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## HIS OTHER PROPOSAL

### Suggests That All Step Aside in Favor of Some Candidate Acceptable to All

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Jan. 3.—A "get-together" proposition for Texas prohibitionists was submitted tonight by Cullen F. Thomas of Dallas to Lieut. Gov. Mayes and C. J. Miller, W. L. Lane, gubernatorial candidates. Mr. Thomas reviewed the meeting last summer for elimination of all except one prohibition candidate, disclaiming any part in its proceedings or any partisan interest therein. He said if Mayes or Lane could offer a better plan than his, Texas Democrats would welcome it and that he stood ready to help them.

"If Judge Walker's committee is unsatisfied with the plan," he said, "let's reorganize it." He gave these two propositions as his harmony plan.

First, for Mayes, Lane and himself to submit their candidacies to all the prohibition Democrats of Texas, adding "should I fail to be the choice over you both, I will cheerfully withdraw."

Second, if Mayes and Lane still persisted in refusing the get-together plan, "we all step aside in favor of some worthy leader acceptable to all the prohibition Democrats."

As such a leader, Mr. Thomas mentioned T. H. Ball, W. F. Ramsey and Dr. S. P. Brooks.

## HEAVY INCREASE IN BEEF IMPORTATIONS

### In October and November Imports of Meat Products Amounted to 18,000,000 Pounds

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 3.—Freelisting of beef in the new tariff law already has resulted in a vast increase in importation of foreign meat products. In October and November 18,000,000 pounds of meat products were imported. This is more than triple the amount imported for the whole of 1912. Nearly half these imports came from Canada. Argentina supplied 6,000,000 pounds, Australia 3,000,000 and Uruguay 550,000. During the two months, 200,000 head of cattle were imported from Mexico and Canada.

## THREE CENT FARE CAUSES TROUBLE

### Passenger in Oklahoma Refuses to Pay It—Is Ejected and Trainmen are Arrested

By Associated Press. Bartlesville, Okla., Jan. 3.—W. I. Hordette, a train auditor and W. E. Bink, a conductor, both employed by the M. K. & T. Railway were arraigned here today on a charge of assault and battery in connection with the ejection of G. B. Freels from one of the company's passenger trains yesterday after Freels had refused to pay a three cent fare.

The men were arrested on complaint of the state corporation commission. County and State officials said more trouble will result from any attempt by interstate railroads to collect a three cent fare in Oklahoma in defiance of the State's two cent rate law.

The county attorney of Washington county today said all trainmen who eject passengers for refusing to pay a higher rate will be arrested. Attorneys for the railroad said when Freels refused to pay a three cent fare, he was ejected from the train and his property was impounded. Freels is now in jail. He refused to pay the fare asked, passengers will be prosecuted in federal court.

## STORM MOVES INTO WEST VIRGINIA

### Eastern Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and Western Virginia in Grasp of Storm

By Associated Press. Pittsburgh, Jan. 3.—The snow storm which broke over Eastern Ohio and Western Pennsylvania last night, increased in intensity late today moving into West Virginia and causing great damage to wires.

The local weather bureau sent out a warning to river and railroad interests. Fear of flood along the upper Ohio and nearby rivers was dispelled by predictions of freezing temperatures. Stories of suffering and loss of life began to reach Pittsburgh today.

## CORN PRICES DROP 3 CENTS A BUSHEL

### Generous Rains in Argentine a Factor in Bear Movement in Chicago

By Associated Press. Chicago, Jan. 3.—Corn prices crashed downward today, the January delivery breaking nearly three cents a bushel. The same corn that a few days ago brought seventy-one cents, sold this morning at sixty-one and a half. The fact that the leading longs here had hedged holiday sales of the May option brought on pressure from speculators who held bearish views. A small volume was the result.

Much attention was given to dispatches from Buenos Ayres, telling of generous rains that were taken to mean the making of an unusually bountiful crop throughout Argentina. It was said the exportable surplus in Argentina would reach as high as 240,000,000 bushels. Before the close of the session prices rallied to some extent and January closed steady at 62 1/4.

## Abandon Hope Of Capturing

### Duran in Mine

By Associated Press. Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 3.—No trace of Ralph Lopez, the slayer of six men, was found by the posse searching the Lake-Apex mine today. A fresh party continued exploring every nook in the lower levels tonight, but at a late hour had discovered nothing to indicate the fate of the "gun" man. It is believed that many friends here who would have helped him out of the country if he escaped from the mine.

All hope of finding Lopez dead or alive in the mine, was abandoned tonight. Sheriff Smith withdrew his searchers from the interior workings and the "guards" from the portals, leaving the mine unwatched for the first time since November 27.

## STATE BANKS CAN JOIN RESERVE SYSTEM

### Banking Department Rules State Can Subscribe to Six Per Cent of Stock

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Jan. 3.—Answering numerous inquiries, the state department of banking today held that the state banks would be permitted to subscribe for the stock of the new regional reserve banks to the extent of six per cent of the capital stock of the subscribing bank. Commissioner Collier said that while the department does not propose to advise such banks as to whether or not they should subscribe, there is no objection by the department.

It is reported many state banks wish to subscribe.

## MARTIAL LAW TO ENFORCE ORDINANCE

### Oregon Militia May Clash With Sheriff's Force As Result of Injunction

By Associated Press. Copperfield, Oregon, Jan. 3.—Col. R. K. Lawton who declared martial law here yesterday seized the saloons and placed under arrest the town officials for alleged connivance in violation of an ordinance regulating the sale of liquor, defied today an injunction granted by the circuit court. When served with the injunction which sought to restrain him from keeping the saloons closed, Col. Lawton telegraphed to Gov. West for reinforcements to the number of fifty militiamen.

Sheriff Rand comes here and attempts to put me in jail. I will have sufficient force to prevent his doing so," Lawton said. Col. Lawton appointed a provisional mayor today and selected councilmen to serve temporarily, but announced that martial law would continue. Strict censorship of telegraph and telephone messages was exercised.

## ADVISED TO PAY NO ATTENTION TO ORDER

### Salem, Oregon, Jan. 3.—"Pay no attention to any injunction or court order" was the message telegraphed by Gov. West to Col. Lawton at Copperfield, when attorneys try to harass him, "but them in jail," Gov. West instructed Col. Lawton to bring his prisoners to Salem if he found such course advisable. "Col. Lawton will be given all the reinforcements he needs," declared the governor.

## MORE CORN ARRIVES FROM ARGENTINE

Galveston, Texas, Jan. 3.—Two cargoes of corn from the Argentine Republic arrived here today totalling about 400,000 bushels. The corn goes to Wichita Falls and Fort Worth. It was brought by the Steamer Gravelled and Towergate.

## REBELS RETREAT AT NUEVO LAREDO

### FEDERAL PURSUE THEM THIRTY MILES FROM TOWN—ANOTHER ATTACK EXPECTED

By Associated Press. Laredo, Texas, Jan. 3.—Today in Nuevo Laredo was devoted to caring for wounded federals, removing them from the battlefield, military funerals and preparations to withstand any further assault. The federals have pursued the constitutionalists until they have retreated to a point nearly thirty miles to the southwest. West of the city, constitutionalists also retreated, so that there are now but few near Nuevo Laredo. All stores are closed and saloons and the only indication of recent battles outside of Nuevo Laredo was small groups of federal clothing their guns.

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## CARING FOR THE WOUNDED

### Red Cross Automobile Driven by Americans Scour Battlefield Picking up Wounded

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## TRAFFIC IN CHILDREN IS COMMON IN GERMANY

### Berlin, Jan. 3.—Startling revelations concerning child traffic in Germany are contained in a book published today by Mme. Henrietta Arendt of Stuttgart. She charges that the sale of children goes on uninterrupted with the silent consent of public opinion, parents actually disposing of them to the highest bidder among better situated childless families. In a single month she collected 227 advertisements inserted in the newspapers by persons offering to sell or adopt children. As many of the little ones are adopted merely for future exploitation, it really means a slave traffic of the most remarkable character, says Mme. Arendt. In a number of the papers the advertisements regarding children are interspersed with those for the sale of cattle and pigs.

## MEXICAN FAMILIES ARE FORCED TO SOAK JEWELS

### Rendered Impecunious by the Revolution, Formerly Wealthy Families are Reduced

By Associated Press. Mexico City, January 3.—The impecunious state into which many of the old wealthy families of Mexico have fallen is responsible for a new line of business among many Spanish merchants. "We buy jewelry," is a sign to be seen in many stores, and the growth of this business indicates that many persons are realizing cash on their family jewels.

Jewelry shops throughout the land are reaping a rich harvest in interest for money loaned on jewelry and other articles sent in by the aged servants of families who never until now have known what it means to be in want of money. Not all of these families are poor as reckoned by their financial agencies. Some yet are millionaires. Some retain enormous holdings of land and houses, but there is none to buy. One man, an American, recently offered for sale 18,000 acres of unimproved but rich tropical land for 10,000 pesos. He could not sell it. Two years ago he refused three pesos an acre.

## SUFFRAGETTE MARCHERS REACH CORNWALL, N. Y.

### Newburgh, N. Y., Jan. 3.—After struggling through a sleet storm for seven miles, General Rosalie Jones and her suffrage army reached Cornwall at five o'clock today, somewhat exhausted and behind schedule. The route over the mountains near West Point taxed the party's stamina, but they made up lost time by a two-hour march tonight. They planned to leave here tomorrow for a thirty-mile march to Kingston.

## OJINAGA BATTLE STILL UNDECIDED

### FEDERALS STILL HOLDING OUT AFTER FIVE DAYS OF DESPERATE FIGHTING

By Associated Press. Presidio, Texas, Jan. 3.—Two thousand Mexican refugees including half starved women and children and some federal deserters rushed across the river to the United States today to seek protection from the battle at Ojinaga, opposite here. Savage fighting had continued throughout the night and the federals who were thrown into a panic at the first onslaught of the rebels, today were resisting stubbornly all attempts of the attacking army to drive them from the town. Before daybreak, the rebel fire grew more furious. A rain of shells descended in federal trenches.

Wounded soldiers told the American Red Cross officials that the federal losses were heavy. During the night about 200 federals made a desperate sortie and from the river bottom a half mile below Ojinaga attempted to dislodge the rebels, but the latter opened fire with machine guns and drove them back.

Heavy Artillery Fire. The refugees who arrived today were scattered without shelter along the river bank for two miles, while the heavy artillery firing between the 4000 federals and attacking rebels continued less than a mile back from the American border. Instructions came from Washington today to hold as prisoners all deserters who crossed the river.

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## NO EXPLANATION OF SECRETARY OFFERED

### Pass Christian, Miss., Jan. 3.—Just why the National chief executive decided not to permit Mr. Lind to have any shore leave and took upon himself the inconvenience of being transported four times at sea, has not been explained. The president offered no explanation. One supposition is he did not wish Mr. Lind to be subjected to the inquisition of newspaper correspondents; another is, he desired to show Mexico there is no change in the American policy and no actual interruption of Mr. Lind's mission in Mexico. The peculiar movements of the revenue cutter Winona and the long delay before the president and Mr. Lind actually met were accounted for, partly, today, when it became known lack of wireless facilities on the revenue cutter had confused plans. When the Chester reported her arrival, the Winona's launch had to make a fifteen mile trip ashore and back again before arrangements could be made for the president's visit.

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## SPREAD OF PELLEGRA BECOMES ALARMING

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By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 3.—So alarming are reports of the spread of pellagra and how Secretary McAdoo by Surgeon General Blum of the public health service that Congress probably will be urged to make a special appropriation to rent a hospital building in the South, establish laboratories there and make a study of the disease in all its phases. Although pellagra is far more prevalent in the Southwestern States, it is estimated there have been more than 50,000 cases in the entire country, the disease having been found in forty-four States and the District of Columbia.

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### EIGHTEEN FEET IN SAND

Location Made for Another Well and Drilling Will Start Soon

Developers No. 9 was drilled in at Petrolia yesterday and is believed to be good for 250 or 300 barrels per day. The drill was sent 18 feet into the sand. The top of the sand was encountered at 164 feet. C. W. Bean, president of the Developers Company returned from Petrolia last night. He said he believed the well would have an initial production of probably three hundred barrels.

The location has been made for Developers No. 10 which will be drilled as soon as the machinery can be moved up. The new location is about one-half way between wells Nos. 8 and 9 and is not south of the line between these two wells.

James H. Mahlox, former police commissioner of Fort Worth, and R. Rogers, former county clerk ofarrant county, have been here for several days while looking after their interests in the oil field. These two men are known to the R. and M. Oil Company and have about forty barrels production on what is known as the tank farm at Electra. They are starting another well.

J. Ray, editor of the Vernon Record, C. T. Herring, president of the Herring National Home at Vernon and L. K. Johnson, editor of the bank were visitors here last night. They had been out to Petrolia where they and other Vernon capitalists are about to get their feet wet in oil and gas ventures. They expect to return to Vernon today.

Card of Thanks  
We take this method of publicly thanking the great number of kind friends for acts of kindness performed and words of sympathy spoken on the death of our loved one. Especially do we appreciate the numerous beautiful floral offerings sent. Our hearts are touched to the depth with gratitude for these most expressive of the respect and esteem in which our loved one was held. We can only hope to repay them for their kindness and sympathy extended us in our great sorrow. But stand ever ready to do what we can to make their burden lighter to bear should sorrow or affliction overtake them. Sincerely,  
MRS. P. C. MARICLE, Children and Relatives

### ROYAL GERMANS MEET RECOGNITION IN PARIS

Two Princes are Accosted in Cafe During Zabern Trouble—Immediate Leave Place

Paris, Jan. 3.—While the newspapers were full of the Zabern troubles, two grave personages in evening dress were seated on a night at a table in one of Paris' most fashionable nocturnal cafes, conversing quietly in German. Their appearance attracted the attention of another reveler who, after staring at them with an interest that seemed to make them very uncomfortable, came across and said in a distinct voice, "When you get back to Berlin you might tell the Kaiser to treat the Abolitions a little better; what has been going on at Zabern is disgraceful." Without answering, the two men hastily called for their bill and, making a sign to two detectives seated behind them at another table, quitted the establishment as quietly as possible. The two Germans were Prince Adalbert, son of the Emperor, and Prince Henry of Prussia.

H. Cleveland Cox, a member of the New York bar and Deputy Consul General at Paris, has written a brochure on the advantages to legal practice in America of modifying the adherence to court decisions and applying to a modified form of the system in France of each case being heard and decided on the law and the evidence brought out in the case. Instead of a French judge being obliged to found his judgment in accordance with previous decisions of other judges, he decides the case, as Mr. Cox points out, according to law and reason. If the judge in error then the case is come into an appeal by the higher court, and finally to the highest court, which decides without reference to any previous case. Should some modification of French practice be introduced in America, Mr. Cox believes that court decisions would be more popular than they are at present.

The Morgue of Paris, familiar to generations of tourists, is condemned. As a resort of those who care for the gruesome it has, indeed, ceased to exist several years ago, the authorities having closed it to the merely curious spectator. Want of space and the old-fashioned arrangements of the building have made it impossible to put in the modern apparatus that is required and the operating room is too small for the demonstration of the process. The Morgue will disappear not only in fact but in name. The new building, which is to be near the Austertitz Bridge, is to be called the "Medico Legal Institute." The old Morgue building will be replaced by a pleasant terrace taking in the whole of the east point of the island of La Cite. This will open out the view on the Seine and the bridge of La Tournelle, now entirely hidden by the Morgue.

### COLLEGES MAKE READY FOR 1914

BEGIN NOW TO PREPARE FOR ROWING RACES TO BE HELD IN SUMMER

### OLD OARSMEN RETURNING

English Writer Who Witnessed Yale-Harvard Game Gives His Impressions of Contest

By Associated Press.  
New York, January 3.—With the passing of the holiday season the short period of rest allowed the college oarsmen is completed. From now until late in June the struggle for seats in the racing shell and the daily training grind will continue without intermission. Coaches are overhauling rowing machines, rigging barges and generally preparing for 1914, which, it is predicted, will be the greatest college rowing year in the history of the sport. Eight universities or colleges on the east, one in the middle west and three on the Pacific Coast have already planned their racing campaigns which include a large number of dual, triangular and inter-collegiate regattas, than ever before recorded in this country. Alford, Oxford and Cambridge are near the halfway mark in their training for their annual race, and their progress is being closely watched by two of the eastern universities in view of a possible inter-collegiate regatta before mid-summer.

