community News

MONROE

Our beautiful Christmas is gone and the New Year is opening before us, a clean page on which to record our deeds of 1924. May each of us have worthy actions to fill the book and no black marks.

The gin force all left for their home—to enjoy Christmas and only Mr. Wilkins remained to receive the cotton as it came in to wait for the return of the operators.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Teal had a family reunion and Christmas dinner with all their children and grandchildren as dinner guests on Christmas day. After which they visited their daughters, Mesdames Sherrod in Lubbock.

Prof. Jim Webb, of Canyon, was a guest in the Cox home for a few days last week.

W. W. Cox, of Canyon spent last week with home folks here.

Miss Lois Cone and her brother were dinner guests to Miss Leola Cox on Christmas day.

Mr. Henry Batey of Kansas, spent last week with his sisters here, Mesdames C. C. Stephens and T. H. Cox, and his mother, Mrs. M. E. Batey being joined here by W. H. Batey of Slaton, making a merry reunion.

Mr. Tom G. Clark of McLean, visited friends here and at Slaton during the Yuletide.

Mrs. Carpenter and two children of Slaton, were calling in the Stephenson home on December 26th.

Mr. Will E. Agnew, who spent Christmas in Fannin county, returned on last Thursday, being accompanied by a nice, charming girl, whom he introduced as "my wife" and explained that she was Miss Ruth Justice of near Bonham, Texas. We extend a hearty welcome to this young woman and hope she likes our good country.

Mr. Leslie Yager, who lived in the Clutter home, went back home, to Bonham, Texas, and was married to Miss Ida Campbell. Here is hoping he brings his wife and comes back to live among us.

Mr. Stokes and family, who lived near the Monroe station house, moved, and we regret to give up this nice family.

SHALLOWATER

Miss Mamie Crisp returned to Wichita Falls Saturday after spending a pleasant vacation at home.

Misses Marie Kincaide, Gladys Baker and Chloë Johnson are spending their two week's vacation at their respective homes.

E. E. Ireland entertained company from Hereford during the holidays.

L. Hardy has moved his household goods in the grain house and his family are staying at the Emmett Wright home until Mr. Hardy can build a house.

Mrs. H. W. Hollyfield and daughter visited with Mrs. Hollyfield's parents at Lubbock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Duncan returned from Dallas last week to look after the interest of their farm south of town.

LIBERTY

Gordon Cone is home from Austin where he attends school, to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Jesse Cone.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hale and little son, Lee Edwin, are spending a few days in Lorenzo with relatives.

The Christmas tree and program at the school house Monday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. The large tree was loaded from the ground to topmost limb.

Miss Lois Cone who has been attending school at Canyon is home for a few days, with her mother and family, Mrs. Jesse Cone.

Miss Carola Hetter is home from Canyon, visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Hetter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hale spent several days this week with his brother C. L. Hale and wife.

Miss Ruth Newton came in from Canyon this week.

Misses Alice and Ollie Ford, Prinit-Hamult and Jack Groves motored up from Post Monday to see Miss Annie Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bone spent Christmas day with Mr. Goble and family near Abertash. They report a good time as well as a delicious dinner.

School will open again on Wednesday after new year's day.

Miss Annie Ford is spending a few days with home folks at Post.

Mr. L. Phillips and family have moved from this community to Bledsoe. We regret very much to lose them from our community.

Mrs. J. D. Tomlinson's sister, Mrs. Bea, from Shallowater, was visiting in the Tomlinson home this week.

LIGON

The first Christmas tree was held in the Ligon school house December 22, 1923, at 8:00 p. m. There was a large crowd present both old and young. Santa Claus came a long way through the ice and snow to see the little Ligon children.

W. N. Adams, ex-senator, was the Santa Claus. The ladies decorated the tree and house beautifully with bolls and trimmings. There were presents for present.

The Ligon Town and Improvement Co. sent in a large box of presents for Santa Claus to distribute to their patrons. There was not enough room on the tree so some of the presents had to be left on the floor until Santa Claus could distribute them. H. J. Fox and A. G. Davis secured the tree and hauled it to the school house. The beautiful and artistic decorations for the room

and tree was prepared and selected by the Ligon ladies. Santa Claus was late arriving and while the crowd was patiently waiting Mrs. Willie Wilson entertained the people with several selections on the piano. Some of the visitors were W. N. Adams, Mrs. Willie Wilson Doris and Daisy Adams and R. H. Davis from the Minnie Veal community; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jones and John Smith from the old Slaughter headquarters. The following people from Ligon were present: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hickman, J. W. Arrowood, H. J. Knox, A. G. Davis and families, E. B. Boyd and son Clint Boyd, Robert Crute, Gage Knox, Jack Lancaster, Rene Turner, the Avalanche reporter and others.

H. G. Bryant and Miss Jacobs visited at Ligon this week.

The following visited Ligon the past week: Floy Lee, Bill Jagers, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Ernest and Miss Nell Ruth, Jack McClure, Clyde Schmauss and Ralph Young.

Mrs. E. W. Green spent the week-end visiting friends.

Mrs. J. P. Robertson is spending the holidays at Walnut Springs, Texas.

J. P. Robertson is spending a few days in Lubbock.

The children having lost so much time from school during the snow the school trustees of Ligon decided to give only December 4 and 25 for Christmas holidays.

SOCIETY

(From Tuesday's Daily)

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. Games of various kinds constituted the mode of entertainment and almost every minute of the evening was filled with peels of laughter, and fronted gesticulations as one after another of the guests, by means of the progress of the games, was transformed into a being quite different from their natural state.

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, consisting of fruit, salad, hot chocolate, sandwiches, potato chips and candy.

The following guests, after declaring the evening one of the most delightful ever spent, and little Miss Margaret Trigg, together with her parents the most successful of entertainers, departed at a late hour: Louise Wolfarth, Annie Snyder, Mary Snyder, Nadine Young, Maurine Henderson, Hazel Martin, Alice Bean, Alice Bean, Mary Parker Brown, Doris Baugh, Margarite Baskin, Geraldine Smith, Audrey Stoker, Mrs. W. L. Baugh.

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, Rev. J. T. Howell officiating. We regret to learn that they are not to make their home in Lynn County. They will locate at Estelline, in Hall county. The News extends congratulations and good wishes.

C. A. Vance and Miss Eula Fortenberry were married on the afternoon of Christmas day by Judge I. P. Metcalf, who performed the ceremony, at his residence in Tahoka. The young couple will make their home in the Redwine community. They have the best wishes of a host of friends.

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. Mr. Stewart, according to statements made by him prior to leaving for Dallas, is delighted with Lubbock and may return in the near future to make his home here.

Miss Mable Stilwell, of Dallas, is the guest of Miss Roxie Nurent at 1214 Ave. K.

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

Correction

In last Sunday's issue of the Avalanche an error was made in giving the transfer of the following piece of property, and should have read as follows:

John F. Robinson to D. M. Steele and Janet Steele south 1-2 of southwest 1-4 of northwest 1-4 of the northeast 1-4 survey 13, block B.

CATARRAHAL DEAFNESS

is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you are suffering from Catarrhal Deafness. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.

HAZARD'S CATARRHAL MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrhal Deafness caused by Catarrh. HAZARD'S CATARRHAL MEDICINE has been recommended in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years. Sold by all druggists.

J. J. Clancy & Co., Lubbock, Ok.

A. W. Gibson and wife, of Crosbyton, were here Tuesday.

Mabel M. Porter, of Lorraine, arrived in Lubbock Tuesday on a tour of West Texas.

Use Avalanche Classified Ads.

POST CITY FAMILY KILLED IN WRECK

Word has just been received in Lubbock that Mrs. O. W. Tyler and year-old son were instantly killed Christmas Eve, while visiting in Vermont. Mr. and Mrs. Tyler and the baby were in their car crossing a railroad track when a fast express train struck them. Mrs. Tyler was instantly killed and the baby died a few minutes later. Mr. Taylor is not expected to live.

The car was completely demolished. The people were well known in Lubbock. Mr. Taylor was for some time employed as a salesman for the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, and frequently looked after business matters in Lubbock, but for the past two years he has been associated with Claud Sarfain, proprietor of the Garza Garage at Post City. Mrs. Tyler will be remembered as Miss Ethel Dupre and the family resided in Garza county for a number of years.

They have a number of friends in Lubbock who will mourn their untimely death.

W. S. CLARK WILL RUN FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER

In this issue of the Avalanche will be found the name of W. S. Clark who authorizes us to announce that he is in the race for Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Lubbock County. Mr. Clark has had considerable experience in the cotton weighing business and at one time held the office in this county. He is an old timer in Lubbock, having come here the year before the county was organized. He drove down his stakes here in 1890, and has been a continuous resident of the county ever since.

He was the first tax assessor that Lubbock ever had, and was elected twice to that office. He has been engaged in business here at various times, and is well known to all of the old timers, and many of the new comers have formed his acquaintance.

Mr. Clark will appreciate very much the consideration of all the voters in this precinct.

LOCATION TECH CELEBRATED IN BRAZIL

The Avalanche is in receipt of the following letter, which is interesting in more ways than one. It is interesting because of its coming from far off Brazil, dated more than a month ago and received in yesterday morning's mail. Interesting because it is from our good friend Mr. O. D. Hargis, who figured prominently in the location of the Tech College, here, and to whom we believe much credit is due for its location at this point. Interesting because of the nature of the letter, and in telling of his loyalty to the home town, inasmuch as he celebrated the location of the school weeks and weeks after the celebration was all over here.

Mr. Hargis writes:

Rio Branco, Acre Territoire, Brazil, Nov. 22, 1923. Jas. L. Dow, Editor, The Avalanche. Dear Friend Dow:—

Four months without a letter or a paper from home, and three of those months buried in the wilds of Brazil and Bolivia. Then suddenly to receive a batch of letters and copies of the Avalanche with all the announcements of the location of the Texas Tech, at Lubbock and the resulting celebrations!

Away down here in the jungles of South America there was a citizen of Lubbock who celebrated all over again, all by myself. As one who had a great interest in this matter I will always greatly regret that it was not possible for me to have been at Lubbock to see the wonderful demonstrations that were undoubtedly staged.

After carefully reading Lubbock's brief before I came away I always did think she had the best one presented, and one that would leave the question in the minds of the locating committee: "Where else can we put it?"

As a citizen of Lubbock, from this long distance, I wish to add my modest word of appreciation for the efforts put forth by your steering committee.

Yours faithfully,
O. D. HARGIS.

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: CHARLES NOBDEKE.

For Public Weigher, Prec. 1: W. S. (BIBB) CLARK.

For Tax Assessor: R. C. BURNS (Re-Election)

For County Superintendent of Schools: W. M. PEVEHOUSE.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head. Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE QUININE (Quinine) can be taken in any amount without producing or reducing the head. E. W. GROVE'S signature on box, etc.

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.

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.

DEATHS

Sam Firestone, age fifty-eight years and seven months, died here Tuesday, December 31st. The remains were shipped to Stewart, Oklahoma, Thursday by the Rix company.

Mrs. Lillie Womack, age fifty-eight years, three months and twelve days, died here Thursday. She is the wife of B. F. Womack, prominent farmer of Scurry county. The remains were shipped to Snyder by the Rix company.

NICE HOME IS NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION FOR BOYD

Duval & Jackson, contractors, are making splendid headway in the construction of the stucco home on 10th street for Joe Boyd.

This home is located in one of the fast developing portions of the city, and is substantial throughout, all modern convenience having been arranged in the plans.

Such homes reflect well upon Lubbock citizens confidence in the future of the city.

3-YEAR OLD BOY HURT BY AUTOMOBILE MONDAY

Paul, the three-year-old son of J. L. Harrington, of Lubbock, had both bones in the right leg broken in an accident near the Harrington home early Monday morning.

The lad was rushed to a local sanitarium where immediate surgical attention was given the injuries, and hopes are now that he will recover and have use of the member.

The car ran over the leg when the boy was run down, and painful flesh injuries were also sustained.

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35 years of un-failing service on bake-day has made CALUMET THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

Retains its great leavening strength in every climate to the very last spoonful. Always dependable and pure.



Sales 2 1/2 times as much as that of any other brand
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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—567 acres land 1-2 mile from Littlefield townsite in tracts of 90 acres or more. 335 acres in cultivation, some improvements. A. L. Schellingberg owner, Littlefield, Texas.

ROWDEN COTTON SEED. We are the originators and breeders of the famous five lock big boll Rowden cotton; we ship nothing but No. 1 seed for planting; all seed double culled and put up in three bushel bags, all bags marked Rowden; name copyrighted; \$5.60 per bushel f. o. b. Wills Point, Texas. Rowden Bros., and Co. 14-3p.

WE ARE booking orders for pure Mebane, Kasch, Lone Star and Harper cotton seed, Rucker Produce. 50-1f

40 ACRES FOR SALE—\$100 per acre, 1-4 cash; balance easy; outside city limits, Box 128 Lubbock, Texas. 15-4p

FOR SALE—A few bred sows of improved Guinea pigs. Most economical pork producers; quick growth; early maturity. Wanted to trade for good Jersey cow near Lubbock. Weltton Winn, 1218 8th St., 56-1 16-1

FOR SALE—Four room house, modern conveniences, 75 foot front, garage, part cash and terms. H. F. Mittendorf, Box 557. 16-1p

ROWDEN COTTON SEED. We are the originators and breeders of the famous five lock big boll Rowden cotton; we ship nothing but No. 1 seed for planting; all seed double culled and put up in three-bushel bags; all bags marked Rowden; name copyrighted; \$2.50 per bushel f. o. b. Wills Point, Texas. Rowden Bros. & Co.

The above ad ran in the Weekly Avalanche with an error in the price. The price should be \$2.50 and our ad read \$5.00 per bushel. This error was ours, and we agreed to make the correction. 64-1p 15-3p

LOST OR STRAYED—1 black horse 8 years old; 1 black mule, coming 5; 1 bay mare mule, coming 4; and

1 black horse mule, coming 4; all in good shape; no scars or brands on any of them. \$10.00 reward for information leading to recovery or whereabouts. P. E. Carsnoe, 3 miles east and 2 miles north of Shallowater Route 2, Lubbock, Texas. 16-1p

FOR RENT—Farm, 200 acres in cultivation, sufficient teams, tools and feed for sale. Cash to run renter. Ask Henderson at Avalanche, 16-1p

500 CARS REGISTERED BY THE TAX COLLECTOR

Five hundred and ninety cars have been registered for 1924 with the Lubbock County Tax Collector, as compared with three thousand six hundred and fifty five for 1923.

Every effort is being made by the collector to have car owners pay their taxes just as soon as it is possible, especially to get a larger proportion of them registered before the first of January, at which time the legal time for registration expires and the law can be invoked assessing a penalty on each owner.

BUILD A HOME!

GIRLS! A GLEAMY MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

35-Cent "Danderine" So Improves Lifeless, Neglected Hair

An abundance of luxuriant hair full of gloss, gleams and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalp with dependable "Danderine." Falling hair, itching scalp, and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any drugstore.



Dollar Day Specials

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| 70 bars of Soap | \$1.00 |
| 2 pieces Aluminum Ware | \$1.00 |
| \$1.00 off on all Shoes above \$5.00. | |
| 1 lot Ladies' High Top Shoes, all sizes and kinds | 95c |
| 7 yds. Gingham, 27 inches wide | \$1.00 |
| 5 yds. Gingham, 32 inches wide | \$1.00 |
| 4 yds. Outing, 36 inches wide | \$1.00 |
| 5 yds. Outing, 27 inches wide | \$1.00 |
| 5 yds. Bleached Domestic, 36 inches wide | \$1.00 |
| 1 lot Boys Cotton Sweaters | \$1.00 |
| 5yds. 36-inch Percal | \$1.00 |
| 10 cans 15c Talcum | \$1.00 |
| 5 yds. 36-inch Cretonne | \$1.00 |
| 5 yds. 27-inch heavy Cretonne | \$1.00 |
| 2 yds. 36-inch Curtain lace | \$1.00 |
| 20 balls crochet thread | \$1.00 |
| 7 pairs childrens hose | \$1.00 |
| 2 pairs Ladies silk hose black only | \$1.00 |
| 3 boxes Vanities | \$1.00 |
| Derrick work Shirt | \$1.00 |

The Leader

Beginning Sat.
Morning**Barrier Brothers**Double Gold Bond
Stamps Saturday

January Clearance Sale!

Our usual Clearance Sale on all winter merchandise is an event of importance to every one of our South Plains customers, and it is of more importance now than ever because of the extra values we are offering in face of rising prices on practically all merchandise.

A Sale Characterized by Values

Every item in our big stock is being offered at big reductions. We are making these prices on goods we carry regularly in stock and the merchandise is guaranteed to please or your money back. We don't want to sell you something you can't use or not just what you want. It seems that this winter will be more severe than for several years and now is an opportunity to supply yourselves with good warm clothing to ward off cold weather ahead of us. Every item in the house greatly reduced. Come buy now.

Pure Thread Silk Hose in heavy grade with silk top on sale regular \$3.75 values, special per pair **\$2.45**

Black Cat Hose for Ladies in all pure silk, black and brown, regular \$3.00 value, special during this sale **\$2.25**

Black Cotton Hose for Ladies in a good serviceable grade, 2 pairs for **25c**

Ladies' Mercerized drop stitch Hose, black and brown, regular 75c grade, special per pair **59c**

Corticelli Crochet Thread, all sizes, in white only, special per ball **9c**

Woodbury's Soap, 3 bars for only **49c**

Mavis Talcum Powder, regular size, 3 cans for **49c**

DRESS GINGHAM

Regular 25c grade Gingham only **19c**

Regular 30c grade Gingham only **23c**

Regular 35c grade Gingham only **29c**

Regular 50c grade Gingham only **39c**

Regular 75c grade Gingham **59c**

COMFORTS - BLANKETS REDUCED

All wool Blankets, regular \$10.75 values, on sale **\$8.95**

\$15.00 Blankets sale **\$12.75**

Pure Down Comforts with beautiful sateen lining, regular \$16.50 value, on sale at each **\$12.95**

Pure Down Comforts in \$25.00 value on sale **\$18.50**

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HOSE ON SALE AT BIG REDUCTIONS.

Regular 50c grade in extra good wearing hose in black and brown, special 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

Regular 35c Hose, all sizes, in black and brown, special 4 pairs for **\$1.00**

25c Hose, per pair **19c**

Misses pure Silk Ribbed hose, in all sizes, black and brown, special per pair **\$1.19**

Infants Silk Hose in black, white, pink and blue, special per pair **59c**

Silk Hose for ladies and school girls in black and brown, special during this sale per pair **89c**

ALL DRAPERIES GREATLY REDUCED.

\$1.00 grade reduced to per yard **69c**

\$1.25 grade reduced to per yard **79c**

ALL SILKS REDUCED.

One lot of ladies and children's Sweaters to close out at **ONE-HALF PRICE**

Big reduction on all ladies' and children's Coats.

Big reductions on all ladies' Silk and Woolen Dresses. 36-in. Indian Head Linen, soft finish, regular 40c grade, special per yd. **26c**

Turkish Towels in plain white, good size, specials, each **18c**

Good Brown Domestic, 36-inch. width, special yard **13c**

Hope Bleached Domestic, regular 25c value, special at per yard **19c**

36-in. Percale, fast colors, good quality, special per yard only **18c**

Red and green all-wool Flannel, 54 inches wide, regular \$2.75 grade, special at per yard **\$1.75**

Dress Serge in all wool 36 inches wide in the desirable colors, special per yd **98c**

Men's Arrow Collar, a large stock to choose from, 6 for **98c**

Look! Look! All Men's \$5.00 Hats for only **\$2.98**

Men's \$5.50 Hats for **\$3.19**

We have a real bargain in some Men's Shirts, a good \$1.50 Madras for only **98c**

All \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Neckband Shirts reduced as much as **33 1-3 Percent**

Just 64 Men's Kuppenheimer Suits left. Look at these prices because we are not going to have any left-overs.

—\$50.00 values now **\$36.65**

—\$47.50 values now **\$34.25**

—\$45.00 values now **\$32.95**

—\$40.00 values now **\$29.95**

—\$37.50 values now **\$26.95**

Men's Overcoats reduced to **33 1-3 Percent**

\$1.25 Boy's Cotton Flannel Shirts only **89c**

\$1.50 Boy's Cotton Flannel Shirts only **98c**

Look! Look! At this: a good heavy grade 220 wt. Overall, standard size, for only **\$1.15**

A real bargain, all sizes, buy now and save money.

Good blue Work Shirts for only **79c**

Boy's Overalls, age 4 to 9, for only **79c**

Boy's Overalls, age 9 to 15, only **98c**

Boy's \$15.00 Suits, 2 pair pants, for only **\$9.95**

A real bargain, the best grade Men's Lee Unionalls, \$4.00 now only **\$3.19**

14 good Handkerchiefs for only **98c**

We have some real bargains in Men's and Boy's Caps.

SHOES

Low, Military and Cuban Heels with rubber, prices range from **\$2.85 to \$7.85**

Good strap effect, 13-8 Spanish Heel, in patent and satin combination, regular \$8.00 values, sale price now only **\$4.85**

All new Shoes in the new strap effects and colors are reduced during this sale.

CHILDREN'S SHOES

All Children's Shoes Reduced.

One lot No. 355, brown calf welt sole, sizes 11 1-2 to 2, regular \$5.00 values **\$3.85**

All \$1.00 Felts **78c**

All \$1.25 Felts **98c**

All \$1.50 Felts **\$1.18**

All \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50 leather Shoes with felt lining, sale price only **\$1.65**

BARRIER BROS., LUBBOCK

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BARRIER BROS. DEPARTMENT STORE'S CLEARANCE SALE!

BEGINS SATURDAY MORNING JANUARY 5th

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1924.

COME! YOU
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OFFERINGS.

Offering what we honestly believe the greatest opportunity presented for your attention. For seven years we have held this Annual January Clearance in Lubbock. Our program for 1924 is more ambitious than at any time heretofore; our determination to give you better merchandise at lower prices is stronger. We have listed on page 8 (back page of the first section of this paper) some of the offerings included in our Sweeping Clearance of all winter merchandise now in our store. We ask that you note these offerings carefully and let them give you an idea of the values we will have for you beginning Saturday morning of this week.

And on Monday, January the 7th, as has been the custom of Barrier Brothers Store for 7 years, we will feature our regular outstanding Dollar Day Values. These values will help you in getting a true insight into the remarkable program of our store for 1924.

This store has pledged itself to "Public Service" at the beginning of 1924, and rededicates its energies to maintaining leadership.

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Lubbock, Texas

Early Days on The Plains

By MRS. J. L. COLEMAN

As Bill Arp used to say, "the other day I was running about some of the changes" wrought in Lubbock county in the last twelve years.

About the last of January, 1911, my husband left me and the babies with my mother, while he with our worldly possessions came to this county to prepare our new home for our coming. The land was unbroken prairie with no improvements, whatever; but in a short while he wrote of the new well and such an abundance of good water, and a little later the new shack was ready. Yes, "shack," for there was no time for building a house, because the land must be cleared, fenced and broken, beside the hundred and one other things necessary that could not wait, if we were to make a crop that year.

So, one fine day near the end of February I bade adieu to loved ones and started west. Arriving at Slaton the weather had changed, one of those cloudy cold winds coming strong from the northeast. I may have been the first, but not the only person who ever got "turned around" on the crooked-with-the-world streets of that little city. The thirteen mile road home was almost straight across country with nothing but two or three ranch fences in the way and there you were; but what a tumult of emotion I felt with my first glimpse of home! It might have been the memory of crooked streets, or those left behind, or the cold, or the lonely appearance of the little shack; but, whatever it was, certainly, it left no enviable frame of mind, and when the weather continued misting and freezing for days, good people I could not help looking back. Then came a long season of dry weather and sand-storms. Accustomed as I had been to these disadvantages, having lived in the west for more than twenty years, I now found it extremely difficult to adapt myself to my new surround-

ings. But just you meet them in a new country where everybody is a stranger and see if you don't get blue. Finally, time, that changes all things, changed the weather, and with the change came new life. For several years I had lived where water was scarce. We had to haul most of it from a distance of one to three miles and then it was not very good and there was none only for absolute necessities. It must have been the prospect of plenty of water to splash with and the warm sunshine that were so inviting, for I could hardly remain in-doors, and I think that if my loved ones all had been with me, it would have been the finest place on earth. But, in this life, we must learn how to live without our loved ones from whom we must be separated, and there's no surer way, or better, than by getting into the out-of-doors and living for a purpose. I was learning this lesson and my plans for chickens and a garden began to materialize.

