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An Interesting Bit of History

Texas claims about 1500 square miles of land on the Mexican border that should belong to Mexico on the correct map of the State, according to Robert T. Hill, geologist and engineer of Dallas. The geography of Texas is still a mystery to the engineers and none of the maps represent the land as it is, Mr. Hill declared. The State has lost many acres of land to neighboring States on account of ignorance of what rightfully belongs within its boundaries. The Greer case, involving the north fork of the Red River and an exact knowledge of natural features, was lost by Texas because no one of her engineers knew the State, Mr. Hill said. This involved the loss of hundreds of acres of land.

All current maps of Texas locate the Rio Grande, which has always been accepted as a boundary between this country and Mexico, inaccurately, Mr. Hill declared. It is drawn so that it includes in Texas a strip of territory averaging twenty-five miles in width and seventy-five miles in length, which does not belong to it. Until the time of the recent war, when special surveys of the border were made by the War Department, nothing was known of the Rio Grande district. These maps, since published by the department, revealed the mistake in current maps.

There is no map in publication showing even approximately the physical features of the trans-Pecos section, the mountainous portion of the State. Many of the ranges and peaks are entirely omitted from the maps, and others are located inaccurately. Mr. Hill, in completing his report to the United States Geological Survey, has made a special study of these sections of the State and will make known many inaccuracies by the maps he is preparing for the Government.

The Davis Mountains, well known to the residents of Texas, are not included on any map, and it is often that the most familiar features are left off entirely. These mountains form one of the best range districts in the State. To the west of these mountains is a long, narrow strip of desert country, low-lying valley plains about 200 miles in length, running along the Rio Grande northwest into New Mexico. Nor are these valleys defined in any map in publication.

The Hudspeth County area, known as the Diablo country, consists of undulating plains with peaks of various sizes and kinds extending into the Sacramento Mountains of New Mexico. Between the Sierra Blanca Mountains and El Paso, the railroad follows a valley scoured out of the vast plain, extending northwest into New Mexico and southwest into Mexico. The traveler from Sierra Blanca to the New Mexico line, is always either upon or in sight of this plain for about 250 miles. The surface is so smooth, except where it broken rarely by peaks, that it seems as level as the floor. The plain is enclosed on all sides by a wall of higher mountain ranges. But none of these features have been placed on a map

and it is doubtful if the most learned geographer in the land could locate them correctly.

The county and State maps of Texas are inferior to those of other States, Mr. Hill said, because of the different systems of land survey used in Texas. In other States, the land has been accurately surveyed and divided into townships and sections. The surveying was done and field notes made under United States supervision, as maps of the country were always necessary to acquire land. The Texas systems were inherited from Mexico and Spain. Scrips or warrants were issued to individuals who went out, took some natural object for a corner, measured off a block of acres called for in the shape and direction chosen, and sent the notes to the Land Office. Current maps were compiled from these notes, made by many individuals, and topographic information supplied was nearly always meager.

One of the first essentials of good maps is that they should be fitted to definite astronomical locations of latitude and longitude. Township and section maps were thus tied on, but Land Office maps of Texas were plotted independently of such control.

Up to 1860, when the United States Geological Survey began in Texas, there was only one point in Texas with its exact location on the earth's surface known. This was a monument to David Crockett near the old land office on the capital grounds at Austin. It was located with great expense and accuracy by the United States Geodetic Survey.

About 1880 some women were giving a bazaar for patriotic purposes in Austin. They desired some patriotic souvenirs to sell at the bazaar, and at their request the old monument was broken up into pieces and taken to the bazaar. Thus perished the only point in Texas located on the earth's surface. The monument was built from stones from the Alamo, and the women sold them for paper weights.

A little later the Government instituted topographic mapping in Texas, and since then an elaborate system of astronomic control has been established. One of the lines used to measure all other distances from, was located by use of steel bars kept on ice to prevent the least variation in size. The mapping of Texas with improved surveying methods is just beginning, Mr. Hill said. Good maps are necessary to civilization and improvement, Mr. Hill said, and Texas will improve with better maps.

