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"OUT IN THE WEST, WHERE THE AIR IS PURE, THE CLIMATE AGREEABLE, AND THE PEOPLE FRIENDLY—THE BEST PLACE ON EARTH TO CALL HOME"

Mrs. Perner Visits Son in Old Mexico

Mrs. Mary L. Perner has recently returned from an extensive trip into various sections of Texas, including Bandera and San Antonio, also a short visit into Old Mexico, going to Rosita, Coah., to visit her son, Ross, and family. Mrs. Perner spoke in glowing terms of the climate of that section of the Southern Republic, especially as regards its climate through the winter, and said that during her stay at her son's home, the weather reminded one of Spring more than any other season. Aside from the beautiful climate, Mrs. Perner stated that the scenery was beautiful, and that the country abounded in beautiful streams which were the fisherman's paradise. Fishing, she said, in that section is somewhat different from the same pastime in Texas. Whereas we in Texas go to a river and fish till something is caught, in Mexico people fish until they have caught enough, and then return, since it would be impossible to carry all the fish home that might be possible to catch. An hour's fishing will give one as many of the finny tribe as he could possibly desire or have use of.

Mrs. Perner was surprised at the modernness of the town of Rosita. Comparable to the surrounding country, the city is almost American in its conveniences. Electric lights, water systems etc., all work for the comfort of the resident, and everything could be had that is found in a Texas city of similar size. However very queer customs are followed in the city, which are the rule in every part of Mexico. Street cars are plentiful, but are drawn by mules instead of electric power. Farming is carried on to a considerable extent, but instead of using tractors as modern American farms do, the old ox-team is still in service. Automobiles are not so numerous, and the ox-cart is still one of the principal modes of transportation. In short, outside of the cities of the Republic, the country is about a hundred or at least fifty years behind modern times. However the delightful climate and the beautiful scenery to be found will offset to a great degree the backwardness of the civilization.

Mrs. Perner reports a very enjoyable trip, and says that she would not mind it very much if she were compelled to be a resident of the country which she visited.

Principal W. B. Backus and family visited the State Teachers Association at San Antonio during the holidays. The grade teachers were represented by

Sonora Becomes Political Center

The following item may be of interest to the readers of the Stockman. So far as we know it has never been published before. Since the item referred to concerns people we all are acquainted with or know of, it should be more interesting.

J. H. Boggs, representative elect of the 91st Representative District, resides at San Angelo; Benj. Berkely of Alpine, Senator-elect for this district to the State Legislature, and Mrs. Nellie T. Ross, Governor-elect of Wyoming, were all residents of Sonora, our neighboring town to the east, during the period of time included in the four years from 1897 to 1900. Sonora has come into its own, speaking from a political standpoint.

AT LEAST, LET US KEEP OUR ONLY COLLEGE

The Educational Survey Commission having recommended the abandonment or removal of the Alpine Teacher's College, it is proper that we of West Texas enter our protest. The east or the north of the state get all the good things and we have the one lonesome Alpine College which has been handicapped from the start. Situated as it is in the most healthful part of the state, and scarcely known it should be given a chance to build up and grow. Though not very familiar with the college and the causes why it has not made greater strides, yet we are confident that had it been accorded the same financial help, given the same boosting that other institutions in the state have received, Sul Ross College would long since have acquired a fame and a popularity that can only come through financial ability and wide publicity.—West Texas News.

It would be a wanton and a wicked waste of the people's money, and inexcusable, to remove the Sul Ross Normal College from its present ideal location at Alpine. It should not be done; it should not be permitted, and it is hardly probable that it will be done. The howl for removal comes principally from towns which want and think they may get, the college. More pie, if you please—and then pass some more pie, like a bunch of coyotes yapping. A lot of noise that don't mean anything. All for East, North and Central Texas and nothing for the West. Bah!

Miss Ruby Jones. Both teachers report a strong meeting and a delightful trip.