Chickens did well that year and that soil garden was a beauty. Did some one say, "you can't raise a sod garden in this country?" Well, just let them plow up a little spot, pulverize it well (yes you can) and plant it; then, with a little patience and what is known as main strength and energy—a good deal of the latter—watch for results. You'll be rewarded. To be sure it must be irrigated, but that is what a well and a windmill are made for, and we have them in abundance.

We have seen many people come, turn the sod, plant trees, build good houses now almost hidden by the green. Many have fine orchards from which they put up fruits to last from season to season, and there is seldom a year we don't have plenty to eat fresh thru peach season.

Crops, well, we who have been here thru the several dry years

have had our faith strengthened by the latter rains that so often come and revive and make good the seemingly dead crops. We have often seen this near-miracle, and know that our's is one of the richest sections in agricultural resources that can be found. But that is another story.

This would not be complete without making mention of the part played by our bankers, who stood by us so loyally, enabling us to tide over the dry years that it often was very discouraging to themselves. It was they who encouraged us, in a material way, to stay with our homes, most and overcome adversity and thus make our county what she is; viz., one of the best on the plains, the finest country in Texas.

In these early years, Slaton's public square was only a plot of ground with a few furrows plowed around it. Now, there is a city hall surrounded by beautiful trees.

The small wooden buildings about the square are rapidly giving place to substantial ones. The church buildings, grown too small have all been replaced by more modern structures. The public school houses would be a credit to any community, and all the town has prospered in like proportion.

And Lubbock, boasted a court-house built of wood and most of the stores were the same, but there's little now, to remind one of the old town. It is getting to be a modern city.

At that time our 12-mile road to Lubbock was unobstructed by farms and lead nearly straight into town. Now our roads to both Slaton and Lubbock are lanes, and most of the land is being well improved. Good school houses have been built and good roads are building. A new country can't begin with all these good things but must keep on till she has them, and that's what Lubbock is doing—keeping on building.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Ernest Hughes, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county. To appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lubbock County, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in the City of Lubbock, Texas, on the third Monday in January, 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the first day of August, 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1748, wherein Willie Bailey is plaintiff, and Ernest Hughes is defendant, said petition alleging as follows:

That about the last of January, A. D. 1923, the defendant knowing that the plaintiff would be confined in the month of March following, without any cause of justification left his home and remained away until about four or five days ago, and utterly and wholly neglected to provide this plaintiff with the necessities of life and wholly and totally failed to make any provision for medical attention for herself and their child. That the said child was born in the month of March, 1923, and during her confinement and afterwards this plaintiff was compelled to and did rely wholly upon her widowed mother for the support of herself and children. That the mother of your plaintiff is a woman without means and compelled to support herself by her labor and by renting rooms in a residence owned by her, and during the time the defendant would stay in Lubbock and at home with this plaintiff, she was compelled to rely upon her mother for her support, and the defendant utterly failed to properly provide for plaintiff, but on the contrary made it a practice of buying medicine, groceries, etc., on the faith and credit of plaintiff's mother, notwithstanding the fact that he is and was an able-bodied man and a skilled mechanic and well able to make a living for himself and family. That on account of the neglect of the plaintiff by the defendant, she is compelled at this time to work in the telephone office in the town of Lubbock to support herself and the two children of herself and defendant, and altho she is now the mother of a nursing infant four months old and not strong physically and not able to work, she is forced and compelled to go to work and labor for the support of herself and children. That the willful and unjustifiable neglect of this plaintiff by the defendant under the circumstances just above set out constitute extreme cruelty and was such outrageous treatment toward a woman of pride and refinement as to render this

further living together as husband and wife insupportable.

That there were two children born to said union, to-wit: Jim Bob, a son about two years old, and Turley Holmes, a son now about four months old. That the defendant is not the proper person for the care and custody of said children, but this plaintiff is a proper person for their care and custody and notwithstanding the hardship of so doing, this plaintiff is now and will continue to provide them with a proper home and the necessities of life for a divorce and for custody of said children.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Louie F. Moore, Clerk of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of Lubbock, Texas, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1923.

(SEAL) LOUIE F. MOORE, Clerk, District Court, Lubbock County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Ernest Hughes, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lubbock County, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in the City of Lubbock on the 3rd Monday in January, 1924; the same being the 21st day of January, 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of November, 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1801, wherein Robert B. Hughes, is Plaintiff and Ernest Hughes, is Defendant said petition alleging as follows:

That plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married on Dec. 12, 1920, and lived together until about September 1st, 1922, when she was forced and compelled to leave defendant on account of his cruel treatment of her, of such nature and character as to render their further living together insupportable. She avers that shortly after their marriage, defendant began to gamble and drink and spend all his earnings, and this was continued and followed by defendant cursing and abusing plaintiff and by his frequent assaults on her, on several occasions he whipped plaintiff, and continued such conduct until it became unbearable and she fled from him for safety and peace. By reason of such treatment on the part of defendant, she prays that upon final hearing hereof, she be granted a divorce, and that the matrimonial bonds heretofore existing between them be in all things dissolved.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS Louie F. Moore, Clerk of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of Lubbock, Texas, this 28th day of November, A. D. 1923.

LOUIE F. MOORE, Clerk, District Court, Lubbock County, Texas.

(SEAL) 13-4

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lubbock County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. F. Ruhl and the heirs and legal representatives of said J. F. Ruhl, whose names are unknown, and Samuel J. Ruhl, and the heirs and legal representatives of said Samuel J. Ruhl, whose names are unknown, and the residences of all the defendants are unknown to plaintiff, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lubbock County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in January, A. D. 1924, the same being the 21st day of January, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1805, wherein Belle Young, joined pro forma, by her husband, James Young, is plaintiff, and J. F. Ruhl, and the heirs and legal representatives of said J. F. Ruhl and Samuel J. Ruhl, are defendants, and said petition alleging that on or about the 1st day of June, 1923, plaintiff was seized and possessed, and the owner in fee simple of lots Numbers Two and Three (2 and 3) in block 111, of the Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas; that on said date, the defendants unlawfully entered upon said property and ejected plaintiff, and continues to unlawfully hold said real estate.

Plaintiff prays that upon final hearing hereof, she have judgment for the title and possession of said above described property, and for all other and further relief to which she may be entitled.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, on this 8th day of December, A. D. 1923.

(SEAL) LOUIE F. MOORE, Clerk, District Court, Lubbock County, Texas.

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AMHERST FASTEST GROWING TOWN SAYS LITTLEFIELD MAN

Presley Griffin, formerly of Lubbock, but who now lives near Littlefield, was here Saturday on business. Mr. Griffin stated that the town that fell over that portion of the Plains several days ago is now melting; leaving roads in bad shape, and farmers cannot go into their fields.

He stated that there had been 16 residences built at Amherst, west of Littlefield, during the past month, and that plans have been made and contracts let for a number of other residences, all of which typify the homes that are being built throughout West Texas as they are substantially built and modern throughout.

A brick store building is nearing completion at Amherst, and in every way such progress is being made by the builders there that some of the people of that community are beginning to believe that Amherst is the fastest, or at least one of the fastest growing towns in West Texas.

E. P. NORWOOD BUILDING GETTING FINAL TOUCHES

Painters are putting the finishing touches on the E. P. Norwood building on Main street, and by January 1st it will be ready for occupancy by the Gray Motor Car Company.

The interior is being painted in light colors, giving the place a cheerfulness that will add greatly to the proper display of the cars and trucks that will be distributed from that building.

The Gray Motor Company of Lubbock is wholesale distributor for more than fifty West Texas counties, and that it will prove another thriving industry for Lubbock is assured.

Such buildings as the one now being completed by Mr. Norwood not only add to the appearance of Lubbock, but to the tax values of the town which make for general municipal improvements that can meet the demands of a rapidly increasing population.

MANY PEOPLE WANT HOMES IN LUBBOCK

J. K. Wester, local real estate dealer, is of the opinion that there are right now more than one thousand people eager to make their homes here, but because of the shortage of houses are finding it impractical to locate here at this time.

There is a number of movements being started to construct more rent houses and small homes than can be purchased on easy payment plans and all contractors are pushing their jobs to completion just as fast as possible by using all the men who can conveniently work, and have found that there are ample carpenters here to keep things going at top speed.

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THREE LOCAL BOYS FACE SENTENCES IN REFORMATORY FOR THEFT; MONEY TAKEN FROM MAN FOUND ON THEM

Jack and August Frost, ages 12 and 15 respectively, and Bessent, age 16 years, were arrested and placed in jail here Saturday afternoon, after they had been searched and found with money and a purse, alleged to have belonged to Walter Williamson, chief engineer at the Texas Utilities Power plant.

Mr. Williamson was busy helping to unload a quantity of fuel oil from railroad cars near the plant Saturday afternoon when the three lads appeared on the scene, and they were warned to be careful not to break window lights in the plant when it was observed that they were throwing stones with a negro-shooter.

Mr. Williamson thought the boys had left the plant and continued his work after warning them, but on going into the plant to take a package of cigarettes from his desk, found that the desk had been rifled and the cigarettes and other articles had disappeared. Mr. Williamson went to his locker to find his purse, which was in the pocket of a pair of trousers, had also disappeared.

The boys were described to officers, and were soon arrested by local police while they were enjoying a picture show program, chewing gum, and such candies as a lad of that age would purchase with "easily acquired" cash.

A search of the boys' pockets revealed that two of them had a five dollar bill each, while the other lad, the youngest of the three, was the proud possessor of a five dollar bill, two silver dollars and some small change, together with the purse bearing the identification card of Mr. Williamson.

They were taken to the sheriff's office where they were questioned by County Judge P. F. Brown, and one of the lads declared that he had taken the money and that the other boys were not about the plant at all, and had nothing whatever to do with the theft. The fact that the other larger boys were seen at the plant by Mr. Williamson and others, however, exploded this testimony, and all three were locked in the county jail to await trial.

The three lads presented a disheartening appearance to anyone interested in youth, as instead of showing any shock of pride at being locked up they talked of the incident as an "every-week occurrence, which is about right, according to reports of the officers.

On entering the jail they were given a hearty greeting by the brother of two of the boys, who was arrested several weeks ago on a charge of theft in connection with the stealing of a quantity of cotton on a farm near Lubbock.

"A reformatory sentence of from ten to ten years would be the very cure for these lads, and efforts will be made to have such terms imposed," an officer said following the investigation.

County Judge Brown assured the boys that they would be given a fair and impartial trial, but that they had been arrested on so many charges that a sentence imposing reformatory terms would be meted out to them if they were found guilty of all of the charges brought against them.

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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?

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Mrs. Turbo	3.00
Jas. L. Dow	2.00
Cullum Bros.	2.00
C. H. Hilton	2.00
Taylor Higginbotham	1.00

NEGRO AND STILL CAPTURED BY OFFICERS

"Dat ain't no box of mine, Shur," a negro tried to explain to members of the sheriff's office forces when hauled into the office Saturday for a questioning before being taken to the county jail.

The box in question was a cleverly designed "cooling tank" for a "hooch" manufacturing apparatus, and the lead pipe which ran through it was fastened into the head of an eight-gallon tin tank which contained a quantity of mash.

The negro and still were captured in the negro's shack, and enough "evidence" was taken in the raid to give the officers assurance that the "time was ripe" for the arrest.

The still, while ingeniously designed, was made of cheap materials, showing that the "legger" had not reached the prosperous stage in his profession.

He will in all probability remain in jail until tried, as officers said they had no applications from anyone wanting to make for the negro.

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 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 3:3; 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 material. Peter tells us that God is the remediator 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 inter-

ested 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 T. 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 Immutability Law."

CHICAGO SALESMAN IS VISITING IN LUBBOCK

H. H. Whipp, specialty salesman for Hibbard-Spencer-Bartlett & Company, of Chicago, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. C. M. Whipp of 1820 Main street.

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Andrew Culvin, of Waco, was a business visitor to Lubbock Saturday.

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.

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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.

E. R. HAYNES DIED

MONDAY AT 9 A. M.

County Superintendent of Schools E. R. Haynes died Monday morning at nine o'clock, according to a telegram received here Monday.

Mr. Haynes went to Temple several weeks ago for an operation, and for several days it was reported that his condition was such that no hopes were expressed for his recovery, however, he rallied and until three days ago it was believed that he would recover.

O. L. Slaton of the Lubbock State Bank, received a telegram Saturday stating that Mr. Haynes had grown weaker, and rushed to Temple to be at his bedside.

He grew steadily weaker from Saturday morning or late Friday evening and never rallied, death occurring at nine o'clock Monday morning. Mrs. Haynes and their only son Bob, together with the latter's family, O. L. Slaton of Lubbock, and other intimate friends of the superintendent were at Temple at the time of his death, and most of them were at the hospital, the end having been expected hourly for some time.

Mr. Haynes has been a foremost character in the school life of Texas having taught in the one-teacher schools of the central and eastern part of Texas long before developments were made in West Texas, but as his people began to push west in quest of more land and more favorable home surroundings, he too, was enthused with the opportunities of West Texas and was numbered 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 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.

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.

Habitual Constipation Cured

In 14 to 21 Days
"LAX-POS WITH PEP-SIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly and should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It stimulates and regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.

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—at Levelland, the County Seat. No better land on the Plains. You can buy a choice tract—small cash payment, balance easier than rent.

This land has fine water, on public highway, good schools and churches. This opportunity will not last long. Take advantage of it by making your selections now.

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LUBBOCK—1012 Ave. I—TEXAS.

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.

23---Note

Monday,

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for—

DAY ONLY

	\$6.75
	\$7.75
	\$15.25
	\$18.00
	\$12.00
	\$22.50
	\$21.25
	\$35.00

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"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Harmless Laxative for a Bilious, Constipated Baby or Child.

Constipated, bilious, feverish, or sick, colic Babies and Children love to take genuine "California Fig Syrup." No other laxative regulates the tender little bowels so nicely.

It sweetens the stomach and starts the liver and bowels acting without gripping. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Say "California" to your druggist and avoid counterfeit. Insist upon genuine "California Fig Syrup" which contains directions.

H. B. Gatewood and family, of Oklahoma City, arrived in Lubbock Friday to make their home here.

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.

Many Have Appendicitis Don't Know It

Much so-called stomach trouble is really chronic appendicitis. This can often be relieved by simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika. Most medicines act only on lower bowels but Adlerika acts on both upper and lower bowel, and removes all gasses and poisons. Brings out matter you never thought was in your system. Excellent for obstinate constipation. —City Drug Store.

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.

The remains were prepared for burial by the Rix Co., and will be sent to Durant, Okla., for interment.

BUILD A HOME!

ITCH!

MONEY BACK WITHOUT QUESTION

"HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fails in the treatment of Itch your druggist is fully authorized to return to you the purchase price.

A Medford, Oklahoma man, among thousands who praise HUNT'S SALVE, says:

"Some people dislike to call it the Itch, but condor compels me to admit I had it badly. Your Hunt's Salve, however, cured me after many other remedies had totally failed."

"HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) are especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter and other itching skin diseases, and is sold on our money-back guarantee by all reliable drug stores.

Remember, if it fails it costs you nothing, so give it a trial at our risk.

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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.

PAULGER BATTERY BEARING COMPANY

Royalty's Motor Building

Monday, January 7th—The First

A Brand New Year! One in Which Lubbock Merchants Make
Different Bargains—No Two Articles Alike

FOR THE FIRST DOLLAR DAY IN THE NEW YEAR—

63x90 PEPPEREL SHEETS \$1.00

Start the New Year by attending Lubbock Dollar Day. Bargains unusual will be offered in all lines. This store will have many specials priced at \$1.00—One among the number is the standard Pepperel Sheets, in 63x90 size, for one day only, priced at \$1.00 (Limit Four to a Customer)

Memphill-Price Co.

\$2 Worth of Repair Work For

\$1.00

or \$3 Off on Each Top.

**LUBBOCK AUTO TOP &
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at Jons Sign Shop, South
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TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR TRADES DAY OFFERING

It will mean a big saving to purchase needed Electrical appliances from us. Investigate and see.

**TEXAS
UTILITIES COMPANY**

**DARBY'S
VARIETY STORE**

Still Better Than \$1.00

Ladies' Fine Unions 90c
Misses' Fine Unions 90c
Fine Heavy Corsets \$1.00
Six Large Goblets \$1.00

We give Green Stamps with these Bargains too.

DARBY'S VARIETY STORE

"The Store of Useful Things"
Phone 812. 1103 Broadway.

by us so loyally, unflinchingly, and with such a wide over the dry years that it often was very discouraging to themselves. It was they who encouraged us, in a material way to stay with our homes, meet and overcome adversity and thus make our county what she is; viz., one of the best on the plains, the finest country in Texas.

In these early years, Slaton's public square was only a plot of ground with a few furrows plowed around it. Now, there is a city all surrounded by beautiful trees. The small wooden buildings about the square are rapidly giving place to substantial ones. The church buildings grown too small have all been replaced by more modern structures. The public school houses would be a credit to any community, and all the town has prospered in like proportion. And Lubbock, boasted a courthouse—built of wood and most of the stores were the same, but here's little now, to remind one of the old town. It is getting to be a modern city.

At that time our 12-mile road to Lubbock was unobstructed by arms and lead nearly straight into town. Now our roads to both Slaton and Lubbock are lanes, and most of the land is being well improved. Good school houses have been built and good roads are being built. A new country can't begin with all these good things but must keep on till she has them, and that's what Lubbock is doing—keeping on building.

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This offering includes beautiful designs and cut glass for every occasion. You will find quality goods and a big saving at this price.

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FOR 30 CENTS

You can advertise your wants on trades day in the classified columns of the Avalanche and get surprising results.

PHONE 14

TRADES DAY SPECIALS

6 pairs Ladies' Cotton Hose \$1.00
6 pairs Children Ribbed Hose \$1.00
10 pairs Men's Cotton Hose \$1.00
2 pairs Men's Fine Wool Hose \$1.00

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FAMILY STORE**

BROS. COMPANY

Paint for—

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Monday—Extra Special—One Day Sale
Women's and Big
Misses Shoes—Values
to \$8.50, Choice—

\$1.98

A grouping of discontinued lines and broken sizes, including Brown Calf, Black Calf, Brown and Black Kid in lace models only. These are very unusual values, and are ideal shoes for winter wear. Come early for best selections. NO APPROVALS, NO EXCHANGES

YAGER SHOE COMPANY

WONDERFUL GROCERY BARGAIN

For Trades Day only we will offer our patrons the following prices:

4 lbs. Peaberry Coffee \$1.00
50 lbs. Irish Potatoes \$1.00
12½ lbs. Pinto Beans \$1.00
24 Bars Naptha Laundry Soap \$1.00
9 cans No. 2 Tomatoes \$1.00

Take advantage of these unusual prices—buy your groceries at this store and effect a big saving.

HODGES BROTHERS
GENERAL MERCHANDISE

GOLDEN CREAM BREAD

THE BEST BUY EVER OFFERED IN LUBBOCK ON
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or on any other day. Buy a loaf today, it is sure to please.

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The latest news of the world is brought daily to the editorial rooms of the Lubbock Morning Avalanche over—

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BY ONE ONLY

Extra Special—25c grade
Outing Flannels—

\$0

GAS

HINES ELLAN

\$5

FOR 1 DAY

12 lbs. Aunt Jemima 70c
1 Box Chipso Wax 10c
2 Boxes Lighthouse Powder 10c
1 can 1-2 Pound 50c
1 can Health Club Powder 25c

TOTAL \$1.60

SPECIAL CASH

20 PER OFF

BON TORSETS

An opportunity to have a high grade corset at a wonderful saving. Visit our Monday 7th

A. B. CONN. STORE

**TRADE THESE
GOOD WANTS**

"SEE US BEFORE YOU DIE"

THE BUREAU

-th First Trades Day of 1924!

Make New Resolves to Outdo 1923---Note Carefully the Articles Alike—Plan to be in Lubbock Monday, January 7th

BN
ONE ONLY
Extra Special—25c grade
Outing Flannels—
\$0
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HINES ELLAN
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FOR 1 DAY

1 lb. Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 70c
Box Chipso Wax 10c
Boxes Lighthouse Powder 10c
Can 1-2 Pound Health Club Powder 50c
Can Health Club Powder 25c
TOTAL \$1.65

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THE BUREAU

FOR TRADES DAY EXTRA SPECIAL

on all Leather Harness on Monday trades day
only. Make our store your headquarters
trades day—we have many wonderful values
to offer.

**MYRICK HARDWARE
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SPECIAL TO LADIES

On next Monday trades day, we will give
every lady that purchases a hat a beautiful hat
box free.

We are in receipt of shipment of beautiful new
Spring Hats—we urge that you visit our shop
and see them.

We wish to announce that we have moved
our stock of millinery from Hemphill-Price
store to our shop in the Conley Store. We
wish to be in a better position to serve our
patrons in 1924.

ABNEY HAT STORE
Located Conley Store

GROCERY SPECIAL —FOR— TRADES DAY

Ours is an exceptional offering in groceries and
we urge that you visit our store Monday morn-
ing and take advantage of it by laying in a
supply of quality groceries at an exceptional
price.

3 lbs. Martin's Best Coffee \$1.00
48-lb Sack Bell Flour \$1.85
24-lb Sack Bell Flour 95c

We will give 10 percent discount on all Tea
Garden Preserves and Jellies; also on all can
goods and dried fruit.

NO CHARGES MADE AT THESE PRICES.

MARTIN & WOLCOTT

It has been a pleasure to serve you in 1923.
In 1924 we hope to know each other better.

"If I knew you and you knew me
'Tis seldom we would disagree;
But, never having yet clasped hands,
Both often fail to understand
That each intends to do what's right
And treat each other 'honor bright.'
How little to complain there'd be
If I knew you and you knew me.

Then let no doubting thoughts abide
Of firm good faith on either side;
Confidence to each other give,
Living ourselves, let others live,
But any time you come this way,
That you will call we hope and pray;
Then face to face we each shall see
And I'll know you and you'll know me."

Yours very truly,

By E. E. WIDEN

THE TEXAS COMPANY

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30x3 Fabric only \$6.75
30x3½ Fabric only \$7.75
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32x4 Fabric only \$12.00
32x4 Cord only \$22.50
34x4 Fabric \$21.25
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75 CENTS EACH

Good serviceable case containing extra blades.
These will not last long at this price. Get
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DO NOT MAKE THE MISTAKE
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Our repair and parts service is not excelled on the
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Personal service
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365 days in the
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This offer is for one
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PHARMACY**

The LEADER ALUMINUM WARE

Again

2 Pieces for the Price of One—

98c

FIRST REGULAR MEETING OF THE LOCAL POST, AMERICAN LEGION FOR 1924 TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY

A progressive era for the local post, American Legion, has been planned, and with Judge Homer L. Pharr as commander it will in all probability be a success.

Judge Pharr announced early last week that the next regular meeting of the Legion will be held Wednesday night, January 2nd, which will be the first regular meeting of the year as well as the first meeting under charge of the new officers.

Much important business relative to the proposed yearly program will be discussed and Judge Pharr is especially interested in having all ex-service men, regardless of whether or not they have been aligned with the Legion heretofore, to be present and lend their aid in making the year's first meeting of the Legion a success.

"We want the local post American Legion to have as its members all of the members in the Lubbock vicinity, and especially do we urge those men in the county who are not members of a post elsewhere to join in making this post one of the best in the country," Judge Pharr stated.

The ex-service men can best perpetuate the honor of having offered their services to their country in time of war by maintaining an organization in which they are a unit during times of peace, and it is evident that the American Legion is the organization best designated for this purpose.

Boost the meeting Wednesday night. It will be held at the courthouse as usual, but plans will be discussed for getting a regular club room, and it is up to the ex-service men to show that they are for the Legion if it takes its place among the well organized bodies of the community.