The eastern college rowing situation, considered as a whole, is one of the most promising in recent seasons. Aside from Columbia and Syracuse, there are large and veteran squads available at every institution which advances rowing. In many of these more than fifty per cent. of the oarsmen who won their varsity letters in 1913 regattas are trying for places in the elixirs again and are supplemented by excellent material from last year's freshmen's combinations. The recent making of the inter-collegiate stewards, providing for a race for second eight in place of the four's on the Hudson, will also provide extra places for the aspiring sweeprowers. Under this ruling, it will be necessary for those colleges which desire to compete in three events on the Hudson to develop and seat twenty-four oarsmen in the shells for the varsity, second and freshmen races.

The open winter has proven a help in the fall practice and several of the oarsmen report that their charges were able to establish new records for late autumn rowing during 1913. Coach Courtney had six triumphs in the water in December 6 and has planned to end the season at a very favorable opportunity during the entire winter. At Syracuse, Coach Ten Eyck, who has just signed a five-year contract, is also planning for an early season start. If the Board of Stewards of the I. R. A. will permit the students of the various departments to row for the Prince, Ten Eyck's worries will be eliminated. A stiffer proposition faces Jim Rice at Columbia, for the New York University squad appears to grow smaller each year, and Rice finds it difficult to secure even a fair number of students physically suited for the four-mile race on the Hudson.

The situation at Pennsylvania and Yale is much alike. In that both colleges are working with new coaches. At New Haven a trio composed of Richard Armstrong, captain of the '95 crew; Guy Nicholls of England and P. P. Giannini, recent New York Athletic Club coach, will direct the work of the 1914 crewmen. At Philadelphia, William Nichols, a brother of Guy, has replaced Ellis Ward, and the work of these famous English oarsmen who expect to develop a stroke combining the best points of both the English and American systems, will be watched with interest. At Harvard, Princeton and the United States Naval Academy there is no change in the established order of coaching and reports from all three institutions are optimistic.

Further west the University of Wisconsin is preparing for another return to the Hudson with a crew which will prove fully as dangerous as that of 1913. The Badgers are fortunate in possessing a squad of heavy, powerful candidates, with the varsity material drawn from the freshmen and varsity eight's of last season. The great sprint in the final mile of the intercollegiate regatta at Poughkeepsie last June has done much to restore the confidence of the western colleges regarding their ability to row as fast and far as their eastern brethren. As a result, Washington, California and Stanford, in addition to Wisconsin, are all looking forward to the possibility of rowing on the Hudson next spring. On the Pacific Coast all these university squads are making training and heavy, powerful eight's are forecasted. The winner of the Pacific Coast regatta will come east to Poughkeepsie, as has been the case during the past two years, and there is the bare possibility that all three may ask for invitations so strong is the desire to show the east what the far coast crews can do with shell and sweep.

As Seen by Englishmen.  
An English writer in describing a Yale-Harvard baseball game played at Soldiers' Field, gives a new and picturesque view of the sights of the contest as seen by foreign eyes.  
"At the crises in the fortunes of the game the spectators take a collective and important part. The Athletic Committee appoints a 'cheer leader' for the occasion. Every five or ten minutes, this gentleman, a big, fine figure in white, springs out from his seat at the foot of the stands, addresses the multitude through a megaphone with a 'One! Two! Three!' hurra! and with a flinging and swinging of his body and arms, conducts ten thousand voices in the Harvard yell. That over, the game proceeds, and the cheer leader sits quietly waiting for

the next moment of peril or triumph. I shall not easily forget that figure, bright in the sunshine, conducting with his whole body, passionate, possessed by a demon, bounding in the frenzy of his inspiration from side to side, contorted, rhythmic, ecstatic. It seemed so wonderfully American, in its combination of entire wildness and entire regulation, with the whole just a rife fantastic.  
"Completely friendly and befriended as I was, I couldn't help feeling at moments very alien and very, very old—even more so after the protracted game had ended in a victory for Harvard, when the dusty plain was filled with groups and lines of men dancing in solemn harmony, and a shouting crowd broken by occasional individuals who could find some little eminence to lead a Harvard yell from, and who conducted the bystanders, and then vanished and the crowd swirled on again.

A new gymnasium game of considerable benefit to football players in these days of open and forward pass tactics has been developed by Maurice Kent, assistant football coach at the University of Iowa. The game is played with a football, but resembles basketball, in that scores are made by throwing the ball through hoops at each end of the gymnasium floor. The idea of the game came as a result of observation which disclosed the fact that football men who played basketball were, as a rule, much more efficient in the use of the forward pass than those who had no experience at the indoor game.

### FEW FIRES IN VIENNA DURING THE PAST YEAR

Total Loss in City of Over Two Million People in 1913 Was Only \$355,000

By Associated Press.  
Vienna, January 3.—For a city of 2,008,000 people, extending over an area of 106 square miles, Vienna enjoys a remarkable immunity from serious fires. The total losses for the last year amounted only to \$355,000, arising from 1,962 fires. In the first half of the same year, New York City's losses are reported as \$5,820,000 from 8,455 fires.  
Of the Vienna fires, only 47 were classed as large fires, that is, where two or more lines of hose were brought into play. There were 211 "medium" fires, requiring only one hose.  
Carelessness with matches and lights caused 214 of the fires. There were only 12 known cases of arson.  
The total alarms were 3,158, for in Vienna the services of the fire department are requisitioned in all kinds of accidents in the streets and buildings, some of them of the most trivial character—a pigeon entangled in the telephone wires for instance.

BURGLAR THANKS VICIM FOR HIS COAT AND CASH.  
(Abilene Reporter.)  
"Thank you for your coat, it just

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Such crowds that gathered on our opening sales days and carried away bargains was really more than we expected. We give only two sales a year—"clean-up sales," and when we give a sale it is a real one. People said they never heard of such bargains, and actually asked us how we could afford it; well we carry nothing from one season to another. This sale is going on bigger than ever. You had better come.

**Colonna Toggery Shop**

That was the only one that was taken away during the night by a burglar. With the coat valued at \$12 in cash which Fleming had, he rose Tuesday morning. It was self-explanatory in view of other evidence showing that his coat had been taken away during the night by a burglar. With the coat valued at \$12 in cash which Fleming had, he rose Tuesday morning. It was there is no due to the perpetrator, a fact.

**Cut Rate Prices**

# "1914"

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\$3.00 Stew Pots	95c

**2 qt. Double Piece Cooker \$1.35**  
**6 qt. Berlin Sauce Kettles with lids and actual \$1.25**  
\$3.50 price, on sale tomorrow

**Clean Sweep Aluminum Sale Tomorrow**

<b>Lot No. 1—</b> We offer you choice of 65 dandy warm Comforts \$1.50 value on special sale tomorrow while they last <b>65c</b>	<b>Lot No. 2—</b> 36 Splendid Large Comforts all colors. Actual \$2.00 values on special sale tomorrow while they last <b>85c</b>	<b>Lot No. 3—</b> We have 43 beautiful high grade home made Texas Comforts, \$2.75 value on special sale for <b>95c</b>
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**Here is the Greatest Lineolium Sale ever Offered in Wichita. Read these Prices.**

We offer you tomorrow for (spot cash) your choice of over 30 different patterns of high grade Floor Linoleums in remnant lengths big enough to cover Bath Rooms, Small Halls and Kitchens at a red hot bargain price. This clean up lot of Lineolium is sold every where for 65c and 75c a yard and in order to give you a bargain tomorrow you can have your pick at **25c yd**

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WICHITA DAILY TIMES

Published Every Week Day Afternoon (Except Saturday) And on Sunday Morning... THE TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY (Printers and Publishers)...

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Wichita Falls has been threatening to have a Fair for the past two or three years, but as yet no event of that kind that has been a great success has been carried out. The Times is advised that on January 17th there will be held in this city a meeting of the different secretaries of the Texas Oklahoma Fair Association for the purpose of alloting dates, arranging purposes, etc. for the coming year. At present only six towns are included in the circuit, but it is planned to increase this to fifteen, and that event will give to horsemen of Texas and the Southwest about twelve or fifteen weeks in which to race their horses. This don't it will not be necessary for Texas horsemen to ship their race horses to Missouri and other states, where better opportunities are afforded for racing. There is nothing prettier or more interesting than a clean horse race, with the betting left out, and it is a sport that nearly everyone enjoys. The Times, for some, hopes to see some fine sport of that nature on the Lake track this year.

The figures given in Thursday's Times of the actual production of the oil fields of Wichita county show that nearly 30,000 barrels of crude oil are being produced from the wells daily, which is double the amount of production a year ago. One man—W. T. Magruder—has 47 wells producing oil on lands belonging to him from which 1,600 barrels are produced daily. His royalty is one-eighth, or 575 barrels, of a cash market value of \$63.75 at present market price for oil. This will show his income for one month is \$31,125.00, or \$217,350.00 for a year. The next largest owner of oil lands in the Electric field is J. W. Stringer, who has 45 wells producing oil on lands belonging to him. He also receives royalties of one-eighth, and his monthly income is from \$15,000 to \$17,000 per month. The fields are spreading out rapidly, and there is everything to indicate that before the year comes to close the production will be double what it now is.

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who will refuse to fall for the new fad unless he is permitted to wear hoopskirts with the ribbons.—Wichita Falls Times. State Press is one of the most tolerant papers in all Texas, and usually he indulges all the new fashions, but he never will fall for the masculine hair ribbon. No man who wears a hair ribbon shall call State Press friend. The hair ribbon is an immovable corollary of the curl paper, and no man who employs curl paper in persona grata at S. P.'s sanctum. Besides, if hair ribbons should become generally worn by men we know a dozen Texas editors who would have them stay put.—Dallas News.

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this time that I have violated any law, Mr. Boone's opinion notwithstanding. These lots had been sold or contracts calling for them, prior to the distribution. The people had put up their money in good faith and evidently under the sanction of the County Attorney's office of Wichita County as he had a way of stopping it if he had cared to. The purchasers gathered at the place designated by the promoters who purchased the entire distribution over to the purchasers, happened to be present and was selected by the purchasers as one of the trustees. I had no thought of establishing a lottery nor did I sell land by lottery nor did the other trustees. Everyone got a square deal and all were apparently satisfied. \* \* \*

I felt like the Fairview Addition was a legitimate one on account of the high character of men who were behind it and I still feel like it was a legitimate one but the fact that Mr. Boone wanted until the promoters got our money and then had us arrested reminds me of a story one of our boys used to tell on a nearby town. He said that while in a certain town he was invited to a gambling house which he found to be a brilliantly lighted and well kept place with stairway leading to it from Main street. He was soon robbed out of his money, kicked down the steps and as he reached the sidewalk he was arrested by the city marshal for disturbing the peace. \* \* \*

Archer City, Texas, January 2, 1914. Honorable T. R. (Dan) Boone, County Attorney, Wichita Falls, Texas. Dear Sir: I notice in the Times of the 31st that you have caused complaint to be sworn out against me in connection with the distribution of Fairview Addition lots. If I violated the law in acting as trustee on that occasion I regret it very much. I have never been arrested before and of course do not appreciate it very much this time for at anytime in a witness I might be called upon to act as a lawyer will say, "Mr. Boone, have you ever been arrested?" I will have to admit that I was arrested for establishing a lottery.

I did not go to Wichita Falls with any intention of establishing a lottery. In fact I would not have established a lottery under any circumstances if I had known that was doing it and if I did so only plead ignorance, which I understand is a very inexcusable plea. If you knew that we were going to establish a lottery and as a friendly warning would have been thankfully received. Mr. Goodwin, our sheriff, who is one of the best officers in Texas and who would not knowingly establish a lottery or do anything else in violation of the peace and dignity of the State, asked me if I would act as a trustee in the distribution. The lot purchasers elected me and as their agent I acted with two other gentlemen and the distribution was conducted fairly to all concerned. We three trustees had no thought of violating any law. I did not, and although I was not acquainted with Mr. Blair nor Mr. Hoxie, still they did not impress me as being red-handed lawbreakers, and as the balance of the crowd looked respectable and as the time was known to the public, and as the place was quiet and as such distributions had been made around me for several years without anyone being charged with violating the law, and as there was absolutely nothing suspicious about the business, I did not think it necessary to stop the proceeding until a ruling could be had from the proper legal authorities as to its legality.

I went around to Mr. Goodwin's office this morning to surrender, as I do not think a man should be running a large with such charges standing against him, but my papers have not arrived and I am still at liberty. I certainly hope we are not bothered with a charge with crime without being proven guilty. I am constrained to believe that this charge is merely one of the rewards of prominence, but if such is the case I do not solicit further honors. Yours very truly, W. C. YOUNG

ANNOUNCEMENTS City Offices, Election Tuesday, April 7 For City Marshal: L. N. JERNIGAN, J. B. NAIL, A. J. (Andy) HUMPHRIS. For City Secretary: W. A. McCARTHY. For City Tax Assessor and Collector: H. F. ROBERTSON. For City Engineer: L. C. HINCKLEY. For City Attorney: Wm. N. BONNER.

County Offices: For County Tax Collector: B. M. BULLARD, A. C. HOWARD. For County Clerk: CHAS. R. FULLER, M. P. KELLY, E. P. WALSH. For Sheriff: FRANK L. BURNS, R. L. RANDOLPH. For County Attorney: J. M. BLANKENSHIP, T. B. GREENWOOD. For Constable, Precinct No. 1: R. L. McDONALD. For County Tax Assessor: JOHN ROBERTSON. For District Clerk: A. F. KERR. For County Judge: C. B. FELDER.

most of us know well. He has lived in Wichita County since the green days of its infancy and has ever loved anything ignoble or dishonest about his life it has never come to light. Mr. Kerr's citizenship and official conduct have been above reproach. When the office of district clerk was sworn out against me, Mr. Kerr made the race and was elected. He was again elected two years ago. This office does not pay as much as some other county offices but if it paid ten thousand dollars a year it could not be more efficiently administered or more honestly than Mr. Kerr's. Mr. Kerr's duties do not bring him into direct contact with the general public often, his business being mostly transacted through the attorneys and the officers of the court, yet the duties of the office are of great importance and every voter can know in casting his ballot for Mr. Kerr that he is voting for one efficient and worthy.

T. B. (Bruce) Greenwood For County Attorney. T. B. (Bruce) Greenwood announces in today's issue of The Times as a candidate for the office of county attorney. Mr. Greenwood is a member of the firm of Carlton and Greenwood, lawyers, a firm which stands well at the head of the profession in this county. After his graduation from the State University came to Wichita Falls to enter the practice of his profession and a year or so later was a successful candidate for the office to which he now aspires. He was re-elected to a second term but resigned on account of other business arrangements demanding his attention. Mr. Greenwood's practice of his profession has been clean and honorable and no member of the bar here has a higher standing in this respect. The Times commends an optimistic inclination and a friendly disposition that feels an interest in his fellow citizen all twelve months of the year not merely at election time. He made a good county attorney before and is now better equipped in every respect to make an even better one. The Times commends his candidacy to the voters with pleasure.

A. J. (Andy) Humphris For City Marshal. The Times is authorized to announce that Andy Humphris is a candidate for the office of city marshal. He has been a citizen of Wichita county since 1881 or for about 32 years, coming here in advance of the first railroad and since that has made an exemplary citizen, paying his just debts and doing his duty to the people. He is now doing the part of a good citizen. For the past five years he has been a member of the city police force and as such has made a good record. At the last election he was a candidate for this office but met with defeat and he took it gracefully, bowing to the will of the people. He now seeks the office again and solicits the votes of all, regardless of how they voted at the last election. The Times takes pleasure in presenting his claims for this office to the voters of the city for their careful consideration at the April election. Wm. N. Bonner For City Attorney. The announcement of Wm. N. Bonner as a candidate for re-election to the office of city attorney is contained in today's issue of The Times. During the next two years there will be no more important office connected with the city government than that of city attorney. The new charter gives wider powers to the city government and the application of these powers will require the services of a thoroughly competent attorney. Mr. Bonner is serving his first term in this office having been elected two years ago and submits his record as his best recommendation. He believes his experience in office has been a valuable asset and has better equipped him to meet the duties and requirements demanded of a city attorney under the operation of the new city charter. Mr. Bonner has been a resident of Wichita Falls for a number of years and has been identified with the progressive movement here. He is thoroughly imbued with the Wichita Falls spirit and is a young man of whom the people of Wichita Falls hold high expectations. C. B. Felder For County Judge. Hon. C. B. Felder announces today as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of county judge. Judge

GOSSIP AT THE FRISCO ALMOST READY FOR 1915

RECENT FLOODS MAY RESULT IN SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE. EXPOSITION GROUNDS WILL BE READY FAR IN ADVANCE OF OPENING DATE.

