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SPECIAL TRAIN TO CARRY FIGHTING PACK TO CISCO

BAND AND BIG DELEGATION OF FANS TO ACCOMPANY THE WOLVES THURSDAY

Colorado will run a special train to Cisco Thursday for the district battle with the Cisco Lobos, to be called at the football stadium in Cisco at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. It was stated Wednesday morning that between 200 and 300 tickets had been sold and the belief was expressed that 500 would accompany the Wolves for the Turkey Day game.

The special, to be an all steel train of six coaches, will leave here at 8 o'clock arriving in Cisco at 12:25 p. m. The return trip will leave Cisco at 7:30 p. m. arriving in Colorado at 11:20. Stop will be made at Loraine going and coming to pick up the delegation from there who will go with the football squad on the special.

Announcement that a special train would be run to Cisco for the district championship game was announced by Superintendent R. B. Norman of the Colorado schools and an official of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce Friday night within a few minutes after the contract had been signed with Norman for Cisco game. Colorado fans and school officials who sponsored the idea of running the train enthusiastically believed from the start that considerably more than the required number of tickets would be sold.

The keen enthusiasm which has almost universally dominated the local public will have much to do with bringing additional advertising to this city, as well as add to the already excellent moral of every member of Big Jims pack. These high school boys backed by such an aggregation of Colorado people, will enter the battle at Cisco with the determination to win and return to the home town with the greatest honor in their creditable string of winnings.

Accompanying the special will be the Colorado Chamber of Commerce Band, which, like the Wolves, are tenant holders in the West Texas district. M. S. Goldman, director of the band, announced Monday that owing to the fact several members were absent from the city he could not carry over twenty or twenty-two pieces. Some members of the band will be from Loraine, where another splendid band for Mitchell county has developed.

Stops of ten minutes each are to be made at Sweetwater, Merkel, Abilene and Baird. When these stations are reached the fans will detain and form in parade formation, with the band leading and a march extending over several city blocks will be made. This is to be done for the purpose of keeping Colorado before other Central West Texas cities and especially to let them know that we are proud of the gridster organization here.

Those who have not yet purchased tickets for the special, and desire to accompany the delegation should buy transportation certificates at once. There will be equipment ordered to care for the crowd, but the railway company must have ample time in which to assemble coaches at Colorado. A price of \$4.85 has been obtained for the round trip. Tickets may be obtained at the drug stores or from R. H. Barber, treasurer of the transportation committee.

FANS STAGE BIG RALLY ON STREET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

An enthusiastic rally of Colorado fans was announced to take place on the street Wednesday night, beginning at 8 o'clock. Those arranging the celebration announced Tuesday that several hundred people would join the throng to celebrate victories already taken by the Wolves and boost them on to Cisco for the battle with that city's strong gridster organization Thursday afternoon.

The Wiley Wolf leader, Big Jim, and his pack, high school pep squad, and the chamber of commerce band are to have a part in the rally. The jubilation will be staged at Second and Walnut streets. Every citizen of the city and surrounding country is urged to be present.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES BE OBSERVED THURSDAY

Colorado will observe Thanksgiving this year with impressive religious rites at Presbyterian church at ten o'clock in the morning. Rev. W. M. Elliott, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, is to deliver the Thanksgiving sermon. Music will be furnished by members of the several church choirs of the city.

These annual Thanksgiving services, observed in Colorado for many years, are under supervision of the different protestant churches. The services are rotated from one church to the other. This year the services are to be under auspices of the congregation of the First Christian church, with the pastor, Rev. J. E. Chase, officiating.

The city will suspend all business for the day, as has been the annual custom for many years. It was announced the first of the week that drug stores would observe the Sunday closing hours.

ALL FANS ABOARD SPECIAL TO WEAR HI SCHOOL COLORS

Announcement was made Tuesday morning that 150 yards of ribbons, from which to make lapel badges for Colorado fans accompanying the Wolves to Cisco, had been purchased. It is announced that every citizen on the train will be provided with one of these badges.

Members of the high school pep squad are directing the work of cutting the ribbons into proper lengths and making the badges. The color insignias are to be furnished with compliments of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce.

SEVERAL LORAINI CITIZENS TO SEE GAME WITH LOBOES

Several Loraine fans will accompany the Colorado Wolves to Cisco for the game with the Lobos Thursday, Fred Brown, president of the Loraine Chamber of Commerce, announced Tuesday morning. Mr. Brown stated that considerable interest in the contest had developed at Loraine.

CISCO-COLORADO GAME TO BE CALLED AT 3 O'CLOCK

The district grid battle at Cisco will be called at three o'clock Thursday afternoon, according to a wire received Tuesday from Cisco by the chamber of commerce. The stadium will be open in plenty time for the 4,000 spectators expected to enter and obtain seats before the whistle sounds.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

At 10:30 a. m. On account of court being in session at this time the Christian church will hold the Thanksgiving Service in the Presbyterian church. Rev. W. M. Elliott will preach the sermon. Every body urged to be present.—J. F. LAWLIS.

Married
At the Baptist Parsonage Sunday 2 p. m. Mr. E. L. Smith and Miss Susie Feaster. These young people live in the Buford community and are regarded as the leading young people of that community. We wish for them much happiness as they journey the path of matrimonial bliss together.

The Delphin Society met with Mrs. A. B. Blanks last Thursday. Mrs. Charlton conducted the lesson Gothic architecture. At the social hour the hostess served creamed chicken, salad, tomato aspic, sandwiches and coffee. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charlton.

SCHOOL NOTICE

The laws of the State of Texas require every child between the ages of 7 and 14 to attend the free public schools for at least 100 days. In order to comply with this law notice is hereby given that all children, white or colored, residing in the Colorado Independent School district must enroll and begin active attendance on the first day of December, 1925. By order of the Board of Trustees of the Colorado Independent School District.

MORGAN CONSTRUCTION CO GETS CITY HALL CONTRACT

BUILDING TO COST \$24,885.00 BE COMPLETED BY APRIL 15TH, NEXT YEAR

The J. M. Morgan Construction Company of Big Spring, were the successful bidders in proposals submitted to the city for erection of the new municipal building and to this company the city council awarded contract here Tuesday afternoon. Bid of the Morgan company was \$24,885, lowest submitted among five competing bidders. The building is to be completed April 15, 1926.

Other bids submitted to the city were as follows: W. A. Barber, Dallas, \$28,798.00; Jas. W. Skipworth, Lamesa, \$29,750.00; J. E. Pond, Colorado, \$28,500.00 and A. W. Balfanz and Bro., Abilene, \$27,328.00.

The Morgan Construction Company erected both bank buildings at Colorado, the Hutchinson school and several small buildings. J. M. Morgan head of the company, is well known in this city. A. W. Balfanz & Bro., submitting the next lowest bid, erected the A. J. Herrington building here last year, a \$50,000 structure devoted exclusively to automobile sales and service.

The bid of Mr. Morgan is for the building complete, including the plumbing, electrical equipment and heating. Morgan announced that construction would be commenced December 1.

COLORADO FANS DETERMINE THAT SPECIAL WILL BE RUN

When a check of tickets sold for the Colorado special was made Monday afternoon it was found that about 200 had been sold. This was fifty less than the number required to guarantee operation of the special train by the Texas & Pacific.

A party of local fans met at the chamber of commerce and with considerable enthusiasm decreed that the "Wolf Special" would be operated and in order to make this possible assumed personally the liability of financing the train.

METHODIST PASTOR RETURNS FROM TEMPLE SANITARIUM

Rev. J. F. Lawlis pastor of the First Methodist church, returned Sunday from Temple where he had gone to consult specialists at the Scott & White sanitarium. His condition is reported as having been found satisfactory. Rev. Mr. Lawlis has not been in good health for several years. Since coming to Colorado he has lost one of his lower limbs.

In absence of the pastor Sunday morning, Rev. J. M. Shufford delivered the morning sermon. There were no preaching services at the church Sunday night.

CAME TO COLORADO BECAUSE IT IS THE TOWN FOR HIM

Dr. H. H. Waddell, who recently came to Colorado from San Antonio to assume charge of the business recently purchased from Dr. C. H. Lane, declared Tuesday afternoon that he and wife had come to this city "because Colorado was the town for them."

"I am proud to become a citizen of Colorado," Dr. Waddell stated "I am going to do all that I possibly can to interest others in this city and county. I want to take out a membership card in the chamber of commerce and wish to have you know that I am ready to do my bit as a citizen."

CISCO NAMES "COURTESY COMMITTEE" FOR COLORADO

"We have designated a strong courtesy committee to arrange plans for your reception in Cisco upon arrival of the Colorado special train, and desire that every member of the Colorado delegation feel free to enjoy himself to the limit," was the message received in a telegram from J. E. T. Peters, manager of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce Tuesday.

From Sweetwater and Abilene also have come special messages welcoming the Colorado fans to these cities where short stops are to be made.

30,000 BALES OF COTTON GINNED UP TO WEDNESDAY

FIFTY PER CENT OF RECEIPTS AT THE GIN ARE BOLLIES REPORT SHOWS

A total of 30,656 bales from the 1925 crop had been ginned in Mitchell county up to Tuesday night, the weekly cotton report of the chamber of commerce issued Wednesday morning showed. This was an increase of 2,888 bales over the last report, made public Wednesday of last week, 1,379 of which were received at Colorado.

Colorado ginner reported Wednesday morning that about fifty per cent of their receipts during the past week had been bollies.

Gin receipts at Colorado for the season was placed at 16,344 bales, Loraine 9,214 bales, Westbrook 3,467 and Buford 1,631 bales.

Seed was selling at \$28 a ton at the gin Wednesday morning and the cotton market was practically unchanged from last week, middling cotton selling at from 20 to 21 cents.

School Party

The Parent-Teacher association gave a 42 party at the school house last Thursday evening. Before the games a program was given at the high school auditorium by the P. E. C. club directed by Miss Goodlett and Mrs. J. H. Guitart. This consisted of music, readings and stunts. As the crowd left the building score cards with "Boost for the school" and were directed upstairs in the grammar school building where everyone seemed to have a good time. Apple pie a la mode and coffee were served.

The Standard club met with Mrs. Riordan, Mrs. Y. D. McMurry led the lesson from Measure for Measure, and Mrs. Carter on the story of Mexico, Aztec character. Mrs. Meeks, Mrs. Hyman and Miss McKell were guests. The hostess served a lovely two course lunch.

MITCHELL DISTRICT COURT CONVENED FOR NOV. TERM

SMALL AMOUNT OF CRIME IN MITCHELL COUNTY DURING FALL SEASON.

The November term of Mitchell county court was convened Monday by Hon. W. P. Leslie, judge of the 32nd judicial district. Empaneling of the grand jury was the first action taken by the court and after delivering his charge, which included reference to law violation in a general way, the 12 men retired to begin their deliberations. The jury is composed of the following gentlemen: A. F. Bledsoe, foreman, F. P. Roney, A. J. Herrington, I. K. Gailey, C. L. Grable, E. B. Gregson, B. F. McGown, E. C. Althart, E. Barber, S. P. Carpenter, J. W. Kirkpatrick and J. W. Elliott.

Since convening court for the term Judge Leslie has been hearing divorce and other non-jury cases. J. Lee Jones, clerk of the court, announced that a total of fifteen divorce cases were pending.

Sheriff I. W. Terry and Chief of Police Dick Hickman are authority for the information that little crime has been reported in this city and county during the fall. As a usual rule, officials state, when hundreds of transients are brought here to work in the cotton fields, there develops a considerable amount of thieving, burglaries and similar violations of law. The number of cases reported to officials this fall has been well below the average.

Sheriff Terry stated Tuesday afternoon that one case of cotton theft in the county and two burglaries in Colorado had been reported at his office during the fall. Arrests were made in the cotton theft case within a short time after the offense was committed.

The burglaries, one at the J. A. Holt & Company store and the other at the A. J. Herrington building, occurred early in the fall. Much of the loot taken by thieves from the Holt store has been recovered.

CISCO TO ENTERTAIN THE COLORADO FANS THURS.

Cisco, Nov. 24.—Great preparations are under way here for the Thanksgiving Day game between the Cisco Lobos and the Colorado Wolves. This game will determine the all class championship of this district and is attracting great attention.

Colorado, although a class B school and is right at the border line between class A and B. Under "Big Jim" Cantrell the Wolves have developed into a formidable team and have hung up an impressive record.

The team has just reached the height of its power and will take the field against the Lobos in the best of condition. The team is a well balanced organization with a strong line and an unusual combination of backfield men. Two men of the backfield stand out and would doubtless make any team in Texas of any class.

These men are Flint and Gist. Flint, a big, rangy fast man, calls signals but plays more of a fullback game. He runs low and hits the line with tremendous drive and his plunges have not been stopped by any team the Wolves have met all season. He tore the DeLeon and Odessa line to shreds and his plunging has had much to do with the success of the Colorado eleven.

Gist is the other sensation in the backfield. Playing halfback Gist features in end runs and off tackle runs. He is elusive and is an accomplished side-stepper. In a broken field he is a wonder. Colorado fans are counting on the work of these men behind the big Colorado line to take them to victory.

The Lobos are still pursued by a jinx in the form of injured men. Chapman was forced to build an entirely new backfield and completely change his style of play in midseason because of injuries. Jack Daniel, one of his mainstays, who has been the only man of the backfield who has not been injured seriously in the season, is out for the remainder of year with a broken shoulder, sustained in the Lobo-Grubbs College Reserve game last week.

In addition to being a valuable offensive and defensive back, Daniel did the place-kicking for point after touchdown and his loss will be a heavy one for the Lobos. The return of Teddy Huestis is expected to compensate to some extent for the loss of Daniel and the Lobos expect to put a strong team on the field against the Wolves.

Colorado boosters will come on a special train, several hundred strong. They will bring with them their famous Colorado Chamber of Commerce Band, winners of first place in the contests at the Mineral Wells convention and designated as the official band of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Cisco citizens will be hosts to the Colorado people and it is planned to assemble a number of automobiles and carry the visitors for a trip over the city and surrounding country and for a trip to the Big Dam after which the Lobos are named. The winner of this game doubtless will be matched against the winner of the Amarillo or Fort Worth district.

Parent-Teachers Meeting

Program for Parent-Teachers association at three o'clock Dec. 1st, 1925. Every one urged to come and hear the following musical program: Invocation—Rev. Elliott. Choral Club—Selections. Kitchen orchestra—Kindergarten. Christmas songs—Group from 2nd and 3rd grades. Musical reading—Miss Blume.

J. E. Atkins of Bandera, brother of H. L. Atkins, county farm agent, is spending a visit in Colorado. Mr. Atkins states that he will probably locate at Colorado.

Ex-service men registered in the University of Texas this year number 175, whereas a few years ago there were over 1,000. Most of the world war veterans are registered for graduate work or courses in the school of law.

DRILLING PROGRAM IN NEW FIELD BEGINS THIS WEEK

LOCATIONS ANNOUNCED IN THE IATAN AND HYMAN FIELDS BY COMPANIES

This week has witnessed initial opening of the expected development program in the new field along the Mitchell-Howard county line. Locations along the trend from the Foster well to five miles from the Deep Rock test have been announced and others are to follow. Discovery of a shallow pay in the Deep Rock well, and found in the Fred Hyer well, an extension of five miles, will have much to do with development of a shallow field there.

The Fred Hyer well, in section 139 five miles southwest from the Deep Rock Hyman one, has definitely opened an extension of the shallow pay. At a depth of 1,566 feet this well is swabbing forty barrels of oil a day. The company has been ordered to shut out water, after which a more thorough test for production is to be made.

Cheate & Henshaw's O'Daniel well seven miles southwest from Foster one of the Magnolia Petroleum Company's big producer, is down 3,500 feet and is to be plugged back to 2,640 and shot. At this depth a sand believed to be good for from forty to 100 barrels of high grade petroleum was found.

The Marland Oil Company are moving rig material into location for their new test in section 15, block 17 east of the Magnolia well, Earl Morrison has completed rig at his well in section 8, block 17. The Transcontinental Oil Company announces location on their lease west of the Deep Rock well.

The California Company announces another location on their Morrison lease, section 28, at Westbrook making a total of four new locations made by them in that field during the past ten days. The company is cleaning out two recent completions preparatory to putting on the pump.

Abrams 10 of the California Company is drilling at 2,115 feet Elder 2-4 at 2,950 feet. Wontack 2 at 2,810 feet. H. C. Miller 1, cleaning out and swabbing at 3,025 feet. H. C. Miller 4-5, digging cellar. P. W. Miller 2-1, swabbing and cleaning out. P. W. Miller 2-2 standing cemented at 2,770 feet. Swenson 1 digging cellar and Adams 2-1, building rig.

"WOULD NOT MISS IT FOR TWO BIG BALES OF COTTON"

The Wolves have few, if any, more enthusiastic supporters than C. E. Way of Colorado. Mr. Way never fails to take his place on the sidelines when Big Jims pack is in the scrap. Talk about letting loose yells that would make the "welkin ring." Mr. Way holds the blue ribbon on this form of expressing approval.

When asked on the street Tuesday morning if he was going to Cisco for the game there Turkey Day, Mr. Way replied:

"Did you ask was I going? Why, my goodness, man, I would not miss that game for two big bales of cotton."

SECOND EL DORADO FIELD AT COLORADO, WEST TEXAS

HOUSTON, Nov. 19.—Colorado, out in West Texas and where they have an oil field of ever increasing proportions, is a second El Dorado, Dr. H. H. Waddell, who is moving from San Antonio to the West Texas town, declared in an address before the Kiwanis club at the Rice Hotel. "We have out there the potentialities of a second El Dorado and we want some of you fellows who represent big money to come to the golden West and assist us in developing that field," the speaker stated.

When Dr. Waddell's attention was directed to the above article here Tuesday, he remarked that two prominent Houston oil men, who were present when he delivered that address, had since made a visit to Colorado.

Mrs. D. N. Arnett has returned from her visit in Lubbock.

LORAININE NEWS

Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity

MRS. ZORA DEAN

Mrs. Dean is also authorized to receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whipple Printing Company in Loraine and vicinity. See her and take your County paper.

M. E. Church Notes

Sunday school was well attended considering the cool weather. School opened by singing hymn No. 141. Prayer Rev. Hanks. The teachers have finished their study course and received their certificates.

Rev. Hanks our new pastor of which we are so thankful was sent back to us, delivered a wonderful message taken from Exodus third chapter and 2 verse showing how God appeared to Moses through the burning bush. And how we today might see the light but let it pass by without heeding.

