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WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY

11,621 BALES OF COTTON GINNED COLORADO TO DATE

Receipts at the five gins in Colorado Tuesday morning totaled 11,621 bales for the season. Only four gins have been operating during the past three weeks. Plant No. 1 of the Farmers Gin Co. having been closed down for the season three weeks ago. These figures pace gin receipts at approximately 3,500 bales in excess of Colorado cotton yard receipts for the same time.

Cotton was selling on the streets Tuesday morning at 24 cents, middling basis, and seed was quoted at \$39 per ton at the gin.

COLORADO BUSINESS MEN OBSERVE THANKSGIVING

The banks, stores and offices of Colorado will be closed throughout the day Thursday, November 30th, out of respect for Thanksgiving. At 10 o'clock in the morning union services are to be held at the First Presbyterian church, the sermon to be delivered by Rev. J. F. Lawlis, Methodist pastor. All places of business in the city will open Friday morning as usual.

The Record is going to press this week Wednesday afternoon, just twenty-four hours earlier than the regular schedule, in that the force have Thanksgiving off as a holiday.

DULIN TO POOL SEED ORDERS HERE SATURDAY

W. A. Dulin, county agent, stated Saturday afternoon that he would return from College Station by Friday and expected to meet with farmers at Colorado Saturday who desired him to place orders for pure bred cotton seed. Dulin is not acting as the agent for any seed distributor, he explained, but a number of Mitchell County planters have requested him to pool a shipment of the seed for shipment to Colorado.

Pure bred seed for planting, just as good as is possible to obtain anywhere, may be purchased through Colorado dealers, Dulin stated.

ELABORATE PROGRAM TO FEATURE LIONS BANQUET

The banquet to be given Friday evening by the Colorado Lions Club at the Barcroft gives every promise of being one of the leading social events in Colorado for the year. Col. C. M. Adams, president of the club, stated Tuesday morning. "We are working hard in arranging the details of the program," Adams stated, "and the Lion or his guest who fails to enjoy the event will be beyond the power of human ability to entertain."

When asked as to what the entertainment program might consist of, Adams declined, stating that "we plan keeping that part of it a secret." It is known that he, together with M. S. Goldman, and other members of the club, have been at work on the program all the week. Special music will be furnished under direction of Mr. Goldman.

Porter A. Whaley, general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Whaley, have accepted an invitation to attend the banquet as guests of the Lions. Ministers of the city and their wives are also to attend as special guests. The program will start promptly at eight o'clock.

Tuesday at noon it was reported that 72 reservations had been made with the secretary. Col. Adams expressed the belief that from seventy to eight people would attend.

COLORADO HIGH STUDENTS CONDUCT SCHOOL CARNIVAL

Pupils of the High school will conduct a carnival Wednesday of this week in the old Herrington building on Walnut street, opposite the Coe Hotel. Varied novelties will be offered for sale, the proceeds to be placed in the High school annual fund. The carnival will open at 7 p. m. and close at 10 p. m.

Music will be furnished by the Booster band. The general public is invited to attend.

Let All Rejoice

LET US give thanks—not for those gifts alone
Of field and garden, tree and fruitful vine,
But for those gifts by which our lives have grown
More nearly like the infinite design.

Let us give thanks, from fervent hearts, for love;
Pure love toward God, unselfish love toward man;
For tenderness, compassion—gifts above
What human thought could wish to have, or plan.

Let us give thanks for the great gift of prayer
By which we reach the consciousness of peace,
And realize the constant help and care
Of Love divine, that cannot lapse nor cease.

Let us give thanks for true and loyal friends,
For home, and family ties; for work, for play;
For beauty, and the grace that laughter lends
To toil or trial, on our daily way.

Let us give thanks that in this troubled hour,
With skies bedimmed by doubt, by hate, by fear,
We can rejoice that God alone has power,
Can prove it true, and thus win heaven here.

TOM NUNN KILLED HERE SATURDAY AT GRAVEL PIT

Tom Nunn was instantly killed in an accident at the gravel pits near the river northwest of Colorado Saturday morning when a bank several feet in height near where he was at work caved, covering him with sand and gravel. He was dead when his body was reached by a rescuing party which gathered at the pit within a few minutes following the accident.

His brother, Robert Nunn, was the only witness to the tragedy. The Nunn boys were operating a truck for hauling gravel and had just driven into the pit and commenced loading when the accident occurred. Robert was caught by the falling gravel but managed to extricate himself unassisted.

The accident was one of the most deplorable ever happening in Colorado. Tom Nunn, a young man twenty-eight years of age, and a former service man, was very popular in Colorado. He was a son of Mrs. John Nunn, widow of the late John Nunn who died here only a few months ago.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church Sunday afternoon by the pastor, Rev. M. C. Bishop, assisted by Rev. D. R. Hardison and Rev. J. F. Lawlis. Rev. Mr. Bishop paid a beautiful tribute to the life of the deceased and described him as having been a young man of unusual Christian character. The floral offerings were profuse and it is estimated that not more than one-half of those who came to the church for the funeral services could be admitted into the building.

Pall bearers were selected from among his former friends at Colorado, themselves former service men. The casket was draped in an American flag and banked high with beautiful floral displays.

"These beautiful wreaths and these flowers, with their many bright hues, speak stronger of the esteem in which Tom was held by the people of Colorado than any words I might utter," Rev. Mr. Bishop stated. "This large gathering of people, who have come here to pay their last respects to his memory again tells of the love they bore for him and would make any statements of praise I might offer appear feeble."

As the minister recounted the tragedy and offered words of condolence to the mother and other relatives, there was many eyes in the large congregation in the church to become dimmed with tears. He recited the fact that the deceased had lived the life of a consistent Christian and had merely passed out of this life to be at home with Jesus.

Concluding the services at the church burial was had in I. O. O. F. cemetery, and one of the longest processions ever seen in this city followed the remains to the grave. Following the benediction by Rev. Mr. Bishop, taps was sounded as members of the local American Legion Post stood in formation near the grave.

Mr. Nunn had only been at home a few weeks, having returned recently from a sanitarium where he had been under treatment for some time. His health failed him last year and after being dismissed from the hospital, he had returned home with bright ambitions for the future. A brother, Sam Nunn, left Colorado Saturday morning for the east and did not know of the accident until reached by a telegram at Cisco. He returned to Colorado Saturday night.