Lubbock has the "makin's" of a real Legion post and that the officers and members will build a great organization here is most certain.

SOCIETY

(From Friday's Daily)

Announcement

The following announcement has been received: Mr. and Mrs. Sid T. Robinson, Abilene, Texas, announce the marriage of their daughter Josephine to Mr. Jack H. Garrett, Los Angeles, California, on Thursday, December twentieth, nineteen hundred twenty-three.

Miss Robinson formerly resided in Lubbock with her parents and has a host of friends here.

Levy-Leslie

Miss Winnie Levy and Roy F. Leslie, a local young couple were united in marriage Wednesday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Ross with Rev. Ross officiating. They will make their future home in Lubbock.

Wednesday Needle Club Meets at Country Club

Mesdames W. A. Bowen and G. M. Ballenger were joint hostesses to the Wednesday Needle Club at the country club this week.

The receiving rooms were pretty in a decoration of holly and the subdued lights gave a reflection of red, adding to the attractiveness.

Needle work and conversation was the diversion of the hour and delicious pie and coffee was served with the plates adorned with a miniature Santa, candy and a holly sprig. Guests for the occasion were Mrs. Padgett of Ballenger, Miss Norma Stewart of Clarendon, Misses Tinker and Davidson. Club members were Mesdames J. F. Bacon, H. A. Davidson, S. C. Wilson, Maddox, Jett Smith, S. P. Robbins, T. W. Thomas, A. W. McKee, L. C. Ellis, J. M. Lewis, C. J. Wagner, R. E. Karper and the hostesses.

Killingsworth-Martin

The wedding of Miss Mary Killingsworth and Lawrence T. Martin Jr., was solemnized Thursday morning at 7:30 o'clock at the Central Baptist church, Houston, Texas, Rev. M. M. Wolf performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Martin immediately took the Santa Fe train for Amarillo, where they will be at home to their friends at 1207 Taylor Street after January 1.

Miss Killingsworth is a graduate of Rice Institute at Houston, and is prominent in social circles and a very popular girl at Rice, where she received her degree last year. She is quite a Sunday school and church worker in the Central Baptist church, of which she is a member.

Lawrence T. Martin, Jr., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Martin of Lubbock, Tex. He is in the employ of the Santa Fe railway company at Amarillo. He was a graduate of the Lubbock high school prior to attending Rice Institute where he met Miss Killingsworth.

Double Wedding Ceremony

A double wedding ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Johnson at the court house Wednesday, being the first double ceremony performed by the Justice since taking office here.

Frank Crabtree and Miss Ruth Ellard and Mr. Carlos J. Belscher and Miss Nellie Ellard were the contracting parties. The young ladies are sisters and members of a prominent local county family, while the young men, we understand, are in business at Plainview and highly re-

spected among their many friends there.

Christmas Tree at Southwest Ward

A splendid program and Christmas tree was enjoyed Sunday evening at the Southwest ward school. Mrs. Con Caraway, teacher in the school, conducted the program which was enjoyed by all in attendance.

Marriage License

Marriage licenses were issued to the following: Roger Clayton, Corley and Miss Margaret Kathryn Burke, Dec 26; R. H. L. Hight and Mrs. Ann Wynn, Dec. 27.

(From Saturday's Daily)

Thompson-Brown Wedding

Miss Lillie Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Brown, and Mr. Melville Thompson of Breckenridge, Texas, were married Thursday afternoon, December 27th at six o'clock, the home of the bride's parents, 1623 Broadway, Rev. J. M. Lewis performing the ring ceremony.

Only the immediate relatives were present for the ceremony. The bride wore a charming afternoon gown of turquoise satin crepe heavily beaded in shades of blue and silver, with which she wore silver hose and beaded silver slippers. She carried an arm cluster of shell-pink Killarney rose buds.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson left for a short trip to Dallas and Fort Worth. They will be at home in Breckenridge, Texas, after the first of January. The groom is well known in Breckenridge, holding a responsible position in the First National Bank of that city. The bride, who has always lived in Breckenridge, until the family's recent move to Lubbock, is popular and greatly loved among the younger set in her old home town.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were formerly of Breckenridge, Mr. Brown being interested in oil in that section.

The regular meeting of the Twentieth Century Club, which was postponed from Tuesday, Christmas Day, will meet this afternoon with Mrs. T. B. Duggan, leader.

Tahoka Weddings

Lynn County News: Cupid is strictly on the job. They are beginning to come now two couples at a time to get the nuptial knot tied. Last Sunday afternoon, Mr. Thurman C. Stevens and Miss Lela E. Johnson and Mr. A. C. Crisp and Miss Laura Flemming drove up from Moore's Draw to the residence of Judge L. P. Metcalf and let it be known that they were ready for the Judge to get busy. They presented him with the proper credentials and he proceeded to perform the solemn ceremony for these two couples respectively.

Marriage License

Marriage license were issued from the office of the County Clerk Friday to Jas. F. Foley and Miss Georgia Farschon.

(From Sunday's Daily)

Friday

Harmony Club will meet in regular session at the home of Mrs. W. O. Stevens, 1402 Avenue O.

Saturday

Civic league will meet Saturday with Mrs. W. H. Meador at her home, 1621 Main Street. Three o'clock is the hour.

Merri-Bidders Club Dinner Distinctive Event

One of the most delightful social events of the Yuletide season, was that of the annual Christmas dinner party given by the members of the Merri-Bidders Club to their husbands Friday evening.

The doors of the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hankins on West Broadway were thrown open to the occasion. A daintily appointed two course menu consisting of turkey with all the Christmas viands, was well served, after which forty-two formed a pleasant diversion.

The spacious receiving rooms were doubly attractive with touches of appropriate decorations and especially did the Christmas spirit pre-

vail with the usual hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Hankins.

The following members and guests were present: Messrs. John Moore, Will Murry, C. C. Reed, Albert Taylor, Bass Arnett, Panch Arnett, C. E. Maedgen, H. W. Stanton, Temple Ellis, Guy McAfee, J. W. Gillon of Ralls, Earl Hunt, Fred Spikes, W. C. Rylander, Barnett, Sam T. Davis, Frank Brown, R. B. Hutchinson, J. Hankins, Paul Conally, J. H. Goodman, Dr. and Mrs. Stewart; Mesdames A. B. Ellis, Morris, Peters, Jenkins, Sims, Barrier, Davidson, Eubanks, Wedemeyer, George, Charlie, Middleton, John LeMond, T. W. Sawyer, Bradley, Miss Browning, Messrs. O. L. Nislar, E. L. Robertson.

Mrs. W. C. Rylander is the newly elected president of the club for the coming year.

Weddings of Crosbyton Young People

Crosbyton Review: When R. C. Carter and Miss Margaret Burke invited R. E. Gowan and Mrs. Olga Spencer to go with them to Lubbock for a joy ride Wednesday afternoon, it was not thought by their many friends that a wedding was being planned. This was just one of the slick ways Carter and Miss Burke had in putting one over on their friends. At 6:15 at the Episcopal church in Lubbock in the presence of a few friends, Rev. Shovel said the words that made R. C. Carter and Miss Margaret Burke man and wife. In a few minutes the news spread to their home town where their many surprised friends had the story going the rounds.

A wedding of social interest was solemnized Thursday evening at 7:45, when Miss Irene Ellison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cap Ellison, was married to Mr. John Allen Dunn at the First Baptist church of Crosbyton.

Mr. Thomas Grogans of Chandler, Texas, and Miss Nella Mae Pence from East Plains, last Sunday evening in the presence of a few relatives and friends were happily united in marriage at Dickens City, E. L. Harkey officiating. The young couple left Tuesday for Chandler where they will make their home. The young people of the community were entertained at the home of the bride Sunday night. Their many friends wish them much happiness and prosperity.

Alvin E. Garret and Miss Effie Marie Johnson both of East Plains were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents last Sunday afternoon. Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, and is one of the young ladies that were in the Review's big booster subscription campaign. She is a charming young lady, and one of the most popular of her set. Mr. Garret is one of the most promising young farmers on the East Plains and is a splendid young man.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Weaver Receive Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Weaver were

host and hostess to the Thursday Evening Bridge Club the past week at their home, 1901 Broadway with a pretty Christmas party.

A number of rounds of bridge were played with unusual interest, after which delicious refreshments consisting of fruit salad, turkey sandwiches, olives, caramel cake and coffee, were served on the table trays with a red candle for the centerpiece of each tray.

The following members and additional guests were present: Mesdames A. B. Conley, Jr., James Murphy; Messrs. and Mesdames: S. A. Denman, J. S. Johnson, W. H. Meador, W. S. Posey, O. L. Slaton, W. O. Stevens, J. E. Vickers, Neil Wright, F. R. Friend and Weaver.

Christmas Family Reunion

The Kelsey family were reunited Christmas Day at the home of the oldest daughter, Mrs. L. A. Ritter on Locust St., where a turkey dinner was served. The home was beautiful in its decorations of Christmas colors and holly wreaths. The dining table was centered by a tall vase of American Beauty roses from Mrs. Kelsey's lower garden. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith and daughter, Billy Blanche of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kelsey of San Angelo; Lloyd Kelsey, Lubbock; Miss Lorna Kelsey; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ritter and four children.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ellis Entertain—An enjoyed social event of the past week was that of the informal party given Tuesday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ellis entertaining a few of their friends at their home, 1310 Avenue Q.

A number of games of forty-two were played after which dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams, Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Trigg, the host and hostess.

Jaundell Shook Entertains School Friends

The members of the Freshman Class of the High School and a few other friends were entertained Wednesday evening by their classmate, Jaundell Shook at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Shook, 1630 14th Street.

Fortune telling and various games furnished entertainment for the evening. Miniature Christmas bells were used for plate favors with the delicious hot chocolate and cake served.

Jaundell will leave Tuesday for Los Vegas, N. M., where she will enter Montezuma College.

Christmas Tea Enjoyed

Little Misses Mary Ross and Doris Jean Edwards sent out the following invitations to a Christmas Tea, given at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, 1615 Main street, Friday afternoon of last week: "Put on your coat and rubbers and come,

and make a lot of fun from two o'clock to three, sip tea with us," and the following little folks were present at that hour: Kathryn Weaver, Nannie Margaret Overton, Robert Raybon, Evelyn Raybon, Frances Snyder, Bunny Dow, Kathryn Klett, Mary Thomas and little sister,

Neil Wright, Jr., J. L. Stimpson, Doyle Justice, Johnnie Pierce and Billie Johnson.

As each little girl took leave she was presented with a miniature bottle of perfume and each little boy was given a miniature wagon from a pretty Christmas tree in the living room.

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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.

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Double Wedding Ceremony Performed Here by J. P. A double wedding ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Johnson at the court house Wednesday, being the first double ceremony performed by the Justice since taking office here.

Frank Crabtree and Miss Ruth Ellard and Mr. Carlos J. Belscher and Miss Nellie Ellard were the contracting parties. The young ladies are sisters and members of a prominent local county family, while the young men, we understand, are in business at Plainview and highly re-

KEEP THE PLAINS IN A WHITE MAN'S CLASS

(Lockney Beacon.)

West Texas has been considered in the past a white man's country, where good, free-hearted, wholesome white men lived, run their business, farms and ranches, all men were equal. There was no inferior blood among them, and every man met his neighbor on an equal footing, any man who chanced to come along found a hearty welcome and people lived the old frontier life, where there was happiness and no men were using every effort in their power to down their neighbors in order to get a few more dollars.

In the later years the country has settled up very fast and among the throngs that have cast their lot in this great Western Empire are men who disregard all respect and bend every effort in order to accomplish their greed for the making of more dollars, the gathering together of a fortune, and by fair or foul means they ply their various trades in many ways. Some are honest and honorable, possibly 85 or 90 per cent, but the 10 or 15 per cent are so eager to feather their own nests that they are willing to do any thing in order to further their own resources.

Today we find that the great Western country has changed from the country of the white man, to a country where a certain per cent of our immigration has mixed into our affairs to such an extent that they have gained enough power of control that they are bringing people into our country that are far from the type of civilization that this country desires.

On account of the need of help on farms negroes and Mexicans have been allowed to come in. When the cotton season is over most of these will float on to some other country, and the only ones that will be left is the negro women who do the housework for that set of women who think they are hightoned and too good to do their own work, those who are too lazy to do their own work and in some cases where they are really needed, where the housewife is really not able to do her work. Also there is a certain class of these negro-men who will remain, those who can live off the work of ranches who are working for the white people, those who live off of gambling, bootlegging, and other tricky occupations, and a few boot-leggers, porters, etc., but as a whole the influx in the cotton season will go back to where they came from.

Practically all the Mexicans float out just as soon as the cotton season is over, and give very little trouble. We don't want either of these classes to become permanently located in this great country, we have no place for them among our high type of citizenship, and it is not best for the country to have them. There is very little crime in this country today, and our court sessions are filled with civil business, instead of criminal business, and the reason we have few criminals cases is because our citizenship is a civilized, law-abiding people. But if this country becomes the home of a var-colored population it will be found that our jails will be continually overrun and the criminal dockets full of felonies and misdemeanors. No longer will women be free to go where and when they please, no longer will people sleep with all doors and windows open, no longer will the country boast of its good citizenship.

But leaving the negro and Mexican question, let's take a look at what we would get should we allow Japanese, Chinese, Dagoes, Bohunks, and various other low grade foreigners to come among us. The negro is not a foreigner. He speaks the American language, he has no home in America, and in time of war he is entirely different from that of the low bred foreigner, and we believe in letting him stay down East

where he rightfully belongs, and up north where they love him.

But these other nationalities, the Japs, Chinks, Dagoes and Bohunks, they are never good American citizens, they are traitors to our country in times of war, they are opposed to our country and our government. They come here waiving the red flag, they come here for the sake of greed, they come here to get all they can and spend just as little as they can. There is no red blood in their veins, they are not true to one of the principles of our country, their sole intent is to get whatever they can in any way they can, and little they care whether their being here is an asset to the community or not. These classes are not Americans, and will never be Americans, you can give them credit for only one thing and that is they are true to the land of their fathers, and we say let them stay in the land of their fathers, and don't try to unload them on the good white people of West Texas.

There is also another class of people, of which some of them are white, that has no business in this country. Any class of people, religious or political, who swear allegiance to some other ruler, in preference to the government of the United States should never be allowed to become naturalized citizens of this country, and organizations that teach our children to believe in some human being upon this earth so strongly that they believe him to be a God on earth, and a preference to our civil government, and stamp in these children's hearts a desire to rule our country according to their teachers, and that our fundamental and maternal laws are illegal, and that nothing can be legal or right unless it conforms to their teachings should never be allowed to intrude into the masses of this country.

We are white people, of a white race, and are believers in God Almighty on high, are believers in the redeeming power of Jesus Christ, and believe we have the best and cleanest government on earth, and that this country should not allow immigration from the lower types of civilization. We believe the Bible should be taught in every public school and college in this great country some time during each day's session, and that every man, woman and child should have the privilege of reading our Christian Bible at any time they so desire, and that any race, organization or institution who tried to deny us that privilege, should be deported from these United States.

STOCK LAW PROCLAMATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Lubbock

Whereas, The Commissioners' Court of Lubbock County, Texas, in pursuance of a petition duly presented to said Court, ordered an election to be held in the subdivision of said county, hereinafter described, the said election was ordered by said court, to be held on the 30th day of November, 1923, at the Carlisle school house, said voting place being named in said order, and within the boundaries of said subdivision for the purpose of enabling the freeholders of such subdivision to determine whether horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle shall be permitted to run at large in said subdivision of Lubbock County, Texas; And whereas, the said election was held on the 30th day of November, 1923, and the returns duly made to the county judge of Lubbock County in conformity with law; And whereas, on the 11th day of December, 1923, I, P. F. Brown, County Judge of Lubbock County, Texas, together with Herbert Stubbs, County Clerk of said county, and W. E. Johnson, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1 of said county, did then and there open, count and tabulate

the aforesaid election returns and did then and there ascertain the result of said election to be as follows, to-wit:

For the Stock Law 15 votes were cast at said election, and against the Stock Law no votes were cast at said election, and that there was a majority of 15 votes cast at said election for the Stock Law.

Now, therefore, I, P. F. Brown, County Judge of Lubbock County, Texas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, do hereby declare that the result of the aforesaid election was and is in favor of the Stock Law by a majority of 15 more votes cast for the Stock Law than were cast against the Stock Law; and I do hereby, in my official capacity as aforesaid, declare and proclaim, that after the expiration of thirty days from the issuance of this proclamation, it shall be unlawful to permit to run at large any horses, mules, jacks jennets or cattle within the limits herein designated, as follows, to-wit:

Situated in Lubbock County, Texas, beginning at the SE corner of survey 36, block AK; thence west 8 miles along section lines to the SW corner of survey 17, block D6; thence north 3 miles along section lines to the SW corner of survey 13, block D6; thence east 3 miles along section lines to the SE corner of survey 4, block D6; thence north 2 miles along section lines to the SW corner of survey 12, block JS; thence east 5 miles along section lines to the SE corner of survey 7, block JS; thence south 5 miles along section lines to the place of beginning. Said subdivision of said Lubbock County, being here further described, as the whole of the Carlisle Independent School District in Lubbock County, Texas.

The County Clerk is hereby directed to record this Proclamation in the Minutes of Commissioners' Court. Issued under my hand and seal of the County Court, this 21st day of December, 1923.

(SEAL)
P. F. BROWN,
County Judge,
Lubbock County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lubbock County, Texas, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon F. O. Kelley, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lubbock County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in January, A. D. 1924, the same being the twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1822, wherein Rachael Kelley is plaintiff, and F. O. Kelley, is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married on the 7th day of November, 1920, in Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, and continued to live together as husband and wife until March, 1921, when on account of the cruelties, and excessive outrages on the part of defendant, he was compelled to abandon the defendant, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that upon final hearing hereof, she be granted a divorce from the defendant; that her maiden name, Rachael Moss, be restored, and for such other and further relief, to which she may be entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, on this 18th day of December, A. D. 1923.

(SEAL)
LOUIE F. MOORE,
Clerk, District Court,
Lubbock County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. C. Williford, Ben L. Williford, Neely B. Williford, Winnie E. Lyons, a married woman and her husband Herf Lyons, Mrs. D. L. Musgraves and her husband J. W. Musgraves, Lee Roy Wright, Matt Henry Wright, Alice Lemond, John Neely Center and John Neely Lemond, and of the heirs and legal representatives of T. H. Lemond by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lubbock County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock on the 3rd Monday in January, A. D. 1924, the same being 21st day of Jan. A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1923 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1803, wherein R. W. Lemond is Plaintiff and J. C. Williford, Winnie E. Lyons, a married woman and her husband Herf Lyons, Mrs. D. L. Musgraves and her husband J. W. Musgraves, Lee Roy Wright, Matt Henry Wright, Alice Lemond, John Neely Center and John Neely Lemond, and of the heirs and legal representatives of T. H. Lemond are Defendants and said petition alleging that plaintiff sues in trespass to try title; for title and possession of lot 23, block 227; lot 7, block 29; lot 19, block 11; lot 6, block 93; lot 13, block 209; lot 1, block 161; lot 1, block 164; lot 13, block 161; lot 9, block 21, in the original town of Lubbock, Texas, Lubbock County; also sue to recover the above described town lots under the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, on this 6th day of December, A. D. 1923.

(SEAL)
LOUIE F. MOORE,
Clerk, District Court,
Lubbock County, Texas.

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 unhallowed 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 treasure 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 is 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.

CHAS. NORDYKE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lubbock County, Texas, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Joe Mayrhofer and the unknown heirs of him if he be deceased, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in Lubbock County, Texas, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in January, A. D. 1924, the same being the 21st day of January, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer the plaintiff's cause of action filed in said Court on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1923, wherein Beulah Hyatt, joined by her husband J. A. Hyatt, pro forma are plaintiffs and Joe Mayrhofer and the unknown heirs of him if he be deceased, are defendants, No. 1823 on the docket of said court, plaintiff's cause of action being for the title and possession of a certain tract of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, to-wit: Lot No. 17 in Block No. 59, of the Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, plaintiffs alleging that plaintiff Beulah Hyatt was lawfully seized and possessed of said land on the 13th day of July, 1910, and that defendants on said date unlawfully entered and ejected plaintiff therefrom and are unlawfully withholding possession from said plaintiff. That plaintiffs claim title in fee simple.

Herein fail not but have you then and there this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you executed the same.

Witness my hand at my office in Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas this 18th day of December, A. D. 1923.

(SEAL)
LOUIE F. MOORE,
Clerk, District Court,
Lubbock County, Texas.

CHAS. NORDYKE ANNOUNCES FOR COUNTY JUDGE'S OFFICE

In making my announcement for County Judge of Lubbock County, it is after much consideration and earnest solicitation of many friends of this county, and what has been, to me, a life of preparation.

My Qualifications: At quite a young age, I graduated from the High School of Callahan County, Texas, passed the Teacher's examination in 1905, and taught school in

the public schools of that county.

In 1912 I began the study of law, from the LaSalle Extension University of Chicago, which course I studied very thoroughly, and in 1914 I was elected County Clerk of Callahan County, which office I held until December 1, 1920, at the expiration of which term I moved with my family to Lubbock. For two years I was connected with the Lubbock Business College, teaching commercial law in the school, together with other subjects.

One June 6, 1923, I graduated from Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tennessee, with the Degree of Bachelor of Laws. Since then I have taken the examination before the Board of Legal Examiners of the state, Texas, and have a license to practice law in all the courts of Texas.

My experience in the Clerk's office brought me face to face with all the duties of the County Judge. While in office, I carried through the Probate Court something like four hundred probate cases, about the same number of criminal cases, with about three hundred civil cases. I was constantly in attendance on the Commissioners' court and am entirely acquainted with all the duties of that body.

My life of service and endeavor is an open record. My efforts at Lubbock are before you. In office, I know no man personally. My official duty is the only incentive that has ever moved me to act.

Having lived by this policy all my life, I have never felt the sensation that would try to induce me to depart from it.

I have made a close, careful study of the law. I have closely observed the duties of county officers. My career means more to me than a term of office would, or could mean to the citizens of Lubbock county. Should I be elected to this office, my future would depend on my conduct and success while serving in this office. This and my past record, together with my assurance, shall be your guarantee of my faithful and earnest efforts as an officer.

Whether I would appreciate your support and influence, I will allow you to be the judge when you meet me, if you have not already done so, for I am willing to leave my fate concerning that, when you have come to know me.

Very respectfully submitted,
CHAS. NORDYKE.

CONTRACT LET FOR SIX ROOM HOME BY McDONALD

Building permit for the construction of a six room house on block 112, lots 1 and 2 in the Overton Addition, has been issued Contractors Clemmons and Ottinger, the building to be constructed for J. M. McDonald.



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With this respect one might well review the work of the Temple Trust Company, one of the agencies for development that has stood through-out the past several years as a boon to the progressive farmer or city property owner who wished to make substantial improvements, but into whose grasp the necessary funds could not be gained without a loan company, and above the rank and file of our citizens its vice president, Tom B. Duggan, stands out as a prime mover.

The Temple Trust Company, it has heretofore been announced, will invest more money on the South Plains and in Lubbock during 1924 than during any other one year since its office was established here, and with the single motive "A Bigger Lubbock and a Greater South Plains" backing the personnel of this company its effectiveness is assured.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

B. D. O'Neal to T. J. Foster, lots 6-7, block 117, Overton Addition.

B. Sherrod to A. L. Greer SE 1-4 section 63 block A.

P. W. Houston to H. G. Rowley lots 9-10-11-12, block 80, South Slaton.

Bob Johnson to S. Love, lot 12 block 1, Wheelock Second Addition.