League met at 6 o'clock a good program was rendered. After which Rev. Hanks delivered another great message.

W. M. S. met with Mrs. Hester at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. An interesting Thanksgiving program was rendered.

School Notes

The town of Loraine is situated in the center of the richest and best developed agricultural sections of this part of the state. Loraine has experienced a steady development since founded some twenty years ago

and has a brilliant future. The town second in importance in Mitchell county is the commercial center for a territory into the west side of Nolan county.

Nineteen years ago there was not a brick building in the town, the three or four structures housing the post office and stores being of inferior construction. At that time the Texas and Pacific used a box car as a depot, and there was nothing about the place to impress visitors. With development of the rich agricultural lands surrounding Loraine, however, came a substantial development of the town and today there are more than two score attractive brick business buildings here, in addition to the number of structures of other construction.

During the past year the First State Bank, one of the strongest banks in this part of the state, completed a modern brick and stone banking house. That Loraine and the Loraine territory is in a healthy condition may be noted in the fact that bank deposits have steadily climbed to \$100,000.

Another recent addition to the town to which the people point with civic pride is the new high school building, completed and occupied two years ago. The building stands on a prominent hill in South Loraine. There are about 500 scholars enrolled in the Loraine Independent school district.

The population of Loraine is placed at more than 1,000 with the addition of new citizens continuously throughout the year. (The town was incorporated in 1916). There is a municipally owned water works plant and several blocks of hard surfaced streets. The Bankhead highway passes through the business street of the town.

For several years past the business interests have lent their full cooperation to the farmers in production of country produce. Especially are the citizens of the territory directing their attention to poultry and poultry products. Fruits and vegetables are produced in large quantities throughout the territory.

There are four modern gins in Loraine. The farming territory has produced an average of nine thousand bales of cotton annually for the past seven years. Farmers here are also finding the production of maize a profitable business. During the past six years an average of 7,500 tons of maize has been shipped from Loraine to market in other parts of the country.

About twenty years ago Mr. Tom White bought town lots here. He then sold them very cheap and a big

barbecue was given celebrating the selling of the lots. A great many people began to come to Loraine. Some people thought coal was here. After the town got on a boom they found out there was not any coal. Then people began to farm after they found this part of the territory was good farming land. Loraine now ships as much cotton as any other town her size between Fort Worth and El Paso.—Rev. Hanks talks to the student body.

After the student body assembled in the auditorium Monday morning the following program was rendered:

Reading—Clara Conoway.
Piano Solo—Maude Manly.
Reading—Lurline Britton.
Duet—Mary Nell Kimble and Rilla Thompson.

Bro. Hanks gave us a very interesting talk. It was enjoyed by all. We are always glad when Bro. Hanks visits us, and we hope he will visit us often.

Literary Society Program

The Trailblazers will render the following program Friday afternoon in the high school auditorium:

Opening song.
Prayer—Plez Beaty.
Scripture Reading—M. L. Clark.
Piano solo—Alma Ohlenbusch.
Reading solo—Nick Farrar.
Jokes—W. L. Hardin.
Class Prophecy, Edith Wilkerson.
Reading—Freddie Glass.
Dialogue—Geraldine Walker and Albert Ohlenbusch.
Closing song.

Personals

Glyn Smiley is confined to his room for another week. All the students are looking forward to the time when he can renew his school work.

Exams were in full swing Tuesday and Wednesday so that everyone could enjoy their turkey Thanksgiving.

The girls basket ball team is looking forward to a game with Roscoe next Wednesday.

The Senior Class enjoyed a great feast at Mabel Edmondson's home Thanksgiving. They were all thankful that the Lord had preserved their lives for that one day and also that their stomachs were in good condition.

Miss Harkins spent Thursday in Stephenville as a witness to the Tarleton-Grubs game. She also stopped in Fort Worth on her return Friday.

Miss Brown spent the holidays in Mineral Wells with friends and relatives.

The basket ball boys have received their suits and are anxious to display them.

Clara Conoway spent the week end with her parents who live near Colorado.

The blasting near the school house furnished amusement for the study hall as it is so "awfully quiet."

Mrs. W. S. Thomas returned from Snyder Sunday where she had been visiting her son, Marvin, and family.

A. H. Nelson, has returned from South Texas, where he spent ten days on a deer and turkey hunt. He is reported on the sick list this week; not due to an over feed on deer and turkey.

The Cash Grocery is moving this week to the new Lee building recently erected, front of the concrete filling station.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pratt and children from Abilene were Loraine week end visitors.

Mr. R. H. Spurgin and family from Cass county arrived Friday to make their home here.

Mrs. Moody Richards and Miss Mollie Davis visited out of town relatives at Lone Star, Monday.

Jeff Davis and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Snyder.

Mrs. Emma Leggett, has returned from near Roscoe where she spent last week with her sister, Mrs. A. J. Hunter, who remains very sick.

Mrs. A. A. Loftin, has returned from Cole Hill, where she went to be at the bedside of her mother who died 7th of November.

Mr. H. B. Williams and sister, Miss Thelma and Miss Juanita Cook, teachers in the Conoway school were guests of Miss Clara Conoway, at the R. L. Sutphen home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Cook from Emory visited in the A. A. Loftin home here Sunday.

Messrs. Oren and Glenn Coon spent the week end at Emory, N. M.

Mr. E. B. Gregson and family from Latah, T. G. Sweatt and family from near Westbrook visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Sloan, Grandmother Sloan, A. Phillips and wife, were dinner guests in the J. S. Sloan home at Roscoe Sunday.

Mr. Jno. W. Jones and wife parents of Mrs. N. C. Farrar, arrived from Cove, Arkansas Saturday night for an indefinite visit with her.

C. H. Manly and wife visited friends at Valley View Sunday.

Miss Gladys Spikes left Monday for Lander, where she will teach this term.

Mr. J. D. Falkner, from Cisco, was a Loraine visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and family from Colorado and Mr. N. Z. Caswell and family visited in the Jno. Johnson home Sunday.

Misses Willie and Hazel Howell, Messrs. Virgil Henderson and Virgil Bennett visited friends in Roscoe Sunday.

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FARMERS GIN NO. 2 WAS BURNED ON MONDAY NIGHT

The plant and building of the Farmers Gin No. 2 located about eight miles northwest of Lamesa in the Bartlett community was totally destroyed by fire on Monday night of this week, between twelve and one o'clock.

The plant was put in new last year and the building put up at the same time. The total cost of the gin was around thirty thousand dollars, according to C. H. McCormick, general manager of the Farmers Gins. About sixteen thousand dollars insurance was carried on the plant.

According to Mr. McCormick the gin was in operation until about eleven o'clock Monday night. Several of the employees of the gin were sleeping close by and when they were awakened the entire plant was on fire all over. It was not possible to check the flames until the whole plant was burned to the ground.

No cause for the fire has been found.

The plant was owned by a corporation of Dawson County citizens, most of whom are farmers, living in the community served by the gin.—Dawson County Journal.

The Record will pay 5c per pound for clean cotton rags.

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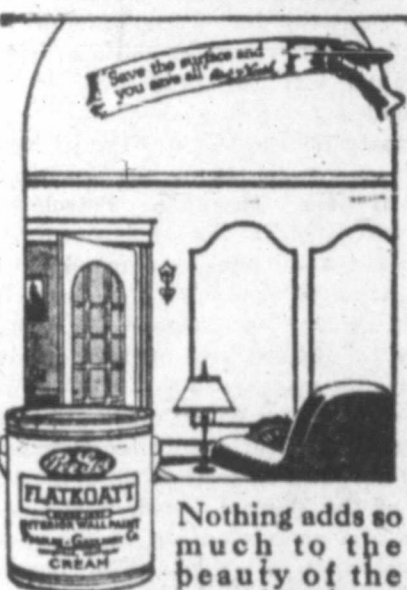
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COLORADO BECOMES 'CHESTY' OVER FIGHTING GRIDSTERS

The Wolf Special a train carrying the Colorado Wolves, "Big Jims" formidable pack, to Cisco, for the Turkey Day battle with the Cisco Lobos, will make a ten minute stop in Sweetwater and the five hundred fans aboard will detain for a parade up Oak street and about the court house square. The special is to arrive in Sweetwater at 8:45 Thursday morning.

The Colorado Chamber of Commerce Band, another pennant holder, will be aboard the special and is to lead the parade at Sweetwater. Sweetwater fans interested in a big thriller are invited to join the Colorado delegation and make the trip to Cisco, where the pigskin battle for supremacy in the bi-district will be fought at the Cisco stadium Thursday afternoon.

Colorado is becoming chesty over the continual laurels of victory brought to the home town by its high school gridsters. This is the second year for Colorado to attempt football and the winnings made are believed here to have established a precedent.

A large number of tickets for the Cisco special have already been sold, it was announced at the Colorado Chamber of Commerce Monday morning. Owing to the keen enthusiasm prevalent it is estimated that at least five hundred people will be on board when the train leaves there Thursday morning at 8 o'clock.—Sweetwater Daily Reporter.

CONTRACT LET TO WIDEN PIKE IN TARRANT

AUSTIN, Nov. 25.—The highway commission has awarded the contracts in Tarrant county for improvements of the Dallas-Fort Worth pike to the Fuller Construction Company of Dallas for the sum of \$322,084.10. The Fuller Construction Company will receive a work order not later than Tuesday to start work at once. Announcement of the award was made Monday afternoon.

Tarrant county will furnish the detours and take care of the maintenance until the road is completed without cost to the State.

LOST LOTS IN WESTBROOK

I understand that many persons are looking for owners of lots in the town of Westbrook. I am prepared to furnish the names and addresses of the last owners of any lot in Westbrook. Any person interested please see me.—Walter Phelan, Box 822, Colorado, Texas. 12-4p

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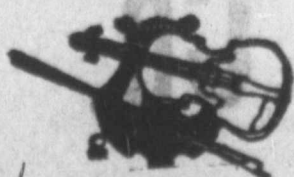
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TEXAS COTTON TO BE 4,050,000 BALES

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 25.—Based upon all the information available on November 14, the Texas cotton crop is estimated at 4,050,000 pounds of 500 pounds gross weight. Ginnings have amounted to 3,152,000 bales, or 79.4 per cent of the estimated production in running bales, compared with 4,135,325 bales ginned to November 14 last year, which was 85 per cent of the final ginnings. This is the report issued by H. H. Schultz government statistician.

Northwest: Prior to Nov. 1 only 312,000 bales had been ginned against 420,000 to this date last year and 570,000 bales prior to Nov. 14, 1924. It is estimated that in the neighborhood of 62 per cent of the crop in the northwest had been ginned prior to Nov. 14 and that approximately a third had been ginned at the time of the severe freezing weather late in October. Varying degrees of damage resulted from excessive rains and early freezes and much of the crop now coming in is of low grade. Losses this season are greater than usual, the result mainly of the earliest freezing weather in many years. With the crop two or three weeks later than usual there were many young unopened bolls, a large proportion of which might have been saved under ordinary weather conditions. Poor grades and low prices may cause considerable cotton to be left in the fields.

North: Excessive rains have impeded the gathering of the crops, and the quality is low and bolls and snaps are plentiful. Most of what remains in the fields is being pulled. With good weather some of the top-crop can still be saved, a large proportion, however, will not open. A total of 403,000 bales had been ginned prior to Nov. 1 which is 82 per cent of the expected production of this district. On the 14th there still remained about 12 per cent not gathered.

Northeast: Exceptionally heavy and long continued rains have softened bolls and damaged considerable of the open cotton. Since the rains set in late in October most of the cotton has been snapped with a resulting lowering of grade. A small crop of top bolls will be saved if the weather is favorable. Where grades are low it is felt that gathering is hardly justified. Prices are reported as from 7 to 14 cents a pound in a number of localities. Ginnings prior to Nov. 1 had totaled 585,000 bales out of a total of 657,000 expected for the season.

West and West Center: In the western counties approximately 68 per cent of the crop had been ginned prior to Nov. 14 and 84 per cent of those of the west center. Prior to Nov. 1 302,000 bales had been ginned out of 447,000 expected. If the weather remains clear picking will soon be over. The freezing temperatures caused many bolls to open. Up to a few weeks ago the quality of the staple was very good and in many communities the yields have turned out better than expected. A fair top-crop is being picked in a number of places.

Center: July rains in the drouth section gave promise of a good late crop, but excessive rains during the past month have lessened the prospects. There are instances coming to light of only one bale being expected on a hundred acres yet eight bales resulting. Low grade and off color have resulted from the hard rains and most of the remaining cotton is being pulled. Prior to Nov. 1 a total of 383,000 bales had been ginned with 135,000 still to come in. In the neighborhood of 86 per cent of the crop had been ginned prior to Nov. 14.

East: There are many unopened bolls left which may make with good weather. Much of the open cotton remaining is of low grade and some will probably not be picked. Stock has been turned into the fields in some localities. In other places, however, where a month ago it was thought that picking was over, the bolls have opened and there is more to pick. Prior to Nov. 1 a total of 287,000 bales had been ginned out of the 327,000 expected. Probably 94 per cent of the crop had been ginned by the 14th.

South: Most of the cotton was picked and ginned before the rains, stock has been turned into the fields and plowing has begun for next years crop. The season now in the ground promises well for next year. There is a small amount of top crop in various counties. Prior to Nov. 1 a total of 319,000 bales had been ginned out of the 351,000 expected. On Nov. 14 about 4 per cent still remained to be ginned.

Southeast: Leafworm, weevil and rain have reduced the top-crop very materially. The grades are very poor since the rains and only a small amount of cotton remains in scattering fields. Out of 178,000 bales ex-

pected in this district 162,000 have been ginned prior to Nov. 1 and on the 14th approximately 4 per cent remained to be ginned.

THE WHITE FILLING STATION

What has been known as the White Filling Station at the east end of 2nd street and owned by W. R. Morgan, has changed hands. Henry Vaught and Mickey Guinn are the new owners and have changed the name to the "Canteen Filling Station." These boys are well known in Colorado, are good mechanics, full of pep and will make this business go with their energy and good business methods.

ITCHING ECZEMA IS WORST OF ALL

When you go to the theatre or whenever you are near many people and begin to scratch that eczema or itching part of your body, people become uneasy while they are around you and usually show their resentment to the annoyance.

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Little Sisters.

The Little Sisters met at the home of Mrs. J. G. Merritt last Thursday. Nelda Garrett conducted the Bible study. Ruth Booher led the mission study Our Mexican Neighbor. It was decided to each one pay dues instead of trying to raise money in a public way. At the social hour the hostess served creamed salmon in patty cases brown bread sandwiches and hot tea. Exa King will be the next hostess at Mrs. Boyd Dozier's.

Home-Made Cakes

Ladies let phone 417 make your white and black loaf cakes.—Nelda Garrett. 11-27c

MAKE IT A CHEVROLET

The service promotion department of the Chevrolet Motor Company, in its work of establishing throughout the nation a uniform standard of service for Chevrolet owners, is doubling the number of Chevrolet service instruction schools.

Before the first of the year it is expected that 20 of these schools will be in operation. Through their painstaking instruction of mechanics foremen and proprietors of Chevrolet service stations the schools are assuring to every Chevrolet owner the highest degree of continued driving satisfaction.

J. P. Little manager of parts and service for the Chevrolet Motor company, has joined and co-ordinated the field force of his service promotion division, with the service schools. Formerly the two were operated independently. Now 75 men are engaged in the joint work of school instruction and service promotion.

Separate courses of one week each are given at the service schools for Chevrolet mechanics, service foremen and service station owners. The mechanics work under skilled instructors in model shops. Using precision equipment, they are shown the quickest and most efficient manner of doing all servicing operations. The course for service foremen is slightly more comprehensive, while that for service station owners goes into such details as shop layout, service department administration, maintenance of parts stocks the flat rate system, account keeping, etc.

"The service schools and the service promotion department work hand in hand" said Mr. Little. "A dealer, having seen a model Chevrolet shop in operation at the school, usually is already 'sold' when a service promotion representative later visits him and suggests that he rearrange his service department in accordance with one of the several Chevrolet model plans and install the latest specially designed Chevrolet precision tools. He knows that the move will reduce his costs and increase his business."

If a dealer wants a model service department, the service promotion representative directs the work without charge and remains until it is installed and in satisfactory operation. So many dealers have entered requests for the model service stations that the department is several weeks behind in the work of installation."