The report to be made by Mr. Hill is a detailed study of geographical and geological features of the State.—Dallas News.

Roy Hudspeth Sees Light

Roy Hudspeth was in Del Rio Wednesday after a trip through the east. Mr. Hudspeth expects the wool situation to be better soon. He was in Boston for a day and reports that several mills are now in operation and business men there expect the market to open during the early part of 1921.—Del Rio Herald.

On the morning of Dec. 5 the mechanical engineering department of A. & M. College was destroyed by fire with a loss estimated at \$75,000.

News and Notes for Busy Readers

Seven American banks are to be opened in Mexico soon, according to official word, and the total capitalization will be not less than \$1,000,000.

Clarence Onley, former Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, will again take up his work with the Extension Department at A. & M. College, College Station, Texas.

General Avaro Obregon, recently inaugurated as president of Mexico, is the fourth president to take the chair peacefully in Mexico during a period of 100 years.

Mexican consuls in the United States say that they are visiting more passports for Americans going into Mexico than they have at any time during the past five years.

A Nebraska inventor has invented a combination mangle and wringer which, coupled with an electric washer, is said to reduce the washday drudgery to a minimum.

A total of 592,190 names are carried on the roll of the pension office. Of this number 243,521 represent veterans of the Civil War, and 290,100 are widows of Civil War veterans.

Notwithstanding the scarcity of food and high cost of living in Germany, it is said that 145,000,000 marks went into betting machines at the horse races in Berlin during the recent 113 days of racing.

President Obregon, of Mexico provided an escort for Governor Hobby and other Texans from Mexico City to the border on their return from the inauguration exercises in that city.

A number of representatives in Congress are considering the advisability of restoring tariff to wool in order to relieve present pressing conditions among the wool growers of this country.

Rear Admiral Mayo, Commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, passed the age limit December 8 and was retired. He had seen forty years of service, having graduated from the Naval Academy in 1876.

The tiniest baby in the world, born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pratt of Ablene, weighed only one pound at birth, and is doing well. The boy takes nourishment regularly and has gained strength rapidly.

According to word of prominent manufacturers, shoe prices will be cut as much as one-third. Men's shoes formerly selling for \$10 per pair will be sold after Jan. 1st for \$6.90, and other shoes in proportion.

Four men escaped from the Cook county jail last week. They sawed their way through the bars of two windows and after sliding to the ground by a rope made of blankets, escaped in a waiting automobile.

DELIVERY HOURS IN OZONA

Beginning next Monday, Jan. 10th, we will deliver only at the following hours:

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Credit inflation is the never-failing accompaniment of a major war. It means high prices with a consequent lowering of the purchasing power of money. Credit deflation, which must always follow, means a scarcity of money, even for essential purposes.

For several months an effort has been made to discourage excessive speculation in stocks, commodities and land values and to bring about a wholesome price deflation. To some extent this has been accomplished through the increase in rates asked for money.

Building up cash reserves at this time will assist materially in relieving the strain on credit, and bringing industry, farming and business enterprises to greater real prosperity.

This letter is written to our depositors as a suggestion of how best they can help, and also profit, the present situation by building up cash reserves.

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WILL C. EASTERLING, Editor and Manager.

OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, Jan. 6, 1921

Question of the Hour: "Got any drinkin' whiskey?"

Another Question of the Hour: "Busted those new resolutions yet?"

Text for Today: "Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me." Psalm 51:10

Who would have thought that William J. Bryan could be silent throughout a presidential campaign?—Austin Statesman.

Range fires are the very worst calamities we now have to fear. Let us each and everyone endeavor to be as careful as possible to prevent them. Be careful of camp fires, and see that every coal is dead before leaving the camp. Do not throw cigarettes away before being absolutely certain that they are not burning. A range fire now would be a very destructive thing indeed. The grass is so rank that stock could not escape, especially if there should be a strong wind. Wouldn't it be a good idea to put up cards of warning at all the gates in the county? It would help to make people think.

