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THE EAGLE WILL NOT BE PRINTED NEXT WEEK

Following a custom, observed by practically all country newspapers, of missing one issue during the Holidays, and a custom that this paper has always observed, no paper will be printed next week. A twelve-page Christmas Edition was planned for this week, but on account of the trouble the first of the week with the local light plant, we were unable to operate the linotype full time in order to set sufficient matter for this special edition, and although a supply of multi-colored cover pages had been purchased, we were unable to use them, and it was with much difficulty that we got out the usual eight page edition which is one day late.

The next issue of The Eagle will be December 31st—the last day of this year.

The editor, Mrs. Perry and the Little Eagle will go to Dublin next week for a few days.

We can fill orders for Christmas cards the remainder of this week and on Monday, Tuesday and Saturday of next week.

The Eagle Force wishes all the friends and customers of the paper a very Merry Christmas.

Up at the Division Shops of the Highway Department in San Angelo, a record of all equipment and its condition, in this division, is kept on a large bulletin board. On this board is shown also the comparative standing of the different section foremen, as to their ability to produce results as well as the manner in which their machinery is kept. Another bulletin board shows the name of the man whose machinery was in the best condition, under each foreman, when the Division Mechanic makes his monthly inspection. Mr. Roe has the unique position of having a man on each list this month. Jacob McDonald, who operates one of the H-P. Maintainers, is on the list as the one whose machine was in the best condition.

In talking with A. L. Mudge last week, we learned of another example of what so many hunters will do and why the ranchmen have such a good reason for refusing to allow hunting in their pastures. Mr. Mudge stated that the Government trapper, while passing through one of his pastures, found a sheep with a bullet hole thru its head, going in just behind the sheep's right ear and a goat that had been shot full, in fact, proving beyond any doubt that the shots had not been accidental, but that the hunter had either killed them for pure cussedness, or had mistaken them for deer.

Burt Braley, who drives the Big Buick Bus between Junction and Kerrville, came by the office Tuesday at noon to bring a part for our linotype that was furnished us through the courtesy of the Mountain Sun, when that particular part on our machine ad given way, told of a fire in Kerrville that morning that totally destroyed the Rock Drug Store, owned by a Mr. McCoy. The fire was caused by the explosion of a barrel of alcohol, and the fire gained headway so rapidly that the fire department of the city was unable to save the building and but very little of the contents.

Rev. Davis returned the first of the week from Fort Worth. He will fill his regular appointments at the Methodist church Sunday. At the morning service he will deliver a special Christmas sermon.

COPPERAS CREEK RANCH- MAN DIES AT KERRVILLE

E. O. Bode, prominent ranchman of the Copperas community, was operated on Tuesday night at the Kerrville Hospital for a very serious complication and died Thursday morning at about ten o'clock.

The body will be brought to Junction tomorrow (Friday) and funeral services held at the Methodist church at 2 p. m. Interment will be made immediately after, at the Junction cemetery.

Mr. Bode was born in Mason County 63 years ago. About 25 years ago he and his family moved to this county and settled on Copperas Creek, where he has since resided. During these years, by honesty and enterprise, he has built up a competence far above that accumulated by the average man. He was well and favorably known in this and Mason County. His interest in community and church affairs, and his ready smile won for him the admiration of his neighbors and friends.

For several weeks he has suffered from a minor ailment, but not until less than a week ago did any complications develop that were considered serious.

Deceased is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mesdames E. H. Harrison of Junction and J. H. Karbach of New Braunfels, and four sons, Lee R., of San Angelo, Wesley of New Braunfels, Ernest and Ed of this county.

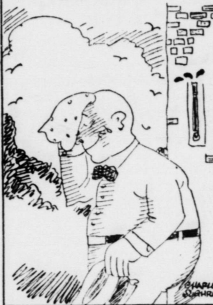
He was a member of the Methodist church. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. J. Virgil Davis, his pastor.

The children's program and Christmas services will be held at the Roosevelt Lutheran church Saturday, December 26th at 10 a. m.