18,010 BALES COTTON GINNED PRIOR NOV. 15

According to a report received Monday from the Department of Commerce, a total of 18,010 bales of cotton of the 1922 crop had been ginned in Mitchell County prior to November 1st. 19,831 bales had been ginned in the county for the same period last year.

The report placed the number of bales ginned in the State to November 1st at 2,855,171 bales, as compared with 1,929,593 one year ago.

PUBLIC UTILITY POLES TO BE MOVED FROM SECOND

Poles of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and the West Texas Electric Company are to be removed from Second street a distance of five blocks in the business district, under conditions of an agreement reached here Saturday by engineers representing the telephone company, J. H. Geers of Sweetwater, manager of the power and light company, and representatives of the Chamber of Commerce.

J. M. Pierce and C. F. Scudders of Fort Worth, engineers representing the telephone company, spent several days of last week here drafting plans for rebuilding the entire system at Colorado. Mr. Geers came to Colorado Saturday in response to the request from the Chamber of Commerce, and all three of the gentlemen expressed their willingness to co-operate with the Chamber in removing the poles from Second street, as a matter of civic improvement.

It was explained Saturday that the construction on Second street extending through most of the business district, was jointly owned by both companies, making it necessary for them to reach some mutual agreement before either the telephone company or the West Texas Electric company could promise to move the poles. This agreement was reached following a short conference between Messrs. Geers and Pierce. The poles are to be moved from the alley east of Chestnut west to the alley west of the Lambeth gin, a distance of five blocks.

The telephone engineers and Mr. Geers assured the Chamber of Commerce Saturday that both of these utilities here would be rebuilt. Geers stated that reconstruction of the light and power system here would probably be commenced within the next few weeks, but the telephone officials stated that no work on a large scale would be commenced by them until after January 1st. Practically all of the steel wires are to be removed by the telephone company and replaced with cables. A new and modern equipped central office is included in the improvement program.

In speaking of plans of his com-

QUICK RESULTS OBTAINED BY JURY AND SHERIFF

Tuesday night of last week one negro man is alleged to have "hijacked" another negro near Loraine. Wednesday the alleged hijacker was billed by the Mitchell County grand jury, and that afternoon placed under arrest by Sheriff Dan Hartson of Dallas County just after he arrived in Dallas on a Texas & Pacific train. Sheriff Chesney went to Dallas Thursday night and returned the prisoner to Colorado.

750 SCHOLASTIC NOW ENROLLED IN SCHOOLS

Rarely a day passes but that new scholastics are enrolled in the Colorado schools. E. F. King, superintendent, stated Tuesday. The enrollment at that time had reached 750. King estimates that new pupils will continue to come into school for the next several weeks regularly.

In speaking of the progress being made by the Lone Wolf staff, King stated that these young people were putting it over and would be able to finance the kind of publication they desired to issue. There seems to be some confusion as to the estimated cost of the annual, he said, as reports have come to his office of some Colorado citizens believing the book should be printed for from \$500 to \$600. This is erroneous. It is the plan of the annual staff to issue a publication very similar to the El Rodeo, the Big Spring annual for last year, which was printed by the Whipkey Printing Co. The cost of this annual was more than eleven hundred dollars.

YOUNG PEOPLE MEET IN JOINT PROGRAM SUNDAY

Members of the Christian Endeavor of the First Christian church met with the Epworth League at the Methodist church Sunday evening for a joint program rendered by the two societies. "Friendship" was the topic discussed and all of the young people participating in the program praised the spirit of friendship and co-operation existing between the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League.

It is the plan of the two societies to hold these joint meetings once in each month.

BOOSTERS BANQUET WILL BE OBSERVED DEC. 7TH

The December banquet and business meeting of the Colorado Booster Club will be observed on Thursday evening, December 7th, at the Barcroft, J. H. Greene, president of the club, announced Monday. An entertainment program for the evening will be arranged within the next few days, Greene stated.

In speaking of the November meeting of the club, Mr. Greene expressed the belief that it had been one of the best get-together meetings ever held by the organization. A large representation of the local membership was present, in addition to visitors from Loraine. Roy Warner, member of the membership committee, stated that he expected to have the dining room filled to capacity for the December banquet and announced that reservations are already being made.

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IN SOCIETY AND AT THE CLUBS

Honored Men With Banquet

The W. M. S. of the Baptist church gave a pre-Thanksgiving banquet in the basement of the church last Thursday evening honoring the men of the church. The decorations were greens and Thanksgiving emblems. The ladies entered into the affair with real Thanksgiving spirit and showed their culinary skill in serving baked hen and all the accessories thereto and pies and more pies with hot coffee and real whipped cream. After the guests had registered the president invited them to the table where silence reigned for the space of three minutes. Mr. W. R. Morgan acted as toast master and numbers responded with a bit of humor or words of admonition. Superintendent Greene had both in his speech. The good pastor gave "Convention Gossip," and told jokes which Judge Hall said he got from his book of jokes. Everyone seemed to have a good time and the only regret with the women that more were not there.

1921 Study Club

The 1921 Study Club met with Mrs. O. Lambeth. The subject for the hour was Confederate Lyrics led by Mrs. Ed Jones. A discussion of James Ryder Randall's poetry was given by Mrs. Stewart Cooper. Mrs. Henry Pond gave a reading, Pelham, by Payne. Mrs. Tom Pritchett gave a paper, Francis Orrary Ticknor's best poems. Miss Saling

read "Little Giffin" by Payne. Mrs. Jim Dobbs read a paper on John Pendleton Kennedy. Maryland, My Maryland was sung by the club. The hostess served salad, potato chips, sandwiches, olives and coffee. Mrs. Sanderson was a guest. The meeting this week will be with Mrs. Charlie Thompson at 3:30 o'clock.

Bay View.

Mrs. T. W. Stoneroad was hostess for the Bay View. The program began with a roll call of current events. Mrs. Jack Smith lead the lesson in Antony and Cleopatra and the English short story. Will of the Mill. The club voted to take space in the high school annual. The hostess served pressed chicken, fruit salad, hot biscuits, plum pudding and coffee. Mrs. R. O. Pearson is hostess this week.

Standard

Mrs. Marcus Snyder was hostess for the Standard. Mrs. Prude had the lesson in Coriolanus. At the social hour a lovely two course luncheon was served. Mrs. Van Tuyl was a guest.