Miss Cathrine Perner Childress was the lovely winner of the Stockman 1921 Christmas Baby Contest. She is, as was said, a prize winner from the start, and, being also a Leap Year Girl, will know just how to use a rope, like the real Ozona girls who have made such a startling record during the past year. Miss Cathrine was born at 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, December, 22 1920.

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A PRINCELY GIFT FOR A NOBLE CAUSE.

Major George W. Littlefield, a native of Mississippi and a Confederate veteran, one of the greatest of Texas philanthropists, who died recently at his home in Austin, left a half million dollars to the University of Texas.

At least two of these bequests should be of more than ordinary interest to every true Southron. These are:

"The sum of \$100,000 is bequeathed to the University and shall be added to funds previously donated for the preparation of a history of the United States which shall present a true history of the South, especially during the Civil War, and that the proceeds from the sale of this history when completed shall be used to form a fund for the maintenance of a chair of American history at the University of Texas.

"The sum of \$250,000 is set aside for use in constructing a massive bronze memorial arch over the southern entrance to the University campus. On top of the arch shall be placed a life-size statue of Jefferson Davis, President of the Southern Confederacy, on the right hand a statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee, and on the left a statue of Gen. Albert Sidney Johnston. Statues of John H. Reagan, postmaster general of the Confederacy, and James S. Hogg, the people's Governor of Texas."

It has been charged, and with good reason, that the text-books in history commonly used in Southern schools are distinctively Northern in tone, sentiment and viewpoint; and, in some cases, offensively so. Southern people do not object to being referred to as "rebels," unless the term is used by way of reproach or slight, in which event it is not altogether safe to use "rebel" as an epithet.

If we would pay more attention to our own Southern and Texas great dates of history, and do less to cultivate a peculiarly Northern attitude, we would be able to progress more effectually to a higher individual patriotism.

All honor to Major Littlefield for his princely bequests to so noble purpose!

Never before in its existence has The Stockman family been so lovingly and so abundantly remembered as it has during the holidays just passed—in every desirable way—good things to eat and wear, calendars, gifts and all manner of kindly attention. Ain't it a good old world?

For Sale, or what have you to trade for? a scholarship in the great Tyler Commercial College, the biggest school of its kind in the South? See The Stockman. The Stockman can save you money.

Good assortment of Earthenware for cooking purposes now in at the Ozona Lumber and Hardware Co.

Subscribe for The Stockman.

Good morning. Have you time to read The Stockman now? If not, please take time. Then send us \$2 for a whole year's subscription. It's cheap at half the price. Our experience with these West Texas people is that they'd rather pay \$2 for a good article than \$1 for a poor one, and we don't want The Stockman to be seen in company with a tightwad, anyhow. Dos Pesos, please.

Dr. George W. Cox

PHYSICIAN and SURGEON
DEL RIO, TEXAS.

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ALPINE WELL AT 800 FEET

John Young, Jr., of Alpine, who was in San Antonio yesterday, reported the Wilson No. 2, being drilled in Brewster county, down 800 feet, with the expectation that it will hit the sand in about three weeks. Mr. Young says that the Wilson No. 1, which was lost through a jammed casing, was a good well and hundreds of barrels of oil from the first well were sold to drilling rigs and the Terlingua quicksilver mines in Brewster county before the well was lost. The No. 2 is being drilled close to the location of the first well and it is expected will be on the sand at the same depth.

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Remember the Ozona-Barnhart mail, passenger and express route, and see or phone the conductor, Cam Longley, when you are ready to go.

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Ozona is distant from:

Barnhart	32 Miles
Big Lake	40 Miles
Eldorado	39 Miles
Sheffield	46 Miles
Sonora	38 Miles
Juno	42 Miles
Comstock	85 Miles
Del Rio	117 Miles
Fort Stockton	117 Miles
San Angelo	85 Miles

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People You Know About

San Angelo Standard.

E. B. Baggett Jr., of Ozona, has been spending the holidays with relatives in San Angelo.

Mrs. J. Bert Kincaid of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. M. K. Stevenson of Loraine, have returned to their respective homes after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carson.