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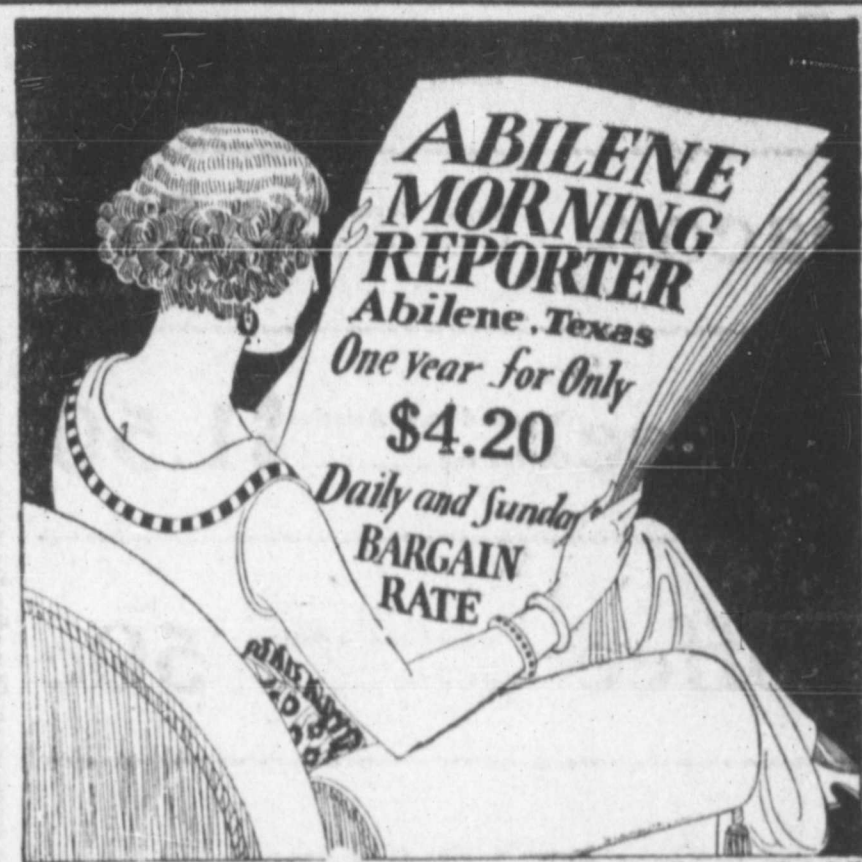
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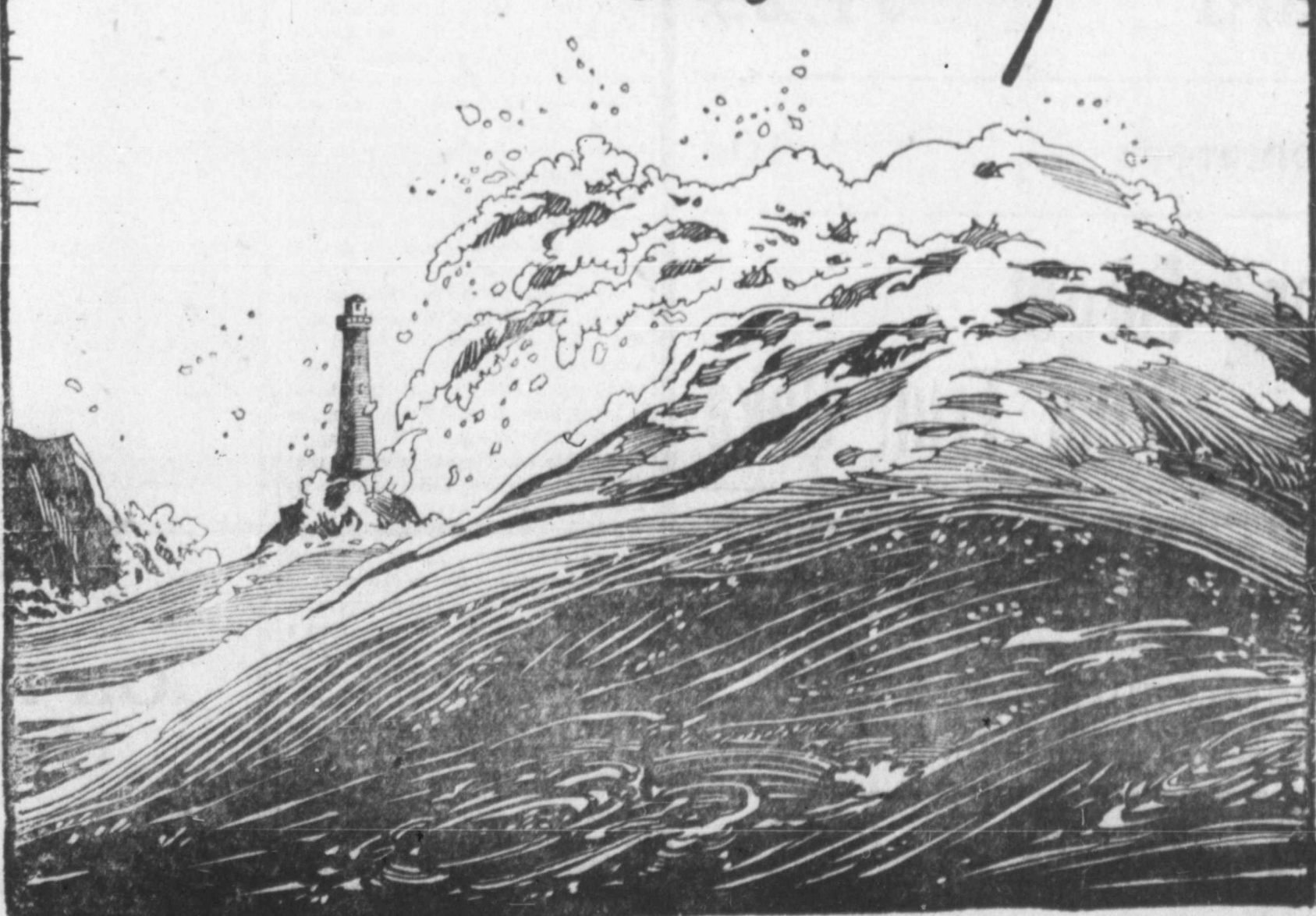
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Catsup 1 pint Gold Bar Cat. sup for **23c**

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BEAL'S



CHURCHES

Baptist Notes

Just a word to invite you to meet with us next Sunday. Here is wishing for you all a good Thanksgiving. Remember Him who gives you the blessings of life.

Sunday missionary services at 7:00 Wednesday evening services 7:15 o'clock.—M. C. BISHOP, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Epworth League 6 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Prayer services Wednesday 7 p. m. Everybody invited to our services.—J. F. LAWLIS.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school at 9:45. J. M. Thomas superintendent. We had a splendid attendance last Sunday. However some of our regulars were not there. We are sure they had a reason and not an excuse. We are looking for them and you next Sunday.

Worship and sermon at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.

You are invited to attend all our services. Thanksgiving service at our church.—W. M. ELLIOTT, pastor.

Church of Christ

(Corner Second and Locust) Bible class 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Breaking bread 11:45 a. m. Evening gospel service 7 p. m. Young Peoples Study 5:45 p. m. Week day meetings: Ladies Bible class, Monday 3 p. m. Mid-week Devotional Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Childrens Bible Drill, Saturday 4 p. m.

Last Lordsday was decidedly the best day we have had since I came, with every available seat taken at both services. Next Sunday our splendid church home will be finished and we plan a service that is calculated to rededicate the church (not the material building I Cor. 3:9., Heb. 3:6) to God. The subject for the morning hour "The Jerusalem Church". We expect all the members to come and do cordially invite the public to be our guest.—J. D. Harvey, minister.

THE MORALE OF THE CHURCH.

This is a great word. During the war much was said about the morale of the army. That indiscribable something was very necessary in order to win the victory. If it run low the enemy prevailed. As long as it was high everything went well. Everything must have a morale. Business is good as long as the morale is good. Panics are caused because the financial morale runs low. Folks get to thinking below par about finances. The panic of 1907 was brought by folks thinking below normal about the conditions of the financial world. The "whoop-em up" method may not sound sensible but it helps carry things over, all right. We may talk about enthusiasm, or pep, or anything else you may happen to think of that causes folks to act in a forward manner and there is a great deal to it all.

Now come to the question of the morale of a church. What is it anyway? It is that something which the army needed so badly they felt they could not possibly get along without it being high. It is the inside pep, or the spirit that boosts. It is that spirit that holds together. It is really that feeling that makes folks want to do whatever they are supposed to do. Whenever that spirit runs low the job won't get done. The church must keep its morale high. In the army if a fellow talked things down and tried to discourage others he was given a dose of army powders that helped readjust his notions about the job he was supposed to be doing. If he failed to function in matters pertaining to the task he was assigned to perform an officer gave him some wholesome advice that affected his disposition thereafter. In other words he could not do any way and pass unnoticed. He was supposed to keep step in drill, in purpose, in talking, and in any other way that would help the fellow next to him. The church needs to understand that each member should keep step with the great plans and purposes of the army of Jesus Christ. Has any soldier of Christ a right to break step with the onward movement of the kingdom? Has he any right to fail to answer roll call every Sunday? What would have been the result during the war had some lover of freedom taken unto himself the privileges some of our church members take today? To stay away from drill practice, fail to respond to roll call about four times out of five. Refuse to do whatever the Captain ordered done. The morale of that soldier would have been changed

in a short time. We are soldiers of Christ in a war just as great as were the boys over there. We are, honor bound to do whatever the church stands for the same as were they to obey orders from their superior officers. Christ said if we fail to do whatever we know we should do as Christians we will be chastened for it.

Some ways by which we can help keep up the morale of the church we belong to:

1. Take our task seriously. The soldier believed he was to fight for our Uncle Sam. It was not a light thing with him to be a soldier. It meant life or death to him. He surrendered to stay or go anywhere, it made no difference to him. He felt he belonged to the government.

2. Feel we are honor bound to stand for what our church stands. The boys in France would have felt forever disgraced had they gone over and fought with the enemy as much or more than they fought for America. Suppose they would stand and argue about it and say: "We don't see any harm in fighting with the enemy," they might have said, "they are as good people as we are and conscientious as we are." They would have broken the morale of the army and would have received severe punishment for same. Yet, in the army of the Lord we have but little sense of honor about the morale of our army. Members will mix with the enemy and join in with them and spend more time fighting against Christ's cause than they ever spend for Christ.

3. Support the church. So many during the war made strong sacrifices for the army because great principles were involved. Folks were forced to buy bonds, stamps, and contribute in various ways. Was that any more important than for soldiers of Christ's army to support it? We need to pray for the church. Work for new recruits. Contribute of our means to the various causes it stands for.

4. Keep the church clean. The unclean soldier was a detriment to the army. He was an expense. His disease was liable to contaminate others and lower the fighting power of both. The unclean church member lowers the fighting power of himself and complicates others. Many were the times it was necessary during the war to put soldiers in the detention camps. They were not fit to fight and cases. For the sake of the morale of

they would spread the infectious disease the church it often becomes necessary to eliminate members. Paul gave advice about that matter.

So brethren, let's keep up the morale of our churches if we expect to do any special good in fighting for the Lord.

FEEDER LAMBS BRING \$13.75

Feeder lambs sold Monday at the best price of the season. A shipment consisting of 404 head, averaging 61 pounds, brought \$13.75. They were in the fleece and were an exceptionally good grade. Quality was an outstanding factor.

T. E. Greer of Snyder, the owner of the lambs, accompanied the shipment to the Fort Worth yards. He was highly elated with his sale, as made by the Evans-Snyder-Buel Company of Texas.

Greer agrees with the general public, that the sheep men are enjoying a period of exceptional prosperity. For several years they have made good money in the business, and the outlook he says, is for continued success for years to come.

Miss Mae Goodiet, English teacher in Colorado High School, left Wednesday night for Dallas to attend the State Teachers association meeting.



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a Good Guy."

SOCIETY

T. E. L. Class.

Mrs. Way and Mrs. Bishop were
co-hostesses at Mrs. Way's last Thurs-
day to the T. E. L. Class. At the busi-
ness session an interesting time was
had planning for enlarging the class
and increasing the interest. This class
has increased in attendance. In the
last few months and the officers say
this is only the beginning. Mrs. C.
P. Gary was elected second vice pres-
ident and Mrs. Lee Jones third vice
president. The hostess had prepared
a unique contest for the social hour
which was very much enjoyed. Chick-
en salad, olives, sandwiches, cake and
hot chocolate were served. Mrs. Lee
Jones and Mrs. T. B. Russell will be
the next hostesses. Miss Coral Bishop
was a guest.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The Auxiliary to the American
Legion met at the hut Saturday after-
noon with the president, Mrs. Mer-
ritt presiding. Besides the routine
business, the treasurer reported all
obligations met and a good report
from the poppy sale. A gift of the
Gold Book to the ex-service men at
Kerrville. Captains were appointed
for the membership drive which is
now the big thing authorized by the
State president. Mrs. Roscoe Dobbs
and Mrs. Williams were the captains
and they chose sides and the work is
to begin immediately.

CHRISTMAS SEALS.

Plans are now under way for the
1925 Christmas Seal sale, which will
be directed locally by the County
Federation of Woman's Clubs, ap-
pointed to manage the campaign by
the Texas Public Health Association.
The sale will open officially through-
out the State on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Ed Jones, chairman, in speak-
ing of the sale today, said: "I wish
we might see a 'for health' Christmas
Seal on every letter and package that
is mailed in our community during
December, sending out the news that
we are doing our share in the cam-
paign to wipe out tuberculosis, and to
make the State slogan 'Health for all'
a reality. Christmas Seals make pos-
sible a public health program in our
country, returning many times to
each one their investment in the pen-
ny seals through improved community

health. The purchase of these seals
is not charity, for the little stamps
are as attractive as any one can buy
to decorate Christmas packages and
letters, and are at the same time
an investment in self-protection, be-
cause until tuberculosis is entirely
controlled no one is absolutely safe
from the disease.

"The Christmas seal sale is one in
which every man, woman and child
can help and by each buying a few
seals we will be able to raise a fund,
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health lectures, the purchase of
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Monday and
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own town."

"Let's all buy and use Christmas
Seals to our limit and place our com-
munity high on the list of towns
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this life-saving work."

Circles Meet.

The Baptist women met in Circles
Monday for study. Circle No. 1 met
with Mrs. Lasky and studied 2 Corin-
thians. There were seven present.
Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. J. R. Sor-
rels, Mrs. M. C. Bishop led the lesson
from All the World. There were six
present. Circle No. 3 met with Mrs.
Way. Mrs. Whipkey conducted the
lesson in the Old Testament. Circle
No. 4 met with Mrs. J. H. Greene.
The lesson in The People Called Bapt-
tists was led by Mrs. A. H. Simon.
Next Monday there will be a joint
meeting of all the missionary societies
at three o'clock at the Methodist
church.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. J. A. Pickens entertained a
crowd of little boys and girls Satur-
day-afternoon honoring her son, Sep-
ton's 12th birthday. After games the
birthday cake was cut with much in-
terest to see who would get the dime
and other articles hidden in it. This
was served with punch.

Hesperian.

The Hesperian club met with Mrs.
Merritt in business session. The sec-
ond vice president, Mrs. Jesse Gage
presided. Committees were appointed
to visit the adopted rural schools and
to take magazines. Miss Jones and
Mrs. Whipkey gave a report of the
food demonstration recently given by
Miss Blair. The club went in a body
to the hut to a reception given for
Mrs. R. Q. Lee. The meeting this
week will be with Mrs. Sam Majors.

The Shakespeare.

The Shakespeare Club met with
Mrs. J. H. Greene. Mrs. Charlton led
the lessons from the Mentor and
Richard the Third. Mrs. Reese, Mrs.
Russell of San Saba and Mrs. Walter
Whipkey were guests at the social
hour. The hostess served a plate lunch.
Mrs. Lupton will be hostess this
week.

Bridge and Forty-Two.

Misses Hazel Costin and Clippie
Bennett entertained with bridge and
42 at the Legion hut last Thursday
evening. The decorations were ferns
and baskets of roses and chrysanth-
mums. There were seven tables of

players. The hostesses served creamed
chicken, peas in potato nests, olives,
hot buttered rolls, and coffee. The
plate favors were little ivory figures.

At Home

Mrs. J. Ralph Lee was at home to
the friends who had called on her
honoring Mrs. Randall a friend who
has recently moved here from Chi-
cago. Autumn leaves and fruits
were the decorations. The tea table
was especially pretty with its lighted
candles and baskets of fruit sur-
rounded with autumn leaves on a
mediera center piece.

Mrs. Broadbuss assisted the hostess
in receiving the guests. Mrs. Dewey
Tidwell poured tea. Sandwiches, ol-
ives and tea were served to fifty
guests.

Missionary Meeting

The regular missionary meeting of
the Methodist church was held at the
parsonage Monday with the president
Mrs. Leslie, presiding. Good reports
came in from all departments. The
social service chairman gave a report
of the meeting recently held in Dal-
las and gave an outline of the plan of
work for the year. Plans were com-
pleted for the joint missionary pro-
gram at the Methodist church next
Monday at 3 p. m. A box of linen
is to be sent to the Scarritt Training
School before Christmas. The pro-
gram was on the work of the young
people, the co-operation of the moth-
ers. Mrs. Merrell had an article on
our foreign sisters. Mrs. Leslie read
a letter from a Jewess telling of her
impressions of America.

Entertain at Hut

On last Thursday evening a de-
lightful bridge and forty-two party
was given by Misses Hazel Costin and
Clippie Bennett at the Legion hut.

A profusion of beautiful yellow
and red chrysanthemums were ef-
fectively used in decorating the
rooms where the tables were arrang-
ed, eleven in number.

After the games the hostesses, as-
sisted by their mother, served a de-
licious plate luncheon of cream
chicken in patty cakes, English peas
in potato nests, cheese straws, hot
buttered rolls, jelly, olives, fruit
cake and hot coffee with whip
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Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
1894	1.08	.02	1.42	2.01	5.01	1.57	1.77	0.97	1.93	.45	.59	.22	22.52
1895	.20	.85	5.05	2.71	2.73	2.46	4.29	4.07	3.71	1.99	1.74	.37	29.85
1896	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	0.91	2.12	3.15	7.82	2.95	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1897	.21	.04	.34	2.18	2.33	9.42	.15	.17	0.63	1.93	.44	.22	22.76
1898	.45	.08	.33	5.73	0.61	.52	3.71	1.22	1.54	.02	1.71	.11	21.62
1899	.08	.22	.37	.94	1.33	.01	2.75	1.09	1.18	1.23	4.65	.11	13.26
1900	.20	.48	.90	1.40	.13	.16	1.14	.90	5.53	.88	.11	.42	11.42
1901	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	.07	.12	2.53	2.97	2.11	.46	2.90	.19	19.99
1902	.10	.90	1.11	.39	1.67	1.98	2.92	.46	1.92	.46	1.56	.11	12.11
1903	2.17	.40	2.07	1.75	1.30	2.77	2.09	.16	.29	2.75	4.57	.23	23.33
1904	.15	.40	3.83	5.37	4.79	2.75	5.85	.70	5.75	.51	1.53	.11	31.98
1905	.17	.21	2.15	5.00	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.96	6.56	2.85	.43	.22	32.34
1906	.08	.08	.84	2.22	1.72	.11	.38	.58	.62	.99	.30	.31	7.54
1907	.11	.11	.15	.47	.14	1.55	.27	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	4.47
1908	.15	.47	.11	.59	2.28	3.48	.74	.24	.90	2.56	.51	1.56	14.56
1909	1.19	.24	4.48	2.46	2.19	6.31	7.04	1.93	3.74	5.28	.55	.25	36.28
1910	2.11	.49	.16	.11	7.94	5.60	.27	7.07	3.31	2.04	2.09	.37	32.01
1911	.26	.39	1.48	.42	.57	4.99	.48	1.09	2.27	.11	1.61	.22	12.81
1912	.73	.17	1.27	12.28	4.90	2.65	.14	.21	.7	.81	1.61	.22	25.07
1913	.75	3.35	1.79	3.78	3.64	3.13	.13	1.70	2.15	5.32	1.62	1.95	28.61
1914	.09	.10	.00	.94	5.11	.74	1.26	3.25	4.52	2.63	.03	.54	19.51
1915	.24	.02	.34	3.47	3.66	.81	1.78	1.79	3.66	2.49	.11	.17	17.92

Cotton, Bales Per Year

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Prayer—Lord, we know not what a day may bring forth, but we believe in Thee and commit our way to Thee, assured that Thou knowest all the way, and will guide us.