We wish all our members and friends a Merry Christmas.
W. Wolf, Pastor.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS:

"WHICH ARE YOU, A RESIDENT OR A CITIZEN? A MERE RESIDENT, WHO JUST LIVES IN A TOWN BUT DOESN'T DO ANYTHING TO MAKE IT BETTER, IS LIABLE TO GET INTO THE HABIT OF CRIMINALIZING THE CITIZENS, WHO ARE TRYING TO MAKE THE TOWN A PLEASANT PLACE TO LIVE."



CHRISTMAS TREE AT CEDAR HILL.

The teachers and members of the Home Demonstration Club of the Cedar Hill community met recently and decided that they would have a Christmas tree at the school house, and in addition, would have a stand at which good things to eat and drink would be sold and the proceeds to be used for building a club room.

The following committees were appointed: for collecting money, fruits, etc., Mesdames John Hurst, J. T. Eubank and Miss Viola Adams; for arrangements, Mesdames D. Q. Adams, and Harry Thiers. The public is invited.

John R. Rennie returned the first of the week from New Orleans where he had been to visit his wife and son. His son is very much improved.

RANCHMEN BUY SEVERAL FINE HERD BULLS.

S. S. Bundy, Tommie Cowsett and O. W. Cardwell got back home Saturday night from a bull buying trip in the San Angelo country.

Tommie bought Don Woodford, grandson of Cold Woodford, who sold for \$50,000.00, and the only Hereford bull that ever brought that much money in the United States. This bull took the first prize at the San Angelo fair, and has been the header of the C. A. Brown registered herd for several years. For scale, and conformation, and style, this bull is thought by expert judges to be probably the best ever shipped into this country, and will make a wonderful herd sire for the R. N. Cowsett and Son registered Herefords.

S. S. Bundy and O. W. Cardwell secured two registered grandsons of Old Repeater, the wonder bull of the O. Harris herd of Harris, Missouri. Mr. Bundy also bought a six-year-old Gaylad bull bred by C. M. Largent & Son of Merkel, Texas. The herds of these ranches have been bred up until only registered bulls of herd-header type can improve them.

J. S. Fleming brought a couple of large turnips to The Eagle office last week, that were raised in his garden in the south part of town. Mr. Fleming said the turnips were planted in August and had made a remarkably heavy yield. This shows that winter gardening can be made successful here, and experience of many others show that this is a fine country for garden truck, for summer use and we ought to have more vegetables produced here to take care of the local demand.

Geo. Cavanaugh, local agent for the Overland, was in Dallas the first of the week and drove home a new Overland Sedan which had been sold to Jacob Fritz of London.

BLACKSMITH SHOP BURNED WEDNESDAY.

The blacksmith and general repair shop belonging to Rudolph Becker, located on the corner just south of the State Bank, burned early Wednesday morning.

Mr. Becker had gone to the shop at the usual time in the morning and built a fire in the stove, and had gone on to the Powell Garage.

No one noticed that the building was on fire, even after they had observed a heavy smoke, as the forge usually makes a heavy black smoke. Some one passing by saw that the building was on fire and gave the alarm. With a little water, the building could have probably been saved, but no effort was made to extinguish the fire by other means, as there were two gas drums in the shop and it was expected that they might explode any time.

The loss is estimated at between four and five thousand dollars, with \$3,000 insurance. Some of the heavier equipment was not damaged.

Work will start soon to replace the building and equipment.

RECITAL DRAWS LARGE HOUSE WEDNESDAY NITE

The recital, in which Miss Lois Hankins presented her music pupils, at the High School Auditorium Wednesday evening of this week, was attended by one of the largest crowds that has assembled in the new auditorium. The class was assisted in the program by Miss Blix Hankins, who gave a ballet and a Spanish dance.

The program was well rendered and very much enjoyed by those present.

Some printed stationery will make a gift that any one would be glad to receive. The Eagle is prepared to give you the best in quality and workmanship.

Leon H. Durst, employed by the Associated Press, formerly of Chicago, but recently transferred to Dallas, is here for two weeks visiting his mother and family.

W. H. Cavanaugh was in town Thursday from his ranch near Telegraph and called at The Eagle office to renew subscriptions to his sons, L. K., of Downey, California, and Walter, of Claypool, Arizona. Mr. Cavanaugh is one of the old time stockmen in this country, and in talking with The Eagle reporter, said that conditions were as good as he had ever seen them in all his experience. Livestock of all kinds are doing well, and range is comparatively good for going into the winter.