Ozona High School Weekly Happenings

The Woman's Club has again secured the services of a health nurse for the Ozona schools, Mrs. Bert Kincaid was notified some time ago that the Club's application had been acted upon favorably and that a nurse would be sent to the Ozona school some time during the current school term. A definite date will be arranged a little later on.

It will be remembered that the Woman's Club secured the services of an Association health nurse two years ago. In cooperation with Dr. Harrison, a health survey of the school was made at that time. As a result of that survey many parents had remedial measures taken in regard to different phases of child health. It is believed the follow up work of a second inspection will result even more beneficially than the pioneer survey.

The State Tuberculosis Association pays the money for the paying of the salaries of health nurses through the sale of Christmas seals. The Ozona Woman's Club pays local expenses of the nurse. The school is expected to reciprocate by pushing the sale of Christmas seals in the community. The school superintendent has been appointed chairman of a publicity committee in connection with this work. In view of the actual benefits derived by school and community from the sale of these seals it is believed an even better showing than that of last year will be made. The Woman's Club and the school will cooperate in pushing this sale of Christmas seals.

Monday, December 8, 3:15 p. m., the Ozona Parent-Teachers Association meets in regular session at the high school. The following program will be rendered: Folk dance, Fourth Grade, Miss Morgan, teacher.

Piano solo, Pupil from Mrs. Brieger, s class.

Reading, pupil from Miss Smith's Expression class.

Discussion: The Reading problem, Discussion by a primary, intermediate, and a high school teacher. The Reading Problem from the view point of the home, Mrs. Frank Friend.

Business Meeting.

The Parent-Teachers meetings have not been well attended lately. It is hoped more interest will be shown in the next meeting. The reading problem is vital.

The Senior Class is mourning the loss of Ina Mae Harrison to Austin High. Ina Mae leaves with her father this week for Batesville. She will attend the Austin High after the holidays. She plans to attend the State University next year. Ina Mae has made the school a good pupil, and her withdrawal will be keenly felt.

The eighth Grade loses a splendid pupil when Sybil Harrison transfers to Batesville. She has always been a leader in her classes.

Athletics, especially regrets the loss of Dr. Harrison. No citizen of Ozona has been more faithful to the cause than he. His enthusiasm and loyalty will be sorely missed hereafter.

Lee Wilson and Sherman Taylor, strong athletic fans, called upon the citizenship of Ozona this last week for donations to a football sweater fund. The response was willing and ample. A

Investigates Oil Field Outlook

In order to ascertain for himself the status and prospects of oil development operations upon lands owned by the State University in Reagan county, Dr. W. M. W. Splawn, president of that institution, visited the new field there, recently. He returned very optimistic as to the prospects of the University obtaining a considerable amount of revenue from the oil royalty of the wells already drilled upon its lands.

"There is no doubt about there at Texon," Dr. Splawn said. "Eleven wells now are producing there. Some of them are very small producers. Most of them are being pumped. However, big gushers are there, each of which will flow from two to three thousand barrels a day. Enough wells have been drilled to make it practically certain that the royalty which the University will receive will amount to something like \$250,000 to \$500,000. Just how extensive the field is, has not yet been determined, and one man's guess is perhaps as good as another's."

"Under the laws of Texas, the royalty from the sale of oil off the University lands goes into the permanent endowment, and will not be available for any other purpose. The interest from royalty will be used toward the construction of buildings. Some desire to ask the next Legislature to take the income from the oil royalty for building our poses. It remains, however, to be seen whether the Legislature under their constitution would have the power to make such disposition of these funds. There is some promise that the endowment of the University will be substantially increased through the discovery of oil on the lands of the institution."

Boy, Page Mr. Smith

Austin, Texas.—Smiths are in the majority at the University of Texas this fall, with sixty students of that name enrolled and far out numbering students of any other one name. Addison B. Smith, of San Antonio, heads the list of Smiths in the student's directory recently published and Culver C. Smith, of Thornton, closes the list. Many of them have distinguished themselves on the campus, "Blue" Smith being probably the best known because of his prowess on the gridiron.