LET US BE THANKFUL

Of all people who are so fortunate as to call themselves Americans, there are few, if any, communities in this republic in which the citizenship has been more peculiarly blessed during the past year than we of Mitchell county. We have made another good crop for which hundreds of thousands of dollars have been received, in addition to the oil industry, an asset bringing some two millions of dollars annually into this county. In so far as the material things of life are concerned, we

have at least received our share.

We have suffered no pestilences and the general health of the people was never better. From any angle to be considered, the people of Colorado and Mitchell county have everything to be thankful for.

After taking an inventory of all these good things, should we not join seriously into the spirit of Thanksgiving? Providence has abundantly blessed us and it would be inconsistent for us to forget to stop for the day the busy marts of commerce and business routine and turn our minds and hearts to the Creator of mankind, with an honest devotion to Him pervading our whole being.

BE COURTEOUS

Colorado has won for herself the distinction of being a city in which that typical Western hospitality always dominates. This is as it should be and is a characteristic which has contributed much to the general program of bringing new citizens and new industries here.

On the visit to Cisco Turkey Day, when our football team is to battle with the Cisco Lobos, let us not fail to maintain this most creditable record. "Be courteous to the splendid city whose guests we are to be, with special reference to the members of their team. Be a good sport, and when the Lobos are entitled to plaudits, turn loose and help the other fans give it to them.

This editorial does not attempt to suggest that any of us is to slacken his enthusiasm for the Wolves. He would not be a good Colorado citizen who would do that thing. Give Big Jim and his boys the very best you have, but don't forget to be courteous.

At Saints Episcopal

As extensive interior work is being done on the church, as well as exterior improvement, evening services of All Saints Mission (Episcopal) were held Sunday at 7 p. m. Mrs. C. M. Adams, Reverend Stedman visited Sweetwater in the morning mo-

toring here in the afternoon to fill his regular appointment.

Rummage Sale a Success

The women of the Episcopal church desire to thank the public for patronage given their rummage sales on the past Saturdays. The first day about fifty dollars was made on the rummage sale. The next week, about forty eight dollars was cleared from the remainder of the sale together with a market and coffee and sandwiches.

Harmony Club

Mrs. W. L. Boss entertained the Harmony club Tuesday afternoon. She had as special guests the members of the Hesperian club and several other neighbors and friends, enough to make twelve tables. The refreshments were white cake, fruit cake and cherry ice cream moulded in the shape of a turkey. The favors were rose buds stuck in his majesty the turkey. Mrs. Landers will be the next hostess.

Auction Sale

The women of the Christian church will hold another auction sale on the lot south of the chamber of commerce Saturday Nov. 28th.

Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. Bob Thompson and Mrs. Clay Smith entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. W. J. Thompson for Mrs. Holland Sargeant (nee Miss Annie Mary Mann) Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.

The decorations were Thanksgiving emblems, autumn fruits, flowers and turkeys. The Thanksgiving idea was carried out through all the program.

The guests were greeted by Mrs. W. J. Thompson and the receiving line was composed of the hostesses, the honoree, Mrs. Charles Mann, Mrs. Sargeant, Mrs. Bert Trammel of Sweetwater, Mrs. Landers, Misses Lena Smith Maud and Lottie Pritchett. A program of music and readings was given by Mrs. Ross Dixon who sang "Sing Me Loves Lullaby", a reading by Miss Webb, aesthetic dance by little Ailene Carey, reading by Miss Lila Merle Johnson, a piano solo, "Blessed be the Tie that Binds" Mrs. Bradford Landers.

The lights were then turned off and the dining room doors opened which was lighted by candles and after the Pilgrims Prayer of Thanksgiving by Hiram Mann and Winnie Francis Vaughan the guests entered. On the table were shocks of grain, a mammoth pumpkin in which were stored many dainty beautiful and useful gifts for the honoree. Mrs. Bradford Landers toasted the bride. Miss Eleanor Thomas the groom and Miss Lillian the girls left behind. And the gifts were then presented by the Puritans. Miss Bernice De-

Thanksgiving Greetings

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Hot chocolate and angel food were served by Misses Virginia Thompson, Charlene McComb, Katherine Price, Christine Little and Margaret Mann to one hundred guests.

Just received another lot of Perfect Phonograph Records including "Death of Floyd Collins" "Wreck of the Shenandoah." Only 50c at Bernmans Variety Store.

Christmas Cards at Record office.

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LOST—White gold wrist watch on white gold link band. Return to Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett, Reward. 1tc

LOST—Strayed from my pen here in Colorado, a large red sow. Will pay for information! She is somewhere in Colorado. Report to Phone 437 or see R. L. Mitchell. 1tp

FOR SALE—I have for sale 3 good brood sows and 1 boar all full blood Poland China. Also 5 head of good work mules all broke and gentle. Will also sell my farm implements, wagons, planters, go-devils, etc. Closing out at bargain prices and terms to responsible parties. Phone 9029-L & 2S or see H. H. Callan. 12-11p

FOR SALE—Bundle kaffir corn and sorghum all cut just before the frost see Charles Womack at Cuthbert. 12-4p

OIL ROYALTY FOR SALE

An undivided 1/4 interest in 480 acres. Oil well being drilled on land adjoining. Price \$10.00 per acre. If interested write Walter Phelan, P. O. Box 822, Colorado, Texas. 12-4p

WANTED—Odd jobs of carpenter work. Drop card to or call on R. O. Holcomb, upper apartment, Dolman Apartment House. 11-27p

POSTED—To hunters and all trespassers, all lands owned by W. L. Foster, near Iatan are posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted.—E. B. Grigson, Mgr. 1tp

POSTED—All lands known as the Landers Bros. Ranch are posted according to law against all trespassers and especially hunters. Take warning and stay out.—Landers Bros. 1tc

POSTED—My pasture, 25 miles S. W. of Colorado is posted according to law and all bird hunters and trespassers must stay out.—F. L. Terry. 11-11p

FOR SALE—Four new five room houses near school buildings for sale worth the money. Will sell on terms. See W. E. REID, at Record office. 2-15-26

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WANTED—A boy going to school wants a place to live, will do all the work around the place can, milk, etc. Write P. O. Box 311, Colorado, Tex. 12-4p

WANTED—Quilts or blankets to wash. I have a special machine for this work. Leave and receive on Saturdays, at Mrs. Edwards, dressmaker, 25c per quilt.—Mrs. S. D. Allen. 12-4p

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FOR SALE—162 acres of land good farming or pasture in S. E. corner of Borden county. 25 miles N. W. of Colorado City, joining Reynolds ranch on north. If interested write Mrs. J. J. Mitchell, Gurdan, Ark. 12-11p

Celuloid! Celuloid! Sewed in your curtain at a small price. Roberts Top Shop. 12-11c

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FOR SALE—A good used second-hand wind mill and copper tank, also well casing, will sell at bargain. See Miss Isla Tilly at Herrington's. 12-4c

WANTED—Clean rags at The Record office. Five cents per pound. Wool or flannel not acceptable.

TO DRILL YOUR WATER WELLS For a quick water well any depth, anywhere see Claude Bell, Westbrook Box 26. Phone 29. 12-4p

POSTED—According to law all lands belonging to Byron Byrne and Son is posted against hunting, fishing and trespassing by Byron Byrne and Son Son. 11-27p

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FOR SALE—Fine business lot for sale. On corner opposite the new \$30,000 city hall. This is a good buy. 25x140 feet paved on both sides. One half cash, terms on balance.—J. B. Pritchett. 12-15-26

FOR SALE—3 lots corner of Elm and 8th street. Facing H. P. Ragan home. \$1500.00. Terms. J. E. Stowe, care of Ed. S. Hughes Co., Abilene, Texas. 11-27p

POSTED by law all the lands owned and controlled by Northcutt and Son against all trespassers, especially hunters. You must stay out or be prosecuted. Lands near Spade. 12-11p

FOR SALE—5000 bundles of good red kaffir corn, good large bundles will sell cheap. Phone 9029F3 or see R. C. Moore. 12-4p

TAKEN UP—One mouse colored mule about 14 hands high and 12 year old. Come to my pasture Nov. 17th get information from R. A. Looney, Colorado Rt. A. 1tc

FOR RENT—Two store buildings fronting on Second street, main thoroughfare of city. C. H. Earnest, over Colorado National Bank. 1tp

FOR SALE—A good 9 room house and four lots in suburbs of Colorado. Modernly equipped. For sale on good terms. See John Smith at Toler Motor Co. 12-27c

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FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Reds. Young hens. The very best. Phone 9032F4 or see J. F. Clayton. 11-20p

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POSTED—According to law all lands belonging to the Wuljens, against hunting, fishing and wood hauling.—J. D. Wuljens and sons. 2-15p

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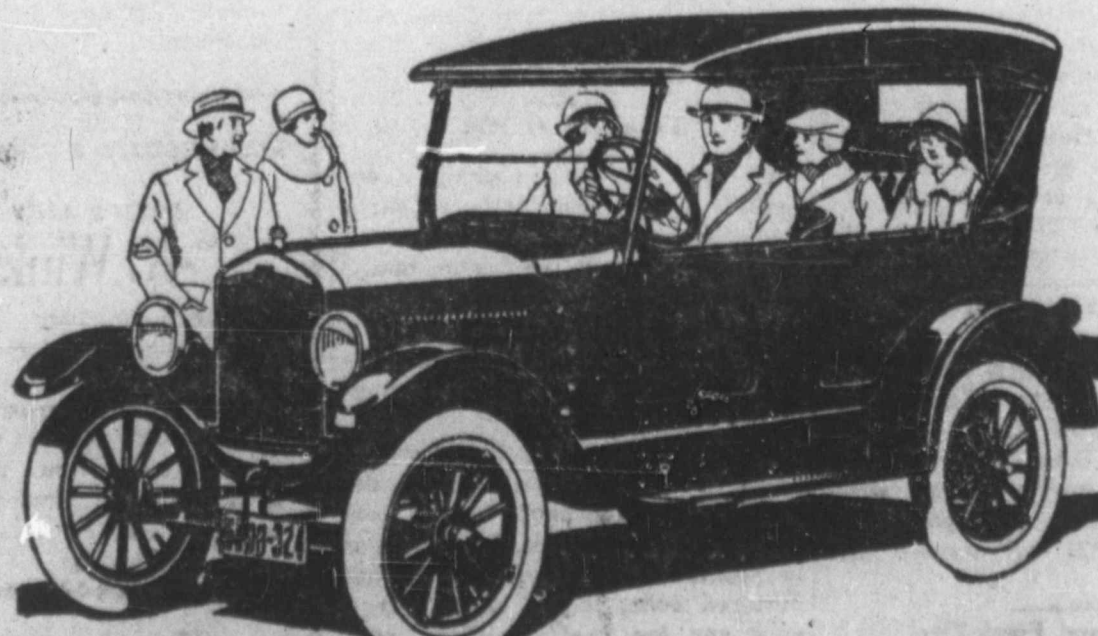
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The library was very inviting with baskets of chrysanthemums on the mantel and books and a vase made the center piece on the tea table. A bright fire burned in the fireplace which completed the cheerful and homey appearance. Mrs. Broadus and Mrs. Thompson introduced the guests to Mrs. Lee. Mrs. Jim Johnson, Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. W. R. Douglass and Mrs. A. L. Whiskey poured tea during the hours while Mrs. L. B. Collier, Mrs. Bill Broadus, Mrs. Roy Dozier and Mrs. Jess Gage served it accompanied with little cakes. Mrs. Guitar, Mrs. Norman, Mrs. Lockhart and Mrs. Oscar Majors gave a very enjoyable musical program.

Mrs. Frank Gary of Big Spring, Mrs. D. H. Burney of Fort Worth and Mrs. Fletcher Etheridge of Los Angeles were out of town guests.

CARD OF THANKS

We are profoundly thankful to the many warm friends of our dear mother who so well aided and assisted her and us during her recent illness and came to our comfort during the dark hours following her death. May the blessings of God repay each of you a hundred fold for all those acts of friendship.—J. M. Dorn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Gainey have returned from a hunting trip in the Davis mountains. They report a very pleasant trip but don't have much to say about the game they (didn't) kill.

Christmas Cards at Record office.

Mrs. J. E. Lasseter has been quite sick for the past few days but we are glad to say that she is much improved at this writing.

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DAN MOODY HAS 200 STUDENTS IN SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Austin, Texas, Nov. 25.—With a membership and steady attendance of 200 University of Texas students in Dan Moody's Bible class, the class officers are making a drive to boost the attendance to 350 members, according to J. B. Petty of Austin, president of the class. Beginning last February, this Methodist Sunday school class has steadily grown to its present size, according to Dr. W. A. Felsing, superintendent of the Sunday school. At a recent committee meeting the officers decided to divide the members of the class into two groups, known as the orange and the white group, and last Sunday a contest was started to get new members. At the end of the drive the losing group will entertain the winners with a social affair at the Wesley Bible Chair. Paul C. Ferguson from Houston has been appointed captain of the white group and Burnice Bedford from Austin, captain of the orange group. Novel entertainments, such as a party given recently at which everything was done backward, from an important part of the work of the class in holding the members together, it is said.

Carbon paper at Record office.

WHAT'S DOING IN W. TEXAS

Lampasas—The Heart of Texas Band Association met recently in Lampasas with an estimated visiting attendance of 2,000 people. Seven towns were represented with their bands, all arriving before the noon hour. A barbecue was served to the visiting crowd by the Lampasas municipal band. Each band rendered an individual concert consisting of three or four numbers, after which a massed concert was given under the leadership of T. L. Callaway of Brady, with more than seventy-five musicians participating. The association will hold their next meeting in Mason in March.

Slaton—More than one hundred business men and their wives attended the annual meeting of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce recently held at the high school auditorium. Many interesting and valuable talks were made also the election of six additional directors to the Board.

Midland—President R. Q. Lee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be the guest of the Midland Chamber of Commerce on the night of November 23rd. Farmers have been especially invited to hear Mrs. Lee's diversification address. Mrs. Lee, who has a special message for the ladies and E. H. Whitehead, publicity manager of the West Texas

Chamber will accompany Mr. Lee.

San Angelo—A contract for the construction of the seven-story annex to the St. Angelus Hotel has been awarded here. There will be eighty-four bedrooms, each with private bath making a total of 209 rooms for the hotel. The annex, when completed will cost around \$125,000.

Sonora—A semi-annual rodeo on December 24, 25 and 26 is now being planned by W. R. Barnes of the Sonora Park association. Some of the best rodeo performers in the country have signified their intention of being on hand for this event which will include wild cow milking, goat roping, steer bulldozing, riding outlaw horses and many other forms of amusement that will be arranged.

Clyde—A farmer living near Clyde gathered 211 bushels of Porto Rico Yams from one acre of land. The land was fertilized some but the potato plants received no special cultivation. With yams selling around \$1.00 per bushel the crop is somewhat a profitable one.

Childress—Alderman Jno. R. Scott is advocating another municipal bond issue at Childress for additional sewerage and paving. Childress' growth is so rapid that more than 300 new homes need sewerage connections.

Goree—The Knox County Commissioners have again taken charge of the highways of Knox County and are using county machinery on state highways.

Big Lake—Motor trains, carrying passengers, mail and express, replaced steam passenger trains on the Orient Railway between San Angelo and Fort Stockton beginning November 16. Also new fast motor car services was re-arranged between November 16. Also new fast motor car services was re-arranged between San Angelo and Big Lake and Best in the heart of the Reagan County oil fields.

Bledsoe—Cochran County News is the name of the newest paper on the West Plains and the editor is J. Rochstein.

Slaton—\$100,000 paving bonds were voted here in the special election of November 17. This means approximately \$800,000 new paving for the city of Slaton.

San Angelo—Definite action on the proposed 112, 200-acre irrigation project in Coke county, recently inspected by A. Lincoln Fellows, chief, Federal Reclamation and Irrigation

Bureau, Denver, has been delayed until further consideration. Estimated cost is above two and three quarter million dollars.

30,000 PEOPLE WILL BE PROVIDED FOR AT A. & M. GAME

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Nov. 21.—Ample facilities will be provided for the care and comfort of 30,000 people at the Thanksgiving game at the A. and M. college of Texas. Plans have been worked out by the college officials and preparations are under way to provide adequate food and accommodations for all those who attend the famous football battle here that day.

The College mess hall will serve a 50c hot lunch from 11:30 to 1:30 p. m. More than 8,000 people can be fed there alone during these hours. The Aggrieland Inn will keep its dining room and coffee shop open the entire day. Drinks and lunches will also be served at the Y. M. C. A. Confectionery.

Guion Hall, the college chapel, will be the University of Texas headquarters for the day. A. & M. headquarters will be at the Y. M. C. A. All lavatories in these two buildings will be reserved for ladies. There is also a commodious dressing room for women at the Gymnasium, with a maid in charge. Lavatories for men will be found in all dormitories, except the two reserved for women. There will be checking stands at University and A. and M. headquarters. Medical attention will be available at the College hospital. There is a drug store on the campus. A trained nurse will be on duty at the Gymnasium.

Play will begin at 2:30 promptly. The gates will be opened at noon. Holders of yellow tickets in the University stands will enter the south gates; holders of red tickets in the A. and M. stands will enter the north gates.

The grounds around the railroad stations will be well lighted and there will be signs to designate the destination of the various trains. Sign over the campus will also point to the various buildings and centers of activity.

A PERSONAL TRIBUTE.

Touching upon the life, death and character of one of the dearest cousins it was ever my privilege to claim, Talva Ann Dorn. She rounded out a

long and well spent life last Friday about noon, Nov. 20th, 1925.

While her life on earth was one of much suffering to her, yet it was one of peace, joy and service to others. She was instrumental in raising a dutiful family of girls as ever charmed any home and her boys were not a whit behind, only in a different sphere. They loved, cherished, nourished and nursed her unto the end, without the least tint or lack of interest in any way. In her passing she has left a heritage to her loved ones that is more beautiful than the lilies of the valley or the glittering pebbles on the ocean of the deep. More precious than rubies, richer than diamonds or pearls of gold, namely, a Christian character bedecked with Godly examples and the shedding forth of such an influence that even the vilest might be profited by.

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LANHAM'S AND BURKETT'S RESIGNATIONS WILL NOT CHANGE PLANS DECLARED

AUSTIN, Nov. 25.—Lee Satterwhite, speaker of the House of Representatives said that the resignation of Frank V. Lanham and Joe Burkett from the state highway commission, would not affect the plans of members of the legislature to hold a special session of the legislature.

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 25.—Frank V. Lanham, chairman of the state highway commission, and Joe Burkett, member, resigned today, it was announced at the governor's office and both resignations were accepted to take effect at once.