S. E. Bomar of Kerrville and D. L. Kernal of San Antonio, were in Junction last week and talking with business men and wool and mohair producers about a plan for establishing a wool and mohair mill on the Guadalupe at Center Point. They had visited several other towns also, in the interest of a meeting which is to be held at Center Point December 18th, to discuss plans for a preliminary organization of such an enterprise. They stated, while at The Eagle office that they were meeting with much encouragement in this section.

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JUNCTION FURNITURE CO.

A Fourth of July Santa Claus

By Eleanor E. King

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IT WAS the great day of the Fourth of July, and Tommy, like all the other seven children of the busy Mr. Allister family was out bright and early. Tommy had a great friend in the lady next door. So, Tommy had learned, and, by the way, kept it a safe secret from the rest of the troop, that when his stomach growled too loudly, if he were to go to next door he most always could get a piece of the best bread and jam, and perhaps run an errand or two for her to ease his conscience.

Tommy, bright and early, had found his way over to Mrs. Askins', as he called her. She was busy getting ready to go to a picnic.

"You see, Tommy," she explained in answer to his questions, "this man who is coming with his car to take us out to his house where we are to have our picnic, is an old chum of Mr. Has-kins."

As they loaded the things into the car Tommy trooped along and was in-



troduced to Mr. Miller. While they stood there Tommy spied a balloon man coming down the street. As the nose of the horn grew nearer, Tommy's eyes enlarged.

"Aren't those whoppers, though," Tommy sighed. "Gee!"

"Wouldn't you like one, Tommy?" suggested Mr. Miller, digging into his pocket. "Now, I'll tell you, Tommy, if you know my name next year when I come after these folks on the Fourth, I'll buy you another balloon."

It was almost Christmas now, and Tommy was once more in the Has-kins kitchen, watching preparations for another feast, but of a different sort. The most wonderful pies, cakes and puddings were being evolved. Suddenly, Tommy burst forth:

"Say, Mrs. Askins, do you remember what that man said?"

"No, Tommy; what are you thinking about?"

"Do you suppose he will come back? You know he bought me a balloon, and said if I remembered his name he would buy me another when he came back."

"Of course he will," said Mrs. Has-kins.

"Oh, I am so glad. My mother she just says I am silly when I ask her and says, 'I am too busy to be bothered with that. Run along, now.' And you know," Tommy hastened to add, "I haven't forgotten his name either. It's Mr. Miller."

That night Mr. Miller dropped in for a minute at the Has-kins'. Before his departure Mrs. Has-kins had a moment of conversation with him alone. He said, "All right," leaving with the merriest kind of a twinkle in his eyes.

Christmas Eve came. Daddy and Mother Allister were doing their best to keep from looking sorrowful. They



know only too well that they could never begin to give the children the number of things each wanted. The children had all gone to bed. Just Daddy and Mother Allister were in the parlor fixing up a little, scraggly tree when a knock, ever so gentle on the front door, attracted their attention.

"I am sorry to bother you at this hour, but I wanted to wait until I was sure Tommy would be in bed. Perhaps you would feel better to know my name—Miller," he said, shaking hands with Mr. Allister after depositing his load on the table. "I've a tree outside here," and he hurried out to get it.

The next morning was never equaled in all the annals of the Allister family. Such excitement, such happiness. Tommy, after his recovery from surprise and rapture over his toys, ran to his happy mother as she was trying to get breakfast. Tugging at her skirt, he said, "You see, mother, that man I met on Fourth of July was Santa Claus, and his name is Mr. Miller."

Ford Truck For Sale—In good condition; new tires; will trade for sheep or goats or cattle. James Prentiss, 33-3tc Junction, Texas.

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This reward also holds good for two small bunches of sheep wool branded letter C on left side with open side up; yearling mutton sheep marked crop and underbit the right, and underbit the left; yearling ewes reverse. Two year muttons, crop and overbit the right, swallowfork, over and underbit the left; private identification marks on both sheep and goats. Will pay reward in cash and absolutely not give name of informant if it is desired.