George and Eddie Bean of Ozona and Arthur Bean of the Terrell school in Dallas, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Massey. Miss Nettie Massey, who has been teaching music at Junction, is now visiting her parents.

Mrs. J. B. Smith of Gorman, and J. R. Kersey and daughter, Jessie Lou, of Ozona, who have been spending the holidays with Mrs. J. C. Cunningham, have returned to their respective homes. Mrs. Cunningham's father, W. D. Kersey of Cameron, is spending the remainder of the winter with his daughter.

Mrs. T. A. Kincaid of Ozona was in the city shopping Monday.

Among the Ozona people registered at the St. Angelus were George Thompson, C. C. Barton, and Bruce Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Coates and Fleet Coates were in town Monday from Ozona. The brothers are engaged in the ranch business.

Sanderson Times.

A young lady living in Hoboken, New Jersey, named Arabella, has made a resolution that she will not wear silk hosiery during 1921. We are expecting Kuzn Bill of the Ozona Stockman to make the same kind of a resolution.

Mrs. George Newberry of Barnhart is the guest of Mr. and W. A. Cochran.

Val Verde County Herald.

W. M. Cox, of Ozona, arrived in the city last Sunday to note our progress.

Emmett Buck, of Sanderson, and Pierce Buck, of Wichita Falls, were visitors to the city this week.

Mertzon Star.

An apple a day will keep the doctor away; an onion a day will keep everybody away.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cox entertained their niece and nephew, Mary and Hugh Childress, of Ozona, and mother and sister, Mrs. M. J. Cox and Miss Dove Cox of San Angelo, during the holidays.

The Semi-Weekly Express half-price offer, one year (104 issues) for 75 cents, to end on February 1st. Regular price \$1.50. Almost like taking a daily paper. Comes Tuesdays and Fridays. The whole family enjoys it. Don't delay. Send money order or check. Address, Semi-Weekly Express, Express Bldg., San Antonio, Texas, and mention this paper. The editor will appreciate your doing this.

G. L. Cox, our new school superintendent, called at the Stockman office Tuesday and handed us a year's subscription.

MASSIE WEST HURT

While in Barnhart last Saturday morning, Massie West was painfully tho no seriously injured. He was cranking his car preparing to return to Ozona, and was kicked violently.

It seemed at first that his arm was broken, but because of the swollen condition, an examination could not reveal anything. Massie went to San Angelo, where the arm was examined with an X-ray, and it was found that the wrist was badly twisted and dislocated, but with no broken bones.

Massie came home, and despite the painful condition of his wrist, he has been on the streets quite often.

With Interest

American Legion Weekly: "What do you make of all these war taxes?"

"I'm beginning to think when I went off to the war, I must have told them to charge it to me."

See our cook stoves. They are the best.

Ozona Lumber Co.

WOOL SOLD IN 1920

During 1920 the Wool Growers' Central Storage Company, of San Angelo, handled 17,341 bags of wool and mohair, weighing 3,918,827 pounds. The mohair amounted to 1,795 bags, or 507,810 pounds. It was all sold at prices averaging 22c a pound, the turnover bringing approximately \$11,652.20 into the San Angelo country.

Of 15,546 bags or 3,411,017 pounds of wool handled during 1920, a half million pounds was short piece of the six and eight months clips, divided as follows: 320,000 pounds of short spring wool and 180,000 pounds of short fall wool.

The long or twelve months spring wool amounted to 3,418,827 pounds. Before the market collapsed about May 20, 281,000 pounds were sold at an average of 71 cents a pound, the highest figure on local record. Subsequently, all but 216,000 pounds of the long wool remaining was consigned to cotton houses at Boston.—San Angelo Standard.

Illustrations

"Trouble never comes single."
"You bet it don't. Last year we had double pneumonia in the family, and this year we had twins."

HORSES WANTED—to Break, broke to ride or drive. What have you? Satisfaction guaranteed. FAY E. WARD, San Angelo, Texas. 12-20

"Your name," said the clerk of the court.
"Ottiwel Wood," was the reply.