Lanham's resignation was received through a written communication and Burkett's by telephone.

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson said she had been doing her best to work out the state highway situation in view of the interest of all parties concerned.

Lanham's resignation as announced by the governor reads:

"Realizing that my continuation on the highway commission might work a serious injustice upon your administration, and knowing that my every act as chairman of the highway commission has been performed with only the thought of improving road conditions in Texas with conscience clear, I ask that you consider this as my resignation and accept same."

Governor Ferguson stated that Burkett's resignation was in the mail and would be received tomorrow.

It was unofficially learned that the governor requested the resignations of Lanham and Burkett and though her announcement did not say so, it is positively known that they were accepted.

Lanham and Burkett took office February 15. Lanham, at the time of his appointment, was in the building business. Burkett was candidate for governor in 1924. Eliminated in the first primary, he supported Miriam A. Ferguson, in the second primary against Felix Robertson.

For more than two months, Mr. Lanham and Mr. Burkett have been subjected to criticism. Most of the criticism grew out of letting of large surfacing contracts to the American Road Company and the Hoffman Construction Company.

The American Road Company awarded 1,000 miles of surfacing contracts at 30 cents a square yard last Friday confessed in the 53rd district court at Austin that the state should recover from it \$600,000 excess highway profits, that its permit to do business in Texas be forfeited and that it surrender approximately \$2,000,000 in road contracts upon which work had not been started.

AUSTIN, Nov. 25.—Opposition to all forms of income tax, as well as to inheritance taxes, was voiced today by James E. Ferguson, addressing the Texas Tax Clubs, assembled here to devise means of combatting passage of the new inheritance tax measure now being drafted by the house ways and means committee.

DALLAS, Nov. 25.—Frank V. Lanham, of Dallas would make no comment here following his resignation as chairman of the state highway commission today. He declared he would probably issue a public statement shortly.

BIG MEN NEEDED ON HIGHWAY BOARD

Editorial in Star-Telegram:

The resignations of Chairman Lanham and Commissioner Burkett of the highway department, tended and accepted Monday afternoon, do not mean a settlement of the highway situation by any means. They merely mean the clearing of the atmosphere for the time being and open the way to a complete reorganization and a satisfactory handling of the highway problem.

There are several things the situation requires. First, public confidence in the handling of the Highway Department must be restored by the type of men selected to fill these vacancies. The selection is up to Governor Ferguson and for the sake of her own administration, if for no other the men she names should be men accustomed to handling big transactions; men of unquestioned ability and reputation. If she can induce men of this type to accept these places at this time, her action will go a long way toward re-establishing confidence in the Highway department.

But men of this type, even if they can be induced from patriotic motives and desire to serve the State to step into the breach, can not accomplish very much unless given a free hand and certainly none of this type can be expected to accept unless assured absolute freedom. As long as politics holds sway in the highway department, dissatisfaction with its work will continue and the public may as well expect disclosures in the fu-

ture comparable with those it is now passing through. The highway department can not succeed if it is to be made the political agency of any administration. It must be regarded as a business institution and it must be conducted on a business like basis if it is to succeed.

The highway department is the most important agency of state government. It spends nearly as much money as the legislature appropriates for the conduct of all other departments combined. Its annual expenditures approximate \$17,000,000, and with the increasing number of automobiles this sum is steadily mounting. The judicious spending of such an enormous sum is a task that requires men of the highest type of judgement and business experience, and then they can spend it wisely only when they spend it as business judgement dictates. If they are to be forced to listen to or even to accept outside dictation in the interest of politics, their efforts naturally will fail and the public will just as naturally suffer.

Our idea is that the highway commission should be composed of the best business men possible to obtain; that they should be allowed absolute freedom in the formulation of their policies, and that the chief engineer, whom the law makes the chief executive officer of the department, should function as such; that he should be held responsible for the building up of his engineering and departmental organization and responsible for the manner in which that organization functions. The rules that govern successful business enterprises should govern the highway department.

When the public realizes the great importance of the highway department, the enormous amount of money it expends every year, it will easily see the necessity for applying business principles to it. Then the highway department will cease to be the political agency of the state administration and its affairs will be conducted on a businesslike basis, and to the best interests of the taxpayer. Then we shall hear no more of million dollar contracts let without bid or other road improvements awarded without even any bond, as in the case of the American Road Company.

Men of the highest type are needed at this critical stage. It is to be hoped that Governor Ferguson recognizes this need and can induce them to serve. Then, the rest is up to the public. The public must by its very interest in the situation, assure to the highway commission a freedom of action and freedom from politics that will enable the commission to conduct the business as a business of this magnitude should be conducted.

TURKEYS 30 CENTS AT DENTON MARKET

DENTON, Nov. 24.—The price of turkeys reached a peak of 30 cents per pound for the Thanksgiving market which closed Saturday. This is several cents above the prices preceding Thanksgiving last Fall.

Seven carloads of dressed turkeys and three and a half carloads of live birds were shipped from Denton for the Thanksgiving trade, which buyers here estimate is about half of this year's turkey crop in this section. The Christmas market will open within a few days and the quotation is expected to be about 25 cents per pound.

"OH, DEAR, NO" ONLY WORDS OF GOVERNOR

AUSTIN, Nov. 21.—"Oh dear, no" have been the only words spoken "officially" by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson of Texas since the highway suits began six days ago.

The woman governor promptly made that exclamation today when asked whether the reports were true or not that two members of the state highway commission had resigned.

Governor Ferguson maintained her record for silence tonight when approached by a United Press correspondent for a statement regarding the proposed call for a special session of the state legislature for impeachment purposes.

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Rev. J. Frank Norris of Fort Worth states that the second coming of Christ or the Judgement is near at hand. If that be true, those people who bought pistols as a result of publicity sold as advertising to mail order houses through the columns of his paper, The Searchlight, will have no use for their weapons. There has never yet been a person who entered the Pearly Gates by the aid of a six-shooter, nor has anyone ever "jimmied" his way through the door of knowledge. We must live for one and work for the other.—Georgetown Sun.

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The one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence will be observed by the Sesquicentennial International Exposition, which opens at Philadelphia, June 1, 1926.

HISTORIC CHRIST CHURCH OLD TOWN OF PHILADELPHIA

Old Christ Church, on Second St. below Arch street, Philadelphia, has heard the prayers of America's first patriots beseeching freedom from tyranny. Visitors to the Sesquicentennial International Exposition next year will scarcely find a landmark of more historical significance.

Construction of the ancient sanctuary, which is of pure Colonial architecture, was begun in 1727. Discussion regarding an environment conducive to worship must have abounded, for many alterations were made, and it was only after the pulpit was moved twice, the gallery enlarged, the seats altered, and the twenty-four branch chandelier hung, that the body of the church was completed in 1744. The pillars alone seem to have been made of adamant.

Funds for a steeple and bells were raised by means of a lottery. The latter would indicate a more broad-minded attitude on the part of our forefathers toward funding expenses than is the custom of the 20th century vestryman. There can be no doubt that it was oversubscribed since Benjamin Franklin was one of its managers. The tower and steeple were completed in 1753-54, and a chime of eight bells, costing five hundred pounds, was imported.

The old pulpit of 1770 the prayer desks made from the original high desk, and the old communion table below the altar, remain to this day. The front, at which Bishop White, Francis Hopkinson, and a long list of worthies were baptized, was replaced in 1879 by one which was the gift of Jonathan Gostelow. The beautiful silver bowl, weighing over sixty-three ounces, presented by Colonel Robert Quarry of the British Army in 1712, is still used.

It is the general impression that Washington, during his sojourn in Philadelphia, was a regular attendant at Christ Church. However, it appears from the correspondence of Bishop White with Colonel Mercer that the General was at one time a worshipper at St. Peter's. Says Bishop White: "He was an antipode to those who are in the habit of changing the places of their attendance."

Many distinguished men were buried under the floors of Christ Church, including Bishop White and his brother-in-law, Robert Morris. In the burying ground at the southeast corner of Fifth and Arch streets were buried Franklin and his wife, Deborah; General James Irvine, Major William Jackson, the Rev. Bird Wilson, Peyton Randolph, president of the First Continental Congress, and Francis Hopkinson.

The Rev. Jacob Duché, a gentleman with Tory proclivities shepherded the illustrious Christ Church flock during the stirring period of 1776. On the Fourth of July, after the reading of the Declaration, he permitted

things to be thankful for on the general theory that you ought to be glad to be alive. But I confess I can't see any reason for making a hurrah about it this year."

Nancy laughed. "Read your history book, Miss Schoolteacher. Thanksgiving is not proclaimed for celebrating the fortunes of the Laidlaw family, but just the general welfare of the U. S. A."

Jane smiled in spite of herself. "Well, we're part of the nation, aren't we? You're a little frazzled," she said tenderly as she saw signs of tears on her sister's cheek. "But I suppose you're right. We can go through the motions of having a regular home, anyway."

"This home is regular enough, whatever else it is," said Nancy with her ready laugh. "I believe Aunt Janet would get seasick if there were more chairs on one side of a room than the other."

There was, indeed, little in common between Miss Janet Laidlaw Fiske, head mistress of the Fiske Acres School for Girls, and her two nieces and assistants. Nan and Jane had been "half-educated all over the world," as their aunt said accusingly, by their artist father. When he died—"Involuntarily, of course," Miss Fiske commented—she had felt it her duty to provide for them. Besides, their knowledge of languages and art, she thought, might be valuable to her school, even though they knew little else. The rigid, old-fashioned school for girls had dwindled so far that cheap teachers were a consideration.

Her nieces, staggered by the death of their merry, wonderful father, with debts their only inheritance and just enough knowledge of life to realize that it would be hard for two young ladies who knew everything in general and nothing in particular to find employment, had welcomed this offer—at first. They had come from their gypsying life to this grim, prim school in the hills.

"The worst of it is that Aunt Janet's

as sorry as we are that she asked us. We've not been a success, Nan," Jane sighed. "Heigho! Anyway, they'll all be away over Thanksgiving, even Aunt Janet, and we'll have each other alone. You're not listening, Nan!"

Nan's eyes were shining. "A regular home!" she was repeating. "Jane, let's have one just for a day, even if we have to steal it. Are you spunky enough?" She pointed dramatically out of the window toward a sunken road and a wee roof in the beech trees.

"The Golden Glade cottage. Why—what?"

"Listen! Nobody's lived in that darling place in ages. There's some furniture, though, and books and pictures in an open packing case. I went in with old Mary the day she dusted it; she does once every season. And, Jane dear, there are canvases in a corner and a pastel-rack and paints, just like—father's. And peasant dishes like we used to have. Jane, will you?"

"Will I what, Nan?"

"Will you send away the servants for over Thanksgiving and let us go over there and fix it all up, just like a real home? For Thanksgiving. Just us two in a studio home again, darling; for that's what it is. Belongs to an artist. I know where Mary keeps the key. Nobody passes down that glade. Jane dear! Please!"

"I'm afraid I isn't very schoolteacherly conduct, Nan. But—"

"Oh! You will!" Nancy rushed her sister into action. The servants dismissed, the conspirators stole into the pretty cottage, nestled in the wild back road where no one passed. Soon they were busy arranging their home-for-a-day. Nancy hung the pictures on their old hooks in the wall—"pleasant, pretty pictures with personality," she said, while Jane set the companionable well-worn books on the shelves.

Next day, Thanksgiving Day, they took possession. The Laidlaw candlesticks with their yellow candles, the pumpkins, fruit and autumn decorations graced the green-stained table. Dinner was keeping warm on the little stove and the pretty peasant dishes were waiting to receive it.

"It's trespass or housebreaking or some crime," Jane laughed. "But it's what I was dying for."

"Anything's allowable for self-preservation," Nan replied. "Besides, we're going to put everything back." She sighed. "It's just the sort of thing father would have done. He always said the fairies lend gifts to the darling. I feel as if he sent us this perfect day. Jane! Somebody's coming! An auto stopping! Now we're in for it!"

A sharp rap at the door. They opened it to face an elderly man who was just saying to himself, aloud: "There is someone here."

"Are you the owner of this cottage?" Nan began immediately.

The visitor seemed amazed at the question. "No," he answered, laughing. "One would naturally suppose that you were the owners."

Confused, embarrassed, Nancy blurted out, "Oh, no! It isn't ours. We stole it—for Thanksgiving. Won't you come in?"

"You did what?" "We—borrowed it. We don't know whose it is. Won't you come in?"

And he entered, his eyes twinkling at the adventure.

"My name is John McAndrew," he introduced himself.

After a moment's startled scrutiny, the girls threw themselves upon him, crying out together: "James McAndrew! Our James!"

My Mac! Oh, we're Nancy and Jane Laidlaw grown up! Don't you remember? In Rome when we were little."

"John Laidlaw's bairns! Do I remember!" He put his arms about them.

They drew him into the easy chair beside the old fireplace and told him their story.

"But how did you come here today?" they asked him.

"I was passing by and felt I had to turn in here to see the old place where John Laidlaw and I used to live and paint when we were lads."

"Father once lived here?"

"When we were lads," he repeated.

"I felt it," Nancy whispered.

After dinner as the firelight and the yellow candles were dying, James McAndrew said: "Do you know why we met here today? I think John Laidlaw brought us."

"He always said fairies bring gifts to the darling," said Jane.

"I would never do, then, to disregard the fairy gifts," he said. "So from now on, shall we not stay together, the three of us? I'm getting on and I'm alone. And Johnny Laidlaw sent me to his bairns. Sent me to them, because—bless the wild heart of him!—they're like he was and stole a Thanksgiving."



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Thanksgiving of 1714

Made Matter of Record

The following account of a Thanksgiving dinner held in Danvers, Ill., in 1714, from the pen of Rev. Lawrence Conant, has been handed down to posterity.

"When ye services at ye meeting house were ended ye council and other

dignitaries were entertained at ye house of Mr. Epes on ye hill near by, we had a bountiful Thanksgiving dinner of bear's meats and venison, the last of which was from a fine buck shot in the woods nearby. After ye blessing was craved by Mr. Garrich word was brought that ye buck was shot on ye Lord's day by Pequot, an Indian, who came to Mr. Epes with a lye in his mouthe like Ananias of old. Ye council therefore refused to eat ye venison, but it was afterward decided that Pequot should receive 40 stripes save one for lying and profaning ye Lord's day, restore Mr. Epes ye costs of ye deer, and considering this a just and righteous sentence on ye sinful heathen and since ye blessing had been craved on ye meate, ye council all partook of it, but Mr. Shepard whose conscience was tender."



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—Rev. Roy L. Smith.



ANCY ran in, her arms full of brown November leaves, the last that had clung to the little oak tree on the lawn.

"They'll look perfectly ducky with tawny artemisias and a bit of evergreen," she said. "A small yellow pumpkin and some rosy pears and apples cuddled in these branches, and the Laidlaw candlesticks with two big yellow candles. It will make our Thanksgiving table shine."

Nancy went to her sister, who had not turned at her entrance, but stood looking out of the window at the fall leaves scurrying across the lawn.

"What's the matter, Jane?"

Jane turned then briskly, her face flushed with the effort to hold back tears. "I don't see how you can fool yourself so, Nan," she exclaimed. "Thanksgiving! Oh, I guess we have

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The Thanksgiving Myth

by Jane Osborn

ORA LOUISE GRAYSON, in spite of caressing brown bobbed hair and starry blue eyes, found herself at twenty-five a full-fledged doctor of medicine, working in the clinic of the Children's hospital. Somehow, worn, anxious mothers looked at her with so much trust and so much confidence, she wondered how it had all come about. Sometimes she doubted her own powers of endurance to go on.

Talmadge Scott, after several false starts and several years of business, at thirty found himself in possession of his degree of doctor of medicine. He wondered sometimes how it had ever occurred to him that he could possibly be anything else besides a doctor.

For several weeks Doctor Scott had been stopping every day at the Children's hospital to speak to Doctor Grayson, who received her little patients in the room right across the corridor from the small operating room where he worked two hours every morning. In all his life he had never known a woman doctor before; he tried to imagine, but could not conclude, what sort of person she must be.



"Clinic is closed tomorrow," he remarked the Wednesday before Thanksgiving. "I suppose you will have dinner with friends."

"Thanksgiving dinner?" she queried. "I am afraid I don't feel in a very thankful mood. I'm thousands of miles from home. Do you still believe in turkey and cranberry sauce and pumpkin pie?"

"It's a pretty myth," he said. If Dora had been a keen observer she might have noticed that a look of disappointment passed over Talmadge Scott's face, and if he had been a mind reader he might have been aware of her own disappointment. Not being so gifted they parted with a brief farewell.

Talmadge Scott knew where Dora Grayson lived. All Thanksgiving day he thought of her, in spite of efforts to put her out of his mind. Several times he found excuse to pass her apartment. At half-past six, as he felt for the first time since breakfast the need of food, he again walked by her house. It was then that he was rewarded for all his diligent waiting, for Dr. Dora Louise Grayson just then

Thanksgiving

By TOM BRADSHAW, in Chicago Herald-Examiner.

JEHOVAH, God of lands and seas,
Of winter's winds and summer breeze,
Lend ear today while from the ranks
Of millions swells a prayer of thanks
For all that hope and faith hath brought,
For summits reached, for lessons taught,
For life and health and peace and love,
Jehovah, harken from above!
Jehovah, God of years untold,
Of saint and sinner, youth and old,
Give ear today—th' peoples stand
With thankful hearts abroad the land,
To give Thee thanks for blessings new
That come with ev'ry morning's dew—
That follow on till night is nigh,
That aid them live and help them die,
That shower on them through th' years,
That mingle happiness with tears,
That stop not till their race is run,
And centuries sing, "Thy will be done!"

came out of the door of the apartment house.

"Are you going to dinner?" he asked, and Dora admitted that she was going out in search of something to eat. "But you don't care about the old, traditional Thanksgiving feast?" she queried. "It's funny how people have clung to the tradition."

"Isn't it?" he said, and then, "As we both seem to be going out in search of nourishment, what do you say to combining forces?"

Ten minutes later they were seated opposite each other in a white-tiled eating establishment. Dora had declined Talmadge's invitation to go to a more expensive place.

"A salad is all I want," said Dora. From a tray being borne past them came whiffs of aromatic turkey and stuffing, that somehow made Talmadge's mouth water. Yet he said, looking instantly at Dora, "Yes, a salad and tea. I think that's what I shall have, too."

So they supped together, and somehow as they ate Dora felt a funny sobbing sensation—as of intense homesickness and disappointment, and Talmadge felt a curious sort of melancholy.