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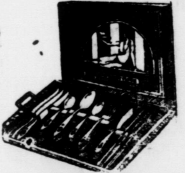


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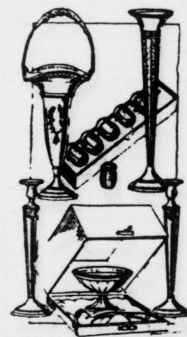
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THE PASSING OF THE FERGUSONS.

We read in the Holy Writ that Nebuchadnezer, King of Babylon, after running things to suit himself for a season, and while having a time with some friends one night, he saw a luminous writing on the wall which read: "Mene tekel upharsen." No one in the crowd knew what the words meant, so the king sent for the prophet Daniel to interpret the strange writing. When Daniel came, he told the king that the words meant: "Thou art weighed in the balances and found wanting." When Nebuchadnezer heard what Daniel said, something told him that he was a goner. Not long after this occurrence, and while everybody was drunk and soldiering on the job, the enemies of Babylon broke into the city and tore up things. They kicked Nebuchadnezer off the premises and sent him out to pick green grass with the chickens.

As king, Nebuchadnezer did all right at first, and most everybody thought he was making good; but he got too big for his breeches and went crooked, and when he was weighed in the balances, he was found to be a very light wad—and he passed.

When Jim Ferguson entered the race for governor back in the 'teens, very little was known of him; and as he recommended himself very highly, we took stock in a part of his statements and elected him. For a while, Jim apparently made good; but by and by, he got too big for his breeches and it was proven to the satisfaction of the senate that he had gone crooked and they kicked him out.

Jim raised a mighty howl about losing his job, and said the whole bunch was a set of dirty liars. At that time we were all either antis or pros., and calling each other liars and horsethieves; and as Jim was anti and most of the senate pros., the antis were inclined to take stock in what he said about the pros. and were inclined to overlook the alleged crookedness that had cost him his job.

Jim said in his paper: "To hell with the Democratic party; it stands for nothing." Later on, Jim was a candidate for

President of the United States on the American party ticket—and sure enough, he failed. So he dismissed the American party and recommended himself very highly to the Republican party. As the Republicans had already on hand a full supply of such men as Jim, he did not make much headway with them.

Later on, Jim recommended himself as a Ku Klux fighter. He told the folks that if they didn't elect him (by proxy) that the Ku Klux would get 'em. Jim worked this racket for all it was worth. He got a lot of folks so scared of the Ku Klux that they lost their minds for the time being and they elected him (by proxy). They gave a big shindig at Austin in honor of the occasion. Everybody had a good time.

To make things nice for Jim, the legislature passed a damn-nasty act, which was intended as a whitewash for the dark spots which the senate of 1917 had smeared on his escutcheon for past sins. Jim was now ready to do business in his wife's name. A big crop of suckers was ready for the sic-

kle, and Jim lost no time in the reaping. In his wife's name, Jim turned bootleggers, thieves, highjackers and murderers out of the penitentiary almost as fast as the courts and juries could send them there. Of course, we wouldn't for a moment insinuate that Jim got ang coin for these acts of mercy, even if they do say it on the streets.

Then, in order to see that the seventeen million dollars highway fund went into the right (?) pockets, Jim took a prominent part in the Highway Commission as chief advisor, and had his wife appoint a couple of lambs, Joe Burkett and Frank Lanham, as Commis-

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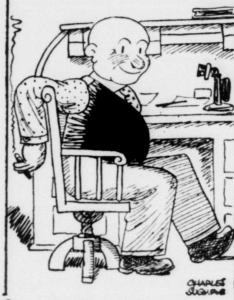
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Right On Through the Holidays Our Sale Continues

We are going to reduce this stock to the minimum by Inventory time, Jan. 1st. Figure what you will save on every purchase. Cold weather is upon us. You need warm clothes, such as men's, women's and childrens' underwear, blankets, quilts, good shoes, stockings and so on. A saving on every purchase you make, and a square deal to all.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Joe P. Fritz was in San Antonio the first of the week.