WRITING MODEL CHARTERS MANY TASKS COMPLETED

City Government While You Wait, at University—Other News of Interest From Austin (By R. Bellchek) Austin, Texas, Jan. 3.—Another reason has developed for calling a special session of the legislature, viz., state aid for flood sufferers, such and it is claimed by others, is unconstitutional—certainly so by accident, but nevertheless, unconstitutional. The reason for convening a special session would seem, then to fall down. However, there are those who say they have seen the proclamations calling special elections for filling legislative vacancies already filled out and signed and wherefore these amendments if there is no special session, since vacancies can be filled regularly before the convening of the next regular session. The wise ones, say the majority of the wisegones, opine that after the primaries are held a call will go forth for a special session of the legislature, why after the primaries? Dunn—unless it be the fear in certain quarters that the legislators might engage in the jolly little game of politics, instead of confining themselves to certain definite questions which are considered in certain quarters of paramount importance.

Town and Gown Contract. The ancient hostility of town and gown is not in evidence here where a contract has been closed between the University of Texas and the city of Austin, assuming, of course, the usual exchange of street from 19th to 24th bordering its property on the west, and granting the latter certain shore privileges on the University holdings along the lake front—that is, along the prospective lake front—that is on land that will be later front when the great dam across the Colorado is completed. This is a unique contract—Nothing like it ever happened in the world before. A city and a University; the principals, swapping bitulphic paving for a prospective lake front.

A Model City Charter. The university bureau of municipal research and reference has just issued its first bulletin. "A model charter for Texas cities." The home rule amendment and the enabling act have created a demand on the part of cities of 600 and over for information relative to interested amendments and new charters which is met in some measure by this document. The most striking innovation which this model charter discloses is a provision for a salaried city manager to be employed by a board of trustees. The board of a commercial club elects a paid secretary. There is also a clause providing for preferential voting. A safe and sane initiative, referendum and recall is a feature, as well as a civil service requirement for all municipal employees. People interested in municipal government can doubtless get many valuable suggestions from this bulletin, which is distributed upon application by the bureau, University Station, Austin, Texas.

The Marriage Market Off. There were 32 less marriages in Austin in 1913 than in 1912—quite a perceptible slump in the matrimonial market. Still an average was maintained of about 2 1/2 for each day of the 365 and for a year with a 13.5 in it, 2 1/2 marriages a day in a city of 35,000 is doing fairly well. And speaking of marriages Judge Mat M. Johnson of Austin, has married with his own hands, so to speak, above 1400 couples, without ever having taken a course in eugenics. In the language of the street, as President Wilson would apologetically remark, that is going somewhat better.

The Last Issue of the University of Texas alumni magazine, the Alcaide, springs a district literary sensation by printing thirty or so of Heine's lyrics turned into musical English by the penman, Douglas of the class of '88. The translation preserves all the tremendous melody and delicate nuances of the original, as well as the poet's inimitable and favorite humor of grotesque anti-climax. It is rare, indeed, that the very soul of the foreigner is caught in the translator's net. The truth is that if these translations are extensive and cover any considerable part of the poet's works, an English incarnation of the German Heine has been accomplished. Felder has twice been elected to this office by a majority of the vote in the county and submits his record in office for the approval of the voters. During his two terms in office Judge Felder has secured the adoption of a number of reforms and has been instrumental in bringing about a more systematic operation of the county's business. The county court docket have been cleared during his administration and the business of the court conducted with a dispatch and promptness that has won much commendation. He has administered the affairs of his office for what he has seen as the best interests of all the people and all sections of the county rather than in the interest of any section or faction. Even those who disagree with his policies and administration do not question his integrity or sincerity of purpose.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

and north gardens, in the concession district and elsewhere.

The transplanting of trees and shrubs from the nurseries is progressing, the groves of cypress and other trees are to be seen upon the grounds contributing to the final park-like appearance that will characterize the exposition long before 1915. Flowers are now blooming in the gardens and hundreds of thousands of others are being nurtured and tended by the exposition's conservatories and flower beds. In the sculptural warehouses fifty sculptors and skilled artisans are at work. Under the direction of Stirling A. Calder, the plaster models made by many of America's greatest sculptors are being enlarged to heroic proportions, finished in Travertine marble, and prepared for installation upon their pedestals. Three fire houses for the exposition fire department are nearly finished. One is in the concession district, one adjoins the Service Building and one between the Palace of Fine Arts and the California Building. Temporary fire equipment has already been installed.

Among the great conventions and congresses to be held in San Francisco in 1915 are national and international organizations devoted to civic, religious, social service, educational, fraternal, business, labor, commercial, agricultural, horticultural, livestock and other activities. Thousands of experts whose distinguished services are devoted to the progress and welfare of humanity will gather at these congresses and conventions. Among these bodies are: International Congress on Education, International Efficiency Congress, International Congress on Marketing and Farm Credits, International Electrotechnical Commission, International Electrical Congress, International Council of Nurses, International Engineering Congress, International Gas Congress, International Congress of Authors and Journalists, Woman's World Congress of Missions, National Congress of Mothers, National Drainage Congress, Congress on Marriage and Divorce, American Red Cross, American Historical Association, Association of Collegiate Alumnae, American Society of Zoologists, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, American Gas Institute, Astronomical and Astrophysical Society of America, International Association of Labor Commissioners, American Electrochemical Society, National Association of Railway Commissioners, American Society of Nutrition, American Institute of Electrical Engineers, National Academy of Political and Social Science, American Home Economic Association, Insurance Commissioners National Association, American Academy of Medicine, Associated Harvard Clubs of America, American Ready League, National Educational Association and others.

Preparations for participation in many important special events during the period of the exposition are far advanced. Many companies of militia are preparing to participate, in force, in military drills and maneuvers during the summer of 1915. This attractive feature will be enhanced by the participation of detachments of the cavalry and infantry of foreign powers. America's invitation to the nations to be represented in the international assemblage of battalions at Hampton Roads is enthusiastically regarded, and an unsurpassed representation of the world's naval power is assured. It is planned that this combined fleet, in its passage through the Panama Canal to the Golden Gate, shall be led by the historic battleship Oregon.

The thirty-one foreign nations who have announced their intention to participate officially in the exposition are: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Cuba, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, France, Guatemala, Hayti, Holland, Honduras, Japan, Liberia, Mexico, New Zealand, Sweden, Nicaragua, Panama, Persia, Italy, Spain, Peru, Portugal, Salvador, Uruguay, Venezuela, and 25 states and territories of the American Union, namely: Arizona, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, the Philippines, Porto Rico, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

It has been estimated that \$80,000,000 will be expended at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition exclusive of the vast wealth represented in the exhibits of the world. As the vision of many of America's greatest architects, sculptors and artists, the realities, as the magnificent exhibits of the exposition design today, are being realized, the world sees come true every great ideal which was cherished for this vast and complex undertaking.

Resolutions of Respect. Whereas, It is with great loss that we the members of Lone Star Camp No. 4108 Royal Neighbors of America have sustained by the decease of our friend and neighbor, P. C. Maricle, and of the still heavier loss sustained by those nearest and dearest to him, therefore be it Resolved, That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting his removal from our midst we mourn for one who was an honored member of our order, an upright citizen, whose noble life was a standard of emulation to his fellows and who in every way was worthy of our respect and regard. Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of this camp be extended to his family in their affliction and that we commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best. Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of our camp and a copy be forwarded to the family of our deceased neighbor and to each of the newspapers of Wichita Falls.

MRS. ANNA E. COOK, MRS. L. DORA SMITH, E. G. COOK, Committee.

**COLD STORAGE MEN  
MAY BE PROSECUTED**

**Euckeye State Bull-Moosers Would Give Congress Power to Deal With Problem**

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 3.—Investigation of the cold storage trust by the department of justice has progressed so far that officials are confident they have found trails which eventually will lead to prosecution in the courts. Although operations of dealers believed to be leaders in the combination have been confined to several large cities, the department has redoubled its vigor in the inquiry in the last few weeks.

Officials expect to uncover evidence to make these dealers amenable to the Sherman anti-trust law.

Although department officials were unwilling to discuss their cold storage investigation, it became known today that the general impression that the owners of cold storage plants are involved in the alleged combination is incorrect. In only a few instances do the owners make use of their plants for storing their own products. In practically every case commission merchants rent cold storage space.

**REV. MIMMS CANNOT  
ACCEPT CALL HERE**

Rev. Mimms of Brownwood to whom a call was extended by the First Baptist Church of this city to become its pastor, has notified the church here that he cannot accept. His congregation at Brownwood refuses to allow him to leave.

**TOWN REMAINS WET IN  
SPITE OF FEMALE VOTE.**

San Luis Obispo, Cal., Jan. 3.—Under a ballot decision offering an interesting commentary on woman's suffrage in one California city, San Luis Obispo began today its 14th consecutive year as a "wet" center.

Two years ago, after a desperate fight the wets carried the city by a narrow majority of 86 votes. Since that election, women in California have been enfranchised and the prohibition element approached the polls December 9 confident that women voters would put an end to the wet ascendancy that dated from the Spanish days of California. The count of the votes, however, provided a surprise for both factions. Not even the most sanguine liquor supporters expected the overwhelming defeat of the dry forces which was accomplished with a margin of 408 votes.

**NEGRO LYNCHED AT  
JEFFERSON, TEXAS**

**Mob of Masked Men Takes Negro from Jail and Hang Him From Bridge**

By Associated Press. Shreveport, La., Jan. 3.—A mob of masked men invaded the jail at Jefferson, Texas early today, compelled the jailer to give up his keys and took Dave Lee, a negro and lynched him to a nearby bridge. Lee was charged with theft and with shooting Constable Taylor while resisting arrest. It is said there were only about fifteen men in the lynching party, which quietly dispersed after the hanging.

**ARMY ONLY CARRYING  
OUT UNBROKEN PRACTICE**

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 3.—Further explanation of the action of the Texas border patrol in disarming of Mexican and federal and rebel soldiers and forcing them back across the Rio Grande was received today from Brigadier General Bliss. He reported that any other course would result in the Big Bend country being overrun with small armed parties and emphasized that all armed bands which crossed the border, except those seeking asylum, are "armed invaders of the United States territory."

Gen. Bliss' report sent from Fort Sam Houston, says:

"So far as known at these headquarters, what has been done at Presidio is in accord with unbroken practice from the beginning, all along the border. Anyone seeking refuge or claiming asylum is received and protected. If armed men are caught by our patrols, they are disarmed and either held or put back across the river, according to circumstances of the case. Under no circumstances are they obliged to return where they can be taken by their enemies."

**SOCIALIST NOMINATIONS  
BY REFERENDUM VOTE.**

By Associated Press. Chicago, Jan. 3.—Leading candidates of the Socialist party in 1915 will be nominated by referendum vote and not by convention. This was determined by a mail referendum just completed and announced today by the party's executive secretary here.

Suffering from cuts on the neck inflicted by a broken beer bottle a man whose name was not learned was given treatment by City Health Officer Dr. Mark Moore at one o'clock this morning. The man had attempted to enter another man's room in a downtown house and was beaten up. His assailant was arrested and later released on bond. The injured man was apparently intoxicated.

**COST OF LIVING  
IN GERMANY HIGH**

**ADVANCES IN PRICES OF FOOD DURING THE PAST YEAR ARE RECORDED**

**OTHER NEWS OF BERLIN**

**Dental Students Want Higher Titles Instead of Being Known as "Tooth Physicians"**

By Associated Press. Berlin, January 4.—Further movements upward in the high cost of living are already in sight for the new year. Two measures in particular just decided upon threaten to tax severely the purse of the German housewife.

The privileges of importing duty-free meat from Russia, by which the municipalities were able to force down the price of beef and pork from two to ten cents per pound during the past year is not to be continued. Furthermore, the icemen have formed a trust, the first act of which is to be an increase of several cents a hundred pounds in the cost of ice next summer.

The meat privilege, which was available only to municipalities buying for the benefit of residents, expires March 31. The Conservative party, which wishes to secure for its agrarian constituents as high returns as possible for their cattle and swine, fought the concession to middle-class and poor appetites from the start, and now has brought about the reimposition of the full duty on Russian meat.

The municipalities of Greater Berlin ran their meat shops at a loss of some \$35,000 during the past year. It is probable that other German cities which took advantage of the law will show corresponding book losses. For the taxpayer and resident, however, the profit from cheaper meat has been marked.

The Berlin icemen's new syndicate maintains that the proposed increase will be only 2-1/2 cents per hundred pounds, making the price 13-1/2 cents per hundredweight, and that under this price it is absolutely impossible to manufacture ice or import ice at a profit. The price, however, is only for dealers with contracts, and the consumer using less than 2,000 hundredweight per year must pay a minimum of 20 cents. The ordinary citizen, who in Germany gets his ice by the pailful, broken into chunks the size of an apple, a pailful or less a day, will pay, as everywhere, what the iceman decides the traffic can bear.

German dental students in more than a dozen schools are on strike for higher titles. They demand to be known after graduation as Doctors of Dental Surgery and not to be restricted to the inferior classification of

Augustus Thomas, author and producer of Arizona, invites you to witness this great photographic record of his favorite play.

**AMERICA'S GREATEST PLAY**

**ARIZONA**

**AMERICA'S BIGGEST FILM**

**6 Massive Parts--210 Great Scenes--150 Acting People**

Produced under the direction of AUGUSTUS THOMAS  
With a mighty cast of Broadway Stars

**ONE DAY ONLY**

**New Majestic Theatre**

Monday, January 5  
Prices: 10c, 15c, 25c

With Cyril Scott

Arizona has been immortalized in the memories of millions.

12 years continuous success, famous the world over as America's greatest play.

"Tooth-physicians," which now prevails in Germany. The strike includes the dental department of the universities of Berlin, Leipzig, Bonn, Heidelberg, Marburg and Greifswald, where the students refuse to continue their studies unless they are given the coveted title.

The high-grade and highly remunerative dental practice in Germany is largely monopolized by American dentists, and the native "tooth-physicians" struggle under the handicap of this title for what is left. The ministry of education, which has behind it the world of regular physicians, refuses to introduce the doctor title,

which would place the petitioners on an outward equality with dental doctors in the United States.

**DEBATING SOCIETY WILL HOLD MEETINGS DOWNTOWN**  
Meetings of the high school debating society will hereafter be held in the Chamber of Commerce room at the city hall.

This decision was reached at a business meeting of the society Friday night. The meetings will be held weekly. The organization had been named the High School Alumni Debating Society but as the membership includes many who are not alumni of the local high school a new name will be chosen.

E. H. Morier left yesterday for Moran where he is employed by the Producers Oil Company. Mr. Morier was formerly in the Producers office here. The next few months he says will see a great amount of development work started at Moran.

**LOCAL TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION EXTENDS ITS JURISDICTION.**

Definite action has been received by officers of the local Typographical Union No. 505 from headquarters in Indianapolis, authorizing the extension of its jurisdiction to the town of Byers.

**ANOTHER DRY HOLE FOUND IN WILBARGER COUNTY.**

(Vernon Record)  
The oil well which has been going down on the Wharton ranch south of Vernon the past three months has been abandoned and the casing will be pulled at once and moved to the Zachagusta headquarters four miles north of the old well where a new well will be sunk. Under the terms of the contract covering the drilling, a most searching test will be made before final abandonment of the field results.

You know about the "early bird and the worm." Same thing with Southland Lots. The man who sizes up a proposition and backs his judgment early in the game reaps the largest benefits.

Southland Addition is not a puzzling proposition. It's a clean cut, open and attractive real estate investment either for speculative or home building purposes. We can prove it.

**Where Can You Beat It?**

Sewerage  
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Money loaned to 82 home builders in Southland Addition. First come first served

**\$350.00**  
to  
**\$750.00**  
**50x150 feet**

**BEAN & GOHLKE, Mgrs.**

617 8th Street. Phone 358.

# Morris Drug Store's Big Removal Sale

We are going to move our store to the corner of Eighth Street and Indiana Ave. about February 1st, where we hope to be better prepared to serve our customers. From now until we move we are offering lots of our lines at cost and below cost. Not marked up and then marked down, but marked down and then down.