Pioneer Club

On Wednesday, November 22nd, the Pioneer Woman's Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Chester Hart of the Valley View community. Owing to the inclemency of the weather several of our members failed to make their appearance. Never the less those present went ahead with the program and a most enjoyable time was had. Roll call was answered with pie recipes, which were taken down in note books. Mrs. Noah Caswell was accredited with the most unique sounding pie which

she called "Foolish Pie."

A demonstration in the canning of beef and chicken was given by Mrs. Harrell. A splendid talk on foods for the family was given by Mrs. Joe Johnson, which was followed by open discussion. At 4:30 the club adjourned to meet December 13th at Mrs. Derryberry's. The subject "Buying Clothing." We trust every member will be present.—Reporter.

Junior Missionary

The Juniors have had four very fine meetings since our last report. First meeting in Oct. was business meeting all the officers had good reports of the work. This meeting was with Mrs. Judge Leslie. Hostess served cream and cake.

Third Friday in October we met at Mrs. Chesney's. This was our mission study and social meeting. 13 present, 3 visitors. Hostess served sandwiches and pie.

First Friday in November we met with Mrs. Arnett. Business meeting 17 present a good report from officers, plans were made to observe our week of prayer program Nov 7. Hostess served hot chocolate and cake.

On last Friday afternoon, Nov. 17, we met with Mrs. Pidgeon as hostess. Three visitors, two new members. This was our mission study and social meeting. Mrs. Grantland conducted our study. Plans were made to send our Thanksgiving box of fruits and nuts to our little orphan friends at Waco. Hostess served hot chocolate, sandwiches and cakes. Our next meeting is with Mrs. Marvin Dorn. The first Friday in Dec.

Hesperian

Mrs. Leslie entertained the Hesperian. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey was the leader for the afternoon. A very interesting roll call, personal Thanks giving was responded to by all. Mrs. Sadler and Mrs. Shropshire gave interesting papers. Mrs. Broadus brought federation news from the recent annual meeting of the T. F. W. C. recently held at Houston. The club voted to take space in the school annual. Mrs. Whipkey was appointed to see if a page space could not be taken by the county federation of women's clubs. Mrs. Millwee was a guest. The hostess assisted by her little daughter served chicken salad sandwiches, osgood pie and coffee. Mrs. Jones is hostess this week.

Aid Society Meets.

The Christian Aid Society met with Mrs. Harness at the home of Mrs. H. D. Broadus last Thursday afternoon. After the devotional period the rest of the time was spent in making the final arrangements

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Next Saturday Morning at 10 o'clock at The Palace Theatre—Hand made articles and Japanese Art Goods suitable for gifts. Don't forget the date. DEC. 2nd, at 10 o'clock.

for the Christmas bazaar which will open promptly at ten o'clock, Dec. 2nd—Saturday morning in the front of the Palace Theatre. Besides the many beautiful hand made articles the ladies have a consignment of Japanese things for sale. Everyone looks forward to this bazaar for their Christmas gifts and this year will be no exception. Every thing is in readiness to make this the best yet. Be there at ten o'clock Saturday. Mrs. Page and Mrs. Woods were guests.

Civic League Will Meet.

The December meeting of the Civic League will be held in the Baptist Sunday school rooms Saturday at 3:30 o'clock. This is the time for the election of officers and all members are urged to be present.

A Word of Appreciation

The Baptist women desire to thank their many friends for buying their cook book so liberally. While this is the third edition yet copies have been bought all over this and other States. For this they are truly grateful. They yet have plenty of copies and suggest that nothing could be nicer Christmas gifts or birthday present. Price only fifty cents, Phone 157. Write Mrs. A. L. Whipkey or see Mrs. Ragan at Burns' store.

Missionary Meeting.

The regular missionary meeting of the Methodist church was held at Mrs. Arnett's Monday. The Bible study was the Suffering Christ, as given by Mark. The program was on Suffering Humanity. The Wesley Houses at Louisville were particularly discussed. Good reports came in from the week of prayer and the Young People's societies. Delegates were elected to the Harvest Day meeting in Sweetwater December 6th. Mrs. T. W. Stoneroad and Mrs. Van King were the representatives. Mrs. Hyman was a guest and Mrs. Lawlis, the pastor's wife a new member.

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The Coat of Arms

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A roasted turkey couchant on A tablecloth is seen, With quarterings of potato mashed, And celery white and green, And apples red, and pretty girls The flour for crullers sieving, And at the top the legend scrolled In letters bold, "Thanksgiving." —Minna Irving in New York Sun.



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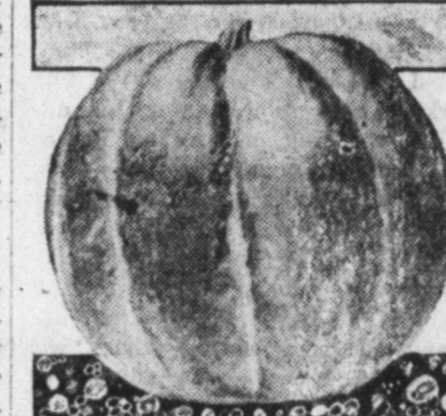
SWEETWATER DRY GOODS CO. ADVERTISES SALE

A. Levy of Sweetwater, manager of the Sweetwater Dry Good Company, was in Colorado Tuesday to complete arrangements for a fire sale to be conducted here. The company will open a big stock of goods in the building formerly occupied by the Grand Leader. The sale is to open Saturday. Mr. Levy has a page advertisement in The Record today, to which readers are referred.

John Basden, for several months employed in the office of A. J. Herington as bookkeeper, has resigned.

When you think of gasoline think of that GOOD GULF, because there is more power in it.

The Pumpkin



O, greenly and fair in the lands of the sun, The vines of the gourd and the rich melon run, And the rock and the tree and the cottage enfold, With broad leaves all greenness and blossoms all gold, Like that which o'er Nineveh's prophet once grew, While he waited to know that his warning was true, And longed for the storm-cloud, and listened in vain, For the rush of the whirlwind and red fire-rain.

On the banks of the Xenil, the dark Span- ish maiden Comes up with the fruit of the tangled vine laden; And the Creole of Cuba laughs out to behold Through orange-leaves shining the broad spheres of gold; Yet with dearer delight from his home in the North, On the fields of his harvest the Yankee looks forth, Where crows-necks are coiling and yellow fruit shines, And the sun of September melts down on his vines.