A. E. Nauwald, Menard hardware merchant, was in Junction on business Wednesday.

Only a few more shopping days. Better go to Phillip Joseph's and supply your needs.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Franks of Rocksprings spent several days visiting at the Coke R. Stevenson home.

A big lot of ladies' and men's Phoenix silk hosiery just received for the holiday trade at Phillip Joseph's.

We have alcohol that is not good to drink, but will keep your radiator from freezing. Better be safe than sorry.

35-2tc Wahl Bros. & Jordan.

A big new stock of Stetson hats for Christmas has just been received by Phillip Joseph. Drop in and see them.

FOR SALE—Eighty head of goats, 2's to 5's, at \$4.00.

J. W. Little, Junction, Texas.

35-2tp If you want to make your father, husband, or brother happy, buy them one of those nice overcoats at Phillip Joseph's.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Corkill Dr. L. L. Skaggs and Miss Fae Dell Taylor spent a few days in San Antonio the first of this week.

Mrs. C. E. Dunbar was operated on at Brady Monday and relatives who returned from there Tuesday, stated that she was doing nicely.

Buy a Hart, Schaffner & Marx suit and dress up. Phillip Joseph has them and you know they are one of the best brands on the market.

A good old customer of ours came in a few days ago and bought 3 pairs of socks that sell regularly for 35c per pair, and 2 heavy under shirts that sell regularly for \$1.00 each. He saved on the purchase at our sale price, 42c. "Well," he says "That is over a year's interest at 14 per cent on the investment, I have saved. That's not so bad; buying goods that and then make 14 per cent interest on the investment. I will be back for more." That's the way you save at Hamers Sale. Alex J. Hamer Company.

Areport from the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, has been received by The Eagle to the effect that Miss Joan Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Wilson, played the part of an old man in Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," which was presented in the College Auditorium on the evening of December 11th, by members of the College Dramatic Club. Miss Wilson is in her second year at C. I. A. and doing excellent work.

Mrs. J. T. Hughes returned from Austin Thursday where she had gone in response to a telephone message that Mrs. J. W. Burk had died Tuesday. It will be remembered that mention was made in these columns some weeks ago that Mrs. Burk had been run down by a passing automobile, and her death this week was a result of these injuries. Funeral services were held at Austin Thursday.

Messrs. C. M. Breeding and Mason Johnson, of Rocksprings were business visitors here last Wednesday. These gentlemen are members of the contracting firm of Breeding and Johnson, and have several contracts in the Edwards County capitol. Mr. Johnson is a Civil Engineer of wide experience, and Mr. Breeding has had many years experience in this line of work.

A number from here attended the meeting of the Segovia Literary Society last week-end. Durt and Norman Farmer sang a duet, accompanied on the piano by Natalee Lowry. The program rendered by local and visiting people was highly appreciated by the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lindsey and son, A. J., of Mason, returned home Sunday. Mrs. Lindsey had spent the week visiting relatives and friends in the city.

Wahl Bros. & Jordan, local Star dealers, report the sale of a Four-door Sedan to N. C. Patterson and a Touring car to L. S. Foley, during the past week.

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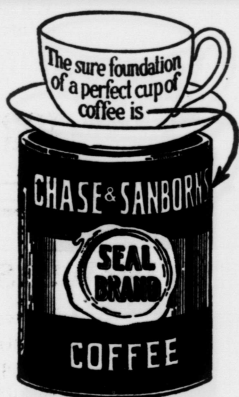


The Last Minute SHOPPER

Step on it! If you don't want to disappoint them. Christmas is mighty near, but you still have time to step in here and select a gift. So many gifts to be found in our store that it would be impossible to enumerate them. We have gifts for all—the kiddies, too—and by coming in and looking through the stock, you will see articles that will exactly fit your Holiday requirements.

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The Star Over the Barn

By CHRISTOPHER G. HAZARD

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IT HAD been a strange Christmas Eve. The falling snow had changed to sleet and the sleet had turned to rain. The disappointed children had hung their stockings by the chimney with fears that the reindeer and the sleigh of Santa Claus would not be able to bring him over the muddy roads. Their dreams were disturbed by visions of wreckage and bundles scattered about. At the church party there had been a Santa Claus, but when his mask slipped down and he put up his hand to fix it they knew that he was not the real one. There had been three wise men, following a star, too, but their white whiskers and pointed sticks had frightened the girls who were the angels so that they could not sing. And now it seemed as though the real Christmas would be a failure, too.