## Chafing Dishes, Coffee Percolators and Casseroles Go at Half Price

You will surely need one of these. We haven't many of these numbers left, so don't wait if you want to take advantage of these prices. Remember this is less than cost.

### Sterling Silver and Silver Plated Flatware

Our line consists of Sterling Silverware. 1847 Rogers and Community Silverware. None better. During this sale you get anything in our stock at 33 1-3 percent discount. Don't miss these bargains in things you need.

## Toilet Goods

The bad weather prevented us from displaying our line of Ladies' Toilet and Manicure Sets, and we are offering them at one-half price. We have some beautiful sets in white ivory, sterling silver, ebony and silver plated goods. You can buy these sets cheaper than you can buy the separate pieces.

Ask to see our line of Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets in Sterling. \$25.00 values for just one-half price.

## Cut Glass Bargains

We have one of the most beautiful lines of cut glass to be found in the city. During this sale you can buy any piece in our stock at 25 per cent off our already attractive prices. Come quick while our stock is unbroken.

## Fancy Painted China

We are offering our entire line at actual ONE-HALF PRICE. Don't fail to take advantage of this offer. Chocolate sets \$5.00 and up. Sugar and creamers \$1.50 and up. Sandwich, plates, cracker jars, salad bowles, and anything you might want all go at one-half price.

We have arranged a rack in the center of our store and piled it high with merchandise which we are selling for less than cost. This collection consists of many useful articles that you buy every day. So don't miss the opportunity we are offering you. Combs, Brushes, Mirrors, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Military Brushes, Hand Mirrors, Shaving Stands, Chafing Dishes, Post Card Albums, Kodak Books, Stationery, Books and Bibles. *Everything at Cost and Below Cost 'till we move.*

# MORRIS DRUG STORE, 710 Indiana Ave.

## DINNER CONCERT WESTLAND HOTEL

Sunday, Jan. 5, 1914.  
6:15 to 8:15 p. m.  
Katz Orchestra

1. March "Under the Banner of Victory" Von Blon
2. Selection "Tannhauser" R. Wagner
3. Ballet Fantasia "June Honeymoon" Snyder
4. Overture "Zampa" Herold
5. Characteristic "Too Much Mustard" Davis
6. Gems from "The Chimes of Normandy" Planquette
7. Morceaux (a) Salut D'Amour Elgar (b) Ave Maria Gounod-Bach
8. Finale "Spookey Ookums" Berlin Medleys and Requests

## LODGE DIRECTORY

- Panhandle Lodge No. 541, I. O. F.** meets every Monday night at 8 o'clock. J. T. Young secretary.
- Rebekah Lodge No. 238** meets first and third Wednesday afternoons at 3 o'clock and second and fourth Tuesday nights at 8 o'clock. Clara Brooks secretary.
- Wichita Falls Camp No. 12998 N. W. of A.** meets every Thursday at 8 p. m. 713 1/2 Indiana avenue. R. S. Dunaway, Consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.
- Wichita Falls Camp No. 3891, W. O. W.** meets every Thursday night at Moose Hall. All visiting Woodmen invited. C. H. Elliott, C. C.; S. E. Simpson, clerk.
- Wichita Falls Chapter No. 227, O. E. S.** meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights. Mrs. Clara Brooks secretary.
- Lockhard Lodge No. 2900 Knights and Ladies of Honor** meets Tuesday night, Dec. 16th, in Ward Hall. Ira B. Brown, secretary.
- Loyal Order of Moose—Meets every Sunday afternoon.** A. C. McKee Dictator.
- Texas City—Building activities in that city continue on the increase. During December more than thirty new residences were completed and started, besides a number of business houses.

## Local News Brevities

Gold crowns \$4 and up; 2014 bridges \$4 and up; plain amalgam filling 50 cents. Dr. Kearby, dentist. 98 1/2 c.

Scotland Addition will have a big opening sale January 19. Phone 1478. 201 1/2 c.

Linn Boyd and Dr. F. F. Brown have purchased from S. J. Higgs, the two story white front building on seventh street adjoining the Westland Hotel. This building is 23x100 feet and is one of the most attractive of the smaller buildings in the city. The purchase price was \$10,000.

There are two kinds of far sighted people: Those who have trouble in seeing objects clearly at any near distance and those who come to us so that we can fit glasses that will enable them to see clearly at any distance. Of course, we cannot make your eyes see as they on a church steeple a mile away, but our glasses will enable you to see the steeple better. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 201 1/2 c.

I am now located at 710 1/2 Indiana Avenue in the Bean-Anderson building. Phone 586. Dr. J. S. Nelson, dentist. 201 1/2 c.

Dr. Prothro, dentist, Ward building, Eighth street. 60 1/2 c.

**My Motto: Miller sells it for less.**

Don't forget the date of the big real estate sale January 19th, Phone 1478. 201 1/2 c.

Mrs. Smith's Millinery and Hair Parlor, 807 Lamar. Phone 1723. 99 3/4 c.

New suits have been filed in the district court as follows: Mrs. Jennie Bell vs. W. K. Bell, divorce; Mary Underwood vs. T. M. Underwood, divorce; Letha Stubblefield vs. Will Stubblefield, divorce; Pearl Parnell vs. Clyde Parnell, divorce; C. Moeber vs. C. H. Whittenbach et al, debt and attachment.

Knights of Pythias lodge will meet Thursday night. Initiation in rank of Knight. We are especially anxious to get in touch with Knights residing in Wichita Falls, who hold their membership in out of town lodges, and those who have allowed their membership to lapse. Visitors welcome. Dr. J. W. DuVal, C. C. 201 1/2 c.

**DR. CHAS. R. HARTSOOK**  
Practices Limited to the  
EYE, EAR, NOSE AND  
THROAT  
702 Kemp & Kell Bldg.

Wheat pasture adjoining city. Phone 1551. J. W. Henderson. 97 1/2 c.

Beautiful lot will be given away in Scotland Addition on opening day. Phone 1478. 201 1/2 c.

Certainly, we take into consideration the shape of your nose, the distance your eyes are apart, whether the eyes are deep set or opposite, whether the lashes are long or short, when we make a pair of glasses for you. That's part of our service—the service that makes glasses good to look at as well as good to look through. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Eye Specialist. 201 1/2 c.

Wanted—Ladies for men's suits to clean and press for \$1. Elgie Pressing Club. Phone 1704. 99 3/4 c.

**My Motto: Miller sells it for less.**

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 95 1/2 c.

Call up Sadler & Huey and learn about Scotland Addition. Phone 1478. 604 1/2 Eighth St. 201 1/2 c.

We are agents for Southland lots and will be pleased to show you. Just phone 63. J. B. Marlow. 80 1/2 c.

Ladies skirts cleaned and pressed 50c. Elgie Pressing Club. Phone 1704. 99 3/4 c.

Do you want to look at Scotland Addition? Call Sadler & Huey 1478. 604 1/2 Eighth St. 201 1/2 c.

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co. Hines & Embry, Props. Office and parlors, 812 Scott avenue, Maer building. Phone 202. Command us. Prompt ambulance service. 82 1/2 c.

The Wichita Mill & Elevator Company has fitted itself out of the mill. R. D. Moxley & Company have just completed for the mill the paving of Tenth street between Ohio and Michigan avenues. Cement was the material used. Before the paving was laid about half a block of unpaved street had to be traversed to reach the elevator and the mill were no more. For the convenience of its own truck men as well as its patrons the company contracted for the paving of the street.

Dr. J. S. Nelson is now located at 710 1/2 Indiana Avenue in the new Bean-Anderson building. Phone 586. Dr. J. S. Nelson, dentist. 201 1/2 c.

You will make money if you buy lots in Scotland Addition; \$20 down and \$10 per month. Sadler & Huey, 604 1/2 Eighth St. Phone 1478. 201 1/2 c.

Millinery, hair goods and toilet creams at Mrs. Smith's Millinery and Hair Parlor. 807 Lamar. Phone 723. 99 3/4 c.

Ivan Murehison will sing a solo at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening.

**My Motto: Miller sells it for less.**

Switches made from combings at Mrs. Smith's Millinery and Hair Parlor. 807 Lamar. Phone 1723. 99 3/4 c.

Dr. Bolding, dentist, office 206 Kemp & Kell building. Phone 206 46 1/2 c.

Some great bargains in millinery goods at Mrs. Smith's Millinery and Hair Parlor. 807 Lamar. Phone 1723. 99 3/4 c.

You had better make your selection of lots in Scotland Addition. They are going fast. 201 1/2 c.

Ed Wagner and Abb Jones have waived a preliminary hearing on charges of robbery and each has been bound over to the grand jury under bond of \$1,000.

We have the equipment, the experience, the ability and the disposition to give you the best service in the shortest possible time. We do it right and it is quick. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Specialist. 201 1/2 c.

Sight Reading, Sight Reading, Music, Music, Music.

Music should be taught the same as learning how to read a book or newspaper. I guarantee to teach a beginner how to read every day parlor music within one year. My experience as director of six colleges and conservatories is at your command. Piano, vocal, violin, sight reading, harmony taught in your homes in bad weather. Phone 956 reaches me at meal times only.

PROF. PAUL E. PFEIFER.  
705 Scott Avenue.  
201 1/2 c.

All of us are living so much, working so much and playing so much that some of us are not giving our eyes the attention we should. We deplore such a state of affairs that makes our services necessary. On the other hand we feel recompensed for the good we have done for the eyes of others and the good we would like to do for yours—if you need properly prescribed and fitted glasses. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 201 1/2 c.

**"ARIZONA" AT THE NEW MAJESTIC MONDAY**

"Arizona," pronounced by many critics to be America's greatest play, will be presented in motion pictures at the New Majestic Monday night. August Thomas, author and producer of this play, personally supervised the motion picture production of this play with an all star cast. The pictures show 210 superb scenes faithfully portraying this great play. It's story is well known to most of our readers. It is a thrilling drama of western life.

At a Western military post Captain Hodgman, a black sheep, has brought shame and sorrow to Lena, the daughter to Sergeant Kellar, and Lena has found employment in the family of Henry Canby, owner of a big ranch. Here she is brightened by the honorable love of Tony, a Mexican.

Back at the post, Captain Hodgman makes skillful love to Estrella, wife of the Colonel.

Estrella is the elder daughter of Canby and Bonita, her sister.

The troop riding up the valley, make camp at Canby's ranch. There Hodgman is in the act of making love to Bonita when interrupted by Lieutenant Denton, the hero of the story. Estrella prevents the men from coming to blows.

A few nights later there is a dance at the army post. Lena later finds Hodgman's note to the Colonel's wife, revealing his proposal that they run away.

Lena gives the note to her father.

Who confides in Denton? Denton finds the couple arranging the details of the elopement. He accuses Hodgman into surrendering Estrella's jewels.

Hodgman has left the room, when the Colonel unexpectedly returns. Denton, with Estrella's jewels in his pocket, steps into an adjoining room. The Colonel, suspicious, upon search, finds Denton with the jewels on his person. The Colonel, reluctant to lay him upon so grave a charge as robbery, demands Denton's resignation.

Denton bids good-bye to his comrades and takes the trail. Canby engages him as superintendent of the ranch.

News of war has reached the ranch, and the cowboys organize a company, electing Denton as captain. The army stops at Canby's and all is astir.

Kellar learns from Lena of her love for Tony, who grimly waits to learn the name of her seducer. Lena, upon the united demand of both, names Hodgman.

The three enter the room just as Denton confronts Hodgman. Denton strikes Hodgman. In the excitement two shots are fired. Hodgman falls wounded. Cavalrymen and cowboys rush in. Hodgman accuses Denton. Tony, unobserved, slips away. Kellar testifies that the shot came from the hand. Lena refuses to answer questions. The bullet extracted from Hodgman's body is produced, and Denton is freed. Lena is ordered under arrest.

Tony, to save her, confesses to the

shooting, but rushes through the gates and into his saddle. The Colonel orders his capture, but there is no rider like Tony, and he escapes.

Estrella then makes a full confession exonerating Denton. Denton asks the Colonel to give his wife another chance.

Away to war then ride the troop and its officers, but the spectators feel that those estranged will be later brought together.

**WICHITA THEATRE PROGRAM FOR THE COMING WEEK.**

An excellent feature photo play program is announced for this coming week as follows:

Monday—"In the Shadows" featuring Miss Gene Gauntier in a dramatic gem from real life in three parts.

Tuesday—"No pictures account of 'The Missouri Girl'."

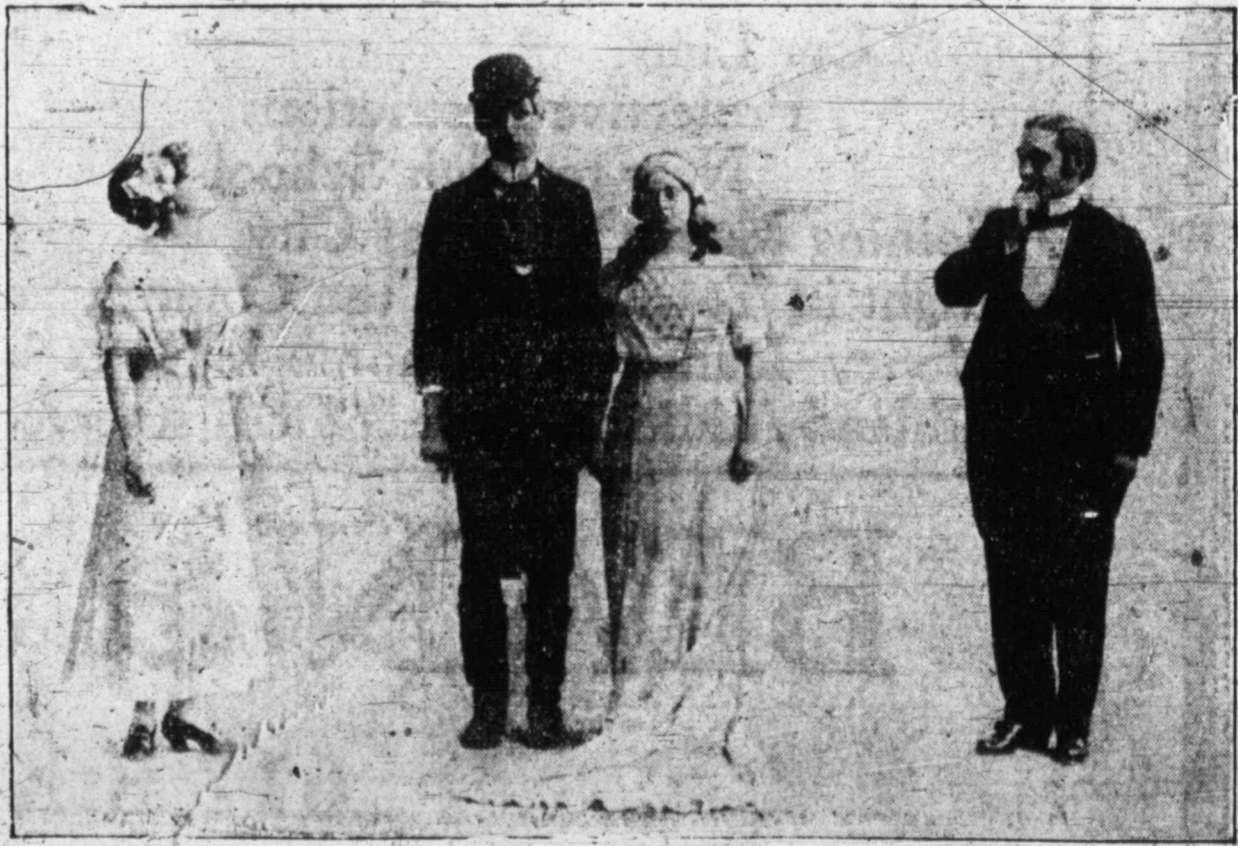
Wednesday—"The Hand That Conquers," a sensational drama with thrilling adventures in three parts.

Thursday—"Tommy-of-the-Shrew," a farce comedy in three parts.

Friday—"Hansel & Gretel." Everyone knows this popular story from Grimm's Fair Tale filmed in three parts.

Saturday—Sees Joe Welch the famous Jew comedian in "A Struggle for Wealth."

Today or tomorrow is the time to look at Scotland Addition and make selection early. Phone 1478. 201 1/2 c.