After it was over and Talmadge had paid the insignificant check, they went together as far as the corner and there Dora left him.

Thirty minutes later Talmadge Scott, after some irresolution, entered the restaurant of the Sterling hotel. He allowed the head waiter to lead him in ceremony to a table near babbling fountain. He was about

order and in search of such delicacies as turkey, cranberry sauce and pumpkin pie when he noticed that the girl at the table beside him wore a hat like Dora Grayson's. Why, it was Dora Grayson! And before her there was a small platter of steaming turkey, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce—

They exchanged smiles, and then Talmadge Scott found himself at her table sitting opposite her. Dora blushed with extreme embarrassment. "You see, I just had to have turkey. It may be a myth—all this business about Thanksgiving—but I like it."

So they feasted leisurely and happily together. Later there were explanations.

"I was going to ask you to dine with me," said Talmadge Scott, "but when I began to talk about it you seemed to pooh-pooh the idea of Thanksgiving dinners—"

"And I'd made up my mind to ask you to come and have dinner in my little apartment with me. I was so anxious to cook it. But you said something about the Thanksgiving myth, so I didn't."

It was after dinner together that Dora asked Doctor Scott to her little apartment, where they talked before the cheerful

glow of the open fire in her living room.

"I've always wondered just why a girl like you studied medicine?" he ventured to begin.

"I've wondered, too," said Dora. "It all seemed so wonderful and so easy in medical college. But now I'm practicing by myself, I wonder, too—"

"It seemed," Talmadge went on, "as if you were the sort of girl—the sort of girl that would want to marry—that just couldn't escape marriage—"

"But I never wanted to marry anyone but a doctor," she began, and then stopped in confusion.

And this gave Talmadge Scott the cue for his first and last proposal.

Frequent Bilious Attacks

"I suffered with severe bilious attacks that came on two or three times each month," says Mr. J. P. Nevins, of Lawrenceburg, Ky. "I would get nauseated. I would have dizziness and couldn't work. I would take pills until I was worn-out with them. I didn't seem to get relief."

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Mrs. I. H. Burney of Fort Worth, Mrs. Frank Gary and daughter, Miss Lillian Francis of Big Spring and Mrs. Fletcher Etheridge and little daughter of Los Angeles, California visited relatives and friends here last Friday. All these will be remembered as living here years ago.

BILL BROADDUS
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Get your fruit cake nice and fresh at Beals "M" System Grocery.

For pure sweet milk phone 140. L. R. Tilly Dairy. 12-4c

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G. B. Harness has returned from a business and social trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

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New truck. We now have a new truck. See it.—Mills Chevrolet Co.

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Gasoline, Kerosene, call 414. O. O. Shurtleff

Fruit cakes for Thanksgiving at Beals "M" System Grocery.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Keathley and son Sterling went to Cisco Tuesday to be with Mr. Keathley's father, who was 80 years old Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Keathley returned to Abilene Thursday and spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Keathley's mother and father.

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Mr. Len Randall of Curtis, Ark., is visiting his cousins, R. N. and C. P. Gary.

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Furniture upholstering neatly done at reasonable prices.—Frank Herrington.

James Chariton of the land department, California Company has returned from a hunting expedition in the Davis Mountains and a visit to Calabrad Cavern. He and several Ft. Worth oil men were guests of the Texas & Pacific Railway Company.

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The neighborhood 42 party was with Mrs. Tom Stoner Tuesday evening. There were five tables. The hostess served sandwiches, olives, potatoe chips plum pudding and tea.

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See the new Remington Portable typewriter at the Record office.

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Call No. 414 or see O. O. Shurtleff

The Colorado Floral Co., has a new shipment of Pottery bowls for bulbs.

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Down in the Earnest block you will find Sam and Bill, 15 minutes by the clock they'll fill your grocery bill.

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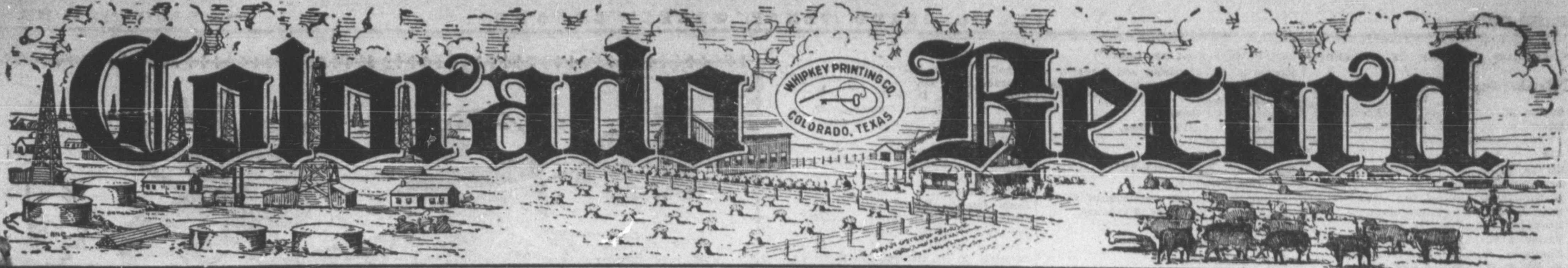
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FARMERS MUST GROW OWN FEED AND FOOD, LEE SAYS

WARNS MITCHELL FARMERS TO NOT INCREASE COUNTY COTTON YIELD

Colonel R. Q. Lee of Cisco, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce drove home an effective blow against the old practice of growing all cotton and purchasing practically all necessities of life by the Southern farmer in his address, "Diversification and Intensive Farming" delivered at the Barcroft Hotel Friday night.

Mr. Lee quoted government statistics to show that only a small percentage of the farmers of the South were producing their feed and food on the farm. So long as this practice is continued, he declared, so long will the farms of this country continue to sink into decay and the men who own or operate them remain poor.

Not an egg is produced on 20 per cent of the farms of the South and 37 per cent of our farms have no dairy cattle, he declared. "The poultry industry in the United States equalled in value one half the price obtained for our American cotton crop in 1924, and yet there are few farms in West Texas producing poultry and poultry products for the market."

"Government statistics show that our farmers are paying out huge amounts annually for butter and pork products. Only 46 per cent of our farms are producing butter today and on 56 per cent of these farms there are no pigs to be found. Potatoes grown in the South come from one fourth of the farms, and there is not a country under the sun to outstrip this land of ours in the production of any of these necessities of life, which should be made a part of the farmers routine output every year."

In speaking of fruits and vegetables, Lee declared there was not a section of the United States to surpass the territory served by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in growing either. "I have attended scores of fairs in this territory this past season and seen displayed there apples and vegetables to equal the best products we may find in this republic. I know of an orchard in Callahan County, which is not far from Colorado, from which apples to take the first prize at every county, state and international fair exhibited, are being gathered every year. The owner of this orchard is marketing his product from his own front gate to the City of New York and obtains a handsome premium over the ordinary product."

"What this man, through intensive cultivation and study is doing, may be done in thousands of other communities of West Texas. The plot of ground which today is producing a no-profit crop under the ordinary methods of cultivation, may be caused to increase its returns to the farmer many hundred fold through application of the methods advocated."

In referring to the Mitchell county cotton crop for this year, Lee declared that the farmers of this county were reaching dangerous ground. "When you pass a crop of 37,000 bales in Mitchell county you have passed the point in production where a profit to you will be realized. The American crop should never exceed 14,000,000 bales. We will never produce too much cotton when we come to that point in our farming industry where we grow our feed and food on the farm, and every farmer will become prosperous when we diversify."

making an appeal for more modern conveniences about the farm home, with special reference to running water in the house, Lee declared, "We are making of our women the drawers of water and the hewers of wood, a practice which should be placed in oblivion in our drive to bring prosperity to the rural homes of the South."

Mr. Lee quoted from Miss Helen H. Swift, district home demonstration agent, as follows:

"There are more garages in West Texas than hen houses; more radios

than bathtubs, and more Ford coupes than living rooms."

Mr. Lee and party arrived in Colorado Friday at Noon. Others in the party were Mrs. Lee and H. E. Whitehead, Lee's private secretary. In the afternoon they were guests of the chamber of commerce at the bi-district football game and Mrs. Lee was given a reception at the American Legion Memorial building by Mitchell county federated women.

Mr. Whitehead and Mrs. Lee made short addresses at the banquet in which they expressed appreciation of the hospitality accorded them at Colorado. Both invited Colorado to visit Cisco Thanksgiving when the Colorado Wolves are to battle the Cisco Lobos, the latter being district pennant holders in class A conference.

A beautiful corsage of flowers, presented by Colorado club women, was given Mrs. Lee at the banquet. In an impressive manner she declared her most profound appreciation of them. "I always like to come out here in the West" she said. "Somehow the handshake is more friendly and the people make you love them more than anywhere else. I am interested in the problems Mr. Lee has been discussing and it is because of that fact that I am accompanying him on these campaigns."

The banquet was presided over by Dr. P. C. Coleman, president of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce and vice president of the West Texas Chamber. He paid a fitting tribute to Mr. Lee as a man and a statesman, devoting his time and effort unselfishly to render a commendable service to the people of West Texas. Music was furnished by the Chamber of Commerce Band.

At conclusion of Mr. Lee's address someone called for a statement from him as to statements recently appearing in some of Texas papers that he aspired to political preference.

Lee made a sweeping denial of the charges, declaring that he did not then and never had entertained political aspirations, but with no thought of placing himself before the people of Texas, was conducting his campaign of diversifying and intensive farming with the hope of having some part in bettering rural conditions.

The party left Colorado Saturday morning for Big Spring where he spoke at noon. He is to continue west along the Texas & Pacific to El Paso.

Mr. Whitehead stated that Colorado was one of the very best small cities the Lee party had ever visited in the State and predicted that it was only the matter of time when Colorado would take its place among the commercial and industrial centers of West Texas.

THREE ELECTED MEMBERS IN COLORADO LIONS CLUB

W. N. Crosthwaite, manager of the Crosthwaite Drug Company, R. E. Norman, superintendent of the Colorado schools and J. W. Watson, farmer, were elected to membership in the Lions club Friday. This makes a total of seven new members to be added to the club roster within the past two weeks.

The club membership devoted much of the hour to discussion of the foot ball game to be played that afternoon with Odessa, champion team of district seven. The Lions were over enthusiastic over the contest. It was announced at the meeting that with one exception every place of business in the city had agreed to close for the game.

CISCO WILL WELCOME FANS FROM HOME OF THE WOLVES

Members of the Colorado delegation to accompany Big Jim and his pack to Cisco Turkey Day are scheduled to receive a rousing welcome upon arrival in Cisco, according to information received from the Cisco Chamber of Commerce. J. E. T. Peters, manager of the Cisco chamber, has wired that Cisco will do everything possible to make the visitors from Colorado enjoy their visit there Thursday.

Col. and Mrs. R. Q. Lee and H. E. Whitehead, who were here last week from Cisco, extended invitations to the fans of Colorado to witness the big battle there Thursday afternoon.

WIFE OF PIONEER CITIZEN OF MITCHELL COUNTY DEAD

MRS. J. M. DORN DIES HERE FRIDAY AT ADVANCED AGE OF 75 YEARS

Mrs. J. M. Dorn member of one of the pioneer outstanding families of Mitchell county, died at the family residence in Colorado Friday at noon following a lingering illness and the body was buried Sunday afternoon at Union cemetery, 12 miles southwest of Colorado. Funeral services were conducted at Union church by Rev. H. W. Hanks of Lorraine a former pastor and Rev. M. C. Bishop of Colorado.

The services were attended by a large number of people, many of whom had known deceased intimately for more than a quarter of a century. Rev. Mr. Hanks in delivering his address at the rites, paid a beautiful tribute to the memory of Mrs. Dorn and declared her life to have been one filled with Christian virtues of the most Christlike type. Floral offerings were profuse and beautiful.

Mrs. Dorn was born in Alabama August 24, 1850. In 1875 she was married to Mr. Dorn and a few years thereafter in 1886 the family moved to Mitchell county, settling at Union, where Mr. and Mrs. Dorn continued to live continuously until a short time ago when they moved to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorn had not been in Mitchell county but a short time until they determined to erect a school and organize a Sunday school and church in their community. Union school house, built soon after they came to this county, was the first rural or settlement school to be organized in this county. A Sunday school was next organized and then in 1895 the church was built. In all of these progressive programs Mrs. Dorn had an active part with her husband and for more than a quarter of a century took an active interest in civic educational and religious affairs in her community.

Mrs. Dorn was the mother of 13 children, two of whom died in infancy. The remaining eleven children are living today and all of them were present at the funeral services Sunday afternoon. These are as follows:

Mrs. T. J. Coffee, Lorraine; A. A. Dorn, Colorado; J. W. Dorn, Colorado; J. Marvin Dorn, Colorado; Mrs. W. J. Chesney, Brownfield; Mrs. T. C. Richardson, Colorado; Mrs. J. L. Dow, Lubbock; Mrs. B. A. Donaldson, Stratford; Mrs. W. E. Thrallkill, Colorado; Mrs. R. D. Hart, Colorado and Pierce Dorn, Colorado.

Two sisters, Mrs. C. E. Pritchett and Mrs. M. P. McCall of Colorado, and a brother, J. O. McClellan of San Antonio and her husband, J. M. Dorn, survive.

COLORADO HUNTERS BAG 3 DEER IN GUADALUPE MTS.

A party of Colorado hunters returned Monday from the Guadalupe Mountains where they report having bagged three bucks. The party was composed of Edd Jones, "Pat" Neff, Grady Reese, Nona and Dave Womack of Colorado and John Womack of Lamesa.

Mr. Jones stated that the expedition was entirely successful, they having bagged the deer desired and spent a most enjoyable trip in the mountains. James Charlton, Colorado oil man, who accompanied a party of Fort Worth oil men on an expedition into the Guadalupe mountains at the same time, was spied at one time by Jones as Charlton climbed to the apex of a distant mountain.

Two or three other parties of local hunters are in the Davis mountains hunting deer and other big game. Chas. Farris, Rev. J. E. Chase, A. B. Blanks and Earnest Pulliam of Windom left the first of last week to spend several days in camp in the deer country.

Grady Newman and John Garner, the latter a local nimrod of several years reputation are also chasing big game in the mountain ranges south of Sierra Blanca.

COLORADO WOLVES RECEIVE PLAUDITS OF ENTIRE CITY

BI-DISTRICT PENNANT TAKEN IN GAME WITH ODESSA YELLOW JACKETS

In eliminating the Odessa Yellow Jacket blue ribbon gridster organization in district seven, the Wolves staged their last game of a season full of glory at home Friday afternoon and will meet contenders for additional state conference honors on the grounds of their opponents.

Big Jim led his pack into the pigskin melee Friday afternoon with confidence of victory beaming from one end of his broad face to the other. This characterization of further glory for themselves and the city they have so commendably represented could be read on the face of every member of the team. There was no disappointment for either this master mind coach nor his men. They delivered Odessa the worst defeat to come into the Yellow Jackets nest for many moons. The score was 14 to 0.

Having vanquished every opposing team in their district, which embraces nineteen counties in Southwest Texas, the Odessa grid squad, like many others, came into the den of the pack replete with confidence that their technique and swiftness would add another scalp to their belt. There was, however, a surprise in store for the visitors, and as others in the past have done, left the athletic park the sadder but wiser because of their contact with Colorado's formidable team.

In keeping with the policy of Colorado business and professional men to foster everything good for this city and county, places of business were closed for the game. The number of fans to enter the athletic field for the contest was somewhat smaller than those who crowded the side lines Monday of last week when Colorado eliminated DeLeon, but there was no lacking in the enthusiasm let loose by the fans. It was Colorado's day again and to Colorado came another laurel long to be remembered.

The game was replete with thrills throughout. The battle began when Odessa kicked to Colorado. Flint returned the ball to his own thirty yard line. It was here that the Wolves began to march through the Yellow Jacket line for seventy yards and a touchdown. First downs followed one after the other with minute precision and so rapidly that it looked as if the visitors were to be heavily scored on. Those terrific bucks of Ole Cap Flint went for four, five and ten yards and the redoubtable Gist cut loose at ends for substantial gains.

It was apparent that Odessa must flash a great offense to overcome a glaring weakness in defensive line play. But to those who know the Yellow Jacket record there was little doubt that this would happen when they received the ball. However, the visitors, after receiving the ball in her own territory, was compelled to keep her trick bag closed, choosing rather to depend upon ordinary deception and power plays. These tactics met with little success, as the wily Wolf, Big Jim, had his defense especially arranged and made to order for the Odessa offense.

Odessa was held and punted. The Wolves started a march which carried the ball to the Odessa fifteen yard line when the quarter ended. The score was 7 to 0 in favor of Colorado.

During the second quarter hostilities continued as before, with Flint bucking the line for material gains. Vowell would butt the Odessa line with the force of a pile driver, opening an apex through which Flint came through. During this quarter the ball was almost constantly in possession of the Wolves. Half ended with score 14 to 0.

The second half was in many respects a repetition of the first but the Yellow Jackets taking the offense toward the close of the game and seriously threatening to score. Once during this period the Wolves staged a steady march to cross the goal for the third touchdown of the game but the ball was brought back and

Colorado penalized fifteen yards for the use of hands.

In the last quarter with the ball on his own thirty-yard line Flint chose to carry on fourth down and failed to make it by inches. The ball went over. Here the fun began. Of all the tricks written in the archives of foot ball the visitors uncovered. Criss crosses, cross bucks, tackle around, triple passes, hidden ball, talking trick plays. Once these would go for substantial gains. Then they would lose ground as is their nature. But there was a net gain which at one time placed the ball on the Wolf Two Yard line. Captain Sailors chose to skirt left end for a marker but his progress was impeded by the flying Smith and he lost six yards. Two passes failed and the ball went over. These last ten minutes were marked with a greater variety of foot ball than has been seen on the local field this season. The Yellow Jackets lived up to their reputation as fighters and were going great when the game ended. Although considerable outweighed the visitors took a terrible punishing from the Wolf line without flinching. The Wolves have nothing but praise for the visitors and commend them most generously for their perfect sportsmanship, their fight and for a well coached team. They played against odds and should be satisfied with the results.

With scouts from Cisco looking on Coach Cantrell relied upon straight foot ball to win and used only five plays during the entire game. The Wolves will meet the Cisco Lobos on Turkey Day for the Class A and B championship of District 3.

"THE PONY EXPRESS COMING TO PALACE THEATRE SOON"

The Palace Theatre takes pleasure in introducing the wonderful James Cruze production "The Pony Express". It is one of the screens supreme achievements. A vivid cross-section of those unsettled, turbulent pre-civil war days when the fate of our nation trembled in the balance.