It looked that way to others on that dreary evening. It seemed to two travelers who were making their way towards the farm house that they could not keep their closely wrapped bundle dry much longer and that the night was very dark indeed. They were very glad to pass the sleeping house and find a refuge in the old barn and a bed on the fragrant hay. Their long and weary journey was forgotten in the dreams that came to comfort them with pictured hopes, and they were all unconscious of the peace and brightness that had succeeded the storm.

In the house, however, unconsciousness had been suspended. Ears strained in vain for sleigh bells, but a gentle voice had fallen upon them with a happy Christmas greeting from Mrs.

Rosebud (for so they called her) and she had called them to the joy of a beautiful Christmas morning. In the colder air there lay a light snow over all the bareness of the day before and it was all ready to sparkle back the merry glances of the coming sun. But first there gleamed in the pale blue sky and gathering down the light of



The Star Was Resting Just Over Their Barn.

the morning star, and as the children looked out of the window of their room they saw that the star was resting just over their barn.

Perhaps there never was a merrier Christmas morning than the three wise children enjoyed that day. It wasn't merely because the stockings had grown big and bumpy through the night. It wasn't only because they could even smell the Christmas tree through the crack in the parlor door. It wasn't the new hair ribbons, the Dutch apron, the small pair of scissors tied with blue ribbon and the small pair tied with red ribbon, the angel cake, the box of "Creole" candy, the new skates, the extra doll "Fancy." It wasn't all these or the play house, or the pencil sharpener, or even the writing case that made one of the ec-

static youngsters say, "Next Christmas, when old Santy comes down the chimney, I'm going to make him kneel down, then I'll whisper in his ear: 'You old Santy Fatcake!'" And it wasn't every blessing of the day that made them thankful enough, for, pulling an orange out of her stocking, one of them was heard to say, "Santay, you're giving me too much fruit." But it was something sweeter, greater and more beautiful, something that was in the under thought of all their hearts and that was presently to be in their experience, for, as they ran down to the barn, carrying their new treasures along to play with them on the barn floor, they heard a movement and a strange cry behind the barn door. And, when they opened the door, there upon the hay were the travelers, the old man with the kindly look, the lovely one who seemed to be his daughter, and the unbundled baby, smiling so deeply and so sweetly. It was the baby that was the best of all. It was the baby that sat by the table in the high chair, with little gifts before him. It was the baby that made the feast so greatly good for them all and caused them to give thanks for the star that, despite the storm and cloud, had led them to their barn. It was the baby that inspired the prayer of one of the children that Christmas night, when she said, "We know you sent your little baby Jesus for us to love. So, merry Christmas, God!"

Notice to Stockholders of the Junction State Bank and Junction Cattle Loan Company.

You are requested to be present at our annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Junction State Bank & Junction Cattle Loan Company, to be held at their offices in the Junction State Bank Building, on Tuesday, January 5th, 1926, at 2 o'clock p. m.

W. P. RILEY,
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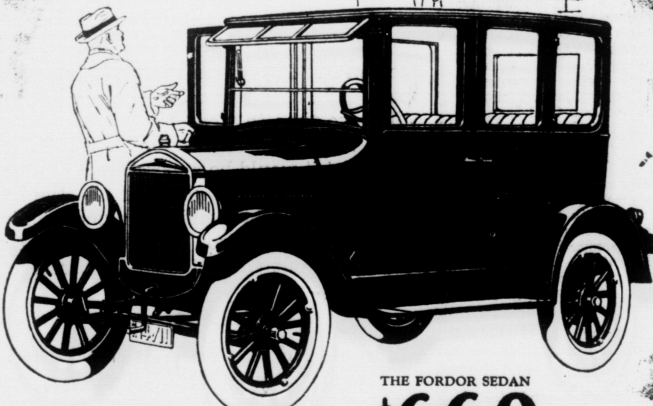
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SPRIT OF CHRISTMAS

By Rev. Alan Pressley Wilson
(Ch. 1324, Western Newspaper Union.)