Zeke and Daisy all dressed up, in "Missouri Girl" Wichita Theatre, Tuesday, January 6th, 1914

# WICHITA SOUTHERN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

*Wichita Falls, Texas*

		COMPARATIVE GAINS			
		1911	1912	1913	
Capital Stock	\$146,600.00				
Admitted Assets	284,921.00	Assets, \$178,325.00	\$ 227,540.00	\$ 284,921.00	
Mortgage Loans	222,523.00	Surplus to Policy			
Surplus To Policy Holders	224,720.00	Holders	162,502.00	196,193.00	224,720.00
		Reserve	3,513.00	21,869.00	60,195.00
		Insurance In Force,	557,140.00	2,422,140.00	3,897,100.00

When the Officers and Stock Holders of The WICHITA SOUTHERN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY need a lawyer, they hire a Wichita Falls attorney; when they need a physician, they use a Wichita Falls doctor; when they need merchandise, they buy from local merchants. In fact, they spend their money at home.

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The Above Statement shows that The Wichita Southern Life Insurance Company is not an experiment, but a successful growing institution. We have met every requirement of the Texas Laws, both as to Standard provisions of policies and as to setting aside the full amount of Reserve necessary to thoroughly protect every Policy Holder, and the Reserve carried by this Company to protect it's Policy Holders is exactly the same amount carried by the largest companies in the world, in proportion to the business in force.

We issue Non-Participating Policies, therefore, our rates are from \$6 to \$10 per thousand lower than those Companies which pay dividends to Policy Holders.

We let you keep your dividend in your pocket, then you know how much it is, and that you have it.

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J. E. Daniel, Medical Director.  
J. T. Montgomery, General Attorney.

PERSONAL MENTION

W. D. Jordan of Childress, is visiting relatives here.

George L. Woodward of Electra, was here yesterday.

John Grundy, editor of the Byers Herald, is in the city today.

Mrs. W. H. Huggins of Vernon, visited relatives here yesterday.

Mrs. D. A. Wilcoxson has returned from a holiday visit to Mangum.

Charles T. Paul left last week for a visit several weeks at Salamanca, New York.

C. M. Taylor, formerly of Holliday, now traveling out of Dallas, was here yesterday.

Mrs. M. A. Boyd, went up to Electra yesterday for a visit with her niece there.

Mrs. J. P. Jackson returned yesterday after a visit at Shreveport, La., and Arlington.

Mrs. C. M. McFarland and son of Marlin, have arrived to join Mr. McFarland here.

W. H. Dougherty, a well known business man of Gainesville, was here yesterday.

Decourse Allen will leave tonight to resume his studies in the Terrill school at Dallas.

Mrs. Rosa Lovelace of Durant, Okla., is expected to arrive today for a visit with Mrs. R. L. Yetes.

Miss Grace Pryor of Mangum, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wilcoxson and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson.

Dr. H. E. Peterson of Copenhagen, a Danish geologist of high authority, in oil matters, has been here for several days.

Miss Lillian Durrett, who has been visiting Miss Lillian McGregor returned last night to her home in Fort Worth; Miss Lillian Durrett will return tomorrow.

H. W. Davis of Twin Falls, Idaho, is here for a visit with his sister, Mrs. B. P. Hatcher. This is the first meeting of the brother and sister in more than twenty-six years.

W. H. Dougherty of Gainesville, was in the city yesterday looking after business interests. He leaves today for Crowell in Ford county to look after investments there.

Charles W. Reid and Nat Waggoner, who are organizing a new bank here returned to Muskogee yesterday, but will be back the first of the week when they will make a definite announcement of their plans.

Mrs. L. T. Walters returned yesterday after a visit with relatives at Vails Point. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. Frank Peery and child, who will visit with relatives here.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Monday, Jan. 5.—Episcopal Guild meets with Mrs. Allen. Rally meeting of the Ladies Aid of the First M. E. Church. Missionary Meeting at the M. E. Church, South.

HERBERT SNYDER HONORED AT SURPRISE PARTY THURSDAY

Thursday evening Mrs. F. W. Snyder entertained with a surprise party for her son, Herbert. The house was beautifully decorated in a manner suggestive of the Christmas season.

PROGRESSIVE FORTY-TWO PARTY AT WILSON HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson entertained a number of friends Friday evening at Progressive Forty-two. The house presented quite a holiday appearance with Christmas decorations every where.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PUPILS MRS. RALPH HINES' GUESTS.

Mrs. Ralph Hines entertained the members of her Sunday school class Friday afternoon at her home, 1419 Tenth. The afternoon was spent in the usual manner with conversation and sewing and the hostess served delicious fruit salad with whipped cream and nut cake.

MRS. PAGE AND MISS SHULTS ENTERTAIN AT WATCH PARTY

Mrs. T. C. Page and Miss Shults were hostesses to a watch party New Year's Eve. Forty-two was played, contests engaged in and a general good time enjoyed.

MRS. Z. A. JETER IS HOSTESS AT PLEASANT WATCH PARTY

Mrs. Z. A. Jeter, assisted by her sister, Mrs. A. N. Barrett, entertained a few friends with a watch party New Year's Eve in honor of Misses Grace and Lillian Weaver.

the close of the old year refreshments were served to the Misses Ira Connor, Clara Bell Warnock, Leona Hansen, Frater, Miller, Burns, Grace and Lillian Weaver, Humphrey, Cella Barrett, Messrs. Martin McClure, Billings, White, Rankin, Hudson, Laffever, Holston, Humphrey and Millington and Mrs. Barrett.

MRS. A. T. BARNETT HOSTESS TO SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS.

Mrs. A. T. Barnett, 1406 Scott, entertained her Sunday school class Friday evening. Enjoyable music was furnished by Mrs. R. G. Ladd, after which a number of different games were played.

SESSION OF UNITY CLUB WITH MRS. GREENWOOD

The Unity Club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Bruce Greenwood. The following program was carried out: Roll call, items of interest; lesson, Pomplilla; a paper by Mrs. Hunt, "The Play of Naples." Leader for the afternoon, Mrs. Robertson.

BOX SUPPER PLANNED BY SAM HOUSTON MOTHERS CLUB

The Mothers Club of the Sam Houston school held its second meeting Friday afternoon, January 2. There was a good number in attendance and an interesting meeting was held. Much interest is being manifested in the club and a rapid growth is looked forward to.

MEMBERS OF JUST SO CLUB ENTERTAIN THURSDAY

The Just So Club entertained their friends Thursday evening at the home of Miss Hazel Jones. The parlor, dining room, dining room and reception hall all were decorated with the usual holiday decorations.

Sherrill won the prize for this, a Kewpie. The company was favored with these readings by Miss Jourdain and two vocal selections by Miss Laura Bell. A salad course and hot grape juice was served to the following: Misses Carver, Rieb, Shelton, Willis, Bolton, Bergett, Smith, Bulard, Stokes, Maud Ragsdale, Downing, Ragsdale, Jordan, Ernst Barwise, Anderson, Bell, Fox, Sherrill, Harrier, Wilkes, Mesdames Billingsley, Hartsok, McDowell, Jeanne, Shelton, Walker, Jones, Messrs. McVann, Wacker, Drake, McDowell, Capt. Komer, Arnold, Wood, Shelton, Vance, Walker, Crowell, Gardner, Jones, Davensport, Billingsley, Smith, Dr. Hartsook, Johnson, Russell, Jones and the hostess, Miss Hazel Jones.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ALLIANCE ENJOYS A WATCH PARTY.

A particularly pleasant affair which took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Savage on Fifteenth street was a watch party last Wednesday night. It being the regular business meeting of the Young People's Alliance. The young people left the church en masse and so quietly that the affair being planned that both Clarence and Eileen Savage were completely surprised.

MAYFLOWER FORTY-TWO CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. W. H. GREGG

The Mayflower Forty-two Club met Friday evening with Mrs. W. H. Gregg as hostess. A number of games were played, Mrs. Allen making high score. Little Miss Lynette Miller assisted the hostess in keeping score.

INFORMAL MUSICAL BY MRS. WALTER S. ROBERTSON

Mrs. Walter S. Robertson entertained quite delightfully Saturday evening, December 27 with an informal musicale at her apartments at the Campbell. A program was given as follows: (a) in a garden; (b) violins; (c) land of the sky blue water by Mrs. Robertson. Piano selection by Miss Ona Bell. Truametric by Mrs. Bruce Greenwood. (a) It is Not Because Your Heart is Mine; (b) Poppies by L. Murchison. An intermission followed during which punch was served. The program was then resumed.

(a) Magnetic Waltz (b) Will o' the Wisp (c) Lot of Morning. Mrs. Robertson. Witch's Dance (MacDowell), Miss Ona Bell. Selection from "Thais," Miss Greenwood. (a) Cavalleri Rusticana, (b) Where Did You Come From, Baby Dear, L. Murchison. Mr. Murchison sang "Farewell to the King" from "The King's Highway" by DeKoven. At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served consisting of oyster cocktail, celery, cheese, olives, waters and saratoga chips. The invited guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames Cook, Monigomers, Huff, Snider, Langford, Strouss, Miller, Noble, Johnson, Camerter, Robertson, Ivan Murchison, Freear, Greenwood, Mrs. Darnell, Mrs. Moore of Kansas City, Misses Bell, Sherrid, Wadsworth, Shackelford and Cook, Messrs. Robertson and Britain.

MISS INEZ GEARY IS HOSTESS FRIDAY EVENING

Miss Inez Geary entertained a number of friends quite pleasantly Friday evening. A very interesting contest furnished entertainment for some time. In this contest Charlie Nolen and Edgar Gorsline tied and in a cut Mr. Gorsline was the fortunate one, receiving the prize. Music and conversation were enjoyed the remainder of the evening and the hostess assisted by her cousin, Miss Lawler, served delicious hot chocolate, waters and stuffed dates to Misses Helen Stone, Audrey Addicks, Elizabeth Youngblood, Marion Crabtree, Cora Lee Waggoner, Pauline Meares, and Edgar Gorsline. Joe Kell, Alfred Carrigan, Jim Barnard, Jim Jennings, John Goary, Luther Robertson, Charlie Nolen and Vance Lowery.

MRS. EUGENE SHERRID IS AUCTION BRIDGE HOSTESS.

One of the prettiest card maidens of the season was given New Year's afternoon by Mrs. Eugene Sherrid, Mrs. Lucile Sherrid and Mrs. C. B. Toney, honoring Miss Shackelford of Alabama. Miss Shackelford has visited here several times before. The guest of her niece, Col. W. F.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK GRIFFIN ENTERTAIN ON WEDNESDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffin entertained New Year's Eve in honor of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Haynie of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Strub Moore of Petrolia. The house was decorated for the occasion with red garlands, Christmas bells and ferns in profusion. Auction bridge was the evening's diversion. Mr. Haynie winning the prize for high score, an auction bridge set. A delightful salad course was served and each guest was presented with a red carnation as favors. The guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames Haynie, Moore, D. J. White, Frank Cullinan, E. P. Greenwood, Grisham, Mrs. Harrington and Dr. Garrison.

MISS ONA BELL PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINS THE OLD MAIDS.

Thursday morning Miss Ona Bell entertained the Old Maids and a few friends at the apartments of Mrs. W. S. Robertson in the new Kemphall, honoring Miss Frances Jalonic of Dallas. The morning was enjoyably spent and at noon a most delightful luncheon was served. The dining room was decorated very beautifully, the table having for its chief decorative feature a vase of red carnations on a handsome Cluny lincheon cloth. A five-course menu was carried out as follows: Grape fruit, oyster cocktail, a salad course, followed by an iced coffee, mints and glace fruits. Punch was served and toast given by some of the young ladies.

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Sherrid and family and is quite a favorite with the devotees of the game. The house was beautifully decorated, the Christmas season furnishing the decorative motif. The handsomely attired guests for additional eclat to the occasion. Auction bridge was the game of the afternoon. The honoree Miss Shackelford winning the guest prize, a handsome imported vase. Mrs. Butler, in a cut won the prize for high score, a narcissus in full bloom. A delightful salad course was served during the course of the afternoon. The guest list included the following: Messrs. McGregor, Marcus Moor, Als Marcus, Short, Hair, Hughes of Dallas, R. E. Huff, Gwynn, DuVal, C. C. Huff, Berney, Harvey, Snider, M. H. Moore, Moore of Kansas City, Walter M. M. Walker, Weeks, Mytinger, W. S. Robertson, T. W. Roberts, T. B. Smith, Fitzpatrick, Bookman, Frank Blair, E. Greenwood, Cullinan, T. B. Reese, Montgomery, Darnell, Walter Cravens, Hines, Harrington, J. O. Smith, Myles, Bacon, Everett Jones, Claude Woods, W. H. Walker, or Sheppard, Allen, Ward, Anderson, T. B. Greenwood, Miller, Mrs. Stuart, Kibler, White, Goebble, Paulaine, Daugherty of Fort Worth, Richard Butts, Noble and Butler, Misses Foster of Dallas, Durrett of Fort Worth, Chamberlain, Bent, Cora and Dora Coons and Gibson.

NEW IDEA CLUB MEMBERS ARE PLEASANT HOSTESSES.

Mesdames Carey and Simon entertained the New Idea Club members and their husbands at the home of Mrs. Carey. The house had been very prettily decorated in Christmas effects. The members met at four o'clock and fancy work and conversation were indulged in until seven, when the men arrived and a more substantial feature of entertainment was enjoyed. The old saying "the way to a man's heart is by his stomach" was never exemplified better, for the delicious supper served by the hostesses finding great favor with all present. The evening's menu consisted of fried oysters, bread and butter, sandwiches, pickles, coffee, marshmallow pudding with whipped cream, cake and mints. After the supper two immense "Jack & Horner" pies made in large dish pans were brought in. One pie had been provided for the ladies and one for the gentlemen and from the center of each string were pendant, one to each one present. The ladies pie contained the club gran bag and many

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useful and beautiful articles all hand-made were drawn out by the men who were to be pleased with their gifts as the ladies. The toys furnished amusement for the rest of the evening. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames W. G. Shaw, T. G. ...

MR. AND MRS. LEON LOEB ENTERTAIN AT FIVE HUNDRED Mr. and Mrs. Leon Loeb, entertainers of the New Year's Eve at Five Hundred ...

Cravens, Henry Oberstein, J. W. DuVal, Miss Dent, Miss Leopold and Mr. Leopold. NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY BY MR. AND MRS. BESSEY. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bessey entertained a few of their friends with a watch party New Year's Eve. The company amused themselves with games of cards and dancing, until the New Year was properly ushered in. The hostess served a delightful salad course, accompanied by hot chocolate and cake to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames William Huff, V. H. Sheppard, Mrs. Dumas of San Diego, Mrs. Grisham of Canada, Miss French and Messrs. Herron and Dale.

MISS JEWEL KEMP IS DINNER HOSTESS THURSDAY Miss Jewel Kemp entertained Thursday evening with a 6 o'clock dinner. The table presented an unusually charming appearance, with its lovely appointments, a color scheme of pink and white being carried out to the smallest detail. The center piece was an immense pink rose, with ribbons leading from its center to each place and fastened to the place cards. The guest on pulling the ribbons discovered a daily star for each one. A most enjoyable dinner in nine courses, was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Daugherty of Fort Worth, Misses Lattie Kell, Eddie Carver, One Bell, Wadsworth, Lillian Durrett of Fort Worth, the hostess and Messrs. L. Green, W. M. Peck, A. H. Brittain, E. Gibson, E. J. Day and C. V. Durand. After the dinner the young men in the party were hosts to a box party to witness the performance of "Madame Sherry."

MISS ELIZABETH YOUNGLOOD HOSTESS WEDNESDAY. Miss Elizabeth Younglood, assisted by her cousin, Miss Bertha Gordon, entertained a few friends Wednesday evening. Games, music and conversation formed the evening's amusement. At the close of the Old Year a delightful luncheon was served to Misses Inez Geary, Ola Mearns, Hazel Taylor, Leanie Perry, Messrs. Neas, Gorsline, Reary, Trotter, Crowell, Gussett and Pond.