When the lightning riders of the pony express were the only means of communication between the wavering fringe of civilization in western Missouri and the new and mighty empire on the Pacific, which had leaped to the fore front of importance by the discovery of gold.

"The Pony Express" is essentially different, first because its background is unique there is only one pony express in history, and this is its story, written about the humor and pathos as they all too vividly existed on the western frontier in the volcanic days of 1860.

One of the most exciting and romantic sequences is that depicting run of the pony express for the first time it leaves St. Joseph, Mo., over the plains, the valleys and bad lands across the Rockies, over the shifting salt sands of the Great Salt Lake Basin, over the snowdrift trails of the towering Sierras, to Sacramento, California, Mecca of the gold rush, the end of the Pony Express whence the mail is carried to San Francisco by river boat.

Words alone cannot describe the heart stirring events that occur in this picture, the coming of the river boat, the arrival of the news of Lincoln's election, closely followed by the declaration of war.

There is a ripping good Indian fight in which more than 500 Indians and a like number of soldiers take part.

Mark Twain, Buffalo Bill and Brigham Young, the famous Mormon leader are some of the outstanding historic characters who appear in the picture.

It is full of thrilling scenes with a good love story connected. Bigger and better than the Covered Wagon. We guarantee this picture to please each and every one of you.—Ross Dixon, Mgr.

COLORADO STREETS BEST IN TEXAS, TOURIST SAYS

W. R. Macon, of Ontario, Canada, who is touring America by automobile, spent a few hours in Colorado Friday. Mr. Macon declared that the paved streets in Colorado were the best he had seen in Texas. The visitor expressed himself as being highly pleased with this city and adjacent country.

BIGGER, BETTER PICTURES IS GOAL OF EXHIBITORS

MOTION PICTURES WILL SOON BECOME FACTOR IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

The motion picture industry was never striving as determinedly to improve the quality of its product and give to the American public a class of entertainment to meet universal approval, as it is today, Mr. and Mrs. Ross D. Dixon, managers of the Mission and Palace Theatres at Colorado, declared upon their return from Dallas where they attended the annual convention of the Moving Picture Theatre Owners convention in session November 17 and 18.

Ex-Lieut. Governor Davidson, Lieut. Governor Barry Miller and Hon. Sam Rayburn, congressman, were among the principal speakers to address the motion picture owners of the Southwest who attended the convention. These speakers declared that the motion picture machine would soon become an important teacher in the public schools of the country. History and geography lessons, impossible of surpassing by the present methods, are now being taught the picture theatre going public on the screen, it was stated.

In speaking of the convention, Mrs. Dixon says:

The exhibitors present at this convention are all striving for bigger and better pictures, pictures that will please and entertain the public as well as bring to each one a good lesson of some kind. We all know that the picture show of today is not what it used to be, but is better in every way. Almost any picture you see now days has a good moral lesson of some kind for those who want and need it, and many are educational.

Every one is due a certain amount of recreation and amusement. Can you think of a better, cleaner, nicer way of spending it than in a nice clean well run picture show? Where you can always take home with you a pleasant feeling of having learned something worthwhile and that your time was well spent? Don't always go to a show with the idea of wasting a few minutes or hours of your time, and your mind in the gutter, go with the intention of getting something good out of the picture you are going to see, there is a little good in nearly all of them if you want to find it, and any time we have a picture that you think is absolutely no good we want to know it for that's what the M. P. T. O. Conventions are for, to kill out all the bad pictures and see that they get good clean moral pictures and pictures that each and everyone can learn something that will benefit them in some way.

If you will just stop and think—the picture shows can be made one of the best places in the world to teach the public moralism, how to be better citizens, and educate the people in many ways, if we will just all get together and make it such. Think of the people who go to the picture shows that won't go to the schools and churches where they can learn these things. Who knows but that the picture show is one of the Lord's tools which he uses to get to some of the people who won't go to church or school? So let's all try to get to make the picture shows what they should be for this purpose. The M. P. T. O. convention meets in Dallas every six months, all exhibitors try to meet there and bring in new thoughts, ideas, and suggestions on how to keep improving the pictures, and give the public more better, cleaner and educational entertainment.

Mr. Dixon always tries to attend these conventions in order to do his part, and if at any time any one has a suggestion to make that he or she thinks might benefit our show and the public it will be more than appreciated.

It is our ambition to have a place of entertainment that the whole town can be proud of and we need the help and cooperation of the town to make it such.

Now is the time to advertise.

COLORADO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Membership Roster, Nov. 1925.

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Berman's Variety Store.
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Bishop, Rev. M. C. First Baptist Church.
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Cooper, W. S.
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W. N. Crosthwaite.
Costin, L. A., City Manager.
Colorado National Bank.
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Coca Cola Bottling Co.
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Carier, M., Lawyer.
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City National Bank.
Colorado Bargain House, General Dry Goods.
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But electricity has come in time to
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leisure of home. Electrical clothes
washers, irons, vacuum cleaners, sewing
machines—all ready to put in a
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house is old or new, you can have it
wired for these modern conveniences.

And while you're at it, see that
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all-round comfort of electricity.

"Your Electric Servant"

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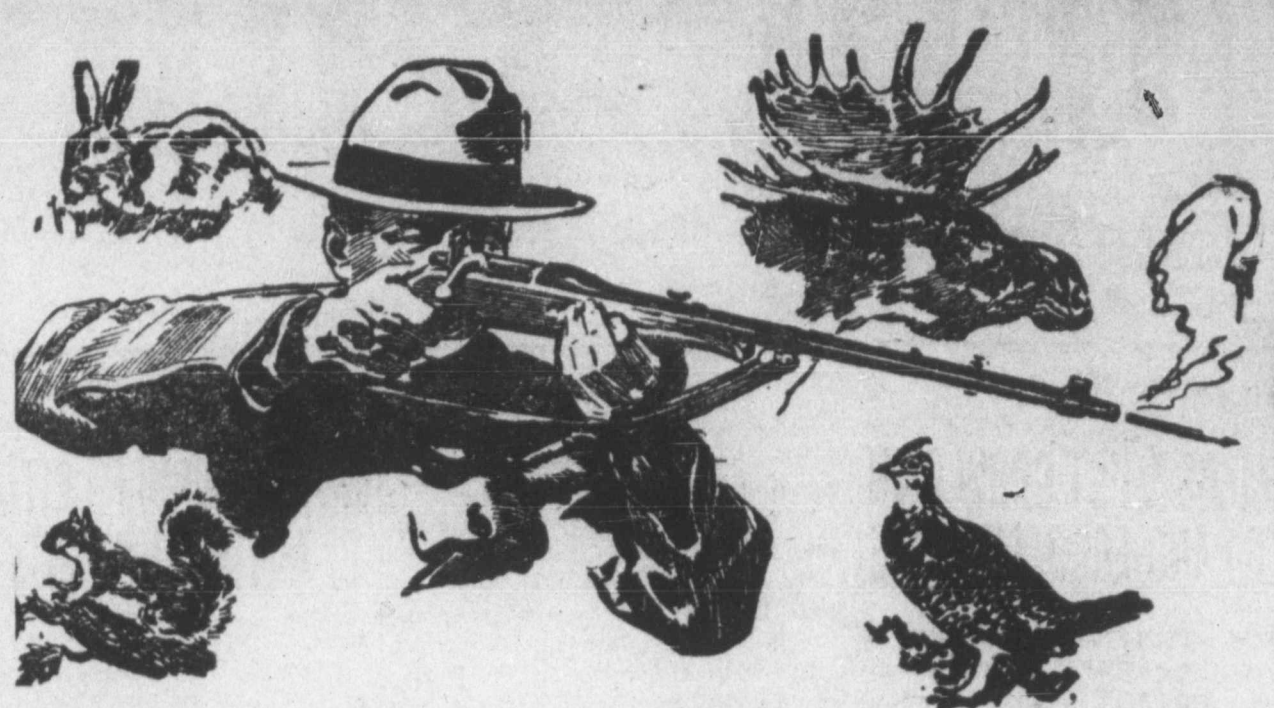
Thousands of Texas farmers are grading up their flocks and herds,
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And to those farmers, purebred livestock is opening up wonderful
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Do not overlook the fact that purebred livestock is another SURE
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Talk with the officers of this bank about MORE AND BETTER LIVE-
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Dorn, W.
Belman, A. H., Cotton.
Doss, W. L., Jr.
Dodge Garage.
Doss, Jno. L., Drugs.
DeGarmo & Son, Garage.
Dooder, Roy, Barber Shop.
Daugherty, E. T.
Douglas, W. R., Barcroft Hotel.
DuBose, F. F., Civil Engineer.
Dorn, Huron, Tailor.
Doss, H. C., County Treasurer.
Dixon, Ross.
Ellis, J. L., Realtor.
Earnest, Joe W., Lawyer.
Elliot, L. B., Abstracts, Loans.
Elliott, W. M., Rev. First Presbyterian
Church.
Earnest, C. H., Lawyer.
Earnest, C. H., Agent Teahoma Oil Co.
Edgerton, R. P., Colorado Ice Cream.
Farmer, J. B., & Company, Confectionery.
Farmers Gin Company, The.
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Foster, G. D., County School Supt.
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Gabler, Joe, Rig Contractor.
Gary, R. N.
Goldman, M. S., Band Director.
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Greene, J. H., Undertaker.
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Guitar, Jas., Oil Mill.
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Herrington, H. H., Shoe Repairing.
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Holt, J. B.
Harness, G. B., Insurance, Abstracts.
Herrington, A. J., Automobiles.
Hickman, H. S., Police.
Hickman, T. A., Police.
Hutchinson, H. L. & Co., Hardware,
Furniture.
Holt, J. A. & Co., Dry Goods.
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Jarmom, Jas. O.
Jones, Chester L., Cattleman.
Jones, J. Lee, District Clerk.
Jones, Raymond.
Johuston, Jas., T.
Jones, Russell & Finch, Hardware, Furn-
iture, Undertaking.
Jones Dry Goods Company.
Klasy Kleaners, Tailors.
Keathley, E., Alamo Hotel.
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Lane, C. H., Massour.
Looney, R. H., Mayor.
Lewis, Dan J., Drilling Contractor.
Low, Hill.
Lambeth, McCleary & Grubbs, Gins.
Logan & Son, Feed.
Laws, Mosley, Confectionery.
McMurry, R. L., Racket Store.
Morgan, J. B., Auto Laundry.
Mills Chevrolet Company.
Morris, J. F., Market.
Maddin, A. E., Cattleman.
Mahon, Geo. H., Lawyer.
Morgan, W. R., Ice and Coal.
Majors, Sam L., Jeweler.
Majors, O. H., Optometrist.
Majors, J. P., Jeweler.
Morrison, Earl, Abstracts, Cattle.
Mooser, E. J.
Manuel, E. T., Realtor, Loans.
Mission Theatre.
Model Grocery.
Nail, M. R., D. D. S.
Newsome Bros., Photographers.
Norman, R. B., Supt. Colorado Schools.
O'Bar, J. D., Grocer.
Palace Theatre.
Piggy-Wiggy, Market, Grocery.
Porter, W. W., Relator, Loans.
Prude, John M.
Pidgeon, J. L., Garage.
Pearson, R. O.
Price, O. B.
Price, R. P.
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Boys its here. The best shootin' season in years, and we've stocked up on every-
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Shropshire, V. V., Poultry Farm.
Spalding, R. L., Ice, Coal.
Smith, Thos. R., Lawyer.
Snively, Paul.
Smoot, Joe H.
Slaton, G. B.
Sadler, Harley, Shows.
Smartt, Hughwood.
Sandusky, L. W., Lawyer.
Snyder, Marcus, Cattleman.
Slaughter, Herbert H.
Stoneham, W. S., Abstracts.
Snyder, D. H., Cattleman.
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Thompson, Jno. A., Drayage.
Terry, J. M., Cafe.
Thompson, Chas. C., County Judge.
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Terrell, R. B., Heavy Hardware.
Toler Motor Company.
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Thomson, W. J., Drilling Contractor.
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Just bear in mind that repairs today are cheaper than tomor-
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We have large quantities of all kinds of building material—
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just anything you want. In any quantity, from a single board to a
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Stock Up at these Prices



The correct hostess always has a supply of ready-
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FRESH VEGETABLES AND FRUITS EVERY DAY

H. B. Broadus & Son

\$895 For The Essex Coach
Delivered in Colorado.
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The Bargain Days rates are now
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with Sunday \$7.45 per year.

Daily without Sunday \$5.95 per
year. On all new subscribers that sub-
scribe now will run until Dec. 1,
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Also the second annual reduced
rate on the Dallas Morning News,
daily with Sunday \$6.45 per year.
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Roy L. Farmer agent. 12-4c

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THE GREATEST SALE OF THE YEAR

Friday, Nov. 27, Colorado Bargain House will emphatically put on the Greatest Sale ever attempted. All preparations are being made to make this sale the banner sale of the year. We challenge all previous records of Colorado to show where high grade, dependable merchandise has ever been offered at such radical reductions. Be here on the opening day. Don't be disappointed. A great stock and a greater sale now offered by Colorado's greatest value giving store. Thousands of dollars worth of quality goods now ready at prices you can easily pay.



Ten Yards Cotton Checks For 75c

Be here Saturday morning at the hour from 9:30 to 10:30, we will give ten yards of cotton checks for 75c. Limit ten yards to customer.

Five Yards LL Brown Domestic 40c

Be here Friday at the hour from 1:30 to 2:30 we will give five yards of LL brown domestic for 40c. Limit five yards to customer.



Boys Broadcloth Shirts

Boys genuine English broadcloth shirts, collar attached will go at—

\$1.35

Boys Caps

Boys caps of extra good quality new styles will go at—

79c

Men and Boys Shoes



Our entire stock of mens and boys dress and work shoes are on sale at very low prices. Stock consisting of standard brands, all of these brands are of reputation and are guaranteed to give satisfaction or your money cheerfully refunded.

Enormous Savings in This Dept.

Men's Sweaters

Mens pure will coat style dress sweaters, neatly made, four pockets, a wonderful value at only—

\$4.19

Lumber Jacks

Mens dress lumber jacks in fancy colors, the kind they all want will go at—

\$5.69

Do Your Christmas Shopping NOW



Only 24 more shopping days left until Christmas. The wise shopper shops early to avoid the rush, and benefits by getting the best selections. Everything in our store will be on display, with plain price cards, in order to make shopping more easy. Come early and select your Christmas gifts for your family and friends at sale prices. We mention below just a few of the many useful gifts that can be purchased during this sale. Such as mens and ladies bathrobes, boudoir shoes, silk underwear, silk hose, gloves, etc.

You Cant Afford to Miss This Big Sale

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Colorado Bargain House
THE PRICE IS THE THING

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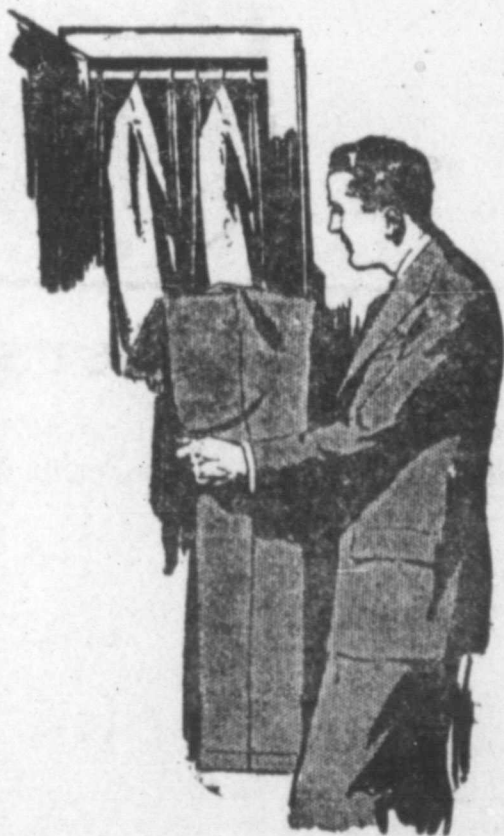


Starting F
We Are Selling
Best New
Come And See and

Beginning Friday November 27th Colorado Bargain House opens the trail that will be traveled by thousands of people throughout the trade is now being arranged and marked on lower levels and COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE LOWER LEVEL IS FAR BELOW COMPETITION in the history of this store. REMEMBER when better prices are made the COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE WILL MAKE THEM.

Cotton checks good quality will go at per yard 8c	Extra heavy outing 36-in. wide light and dark colors at only per yard 19c	Special for Friday only, one lot of broderie package outfits will go at
Outing assorted light colors medium weight at 12c		

100 Ladies Fall Hats Values up



Men and Boys Clothing

For Greater Service, 2 pair of Pants

There is no denying the fact that two trousers suits offer you greater value and better appearance. Particularly such clothes as we present—the kind that is made to rigid specifications, insuring you every thing you want in good suits. We especially call your attention to our stock of long pants suits for your little boy who is anxious to dress like dad. A visit through this department will convince you that we are offering to save you money.



Establishing the Fact Beyond Contradiction that this will be the Greatest Sale of the year. Be here and reap the benefit of our low prices.

Ladies Silk Dresses, Values



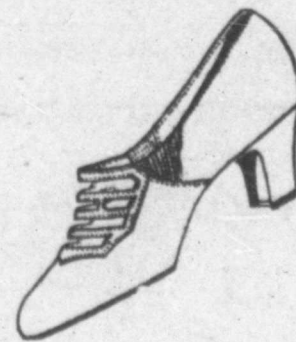
COLLAR AND CUFF SETS

A beautiful assortment of collar and cuff sets, jabots and frills. They will add a tasty touch to that new dress, and make the old one look new. All these at SALE PRICES.



Ladies Novelty Footwear

All ladies foot wear at SALE PRICES. We have a wonderful selection to select from in pumps strap pumps, in low, French military and spike heels, in satins, velvets, patents, etc. You are offered an opportunity to select from our newest patterns at a great saving. See our window display for prices.



Piece Goods

Such a cheerful selection of patterned, brocade, chiffon, satin back. The prices are so attractive that announcement will respond.

NINE-QUARTER BROWN PEPPERELL SHEETING V

Be Here Friday at 9:00 A. M We will Sell Tv

The Store That Is
Known Throughout
the west for low prices

Colorado Bargain
THE PRICE IS

ng Friday Nov. 27th at 9 A.M.