The name Smith comes from the Greek word meaning knife and transformed into English means some one who uses tools for work on metals. Captain Jno. Smith was the first person of that name to become famous in America. He distinguished himself for his bravery among the Indians in the early history of North America. Deaf Smith was one of the outstanding heroes of the Texas revolution.—Ex.

fund sufficiently large to secure dandy sweaters for every boy who participated throughout the season was easily secured.

The school appreciates very much this act of loyalty. The boys have worked hard and fought steadily. They deserve the sweaters. The response of the citizenship is noteworthy.

—Ask a man who uses Red Top tires how he likes them. They last longer and don't puncture as easy as the others. Let your next tires be Red Tops. The tire beautiful. We have them. Wilson Repair Shop

Ferguson Inspects State Prison System

Former Governor James E. Ferguson should have some interesting data to present to his wife, the governor-elect of Texas, as a result of his two-day inspection of several of the State prison farms. In his capacity of advisor to the newly elected chief executive, the former governor is making a preliminary survey of several State problems, in order that action may be quick when Mrs. Ferguson assumes the reins of government. A study of financial legislation, of the National Guard organizations and of the prison situation are among the tasks Mr. Ferguson has set for himself.

While the Record is not in agreement with Mr. Ferguson's "skeptical" attitude toward Neff Honor Farm, most of his policies regarding the operations of prisons are sound. Anyhow, Mr. Ferguson is not going to be governor of Texas, and perhaps Mrs. Ferguson views the Honor Farm a little more favorably.

A visit to the prison farms by a representative of the incoming administration just at this time is apropos. The State Federation of Women's Clubs at its recent meeting in Amarillo passed resolutions taking note of penal conditions in Texas, urging their improvement. Last week at Wichita Falls the Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations issued a plea for better prison conditions and a reamping of the penitentiary system. The flogging of three men on one of the farms within the last two weeks brought forth a great deal of criticism. The survey of doctors, completed recently, showed deplorable sanitary conditions in many of the institutions. These reports coming from such high authority and made with wholly unselfish motives, are proof enough that there is something wrong with Texas' prison system. They did not come from disgruntled politicians, chronic fault-finders, fanatics. They were made only after thorough investigation and from trustworthy and accurate sources.

Many of the faults which form the basis for so many complaints Mr. Ferguson doubtless observed during his rather hasty inspection. Others he already knew from knowledge he gained while he was governor. These he may lay before Mrs. Ferguson at once and on assuming office she should take immediate steps toward eradicating the existing evils.

Ferguson timed his visit well, demonstrating that he rated the prison problem as one of the most vital in the State.—Fort Worth Record.

Ozona Sheep and Wool Sold

The recent sale by Bruce Drake of Ozona of 350 bred ewes, out of the wool, at \$7 per head, and his contracting of next spring six and twelve months wool off approximately 3500 sheep was reported in San Angelo Wednesday.

Jeff Smith bought the ewes from Mr. Drake. Joe B. Blakney of San Angelo contracted Mr. Drake's wool for Hollowell Jones & Donald of Boston, paying 50c for the short clips and 55c for the long wool.

Not over 15 per cent of Crockett County's production of next spring's wool has been contracted, estimate sheepmen from Ozona.—San Angelo Standard.

Support the High School Athletics

The Ozona Hi Football team has just passed through one of the most successful seasons in its history. This is the fifth year of football in Ozona. Although the team did not end the season with the highest percentage in its history, most of the games were with teams that never before played Ozona and most of which were representing schools much larger than Ozona.