PROF. AND MRS. CARPENTER CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY One of the prettiest affairs of the winter season was the celebration of their crystal wedding by Prof. and Mrs. G. H. Carpenter, Monday afternoon and evening. Their handsome new residence in Floral Heights was beautifully and appropriately decorated, the drawing room being decorated in white and crystal tones, with white flowers and ferns. In the reception hall and dining room holiday decorations predominated. The Christmas motif being observed in the refreshments of ice cream, cake and mince. Over two hundred invitations were issued for the afternoon and evening and a large number called during the reception hours. The

guests were received by Prof. and Mrs. Carpenter, who composed the receiving line. Mrs. Carpenter was gowned in heavy white satin, with tulle lace and crystal trimmings. Quite a handsome array of gifts had been received and were on display in the host's den. The register book for the guests was in the den also. The following program was rendered both afternoon and evening: "My Love is Like a Red, Red Rose," Miss Helen Ritchie; "Berceuse," Mrs. Bruce Greenwood; "O Fair, O Sweet, O Holy," Mrs. Thompson; readings by Miss Jourdan, (a) Aunt Susan's Quilt; (b) The Courier; "Beloved," by Mrs. Walter Robertson. Mrs. Robertson sang "Faith and True," the Lorraine bridal chorus and a wedding party of tiny tots proceeded down the broad stairway. Little Miss Flora Bruce Greenwood was the bride, wearing a trained gown, long bridal veil and carrying a bridal bouquet. Pierce Langford was the groom and little Miss Emma Frances McFall and Mary Ferguson were the bridesmaids.

MISS BERNICE JACKSON HOSTESS MONDAY EVENING. Miss Bernice Jackson was hostess Monday to a number of friends at her home on Denver avenue. Music, conversation and dancing furnished amusement for the evening and the hostess was assisted in entertaining by her sister, Miss Mabelle. A delicious salad plate was served to the following guests: Misses Audrey Jackson, Helen Stone, Helen Hagan, Lillian Bell, Ethel Bean, Grace Kirby of Petrolia, Ruby Moore, Abilene, Thompson, Thelma Kahn, Pauline Mears, Dorothy Beavers, Pauline Mears, Lucile Hay of Oklahoma City and James Martin Williams of Fort Worth, Jim Barnard, Joe Kell, Alfred Carrigan, Charlie Nolan, Joe Carrigan, Leslie Stringer, Clyde Smith, Markham Ferguson, Robert Avis, William Robertson, Victor Jungk, Arthur Clousitt, Harold Hamilton, Ralph Pond and Luther Robertson.

"YEAR END" DANCE IS GIVEN WEDNESDAY EVENING. Miss Pauline Ritchie and Miss Dorothy Beavers entertained a number of young people with a "year end" dance Wednesday evening at the Ritchie home. This crowd has enjoyed a number of pleasant affairs this holiday season and the watch party Wednesday evening brought the Christmas festivities to a most fitting close. The decorations were suggestive of the holiday, cedar, holly, mistletoe and poinsettias being banked on the mantle and hung in windows and door ways. A splendid orchestra furnished excellent music for the dancers and other amusements had also been provided. At a late hour refreshing ice cream and cake were served, the guests all remaining to watch the Old Year out and the New Year in. The New Year was greeted with cheers, shouts and yells, accompanied by the firing of cap pistols and fire crackers. After wishing all a "Happy New Year" the guests bid the hostesses "good night," and reluctantly departed. The

young ladies were assisted in entertaining by Mesdames Ritchie and Beavers, and Miss Helen Beavers. Those present were Misses Bernice Jackson, Audrey Jackson, Berthe Landers, Helen Stone, Lillian Pauline Mears, Helen Hines, Lillian E. H. Able, Thompson, Frances Urban, Ruby Moore, Thelma Kahn, Ethel Bean, Grace Kirby of Petrolia, Gladys Herron, Ruby Bachman, and Joe Kell, Brennan Gillespie, Arthur Clousitt, Lawrence Douglas, Joe Carrigan, Alfred Carrigan, Luther Robertson, Charles Roberts, William Robertson, Charlie Nolan, Jim Barnard, James Martin Williams of Fort Worth, Markham Ferguson, Ralph Pond, Harold Hamilton, Robert Avis, Wilbur Lee, Leslie Stringer, Victor Jungk, Carl Jungk, Clyde Smith and Harrison Bachman.

CITY NATIONAL DIRECTORS ARE GUESTS AT DINNER. Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider entertained the directors of the City National Bank and their wives with a dinner. The large, round table presented a most charming appearance, with an immense centerpiece of fruit, attractively combined with trail-

ing vines. A delicious dinner was served in six courses, covers being laid for nineteen on the exquisitely appointed table. After the dinner a very pleasant social hour was spent in conversation and exchanging New Year wishes. Those partaking of Mr. and Mrs. Snider's charming hospitality were Messrs. and Mesdames J. A. Kemp, Wiley Blair, P. P. Langford, Frank Kell, W. L. Robertson, H. L. Hunter and C. C. Huff, Mesdames Donald of Lawton, and F. H. Moore of Kansas City and Mr. Perkins.

MRS. ORAL JONES HOSTESS TO THE WHAT NEXT CLUB. The What Next Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Oral Jones. The usual pleasant round of sewing and conversation was indulged in during the afternoon. The hostess served a delightful luncheon of sandwiches, tea, pickles and cake to the members, Mesdames Jack Shelton, Lester Jones and J. S. Walker.

MISS LILLIAN MCGREGOR IS HOSTESS TO LITTLE SISTERS. The Little Sisters Aid met Tuesday afternoon with Miss Lillian McGregor.

Scope out-of-town guests were present and the club enjoyed a social meeting, telling fortunes, dancing and engaging in various other amusements. The hostess served dainty luncheon of sandwiches, hot chocolate and a salad course. The Little Sisters present were Misses Ann Freear, Kathleen Blair, Bess Kell, Genevieve Carver, and Bertha Mae Kemp. The guests were Misses Lillian and Lucille Durrett of Fort Worth, and Miss Marzelle Hart of Weatherford.

STANLEY WEIDMAN HOST TO HIS FRIENDS WEDNESDAY

Stanley Weidman entertained a number of his friends with a moving picture and watch party combined. The party first spent some time at the Gem Theatre and then went to the Weidman home where games were played and delicious fruit salad, with walrus-cream and fruit cake were served. The party remained to "ring out the old and ring in the new," and then departed, voting Stanley and his mother royal entertainers. Those present were Misses Ruth Heath, Jennie Coats, Shyl Moore, Ester Leonard, Phoebe Warfield, Irma Heath,

and Hubert Lewis, Clyde Heath, Clyde Bentley, Leland Stewart and Eugene Isley, the host and Mr. and Mrs. Weidman.

WATCH PARTY IS HELD BY FOURTH STREET B. Y. P. U.

Under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U. of the Fourth Street Baptist church, some forty or more young people, together with a few older ones met at the home of Pastor T. E. Cannedy, 895 Bluff, to watch the old year out and to welcome in the new. The home had been tastefully decorated in keeping with the season. All formalities had been laid aside and a real good time was assumed from the beginning. Music and games were indulged in until a late hour. In the midst of the merriment and when least expected a number of good things to eat were presented by the pastor's family—a "punching" from his good people. After the hour had grown late the happy crowd was refreshed with chocolate and cake, served by the pastor's wife, assisted by the social committee of the union. Each one present was presented with an emblem of the union and

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**JANUARY 6th**  
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## Kahn's Mammoth January Clearing Sale

Begins Tuesday Morning, January 6th, at 9:00 O'clock

**FREE!**

To the first ten ladies entering our store Tuesday morning, Jan. 6th, will be given each a nice present from our ladies' ready to wear department. Get an envelope on entering the store, take it to the office and get your present. Come early. Be one of the lucky ten.

Entire stock of high-class wearing apparel for men, women and children slaughtered unmerciful. Profits thrown to the winds. Men's and boys' clothing, and ladies' suits and coats *cut in half*. You need no introduction to Kahn's method of conducting business. When we say it's a sale, we mean that is a real sale—and this time we have exerted every effort to make this the greatest *Money Saving Event* ever attempted in this city. Think of it. Such merchandise as HART SCHAFFNER & MARX SUITS and OVERCOATS for men, and PALMER SUITS and COATS for ladies *cut in half*. We need the money and must have it. We must unload this mammoth stock to make room for our spring merchandise, which will soon begin to arrive. Don't miss this sale! Doors will open promptly Tuesday morning, January 6th, to the greatest price smashing sale ever offered to the people of Wichita and adjoining counties. OUR BOOKS ARE CLOSED and not a dollar's worth of goods will be charged during this sale.

**FREE!**

To the first ten men entering our store Tuesday morning, Jan. 6th, will be given each a nice present from our men's wear department. Get an envelope on entering the store, take it to the office and get your present. Come early. Be one of the lucky ten.

**Store Closed all Day Monday, Sale Opens Tuesday at 9 A.M.**

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### Men's Fancy Suits and Overcoats Half Price

All \$10.00 grades, half price	\$5 00
All \$12.50 grades, half price	\$6 25
All \$15.00 grades, half price	\$7 50
All \$18.00 grades, half price	\$9 00
All \$20.00 grades, half price	\$10 00
All \$22.50 grades, half price	\$11 25
All \$25.00 grades, half price	\$12 50
All \$27.50 grades, half price	\$13 75
All \$35.00 grades, half price	\$17 50

### Boys' Norfolk Suits One-Fourth Off

All \$5.00 suits	\$3 75
All \$6.00 suits	\$4 50
All \$7.50 suits	\$4 85
All \$7.50 suits	\$5 75
All \$8.00 suits	\$6 00
All \$10.00 suits	\$7 50
All \$12.50 suits	\$9 75
All \$15.00 suits	\$11 25

All boys' single and double breast-ed suits, and boys' overcoats at **HALF PRICE**

Twenty-five per cent discount on men's and boys' pants

### Men's Hats

All \$3.00 hats	\$2 40
All \$4.00 hats	\$3 25
All \$5.00 hats	\$3 95

All Men's and Boys' Caps One-Fourth Off

### Men's and Boys' Shoes

All \$3.00 shoes, this sale	\$2 60
All \$3.50 shoes, this sale	\$2 95
All \$4.00 shoes, this sale	\$3 25
All \$4.50 shoes, this sale	\$3 75
All \$5.00 shoes, this sale	\$4 15

50 dozen men's hose, values to 20c, this sale, each 9c  
75 dozen handkerchiefs, each 4c  
50 dozen socks, fancy values to 50c, choice for 19c  
100 dozen 75c underwear, shirts and drawers, at per garment 49c  
100 dozen 50c underwear, shirts and drawers, at per garment 39c

### Wool Shirts

\$1.00 values	79c	\$2.00 values	\$1 49
\$1.25 values	98c	\$2.50 values	\$1 98
\$1.50 values	\$1 19	\$3.00 values	\$2 49
\$3.50 values			\$2 98

### Men's Sweaters

75c grade	49c
\$1.00 grade	69c
\$1.50 grade	98c
\$1.75 grade	\$1 19
\$2.00 grade	\$1 29
\$2.50 grade	\$1 49
\$3.00 grade	\$2 39
\$3.50 grade	\$2 49
\$4.00 grade	\$3 19

Boys' blouses and shirts 25 per cent discount

One lot men's shirts, values to \$1.25, your choice 89c  
100 dozen men's soft collar shirts, regular 75c values, going in this sale 49c  
One line of boys' and children's hats, values to 75c, choice 25c  
All men's and boys' caps 20 per cent off.

All Ladies' Tailored Suits . . . . . Half Price  
All Ladies' Coats . . . . . Half Price  
All Afternoon and Evening Dresses . . . . . Half Price  
All Furs and Fur Sets . . . . . Half Price

### Waist Special

One line slightly soiled lingerie waists, high and low necks, lace trimmed, all sizes, values to \$3.50, this sale . . . . . 59c

### Outing Gown Special

One line of outing gowns made of good-quality materials, white and colors, full sizes, values up to \$2.00, this sale . . . . . 79c

BARGAINS—CHILDREN'S DRESSES  
10 dozen children's dresses, sizes 2 to 6 years, made of galatea, ging-ham and chambray, values up to \$2.00, this sale . . . . . 79c  
Values up to \$3.50 . . . . . \$1 75

One line ladies' wool skirts, values \$12.50—This sale . . . . . \$1.25

Odd lot knit underwear, vests and drawers, all sizes, 35c garments, January clearing sale . . . . . 15c

20 per cent discount on Athena under-wear in all shapes and weights.

Odd lot ladies' union suits, real 75c values, January Clearing Sale 35c

Ladies' sweaters, all styles, go in this sale at HALF PRICE.

25 dozen muslin slip over gowns, embroidery and lace trimmed, 75c to \$1.00 values, in this sale . . . 49c

**20 PER CENT DISCOUNT** Our Entire Stock of Onyx Hosiery, Fownes' Gloves, Gos-sard Corsets, American Lady and Madam Lyra Corsets

One line ladies' hose, values to 15c, this sale only 9c

All hair goods, real human hair, all shades, this sale . . . . . HALF PRICE

### Waist Special \$3.95

One line waists made of crepe de chine, net, chiffon, imported voiles and crepes, values to \$7.50, this sale . . . . . \$3 95

### One Line Ladies' Flannel Shirts

standard makes, values to \$2.00, January Clearing sale price . . . . . 95c

EVERYTHING POSITIVELY CASH DURING THIS SALE  
Space will not permit us to quote many prices, but be here—

see for yourself. Don't forget the date. The Greatest Sale opens Tuesday, January 6th, 1914, at Kahn's Wichita Falls.

**Men's Hat Special**—One line men's hats, odds and ends, including our very best sellers, all colors, regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 sellers; this January clearing sale . . . . . **\$1.95**



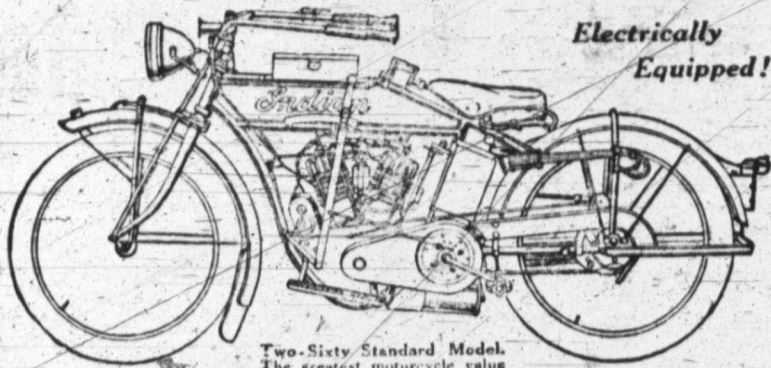
**A Final Clean-up of Millinery**—Every hat in our millinery department, regardless of price or kind, values range up to \$18.50, goes in this January clearing sale at only . . . . . **\$1.95**

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60,000 brand-new red machines will go out over the Indian trails during the coming year—the greatest motorcycle production in the history of the industry. They will flash forth fully armed with "Thirty-Eight Betterments for 1914!" Armed with powerful and beautiful Electrical Equipment! Armed with a New Standard of Value which must completely overturn all existing ideas of motorcycle worth.

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SOCIETY.

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as the old year breathed its last talks of interest of the Union were made by the president, Lucian Prath, and others followed by a devotional service led by the pastor. Thus ended another happy occasion for the young people of the Fourth street Baptist church.

WATCH PARTY GIVEN AT CHISHOLM HOME WEDNESDAY

Miss Janneta Chisholm and Miss Rosa Woods entertained their friends at the home of Miss Chisholm, Wednesday evening with a watch party. Fruit and candies were served through out the evening, also delicious chocolate and cake. The evening was very enjoyably spent and it was a jolly crowd that welcomed the New Year. The following were present: Misses Jessie Gwinn, Gladys Barsocks, Rosa Echart, Mrs. J. S. Robertson, and John Noel of Oklahoma, Buck Phillips, Harry Bowers, Bruce Dickerson, Ralph Davis, Louis Coleman and John Robertson.

WESLEY GIRLS ENJOY SOCIAL MEETING TUESDAY

The Wesley Girls enjoyed a social meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. John Chambers. Work was left at home and entirely forgotten and the afternoon was spent in playing forty-two. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. R. L. Taylor, served a very delightful two course luncheon at the conclusion of the games. Those present were: Misses Muriel Hickman, Ila Cook, Rufner, Myrtle Humphries, Mesdames Rhea Howard, Lester Jones and C. R. Hartscock. Mrs. R. L. Taylor was a guest.