Ah! on Thanksgiving day, when from East and from West, From North and from South come the pilgrim and guest, When the gray-haired New Englander sees round his board The old broken links of affection restored.

O, fruit loved of boyhood! the old days recalling, When wood-grapes were purpling and brown nuts were falling! When wild, ugly faces were carved in its skin, Gearing out through the dark with a candle within! When we laughed round the corn-heap, with hearts all in tune, Our cheer a broad pumpkin, our lantern the moon, Telling tales of the fairy who traveled like steam, In a pumpkin-shell coach, with two rats for her team! —John Greenleaf Whittier.



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MERCHANTABLE ICE NOT POSSIBLE FROM RAW WATER

According to report of analysis of water of the character taken from wells at the municipal water works, made recently by the International Filter Company of Chicago, for O. Lambeth, the grade of raw water ice that would be produced from it would not be considered merchantable if the people expect a clear ice. This information was received by Mr. Lambeth this week.

While in Fort Worth recently to attend the State Ice Dealers Association, Lambeth made a thorough investigation into the possibilities of manufacturing ice from the raw water here, and states that experts advised such an undertaking to be impracticable.

Through a process of distillation, however, ice can be made from this water after treatment which would be just as clear, just as firm and just as good from any refrigerating standpoint as a block of crystal clear ice, the Chicago experts stated. The raw water is also undesirable for boiler use, the report received by Lambeth continues. In speaking of this feature, the report says:

"The water should be treated, however, even for boiler feed purposes, as it contains a tremendous amount of incrusting solids which would form very hard scales in the boilers, reducing their efficiency, wasting fuel and necessitating frequent boiler cleaning and repairs."

The experts estimated that the cost of treatment of the water would amount to approximately 12 cents per thousand gallons.

Education Week Program Outlined.

An American Education week, to be celebrated all over the United States from December 3 to 9, inclusive, is divided into six separate sections, a day being devoted to each department. Sunday, December 3, is known as "For God and Country Day," on which ministers of all denominations are urged to preach a sermon on education, either morning or evening. All communities are urged to hold mass meetings. Requests for speakers may be made to the American Legion posts throughout the country for meetings during this week.

Monday is "American Citizenship Day," Tuesday will be devoted to "Patriotism," Wednesday is "School and Teacher Day," Thursday is to be given to a consideration of "Illiteracy," Friday to "Equality of Opportunity," and Saturday to "Physical Education."

The American Legion, the National Education Association, and the United States Bureau of Education, which are all three co-operating in the celebration, are asking aid and assistance from the public. Churches, chambers of commerce, labor organizations, women's organizations, fraternal bodies, luncheon clubs, etc., are asked to urge the mayor to issue a proclamation setting aside this week as American Education Week, and asking the people to cooperate. Newspapers are requested to give all space possible to educational matters, articles, editorials, and news material, and merchants are requested to use window displays appropriate for the occasion, and to devote as much space as possible to matters of education in their newspaper advertising. Citizens everywhere are requested to ask the moving picture theatres to flash slides on the screen, urging the people to visit the schools and study educational questions. At all public meetings held that week it is hoped space can be found for some one to talk a few minutes on the necessity of education. Co-operation with the educational officials and other patriotic, civic and fraternal organizations by local American Legion post is asked, on the ground that the country looks to the American Legion to pave the way to patriotism and education—service to Nation, State and community.

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CAR OVERTURNS

Coy, the ten year old son of Mrs. A. H. London of San Angelo broke his arm when the car in which he was riding overturned about twelve miles south of Sweetwater. Mrs. Wayne was driving the car. Other passengers included Mrs. London, Mrs. Willie May London, the son who was injured and Miss Inez Monroe, all of San Angelo. The accident occurred about 8 o'clock Friday night when a bridge was missed in the darkness. The party was brought to Sweetwater by Mrs. George Willis of the Dabney Motor Company—Sweetwater Reporter.

BOX SUPPER AT SHEPHERD A BIG SUCCESS

In spite of the cold and drizzling rain Friday night the schoolhouse was at an early hour filled with an enthusiastic crowd. The decorations of wild red berries and green foliage tinged with yellow, amid the festoons of which nestled the "turkey gobblers" and yellow "pumpkin faces" whispered that Thanksgiving was near and also lent a cheery, home-like atmosphere. Judge Hall and the other speakers who had been invited to come over from Colorado failed to appear but seemingly, no one allowed the disappointment to detract from their pleasure. The school program of songs, readings and a Thanksgiving story was rendered as planned. The most interesting number perhaps being an acoustic or the story of Shepherd's aims and achievements told in jingles by eight children each of which carried a large letter which when put together spelled Shepherd.

All eyes were then turned to the boxes which were arranged on the teachers' desks converted into tables by the addition of white center pieces. What a dream of beauty and art these boxes were. There was the perfect reproduction of a U. S. steamboat, the red-wheeled, white-covered wagon with a togue; the little bungalow with its green roof and pot plants on the porch and a number of others that were too prettily decorated with crepe paper and tinsel to be called "boxes." The boys knew that when girls could make such pretty things as these, they were bound to be good cooks. This together with a natural auctioneer and all his witty comments in the person of Mr. A. H. Hooks, chairman of the school board, caused the bidding to run high, two of the boxes bringing more than \$5 each. The "popular girl" contest proved to be equally as interesting. A Miss Bean of Colorado, Miss Stattie Iglehart and Miss Alpha B. Marshall of Shepherd were nominated, Miss Bean and Miss Marshall ran a close race but when the last two minutes were announced the supporters of Miss Marshall put in enough votes to cause her to win, 25c being paid for each 100 votes. The winner was presented with a cake. Then came the contest for the ugliest man, in which Mr. Landon Yater won and was also presented

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An \$80,000 bond issue for the rebuilding the East Ward school and the modernization of the South and West Ward schools carried in an election at Sweetwater Saturday by a vote of 324 to 36. The East Ward school there was destroyed by a fire a few months ago and a youth, a pupil in the school, is now serving a sentence in the State Training school at Gatesville following his conviction on charges of having fired the building.