The team had a good supply of material, fine backing from the town and school, fine coaching, and it was hard to put out any kind of team other than a winning one. The old spirit of "putting the Purple and Gold first" was in every pupil and teacher of the school. The old spirit of "backing the team to the jumping off place" was in every citizen of Ozona. The new coaches caught the school and town spirit as soon as they arrived in Ozona. The school showed the spirit by putting out one of the best pep squads in its history. The town showed the spirit by furnishing free transportation to the games, buying sweaters, buying pennants, buying votes in the beauty contest and by helping in every other way possible.

The Pep Squad had a strong organization this year. The first act was to buy a supply of caps, pennants and megaphones. To raise money they staged a beauty contest. The town heartily responded to the call. Enough money was secured to buy caps and pay an athletic debt. The Pep Squad besides cheering the team all possible, took care of the visiting teams as far as possible.

The Ozona Stockman has done a great deal more than a person would expect of a paper. The Stockman printed a write-up of every game, gave as much space as was asked for, announced the games, and did as much toward turning out a winning team as anyone. They

H. B. Cox Makes Oil Leases

Two tracts out of his Live Oak ranch, located thirty-five miles west of Ozona in Crockett County, have recently been leased for oil development. H. D. Cox of Ozona, announced while in San Angelo last week.

California parties secured 800 acres in the east part of the ranch and Chicagoans leased a quarter section out of the west side. Mr. Cox received a bonus of \$1 an acre on the larger tract, and \$1.50 an acre on the quarter section. The annual rental will be twenty-five cents an acre. Grouped with other leases, the acreage may form a block for drilling.—San Angelo Standard.

Autumn Needs

Longer evenings and cooler days bring out new needs. Whatever those needs that come in our line, please consider us.

Far beyond the amount of the sale rung up by our cash register, we place your satisfaction.

We want you to be pleased with the price, our service, and above all the quality.

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BACK ON THE JOB

We are back on the job again after an absence of several weeks, during which time we were employed at the office of the Big Lake News. During our absence some trouble has been experienced in getting a man who could take charge of the office and keep things going, but the main burden has been on the shoulders of Kuzn Bill Eastering, former owner, and an experienced newspaper man. We are appreciative of his efforts to keep the paper going to the subscribers, and we are equally sure that the subscribers have been glad to get the paper.

In taking charge a second time of the Stockman, we have done so with the intention of giving Ozona citizens and others a bigger and better paper, and with that object in view, additional help in the office has been secured to take charge of a part of the work attached to the office. Since the help we now have is efficient, we feel safe in promising to patrons of the paper that greater service will be rendered, both in the news paper and in the job department of the plant. At present we are equipped to handle any ordinary line of job work, and with the addition of more equipment which we hope to have in a short time, we will be prepared to do

any kind of work, and guarantee not only prompt service, but a price as reasonable as can be found by sending work out of town

Since additional help has been secured, the expenses of the office will necessarily be increased. In order to give patrons our very best, we have not minded the additional expense. But since we have gone to the expense of trying to render you a better service we believe that it is only just that you favor us with as much patronage as you may have occasion to, and give us a chance at the job work which you are now sending out of town. We need the additional work in order to keep going, and since you are assured of a fair, square deal in your work, you ought to let us have as much of it as we can handle properly.

Advertisers are also requested to patronize the paper. Your town needs a paper, and without it you would be considered by out of town people as rather backward and unprogressive. But in order to have a paper of the sort that will fairly represent your business and your community, it must have the liberal patronage of the business men of the town. Let us have that advertising, and we will prove it.

WE'RE HERE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

The purpose of a printing office in a community is, aside from the gathering and despatching of news, to furnish everything needed in the line of printed stationery of whatever form or quantity. That is the purpose of the Stockman. We're here to do that kind of business, and our present equipment was placed with that object in view. The Stockman is a home institution. It has been with us for many

long years, since the days of Claude Hudspeth's editorial career. So long has the Stockman been issued in Ozona, with its predecessors, that a news paper in the town is taken as a matter of course. Some think that the Stockman is not read by patrons. It is read by the citizenship of the town to a greater extent than thought for. Should the Stockman fail to be issued, or should its publication be suspended, we are of the opinion that the town would not know what to do. It is our purpose to keep the paper coming out regularly. Some of our business men think that the advertisements are not read. If such is the case, an occasional change in the size, position and space, and reading matter of the ad, would cause it to be read. Give them something new and the subscribers will be quick to notice the change.