G. M. Harlan to D. Y. Triplett 100 acres SE corner survey 2, block O.

G. M. Harlan to Bud Coffman 100 acres SW cor survey 2, block O.

C. E. Dean et al to O. L. McElroy lots 5-6, block 6, Idalou.

W. D. Howard et al to C. E. Magers lot 10, block 5, South Slaton.

R. H. Martin to E. E. Robinson lots 5-6-7, block 75, Overton.

W. H. McDougle et al to H. O. Parker, 305 acres S 156 acres section 28, block P; 140 acres section 43, block P.

T. J. Erwin et al to Fred Jones, lot 5, block 58, South Slaton.

D. Sullivan et al to T. J. Erwin, lot 5, block 58, South Slaton.

I. C. Bagwell et al to R. E. Starr lot 4, block 53, Original Lubbock.

P. L. Parrish et al to E. E. Robinson, lots 13-14-15, block 31, Overton.

E. A. Hankins et al to J. H. Bryan lots 11-12, block 99, Overton.

C. E. Hurlbut et al to S. B. Canon, 260 acres section 4, block RG.

J. T. Roper et al to J. T. Williams, lots 16-17, block 186, Original Lubbock.

M. A. Pember et al to W. D. Howard, lot 10 block 5, South Slaton.

E. L. Kerr et al to O. V. Bagwell, lots 1-2-3-6, block 232, Original Lubbock.

C. P. Collier et al to G. F. Brown lots 23-24, block 3, Original Lubbock.

G. W. McGree to D. D. Barton, lot 7, block 28, South Slaton.

M. A. Pember to T. H. Hill, lot 9, block 99, South Slaton.

H. D. Rosser et al to L. D. McKinney, lot 3 block 5, Overton.

C. T. Word et al to A. W. Jackson et al lot 4, block 151, Original Lubbock.

O. V. Bagwell to C. C. Hornsby, lots 1-2-3, block 232, Original Lubbock.

W. V. Cates et al to A. V. Cates, lot 1, block 202, Original Lubbock.

G. W. Knoles to O. K. Knight, lot 15, block 5, Idalou.

O. K. Knight et al to H. N. Estes et al, lot 15 block 5, Idalou.

E. L. Noey et al to J. H. Clay, lot 18, block 57, Overton.

Jno. P. Simpson et al to R. O. Rogers lots 1-2, block 3, G. A. Rush Addition to Lubbock.

J. F. Collins et al to C. D. Wray, lots 1 to 10, inclusive, block 80, Old Town.

H. L. Johnson et al to Frances Baker lot 18, Kokernot subdivision League No. 3, W 1-3 of League No. 2, San Augustine Co. School Land.

C. E. Madge to Lona Owens, S 1-4 section 8, block 2.

J. A. Williams et al to W. S. Posey lot 54, block 52, Old Town.

M. A. Pember et al to Luther Harrell lots 1 and 2 block 46, South Park Addition to Slaton.

M. A. Howell et al to L. A. Johnson lot 5, block 56, South Slaton.

W. Puckett et al to J. B. Durham, part survey 7, block B.

B. C. Clutter et al to G. N. Judd, lots 19-20, block 18, Original Lubbock.

J. G. Reynolds et al to C. B. Hurlbut, NE 1-4 section 9, block D6.

W. C. Grimes et al to Elmer Rush, SE 1-4 section 15, block RG.

O. G. Kershner et al to G. W. Pickle lots 19-20, block 216, Original Lubbock.

W. B. Robinson to Joel P. Johnson, lots 19 and 20 in block 35, Old Town.

W. W. Grigg to W. O. Wilson, lot 13, block 3, Old Town.

W. O. Wilson et al to E. D. Gallaway, lot 13, block 3, Old Town.

M. A. Pember et al to W. R. Ford, lot 1 block 40, South Park Addition to Slaton.

A. R. Ponton to J. T. Hutchinson et al 1-3 interest in lots 1-2-3, block 88, Old Town.

G. A. Sligar to F. R. Friend, 160 acres SW 1-4 section 3, block E.

O. L. Slaton to G. A. Sligar SW 1-4 section survey 3, block E.

Claude B. Hurlbut et al to Dewey Reeves, NE 1-4 section 9, block D-5.

P. L. Winn et al to O. V. Bagwell lot 10, block 136, Old Town.

W. R. Graves et al to Geo. A. Payne lot 6 in block 101, Slaton.

O. V. Bagwell to L. F. Moore, W 45 feet lot 2 all lot 3, block 73, Overton.

J. E. Holland et al to W. L. Elwood, NE 1-4 section 40, block AK.

L. W. Cannon et al to W. D. Boatman, lot 10, block 60, South Slaton.

Geo. Baumgart et al to M. C. Faris W 1-4 survey 84, block D5.

C. R. Naeher et al to J. A. Rix lot 15, block 132, Original Lubbock.

W. E. Spencer et al to J. L. Denning, lots 6-8-10, block 9, Original Lubbock.

Bob Johnson to Dan Neal, lot 14 block 220, Original Lubbock.

J. W. Douglass to R. G. Douglass, lots 11-12, block 27, South Slaton.

W. E. Olive to J. W. Douglass, lots 11-12, block 27, South Slaton.

J. M. Thomas to E. A. Hankins, lots 9-10, block 99 Overton.

Texico Conf. 7 Day Adv. to B. F. Hodges, lots 1-2, block 180, Original Lubbock.

A. L. Nobles et al to W. L. Patillo E 1-2 section 149, block C.

H. G. Rowley et al to L. E. James, lots 9-10, block 80, South Slaton.

H. G. Rowley et al to L. E. James, lot 11, block 80, South Slaton.

T. B. Harris et al to B. E. McMenamy, lots 11-12, block 35, Original Lubbock.

J. H. Reed to W. E. Rogers, lots 1-3-5, block 1, Merrill Addition.

R. H. Gibson et al to W. L. Patillo N 1-2 survey 147, block C.

A. L. Reed et al to J. I. Perkins, block 18, Roberts & McWhorter Addition.

J. S. Walters et al to S. M. Clark, lots 24 to 30, block 31, Roberts & McWhorter Addition.

F. O. Kelley et al to A. G. Mullins, lots 23-24, block 2230, Original Lubbock.

J. F. Hankins et al to E. A. Hankins, 1-3 interest in lots 11-12-13-14-15, block — Original Lubbock.

E. T. Holloway et al to R. C. Jones N 1-2 lots 3-4, block 86, Overton.

E. T. Holloway to C. E. Howard S 1-2 lots 1-2-3-4, block 86, Overton.

R. C. Jones et al to C. E. Howard, N 1-2 lots 1-2-3-4, block 86, Overton.

V. Daugherty to C. C. Hornsby, lots 18-19, block 234 Original Lubbock.

T. J. Caver to C. R. White E 1-2 lots 1-2, block 8, Carver subdivision Roberts & McWhorter Addition.

R. J. Cox to S. R. Young survey 35, block D.

C. E. Dean et al to W. B. Shelton, lots 1 to 8, inclusive, block 7, Idalou.

S. R. Jackson et al to L. E. Tillery, lot 23 and W 1-2 24 Robinson subdivision, block 2, Overton Addition.

R. O. Pinkerton et al to O. L. Peterman, N 1-2 lots 1-2-3, block 37, Overton.

Earl Day et al to C. C. Hornsby, lots 11-12, block 218, Original Lubbock.

Scott May to Mrs. A. Germany SW part lot 5, block 92, Original Slaton.

O. V. Bagwell to A. W. Morris, lot 6, block 232, Original Lubbock.

C. C. Hornsby et al to V. Daugherty lots 15-16-17, block 234 Original Lubbock.

E. McGinty to E. J. Ford E 1-2 lots 6-7, block 14, Overton Addition.

J. L. Lee et al to E. M. Darby 144 acres section 15 block RG.

T. L. Holt et al to A. H. Turner, pt. NW 1-4 section 2, block D7.

H. T. Kimbro et al to J. A. Phillips lot 7, block 88, Original Lubbock.

O. N. Williams, et al to E. W. Miller lots 11-12 block 76, South Slaton.

A. B. Flewellen to J. J. Adams, lots 18-19-20, block 172, Original Lubbock.

C. L. Adams et al to L. R. Tillery lots 19-20 block 47, Overton.

E. R. Wallace to J. F. Bacon, lot 19, block 136, Original Lubbock.

W. R. Wilson et al to E. J. Jones, 100 acres, section 36-37, block 24.

W. H. Thorn et al to M. R. Rolston, lots 3 to 12 inclusive, block 75 South Slaton; lots 7-8-9, block 75, South Slaton.

O. E. Sears et al to J. G. Reynolds NE 1-4 section 9, block D8.

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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.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

(From Friday's Daily)

Mr. Seth Alston received the sad news Wednesday night of his mother's death at the West Texas Sanitarium at Lubbock, Texas. Mrs. Alston has been in ill health for about three years, but when death came it seemed to have come suddenly as Mr. Alston received a message that she was worse and not long after received another that she had passed away. He and his brother Durer Alston left Thursday morning for Lubbock—Lovington Leader.

S. P. Bennett, telegrapher, is on the Lubbock Cotton Exchange, is on the job again after a few days off during which time he visited homefolks at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stevens and little daughter, Dixie Nell, of Post City, are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stevens at 1405 Avenue O.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Echols moved to Lubbock last Friday to spend the winter months.—White Deer Review.

Jimmie Brittan of Littlefield, was among the Lubbock visitors Christmas day.

The infant son of Granville G. Johnson of the Lubbock Drug, is very low in a local sanitarium. The little fellow has been ill for several days.

Attorney C. W. Beene and W. L. Patillo, of Lockney, were in Lubbock Thursday looking after business.

N. P. Spring, of Austin, is here visiting County Attorney Owen McWhorter. The two were classmates at the University several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Morgan, of Plainview, former residents of Lubbock, were here for a few hours Thursday transacting business and visiting friends and neighbors.

Rev. Grant, pastor of the Lamesa Baptist church, is here to visit a daughter who is in a local sanitarium.

Rev. Holland, Baptist pastor of Oklahoma, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Owens.

Mr. Tim Stovall, of the Hempill-Price Company, was unable to be at the store Thursday on account of illness.

V. T. Swenson has returned to his home at Belen N. M., after a pleasant visit here during the holidays with relatives and friends.

W. D. Benson, Jr., left yesterday for Breckenridge, where he will visit relatives and friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Tow Carter, who have been spending several days with Mrs. Carter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Foster of 1923 Broadway, left Thursday for their home at Amarillo, where Mr. Carter is in the employ of Russell & Cocker Printing Company.

Mrs. B. F. Maxey accompanied by Harry Laughlin, spent Christmas in Tulsa, as guests of Mr. Laughlin's sister, Mrs. A. B. Kein.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Page and Maureen returned Monday from Denver, Colo., where they have been for the past year.

Mrs. J. E. Witcher of Odessa arrived here Wednesday and is the guest of her sisters, Mesdames J. J. Smelser and Harry Hall.

Mrs. E. L. Robinson is spending the holidays in Waxahachie with her mother, Mrs. Texie Sowell.

Miss Clydine Stickney is the guest of her sisters, Mesdames J. J. Smelser and Harry Hall. She is en route to Clarendon after spending Christmas with her sister, Mrs. J. S. Gardner in Robert Lee.

Miss Montrude Darden of Itasca is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dyzart this week.

Miss Edith Harrison of Canyon, will arrive here today to spend the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Powell of 1202 Ave. N.

Mrs. Pope, a member of the Post City school faculty, is spending a few days in Lubbock.

Miss Eunice Smith has as her guest Miss Louise Triplett of Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson, accompanied by her son Willie Johnson, of Bakerville, California, spent Wednesday here as guests of Mrs. T. B. Williams and Mrs. J. L. Chase.

Mrs. Clark Griffith left yesterday for Amarillo, where she will spend the week-end with friends.

Miss Margaret Smith, who has been at schools at Wichita Falls, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Smith.

Mrs. Hattie O'Hare and son, Robert, left Wednesday for Brownwood, where they will spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hilton of 1314 Fifteenth street, had as their guest Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Oleg O'Neal and son Oleg, Jr., and daughter Postells of Lamesa.

Miss Henry Cook, bookkeeper for Regent Mode Shop of Amarillo, returned to her duties Wednesday after spending Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cook.

County Clerk, Herbert F. Stubbs, is absent from his office because of illness.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hicks and little daughter, Patsy Joyce, of Snyder, came up to spend the holidays with relatives and friends. They form-

erly lived in Lubbock. Dr. Hicks returned to his office at Snyder yesterday, while Mrs. Hicks and daughter remained for a few days visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Lewis of 1420 Tenth street, spent Christmas day in Sudan with Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giant.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matthews spent Christmas day with Mrs. Matthews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lanier, who live near Post City.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Sanders, of Quanah, who spent Christmas with the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Liff Sanders of Fifteenth street, returned to their home Wednesday.

Robert Cook, a member of the force in the General Office of the Santa Fe Company at Amarillo, is spending the week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cook. He was accompanied here by Milton Cunningham, who returned to Amarillo Thursday.

Julian Joplin, who has been attending the A. & M. College and is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Joplin of Littlefield, was in Lubbock Tuesday.

(From Saturday's Daily)

R. J. Page and family, formerly of Lubbock but who have made their home at Denver, Colorado, for the past several months, have returned to Lubbock to make their home here again. Mr. and Mrs. Page have a host of friends here who are pleased to have them located here again.

Syble Ruth, infant daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Lynn has been on the sick list for the past several days, but has made great improvement during the past day.

Paul Hardwick, former assistant National bank examiner, has been with the Citizens National Bank for the past two weeks. Mr. Hardwick's experience with the banking business make him a valuable member of the local institution.

Miss Pauline Triplett of Plainview, but formerly of this city, is spending a few days at the home of Miss Almeta Murray here. Miss Triplett is attending school this year at Waxahachie, to which place she will return following the holidays.

(From Sunday's Daily)

Miss Mina Ellis, secretary of the local chapter of the American Red Cross, returned to her home here Saturday from Meridian, where she spent the holidays with home folks.

J. D. Houston, prominent businessman and banker of Vivian La., visited his mother and sisters, Mrs. G. L. Mills and L. H. Barkham during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Denman returned Monday from a visit to Fort Worth.

Misses Lorna Beth and Walden and Mamie Anderson of Post City are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Edwards.

A. B. Conley, Jr., returned to S. M. U. where he has been attending school for the past few months. He spent the holidays with his parents.

(From Wednesday's Daily)

George Morris is at home from New Boston, Texas, where he went to attend the funeral of his brother, Toke Morris, who accidentally shot himself Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, of El Paso, arrived Tuesday to attend the funeral of their brother E. R. Haynes.

E. H. Gilbreath, of Tell, Texas, spent New Year's day in Lubbock.

Miss Avon Buchanan, teacher in the Crosbyton High School, passed through Lubbock Tuesday enroute to that city after having spent the holidays with relatives and friends at Caddo Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Douglass, of Littlefield spent Monday and a part of Tuesday in Lubbock. Mr. Douglass stated that many new tracts of land have been placed on the market in that vicinity this fall and that an unprecedented influx of farmers has been enjoyed by the real estate fraternity there.

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Severe Indigestion

"I had very severe attacks of indigestion," writes Mr. M. H. Wade, a farmer, of R. F. D. 1, Weir, Miss. "I would suffer for months at a time. All I dared eat was a little bread and butter... consequently I suffered from weakness. I would try to eat, then the terrible suffering in my stomach! I took medicines, but did not get any better. The druggist recommended

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

and I decided to try it, for, as I say, I had tried others for two or more years without any improvement in my health. I soon found the Black-Draught was acting on my liver and easing the terrible pain.

"In two or three weeks, I found I could go back to eating. I only weighed 123. Now I weigh 147—and anything I want to eat, and by taking Black-Draught I do not suffer."

—J. M. Wade, Weir, Miss. Thedford's Black-Draught. It can do so today.

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LUBBOCK COUNTY JAIL PRISONERS WERE GIVEN A TURKEY DINNER AS XMAS REMEMBRANCE WEDNESDAY

Lubbock county officers are, after all, just ordinary, kind, hearted men, even if it is often the case that they have to be rather severe in the treatment of those with who they, by virtue of the responsibility of preserving the peace being placed upon them, compelled to deal, and the Yuletide season found them sympathetic toward the unfortunates in the county jail.

County Sheriff Buu Johnson and County Attorney Owen McWhorter made Christmas mean something to the prisoners as yesterday a big turkey feast, with all the trimmings, was their Christmas

FIVE KNOWN DEAD IN FIRE

Would Suppress Klan Probe In Mayfield Case

EFFORT BE MADE TO CONFINE INVESTIGATION TO CASE CHARGING EXCESSIVE EXPENDITURES

Some Claim that Charges are Wide and Loosely Drawn and Should Bear More Explicitly on the Case

By United News
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Fear that the Ku Klux Klan specter will intrude itself too strongly into the coming investigation of the election of Senator Mayfield, of Texas, which may lead to his ousting, is already showing itself as the time for the probe approaches.

The special subcommittee will get down to work next Tuesday to sift the evidence preparatory to the main investigation. Strong pressure will be brought upon the committee, it now appears, to soft pedal the Klan charges and confine the investigation to the charges of excessive expenditures which have been made against the Texas Senator.

The committee will have charge of drawing the bill of particulars. This was decided Thursday when a broad resolution was passed by the senate giving the committee full power. The resolution, however, did not pass until after an hour's haggling resulting from an effort to define the charges against Mayfield.

Senator Borah wanted to make the charges specific, saying that if he "was going to be investigated as the senator from Texas, I should demand to have the right to know what I was being investigated about." He declared that in his opinion the resolution "is very wide and loosely drawn."

This threw the whole matter into debate and several senators added their pleas for definition of charges to that of Borah. Though the Klan was not mentioned, it was evident that the desire to keep this issue out of the investigation, or to give it an indefinite place in his background was behind the efforts of some who spoke. Senator Hefflin, of Alabama, a close friend of the Texas senator who is expected to be the principal champion of Mayfield when the fight comes to the floor of the senate, was among those who asked that the charges be defined.

"I haven't any objection to the investigation and I don't think the senator from Texas has any," Hefflin declared, "but I think the resolution

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BISHOP REFUTES CHARGES ON HEATON

By the United Press
 DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 3.—Heresy charges against Rev. Lee Heaton, Fort Worth, Texas, pastor, which have played an important part in arousing the conflict over modernism within protestant churches, were virtually dismissed Thursday by Bishop Harry T. Moore, of the Dallas diocese.

Bishop Moore refused to let the Rev. Heaton stand trial because of the importance of the question involved and the fact that many higher up in the church teach the same principles. Evidence against the Fort Worth minister, however, appears to sustain the charges, he said.

The bishop's action was announced by the church committee in charge of the case. It said:

"The bishop co-adjutor of the diocese of Dallas has declined to permit the Heaton case to come to trial and has expressed his declination in a statement to the standing committee."

The bishop's communication to the committee follows: "The Heaton matter, being presented to me for determination, I find that the findings based upon the information furnished are well based.

"However, in view of the fact that similar interpretations of the doctrine

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THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS — Tonight increasing cloudiness; warm or northeast portion. Friday partly cloudy to cloudy; snow north portion; colder north portion.

JOHN W. VEALE DIES SUD- DENLY AT AMARILLO

AMARILLO, Jan. 3.—Judge John W. Veale, 67, died suddenly at his home here Tuesday morning at 8:30. He was found sitting in a chair holding a morning newspaper. He and Mrs. Veale had spent the night with a neighbor, as their house was being renovated. Judge Veale went to his own home after dressing and eating breakfast. Mrs. Veale followed him in a few minutes and found him dead. His death was due to heart failure.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at the First Baptist church.

Shot by Crazy Indian.

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Jan. 3.—Chief of Police Harry Kavanaugh, who was shot through the back Wednesday by a drink crazed Indian named Nicolai, died Thursday.

Kavanaugh is the second local police chief to die from an assassin's bullet within the past three years. Nicolai has served three years on McNeill's Island for a previous killing, records show.

LESS WHITTAKER ON TRIAL AT AMARILLO

AMARILLO, Jan. 3.—The trial of Sheriff Less Whitaker began in district court this morning. Whitaker is charged by indictment with misconduct in office.

The case has attracted a great deal of attention. The indictment is said to have grown out of incidents occurring prior to the whipping of E. T. McDonald by a masked band last summer.

REBEL TROOPS ACTRESS SLOWLY DESERTING RECOVERING OPERATION

By the United Press
 EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 3.—Consul General Ruiz in El Paso on Thursday received official advice from Mexico City that rebel soldiers are deserting the de la Huerta forces in large numbers, owing to the fact that they have not been paid for their services as soldiers. There is also a great scarcity of food in the rebel ranks, it was announced.

General Marcelo Caraveo has inflicted a severe defeat on General Figueroa in the sector south of Mexico City, Mr. Ruiz was informed.

According to Consul Ruiz, the rebels now have control only of certain portions of six states. This would indicate that President Obregon has made steady progress in his campaign against the rebels.

The de la Huerta junta in El Paso served notice today that if Uncle Sam ships ammunition supplies into Mexico to aid Obregon, the supplies will be blocked.

They refused to reveal just how. Local army officers, while showing at being quoted under their names, insisted that American shipment of munitions to Mexico is likely to lead to trouble on this side. One of them said:

"It is a small step between sending guns and cartridges and sending some men along with them. Irate Huertistas are apt to make reprisals

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NINE FISHERMEN LOST DURING HEAVY STORM

By United News
 BABYLON, L. I., New York, Jan. 3.—Nine fishermen are believed to have been drowned in a terrific storm which swept great South Bay on the south shore of Long Island during the past 24 hours.

Two of the men were on the speed boat Electra which grounded on Fire Island bar, and the other seven members of an emergency crew hastily assembled which set out in the power boat "Sid" to rescue the men on the Electra.

Among the seven missing members of the emergency crew were two who volunteered at the last minute who were unknown to the harbor men who saw the Sid off on her perilous rescue mission. The other victims were nearly all water men of this town.

ATTEMPTED JAIL BREAK FRUSTRATED BY OFFICERS

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 3.—An attempt to escape from "murderer's row" in the county jail was frustrated early Thursday by the discovery of saws with which many bolt heads had been cut from the tank where several alleged murderers are confined.

Among the inmates is Fred McClure, convicted and sentenced secondly to life imprisonment for the murder of Miss Louise Frenzle. McClure, a former Cleveland newspaper man, was circulation manager of a local newspaper at the time of his arrest. His case is now on appeal.

OLD METHOD OF PUNISHMENT INVOKED IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 3.—A new method is punishing prisoners at the city prison farm which harkens back to the time of the pilgrim fathers, is now in effect here.

Unruly inmates who heretofore have been given extra periods of service and other penalties are now tied to a post and left to stand there until they decide to work.

The plan was prescribed by Mayor Louis Blaylock and is proving effective, authorities at the farm said.

REBEL TROOPS ACTRESS SLOWLY DESERTING RECOVERING OPERATION

By the United Press
 LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 3.—Stoically surviving an operation for recurrent appendicitis, Mabel Normand, film beauty and one of the central figures in the dramatic shooting of Courtlandt S. Dines, New Year's Eve by Horace Greer, the star's chauffeur, Thursday night, lies in the hospital here but a few rooms away from Dines.

Pale and wan, Miss Normand is successfully recovering from the serious operation, for which she was resting when the sensational affair occurred at Dines' apartment. The star's doctor reported her condition as "fairly good." Her recuperation is being hastened by her bravery and determination to recover.

After a relapse during which he was expected to die, Dines rallied Thursday night. Pneumonia complicated the bullet wounds in his chest; but the doctor announced that danger apparently was passed.

Edna Purviance, with Dines and Miss Normand when the shooting happened, who has been fearfully watching over the bedside of Dines, has turned her attention to Miss Normand, praying that death will not take the beautiful star from them.

Greer, who it is believed shot Dines because he wanted to shield Miss Normand from possible harm, was informed of the operation. With

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OFFICIALS BELIEVE 27 OTHERS ARE DEAD IN RUINS FOLLOWING FIRE WHICH DESTROYED STARCH PLANT

Grief Stricken Relatives await Outcome of Search of Charred Ruins For Bodies of Missing Men

By United News
 PEKIN, Ills., Jan. 3.—Two men who were injured Thursday in the explosion at the Corn Products Company plant here died Thursday night, bringing the list of known dead to five.

George Liber died in the Pekin hospital, and Manuel Hicks died at Peoria. Two others at Peoria and three in Pekin are expected to die before morning.