CHRISTMAS be merry, and withal. And feast thy poor neighbors, the great with the small.

So wrote the poet Tusser many years ago, but the suggestion is just as pertinent today as it was then. If anything, we need to be reminded of our duty to our fellow-man more today than our fathers did—more today, indeed, than ever before. This is true because the need for brotherhood is even more patent than at any other period of the history of the world.

We live in an age when we think solely of ourselves and our immediate families and we should have brought to our attention the fact that we owe a debt to our neighbor and that that debt must be paid. The story is told of a rich man who prayed—
Oh, Lord! bless me and my wife,
My son, John, and his wife;
Us four
And no more!

We blush for shame that there could be found one who is so narrow, yet I am assured that such people exist today. There are those who, when they have satisfied the needs of their own, assume a self-satisfied air and say that they have done their whole duty. Approach such a person and remind him of the need of a friend or a neighbor and he will ask the time-worn question: "Am I my brother's keeper? Haven't I enough to do to look after my own family?" The teachings of Jesus Christ answer the first question in the affirmative (and the latter in the negative) with even more emphasis than God answered Cain when he originated the selfish inquiry. Jesus taught that the Decalogue is summed up in the greater commandment—"Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself," and His definition of "neighbor" is any one who needs our help. Territorial or other limitations do not apply when the case of one in need is before us.

There is no geographical limitation when we are extending the hand of assistance to one who needs our help:



The Spirit of Christmas.

wherever there is found one or more whom we can (and should) assist, there neighborliness must begin.

A minister once approached one of his parishioners with the request for a contribution for the purpose of doing Christian work abroad. The particular field he had in mind was China. The man replied that he was willing to help his neighbors but did not think he was called upon to help those as far away as China.

"Whom do you consider your neighbor?" asked the minister. "The man whose farm adjoins mine," was the prompt reply. "How far down into the earth does your land extend?" was the next question and the farmer just as promptly answered: "To the center!" "Very well," said the minister quickly, "There is a man down in China whose land joins yours at the center of the earth; he is therefore your neighbor and needs your help." This was a new thought to the stowing church member. He learned his lesson and we need to learn the same. Only as we do so will we be able to broaden our lives into the fullness of the life of Jesus the Christ.

The application of the teaching of Jesus to business and society would produce a perpetual Christmas season; a time of peace and joy and happiness lasting throughout the year.

The giving of cheap presents or money, however, does not constitute Christmas; as well expect a bouquet of flowers (however lovely) to constitute summer! The Christmas spirit, rather than the Christmas show, honors Him whose birth, no less than His life, was the greatest Christmas gift the world has ever received. The Christmas spirit brings us into closer touch with Him whose very life was an exemplification of the precept: "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

As we celebrate the anniversary of the birth of Jesus let not the going down of the sun mark the decline of the Christmas spirit but, as the days come and go, and we enter the new

year, let us each one reach out the loving hand to the sick, the unfortunate and the outcast, remembering that Jesus the Christ said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto Me!"

Change All Into Love
Christmas day shall change all griefs and quarrels into love.—Shakespeare.

The Christmas Message
Christmas represents a great historic event and spiritual truth—the most important of all events, the most precious of all truths—no less than the coming of God to earth, in human nature, in the person of a child, to save us from our sins. That makes the wonder and the glory and the blessing, in the birth of Jesus. He came to express the divine love, and by His sacrificial death, to make that love effective unto the salvation of all who should believe on him. The cross on Calvary marks the tragedy in the life of the child born at Bethlehem. It also makes its glory.—Presbyterian Banner.

NOTICE!

Bring in all cash tickets by December 20th. For every \$20.00 worth of cash tickets we will issue a number ticket. Don't forget the date. All cash tickets will be void after this date. Junction Hardware Co.

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Hankins-Riley Hall

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Lois Wilson, Noah Beery, Raymond Hatten and Raymond McKee, in "Contraband."
A Paramount Picture.

SATURDAY, DEC. 19th:
Lewis Stone, Alma Rubens, Norman Kerry, Irene Rich and Constance Bennett in "Cythera."
A First National.