Every business firm needs printed stationery. We can give it to you as well as any out of town concern, and make better prices to you. Why, then should you send your job work away? We are installing additional equipment which permits us to print anything you might need in your business, especially loose leaf ledger forms a similar stationery. Since we can give you as good work as you can get elsewhere at a price that will be more satisfactory to you, we can not see why Ozona merchants

will persist in sending their orders for stationery to out of town concerns. Give us a chance at your work. We'll do it right and guarantee satisfaction.

Been threatening rain for several days, but as yet nothing has come to pass.

It looks as if the cattle market is to get going again, and if such

is the case, prosperity will visit West Texas soon to a greater extent than in many years.

From what we can learn, Ozona and Crockett county along with other parts of this immediate section, are due to have an intensive oil drilling program within the next few months, in an effort to enlarge the oil field at Big Lake. In fact quite a bit of

development is now going on to the south of the Big Lake field, with every indication that it will spread to Crockett county. Pecos county, to the west, is also due for development in a short time, and taken all together, it should mean that all of this section, from Glassecock county on the north to Terrell on the southwest should be fully exploited for oil.

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A Carload of
OUR LEADER STOVES
and 5,000 joints of stove pipe. Also see our COLEMAN GAS STOVES AND RANGES. Prices to fit your purse, and All Merchandise Guaranteed

We have one among the best lines of Guns and Ammunition in Ozona, and a larger stock is coming. We handle the

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Dozens of easy running wheel toys to ride, clever mechanical toys, black boards, desks, tables, chairs, rockers, and many other interesting things.

Won't you get mother or dad to bring you to TOYLAND and let you roam through the aisles and aisles of wonderful things that Santa is going to bring to good little boys and girls on Christmas morning?

Oh Boy!
you or'ter see the Go Boy!

The greatest riding toy Old Santa ever turned out of his workshop. Speed! I should say! And your neighbor friend can't tear it up either. Tell your dad to have Santa put one up for you now—they won't last long.

The Price is \$12.15 net



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TO THE PUBLIC

Anyone wishing carpenter work, painting or paper hanging, write me at Big Lake, Texas, or phone 37 at Ozona, and I will take care of your work the same as in the past.

A. C. METGALF, Building Contractor
Ozona — Big Lake

Fairbanks-Morse Engines and Alamo Pump Jacks on hand at Chris Meinecke's. Investigate his prices before going elsewhere.

That cruel burning inflammation is cooled and soothed by
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Perhaps the trouble is Eczema. Heiskell's Ointment will heal it just as effectively as it does less serious skin trouble. At your Druggist, send for a sample. Johnston, Holloway & Co., Philada.

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POSTED NOTICE

Positively no hunting, going through or trespassing, in my pasture without permission.
Johnie Henderson, Jr.

FURS WANTED

I will buy your good Furs and pay best market prices. Deliver at Ozona or Sheffield, or on mail route.
Jack Monteith.

To the People

of Ozona and Crocket County: When in Barnhart, or on your way to or from San Angelo, stop and GAS with CHAS. LIGHTFOOT. Also handle Accessories.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

I have leased the Kirby ranch, and have closed and locked all gates. Anyone caught breaking locks or moving through the land will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
Bruce Drake.

TRESPASS NOTICE

I want to call attention to the fact that I will not allow any hunting, fishing, wood hauling, camping or prowling on my land east of lane on Liveoak creek, and any one caught violating will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law without fear or favor. This notice applies to everybody. F. P. Montgomery.