Officials persist in the belief that the twenty seven missing men are dead in the ruins of the plant. A railroad wrecking crew started work removing the debris late Thursday night, but it will be noon Friday before they reach the place where it is believed the other bodies will be found.

CHARGES BRAND- ED BLACKMAIL BY WOOD

By the United Press
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Two new elements, both possessing significance which may bring important developments later on, have been injected into the financial entanglement circling around the figure of Leonard Wood, Jr., and his oil promotions.

In a statement to the United News Thursday, young Wood charged that stories being circulated concerning his activity in the Acme company were direct attempt to blacken the name of his father, Major-General Leonard Wood, governor general of the Philippine Islands.

Later he admitted that his father owned stock in the Acme Oil company to the extent of 200 or 300 shares. He added, however, that he had given his father the stock and that the general had not purchased it.

"This whole matter is an attempt by the hue and cry method to launch a poison arrow into the public mind by my father's political enemies and certain Filipinos who are bent on obtaining their independence at all costs," Wood declared.

Representative Freese of Wisconsin, who has introduced a resolution calling for an investigation of General Wood's charge that certain members of congress had received money from Filipino independence advocates, however, scoffed at young Wood's statement. He said he could see no connection between the financial mishaps of young Wood and the political difficulties of his father.

The congressional investigation which Senator Caraway of Arkansas intends to call for was in turn scoffed at by young Wood and his lawyer, Nash Rockwood of New York City. Rockwood said his client was a private citizen and that any investigation which might be made into his affairs would have to be done either through the criminal or civil courts.

"Congress is a legislative body not a grand jury," Rockwood asserted caustically. "They have the power to investigate the acts of public officials, but not those of private citizens. They certainly would be exceeding their authority if they attempted to investigate Mr. Wood's financial activities, but should they decide to investigate, we will be at their service at any time they may call us."

Meanwhile, the postoffice department under the direction of Chief Inspector Simmons, is continuing its investigation of the case. When asked whether any report had been received from Chicago concerning the evidence which Cook county authorities are reported to have turned over to the postoffice inspector there, Simmons said he expected the data next week.

The investigation, however, will center itself around Fort Worth, Texas, where the Acme and Craven

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Officials, in their announcement, expressing conviction that the bodies of these men will be found when the smoldering ruins cool sufficiently to permit workmen to conduct a thorough search. A careful investigation shows that they have not been seen since the explosion, the company says, adding that they have not returned to their homes, nor are they among the wounded in Pekin and Peoria hospitals.

Many of the injured in the hospitals are burned so severely that their legs and arms will have to be amputated, physicians told the United News. Others lost their eyesight in the explosion or the fire that followed. Suffering among these men is great.

The cold wave struck Pekin Thursday night and is expected to handicap the rescue work, despite the cold, however, a crowd of 3,000 anxious citizens surrounded the scene of the disaster until late into the night.

Two Bodies Identified
 The bodies recovered from the ruins have been identified as those of Lee Harding, 45, packing house foreman, and John Hooper.

James Holton died of injuries in the hospital and the three who are not expected to live through the night are William Vogelagang, Tony Kares and Otto Wiensburg. Vogelagang had been reported as dead.

Thirty-one injured employees are

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LABOR ELEMENT MAY CAUSE REVOLT

By the United Press
 LONDON, Jan. 3.—A drift toward revolution in Britain if King George links hands with the old parties to stem the power of labor is predicted by Frank Hodges, labor leader and important figure in the trades union organization here.

A labor government is now practically certain. But rumors are afloat that, if labor is defeated in Commons after assuming power, the king may refuse to accept a labor premier's request to dissolve parliament, and instead call in a conservative or a liberal leader.

Labor, if defeated, would desire dissolution and a general election, in which the labor leaders would attempt to gain a parliamentary majority. The summoning of a conservative premier would definitely relegate labor to second place.

"H. H. Asquith has hinted that the king could refuse to grant Ramsay MacDonald the authority to dissolve parliament if labor were defeated after assuming control of the government," Hodges declared in a message at Tanqueray, Southampton, Thursday.

"The labor party believes that the king would provide no obstacle to its democratic aspirations.

But if, owing to back stairs influence this belief is shattered, we may say good bye to political evolution in Britain.

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THE WEEKLY AVALANCHE IS GROWING!

Another proof of the rapid growth of Lubbock and the South Plains is found in the 24-page Weekly Avalanche which came off the press this morning. Besides carrying live-wire news from the News Centers of the world, news of Lubbock and the various rural communities of the South Plains, there is a wonderful lot of bargains advertised. Don't miss an issue of the Weekly Avalanche if you would keep abreast of the actual developments of this section.

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The more intimate the knowledge one possesses
of the characteristics of the German people as a
nation, the more truth is evident in the following
facts contained in an editorial in The Dallas News:
William Seaman Bainbridge is commander of
the New York branch of the Military Order of
Foreign Wars of the United States. He is also
a distinguished surgeon. He served with the
American Expeditionary Forces in the World War.
Accordingly it may be assumed that he is disposed
to be more friendly to France than to Germany.
However, that may be, he is the author of a pam-
phlet on conditions in the Ruhr and Rhineland as
he found them in July and August of this year.
The object of the pamphlet is to show the exag-
gerations of German propaganda and of the pre-
valence of European propaganda generally. But
to many the most interesting portion of Doctor
Bainbridge's report is contained in the preface,
where he refers to a previous trip of his to Ger-
many in 1915:

"One evening at the Adlon Hotel, in the fall
of 1915, shortly before my departure, we had at
dinner two German officers, one of whom was
a member of the General Staff. In response to a
question after a general discussion of conditions
from the German standpoint the following state-
ment, in substance, was made by the staff officer:
"Of course, Germany cannot help winning, but
for the sake of discussion, supposing that all the
world got on her back and it was impossible to
reach a military decision, I believe the following
things will occur: (1) An armistice will come be-
fore any hostile army crosses Germany's frontier.
(2) The immediate competitors in the economic
and commercial world will be so crippled that
when it is all over the Germans will be outselling
them on the markets of the world long before
they can get on their feet. (4) Following the
war there will be economic hell, industrial revolu-
tion. We will set class against class, individual
against individual, until the nations will have pretty
much all they can attend to at home and not
bother with us. (5) If need be, the Fatherland
may dismember into component parts and reas-
semble at the strategic time."

In concluding this statement, he turned and
said with emphasis as well as deliberation: "The
greatest struggle will come after the war. The
weapon will be propaganda, the value of which
we know. The allies will be torn asunder, each
will be put at the other's throats like a lot of
howling, gnashing hounds. And when they are
all separated from France, Germany will deal
with her alone."

The reading of that summation leaves one in
doubt whether he is most hesitant to call it a
prophecy being fulfilled, by events or an inter-
pretation after the facts yet fitting the facts. In-
deed, the facts fit too perfectly. It is not in us
to concede to the German mind either the clair-
voyance of the first hypothesis or the causative ef-
ficacy implied in the second one. The sham dis-
solution of a nation isn't beyond the strategic im-
agination, perhaps, of German leaders, but it would
seem to be beyond their capacity to engineer, judg-
ing by some of the undertakings they have mis-
planned or misdirected.

INCORPORATE OUT-DOOR WORK WITH SCHOOL

In January and February is the time to plan for
and begin the nature study, school gardening, and
agriculture that should make up a large part of
the work of the spring time. It is natural that
children should wish to be out of doors during
the warm spring months and their school work
should be planned to keep them out as much as
possible. The spring migrations of birds, the life
histories of plants, the flowering and leafing of
the trees, the planting of crops are all things that
children may study with profit and in which they
become intensely interested. Nor need these things
interfere with such studies as arithmetic, reading,
composition, and geography. On the contrary,
they may be used very effectively in giving life
and purpose to the three R's and making for the
children a pleasure, of what would otherwise be
drudgery.

More than 500 Filipino students recently took
examinations for admission to the bar in Ma-
nila, and 270 of them asked that the examina-
tions be given in the English language. Only
74 failed to pass the tests. It has been said
that these students rank fully as high as their
American brothers, both in use of English, and
knowledge of law. It certainly speaks well for
the Filipino schools and colleges.

The cost of living shows a small but steady
increase, and the purchasing power of the dol-
lar a corresponding decrease. As compared
with 1914 the dollar is now worth 60.5 cents—
above 40 percent below normal. At that the
people of the United States are better off than
the people of any other nation in the world,
because most of them have the dollar.

HEARING ABOUT LUBBOCK

Lubbock is getting a great amount of quite fa-
vorable advertising these days. Hardly a state
daily paper comes off the press that there is not
something in it about Lubbock. Lubbock is in the
eyes of the people of the United States, and we
even hear about Lubbock from China and Japan
and from Brazil, and we would not be at all sur-
prised to learn when the first word comes to this
country from Marrs that it will be about Lub-
bock. Without levity, Lubbock is being talked
about. The people are thinking about us in a
favorable way. The newspapers are comment-
ing on Lubbock as a wide awake community—
"the town that gets what she goes after" is the
way that many of them put it. Lubbock has al-
ways had that reputation, and there is no reason
why we should not maintain this record.

We may be overlooking some very impor-
tant matters however, as there will no doubt be
considerable railroad building done within the next
few years, possibly beginning during this year and
Lubbock should be on guard, and see that they are
all pointed in the right direction, with a reasonable
assurance that they come here. Lubbock is the
logical railroad center of the South Plains, and it
will not be hard to induce these roads to all come
this way if the proper steps are taken in time. The
big school to be built here and the many whole-
sale establishments coming to Lubbock, and these
already here justify the bringing of more railroads
and the establishment of cheaper freight rates to
this point. The tonnage to this point within the
next few months will be tremendous. We imagine
that it will be several times more than to any other
point, and there should be an effort put forth to
give the people who are developing this great
country advantage of every discount possible. They
deserve it and are in every way entitled to it.

Lubbock is the distributing point for a very
large territory, and the volume of business will
no doubt be very greatly increased within the next
twelve months.

Lubbock must stay awake and remain at the post
of duty, if we are to continue to occupy the most
important place in the South Plains.

THE DARK STREETS OF LUBBOCK

Lubbock possibly has the darkest streets of any
town of its size in the state, and yet we are looked
upon as one of the leading cities of the Southwest,
and we admit it ourselves that this is the case. Of
course, we know that the city is growing faster than
the city dads can buy clothes for her, but we won-
der why it is that more of the street lights have
recently been put up in the residential part of
town are not permitted to shine forth in splendor
to brighten the pathway of the fellow who has to
make his way home in the wee sma' hours of the
night? We expect when the light extension is
made from the recently voted bonds that we will
have a "white way," but we are of the opinion
that there would be less inducement for crime
in the town if it was better lighted. Let there be
light if it is possible.

GET BEHIND YOUR TEACHER.

Now that the holidays are over, the children
have had a restful and happy vacation from school
work, the parents have dedicated themselves anew
to the kind of "peace on earth" which makes for
a better world for their children, and we have all
settled down to a term of enthusiastic accomplish-
ment, isn't it a good time for parents and school
trustees to show their appreciation of the
work of the teacher? Next to the parents no one
is so interested in the children's welfare, so de-
voted to their general growth and development
as well as their school education as the teacher.
Her work will be far more effective if the children
know that the parents and trustees believe in her,
trust her judgment, and back her up in her ideals
and her decisions. She will be happier as well
as more effective in doing it if the appreciation
that is in the hearts of the people of the com-
munity finds expression occasionally in words, in
occasional hospitalities extended, and in other
small acts of consideration. Get behind your
teacher.

Less than \$8,500,000 was appropriated last
year for expenses entailed in enforcing the 18th
Amendment. During the fiscal year ending
June 30, the Bureau turned into the United
States treasury more than \$5,000,000 collected
in fines, penalties, etc. This did not include
perhaps as much more collected in local and
state courts. Prohibitionists insist that the ex-
pense saved by the closing of jails and similar
institutions has amounted to considerably more
than all the first cost, to say nothing of the many
millions of dollars that have found their way
to savings banks instead of cash registers behind
the bars.

Little Avalanches

Quit shaving during Leap Year and you are safe.
No girl will propose to a human hair brush.

Telling all fat girls they are fat and all skinny
girls they are skinny will keep you single.

Bobbed hair will catch a man's tie pin quickly
if soft and fluffy it will catch a whole man.

Asking her why she doesn't dress instead of
going so naked may keep you single this Leap
Year.

Beware of a girl with dreamy eyes during Leap
Year. Dreamy eyes may bring on some night-
mares.

When she puckers up her lips ask her if she is
trying to whistle. May help you stay single in
Leap Year.

The president of the American Cotton Growers
Association advises farmers in the South to plant
less cotton next year. It is hard to beat chickens,
sows and cows.

SLATON REPRESENTS EIGHT PER CENT OF COTTON GINNED ON THE PLAINS FOR THE PRESENT YEAR

SLATON, Texas, Jan. 3.—To date
the Plains country has shipped about
37,000 bales of cotton for the season
and slightly more than eight per
cent of this crop was ginned in Sla-
ton.

There are 25 gins within a radius
of 15 miles of Slaton. No richer land
can be found in West Texas than
around Slaton. This has been proven
by the production. The local gins
are still running day and night. It
is estimated that 1,000 bales of cot-
ton lie in the fields yet.

The Slaton compress has not stop-
ped for one minute during the entire
season. It is getting its biggest rush
now. The floor space is full and bales
are piled on the ground covering
about three full blocks.

The city has recently purchased a
new Holt tractor to keep the streets
in first class condition. It is rumored
that an election will be called in the
near future to vote bonds for pay-
ing. Every step possible is being taken
for better improvements.

Plans are being made for a cotton
oil mill that will cost approximately
\$200,000. This plant will be ready to
take care of the business in 1924.

A Junior Chamber of Commerce
has been organized recently with
more than 75 members. Every man
in town is boosting and 1924 is ex-
pected to be Slaton's biggest year.

Several new buildings are being con-
templated which are badly needed.
The residence sections are growing
rapidly.

The assessed valuation of the city
of Slaton for the year 1923 is \$1-
900,000. This will be raised consid-
erably for 1924.

There were recently voted bonds
of \$125,000 for the purpose of erect-
ing a new high school building. The
city has three modern school build-
ings and the fourth one is needed to
take care of the great enrollment.

The new building will be under way
in the near future.

The Slaton band is doing some
good work. The local band will com-
pare favorably with the best in the
state. Arrangements have been made
to render a program over WBAP, the
Fort Worth Star-Telegram's broad-
casting station on March 16.

FIVE KNOWN DEAD IN FIRE

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being cared for in the Pekin hospital,
and when the last bed was filled thir-
teen were rushed to the Peoria hos-
pital in automobiles. Dozens of oth-
ers, who are only slightly burned,
are receiving treatment at their
homes.

Two hundred employees of the Corn
Products Company have joined fire-
men in searching for the bodies of
those believed to have died when the
dry dust explosion wrecked the plant.

Their efforts were still confined to
the outskirts of the smoldering
ruins early Thursday night, however,
and it was feared that morning might
come before the heat would abate
sufficiently to permit the work to go
forward without danger and difficul-
ty.

5,000 Grief Stricken Present.
Around the plant grounds grief
stricken people line the radius of the
glow of the slowly dying embers.
Members of families of men have
stood for hours with tear-stained
faces, silently watching the fire sub-
side and the search for bodies gets
underway. The crowd numbered
5,000 persons during most of the day,
and at least 2,000 kept up the watch
after darkness fell.

The Salvation Army is serving cof-
fee and sandwiches to the rescue
workers and the families of the mis-
ing, while women of the town are
making hot soup in great kettles and
will serve it throughout the night.

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More than a score of women have
been pressed into service as nurses
to help out at the hospital and to
visit the homes where the slightly
injured are being cared for.

First Aid Given.
First aid followed the explosion at
once and the severe cold of the early
morning added further handicaps to
first aid measures. Corn oil, which is
manufactured by the company, was
used to relieve the pain of those who
sustained burns until medical reme-
dies could be administered.

"I thought I was dying when I be-
came about half conscious after the
explosion," said Frank Lichtweis,
who sustained two broken legs and
other injuries in the disaster.

"Then I saw flames shooting up
through the floor of the third story
where I had been working, and I
could hardly breathe for the smoke.
The floor above was gone. I crawl-
ed to a window, hung out and drop-
ped. The next I knew I was in the
ambulance."

BISHOP REFUTES CHARGES ON HEATON

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in question are held, taught and
preached by those in this church be-
longing to a higher order of the min-
istry than the party charged, I am,
therefore, unwilling to consent to a
trial of one of the presbytery of
this diocese upon such a charge; and
the diocese of Dallas rests this mat-
ter until opportunity may be given
to those in authority to proceed and
to point out the course of wisdom
and justice in such matters."

WOULD SUPPRESS PROBE IN MAYFIELD CASE

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ought to set out all the charges."

Heflin quizzed Senator Spencer of
Missouri, for several minutes as to
the scope of the investigation, but
finally consented to passage of the
resolution when Spencer assured him
that all the definite charges would
be given to Mayfield.

When the special subcommittee be-
gins its work next Wednesday, it

will have to decide not only the bill
of charges against Mayfield, but will
have to sift a huge mass of evidence
which has been presented to Senator
Spencer, chairman of the investigat-
ing committee and determine what
part of it will be presented publicly
in the open hearing.

One paramount question is whether
all of the election ballots shall be
brought here and counted. This
would require sending a number of
deputies to Texas and a great amount
of detail after the ballots were
brought back. It would take a large
appropriation to carry out such a
plan. However, the Colonel has un-
limited expenses. It is also likely
that scores of witnesses will be
brought here from Texas and other
distant points to testify.

ACTRESS SLOWLY RECOVERING OPERATION

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tears in his eyes, the chauffeur de-
clared, "Miss Normand has not told
all the truth about what happened
when I shot Dines. Wait until the
poor little kid is herself again and
she'll bear me out in every word.
You wait and see," he asserted a lit-
tle more calmly.

Detectives comparing the threads
of conflicting details are convinced
that it was a sort of inferiority com-
plex which prompted Greer to shoot,
he felt, it was said, that he was a
silent guardian and protector of Miss
Norman, surreptitiously worshipping
her because of the fine treatment ac-
corded him.

Friday Greer will be arraigned in
justice court, as a complaint charg-
ing assault to murder was filed
Thursday. Captain of Detectives
Cline announced the case closed so
far as his investigation is concerned,
after Greer's room mate was ques-
tioned regarding the chauffeur's men-
tal status. It was thought that he
might be slightly unbalanced.

World Boycott Pictures

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 3.—A move-
ment to boycott pictures was started
here Thursday by Dr. Jennie Callias,
member of the Nebraska Board of
Education and prominent Middle-
western club woman.

Her proposal was frowned upon
by some members of the woman's
club, however, and action was de-
layed after a hot debate.

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GRID ALL-STARS CLASH HERE TODAY

HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE MEN OF FLOYDADA HERE TO TRY THEIR LUCK AGAINST THE PICK OF LUBBOCK MEN

Skipper Jackson announced last yesterday afternoon that the stage is all set and everything ready for the all-star high school and college players of Lubbock and Floydada to clash on the local grid at the Merrill park this afternoon at 2:30.

Jackson has spared no effort in aligning the very best players of the two towns on the respective teams, and that they will show some real fight and football knowledge is assured.

This game, it is recalled, was to have been played on New Year's Day, but was postponed on account of the death of County Superintendent of Schools E. R. Haynes.

It will in all probability be the last game on the local gridiron this season, and for an eye full one could not select a better place to go than out to the Merrill Park at thirty minutes after two o'clock this afternoon.

It is an acknowledged fact that the Ralls basketball five pounded our locals for a long-sided score Wednesday night, but that's no sign the boys who used to kick the pigskin about here have lost any of their stuff, and anyhow it would be a good idea to keep an eye on them when they get on the field with the boys from Floydada.

Lubbock fans are urged to back their team.

LODGE SAILS FOR BOUT WITH FIRPO

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Farmer Lodge, the mastodontic Michigander, stopped several machine gun bullets in the Argonne. He also stopped Jack Dempsey's heaviest wallop in the training camp at Saratoga. Therefore, he fears nothing that Luis Angel Firpo can hand him and is preparing to stow himself in a first cabin Alrashamcock on a boat sailing for Buenos Aires Saturday. He has agreed to fight Firpo in Buenos Aires on February 10, for a guaranteed purse of \$3,000, and his expenses.

Lodge is a genial fatalist who climbs into the ring murmuring, "Come on kid, let's get in here, because we can only die once." It takes a fatalistic fellow to do business with the Buenos Aires, at that, because every other American boxer who went down there to box has had to shovel coal or swab decks, or polish bright work all the way home.

Half a dozen heavyweights who let themselves be lured to the Argentine told Lodge that he will neither get his purse nor his expenses, although Firpo will surely get his.

RICKARD UPHOLDS FIGHT DENYING COMPLAINT OF MONOPOLY

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Alarmed by the agitation against the existing boxing law in the halls of the legislature at Albany, Tex Rickard, the promoter, summed up his defense of the business in a long statement Thursday.

Rickard denied the complaint that he holds a monopoly in New York, pointing out that although there were six championship fights last summer, he was the promoter of only one.

He argued against the necessity for the proposed law limiting championship fight prices to \$7, on the ground that the boxing commission already has power to regulate prices and has set a maximum of \$25 for championships.

There have been no fake fights under the present law, Rickard said, and most of the decisions have been correct.

Charities have received \$600,000 from fight shows in three years and the state and federal treasuries have received \$1,200,000 in admittance fees from Rickard alone in that time.

LUCK IS ALL THAT BEAT NAVY ON NEW YEAR'S DAY SAYS OFFICER

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 3.—The Naval Academy football team was better than the University of Washington squad when they met in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena on New Year's Day, and only an unfortunate break of luck gave Washington

a 14-14 tie score.

Admiral Wilson, commandant of the Naval Academy, received word to this effect Thursday from Rear Admiral Robinson, commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet who witnessed the game.

The telegram expressed Robinson's congratulations to Wilson and the Navy team on the sportsmanship of the service youths, and added: "I regret that an unfortunate break of the game kept the better team from a well deserved victory."

Athletic relations between the Navy and Washington University were strengthened by the game, however, as the Navy has invited the Washington crew to be the guests of the Academy when the western oarsmen come east to try for the Olympic team and also to defend the intercollegiate championship won last year.

LOCAL QUINTET PLAYS CONE TONIGHT

Harry Hunter's tight, tenacious terrorizing Tigers, although ignominiously downed last Wednesday night at the high school gym, are again up for air and though gasping slightly yet, they have recuperated sufficiently to again make a razoo at opponents on the basketball court, and tonight will see them in action against the Cone huskies.

Coach Hunter seems to have had his share of hard luck this season in the way of formulating a winning quintet of basketweavers, as most of the old heads, who are experienced and are fast, seemed to look askance at their studies and slunked out, making them ineligible for championship competition. Thus Harry was forced to take practically a raw and inexperienced bunch of recruits, not even one old head to build around, and in an allotted time, was expected to strut them before us not only as county champs, but as district winners. This allotted time was a little short, so consequently us fans are being forced to endure reports of defeat, which occasionally anybody will meet.

However, the local cagers are now fast whipping into shape by constant practice, and not only individual players are beginning to show up fine, but excellent team work is noticed. But one of the most noticeable features is the spirit to "fight," even in the face of odds.

The Cone lads are rated as a husky five, and no doubt are going to put up a hard battle. The high school gym will be opened at 7 o'clock tonight, and the exhibition will be called at 7:30. Action galore will be exhibited.

U. S. POORLY EQUIPPED TO ENTER BOXING EVENTS DURING OLYMPICS

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Except in the light heavy and heavyweight divisions the United States at present is poorly equipped to enter the ring against nations of the world in the boxing members of the Olympic championships. Most of the members of the small classes who fought in the Antwerp games under the American colors have since become professional fighters or subsided from the game altogether.

Eddie Egan, formerly of Yale, now attending school in England, and Bill Spangler, the New York policeman are the two heavies of the 1920 team who are still available.