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Thanksgiving on the Farm



Oh, the farm was bright, Thanksgiving morn,
With its stacks of hay and shocks of corn,
Its pumpkin heaps in the rambling shed,
And its apples brown and green and red,
And in the cellar, the winter store,
In bins that were filled and running o'er
With all the things that a farm could keep,
In barrel and bin and goodly heap,
Out to the farm for experiment,
Oh, the farm was a pleasant place to stay!

And here and there was the Jersey stock,
The sheep and horses—Old Prince and Jock—
The turkeys and geese and awkward calf,
And the goat that made the children laugh,
A pair of mules that a friend had sent
Out to the farm for experiment,
Pigeons and fowls and a guinea pig,
Dogs that were small and dogs that were big,
Chickens that were white and black and gray—
Oh, the farm was a jolly sight that day!

Out back of the house the orchard stood,
Then came the brook and the chestnut wood,
The old sawmill where the children play,
The fowler barn with its piles of hay,
The walnut grove and the cranberry bog,
The wood-huck hole and the barking dog,
The wintergreen and the roobar's rave—
Wherain who entered was counted brave—
The skating pond with its fringes of bay—
Oh, the farm was a right good place to stay!

Oh, the pantry shelves were loaded down
With cakes that were plump and rich and brown,
With apple pie and pumpkin and mince,
And jellies and jam and preserved quince,
Cranberry sauce and puddings and rice,
The dessert dishes that look so nice,
Vegetables, breads, and bonbons sweet,
A great brown turkey and plates of meat,
Sauces fixed in the daintiest way—
Oh, 'twas a glorious sight that day!

Oh, the farm was bright Thanksgiving morn,
The sun alone clear on the hay and corn,
The guests came early with laugh and shout,
And the boys and girls scattered about,
Seeking the pets they had known before,
Climbing through window instead of door,
Racing from barn to corner or mill,
Shouting and laughing with glee, until
The dinner-horn sounded. Oh, I say,
'Twas pleasant upon the farm that day!

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For investments in oil leases in Mitchell County; put some of your idle money into this field and do it now.

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Place your order for Christmas cards at the Record office.

MEXICO ITS HOME

Domestic Species of Turkey Had Origin There.

Thanksgiving Bird, So Well and Favorably Known Today, Never of the Wild Species.

At this time of the year when the feasting holidays are here, almost everyone thinks of turkey, which also took an important part in the first Thanksgiving of the Puritans, the founders of Thanksgiving as we know it today. Little is known of the early history of the domestic turkey. Writers of the Sixteenth and Seventeenth centuries seem to have been ignorant about it, and to have regarded it as the guinea-fowl or pintado of the ancients, a mistake which was not cleared up until the middle of the last century, says a writer in the New York Sun.

The name it now bears, and which it received in England where it is reputed to have been introduced in 1541, was given it from the supposition that it came originally from Turkey. As far back as 1573 we read of it as having been the Christmas fare of the sturdy British yeomanry.

Came From Mexican Fowl.

Audubon, one of the early pioneers of American ornithology, supposed our common barnyard turkey to have originated in the wild bird so prevalent in the eastern half of the United States. But it has always been a matter of surprise to naturalists that the latter did not assimilate, by interbreeding and reversion, more intimately in color and habits to the domestic form. No suspicion, until recently, appears to have been entertained that the two birds might belong to different species.

Our common wild turkey, once so plentiful in Pennsylvania and New York is now restricted to the more eastern and southern portions of the

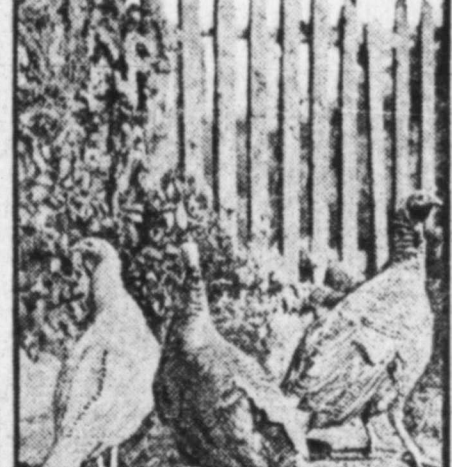
United States, while in the parts of Texas, New Mexico, Colorado and Arizona, thence stretching southward along the eastern slope of Mexico, there exists another form, essentially different, which by way of distinction, has been popularly called the Mexican turkey. It is from this species, and not from the other, as has been erroneously supposed, that the domestic fowl has been derived.

Many Differences Seen.

Between the wild bird of eastern North America and the Mexican and typical barnyard fowls there are differences which must be apparent to the most superficial observer. The extremities of the tail feathers as well as the feathers overlying the base of the tail are in the latter creamy or fulvous white, while in the former they are of a decided chestnut brown color. Other characteristics exist, apparent to the ornithologist.

The difficulty experienced in establishing a cross between our wild and tame birds, shows that they are not as closely related as one would suppose. Did a near kinship exist, interbreeding would more easily be accomplished. With the Mexican turkey, matters are otherwise. That a relationship does exist between the domestic bird and the latter there can be no question, as specimens of the naturalized species are often met with which are nearly the counterpart of its Mexican progenitor, differing only in the greater development of the fatty appendages of the head and neck, differences which may be accounted for as the effects of the influences to which the birds have been subjected by man.

No well-authenticated instance of similar reversions to our once familiar eastern bird have been known to occur, which would necessarily have been the case had they been so closely related as was once maintained.



AMERICA'S OWN DAY.

Thanksgiving is particularly our own holiday. It originated here and no other continent than this has it. Except for the Thanksgiving days of the United States and Canada there is in all the earth no official occasion for returning thanks to Providence by the people as a people irrespective of sect. Christmas and New Year's are celebrated wherever the cross has found its way; independence and memorial days are observed in many lands; but the only national Thanksgiving day is ours.

SWEETWATER STORE IS ROBBED; SMALL LOSS

Another burglary was reported in Sweetwater Wednesday night when the grocery of W. L. Carr was entered. The only loss discovered by Mr. Carr was \$1.60, the entire amount in the cash register of which 60¢ was pennies, and two five pound boxes of candy. Entrance was gained through a rear window which was broken by the plunderers.—Sweetwater Reporter.

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We are Santa Claus' Headquarters. He will soon be here. In order to avoid delay in being waited upon, please do your Christmas shopping early. Our Christmas goods are now ready for your selection. Make this an easy Christmas on yourself by coming in today. You will not be crowded and you can take your time.

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LORAINNE NEWS

Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity.