MRS. NEWTON MAER HOSTESS TO TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Tuesday Bridge met this week with Mrs. Newton Maer as hostess. There were three tables of players and Mrs. Mike Walker scored high, receiving the prize for the afternoon, a pair of silk hose. Delightful refreshments were served, consisting of a salad plate with coffee and cake, mints and salted almonds. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. J. A. Kemp. Those present were: Mesdames Duke, Hines, Myrtinger, Little, Hughes, McGregor, Weeks, Mike Walker, Thorburn, Sherrod, the Misses Durrutt of Fort Worth and Miss Sherrod.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF AID SOCIETY IN SESSION

The executive committee of the Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. Church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. W. Corkhill, 605 Lamar. The chairman of the committee for the new year were appointed and the committees assigned. At the close of the business session the hostess served delicious refreshments of coffee, cake and Christmas bonbons. The following ladies were present: Mesdames J. E. Coe, G. W. Corkhill, A. E. Anderson, F. W. Snyder and E. G. Cook.

MISS MARIE MCCLANAHAN'S THIRD BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

Little Miss Marie McClanahan invited a number of little friends to help her celebrate her third birthday Tuesday evening from 3 to 5 and fifteen merry children gathered to spend an afternoon in play. Refreshments were received by the hostess and the birthday cake and dainty refreshments were served to the following children: Dora Lou Russell, Lucile Benson, Mattie Stephens, Sibyl Hancock, Sibyl Hays, Sarah Gardner, Sara Gregg, Katherine Moran, Fay Tidwell, Mary Tidwell, Curtis Burnett, Murrell Measles, Billie Whitlaw and Lonnie Averbek.

MRS. A. B. HUFF HOSTESS

Gives Progressive Dinner-Party To Eight Married Couples. Saturday evening December 24 Mrs. A. B. Huff entertained with a very pretty progressive dinner party. There were four tables and they presented a charming appearance with the gay Christmas decorations. Bright red carnations formed the centerpiece for each table and the favors were tiny red baskets filled with mints. A miniature Santa Claus marked each place, covers were laid for eight couples of young married people and a most delicious six course dinner was served.

MRS. GREENWOOD HOSTESS AT SIX O'CLOCK DINNER

Saturday evening Mrs. E. P. Greenwood was hostess to a six o'clock dinner. The attractive home was decorated throughout in Christmas effects, cut flowers and ferns. Covers were laid for six couples, the places being marked with dainty cards. An elaborate ten course turkey dinner was served, after which bridge was played. The following were the party: Messrs. and Mesdames George Harrington, Strib Moore, L. M. Haynie, Griffin, W. J. Grisham and the host and hostess.

GIVES MASQUERADE PARTY

Miss Thelma Kahn is Hostess To Number of Friends. No season's festivities are complete without a masquerade and a most enjoyable affair of this sort was given Saturday evening December 27 by Miss Thelma Kahn. Speculation as to the identity of the maskers furnished amusement for some time until the masks were removed. There were a number of characters represented, clowns, black face comedians, Spanish señoritas, Colonial ladies, suffragettes, shepherdesses, Little Red Riding Hood and various others. Music was enjoyed also dancing and other amusements. A delicious luncheon was served in the dining room to the following guests: Misses Helen Hines, Helen Stone, Bernice Jackson, Bernice Sanders, Pauline Mears, Pauline Richolt, Audrey Addicks, Ethel Bean, Dorothy Beavers, Lillie Hagy of Oklahoma City, Abbie Thompson, Grace Kirley of Petrolia,

and Joe Kell, Alfred Carrigan, Jim Barnard, Joe Carrigan, William Robertson, Charlie Nolen, Ralph Pond, Lathrop Robertson, Harold Hamlin, James Martin, Williams of Fort Worth, Victor Jung, Abstin Belf, Erwin McCarter of Decatur, Clyde Smith, Leslie Stringer and Robert Avis. The guests cut for two prizes, Miss Helen Stone receiving a boudoir cap and James Martin Williams getting a box of correspondence cards.

MISS MAMIE SULLIVAN GIVES BOX PARTY AT MAJESTIC

Monday afternoon Miss Mamie Sullivan entertained a number of little people with a matinee party at the Majestic, in honor of her niece, Miss Kathryn Sullivan's ninth birthday. After the show the merry party adjourned to the Candy Kitchen where they were served with hot chocolate. They were then presented with candy canes as favors. Those in the party were: Miss Kathryn Sullivan, Misses Esmaline Dunham, Rose Kennedy, Elsie Moran, Anna Brennan, Kaye Enough, Garden, Martha and Mary Miller, Nellie McCune, Zetta Brennan and the chaperones, Misses Mamie Sullivan and Mary McCune.

MR. AND MRS. H. L. BAKER AT HOME WEDNESDAY EVE

New Year's Eve Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baker honored Miss Kathleen Stonecipher, Earl Clayton and Cliff Bullock with a most delightful reception. The reception suite was charmingly decorated in keeping with the season. The arched doorways were hung with cedar, mistletoe and other Christmas greenery, and garlands and colored lights intermingled, producing a very pleasant effect. In all of the rooms potted plants, holly wreaths, cut flowers and Christmas colors had been used to the very best advantage. In the dining room a huge bowl of sweet peas furnished the centerpiece for the polished table. The guests were met in the hall by Mesdames Little and McGregor and Miss Maude Stonecipher. Mrs. Little was gowned in lavender brocade, Mrs. McGregor in pink broadened satin and Miss Stonecipher in lavender crepe. Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Miss Kathleen Stonecipher, Earl Clayton and Cliff Bullock made up the receiving line. Mrs. Baker wore a lavender charmeuse with chiffon over draperies and Miss Stonecipher wore a creation of white satin trimmed in gold cloth. Mrs. C. W. Bean and Misses Taylor, Carver, Nolen and Jalonick were in the house party. The guests played 500 and 42. Two prizes were cut for, Miss Gibson receiving the ladies and Bobby Burns the gentlemen's. Music was furnished throughout by the band and orchestra. Refreshments of brick cream and cake were served. Punch was also served and a toast was given to "The Old Year" by Miss Carver and one to "The New Year" by Mr. Newton. The guest list included: Misses Bernice, Harding, Avis, Simpson, Jackson, Bell, Wilson, Shelton, Freear, Gaston, Kahn, Carver, Kemp, Stone, Ona Bell, Wadsworth, Jalonick, Durrutt, Lucile Durrutt, Genevieve Carver, Hart, Orth, McGregor, Kell, Nolen, Willis, Bolton, Wilkes, Reid, Jourdan, Ernst, Bertha Mae Kemp, Blair, Stonecipher, Edith Mathis, Frances Jalonick, Bess Kell, Taylor, Carrigan, Gibson, Fox, Clifton and Messrs. Donner, L. Fain, Burns, Hicks, man, Ben Bell, Gould, Brainard; Stoy, Drake, Brown, Marin, Avis, Borden, Harold Young, Thomas, Fred Blair, Clayton, Seibert, Benton, McGregor, Roach, Vance, Carter, Arnold, Boyd, Hendricks, Wood, Stone, Huff, Shaw, Stultz, Scheurer, Gibson, Donohue, Smith, Settle, Merrill Blair, Durland, Bacon, Harrison, L. R. Hays, Mrs. McGreggor, Mrs. M. Millsaps, Miss Maude Stonecipher, Mrs. Bean, Miss Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Harry May, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Little and Mr. and Mrs. Nolen.

DR. AND MRS. S. H. BURNSIDE RECEIVE TUESDAY EVENING

Of the many formal affairs held during this season none have been more complete or enjoyable than the reception given Tuesday evening by Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Burnside, honoring Miss Burnside and Miss Gaston. The decorations were exquisite, the holiday idea predominating and the Christmas motif being featured everywhere. The guests were received in the hall by Mrs. A. D. Agardson, Misses Grace Nolen and Lillian Avis and Lester Burns. The staircase was entwined with vines, cedar and mistletoe and the lights were artistically shaded with red and green. The drawing room was a perfect bow of

FORTY-TWO CLUB BANQUET IS SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR

One of the most carefully planned, elaborately arranged and successfully executed social affairs of the season was the banquet given by the members of the Forty-two Club to their wives at the Westland Tuesday evening. The banquet was planned for by the men who made all arrangements and was quite a brilliant success. The long table was beautifully decorated with the holiday idea predominating and the Christmas motif being featured everywhere. The guests were received in the hall by Mrs. A. D. Agardson, Misses Grace Nolen and Lillian Avis and Lester Burns. The staircase was entwined with vines, cedar and mistletoe and the lights were artistically shaded with red and green. The drawing room was a perfect bow of

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED IS OF MUCH INTEREST HERE

An announcement of much interest to the friends of the young people involved, is that of the engagement of Bert Brainard and Miss Katherine Wilson. Although their intimate friends have known of it for several days, it was not until today that definite announcement of the affair was made. Mr. Brainard is a member of the local oil men's colony, being manager of the Frick-Red Supply Co's stores. Miss Wilson's home is in St. Joseph, Mo., but she has spent the past two winters here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. W. McCoy, and has a host of friends here, whose heartiest good wishes are extended her. She has been a popular member of the local society set, and those who know her feel that Mr. Brainard has won a real prize. The date of the wedding has not yet been fixed. Mr. Brainard's associates in the oil colony tell the story that he asked the fateful question by telegram while in Tulsa recently, and received his an-

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swer in the same way, but this is denied by both the young people. It is known however that wire communication was resorted to before Mr. Brainard knew his fate. The marked popularity of both of the young people makes the announcement one of decided interest here, and if good wishes can bring happiness, that of Bert Brainard and Miss Katherine Wilson will be complete.

ferns, palms and other potted plants with the Christmas colors, red and green mingled wherever possible, by the lavish use of Christmas bells, holly wreaths and balls. In the receiving line were Dr. and Mrs. Burnside, Mrs. Burnside wearing a lavender brocade, entrain; Miss Alice Burnside, in blue broadened sateen, with trimmings of chiffon and seed pearls, entrain; Miss Hazel Gaston, gowned in black charmeuse, lace and fur trimmed; Mrs. Roy Stocks of Fort Worth, in a handsome blue and white charmeuse gown; Miss Lucile Durrutt, wearing Irish lace over pink messaline, trimmed in blue; Miss Lillian McGregor, in an embroidered net over pink messaline, entrain; Miss Lillian Durrutt, in pale blue embroidered chiffon over yellow; Miss Eldridge, gowned in blue brocade; Miss Mabelle Jackson in white lace and Mrs. McGregor in lavender broadened messaline, cut entrain. The gentlemen in the receiving line were: Carter McGregor, C. V. Durland and W. M. Perdy. The dining room was beautifully decorated in the same tuncne as the remainder of the house with ferns, palms, holly and bells. The table bore a lovely center piece

of fern. Mrs. D. J. White poured chocolate and the Misses Grace Nolen, Tula Stokes and Mabelle Jackson served delicious salad, wafers, chocolate, mints and nuts to the guests. A very interesting musical program was rendered, instrumental selections being given by Miss Harding of Amarillo and Miss Kathleen Stonecipher and Messrs. Durland and Harry Jones, Mrs. G. H. Carpenter and Miss Helen Riethele gave some charming vocal numbers and Miss Hart of Weatherford and Miss Mabelle Jackson gave charming readings. Those present were: Misses Lillian McGregor, Lillian Avis, Tula Stokes, Marzelle Hart, Ann Freear, Edith Mathis, Bertha Mae Kemp, Kathryn Wilson, Jewell Kemp, Fannie Hunter, Kate Stroude, Elizabeth Jourdan, Midge Rennie, Bess Kell, Della Stone, Lillian and Lucile Durrutt, Kathleen Blair, Guy Harding, Ona Bell, Grace Nolen, Agnes Reid, Frances Jalonick, Helen Jalonick, Gertrude Orth, Ann Carrigan, Ethel Cobb, Blanche Kahn, Augusta Wadsworth, June Ernst, Mary Orth, Ola Mae Hamlin, Mabelle Jackson, Kath-

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**Fourth Street Baptist Church**  
The usual services will be held at the Fourth Street Baptist church, Pastor T. E. Cannedy preaching at both hours. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Sunbeams at 3 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. There will be a public installation of the newly elected B. Y. P. U. officers at the night service Sunday school at Walnut street Mission at 3 p. m. followed with preaching by the city missionary.

**Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod)**  
(Corner Eleventh and Holliday)  
Sunday school (German and English classes) at 9 a. m. German morning worship at 10:30. Holy Communion will be celebrated on Sunday morning. Preparatory service will be at 10:00 a. m. In the afternoon at 2:30 the regular quarterly business meeting of the congregation will take place. All voting members are requested to be present. The Ladies Aid Society will have their meeting at 2:30 p. m. in the school-room. A cordial invitation extended to all to worship with us.  
C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

**First Baptist Church**  
Preaching Sunday 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. C. B. Williams of Fort Worth. Sunday school and Young people's meetings at usual hours.

**First M. E. Church, South**  
(Corner Tenth and Lamar)  
Preaching at 11 a. m. by Dr. J. L. McKee, and at 7:30 by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Seats free. Strangers welcome. No chromos.  
J. W. HILL, Pastor.

**Free Methodist Church**  
(Corner Fifth and Adams)  
Sunday school 10 a. m. Worship at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday night and singing every Friday night. Sister Wright will preach for us at 11 a. m. Everybody cordially invited.  
J. A. RAWLS, Pastor.

**Christian Science**  
This society has leased the old Christian church, building, corner 9th and Lamar. Regular services are held as follows: Sunday lesson sermon 11 a. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting 7:45 p. m. Reading room same address. Is open daily except Sunday and holidays from 2 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

**First Presbyterian church** will worship with the M. E. Church, South, corner Tenth and Lamar. Morning services conducted by Dr. McKee. Evening services by Dr. J. W. Hill. Presbyterian Sunday school will convene at the College of Music and Art at 9:30 a. m. Union prayer services Wednesday evening.  
J. L. McKEE, Pastor.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
(Corner Seventh and Lamar)  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11:00. Following the sermon the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Epworth League 6:30. Evening worship 7:30. Ladies Aid Society will be held Monday afternoon in the church parlor. This is an important meeting and every member is urged to be present. Prayer meeting Wednesday night in church parlor.  
JOSEPH E. COE, Pastor.

**Lutheran Trinity Church**  
(Fourteenth and Bluff)  
German morning services at 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. There will be no services in the evening hour, as the pastor has an appointment to fill at Seymour. The male choir will meet for practice Tuesday at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation to all.  
F. A. BRACHER, Pastor.

**First Christian Church**  
Being completed, our entire new building will be opened for public religious and educational services January 15. In the Bible school department, beginning at 9:30, there will be teachers and classes for all ages. On this date graded literature will be introduced into the junior and intermediate departments. You are requested to co-operate in making this school a success. In the male and female morning services will be 10:45, the pipe organ will begin playing at 10:40 or earlier each morning. Evening service will begin at 7:30. Supreme reverence and quiet is requested of everyone. Junior Endeavor in the basement at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor in the basement at 6:30. Evening sermon "Self-Measurement." Evening sermon "The Call of 1914—A New Year's Message." All members are urged and friends are invited to be present at all of these services the first Sunday in the New Year.  
F. E. WALTERS, Pastor.

**First Church Evangelical Association**  
(Fifteenth and Broad)  
Sunday school in both languages at 10 a. m. German preaching at 11 a. m. Y. P. A. meeting at 7 p. m. English preaching at 8 p. m. A cordial invitation to all.  
C. ERMEL, Pastor.

**MORE THAN 24 MILLION DOLLARS FOR BUILDINGS.**

Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 3.—Building permits aggregating \$24,250,000 in value were issued during 1913 in the nine principal cities of Texas (1910 population basis) according to data compiled by the Texas Business Men's Association. From reports furnished by the commercial organizations in these cities, Dallas leads with a total of \$8,439,540 and Houston is second, having a total of \$5,088,488, while Waco, which is the eighth Texas city from a population standpoint, issued permits aggregating \$2,580,318 in 1913 and took third rank. San Antonio and Fort Worth both granted more than two million dollars worth of construction licenses during the year. The total for El Paso and Galveston is a million and a half dollars each, Austin \$76,000 and Beaumont \$297,000.

Permits issued in these nine cities last year aggregated \$22,294,570.

**SOCIETY PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jones made a short visit with Mr. Jones' parents at Decatur.