Sam Rosenberg, the middleweight Frankie Genero, Olympic flyweight champion, and the Zivic brothers, Pete and Jack, of Pittsburgh, are professionals. So are Archie Walker, former national amateur lightweight champion, and Sid Terriss, who once held the featherweight title. Of them all, Terriss and Jack Zivic have done best in the professional ring, but their prosperous example in the professional games has attracted many good amateurs to the same calling. Most of the latter are doing rather poorly in the paid game and the net result is that neither the Olympic team nor the boxers themselves receive any benefit from the imperfect development of such attractions.

CHICAGO U QUINTET PULLS SURPRISE DEFEATING YALE 24 TO 21

By United News. CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—The University of Chicago basketball quintet sprung a surprise party here Thursday night defeating the strong five from Yale, 24 to 21.

Barnes, Dickson and Dugan formed a scoring combination which gave the Maroons the lead in a 11-8 score at the end of the first half. This was increased, with Yale held almost stationary in the second period.

With five minutes left to play Chicago sent second-string men, and Yale rallied, scoring 11 points during the two minutes the substitutes were in the game. Grossman scored six of the counters with three long baskets from the field.

The Maroon regulars took the court again in time to hold the victory.

HASKELL INDIAN COACH GOES TO NEBRASKA

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 3.—Dick Hanley, coach of the Haskell Indians who played here Christmas Day, has agreed to take charge of the University of Nebraska eleven next fall, according to word received by Hanley's friends Thursday.

Illness of Fred Dawson, coach of the cornhuskers, made it necessary for the school to secure a gridiron instructor qualified to take active command of the team. Dawson will be retained as supervising director of the University.

OFFICER FINED BY JURY ON DRUNKENNESS CHARGE

Matt MacPherson, night police officer, who was arrested on the night of January 1, by Sheriff Bud Johnson and placed in jail on a charge of drunkenness, was tried in justice court Thursday afternoon.

The defense was represented by Attorney J. E. Vickers, while the state was represented by County Attorney Owen McWhorter. McPherson, it was alleged in the complaint, threatened to arrest a number of young people who were sitting at the Elk Cafe at about midnight of January 1, declaring them to be drunk. It was his condition, the sheriff told him, that gave them that appearance, and this testimony was brought out in Thursday's trial.

The verdict was returned after the jury had been out between five and ten minutes in favor of the state, the defendant being fined \$25 and costs.

ARLINGTON MINERAL WELL TO HAVE ORNAMENTAL FOUNTAIN

ARLINGTON, Texas, Jan. 3.—Having a good mineral water well that furnished an ample supply of water, citizens of Arlington have put it to a practical use.

They sold the water to citizens in need of mineral treatment and now have money enough to erect a handsome fountain about the well. The fountain will be surmounted by an ornamental light, presenting a very attractive appearance.

COL. MULLICAN ANNOUNCES FOR JUDGE

Much to the pleasure of his many friends throughout the 72nd Judicial District, Col. Clark Mullican, who was appointed by Governor Neff to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge Spencer, has announced his candidacy for election to that office by the voters in the regular primaries.

Col. Mullican, an overseas officer during the world war, has made Lubbock his home since shortly before his honorable discharge from the army after the Armistice was signed, and was for some time the junior member of the law firm of Bledsoe & Mullican. He has figured conspicuously in some of the most important trials that have been disposed of in this district.

The manner in which Judge Mullican has conducted the affairs of the court since taking the responsibility as placed upon him by the appointment of the state's chief executive has been sounded with commendation throughout the state and even when nation-wide publicity was given to the court by virtue of the importance of one trial, favorable comments were made of Judge Mullican by the correspondents of the big papers who were here to "cover" the trial.

Judge Mullican is distinctly a man of action. He has been asked to take the lead on more than one occasion when paramount problems faced the citizenship, and it must be remembered that when Lubbock was called upon to feed more people at one time than probably had ever been fed by a single unit in Texas, he was asked to direct the forces, and by feeding an estimated crowd of more than 30,000 people in only 48 minutes he was a main factor in having widest publicity given Lubbock for her hospitality and ability to handle a big thing.

The voters of the 72nd Judicial District have had occasion to know

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Judge Mullican personally, and his friends here are confident that they will vote their approval of his good work as District Judge and have him continue his services in that capacity.

POULTRY PLANT IS NEARING COMPLETION AT LAMESA

LAMESA, Texas, Jan. 3.—The Dawson County Poultry and Colony Plant being installed by Sidney C. Lackland is nearing completion. Mr. Lackland is receiving from the Bryan Hatchery 1200 choice English White Leghorns.

This plant will be in operation within the very near future and will be a great impetus to the poultry industry in Dawson county. Mr. Lackland is an experienced poultryman and will be in charge of the plant.

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4TH FLOOR W. T. HOSPITAL IS COMPLETED

Construction work on the fourth floor of the West Texas Hospital building has been completed, adding 18 patients room to the institution, six baths and an elaborately finished sun-palor, which is sufficiently spacious to accommodate all of the convalescing patients of that and even other floors.

John Gelin, contractor, is to be congratulated upon the fine workmanship achieved in the completion of the building.

Those having to do with the building and final completion of this beautiful structure have done something for Lubbock which will last throughout many years, and it stands as a monument to their progressiveness.

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SHOWING "THE WORLD BEFORE YOUR EYES" AND POLLARD COMEDY

"CALIFORNIA OR BUST"

BIG AUCTION SALE OF HORSES AND MULES

Saturday, January 5, 1924

To be held at the stock yards, SLATON, TEXAS

10 matched teams of Horses, 5 to 8 years old, weight 1100 to 1300 pounds.

6 Saddle and all purpose Horses, 5 to 6 yrs. old, weight 1000 to 1100 pounds.

12 match teams of Mules, 3 to 5 years old, weight 900 to 1300 pounds.

If you want good mules and horses of the right kind and quality, it will pay you to attend this sale.

Sale starts promptly at 2 o'clock.

RAY BARBER, Auctioneer

L. D. PRESCOTT, Mgr.

For information ask for either of the above at the Singleton Hotel, Slaton.

SERVICE!

This bank is an institution of "Service"—it is striving to make its customers prosper; to aid in the upbuilding of this city and the South Plains. You are invited to investigate this institution when in need of a banking connection.

Citizens National Bank

"The Bank of Human-Interest Service"

Hemphill-Price Co.

ANOTHER OF OUR GREAT

Our Second Annual

THE SEASON FOR THE CLEARANCE OF ALL WINTER GOODS IS NOW
ALL PURCHASES DURING THIS SALE---REDUCTION OF ONE-FOURTH OFF



ONE LOT CHECKED
AND STRIPED SILKS
\$1.95 TO \$3.00 VALUES
PRICED \$1.00

Now for a rousing January Sale, the good old kind this store is already famous for, the kind where prices are really reduced—reduced to such radical extent that you do not have to have a magnifying glass to see the reductions; the kind that puts thousands of dollars worth of merchandise into the hands of the people at prices that all know are cheap. This store never uses the term "Sale" unless we mean it, but twice yearly in August and January we clear our stocks, make way for new goods soon to arrive, and in general set our store in order for a new season. This is one of those Semi-Annual occasions, one of the times when we pass out the best we have in bargains, one of the times when we use the word "Sale" in capital letters. While this event is mainly a clearance of remaining winter goods, still most staple lines are included. Every where throughout the store opportunity awaits you. Put us to the test. We have the goods and the nerve to sell 'em cheap.

SALE OPENS FRIDAY 4th—5
CLOSES SATURDAY 19th.

Many Desirable Lines Completely Exhausted
Before Many Come Early!

A Reduction of All Remaining Silks That Is
Most Unusual Even at This Season

\$3.00 and \$3.50 Charmeuse in
black, navy and brown, yd. \$2.15
\$2.50 qualities, per yd. \$1.39

\$4.50 and \$5.00 Crepe Satin in
cocoa, tan and red, yard \$3.40

Crepe Sonje, a heavy popular
goods, cocoa, tan and navy, at
per yard \$2.95

Pretty Brocade Crepes in tan,
rose and blue, \$7.85 value, at
per yard \$6.15

Rousianare Crepe in tan, brown,
blue and black, \$5.50 value at
per yard \$3.36

Crepe Eponge in grey and blue,
a regular \$3.50 seller, yd. \$2.15

Vanity Silk in a varied assort-
ment of good colors, 50c and
\$1.00, yard \$42c

75c and 85c Wash Satins in the
light shades, per yard 63c

\$1.85 Georgettes, green, blues,
rose, reds and maise, yd. \$1.27

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Georgette, in
plain and printed, priced at per
yard \$1.39

\$3.00 Georgettes, a wide assort-
ment of shades, priced yd. \$2.15

\$2.45 Crepe de Chine in all
shades, priced yard only \$1.89

\$1.85 and \$2.00 Crepe de Chines,
a very large assortment \$1.45

\$1.50 Crepe de Chine in white
and rose, per yard only 93c

\$3.50 Maironette and Canton
Crepe, pretty shades, yd. \$2.85

\$4.00 Flat Crepe, a few very de-
sirable shades, priced yd. \$2.85

Silk Poplin in black, a regular
\$1.25 value, priced yard 97c

Silk Jersey in brown and blue
shades, \$2.50 value, yard \$1.99

\$2.50 and \$2.75 Pussy Willow
Silk, good colors, per yd. \$1.85

\$3.00 Pussy Willow and Bro-
cade Satin, per yd. \$2.25

\$3.00 Silk Jersey in Flesh and
Orchid shades, per yard \$1.65

\$2.00 and \$2.25 Radium and
Satins, pretty colors, yd. \$1.69

SATINS

\$2.50 Satins in the pretty shades
you will like, an excellent quality,
for Clearance Sale yd. \$1.65

Satine Etoile, one of our best
Satins and an excellent weight,
regular at \$3.00 yd., now yd. \$2.15

\$3.50 Satine Francaise, the best
Satin we carry, a beautiful weight,
all colors, per yd. \$2.65

\$1.65 Radium Silk, a very fine
cloth and a quality worth more
regular, per yard only \$1.20

TAFFETAS

Regular \$2.00 quality Taffetas in
all the shades you will like, good
for the summer dresses, yd. \$1.37

Other Taffetas in -pretty colors
and a quality that sells regularly
at \$2.25 yd., priced only \$1.49

Our best grade Taffetas in qual-
ity that sells regularly at \$2.50,
now offered at yard \$1.74.

Pretty Brocade Taffetas in shades
for dinner dresses, a regular \$3.00
quality, priced per yd. \$1.85

MESSALINES

Messaline in shades that range
from the light to the dark, a reg-
ular \$1.65 quality, priced yd. \$1.20

Other Messalines in fine quality,
all good colors, priced regularly
at \$2.00 and \$2.25, now yd. \$1.45

Pretty Silk and Kimona patterns,
shades that will make up beautiful-
ly, \$2.50 values, yard \$1.65

Two pieces colored Pongee, all
silk, in green and blue, regular
\$1.75 values, only \$1.20

EXTRA SPECIAL

Printed Pongees in regular \$3.50
values, priced per yard \$1.50

One lot Miscellaneous Silk in values
from \$3.00 to \$4.50, priced \$2.00

\$4.45 Duvityne in blue and black
colors, priced per yard \$2.15

Printed Crepe in values from \$2.75
to \$3.25, priced per yard \$1.85

Choice of all remaining Velvet's,
both Chiffon and Costume ¼ OFF

COLLARS AND COLLAR LACE

Now is the time also to buy col-
lars for your winter dress as well
as to lay in a supply for the new
spring garments.

\$1.25 values now priced only 89c

\$1.50 values now priced only \$1.15

\$2.00 values now priced only \$1.39

\$2.25 values now priced only \$1.63

75c values now offered at just 60c

ALL SILK LACE AND FANCY
TRIMMINGS GO NOW IN THIS
EVENT AT ONE-FOURTH OFF.



FANCY WOOLENS

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Fancy Skirtings
and Coatings, priced yard \$3.35

\$3.00 Camels Hair Cloth in pretty
colors and patterns, per yard \$1.65

\$9.00 Wool Brocades in two light
designs, priced per yard \$5.85

\$6.50 Skirtings in a wide range of
patterns, all go at per yard \$4.45

Wool Ratine, a very popular item
regular \$2.75 value, yard \$1.95

\$3.45 and \$3.50 Wool Dress Flan-
nel, all colors, per yard \$2.45

STAPLE WOOLENS

Staple Woollens and Fine Wool
Crepes, all go at these reductions.

All \$5.00 values priced at \$3.75

All \$4.00 values priced at \$2.95

All \$3.45 values priced at \$2.65

All \$2.00 values priced at \$1.65

All \$2.50 values priced at \$1.35

All \$1.75 and \$1.85 values \$1.20

All \$1.65 values go at \$1.10

All \$1.00 values priced at 73c

All 85c Storm Serge priced 63c

One lot of Cotton Suitings in val-
ues that range from 35c to 65c,
per yard only 20c

Dry Goods Items at Clearance Prices

50c and 45c Fancy Satines 38c

85c Fancy Satines, yard 59c

\$1.00 Fancy Satines, yard 73c

\$1.25 Fancy Satines, yard 89c

65c Radio Silk priced 53c

40c Satines and Soisette 28c

35c Poplin, all colors 23c

17½c Colored Cambrie, yd. 13c

45c Colored Crepes, yd. 32c

35c Colored Crepes, yd. 23c

50c Everfast Suiting, yd. 41c

85c Shirting Madras, yd. 69c

75c Shirtings Madras, yd. 59c

50c Shirting Madras, yd. 39c

25c Shirting Madras, yd. 27c

90c Daisy Satin, per yd. 72c

85c Daisy Satin, per yd. 69c

75c Daisy Satin, per yd. 59c

50c Underwear Crepe, yd. 69c

50c Underwear Crepe, yd. 29c

40c Underwear Crepe, yd. 22c

30c Underwear Crepe, yd. 17c

\$2.25 Underwear Crepe yd. \$1.79

\$1.75 Underwear Crepe, \$1.37

\$1.00 Underwear Crepe, yd. 83c

95c Underwear Crepe, yd. 79c

85c Underwear Crepe, yd. 69c

45c Underwear Crepe, yd. 36c

\$1.50 Linens, priced yd. \$1.15

\$1.35 Linens, priced yd. \$1.05

\$1.25 Linens, priced yd. 95c

\$1.00 Linens, priced yd. 79c

85c Linens, priced yd. 69c

65c Linens, priced yd. 59c

50c Linens, priced yd. 39c

\$4.00 Table Linens, priced \$3.85

\$3.50 Table Linens, priced \$2.85

\$3.75 Table Linens, priced \$2.79

\$2.25 Table Linens, priced \$1.85

\$1.85 Table Linens, priced \$1.35

\$1.25 Table Linens, priced 95c

\$1.00 Table Linens, priced 79c

\$12.00 Table Cloths, N's \$9.15

\$22.50 Table Cloths, N's \$17.45

\$14.85 Table Cloths, N's \$10.75

\$9.00 Table Cloths, Napkins \$6.75

\$10.00 Table Cloths, N's \$7.85

\$6.45 Table Cloths, N's \$4.85

\$2.25 Table Cloths, N's \$4.25

\$2.00 30-in. Diaper Cloth \$2.25

\$2.75 27-in. Diaper Cloth \$2.15

\$2.50 27-in. Diaper Cloth \$1.95

\$2.00 24-in. Diaper Cloth \$1.65

\$7.50 Wool Batts, priced \$5.65

\$5.50 Wool Batts, priced \$2.95

\$1.25 Bleached Cotton Batts 89c

\$1.00 Batiste, priced 89c

95c Batiste, priced 84c

75c Batiste, priced 59c

50c Nainsook, priced yd. 39c

40c Nainsook, priced yd. 29c

50c Flaxon, priced now yd. 39c

45c Flaxon, priced yd. 33c

40c Flaxon, priced yd. 29c

35c Flaxon, priced yd. 22c

25c Lawn, reduced to yd. 19c

20c Lawn, reduced to yd. 16c

15c Lawn reduced to yd. 11c

Checked and Striped Dimity:

50c value 39c

40c value 29c

35c value 22c

40c Papama Check, yd. 39c

35c Nurses Cloth, per yd. 22c

25c Nurses Cloth, per yd. 19c

20c Nurses Cloth, per yd. 16c

\$2.50 Linen Towels, pair \$1.95

\$1.85 Linen Towels, pair \$1.39

\$1.50 Linen Towels, pair \$1.15

50c Huck Towels, pair 38c

25c Huck Towels 18c

\$3.50 Bath Mats priced \$2.50

\$2.00 Bath Mats priced \$1.35

\$1.25 Bath Mats priced 90c

\$2.50 Turk Towels, pair \$1.95

\$2.00 Turk Towels, pair \$1.45

85c Turk Towels, pair 59c

50c Turk Towels, pair 38c

85c Toweling, by the yard 59c

65c Toweling, by the yd. 49c

40c Toweling, by the yd. 29c

35c Toweling, by the yd. 26c

30c Toweling, by the yd. 22c

25c Toweling, by the yd. 19c

20c Toweling, by the yd. 16c

20c Chivots, priced 16c

35c Denim, heavy blue 22c

27c Canton Flannel, yd. 19c

25c Canton Flannel, yd. 17c

18c Canton Flannel, yd. 14c

40c and 50c Gingham, yd. 33c

35c 32-inch Gingham, yd. 22c

25c Gingham, per yard 17c

19c Gingham and Percale yd. 14c

35c 36-in. Outing, per yd. 26c

25c 36-in. Outing, per yd. 18c

19c 27-in. Outing, per yd. 14c

20c Challie, per yard 14c

85c Everfast Prints, per yd. 59c

85c Elderdown, all colors, yd. 74c

\$1.75 Elderdown, per yard \$1.25

READY-TO-WEAR LINES ARE REDUCED NOW For a RAPID CLEARANCE of EVERY REMAINING ARTICLE



COATS

All remaining Coats are grouped
into just two lots for quick selling.
In one group are all coats that
have sold for \$24.85, \$29.85 and
\$34.85. All are cloth coats, good
styles and well assorted sizes. Take
your choice of the lot at \$18.75

In the other groups are several fine
coats, values from \$44.85 to
\$64.85, all cloth and fur trimmed
styles, good sizes, for a quick sale,
offered at choice \$37.45

COAT SUITS

Take your choice now of all remaining Coatsuits at
the following price reductions. Many of these gar-
ments will make ideal Spring styles. You will find
them values at these prices.

—LOT 1—\$59.85 to \$99.85 values \$43.25

—LOT 2—\$34.85 to \$49.85 values \$26.75

—LOT 3—\$14.85 Suits priced \$9.75

ONE LOT LADIES' BLOUSES IN
VALUES FROM \$6.00 TO \$6.50,
CHOICE \$1.98

CHOICE OF ALL REMAINING
LADIES' SKIRTS, VALUES TO
\$17.50 \$4.95

EXTRA !

Here are two rare dress values:
two lots that are sure to please
you. We have made two assort-
ments of some thirty silk and wool
dresses, dinner gowns and party
dresses, all good styles, well assort-
ed sizes and offer as follows:
\$44.85, \$49.85, \$54.85, \$59.85 and
\$64.85 dresses at choice \$32.75

\$24.85, \$29.85 and \$34.85 dresses
at the low price of \$16.75

DRESSES

Silk and Wool Dresses are grouped
together in this event for rapid
selling.

Two fine Silk Dresses in styles
for stout figures, blue and black
regular \$98.85 values \$68.75

Dresses in regular \$24.85 and
\$29.85 values, both silk and wools,
all good styles, every garment this
seasons purchase, choice \$18.75

Silk and Wool Dresses in new
styles, and good colors, regular
values from \$34.85 to \$39.85,
priced \$23.75

UNDERWEAR

Ladies' and Children's Knit Underwear, the very

OUR GREAT SALE EVENTS

Hemphill-Price Co.

January Clearance Sale!

MERCHANDISE IS NOW AT HAND---YOU CAN SAVE GREATLY ON REDUCTIONS OF ONE-FOURTH, ONE-THIRD AND ONE HALF

SALE OPENS FEBRUARY 4th---SALE CLOSING SATURDAY 19th.

Desirable Line Completely Exhausted Before Many Come Early!

at Is

ack, a regular yard 97c

rown and blue yard \$1.95

Pussy Willow yard \$1.85

low and Bro. yard \$2.25

in Flesh and yard \$1.65

Radium and lora, yard \$1.69

OLLAR

to buy cel- as well or the new

d only 89c only \$1.15 only \$1.39 at just 60c

ID FANGY IN THIS RTH OFF.

rices

s, pair \$1.95

ls, pair \$1.45

pair 59c

pair 38c

the yard 59c

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el, yd. 14c

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yard 17c

Perale yd. 14c

per yd. 26c

per yd. 14c

yard 14c

ts, per yd. 59c

l colors, yd 74c

per yard \$1.29

BED SPREADS SO REDUCED

Early the time to read. Our entire stock of light white and color are included at these re-

00 spreads are now \$8.35

00 spreads are now \$7.45

0 spreads are now \$6.65

0 spreads are now \$5.15

0 spreads are now \$3.65

5 spreads are now \$5.15

SPECIAL--Fine Spreads, in full 80 by 90 size, at \$3.00 value, priced at the low price of \$1.95

SALES ARELY CASH--NO EX-

CHANGES--NO NO DELIVERIES

PRICES ARE LOW FOR

RAPIDANCE.

Hemphill-Price Co.

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Our Men's Department offers some of the most deserving specials to be found anywhere in the entire sale. The Men's Goods we sell is all standard high class merchandise, goods that you know are good, goods you know are priced right at regular price. In this annual movement of merchandise, you can now buy this same high class goods at reduced figures, making it decidedly worth your while to supply all your needs.