—MISS PEARL TEMPLETON—

Miss Templeton is also authorized receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whilkey Printing Company in Loraine and Vicinity. See her and take your County Paper.

Thanksgiving Services

Thanksgiving services, in which the several congregations of the city will participate will be conducted Thursday morning at ten o'clock at the Baptist church with Rev. Thornton, Baptist pastor presiding. Mr. S. C. Harris and Mesdames J. W. Walker and W. I. Edmondson were the committee appointed to arrange the program. There will be several special musical numbers but at this writing the program has not been completed. Throughout the day the bank and stores will be closed and in a number of homes special Thanksgiving dinners will be served. Several hunting parties have made their plans to start early and put in a full day at the watering places in the county in quest of

duck, so Thanksgiving will be observed by the Loraine folks in various ways.

Box Supper at Shepherd

There was a box supper at the Shepherd school house Friday night which was reported as quite successful. The stage was stacked high with pretty boxes so appealing that one had hard work to wait quietly until the time for auctioning them. A very interesting program was rendered by the student body, after which the boxes were auctioned by one of the trustees of the school. The receipts were \$92.25, which will be used to put a fence in front of school building, purchase a flag pole and several other things for the school. The hearty response of the people of Shepherd and of the

neighboring communities to this call proves that the progress and improvement of Shepherd has behind it not only the good wishes but also the influence and abilities of her friends and since co-operation is one of the most essential factors in community welfare we are sure that their school must needs be a success.

Philomath Club

Mrs. R. A. Edwards was hostess to the Philomath club Thursday afternoon, Nov. 23rd. The program began with roll call which was answered with "What I am Thankful For." Mrs. A. C. Pratt led the lesson which was taken from the Literary Digest. The club accepted its quota of the Tuberculosis Christmas seals and committees were appointed to look after the selling of them. It was decided that the club give a program some time in December, the proceeds of which will go to put on an art exhibit here, provided it can be gotten after Christmas. Mrs. J. L. Johnson will be hostess next week on Friday instead of Thursday. At the social hour the hostess assisted by her daughter served cheese and pimento sandwiches, dark cake and hot chocolate with whipped cream.

Among those from Loraine who attended the barbecue at Inadale Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rhodes and children, H. Olenbusch and family, Misses Viola Brown and Thelda Black and G. D. Durnahoo. They reported lots of eats and a good time in general.

A. C. Caswell made a business trip to Lamesa Sunday.

There was quite a bit of excitement in Loraine Sunday afternoon about one-thirty when C. M. Black's residence in the West part of town caught fire. It was not known just how the fire started but as it started on the roof it was supposed that sparks from the flue was the cause of it. Such a large crowd gathered to help that the flames were soon extinguished and very little damage done.

Mrs. G. W. Wemken and little son visited in the E. P. Kuck home north of town Tuesday.

News comes from Otha Thompson who is in the Homan sanatorium at El Paso, that he is not doing so well the past week as he has been heretofore, and Mrs. Thompson will not be able to come back and take up her work in the Landers school as soon as she expected to.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson of Colorado and Mrs. C. M. Thompson and daughters, Rilla and Panlyne, spent Sunday in the H. T. Hall home west of town.

Rev. A. J. F. Meier will hold Thanksgiving services at the Lutheran church Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. There will also be services there next Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Hanks visited Mrs. Hank's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Bozeman at Colorado Monday.

W. M. Cardwell and family of the Barnett community moved into town Tuesday. Mr. Cardwell has purchased the H. V. Richards residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Barna Haney and children of Roscoe and Wyse Cooper of Sweetwater visited in the R. A. Edwards home Sunday.

Mr. Cohn with the Radio Equipment Co. at Dallas was in Loraine on business from Friday till Tuesday.

We are glad to report the children of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Pitts, who have been quite ill of diphtheria as convalescent this week.

Chas. Taylor and family of Colorado spent Sunday in the Oscar Jones home.

Morgan Hull went to Stanton Sunday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Dewey Winstead of Snyder spent Sunday in Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomas had as dinner guests Sunday L. L. Bodine and family and J. F. Bodine and family of Buford, W. H. Bodine and wife of Colorado, W. P. Bodine and family of Seven Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Hall Hooker.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Monte M. Page, a 6 1/2 pound boy, Tuesday, November 28th. Mother and baby both doing well.

J. N. Smith and family moved the first of the week to Fort Worth. Mr. Clyde Mann and family moved into the house vacated by Mr. Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Farrar spent Sunday in the E. P. Kuck home north of town.

Rev. A. J. F. Meier returned Monday from Big Spring and Soash where he held his regular appointments.

Misses Mattie Thompson and Opal Jarrett visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson Monday evening.

Mrs. J. F. Bennett and son Virgil returned Thursday from a trip to Strawn, Hico, Alexander, Clairette and Carlton.

Rev. A. J. F. Meier has purchased a new Ford car.

Miss Allyn James of Dunn was the guest of Mrs. J. T. Ledbetter last week-end.

E. E. Compton of Big Spring was a Loraine visitor Sunday.

Ollie Bruton spent last week in Dallas on business.

Mrs. J. F. Chambers of Colorado has been visiting her brother, R. E. Bennett and wife for the past week and Miss Caroline Chambers was over for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wilson and son of Ellis county visited Mrs. Wilson's brother, A. C. Caswell and family Sunday and Monday. They were enroute to California.

L. M. Jones and family of Colorado moved Tuesday to a farm six miles north of Loraine.

Miss Connie Baird who is one of the teachers in the Spade school, spent the week-end with the home folks.

Miss Lue L. Jones who is attending school at Colorado, spent Sunday at her home here.

J. D. Howell and B. D. Smith each had new garages built at their places last week.

School was continued over Saturday last week in order that both Thursday and Friday could be given as a holiday this week. Most all the teachers who do not live here are planning to spend Thanksgiving at their homes.

Messrs Bigham and Russell Cope of Roscoe were business visitors to Loraine Tuesday.

For Saturday only one lot of hats at \$2.50 each. These hats were formerly sold from \$5 to \$10 each.—Mrs. B. F. Mills.

There is no trouble in starting cars when you use that Good Gulf gasoline. Call for it when buying gasoline.

Why Not a Little Novelty?



—Louis M. Glackens, in the New York Tribune.

EXTENDING TIME OF THANKS

Each Day Might Be Made a Season for Expressing Gratitude for Manifold Blessings.