"Spell it, please," requested the clerk.
And the clerk was put to it as the man replied:
"O double T, I double U, E double L, double U, double O D."

Miss Edelle Cox, after spending the holidays with her parents in Ozona, left Sunday for Brownwood, where she attends Howard-Payne College.

Baptist Church Announcements.

The pastor will preach next morning at the Baptist church. There will be no evening service, but the other services will be held as usual. The officers and teachers of the Sunday school will meet at 9:45 for their conference. Some important matters are to be discussed at this time. Every officer and teacher is expected to be present and on time. The public is cordially invited to attend our services.

Time of services:
Sunday School meeting at 10 a. m.
Preaching service at 11 o'clock
Sabbath meeting at 4 o'clock
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. and
Evening preaching service at 7:15 p. m.
Our services are open to all. You are cordially invited. Come.
LEON M. GAMBRELL, PASTOR.

Oliver typewriter ribbons for sale at The Stockman office.

Concerning Chickens

A Southerner asked an old darkey what breed of chickens he considered the best.
"All kinds has der merits," replied Caesar, after a moment's consideration. "De white ones is de easiest to find, but de black ones is de easiest to hide aftah yo' gits 'em."

Paint is the life of a house. We have it.

Ozona Lumber Co.

Miss Jane Lau Foster spent the holidays with her relatives in Denton.

OTTO SCHAUER INJURED

Otto Schauer, one of our well known ranchmen, met with a serious accident last week, that was followed by serious results.

We have not been able to secure details, but it seems that he was standing on a table and in some way the table tipped over and he was thrown.

He was injured in the back, and at present is partially paralyzed on his left side.

We have hopes that he will soon entirely recover.

The Boy Wanted.

A business man advertised for an office boy. The next morning there were some fifty boys in line. He was about to begin examining the applicants when his stenographer handed him a card on which was scribbled:

"Don't do anything until you see me. I'm the last kid in the line, but I'm telling you I'm there with the goods."

"The Flaming Disc" is the new serial at the Majestic. See it every Tuesday night.

Windmill oil.

Ozona Lumber Co.

Mrs. Pearl Basworth, of Eastland, is in Ozona visiting her parents, other relatives and friends.

T. W. Patrick left Tuesday morning for San Angelo, where he will undergo medical treatment.

Misses Lena and Grace Cole, two of our school teachers, have returned from spending the holidays with their home folks at Crosbyton.

Mr. Carr came in from Barnhart Sunday and returned that afternoon with his wife, who has been spending the holidays in Ozona with the Davis family.

Miss Margaret Thompson spent the holidays in Fort Stockton with her parents. She returned to Ozona Sunday to resume her work in the school.

Miss Ruth Carson, of San Antonio, has returned to Ozona to take up her work in the school. Her mother came with her, and will remain in Ozona until the close of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nolan spent a few days last week in San Angelo. While there they were given a supper on New Year Eve at the St. Angelus Hotel, by their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Sturm, of Casper, Wyoming.

On New Year Day, they ate dinner with the family of Dr. Wardlow. Both of these occasions were greatly enjoyed, and the hospitality shown them will be long remembered.

An Unusual Opportunity.

A rare opportunity is offered a few more refined girls and young ladies to join my Vocal Class in Tyler, Texas.

Will re-open my studio in New York City next June 1st. Opportunity to accompany me and study with me there; optional eight years experience in New York. Best of references given. For further information, address Miss Irene Swann, 202 1-2 West Erwin St., Tyler, Texas.

Plows—steel beam, Meinecke's

Making It Realistic.

"Well, sir," said the bartender in one of the few remaining wet towns, "what will you have?"

"A scotch highball," said the stranger, as he looked about in a dazed way. "I've been living in a dry town for years."

"I suspected that, sir."

"Yes, yes. How all this carries me back! Eh—as a personal favor to me, will you spill a little beer on the bar and put my change in it?"

Mrs. E. C. Foster is one of the many people afflicted with the cold now epidemic in Ozona.