Will Water Stock

This is to notify stockmen of Crocket County that I will now be able to water stock at my ranch on the Ozona-Barnhart road for a reasonable charge. Please notify me a few days in advance of when you will need the water.
BRUCE DRAKE

Shoes for Cash at Roy Parker's.

Gents' Furnishings in stock at reasonable prices. Roy Parker.

Mrs. John Cooke and family of Ft. Stockton spent Thanksgiving in Ozona.

Christmas Gift! Lots of toys now on display at the store of Joe Oberkamp. Come and see.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Oden and Mrs. Jno. Sawyer spent Thanksgiving in Ozona.

Furniture, Rugs, Stoves, Novelties, all splendid for Christmas giving, and for any other time. See them at Joe Oberkamp's.

Dr. Harrison and family visited in Austin last week and were present at the annual football clash between Texas University and Texas A & M.

Have you made out your order for that Christmas Present? If so, bring it to Joe Oberkamp. He can save you money, time and trouble on Holiday giving.

Dick Baker received a flock of mutton sheep, number unknown, from Rufe Everett of Comstock, delivery having been made at the lane about twelve miles north of Comstock.

A full size 2-inch post bed for \$8.50, and a 45-pound mattress for \$10.00. Also have bed springs from \$4.50 to \$20.00. These are no bargains, just our regulars.
Joe Oberkamp.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and daughters, Eva and Mildred, visited relatives at Barnhart, returning Sunday afternoon. Miss Eva remained for a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. O. A. Carr.

We have a nice line of heaters and cook stoves to select from, and will take your old stove in on a new one. We will do our best to please you and will appreciate your business, large or small. Joe Oberkamp.

Mr and Mrs. Warren Clayton gave a stag luncheon to about a dozen old bachelors on Thanksgiving day at the ranch east of Ozona. No attempt will be made to give the names of the guests as our purpose might be misconstrued.

"COLD IN THE HEAD" is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "run down" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a treatment consisting of an Ointment to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, building up the System, and making you less liable to "colds." Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. W. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.



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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

No public roads in my pastures, and anyone driving stock through my pastures without my permission will be liable for damages. Robert Massie.

Read the Theatre Program.

Ben Gilbert was over from Junction recently visiting home folks and friends.

See that Aermotor Windmill at Chris Meinecke's. The kind that oils itself.

Mrs. James Farr of Big Lake has been visiting relatives in Ozona recently.

The Baptist Missionary ladies will quilt, or tack quilts. Anyone wishing this done may telephone Mrs. North.

Lee Wilson took in the big turkey day football game at Austin between the Texas Longhorns and the A. & M. Aggies.

Please, everybody, get in your contributed articles to the Stockman Monday morning, or as soon thereafter as possible.

Henry Clay Phillips who has been attending the West Texas Military Academy at San Antonio, came in to spend Thanksgiving with the home folks.

Plaiting, all styles, for skirts, panels, ruffles; hemstitching; covered buttons, tailored button holes. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas.

Not only a fine assortment of Toys, but hundreds of other articles, both beautiful and useful, for Holiday Giving, now on display at Joe Oberkamp's. Save money and keep yours at home.

Cheap for Cash is what we offer you on everything we carry. Let us demonstrate our ability to save you money on your cash business. It will mean money in your pocket to investigate. C. Meinecke & Son.

Ira Carson recently purchased a flock of 600 bred ewes, carrying six month's wool. The ages of the ewes was given at 2, 3 and 4 years. No price was given, but it is a known fact that ewes of this class bring a price in the neighborhood of about \$15 per head. The purchase was made from Joe Montague.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett entertained on Thanksgiving with a six o'clock dinner at which affair they had as guests Rev. and Mrs. Swann, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Peters and Mrs. M. L. Perner and son, Stevens. The occasion was greatly enjoyed by all present. Misses Kathryn Baggett and Mamee Childress served as waitresses.