It is human nature to pay more heed to things which discomfort us than to those which contribute to our happiness. The latter we accept as a matter of course and do not regard very attentively until, perchance, we are deprived of them, when we promptly number them among our regrets and repine over them frequently.

If we were to devote five minutes a day to recalling the things for which we, as individuals or as citizens, have reason to be thankful, we should find ourselves much happier and the world would be much easier to get along with. In time, perhaps, we should find our thankful periods extending themselves and our periods of worry and discontent growing correspondingly shorter.

This being the Thanksgiving time, officially designated for a review of our blessings, it might be a good time to inaugurate a plan for being thankful for at least a few minutes every day. One does not require to be a Polyanna to accomplish this.

Almost Ready for Oven



Here is the prize of the barnyard, well on the way toward the final stage of his career.

R. & S. PALACE Theatre

We welcome this opportunity to thank you, one and all for the many words of appreciation and encouragement you have conveyed to us during the short time we have been open. We shall continue to strive to merit your confidence and loyal support in the years to come and it is our great desire to present each of our programs regardless of footage, a real feature attraction.

Show will run all day Thanksgiving day and we are presenting Wallace Reid, Gloria Swanson and Elliott Dexter in—

Don't Tell Everything

NEXT WEEK MONDAY-TUESDAY DEC. 4 AND 5

Ladies Must Live

With Betty Compson Also HIS WIFE'S FRIEND

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY "After The Show"

With Jack Holt, Lila Lee and Shas. Ogle, also WHO'S LITTLE WIFE ARE YOU?

Friday Mary Miles Minter in—

"Tillie" also BY GOLLY

Saturday Pete Morrison Western

"Better Man Wins"

Also Larry Semm in THE SPORTSMAN.

THINGS TO GO WITH TURKEY

at the dinner—get them at Bean's grocery store and you will then have no cause to fret or worry over the meal not turning out as it should.



Bean's Grocery

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COURTHOUSE.

It is gratifying to learn from those who are carrying the petitions requesting Commissioners' Court to order an election to determine whether bonds shall be issued with which to build a new court house...

You cannot build your courthouse too large. There were many here who said that the Taylor county court house, when erected, was too large, and that an unnecessary expense was made in building it.

THE WEST TEXAS A. & M.

The article reprinted from the Lubbock Avalanche, telling of the organization of a "West Texas A. & M. College Club," at Lubbock recently is a commendable reflection upon the progressive people of that thriving little city.

OVER IN GEORGIA

Georgia is a queer state. Georgia has produced some remarkable statesmen. Georgia has produced many freak people who are neither thinkers or satesmen or creators or builders.

made a sworn statement to that effect to the secretary of the senate.

He reported that no contributions or expenditures in his behalf had been made by himself or his agents.

Colonel Smith W. Brookhart, republican nominee for the senate in the state of Iowa campaigned for six months against powerful opposition, won the nomination and it only cost him \$318.

He is a wealthy man, he is the best rifle shot in America, he is an expert motor driver, and he had the backing of farmers and laborers.

AFRICAN EDUCATION WEEK

Next week will be observed by the public schools of the nation and by the American Legion as American Education week.

Elaborate preparations have been made for a worth-while observance this year both by the Legion and the National Education association.

Inasmuch as Alvin M. Owsley of Denton, a Texan, is now national commander of the Legion, and as he, as national director of the Legion's Americanism commission, worked out much of the idea of and plans for American Education week.

30c Thanksgiving Dinner at Pullman Cafe.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co. phone 280.

The fuss raised with Dr. Brooks and Baylor University about evolution is the result of bigotry and ignorance.

If Baylor University were to conform to the ideas of some people and refuse to teach science as proven and accepted by the learned men of the world, it would soon become the laughing stock of other colleges.

Dr. Brooks, the faculty and regents of Baylor University can be trusted and they ought to be let alone by those who don't believe that tadpoles minus tail equals frog.

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 2nd, our big Millinery Sale begins. We will give ONE FOURTH (1/4) off on any hat in the house.

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When in need of a windmill or pipe, see Colorado Supply Co. Phone 80.

SWEETWATER MAN KILLED IN COLLISION

PALESTINE, Nov. 26.—Buford Wilkerson, 22, was killed and his father, W. H. Wilkerson, 45, both of Sweetwater, seriously injured when their automobile was struck by a train at a crossing four miles west of Palestine last yesterday.

Hill Low is now selling Overland cars. See him for real bargains in new cars, Fords or Overlands. Will also buy, sell or trade used cars.

Euell Whitten of Aspermont visited friends here this week.

The Record has it that the many friends of Brown F. Lee of Sterling and San Angelo are working in his behalf for the appointment as railroad commissioner to succeed the Hon. Earle B. Mayfield and we heartily endorse the move as there is no better qualified man in all the West than Brown F. Lee.

Eagle's Day Off



That is when this pinch hitter gets into the game as the national bird.

BURGLARS TAKE TWO OVERCOATS FROM GREENE'S

Burglars smashed a window in the front of the J. H. Greene and Company store Friday night and appropriated two overcoats, which had been on display in the window.

Officers made an investigation but it was stated Monday afternoon that no clue as to identity of the thieves had been found.

U. D. Wulfjen was here Tuesday from his ranch eleven miles south of Colorado. Mr. Wulfjen stated that he had already canned a large amount of pork and beef and planned to put up two or three hundred additional cans of these products during the winter.

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 2nd, our big Millinery Sale begins. We will give ONE FOURTH (1/4) off on any hat in the house.

RURAL TRUSTEES WILL MEET HERE SATURDAY

The semi-annual meeting of the Rural Trustees' Association of Mitchell County, which will convene at the court house Saturday promises to be well attended by trustees and teachers of the rural districts of the county.

Citation on Application for Letters of Guardianship—No. 401

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Mitchell County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the welfare of Paul Pace, Grissie Pace, Hulene Pace and Alice Pace, minors; D. H. Pace has filed in the County Court of Mitchell County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the persons and estate of said minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in January A. D. 1923, the same being the first day of January A. D. 1923 at the Court House thereof in Colorado, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, Texas, this 28th day of November A. D. 1922.