Homer Adams, who has been critically ill for more than two weeks, is reported as doing nicely, and although his condition is still serious, the doctors think that he will be able to leave the hospital by the end of this week.

Greene Cooke returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives at Vanderpool, among the mountains of Bandera county.

Mr. W. L. Watters, accompanied by his daughters, Misses Bernice and Ethel, went to Barnhart Tuesday, from which place Miss Ethel goes to Brownwood to re-enter Howard Payne College.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham, accompanied by daughters, Ruth and Leta, went to San Angelo Sunday. The girls were enroute to Austin to school. Miss Ruth goes to the State University, and Miss Leta to Whittis School.

Last Thursday evening, the report reached Ozona that the range to the north was on fire. Almost every man and boy in town immediately went to the place to check the blaze. It is not known how much damage was done, but rumors state that several sections were burned off. The fire started near the Orient railroad and was caused by a spark from a locomotive.

Oliver typewriter ribbons for sale at The Stockman office.

SCHOOL SESUMES WORK

The Ozona High School re-opened Monday, Jan. 3rd, after a period of holidays extending from Dec. 17th to day of re-opening. Prof. G. L. Cox takes charge as superintendent, Prof. Grissom having resigned to take up other work.

All the teachers have returned from spending the holidays at their various homes, with the exception of Miss Cleere, who has resigned. Her place has been accepted by Mrs. Broderick.

The daily routine of work has been resumed and the pupils are working steadily. Every indication points to a good school for the session.

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News and Notes for Busy Readers

President Wilson has agreed to act as mediator in Armenia. His acceptance of the position is said to have greatly pleased the members of the League of Nations.

Bell county broke all ginning records previously established in the county, having ginned 92,850 bales of cotton to Dec. 13. This shows an increase over last year of 122 per cent.

The Socialists of Germany are agitating the confiscation of the ex-Kaiser's estate. They suggest that the members of the royal family should work for a living.

Estimates for running expenses for the United States Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922, totaled \$4,000,000,000. Of this amount \$10,000,000 has been asked for government work in Texas.

The Texas commission's investigation of the pink boll worm in the Laguna District in Mexico, found that the worm was doing an enormous amount of damage in that section. The commission will make a complete report in the near future.

President Obregon, of Mexico, announced that Mexican laborers going into foreign countries to work should sign contracts before leaving which would give them the same wages that are paid to the laborers in the country into which they go.

At an auction sale in Gardner, Massachusetts, a pair of old leather boots was disposed of for a small sum of money. The boots had belonged to a man who had spent his last years in the alms house. The buyer of the boots found \$970 tucked away in the toe of one of them.

Chicago bankers and financial experts declare that there should be no alarm at the bank failures now reported in many places throughout the country. It is said that the failures are only temporary, and that in due time the banks will re-establish themselves in good condition. Most of the banks are of small capitalization and not members of the Federal Reserve System.

As an evidence of the substantial foundation on which the automobile industry rests, attention is called to the last motor registration recorded in July 1920, which shows 7,904,271 motor vehicles in the United States. The 1920 census gives a total population of 105,768,100 persons—a motor car for every 13.37 persons, allowing nothing for increased registration since July 1. With approximately 20,000,000 families in the country, there is virtually one motor for every second family.

SECURES SHEEP PASTURAGE

R. E. Baker, of Heber, California, has secured pasturage for 2150 head of sheep on the Coates ranch in Reagan county and is now in Post City arranging for the shipment of the sheep to Big Lake. Mr. Baker has over 700 acres in alfalfa in the Imperial Valley in his home state and makes a specialty of breeding the best type of Lincoln.—Mertzon Star.

Send The Stockman to Your Friends and Relatives.

Kuzn Bill is sick, which accounts for the better paper this week. He says tell you he has a bent back, and one of his hind ribs is curved and sticking into his backbone—but he is sobering up gradually—and if you have any stories about pirates and savages, bold and bad women and men of little virtue and home brewers and other unscrupulous reprobates—please send them to him.