Mr. King and Mrs. White of San Angelo visited in Ozona recently. Mrs. White is the mother of Mrs. John Patrick.

Edward and Earl Deland spent Thanksgiving on the Chandler ranch on the Peecos, and enjoyed to the limit their outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Petry of San Antonio were visitors in Ozona recently. Mrs. Petry is a sister of Mrs. Byrd Phillips.

LOST—Lap robe, between the Arthur Hoover ranch on Liveoak and the W. P. Hoover ranch. Big yellow cow on one side. Robe trimmed in blue and green. Other side black. Finder please return to Mrs. A. C. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bunger and son, George, and Mr. and Mrs. Welton Bunger and children spent Thanksgiving Day on the Brock Hoover ranch, where an abundance of eats was to be had and a general good time was enjoyed.

We can give you as good prices as anyone for your cash. If you want to do a straight cash business, it will pay you to investigate our prices. If we can't equal prices of others for cash there's a Reason.
Chris Meinecke & Son.

With the excellent prices being received for sheep of all classes, and also wool, many of the ranchmen of this section who for the past five years have had an uphill pull are now seeing the light of day once more, and with a continuation of the good prices should be sitting on top of the world before many more seasons pass.

A suggestion to the Woman's Club: One of the greatest things that can be done for the younger citizens of the town would be to open a public library. Volumes for the library can be secured by donations, and the library maintained at a very nominal cost to readers. It would mean much to the youth of the town, as well as being beneficial to the older citizens. Somebody start it.

METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Will Odum, Superintendent.
Sermon, 11:00 a. m.
Afternoon, 2:30, Jr. Missionary Mrs. Joe Pierce, Supt.
Wednesdays, 7:45, Prayer Meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.
Communion Service, 11:45 a. m.
Evening Preaching Service, 7:45 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesdays, 7:45 p. m.

BAPTIST ANNOUNCEMENTS
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Sermon, 11:00 a. m.
Sunbeam Band, 4 p. m.
Sermon, Evening service
Prayer Meetings, Wednesdays,

At The Methodist Church
4 p. m., Men's Prayer Meeting.
5:30 The Epworth League meets.
7 p. m. Preaching by the Pastor
We are anxious to welcome you to all our services.
E. C. SWANN, Pastor.

ROYAL TYPEWRITERS—NEW
Service station here. Repairs, parts and supplies, for all makes. TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, 24 1/2 So. Chadbourne, San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kineaid, Misses Florence Smith and Vivian Baggett visited recently in San Angelo.

New supply of carbon paper at The Stockman office. Sheets are 8 1/2 by 14 inches, good pencil work, or for use on typewriter. Extra good quality, and at reasonable prices.

We are prepared to make you exceptionally good prices on all your cash purchases. It will pay you to investigate our prices before buying elsewhere. We have the goods and can make prices to suit you. Chris Meinecke & Son.

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New York.—Trans-Atlantic transmission of photographs is a reality.

Portraits of President Coolidge Premier Stanley Baldwin, the Prince of Wales and Owen D. Young were among those dispatched by wireless from London in a public test conducted by the Radio Corporation of America.

The above press dispatch gives you some idea of the advanced engineering of the Radio Corporation of America, the manufacturers of radio sets.

When you buy one of these sets you are assured of the best and latest, for they lead, others follow. Give us your order now for a Radio. They are better.

Wilson Repair Shop

School will close December 19 for the Christmas holidays and re-open December 29. Mid-term finals will be given before the holidays.

The School Board believes that a majority of parents prefer only one week for the Christmas holidays. Long holiday periods prove demoralizing and wasteful of school effort.

—LOST, Fountain Pen. Finder return to Stockman office and receive suitable reward.

Rain on the O 9 and Black Muley ranches, and other parts of Crockett county was sufficient to run the draws, and was very welcome to the ranch owners in that section.