TUESDAY, DEC. 22nd:
Viola Dana, Theodore Roberts, and Raymond Griffith in "Forty Winks."
A Paramount Picture.

FRIDAY, DEC. 25th:
Alice Terry in "Any Woman."
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SATURDAY, DEC. 26th:
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JUNCTION, TEXAS

RECITAL.

The pupils of Mrs. H. O. Patterson will be heard in Recital Friday Evening, December 18th, at High School Auditorium, at 7:30 p. m.

PROGRAM

Chorus—"In December."	
"Santa Claus' Talk"	Lester Luehrs.
"Mama's Precious Girl"	Marguerite King.
"Aminias of Poketown"	Flossie Boone.
"When My Dollie Died"	Mae Delle Lowry.
"At the Milliner's"	Blix Hankins.
"Innocence"	Marvin Rae Davis.
"At the Concert"	Edmund Vance Cook.
	Ruth Lee Hoggett.
"The Kitten's Christmas"	Will Alwin Linn.
"The Sandman"	Arthur Lawler, Jr.
"Entertaining the Minister"	Elsie Duncan Yale.
	Ray Munn.
"Getting Information out of Pa."	Harrell Ramsey.
Song—"The Beautiful Christmas Eve"	Elenne Newby, Blix Hankins, Natalie Lowry, Mrs. Patterson.
"What William Henry Did"	Elenne Newby.
"The Pauper's Christmas"	Jessie Lee Randolph.
	Natalie Lowry.
"The Night Wind"	Eugene Field.
	Harrie Ethel Hubbell.
"Somebody's Mother"	Virgil Edwin Davis.
"Ma Lectures Pa"	Louise King.
"Some Girls Mama Knew"	Vivienne Livingston.
"When My Pa gets Mad"	Leroy Skaggs.
"The Morning Veil"	Lucille Motley.
"Irish Courtship"	Inez Ragland.
"The Village Gossip"	Nevada Blackburn.

An Alphabetical Farce.

Characters.

Mother, (ambitious for daughter)	Ray Munn.
Father, (in sympathy with Grocer Boy)	Elenne Newby.
Daughter, (in love with Grocer Boy)	Ruth Lee Hoggett.
Grocer Boy, (in love with daughter)	Flossie Boone.
City Boarder, (married Jelly-Bean)	Blix Hankins.
City Boarder's Wife,	Natalie Lowry.

TO THE STOCK HOLDERS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF JUNCTION, TEXAS.

You are hereby requested to be present at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Junction, to be held at its Banking house on Tuesday, January 13, 1926, at 4:00 p. m.

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The Passing of the Fergusons

(Continued from Page Seven) sioners. Frank looked after the interests of the American Road Company, while Joe entertained the people with speeches which served to keep the public from watching that big, fat road fund. However, Dan Moody, the Attorney General, was watching, and when these boys were in the act of passing a big wad of money over to the American Road Company, Dan reached out and snatched about \$600,000 of it and put it back into the treasury where it belonged. This made Jim mad, and he hired some lawyers to stop Dan from interfering, but the court told Jim that there was nothing doing, and at the same time told Dan to go ahead with his rat killing. Joe and Frank, the poor, persecuted (black) lambs, quit, and Jim got mad some more. Jim always gets mad when interrupted in a rich harvest of coin, for he loves coin dearly.

About this time, we began to get over the Ku Klux scare which Jim had thrown into us during his campaign, and we began to see things. We could see that the dry weather in East Texas had cracked the white wash with which our solons had decorated Jim, and the copious rains of West Texas had washed it off; so the poor sucker's iniquities are exposed to the cold eyes of those who so fondly hoped that he had a "comeback" through his wife.

When the legislature meets on January 4, 1926, we shall see the passing of the Ferguson dynasty. Whether or not they impeach Jim (by proxy) makes but little difference; Jim is a conner. For the good time Jim has been weighed in the balances and found to be a very light wad. No man in history has ever had the opportunity for making good that Jim Ferguson has enjoyed, and no man has made as little use of it. The Fergusons are passing, and there are but few to block the passage.—Sterling City Record.

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