MEN'S HIGH CLASS SUITS and OVERCOATS AT PRICE REDUCTIONS for CLEARANCE

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX, RICO ROCHESTER and FRAT CLOTHES ALL GO NOW AT SALES PRICES

OVERCOATS

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX AND RICO ROCHESTER, \$27.50 TO \$60.00 VALUES 1/4 OFF
ONE LOT MEN'S OVERCOATS, \$8.50 TO \$15.00 VALUES 1/4 OFF

LOT 1--HART SCHAFFNER & MARX AND RICO ROCHESTER SUITS, \$35.50 TO \$50.00 VALUES ONE-HALF PRICE

LOT 2--25 SUITS, HART SCHAFFNER & MARX AND RICO ROCHESTER BRANDS AT ONE-THIRD OFF

LOT 3--ALL REMAINING MEN'S SUITS IN ALL MAKES, BLUE SERGE INCLUDED ONE-FOURTH OFF

Men's Corduroy and Whip Cord suits, in values from \$15.00 to \$27.50, on sale now 1-3 Off

All leather and mole skin vests, \$6.00 to \$15.00 values 1-4 Off

All men's sheep lined coats, good weights, priced 1-5 Off

All boys' clothing, suits with two pair of trousers, \$7.00 to \$20.00 values 1-4 Off

Boys' overcoats in values from \$6.50 to \$12.00, now 1-4 Off

Boy's shirts and blouses, values from 65c to \$4.00 1-4 Off

All men's work gloves in this sale offered at 1-4 Off

Our entire stock Manhattan and Eagle shirts, \$1.25 to \$7.50 values priced now 1-4 Off

Men's wool shirts, all sizes, priced from \$2.00 to \$7.00 1-4 Off

Men's night shirts and pajamas, good weights, priced 1-4 Off

All remaining bath robes, blanket and wool, priced now 1-4 Off

Men's Haynes Underwear, unions, regular \$1.50 value 1-39

All men's and boys' Munsing underwear, values from \$2.00 to \$6.00, priced now 1-4 Off

All Duofold unions and separate garments, priced 1-4 Off

All boys' unions, all makes, priced now less 1-4

HOSIERY

1-4 OFF

TIES

1-4 OFF

SWEATERS

1-3 OFF

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS

All \$19.55 Blankets and Comforts, priced \$16.45
All \$18.50 Blankets and Comforts priced \$15.35
All \$17.45 Blankets and Comforts priced \$14.65
All \$15.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$11.25
All \$12.50 Blankets and Comforts priced \$9.65
All \$12.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$9.25All \$9.85 Blankets and Comforts priced \$8.15
All \$9.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$7.45
All \$8.50 Blankets and Comforts priced \$6.85
All \$6.45 Blankets and Comforts priced \$4.70
All \$6.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$4.65
All \$7.00 Blankets and Comforts priced \$5.25

HOSIERY

CHILDREN'S

50c Cadet hose, pair 41c
1.50 silk hose 89c
75c and 85c hose 53c
35c hose 27c
25c hose 21c
1.00 infant's hose 79c
85c hose 72c

LADIES' GLOVES

\$6.00 and \$6.50 gloves \$3.95
\$4.75 and \$5.00 gloves \$3.65
\$3.00 wrist gloves \$1.95
\$2.75 gloves \$1.95
\$3.50 driving gloves \$2.65
\$2.25 Suede gloves \$1.00

LADIES' HOSE

\$1.50 and \$1.75 wool hose, on sale 69c
\$3.50 and \$4.00 plain and fancy silk hose \$2.35
\$3.00 silk hose \$1.79
\$3.00 Chiffon silk \$2.25
\$2.50 La France \$2.15
\$2.50 Cadet \$1.95
1.50 silk hose \$1.15
1.00 silk hose 85c
85c silk hose 69c
50c Lisle hose 33c
25c cotton hose 18c
15c cotton hose 18c
Boys' wool golf hose, all sizes, \$3.00 values \$1.25
Ladies' \$3.00 and \$3.50 fancy silk and wool hose \$1.29
Ladies' \$4.00 and 4.50 fancy silk and wool hose \$1.69

DRAPERIES

Choice now of our entire stock of fine draperies, a wonderful assortment of both cretons and nats, take your choice at ONE-FOURTH OFF



MEN'S AND LADIES' DESIRABLE SHOES in the CLEARANCE at VERY LOW PRICES

MEN'S SHOES AND OXFORDS

Howard & Foster \$11 shoes \$6.80
Howard & Foster \$10 shoes \$6.00
Men's \$8.00 shoes \$6.40
Men's \$7.00 shoes \$6.00
Men's \$6.50 shoes \$5.20
Men's \$6.00 shoes \$4.00
Men's \$7.00 shoes \$6.25

WORK SHOES

Men's \$5.50 work shoes \$4.20
Men's \$3.75 work shoes \$2.65
Men's \$3.00 work shoes \$2.25
Men's \$2.75 work shoes \$2.10
Men's \$2.50 work shoes \$1.90

BOOTS

Men's \$10.00 Boots \$7.50
Men's \$9.00 Boots \$6.75
Men's \$7.50 Boots \$5.45
Men's \$5.50 Boots \$4.10

BOYS' SHOES

All boys' dress and work shoes in prices ranging from \$3.25 to \$6.00, all go in this sale at 1-4 Off

LADIES' SLIPPERS

Ladies' \$12.50 values, priced \$9.40
Ladies' \$11.00 values, priced \$8.25
Ladies' \$10.00 values, priced \$7.50
Ladies' \$9.00 values, priced \$6.75
Ladies' \$8.50 values, priced \$6.40
Ladies' \$7.50 values, priced \$5.45
Ladies' \$7.00 values, priced \$5.25

CHILDREN'S STYLES

Choice of all our stock of fine child's shoes, in patent and brown calf leathers, good shoes that will give service and in prices ranging from \$1.50 to \$6.00, in this sale 1-4 Off
One broken lot Children's shoes in good sizes and all leathers, regular \$2.75 values, as an extra special offered \$1.95
Another lot of boys' shoes in black calf, good soles, sizes 11 1-3 to 2, regular \$3.50 values, priced \$2.35

HOUSE SLIPPERS

\$1.00 values priced now 75c
\$1.50 values priced now \$1.15
\$2.00 values priced now \$1.50
\$2.25 values priced now \$1.70

EXTRA SPECIALS!

Ladies \$9.00 brown satin, cross strap pump, Junior Louis heel, a wonderful value at \$6.25

Ladies black kid, cross strap style, a regular \$8.50 value, on sale in this event at \$5.95

One lot Misses patent and satin slippers, low heel styles, odd sizes in \$5.00 and \$6.50 values \$3.25

Ladies brown suede, calf trim oxford, a regular \$8.50 value, a priced at \$6.00

Ladies black kid, patent trimmed oxford, a good staple style, regular \$6.50 value, now \$4.95

One lot of odds and ends in brown kid and black strap styles and oxfords, \$5.00 to \$5.50 values \$3.55

One lot Misses low heel, black and brown oxfords, good sturdy shoes, \$5.00 values, priced now \$3.55

LEGION OFFICERS OF ALLEN BROS. POST ARE ELATED OVER THE WAY EX-SERVICE MEN ACCEPT PROGRAM

The secretary of the Allen Brothers Post, American Legion, is genuinely pleased with the amount of cash turned into the treasurer at the regular meeting at the courthouse Wednesday night.

All of the officers of the post are of the opinion that greater work can be accomplished this year than during any other one year of the Legion's existence, and opinion is popular that the ex-service men are more awake to the needs of such an organization at this time than ever before.

The Legion has a distinct place in the community life of any city, and especially is this true in the case of Lubbock. Whereas the Red Cross has had practically all of the responsibility of caring for the claims of ex-service men with the exception of the loyal work and assistance of a few individual legionaries, the newly organized Legion will probably become a great working unit that can aid the Red Cross in making favorable disposition of all cases.

Homer L. Pharr, post commander, expressed himself as being elated over the splendid manner in which the ex-service men accepted and discussed the plans for reviving the Legion as laid down at the meeting Wednesday, and is confident that they are in line for an even more expanded program.

Boost the American Legion.

REBEL TROOPS DESERTING LEADER

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by shooting up American mines or ranches.

"American men on the Huastecas region may suffer. They'll put it up to us to abandon our Monroe doctrine or settle the trouble for injured foreigners. If our own people are slaughtered as was the case at Columbus, New Mexico, again, we may be forced to intervene.

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: CHARLES NORDYKE.

For Public Weigher, Prec. 1: W. S. (Billie) CLARK.

For Tax Assessor: R. C. BURNS (Re-Election)

For County Superintendent of Schools: W. M. PEVEHOUSE.

For District Judge, 72nd Judicial District: CLARK M. MULLICAN (Re-Election.)

For Tax Collector: I. F. HOLLAND, Lubbock, Texas.

GERMAN STUDENTS FORCED TO GIVE UP STUDIES OR STARVE

By United News.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 3.—Austria although still hungry is starting public kitchens and other relief work for the starving millions in Germany because they know their suffering is as nothing compared with that of the German people.

This information has just been received at the American Friends Service Committee headquarters here, from Quaker Relief workers in Germany.

"What these last three months have meant in tragedy piled on tragedy cannot even be imagined outside of Germany, no one person, even in

Germany, can imagine it all," the Quaker Relief workers report.

"The fall in value of the dollar means that the funds on hand, and in sight for student feeding, will care for only 500 students instead of 1,000 as last year. The dreadful alternative—give up your education or starve—remains for all but a lucky few of the students of Germany.

"The young men and women students worked hard all summer to earn something for their maintenance this year; they pined their courage and their determination against the steadily falling mark, which every day wiped out something of what they had accumulated in the previous days. In the very week of their return to their studies, the mark fell from a hundred million to the dollar to six hundred million—their summer's work gone like chaff before the wind."

LAFOLLETTE IS AGAIN IN ACTION

By RAYMOND CLAPPER, United News Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The most powerful and most feared individual in congress, Senator Robert M. La Follette, is back in his seat and the worry lines are deeper on the brows of the regular republican leaders.

At this moment, the Coolidge forces stand more in fear of La Follette than of Hiram Johnson, though it is the latter who is making the savage fight against the nomination of Coolidge. La Follette is feared because he has in his power to block a large part of the administration program in congress, which would compel Coolidge to go before the country in the election campaign with a blank slate so far as legislation is concerned.

If La Follette really was a sick man last month, as had been supposed, he has made a remarkable recovery. When he took his seat in the senate Thursday, for the first time in the present session, he appeared far more vigorous than last spring. His face is rosy and the lines are fewer, his voice is strong as he is in the best of humor.

"Are you ready to tear into them, Senator?" an acquaintance inquired. "Give me until next week to get hardened up," he answered with a laugh.

As his first step, La Follette intends to bring about the election of Senator Smith, the democratic candidate, as chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission. He voted for Couzens on the two ballots Thursday, along with most of the other progressives. But Couzens cannot be elected nor can any other progressive republican, so La Follette has decided to bring about the choice of a democrat rather than be the cause of keeping the senate tied up indefinitely. The break will come early next week.

Some of his friends disagree with him in this, and there have been earnest conferences in which Senator Norris of Nebraska, leader of the progressives during La Follette's illness, insisted that they should vote for a progressive indefinitely and force the opposition to break. La Follette believes this would prove an unwarranted obstructive move which would encourage some conservative democrats ultimately to unite with the regular republicans in electing Cummins. La Follette feels some personal hesitancy also in continuing the deadlock, since he, after all, is the real issue involved. The only reason Cummins refused to drop the senate committee post at the outset was that it would place La Follette who is next

in line, at the head of the committee. So La Follette, in cooperating to continue the deadlock, might appear to be doing so because of a personal desire to get the chairmanship himself.

La Follette regards the present committee fight as only one of the many issues on which the administration will be opposed, and he does not desire to weaken the progressive position by taking an unreasonable attitude at the start.

Repeal of the Esch-Cummins act, and heavier taxation for great wealth are the two objects in which La Follette is most interested.

Henry Ford's refusal to be a presidential candidate improves La Follette's chances should he be willing to lead a third party. But even the closest friends of La Follette are unable to fathom his mind on this point. He has taken care not to close the door on a third party venture, yet he has declined to encourage any such activity. It is as leader of the group holding the balance of power in congress, and not as a potential presidential candidate, that La Follette is important and is feared by the administration.

NEW BUILDING BEGINS THE NEW YEAR AT LITTLEFIELD

LITTLEFIELD, Texas, Jan. 3.—The new year starts with very bright prospects for the Littlefield community and the town of Littlefield in particular. L. G. Coffman has let the contract for a modern two-story brick building to be erected at once. The Shaw-Earnest Co. furniture dealers, have purchased a lot adjoining their store and state that they will soon build a brick building and put in a stock of general merchandise. A. T. Parker has just purchased a business lot and will build at once. J. W. Vickery has also purchased a business lot and is letting the contract for a business building. L. R. Crockett has bought all the stock in the Littlefield Service Station. He has also purchased two business lots adjoining and has begun building on the same. G. T. McElvey, Jr., has just completed a plant for the Littlefield Oil Company that will handle gasoline, oils, etc., at wholesale.

Many residence lots have been purchased and residences will be built at once. Recent purchasers of farm lands are moving in large numbers and improving their places.

LORENZO LADY BURIED THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. A. C. Woodward, age 50, died at her home in Lorenzo Thursday morning. The Simmons Co., of this city prepared the body for burial and the remains were laid to rest in the Lorenzo cemetery Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Woodward was the wife of a hardware and furniture man of that city, and besides the husband, leaves five daughters to mourn her loss.

A Berlin theatre accepts turnips and cabbages on admission. Better in the foyer than over the footlights.

PARIS SUBURBS SUFFER MUCH DAMAGE FROM FLOOD WATERS

By United News.

PARIS, Jan. 3.—Authorities estimate that 10,000 people must be evacuated from the Paris suburb of Alfortville, where waters of both the Seine and Marne, overflowing their banks, are submerging an area of 15 square miles.

But while elaborate preparations are under way to prevent further flood danger in Paris the authorities do not believe that the situation here warrants alarm.

Representatives of the subway lines, electric power houses, gas works and railroads conferred with the ministry of public works Thursday night, and later announced that they felt no uneasiness regarding the possibility of a flood disaster here.

It is announced that waters of the upper Seine are receding. In suburbs of the city, however, and along the Seine water front, the flood has already caused considerable damage. The situation is gravest at Alfortville, where about 15,000 persons make their homes. Soldiers and sailors worked desperately Thursday taking families from flooded houses. It was expected that 3,000 families will have to be evacuated by Friday morning.

A United News correspondent who visited the suburb found a strange scene. The rivers had broken through their dykes, and the water was rising at the rate of two feet an hour.

The dykes broke unexpectedly; people were still marooned in houses where they had been trapped by the rushing waters. As the correspondent passed through the main streets in a boat, scores of women and children stood at upper windows, screaming for help, shouting that they must be supplied with food, or demanding aid for sick relatives within.

ARTIFICIAL LIGHT USED AS IMPETUS TO PLANT GROWTH INSIDE

By the United Press.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 3.—Artificial light, now in use among farmers to make hens lay more eggs, is being directed on plant life to speed growth in experiments at Ohio State University here.

Botanists conducting the experiments believe the dawn of an era is near at hand when the interval between seed and bloom may be reduced to a few hours. Thus far scientists have established that by subjecting plant life to strong light rays twenty-four hours a day—

Violets may be made to bloom steadily the year 'round;

Growth, which under ordinary conditions would require a whole year, has been produced in three weeks.

Green pond moss, one of the simplest plants known to botanical science, has been brought to maturity in a small fraction of the time required by moss growing in semi-darkness.

Two 100-watt lamps used in the latter test.

Professor L. H. Tiffany of the Ohio State University botany and zoology department said similar experiments are meeting with success in laboratories of the Federal Department of Agriculture and in a number of colleges and universities of the mid-West.

"Our theory is," said Professor Tiffany, "that plants take much of the energy which makes them grow direct from the rays of the sun. Science has not yet described this energy element and we do not know what it is.

"In our experiments we are merely imitating as nearly as possible the work of the sun. But we are making that work more effective by keeping it going twenty-four hours a day and by intensifying it.

"The result is hastened growth. Whether science some day will be able to reduce the seed-to-bloom interval in plant life to a few hours remains to be seen. Such an accomplishment, in the light of recent success, would not be miraculous."

At present artificial "sun-shine" on a large scale as an aid to agriculture would be bad economics. A

Kansas farmer would profit nothing by rigging up giant electric lights to replace Old Sol over his vast wheat fields at night. The cost of artificial "sun-shine" would be many times the value of the increased yield.

But scientists believe the development may soon prove a boon to florists. Artificial light will enable them to place flowers on the market several weeks in advance of the present seasons.

Paris Soon Dogless

PARIS (By mail to United Press).—In 1913 Paris had 73,793 canine inhabitants. The 1923 figures show only 49,286. What has become of the 25,000 missing dogs in the past ten years? Dog lovers are asking. Most of them are put to death in the dog pound.

One answer is that the high cost of food and the doubling of the dog tax has made owning a dog a luxury out of reach of many people.

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LOCAL RED CROSS SECRETARY IS TO TAKE SECRETARYSHIP OF "COMMUNITY CHEST" IN CASPER, WYOMING

The work of Miss Mina Ellis, Red Cross secretary, has been outstanding in that Miss Ellis has accomplished a great deal more per dollar invested in that work than the average secretary of such chapter, and when at a recent meeting of the board of directors her resignation was offered, the members were rather dubious about accepting it, but after being told that Miss Ellis is taking up more extensive work in Casper, Wyoming, they agreed that it would be unfair to even entertain the idea of asking her to continue her services here.

Miss Ellis goes to Casper to take secretaryship of the newly created "Community Chest," a federated philanthropic organization which has to do with the work of all the other organizations having to do with charity there.

Miss Ellis is especially fitted for this kind of work, having had much experience in Red Cross work, organization of auxiliaries and chapters, and raising finances for their operation, and was chosen by the "Community Chest" board of directors after a long list of applicants had been considered.

Miss Ellis, leaves for Casper just as soon as someone can take charge of her duties here. The Red Cross headquarters have been notified and urged to send a successor just as soon as possible.

The board of directors heard the following report made by Miss Ellis, which is self explanatory and reflects well upon her ability to meet the requirements of that office:

Ex-Service—Eight Cases Assisted
One man was sent to the hospital

for disabled veterans at Ft. Bliss.

A certificate in lieu of lost discharge was secured for a veteran whose discharge had been lost in a fire.

Affidavits were prepared tending to prove the parents of a man who is now in Japan, need the man at home, in order that he may be discharged.

Visited disabled man at Slaton. Secured medical attention for him, at government expense.

Affidavits have been prepared for three men who are claiming disability compensation, tending to prove their disability due to service.

Letters were written for a man who was sick, to his family.

Civilian—Assistance to Representatives of 27 Families

Visits were made to 16 homes.

Jobs were secured for 7 persons.

Two men cared for, board, room and medical attention given them, for a week.

One woman who had run away from her family was looked after, work found for her, and after getting in touch with her people, she was sent home.

A family of four were cared for for two weeks, the mother and one child were given medical attention.

Charity rate ticket was secured for a man, to Abilene.

Assistance from a man's home town was secured, for himself and wife.

Food was sent one Mexican family, the man had had an operation and the woman had to stay home with him. Work was also found for her.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 72ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

This is to announce that I will be a candidate for District Judge of this District, to succeed myself, at the primary elections in July of this year. About one year ago Governor Neff appointed me to serve the unexpired term of Judge Spencer. I took my appointment seriously as a public trust, and have tried sincerely to administer the affairs of the court in a business like manner, with justice and fairness to all persons.

If the manner in which I have conducted the court has met with your approval and you should see fit by your vote, to retain me in office for a full term, I assure you that it shall be my honest endeavor to create for the court, and our laws and government, the trust and confidence of our people.

57-6 CLARK M. MULLICAN.

CHICAGO TO HAVE LARGEST HOTEL IN THE WORLD

By the United Press

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—A thirty-two story hotel, costing \$22,000,000 is to replace the Congress of Chicago, one of America's best known hotels. The hotel will be the largest in the world. It will contain 3,000 rooms and will be constructed in units.

The first unit, costing \$5,000,000, will be known as the "bachelors" hotel and will have 800 rooms, a gymnasium, tank, Turkish and Russian baths, running track, squash courts, billiard room, grill, etc.

A banquet and convention hall, seating 2,000 persons, will be the main feature of the second unit, also to cost \$5,000,000. It will contain 700 rooms.

All of the present structure, except the famous Peacock Alley and Pompeian Room, will be demolished. The Congress has always been the political centre for national conventions.

MRS. MATHIS IS NOW WITH THE McAFEE CO.

Mrs. W. C. Mathis has accepted a place in the ready-to-wear department of McAfee's company.

Mrs. Mathis is well known to the people of Lubbock, and the McAfee company is in line for congratulations on having the good fortune to secure her services.

She is well versed in the business of selling ladies ready-to-wear and her experience will count for much in the successful operation of this department. Her ability as a saleslady is unexcelled, her friends say.

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WEST TEXAS HORSE IMPORTANT IN POLICE FORCE

FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 3.—Not all of the credit for the exploits of the Northwest Mounted Police of Canada should go to the men themselves. To their horses—practically all of them wiry, fast Texas stock—should go a share of the fame.

William Anson, head of the large Christoval Ranch, here recently declared that a majority of the mounts for the noted law enforcement agency come from West Texas. They are preferred to the pure bred Kentucky stock because of their wonderful powers of endurance.

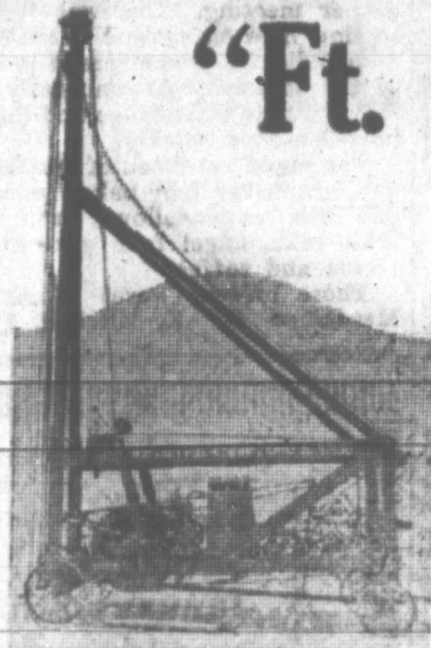
T. B. ZELLNER IS AT WORK FOR SNYDER FIRM

T. B. Zellner, local accountant, is at Snyder for a while in the employ of the H. L. Davis Dry Goods Company, which company is forming a corporation and enlarging their business.

Mr. Zellner reports a good business being done through his office as accountant, and we are sure that ere he has completed work at Snyder the firm on whose books he is now working will realize that they did well in selecting a Lubbock man to put their books in shape.

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KIWANIS CLUB OBSERVED LIBRARY WEEK THURSDAY; LIBRARIAN MADE REPORT OF THE WORK FOR YEAR

The first regular meeting of the Kiwanis Club for 1923 was well attended, the one hundred per cent mark being missed by but a few members.

S. C. Wilson, president of the club, acted as toastmaster and kept the meeting going at a snappy rate until the last speaker had been heard.

"Library Week" was fittingly observed, and Mrs. Smelser, librarian, read a report of the work of the library for the past year. She commented also on the duties of a librarian, and said remarkable good had been the result of the library's efforts to see that only the very best literature is read by the library patrons, especially the boys and girls. Mrs. Smelser eulogized Editor James L. Dow of the *Avalanche* for the splendid manner in which he, as a member of the board of directors, had supported the library.

Mayor Percy Spencer, gave the Kiwanians something to think about for the next twelve months, yet he spoke less than eight minutes. Every sentence, it seemed, had been weighed by the speaker and chosen to impress his hearers with the vast good that can be done through the operation of a public library. He commended the librarian very highly upon the service she had rendered and said it is his opinion that her work is just as important from a standpoint of cultivating the minds of the boys and girls of Lubbock as is the work of any preacher or teacher in the city.

He expressed much regret that Mrs. C. M. Ballenger, who was to have appeared on the program, was unable to attend, and said that as president of the 20th Century Club Mrs. Ballenger was one of the first leaders in Lubbock club circles to advocate the establishment of a public library here, and had worked incessantly, the present library being the results of the work started by her.

Mr. Spencer said that the people of Lubbock have a great deal to pay for, but said that anyone would not like to live in a town where there were no such conveniences as are and will be furnished the people of Lubbock.

Several visitors were present and made interesting talks, all of which were appreciated by the members.

A program committee of Messrs. Collie, Reed and Blair was appointed by the president, and resolutions were made and adopted that the entire program next week be devoted to a memorial service for the late E. R. Haynes, Kiwanian, who died at Temple Sunday evening.

Three new members were taken into the club and will be duly instructed in the work of Kiwanis at a future meeting by the educational committee.

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DEMONSTRATION AGENT FOR DAWSON COUNTY ARRIVES

LAMESA, Texas, Jan. 3.—Miss Miss Eratha Garrison of Medina, Texas, formerly Home Economic teacher of Taft, assured her duties yesterday. Careful consideration was given by the Extension Service of A. & M. College in the selection of Miss Garrison. And plans are being made for a good year's work. This character of work has never been done in the county prior to 1924.

SOCIETY NOTES

Open House Observed at Country Club.

Open house was enjoyed Wednesday afternoon at the Country Club from 2:30 to five o'clock, with Mesdames Sam T. Davis, J. L. Dow, S. S. Denman, J. M. Denman and H. A. Davidson hostesses.

The receiving rooms were pretty in a decoration of red carnations, red bells and other appropriate symbols of the new year. Games of Mah Jongg and bridge furnished diversion for the occasion, after which about 25 ladies were served to delicious sandwiches and coffee.

Mesdames W. E. Craven, Dalrymple and Daniels were named among the hostesses but were unable to attend.

Naomi Hawkins Entertains
An enjoyed social event of the younger set of the city during the holidays was that of the party given Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hawkins, with



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their daughter, Naomi, entertaining a number of her friends.

Various games were played and music on the piano enjoyed, after which delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, hot chocolate and cake, were served to the following girls: Bernice Moreland, Mare May, Cora Alice May, Francis Stahl, Georgia Mae Foster, Veta Stafford, Valla Foster, Jaunita Meredith, Blanche Fann, Velma Osburn, Doris Clark, Xrepha Clark and Naomi Hawkins; and boys: Mancel Hall, J. W. Edwards, William Lewis, Otis Ghoslon, Edward Allen, Hayden Morgan, Marvin Council and John Lilly.