This issue of the paper is one of the best it has been our pleasure to send out in many long months. With the help we have in the office, we hope to be able to keep the paper up to the standard set by this issue.

For the first time in many issues the Stockman has found it is unable to care for the news items of the community, due to crowded space. An attempt will be made next week to care for the news which may be sent in to us.

Chris Meinecke has leased the Tom Smith building, formerly occupied by J. O. Hightower's store, and will move his general merchandise store into the Smith building, beginning today. The old building which has been in use for many years as a grocery store, will be converted into a ware house for the use of Mr. Meinecke's store.

—Turkeys for sale. Mrs. J. M. Baggett.

L. D. Brooks has purchased the Black Muley ranch in the northern part of the county, from Joe Montague, and will take possession on January 1st.

Several holiday advertisements appear in this issue of the paper. You will do well to read them, and patronize the advertisers of this publication, since you are assured of a square deal.

We are adding to our stock and equipment daily. Come in and look our stock of accessories over. We have most everything for your car. Also have installed new equipment to be better prepared to do you quick, reliable service. Our aim is "service with a smile."

Wilson Repair Shop

We wish to thank the people of the community who were so kind in patronizing us at the time of our dinner last Wednesday, and also to thank all those who made the success of the occasion possible. We wish especially to thank the ladies of the Baptist church for their courtesy to us and cooperation with us. Ladies of the Methodist Church.

—For Sale, 950 head of big smooth type Rambouillet ewes under herd, 3 and 4 year old, 30 big pure bred bucks, 3 and 4 year old. These ewes sheared 10 and 1-4 pounds this Spring. Lamb crop weighed 68 lbs. Will sell ewes at \$11 per head, \$20 per head for the bucks.

Jess Elrod, Phone 924 Green, San Angelo, Texas

Leo Baker, a long time resident of Ozona, who was taken to San Angelo last Sunday for medical treatment, died at that place early Wednesday morning at about 5 o'clock. Death was due to a complication of internal disorders. Burial will be made in Ozona cemetery today. Lack of particulars prevent us from giving a fuller account of the regretted death.

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Slave of Desire | *A Metro picture*

2 Reel Comedy Friday and 1 Reel Cat Comedy Saturday

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Support for School Athletics

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also printed tickets for all the games, cards for the pep squad—which were distributed over the town for the purpose of putting spirit into everyone—and did all other job work they were asked to do at cost.

Both coaches have done more than probably is expected of coaches. The head coach left his family for days at a time to be with the team on the road. He donated much of his time at night to the team, sometimes working out plays, ordering equipment, doing work he had neglected to do in order to be with the team. He was too ill to take charge of the team at one game as a coach should, and had some friends carry him to the game on a bed. The assistant coach took charge of the team when the coach was absent. He had full charge of the second team. He sacrificed many of his holidays in order to work out the second team. Some thought it foolish to bother with the subs and second team but he was looking into the future and building the team of tomorrow.

The faculty and school board deserve more credit than is usually given them. They gave school time to the team in which to practice. They let the pep squad hold rallies in the assembly hall and gave time for a review of every game on the first school day following the day of the game.

To the many business houses which closed for the games, goes much credit. Besides allowing the employees to attend the games, this shows the team that the town is behind them. As a result, the team plays harder. The local theatre announced all games, for which goes much credit for the record crowds at the games.

The parents of the players deserve far more credit than is usually given them. In many cases they went to a rather big expense in hiring a laborer in the place of the son who was playing foot ball. When any father's son was needed by the grand old Purple and Gold, not a father in Ozona objected. As to the bills for the injured, the parents payed them without a word of complaint. Instead of complaint, they praised their sons as they should have.

—YELL LEADER.

Delivered in the last few days new radios to, N. W. Graham, Early Baggett, Mrs. Henderson, Allen Mayes, Warren Friend, Charlie Coates and one for Christmas, name withheld. Used sets to Edward Deland, Mr. Chandler, and Dr. Harrison.

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