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Geo. L. Sullivan, prominent citizen of Comanche, is here visiting friends, and is the guest of Howard B. Cox.

See the special feature, "Woman of Pleasure," at the Majestic next Thursday, Jan 13.

NEW YEAR WATCH PARTY

A social, taking the form of a watch party, was given by the B. Y. P. U. in the courthouse last Friday night.

Games of various kinds were played, and then refreshments of sandwiches and hot chocolate were served. After the refreshments had been served, those present formed themselves into a watch party, and the New Year was ushered in with the usual noise.

The guests left for their various homes some time after midnight.

See some of these beds we have here. Joe Oberkampff.

If you don't appreciate Stockman advertising, you just don't know a good thing when you see it. That's all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, of Oklahoma City, are here on a visit. Mr. Smith is a prominent business man of Oklahoma City, and is a brother of our lieutenant, Houston Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Walker returned to Del Rio the first of the week, after a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schauer.

First Boy: "Say, Jim, where are you in Sunday school?"

Second Boy: "Oh, we are in the middle of original sin."

First Boy: "That ain't much; we are past redemption."

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Misses Elizabeth Childress and June Perner are among the girls who have returned to college, after spending the holidays at home. Miss June goes to San Antonio, and Miss Elizabeth to Austin.

Matron: "Clarice, did that young man smoke in the parlor last night? I found matches there."

Clarice: "Oh, no. He just lit a match to see what time it was."

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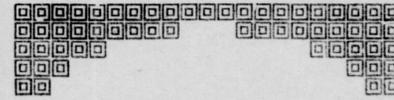
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The inhabitants of a small village at last got a postoffice. Their pride in the acquisition was at first unbounded. Then complaints began to come in that letters were not being properly sent off.

The postmaster was also the grocer. "What becomes of the letters posted here?" demanded the inspector. "The people say that they are not being sent off."

"Of course they ain't," was the startling response, as the postmaster-grocer pointed to a large and nearly empty mail sack hanging in the corner. "I ain't sent it off because it ain't anywhere's near full yet."

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Ambitious?

Visitor: "Rastus is very shiftless, isn't he?" Sambo: "No, suh. Dat man am de most ambitious niggah what is."

Visitor: "Ambitious." Sambo: "Yessuh! He says he will not be satisfied until his wife am doing all the washin's in dis town..."

Complete stoppage of immigrants for a period of six months while Congress is drafting a general law to cover the whole question, is proposed in a bill that Senator King of Utah, is preparing for introduction.

Stop That Cough

Don't let coughs and colds run on—it's dangerous. Fidelity Mentholated Mountain Pine Cough Syrup relieves colds, coughs and bronchitis quickly. When it's Fidelity Quality you're sure it's pure. Sold and recommended by all druggists and in Ozona by W. E. Smith Co.

A Good Guess.

The class was discussing animals—how they walked, got up, etc. After she explained the cow's method of rising to her feet, the teacher asked: "Do you know any other animal that gets up like a cow?" Silence reigned for a moment; then one little girl raised her hand timidly.

"What is it?" asked the teacher.

When You Are Bilious.

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A small boy came hurriedly down the street and halted breathlessly in front of a stranger going in the same direction. "Have you lost half a crown?" he asked with his hand in his pocket.

"Y-es, yes, I believe I have!" said the stranger, feeling in his pockets. "Have you found one?" "Oh, no," said the small boy. "I just want to see how many have been lost today. Yours makes fifty-four."

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"How are you getting on at your new place?" asked Mrs. Blifkins. "Very well, thank you," was the reply.

"I am glad to hear it," remarked Mrs. Blifkins. "Your employer is a very nice lady, and you can not do too much for her."

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"New, my girl," said the judge, "you say you were near the spot when the prisoner committed the act. Was any one with you at the time?"

"Yes, your honor, my sweetheart was with me."

"Courting, I suppose," commented the judge. "Is he here now? We want corroborative evidence."

"Yes, your honor; just outside," was the reply.

"We had better call him into court," remarked the judge.

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