Selling The Town The t News of The Day See and You Will Be Convinced



throughout the trade section. This message is now being broadcasted throughout every road leading to this great shopping center. Merchants are having **LOW COMPETITIVE SALES**. Wholesale cost in many instances have been entirely disregarded. High grade merchandise and fastest sell-
MAKE THEM.

any only, one lot of Bucilla Embroidery outfits will go at 1-2 Price	Ladies rubbers, medium heels all sizes, regular \$1.00 value - 49c	Percale 36-in. wide good quality fast colors go at 16c One lot of silk jersey petticoats will go at only 1.59
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Ladies Coats and Dresses

Latest and Best Styles

They're rare values. We have a wonderful selection of coats and dresses. While low prices may be an inducing factor, it's style and the material that will interest every prospective buyer. You will find these in the snappiest styles and newest shades. All at such remarkable low prices you can't afford not to buy one.

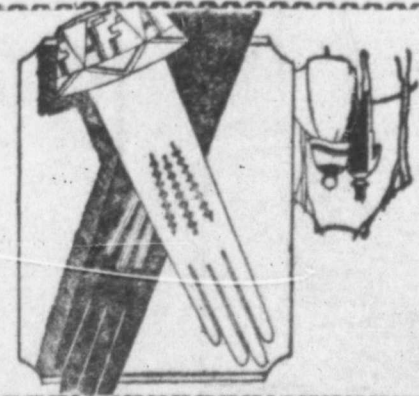
See These Dresses Before You Buy



values \$20, Will Go at \$11.98

Piece Goods Department

heerful selection of patterns. There you will find satins, char-
vocadoed chiffon, satin back cantons, and serviceable woelens.
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A lovely selection of
Ladies Novelty & plain
dress gloves in kid,
suede, etc., fancy trim-
med turn back cuffs,
bright color linings,
these also make ideal
Gifts and will go at sale
prices.

BOYS LONG PANTS

Just like your dads
sizes 8 to 16, will
go at **\$2.49**

Bucilla Packages

We are placing on sale our entire line of Bucilla Embroidery. Here you will find a special assortment of low-priced novelty pieces, ideally suited for gift purposes; and an extensive range of wearables for baby, kiddies and mother as well as decorative pieces for living room, dining room, boudoir and kitchen.



**BUCILLA
Embroidery
Packages**
No. 5349 \$1.40 Set
Sacque and Han-
dieu. Pink or Nile
Green Voile.

TING WILL GO AT 38c per YARD

Sell Twelve Mummy Silk Pongee at 59c Yard

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Starting Friday, Nov. 27th at 9:00 A.M. BE HERE

OUR GREATEST SALE

BARGAINS

**GET READY
for Winter
Months!**

Beat The Northers---Buy Now

Cold weather will soon be here. Now is your chance to select your winter wear for your entire family at bargain prices. Our entire stock consisting of more than a hundred thousand dollars worth of carefully selected merchandise is being placed on sale at such low prices that we intend to move over fifty thousand dollars worth of merchandise in twenty four days. Come early and get first choice. Remember this is a COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE SALE. Everything will be sold under a bona fide guarantee to give satisfaction or your money will be refunded.

TOWELING

Toweling 13¢ per yard. Ideal for making fancy tea towels, etc. Limit 10 yards to customer.

SATEEN

Good quality sateen 36 inches wide, regular 35¢ value will go at per yard—

27c
MENS SOX

Mens wool mixed sox will go at per pair

22c
SILK SOX

Mens fibre silk dress sox will go at per pair—

29c
JERSEY GLOVES

Mens jersey gloves will go at per pair—

18c
HANDKERCHIEFS

Mens white handkerchiefs will go at each

4c
UNION SUITS

Mens union suits good quality will go at

\$1.39
WOOL UNION SUITS

Mens wool union suits will go at only—

\$2.15

Wool Mufflers



MUFFLERS, they protect. When old Jack Frost steps forth on a rampant one of these pure wool mufflers goes a long way in providing the proper protection, presented in a variety of colors and patterns, at prices ranging from \$1.65 to \$2.89.

High Grade Overcoats

Visit our clothing department and slip on one of high grade overcoats, they are just what you're going to need these cold crispy mornings. We have a wonderful selection of standard makes, and can assure you a perfect fit, at prices most any one can afford to pay, ranging from.

\$10.90 to \$32.50

GIRLS COATS

One lot of girls overcoats sizes 3 to 6 will go at—

\$2.65
BOYS OVERCOATS

One special lot of boys overcoats sizes 3 and 4 will go at—

\$3.89
LADIES COATS

One special lot of ladies coats regular \$8.90 to \$11.90 values will go during this sale at only—

\$6.95
GINGHAM DRESSES

100 ladies gingham dresses to be closed out at only—

98¢
MENS ARMY SHIRTS

Mens pure wool army shirts coat style will go at—

\$2.89
MENS WORK SHIRTS

Mens mole skin work shirts coat style will go at—

\$1.69

Mens blue and grey work shirts extra heavy quality coat style will go at—

89c
OVERALLS

Mens blue denim overalls will go at only

\$1.49

Many Other Bargains in Our Big Store That Space Wont let us Tell

Colorado,
Texas

Colorado Bargain House
THE PRICE IS THE THING

Fri. Nov. 27,
9:00 A. M.

MOTHER OF MRS. DOW DIED FRIDAY NOON AT COLORADO

Mrs. J. M. Dorn, mother of Mrs. James L. Dow of the Avalanche, died at her home at Colorado City yesterday shortly after 12:00 o'clock according to information received here.

Mrs. Dow was enroute to Colorado to be at the bedside of her mother at that time, having left here on an eastbound Santa Fe train at 11:00 o'clock Friday morning.

Mrs. Dorn who was 76 years of age had been in feeble health for some time, and three weeks ago was taken seriously ill, having suffered a stroke of paralysis. Other complications no doubt entered into the case after her illness, and the end came after a heroic struggle.

Editor Dow of the Avalanche together with other relatives will leave here early Sunday and will attend the funeral services which will be conducted at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Church at Colorado.

Following the funeral services at the church, the remains will be borne to Union, eight miles from Colorado, where interment will be made in the Union cemetery. Union is the old home place of the Dorn family. Mr. and Mrs. Dorn having resided there when they first went to Mitchell county in 1890.—Lubbock Morning Avalanche.

OFFICERS MOVE NEGRO SLAYER

Only 24 hours after Fisher county authorities moved James Sheffield, negro, from the Roby jail to a place unknown when Mexicans began to gather in Roby, death came to Jose Lopez, second victim of the

deadly aim of the black, at the Sweetwater Sanitarium. The negro was arrested Saturday shortly after the shooting affray which has so far resulted in the death of two Mexicans and the serious wounding of a third.

The negro was quietly slipped from the Fisher county jail about dark Monday according to local officers, when mob violence was feared from a group of Mexicans who had gathered in the city during the afternoon. Fisher county officers did not reveal the place to which the negro was taken. Reports that he had been moved to Sweetwater were denied by local officers.

Mark Musgrove and G. Huff, Nolan county officers who went to the scene of the killing with Roby authorities and participated in the chase which resulted in Sheffield's arrest, stated that there were only three shells in the pistol which killed two and wounded a third.

The Mexicans were picking cotton on the Wetzel farm and the negro was employed nearby on the Barron ranch. According to the Mexicans' story the negro was caught in the act of stealing from the Mexicans place by Mrs. Jose Lopez. Mrs. Lopez was shot and almost instantly killed, and her husband, Jose Lopez and cousin, Guerto Epitaceo, were seriously wounded.

The men were rushed to the hospital here, where a bullet wound above the heart proved fatal to Lopez. He died at 8:30 Tuesday night. The Mexican youth will probably recover.—Nolan County News.

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DAN MOODY TO BE IN RACE FOR GOVERNOR PAPER SAYS

From Georgetown Sun:

In this issue of The Sun we are carrying the announcement of Dan Moody as our candidate for Governor of Texas before the coming democratic primaries in July, 1926. We are doing this for two reasons: first, because he is our choice for the office, and second, because of the great popular demand that he run we believe that the first public demand should come from his home county. It was in Williamson county that he first gave evidence of his great and singular abilities as a constitutional lawyer and as a defender of the law. Here was the battle ground on which he challenged and received the admiration of the nation for his understanding of the fundamentals of our democratic form of government, and it was from here he went out into the State and received his commission to administer the chief law office of the greatest State in the Nation.

It makes no difference whether he be attorney general, governor, or whatever he may be, to us of Williamson county he is still just Dan Moody, and wherever he goes in his battle for the right and for law our sympathy and best wishes go with him.

"Thrice armed is he whose sword is the truth," and Dan Moody's sword has never been unsheathed save in a battle for the right, and we believe it never will. Bold, courageous, unafraid, he stands in the open spaces with God's sunlight upon his head and speaks in the open for the cause of the people. Unpurchased and unpurchasable, he defends the rights of the commonwealth against friend and foe alike. He hates nobody, he desires no living person harm, but it matters not who crosses the threshold with acts or deeds which are inimicable to the safety of our government, Dan Moody, as long as he is an officer of the law, will meet him at the bar of justice or on the forum of this land in defense of those sacred ideals from which this government has drawn and continues to draw its greatness.

Let every man who stands for the best there is in government, for the rights of every man under the law, for honesty and integrity, address himself to Dan Moody and say to him that we are in need of your services and we demand you serve as governor in the coming four years' term. It is not a monetary consideration—he has been offered more for a month's service than he could make in two terms as attorney general of Texas or Governor of Texas. Money means nothing to this stalwart son of Texas, but he will heed the call of his country-men and, following the elections of 1926, through which he will sweep into office by the largest majority, if, in fact, he should have an opponent, ever given a citizen of this State. Following this there will be rendered a service never before experienced from the big granite capitol on the hill at Austin.

Comparisons are said to be odious; that may be true, but we will say

that for years we have recognized in John H. Reagan, James Stephen Hogg, Charles A. Culberson, the very embodiment of our American institutions, but in all candor we say to the people of Texas that the patriotism, the statesmanship, and the fidelity of these great men do not surpass this latter day giant among our statesmen. He is loyal, he is true, he is learned, he is courageous, he is clean, he is honest, he is just—and should be the next governor of Texas. May it be even so.—Georgetown Sun.

The Sun is Moody's home town paper and may get something started in the coming governor's race.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION. STATE OF TEXAS County of Mitchell City of Colorado

TO THE RESIDENT PROPERTY TAX-PAYING VOTERS OF COLORADO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICTS:

Take notice that an election will be held on the 9th day of December, 1925, within said district in obedience to an order duly entered by the Board of Trustees on the 16th day of November, 1925, which is as follows:

WHEREAS, there has been presented for the consideration of the Board of Trustees the petition of R. P. Price and fifty other persons asking that an election be ordered upon the question of issuing bonds of said school district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building within said district, of brick and stone material and purchasing a site therefor; and

WHEREAS, it appears to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees that said petition is signed by at least twenty qualified property tax paying voters of said school district, and is otherwise in conformity with law, the Board is of the opinion that said petition should be granted, and said election as prayed for should be ordered:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED by the Board of Trustees of the Colorado Independent School District:

That an election be held in said Colorado Independent School District on the 9th day of December, 1925, which is not more than thirty days from the date of this order, at which election, in accordance with said petition, the following PROPOSITION shall be submitted to the resident qualified property taxpaying voters of said school district for their action thereupon:

Proposition
Shall the Board of Trustees of Colorado Independent School District be authorized to issue the bonds of said school district to the amount of \$150,000 to become due and payable serially, as follows:

Bond Numbers	Maturity Date	Amount
1-2 inc.	Feb. 10, 1927	\$2,000.00
3 inc.	Feb. 10, 1928	\$1,000.00
4 inc.	Feb. 10, 1929	\$1,000.00
5 inc.	Feb. 10, 1930	\$1,000.00
6-7 inc.	Feb. 10, 1931	\$2,000.00
8-9 inc.	Feb. 10, 1932	\$2,000.00
10-11 inc.	Feb. 10, 1933	\$2,000.00
12-13 inc.	Feb. 10, 1934	\$2,000.00
14-15 inc.	Feb. 10, 1935	\$2,000.00
16-17 inc.	Feb. 10, 1936	\$2,000.00
18-19 inc.	Feb. 10, 1937	\$2,000.00
20-21 inc.	Feb. 10, 1938	\$2,000.00
22-23 inc.	Feb. 10, 1939	\$2,000.00
24-25 inc.	Feb. 10, 1940	\$2,000.00
26-28 inc.	Feb. 10, 1941	\$3,000.00
29-31 inc.	Feb. 10, 1942	\$3,000.00
32-34 inc.	Feb. 10, 1943	\$3,000.00
35-37 inc.	Feb. 10, 1944	\$3,000.00
38-40 inc.	Feb. 10, 1945	\$3,000.00
41-43 inc.	Feb. 10, 1946	\$3,000.00
44-46 inc.	Feb. 10, 1947	\$3,000.00
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OIL DEVELOPMENT DUE TO PICK-UP IN WEST TEXAS

The long expected oil development activity is now about due in this section. The bringing in of a commercial well by the Magnolia Com-

pany, four miles south of Latah started the ball rolling, and good oil showings were encountered in the next three tests drilled along the Marathon Fold structure, across the east and southeast portion of Howard county. These tests are from four to five miles apart, and are on a line between the Mitchell and Reagan county oil fields. The O'Daniel No. 1, being drilled by Choate & Henshaw, on a portion of a large block owned by the Marland Oil Co., has had three showings; and one around 2640 feet is considered good for 30 barrels per day. It was decided to pass this sand up for the present and go down after the oil sand which was encountered in the Magnolia's producer at 2870. The O'Daniel is about four and one-half miles southwest of the Magnolia well.

The Deep Rock Oil Co.'s Hyman No. 1 is about five miles southwest of the O'Daniel well, and a good oil showing was encountered in this test at about 1300 feet. It was decided that this oil showing would be passed up for the present so the well could be sent on down in search of the 2800-foot sand. A twelve or fifteen barrel production can be secured at the 1300-foot mark according to estimates made by oil men.

About five miles southwest of the Deep Rock test is the Fred Hyer test well on the H. R. Clay ranch. This well which is said to be capable of producing around 30 barrel per day is to be put on the pump and given a thorough test. It is reported that an off-set to this well is to be started soon.

The fact that this well is only 1600 feet deep leads to the belief that a shallow oil field is going to be de-

veloped in the southeastern portion of Howard county, and some of the big oil companies have been paying fancy prices for leases and royalties the past few days.

It is reported that arrangements have been completed for drilling on the W. R. Settles ranch, 14 miles south of Big Spring, a location having been made on Section 160, block 29, W. & N. W. survey. This location will be about five miles southwest of the Hyer test. While a large block there is owned by the Marland Oil Co., Goldman and Henshaw, independent oil operators will be in charge of this test.

It is also stated that the Roxana Oil Company, owners of a large block of acreage south and southwest of the Marland holdings, also plan to start a test well soon.

The Gulf Production Company plan to drill another test on the L. S. McDowell ranch, and it is believed they will drill east and south of the tests in which oil was secured heretofore.

The Choate and Henshaw test on the A. D. Neal ranch is another interesting test since it is on a line between the Mitchell and Reagan county oil fields.

It is rather a remarkable record for a wildcat oil field when the first four test wells show a good oil sand, though these tests are four or five miles apart. Enough oil has already been encountered to warrant an intensive drilling campaign along the line defined by the present tests.

The big oil companies have not been asleep and most of them have plenty of protection acreage along the Marathon Fold structure.

While we do not anticipate any oil boom in this section, we do expect to note the drilling of many new test wells in this county, these drilling tests to be carried out in a systematic manner. Since the big oil companies own so much acreage, and due to the further fact that no gushers have been struck, there is no likelihood of a rush to this section by the wildcat. —Big Spring Herald.

SWEETWATER HAS \$15,000 FIRE; MAN IS INJURED

SWEETWATER, Texas, Nov. 21.—Fire originating in cotton samples in a cotton buyers office here caused damage estimated at \$15,000 shortly before noon Saturday. The heaviest sufferer was McCord Bros. dry goods store, with \$10,000 loss mainly from water. The offices of O. A. Arbaugh cotton buyer, and G. Burton Fain, physician, also were damaged as was also the building which was owned by S. H. Prim of Dublin. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

L. F. Adams an employee in the cotton office, was painfully burned.

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9285 BALES COTTON RECEIVED

Up to Thursday morning of this week 9285 bales of cotton have been received at the cotton yard in Big Spring. The Big Spring Compress has received about 14,700 bales and has 3,000 bales now on hand to be pressed for shipment.

More than 3,000 bales of cotton have been received at Coahoma. There is some cotton at the Knott, Highway and Vincent gins so the total for the county is around the 12,000-bale mark. —Big Spring Herald.

FIRE IN WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING ON TUESDAY

Considerable excitement was occasioned by a small fire in the upper story of the West Texas National Bank building about 12:45 p. m., Tuesday though the damage was slight.

A match head broke off, as it was struck and fell into a stack of cotton samples in the sample room adjoining the cotton office of John Miller. Mr. Miller attempted to put out the blaze but it was threatening to get beyond control when the secretary of the chamber of commerce turned in the fire alarm.

Even after the fire hose got into play much water was required to extinguish the burning cotton. There was approximately one hundred and fifty pounds of cotton in the room. The offices on the first floor including the West Texas Electric Co., Big Spring Insurance Agency, Chamber of Commerce and Vogue Beauty Shop were slightly flooded by water for a time. —Big Spring Herald.

NEW HEADLIGHT LAW

The attention of all owners of motor vehicles and motorcycles is called to the following provision of the Texas Automobile Headlight Law

"Section 16. Before any county tax collector shall issue a certificate of registration to the owner of a motor vehicle or motorcycle as now provided by law, he shall require the presentation of a certificate showing that the headlights of such motor vehicle or motorcycle have been tested and adjusted at some one of the county test stations referred to, and that said test and adjustment have been made within the 30 day period just preceding the date of application for registration."

Since headlamps must be adjusted within thirty days of the date of registration of the cars, approximately two months will be available for the pre-registration tests. Considering extreme cases, for example, if a car is registered on January 1st, the owner will have had thirty days in which to have the headlamps adjusted, and if a registration is made on January 31st, practically the whole month of January will have been available. In other words, the certificate of adjustment must not be over thirty days old at the time the car is registered. Of course, most motorists will have their headlamps

adjusted about the time of registration.

Motorists are requested to begin registration at the earliest possible time and not wait until the latter part of December. Early registration will help the tax collector, and will save time for the motorist. The regular registration period will begin in this county about December 1st, 1925 and will extend through the month. 11-27c

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