Woodman Circle Holds All day Meeting

The members of the Woodman Circle assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mallard, 1802 Avenue M, Sunday and enjoyed a get-together meeting. This was the first session held in several months and a splendid feast was spread in honor of the occasion. An unusually large crowd was in attendance and the time passed all too quickly.

The menu consisted of stuffed turkey, cranberry jelly baked yams topped with marshmallows, fruit salad, fruit cake, angel food cake and ice cream and coffee.

Those present were: Messrs and Mesdames F. K. Mitchell, F. V.

Brown, R. W. Heim, W. C. Bryan, W. A. Stahl, W. B. Thorp and W. C. Mallard, and Mesdames McElroy, Kate Vaughn, Aubrey Jones of Abenathy, Mr. Smith of Abilene, Willful Mallard and Misses Vernon Brown, Maggie and Ann Mallard and little Miss Margaret Ann Dearman of Ranger.

Officers Named for Baptist Ladies' Auxiliary

The ladies of the Auxiliary of the First Baptist church have started the New Year with enthusiasm in their plans for the year's work and the following officers were named at the recent annual election: Mrs. W. C. Bryan, president; Mrs. Ed Alexander, vice president; Mrs. A. H. Travis, secretary; Mrs. L. P. Osburn, treasurer; Mrs. H. O. Waters, press reporter; Mrs. J. W. Jennings, pianist; Mrs. J. W. Jennings, chairman of circle number one; Mrs. E. L. Law, number two; Mrs. G. M. Cosby, number three and Mrs. W. A. Stahl, number four.

Personals.
Miss Gladys Dean returned today to the West Texas Teachers' College at Canyon, after having spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dean, of 614 Avenue O. Miss Nell Ruth Earnest passed through Lubbock Wednesday enroute to Denton, to resume her studies at C. I. A., after spending the holidays

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Earnest near Ligon and with friends in Littlefield.

Mrs. A. M. Eubanks left Wednesday for Canyon where she is attending the West Texas State Teachers' College, after spending the holidays here with her husband.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Cole of El Paso, who are guests in the home of Mrs. E. R. Haynes, made a trip to Crosbyton Thursday.

Mrs. J. A. Parks, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. LeMond, returned to her home at Crosbyton Thursday.

Miss Marie Patton, English teacher in the Littlefield High School, spent several hours in Lubbock Wednesday, enroute to Littlefield, after spending the holidays in Mexico.

J. T. Street of Littlefield, was in Lubbock Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laughlin, who have been guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maxey and visiting their son, Harry Laughlin, of the Lubbock Auto Company, returned to their home at Waco, Wednesday. They were also guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. B. Kiem in Tulsa during the holidays.

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THERE'S A DIFFERENCE AS WELL AS A REASON

By the United Press.
HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 3.—Willie Martha Hall, 22 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall, was among the first of Houston Christmas casualties. Mistaking a torpedo for a piece of candy, the infant bit down on it and it exploded. Doctors sewed up a two inch gash in her cheek and she spent Christmas in the hospital.

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\$15.00 Ready to Wear Now	10.00
\$17.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$11.62
\$22.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$15.00
\$25.00 Ready to Wear Now	\$16.67
\$27.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$18.33
\$29.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$19.63
\$32.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$21.60
\$35.00 Ready to Wear Now	\$23.36
\$39.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$26.35
\$45.00 Ready to Wear Now	\$30.00
\$49.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$33.00
\$55.00 Ready to Wear Now	\$36.67
\$62.50 Ready to Wear Now	\$41.67
\$65.00 Ready to Wear Now	\$43.33

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All other shoes reduced.	

32-inch Best Grade Gingham	29c yd
32-inch Good Gingham	19c yd
27-inch Best Grade Gingham	19c yd
Good Grade Percal	15c yd
All Silks reduced 20 per cent	

MEN'S AND BOY'S OVERCOATS REDUCED

\$6.75 Boys Overcoats Now	\$5.09
\$7.50 Boys Overcoats Now	\$5.65
\$8.25 Boys Overcoats Now	\$6.19
\$9.50 Boys Overcoats Now	\$7.13
\$11.50 Boys Overcoats Now	\$8.63
\$15.00 Boys Overcoats Now	\$11.25
\$19.50 Mens Overcoats Now	\$14.65
\$22.50 Mens Overcoats Now	\$16.88
\$25.00 Mens Overcoats Now	\$18.75
\$28.75 Mens Overcoats Now	\$21.57
\$33.50 Mens Overcoats Now	\$25.15
\$38.75 Mens Overcoats Now	\$29.06
\$42.50 Mens Overcoats Now	\$31.88
\$49.50 Mens Overcoats Now	\$37.13
\$55.00 Mens Overcoats Now	\$41.25
\$57.50 Mens Overcoats Now	\$43.13
\$65.00 Mens Overcoats Now	\$48.50
1 Lot Men's Overcoats	\$7.50
1 Lot Men's Overcoats	\$12.50

MEN'S AND BOY'S SUITS REDUCED

\$20.00 Men's Suits Now	\$16.00
\$25.00 Men's Suits Now	\$20.00
\$27.50 Men's Suits Now	\$22.00
\$30.00 Men's Suits Now	\$24.00
\$33.50 Men's Suits Now	\$26.80
\$35.00 Men's Suits Now	\$28.00
\$40.00 Men's Suits Now	\$32.00
\$45.00 Men's Suits Now	\$36.00
\$47.50 Men's Suits Now	\$39.60

Men's Sweaters Reduced 20 Per Cent	
Boy's Sweaters Reduced 20 Per Cent	
Best Grade Wool Shirt	\$3.00
Best Grade Moleskin Shirt	\$2.00
Good Grade Khaki Shirt	\$1.15

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month. Visiting Ma-
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NOTICE—Call meeting Yellowhouse
Lodge No. 841, A. F. & A. M. Friday
night 7:00 o'clock January 4. Work
in the entered apprentice degree.
Visiting Masons cordially invited. L.
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WANTED—Three of four unfur-
nished rooms or house. Phone Elk
Barber Shop, call Mr. Cox. 57-2p

CARPENTERS WANTED—Five
card men. See F. O. Kelly, at Sher-
red Bros. Hdw. Co. 57-1

MESSENGER BOYS WANTED—
Apply at Western Union. 56-6

WANTED—Two boarders from new
high school building. Across street
near store, convenient. Board rea-
sonable and homelike. 2015 14th St.,
Mrs. Edgar. 56-4p

WANTED—Two or three room apart-
ment in private home where 3-year-
old girl in welcome. Address E. care
Avalanche giving full details. 55-1f

WANTED—To buy used windmill,
tower and pipe. Maple Wilson, phone
700. 54-4

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished
house, close in. Phone 740M. 1f

WANTED—By lady, experienced
housekeeper cook, desires work in
Lubbock home. Mrs. H. B., 2826 So.
Blvd., Dallas, Texas. 51-6p

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at the
Avalanche. We pay cash for them. 18-1f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford coupe in good con-
dition; 1923 model. C. D. Shambur-
ger Lumber Yard. 56-1f

FOR SALE—A few bred sows of im-
proved Guinea hogs. Most economical
pork producers; quick growth; early
maturity. Would trade for good
Jersey cow near Lubbock. Welton
Winn, 1218 8th St., 56-1 16-1

FOR SALE—Two corner lots, close
in. Nice building site. A bargain for
cash, or will trade for improved stuff.
See owner at Avalanches after 6:30
P. M. 55-1f

FOR SALE—5 business lots; one
block from court house. For further
information inquire J. C. Quinn, 812
Main. Phone 294. 54-1f

FOR SALE—1923 Model Fordson
tractor, good as new. Call at 1304
Ave. L, or Phone 725. 57-2p

FOR SALE—17 head of dairy cows,
some fresh. See Dillard at Owens &
Hufstetler, 1010 Main. 57-5p

FOR SALE—Rumley Tractor, 16-30,
with 9 disk plows. See Dillard at
Owens & Hufstetler, 1010 Main. 57-5p

BUY IN LUBBOCK COUNTY
acres 10 miles north of Lub-
bock, on highway and mail route be-
tween Lubbock and Abilene, 120
acres in cultivation, good four-room
house, sheds, well and wind mill, good
surface tank, nice shade trees, at
\$45.00 per acre; small cash payment,
1 year on balance. Might consider
a little trade. Possession if wanted.
Sears & Powell. 57-1f

FOR SALE
Two sections of land situated nine
miles northwest of Lubbock. For
particulars write the San Antonio
Loan and Trust Co., P. O. Box 864,
San Antonio, Texas. 40-1f

FOR SALE—Furniture complete for
eight light housekeeping rooms, all
together or one piece or in sets, oil
stoves and heaters included. 614
Ave. M. 51-1f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Practi-
cally new Overland sedan at real bar-
gain; Inquire "J" Avalanche. 53-1f

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FORDS FOR SALE

- 1 1919 Ford Touring \$50.
- 1 1920 Ford coupe, bargain.
- 1 1921 Ford coupe.
- 1 1921 Ford touring, new paint.
- 1 1922 Ford roadster.
- 1 1922 Ford touring.
- 1 1923 Ford roadster.
- 1 1923 Ford touring.
- 1 Racer Ford body, \$7.00.

A few used casings.
New and used Ford parts for sale.
Ford top \$5.50.
Used Fords bought and sold.
C. M. ELMORE,
1319 Avenue H Phone 829
56-4

40 ACRES FOR SALE—\$100 per
acre, 1-4 cash; balance easy; outside
city limits. Box 128 Lubbock, Texas.
53-12p

FOR SALE—Seven-room house on
Ave. N and 9th St. Sold at a bargain.
See Mrs. M. E. Coffey at 713 Avenue
L. 50-1f

FOR SALE—If you want to buy a
nice home on Main Street, worth the
money, call 3213, or see owner at
2007 Main. 50-1f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—350 acres
of good agricultural land all fenced
and cross fenced, four room house,
good well and windmill, fine water;
100 acres in cultivation, in Bailey
county. Convenient to school store
and mail route. Will sell on easy
terms or will trade for Lubbock
business lots, residential property
or will trade for acreage or equity
in small tract of land near Lub-
bock. This proposition can be easi-
ly handled, and the land is fine.
Write Box 306, Lubbock, Texas.
277-1f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One large furnished
room for light housekeeping. 1510
Avenue L, Phone 5943. 57-1

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, close in.
Phone 830. 57-1f

FOR RENT—Bedroom, gentleman
preferred. Phone 119. 57-1

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished
front bedroom. Two blocks from
postoffice. Phone 366. 57-1p

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, close
in. Phone 830. 57-1f

FOR RENT—4-room furnished apart-
ment. See A. J. Matthews. 57-1

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping
apartments to couple only. Phone
375. 56-2

FOR RENT—Farm, 200 acres in cul-
tivation; sufficient teams, tools and
feed for sale cash to run renter. Ask
Henderson at Avalanche. 47-2p

FOR RENT—One brock and concrete
warehouse, 25x80 feet. Inquire at A.
E. Helber Jewelry. 56-1f

FOR RENT—Five-room house to par-
ty who will buy meager set of house-
hold goods. 1111 16th Street. 56-2p

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping
rooms. Phone 5633. 54-1f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—For 1924, 120 acres of
land, with 9-room house, joining Lub-
bock on the east; 35 acres in cultiva-
tion, balance in pasture. \$600 cash
rent. A. F. McDonald. 49-1f

MISCELLANEOUS

PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING.
Wm. J. Long, Phone 294. 54-4p

POSITIONS YOUNG MAN! YOUNG LADY!

There are hundreds of good posi-
tions for those who are efficient in
salesmanship. We will start day and
night classes soon, at the LUBBOCK
BUSINESS COLLEGE. Phone 335.
P. O. Box 863. 53-6p.

BOARD AND ROOM by day or week.
Special rates to permanent boarders.
Good things to eat at every meal.
WILSON BOARDING HOUSE, J. C.
Taylor, manager, 1404 Avenue K,
Phone 123. 52-1f

FOR TRADE—House and two lots
in Lubbock for teams and tools and
want to rent a farm. See W. H. Wilk-
inson at 809 Ave. M. 44-47p.

Thomas Grain Co. for feed and
fuel. Phone 324. 5-1f

FOR TRADE—1-2 section of land
in Gaines county for business lots
in Lubbock. See owner at Ave.
lanche office.

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—Two dun colored mules,
about 14 hands high; one horse mule
and one mare mule. Any informa-
tion regarding their whereabouts will
be paid C. A. Pierce, Lubbock State
Bank Building. 57-6

FOUND—Party who lost overcoat on
Broadway, call 435M. 57-1

LOST OR STRAYED—1 sorrel horse,
8 years old; 1 black mule, coming 5;
1 bay mare mule, coming 4; and 1
black horse mule coming 4; all in
good shape; no scars or brands on
any of them. \$10.00 reward for in-
formation leading to recovery or
whereabouts. P. E. Croshaw, 3 miles
east and 2 miles north of Shallow-
water, Route 2, Lubbock, Tex. 56-2p
16-1p

LOST—Bill fold containing one \$10
and four \$1 bills. Folder has name
of O. E. Rush inside. Return to Ava-
lanche. 56-2p

NOT SO BLUE AS HE THOUGHT FOR

DALLAS, TEXAS, Jan. 3.—"I sho'
is blue" remarked Henry Lambert,
negro, as he sat in a shine parlor
getting his shoes blacked. "I'd as
soon be dead as broke."
"Bang."

It was a shot fired from a nearby
dance hall. The bullet entered
Henry's leg.

"Oh, no, I hadn't either dead
lawd," yelled Henry as he recalled
his remarks.

Emergency doctors treated the
wound.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

I would be pleased indeed if it
were possible for me to see each
voter in the county and tell them
face to face that I am a candidate
for the office of tax collector for
the county of Lubbock. But this is
not possible, therefore, I state thru
the columns of the papers that I am
before you, subject to the action of
the democratic primaries.

It has been my pleasure to live in
Lubbock for the past six years and
during this time I have been before
the public practically every day. And
I am frank to state that I have en-
joyed every day of my citizenship
in this great section of the country
and have taken great pride in the
development that has taken place dur-
ing this time.

With me the South Plains is the
coming country of the state. My all
is here and it will be my pleasure
to try and so live as to be able to
add my mite to the general advance-
ment.

On the seventh day of last June I
was appointed to the tax collector's
office by the County Commissioners
to fill out the unexpired term of Mr.
Sam C. Spikes. It has been my aim
to fill this place with satisfaction to
all the people and the record of my
work is open to all.

Between now and the primary elec-
tion this summer I will see as many
of the voters, personally, as it is
possible for me to do but I ask that
each and every voter of the county
consider my claims and assure each
of you that your support an influence
is solicited and will be appreciated
fully.

If I am your choice, I herewith
pledge myself to meet your every re-
quirement to the best of my ability
at all times.

Thanking you one and all, I am,
Sincerely,
I. F. HOLLAND,
Tax Collector, Lubbock Co., Texas.

CHARGES BRANDED BLACK- MAIL BY WOOD

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oil companies had their main offices
at one time. Simmons asserted that
the investigation of the Acme com-
pany had been dropped because it
was found that the Craven company
was the parent organization, and
would therefore be held responsible
for any fraudulent practices.

Contrary to young Wood's state-
ment Thursday that he had made
practically complete restitution when
persons who bought stock thought
themselves cheated, letters of com-
plaint poured into the offices of
Freear and Caraway all day.

One in particular revealed the fact
that young Wood's name had been
made capital of in the advertisement
which appeared in the Stars and
Stripes, United States army paper.
An ex-service man from Waco, Texas,

crippled in the war, with a family of
five children to support, complained
that he had been induced to buy
stock in the company because young
Wood's name had been used. He
claims to have lost \$200 sorely need-
ed dollars.

Local Happenings

H. C. Jones of Slaton was a visitor
in Lubbock yesterday afternoon.

Judge R. C. Joiner, District Judge
of Plainview, and Court Stenographer
Brown, of Plainview, were visitors
in Lubbock yesterday. Judge Joiner
has been judge of the 46th Judicial
District a number of years and is one
of Plainview's excellent citizens.
Judge Joiner states business condi-
tions are excellent over his entire dis-
trict, and he is very optimistic over
the future outlook.

They thought that you had to be
born pretty, they didn't know that
you could get beauty by dynamiting
for it.

Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley
Bldg., knows how to cure Pyorrhea
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POSTMASTER DUEING VERY SERIOUSLY ILL

Dr. H. C. Duering, local postmaster,
is in a very critical condition, ac-
cording to word received from his
bedside at his home at a late hour
last night, and although attending
physicians think that he will recover,
his condition is being very closely
watched.

Complications began to develop
Monday following a slight attack of
chills Sunday, from which time the
patient has grown steadily worse.

Women have always known that
complexions can be purchased at
drug stores, but few of them ever
realized that they could go out in
their back yard with a shovel and
dig up a couple of rosy cheeks.

BUILD A HOME!

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Posts, Shingles, Globe Plaster,
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BARRIER BROTHERS

Publicity on back page of this paper.

Gradually Growing

For more than 15 years the South Plains has experi-
enced a gradual growth and development; and for a long-
er period this bank has reflected this development.

The Lubbock State Bank

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FOR MY LADY—

Visit Our New Store!

AS LUBBOCK GROWS—

FAILURES BREAK;
SUCCESES EXPAND

Thanks to the generous patronage of Lubbock and the South Plains
generally and our diligent effort to make "A Barkham Hat Makes You
Look Your Best" a true slogan, our business has grown to such proportions
that a mere balcony will no longer suffice our needs. So in order to serve
the ladies of Lubbock and Lubbock's ever-increasing territory, in a manner
more befitting their desires, we have secured part of the New Avalanche
Building—directly in front of the postoffice, and are now located there.

There is an abundance of light; plenty of room, no stairs to climb,
and our service will make it a pleasure for you to do your shopping with us.

We extend a most cordial invitation to every lady in Lubbock and
surrounding territory to visit our new shop; and we will give souvenirs to
every lady who visits us Saturday—Corsage Bouquets Free!

FOR MONDAY—TRADES' DAY WE OFFER

- Choice of all winter Hats priced \$10.00 and over, extra
special \$4.00
- Some Ladies' Hats and many Children's Hats \$1.00
- Caps and Scarfs HALF PRICE

OPEN FOR YOUR INSPECTION—MANY BEAUTIFUL SPRING HATS,
BOTH SATURDAY AND MONDAY—A TREAT AWAITS YOU.

Continually taking advantage of every art known to the millinery busi-
ness to make our hats the most desirable from every standpoint, we will
always strive to make our service merit your valuable patronage and for your
past favors we thank you.

Mrs. L. H. Barkham, Milliner

The Postoffice is Now in Front of Our Shop.

"A BARKHAM HAT WILL MAKE YOU LOOK YOUR BEST"

We've Moved to The New Avalanche Building

Bonnie Springs Bonnets—Souvenirs Saturday

Beginning Sat.
Morning**Barrier Brothers**Double Gold Bond
Stamps Saturday

January Clearance Sale!

Our usual Clearance Sale on all winter merchandise is an event of importance to every one of our South Plains customers, and it is of more importance now than ever because of the extra values we are offering in face of rising prices on practically all merchandise.

A Sale Characterized by Values

Every item in our big stock is being offered at big reductions. We are making these prices on goods we carry regularly in stock and the merchandise is guaranteed to please or your money back. We don't want to sell you something you can't use or not just what you want. It seems that this winter will be more severe than for several years and now is an opportunity to supply yourselves with good warm clothing to ward off cold weather ahead of us. Every item in the house greatly reduced. Come buy now.

Pure Thread Silk Hose in heavy grade with silk top on sale regular \$3.75 values, special per pair **\$2.45**

Black Cat Hose for Ladies in all pure silk, black and brown, regular \$3.00 value, special during this sale **\$2.25**

Black Cotton Hose for Ladies in a good serviceable grade, 2 pairs for **25c**

Ladies' Mercerized drop stitch Hose, black and brown, regular 75c grade, special per pair **59c**

Corticelli Crochet Thread, all sizes, in white only, special per ball **9c**

Woodbury's Soap, 3 bars for only **49c**

Mavis Talcum Powder, regular size, 3 cans for **49c**

DRESS GINGHAM

Regular 25c grade Gingham only **19c**

Regular 30c grade Gingham only **23c**

Regular 35c grade Gingham only **29c**

Regular 50c grade Gingham only **39c**

Regular 75c grade Gingham **59c**

COMFORTS - BLANKETS REDUCED

All wool Blankets, regular \$10.75 values, on sale **\$8.95**

\$15.00 Blankets sale **\$12.75**

Pure Down Comforts with beautiful sateen lining, regular \$16.50 value, on sale at each **\$12.95**

Pure Down Comforts in \$25.00 value on sale **\$18.50**

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HOSE ON SALE AT BIG REDUCTIONS.

Regular 50c grade in extra good wearing hose in black and brown, special 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

Regular 35c Hose, all sizes, in black and brown, special 4 pairs for **\$1.00**

25c Hose, per pair **19c**

Misses pure Silk Ribbed hose, in all sizes, black and brown, special per pair **\$1.19**

Infants Silk Hose in black, white, pink and blue, special per pair **59c**

Silk Hose for ladies and school girls in black and brown, special during this sale per pair **89c**

ALL DRAPERIES GREATLY REDUCED.

\$1.00 grade reduced to per yard **69c**

\$1.25 grade reduced to per yard **79c**

ALL SILKS REDUCED.

One lot of ladies and children's Sweaters to close out at **ONE-HALF PRICE**

Big reduction on all ladies' and children's Coats.

Big reductions on all ladies' Silk and Woolen Dresses. 36-in. Indian Head Linen, soft finish, regular 40c grade, special per yd. **26c**

Turkish Towels in plain white, good size, specials, each **18c**

Good Brown Domestic, 36-inch. width, special yard **13c**

Hope Bleached Domestic, regular 25c value, special at per yard **19c**

36-in. Percale, fast colors, good quality, special per yard only **18c**

Red and green all-wool Flannel, 54 inches wide, regular \$2.75 grade, special at per yard **\$1.75**

Dress Serge in all wool 36 inches wide in the desirable colors, special per yd **98c**

Men's Arrow Collar, a large stock to choose from, 6 for **98c**

Look! Look! All Men's \$5.00 Hats for only **\$2.98**

Men's \$5.50 Hats for **\$3.19**

We have a real bargain in some Men's Shirts, a good \$1.50 Madras for only **98c**

All \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Neckband Shirts reduced as much as **33 1-3 Percent**

Just 64 Men's Kuppenheimer Suits left. Look at these prices because we are not going to have any left-overs.

—\$50.00 values now **\$36.65**

—\$47.50 values now **\$34.25**

—\$45.00 values now **\$32.95**

—\$40.00 values now **\$29.95**

—\$37.50 values now **\$26.95**

Men's Overcoats reduced to **33 1-3 Percent**

\$1.25 Boy's Cotton Flannel Shirts only **89c**

\$1.50 Boy's Cotton Flannel Shirts only **98c**

Look! Look! At this: a good heavy grade 220 wt. Overall, standard size, for only **\$1.15**

A real bargain, all sizes, buy now and save money.

Good blue Work Shirts for only **79c**

Boy's Overalls, age 4 to 9, for only **79c**

Boy's Overalls, age 9 to 15, only **98c**

Boy's \$15.00 Suits, 2 pair pants, for only **\$9.95**

A real bargain, the best grade Men's Lee Unionalls, \$4.00 now only **\$3.19**

14 good Handkerchiefs for only **98c**

We have some real bargains in Men's and Boy's Caps.

SHOES

Low, Military and Cuban Heels with rubber, prices range from **\$2.85 to \$7.85**

Good strap effect, 13-8 Spanish Heel, in patent and satin combination, regular \$8.00 values, sale price now only **\$4.85**

All new Shoes in the new strap effects and colors are reduced during this sale.

CHILDREN'S SHOES

All Children's Shoes Reduced.

One lot No. 355, brown calf welt sole, sizes 11 1-2 to 2, regular \$5.00 values **\$3.85**

All \$1.00 Felts **78c**

All \$1.25 Felts **98c**

All \$1.50 Felts **\$1.18**

All \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50 leather Shoes with felt lining, sale price only **\$1.65**

BARRIER BROS., LUBBOCK