A party of young people, including Misses Ann Carrigan, Lillian Avia, Genevieve Carver, Grace Nolan, Mary and Gertrude Orth and Messrs. Gould, Humphries and Jake Avia went to Electra to attend a dance Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Martin and baby son have returned to their home in Electra, after spending the holidays with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones.

Mrs. C. B. Felder and son returned last week from Terrell, where they spent Christmas with relatives. Mrs. Ida Supan and daughter, Miss Myrtle, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bachman, have returned to their home in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Dowis returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives in McGregor.

Mrs. Mary Curran and daughter, Miss Mary, are visiting Mrs. W. H. McCune.

Miss Lucille Hagy returned Tuesday to her home in Oklahoma City, after a short visit with friends.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Hartsock entertained last week with a series of informal dinner parties.

H. R. Eppler and wife and Miss Mamie Eppler have returned to Fort Worth, after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson.

Miss Mary Beacham visited friends and relatives at Cleburne this week.

Mrs. Ella Anderson and daughter, Miss Bess, have returned from a visit to Houston.

Mrs. A. J. Bennett left Wednesday for Omaha, Neb., where they will spend the remainder of the winter with relatives.

Miss Barron of Ladonia, is visiting Mrs. S. M. Foster at the Kempball.

Mrs. Ed Sanders is visiting relatives at Eastland.

Newton Maer entertained a few friends at a "stag" dinner Monday evening.

Miss Myrtice Stringer has returned to the Texas Christian University at Fort Worth, after spending the holidays at home.

Miss Frances Jalonick returned to her home in Dallas Friday night after a visit with Miss Helen Jalonick.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. Church will hold a Rally Day meeting Monday afternoon at the church parlors, corner Seventh and Lamar. Mesdames J. E. Coe and G. W. Corkhill will be hostesses.

The Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will hold a business meeting Monday afternoon at three o'clock. At two o'clock a called meeting of the Cabinet will be held.

**EXPERIENCE OF OKLAHOMA FARMER WITH FETERITA**

The experience of a Tillman county farmer, H. Mackey, with feterita, the new feed crop, is related by Mr. Mackey in last week's Farm and Ranch and may prove of interest to Wichita farmers.

Mr. Mackey writes: "I broke my land and planted with a two-row planter with disc openers. I first planted 10 acres of Kafir and then I put feterita seed in and used the same plater and planted the same depth. I got about one-third of a stand of Kafir, but got a splendid stand of feterita. I planted the Kafir a little too shallow and the seed being hard dried out before they germinated. The feterita seed being soft germinated at once.

"Now the results. The Kafir, being a thin stand, had every opportunity to head, but did not because of the dry weather. The feterita, right beside the Kafir, made a fine crop of heads and it sure did look remarkable to see the white heads of the one ready for harvest, and nothing to harvest on the Kafir.

"I consider the grain superior for all kinds of stock, as the grain is much softer, but the fodder of feterita is not so good as Kafir fodder. I should say there is not much difference between it and maize fodder. Chinch bugs will not destroy it as quickly though they hurt mine in some spots. It will mature in about 70 days if you will wait till the ground gets warm before planting. I plant and cultivate it same as Kafir and maize, and it will mature 10 or 15 days sooner than maize."

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**\$41,000 IN NEW BUILDINGS SOON**

**TWO NEW BUSINESS HOUSES ARE AMONG THOSE TO BE BUILT**

**PERMITS ARE TAKEN OUT**

**Brick Building to Be Erected at Corner of Seventh and Scott—New Residences**

During the first three days in January building permits totaling almost as much as for the entire month of December were issued. The total for the first three days of the new year was \$41,000. Of this amount \$38,000 was issued yesterday.

At least two more new buildings will be started in the business district during the coming week. One of these will be at the corner of Seventh street and Scott avenue on the lot owned by Messrs. Henderson and Bland.

The other will be on the site of the old Alamo Theatre where T. B. Noble will put up a one story brick building. T. P. Hickman who will superintend the construction of the building for Messrs. Henderson and Bland has instructions to lay a foundation heavy enough for a two-story building although it has not been determined whether the building will be one or two stories.

A number of new residences are being started in Floral Heights and it is expected that the coming week will see work started on a number of residences in the new Scotland addition.

Permits issued yesterday include the following:

Bacon, Lory and Henderson, three story and basement at corner of Tenth and Indiana, \$26,000.

Noble, Henderson and Smith, two story and basement on lot 7, block 101 on Seventh street, \$10,000.

Noble, Henderson and Smith, one story addition to building on Seventh street, \$2,000.

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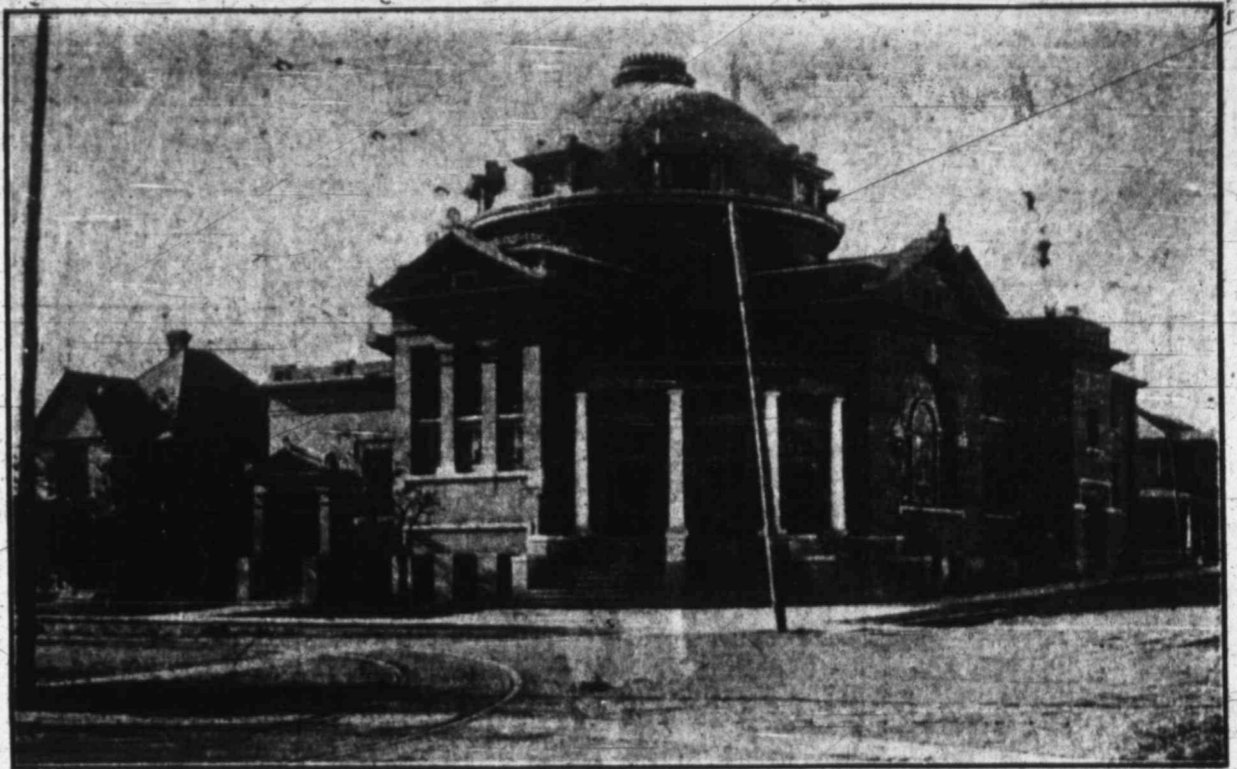
**Ordinance No. 194**

An ordinance prohibiting any person, firm or corporation from digging any ditch, erecting any pole, pipe line, wire line, or making or causing to be made any obstruction of any character, or for any purpose, in, along, upon or under any street in the Southland Addition to the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, without first obtaining an order from the City Council of the City of Wichita Falls, in regular session convened granting the permission of the Council for the doing of such work desired.

Section Two.—Penalty: Any person, firm, or corporation violating the provisions of the foregoing ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not to exceed one hundred dollars and each day such person, firm or corporation shall continue to do any act prohibited by section one of this Ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

Section Three.—The provisions of the foregoing ordinance shall not prohibit any person, firm or corporation, to whom valid franchises have been granted heretofore by the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, from using the alleys in the Southland Addition for the purpose of stringing wires, erecting, connecting pipes, etc., under the terms, provisions and restrictions contained in such franchise, where such franchise extends to the Southland Addition by its express terms.

Passed this 1st day of January, 1914. Approved and Attested: J. M. BELL, Mayor. W. A. McCARTY, City Secretary.



**First M. E. Church, South**  
CORNER TENTH AND LAMAR  
—Preaching at 11 a. m. by Dr. J. L. McKee, and at 7:30 by the pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Seats free. Strangers welcome. No chromos.  
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**ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE Chamber of Commerce?**

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### LEGAL NOTICES

Stockholders Meeting  
The annual meeting of stockholders of First State Bank & Trust Company will be held on January 13th, 1914, at the office of said bank, at 701 Ohio avenue, between the hours of 2 o'clock p. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

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Notice of Stockholders Meeting  
The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Times Publishing Co., will be held at the office of Anderson & Patterson, 616 8th street, Wichita Falls, Texas, on Tuesday, January 13th, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such other

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RECENT REBEL GAINS INDICATE ADMINISTRATION CANNOT LAST MUCH LONGER

## SIEGE OF MEXICO CITY

Possibilities of Such a Happening are Subject of Speculation in and Around the Capital

By Associated Press.  
London, January 3.—The Liberal party, which recently celebrated the eighth anniversary of its return to power, now has the honor of leading the affairs of the British Empire for a longer consecutive period than any party for nearly a hundred years. Premier Asquith has now been in office for over five and a half years, and in April next, if his government survives, he will approach the record of Lord Salisbury, whose second term of office lasted just seven years.

In his recent tour in Lancashire Mr. Asquith referred to his long term and the stormy times that his government has weathered. Certainly, it has been an almost continuous fight. Finding early in his career that the House of Lords would not pass any of the legislation that his followers had set their hearts on, Mr. Asquith, with courage which even his political opponents credit as strong, undertook to clip the wings of the Upper Chamber by restricting its power to veto. That accomplished, he set about passing the Home Rule and Welsh Disestablishment bills, which next session are to come up for the third time, and no matter what the attitude of the House of Lords is, will become law. The government will then rest to get the bill to an end to plural voting likewise passed for the third time and then go to the country for an endorsement of what it has done and a mandate to carry licensing, educational and land reform.

The Liberals, therefore, have as much work ahead of them as they have accomplished in their eight years of office.

When the party came into power in 1905, Mr. Balfour, then Prime Minister, found that by-election after by-election was going against him and he decided to resign. He chose this course instead of dissolving the House of Commons, because he believed that it would be either impossible for the Liberals to form a cabinet, on account of the split which had occurred over the South African war, or if some were formed, it would be such as would weaken instead of strengthen the Liberal party. He had been badly informed. Six months before this a meeting of Liberal leaders had been held, at which all differences were sunk and the composition of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's cabinet practically decided upon. When Mr. Balfour's resignation was announced, therefore, the Liberal leader was able to inform the King that he could accept the task of forming a ministry, which he did forthwith, and the party in the following January won an unprecedented victory at the polls.

### Pay For M. P.'s.

Paying members of parliament \$2,000 a year, as has been done under a new law during the past year, has been selected in many constituencies as a point of attack against the Liberal government, which is responsible for the act.

The usual argument is that it induces men to try to get into parliament for the money that they can make, out of it. In a few constituencies, especially some of those held by Laborites, where election can be secured without any elaborate campaign and can be held without "bussing," it is possible that the member has something left out of his salary. In the great majority of cases, however, it takes all of the \$2,000 and much more to finance an election.

A typical instance is West Herts, at present held by Arnold, the son of Mrs. Humphrey Ward, the novelist. He himself is opposed to the payment of members, while Hedley F. Le Bas, the Liberal candidate, believes that members should be paid. In a plain talk at Watford Mr. Le Bas explained why he believed in it. In the first place, he pointed out that it would cost a candidate at least \$4,000 a year. The election itself, including the returning officer's fees, which have to be paid by the candidates, would cost \$10,000, to which would have to be added the expenses of the candidate, which he estimated at \$6,000 dollars, during his four years of office. He would, therefore, at the end of four years be \$8,000 out of pocket. Mr. Le Bas added that Ward would quite easily do without his salary as the Conservative Association, of which Lord Rothschild, Lord Fisher and other wealthy men were members, contributed \$4,000 a year to the expenses of the Conservative candidate.

Some of the larger constituencies cost even more to fight. In Romford the returning officer's fees and expenses alone would amount to more than the total cost of an election in West Herts.

### Salvation Army Meeting.

The World's Congress of the Salvation Army held here, ten years ago is to be repeated next summer, but on a somewhat larger scale. Representatives of the Army from all parts of the world and of all nations to the number of several thousands will be present, and in their native costumes will make a picturesque gathering. A big corrugated iron building for the seating of 5,000 persons is to be erected on a vacant site in Aldwych, in the center of London, for the meetings.

At the conclusion of the congress, 200 of the delegates, representing as many nations as possible, will make a tour of the country. At Nottingham this delegation will take part in the

opening of the hall erected by the people of that town in memory of the late General Booth.

Representatives of the merchants and manufacturers's exchange of New York have been explaining to British exporters the scope of the tariff for the display of free import duty of goods in New York. The plan has been sanctioned by a special act of congress and the details will be supplied to the various European chambers of commerce by members of the merchants and manufacturers's exchanges now in Europe.

The American representatives in England come supplied with letters from the state department and they have been introduced at the Board of Trade, so that they will be granted every facility for getting into touch with the leading manufacturing interests of Great Britain.

### PROHIBITION CAMPAIGN IS OPENED AT SEATTLE.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 3.—A campaign for statewide prohibition was begun here today with the circulation of petitions to place the measures on the ballot at the next election.

It will take practically 6,000 signatures to bring measures before the voters, but as hundreds have volunteered to aid in the work of circulation it was believed sufficient names would easily be secured.

The measure was drawn up by L. E. Kirkpatrick who enlisted the aid of some of the best constitutional lawyers in the state so as to obviate any chance of legal complications later. It has the approval of officers of temperance and reform organizations.

### SOCIETY.

(Continued from Page Four)

Ivan Stonecipher, Carrie Kell, Eldredge and Messrs. Priddy, Burns, Roemer, Avis, Stayton, Bradbury, Miller, Dralner, Gibson, Huff, Brown, Thomas, Bradley, Mumfries, Durand, Schurer, McGregor, Sieber, Boyd, Martin, Britain, Frank, Gould, Harry Jones, Bonner, Young, Benton, Bacon, Clayton, Stone and John O'Donohue. Prof. and Mrs. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. White and Mesdames McGregor and Watts.

### "COUNTRY PARTY" GREATLY ENJOYED BY YOUNG PEOPLE

Mrs. W. F. Haid complimented Will Christensen, Robert Nolen and Wesley Waller with a "Country Party" Monday evening. The party was given in an empty house, where there was room and to spare, and a barn dance was held, with music provided by fiddlers. The guests came in country overalls and jumpers being the fashionable attire for the boys. Some of the boys had gone hunting and provided the game part of the refreshments, which consisted of duck sandwich and cider. This party was by far the most novel one which it has been this crowd's fortune to enjoy.

The guests were Misses Lodeil Haynes, Elizabeth Patterson, Gertrude Davidson, Lorna Shaw, Anita Moore, Ruth Simpson, Leila Beall Anderson, Ruth Fitzpatrick, Elsie Adele Robertson, Margaret Burnside, Dorothy Toney,

each member drawing out one gift, after all had deposited a gift there, in. A number of lovely gifts were drawn out, most of them hand made and by previous agreement among the club members they were all given to Mrs. White as a token of the love and admiration with which the club members regarded her. Mrs. Cravens made the presentation speech very effectively and voiced the regrets of the club that they must soon lose her, as she leaves soon to make her home in Dallas. The surprised hostess made response with a touching little speech. A delightful salad course was served to the following members: Mesdames Blankenship, Bolding, Baker, Harry Cravens, G. W. Filgo, E. O. Filgo, E. M. Harris, A. P. Kerr, E. L. Smith, Gebhardt, De Berry, Meredith, Stonecipher, D. J. Carithers and Miss Kerr. Guests were: Mesdames Livingston Fain and R. P. Webb.

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