W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk, County Court Mitchell County, Texas. 12-8c

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WANTED—A middle aged lady to help care for a sick person. Apply to J. C. Hall, Colorado, Texas. 1tc

NEW NUMBER PLATES FOR MOTOR VEHICLES JAN. 1

New number plates will be issued for all motor vehicles as registered for 1923, according to information received from W. J. Chesney, tax collector. The new plates will have a star in the center and the word "Texas" on each end.

CORRECT

The family was seated at dinner, and the conversation turned to school lessons much to the disgust of Alice.

"What period in English history are you doing?" inquired the father.

"The Stuarts," replied Alice, timidly; after which an ominous pause suggested that father was thinking of a question upon a period of history which her facts were dim and hazy.

"What was the first thing James I did when he came to the throne?" he asked at length.

"Sat on it, I suppose," replied Alice with calm conviction.

SULPHUR SPRINGS YOUTH IS SHOT AT LUBBOCK

LUBBOCK, Nov. 28.—Paul Morgan, whose parents live in Sulphur Springs, was shot in the leg Monday night about 1 o'clock by Night Watchman Smith, while in company with five other young men racing through the streets of the city in a large touring car.

Typewriters, office supplies and school supplies at Record office. Adding machine paper at the Record office.

Apples Apples Arkansas Blacks and Jonothans at PRATT'S HOUSE in the Lasky Building across alley from Ford Garage. Come to see me.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS Want Ads Bring Results.—One Cent a word, each issue.—40c minimum price. No Classified Ads. Charged. It's Cash

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS \$10 REWARD—Lost October 10, a blue-brindle grey bitch hound, lost in Colorado. Will give \$10 for return of dog. G. F. Fuller, Phone 414, two longs, one short. 1tp

Don't Let your Radiator FREEZE The first freeze that comes may be in the small hours of the morning and the chances are that you will forget to drain the car the night before. Dont take the chance. Let us fill your radiator with our Anti-Freeze solution, then you can sleep without fear of your car freezing up. It is absolutely a reliable mixture and is harmless to the car. We have already filled a number of cars. Dont wait until the motor block is bursted and then wish you had filled your car with Anti-Freeze FAIR FILL SERVICE STATION Phone 19

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COL. WRIGHT ASSUMES MANAGEMENT OF MAJESTIC

Col. G. R. Wright has purchased the equipment of the Majestic Hotel and will assume charge of the business Friday, December 1, according to information given The Record by Col. Wright Monday. He will equip a modern dining room and serve patrons with both room and board.

Col. Wright came to Colorado several months ago and assumed management of the dining room at the Alamo Hotel. The dining room there, under his management, has enjoyed a liberal patronage.

Thanksgiving Dinner Thursday at Pullman Cafe, only 50c

LONGFELLOW LOCALS

Longfellow is coming to the front this is our third week in school and we have 78 enrolled.

Our girls organized their basket ball team Monday with Gattie Westbrook captain. We will soon be ready to play most any body that thinks they can beat us.

Sunday school was well attended last Sunday afternoon.

There will be church next Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night. Every lady is invited.

Mrs. C. A. Gillis was quite sick Monday morning but is better at this writing.

Mr. D. P. Smith's sister from Tennessee who has been visiting them the last three weeks returned to her home Sunday morning. Mr. Harde Smith accompanied her.

Roy Smith returned Friday night from Ft. Bayerd, where he accompanied his cousin to the sanatorium.

Miss Pauline Smith of Colorado spent the week-end with the Misses Westbrook.

Miss Ora Smith visited Miss Benjie Adams Sunday evening.

The singing at Mr. Edward Felts was well attended last Sunday night.

We regret to learn that Mrs. J. J. Williams and family and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wright are moving to Lamesa.

Miss Donnie Coats gave a farewell party last Thursday night. They are also leaving this week for Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Robinson and Mrs. J. M. Robinson were visiting T. H. Westbrook last week and Melvin went home with them.

Little Christine Hart is suffering this week with tonsillitis.

Our new song books have arrived. Come and hear the good singing. Mr. A. W. Dearn visited in the Looney community Sunday.

Mr. Barkley Derryberry was visiting in the Watlington home Sunday.

ONE FOURTH OFF on one lot of Gage Tailored hats—Mrs. E. F. Mills.

To prevent a Cold take 66c.

5,000 BALES WEIGHED AT COLORADO COTTON YARD

Cotton yard receipts at Colorado Tuesday were given at more than eight thousand bales for the season of 1922-23. This does not include all the cotton received here, since no cotton pooled by members of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau are weighed at the local yard. Cotton yard receipts for the season will approximate nine thousand bales, with approximately four thousand pooled by the farm bureau, placing the total for Colorado at thirteen thousand bales.

Many farmers of the Colorado territory have finished gathering their cotton and feed crops and are now plowing their fields preparatory for another crop. An ideal season is in the ground in all sections of the county, according to reports received here.

NOTICE TO THE MERCHANTS

This is to certify that we, D. J. Fuller and E. A. Stokes feel it our duty to thank the good merchants of Colorado for their past hauling, hoping to continue their hauling in the year of 1923 as we are in better shape to serve the merchants by putting on the third truck. We make our trips every day and we are responsible for all shortage after leaving the wholesale houses. We remain as ever, yours for service.

D. J. FULLER, Phone 433
E. A. STOKES, Phone 450
Colorado, Texas.

JONES DRY GOODS WILL CLOSE STORE AT ABILENE

The G. E. Jones Dry Goods Company, one of the leading firms of Abilene, will close before January 1, it was announced Monday. The store is the headquarters of several stores throughout Texas, and Mr. Jones stated that he was closing here in order to give more attention to the other branches. One of these branches is located in Colorado and among the leading exclusive dry goods stores here.

SPECIAL PICTURE AT BEST THEATRE THURSDAY

The management of the Best Theatre has made special efforts to obtain a suitable picture for Thanksgiving and takes pleasure in presenting a Universal special, "The Delicious Little Devil." Mae Murray and Rudolph Valentino have the leading roles and promise to make this a very snappy program. A continuous show will be run all day.

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 2nd, our big Millinery Sale begins. We will give ONE FOURTH (1/4) off on any hat in the house Better buy now.—Mrs. Media Robinson, at Burns' store

Special Rates

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Electric Ranges and Electric Water Heaters

Why not cook with an electric range? They are just as economical and you won't be worried with coal, ashes, matches, smutty pans, disagreeable fumes or have oil stored around your home.

We will give you a special rate with these stoves and you will be surprised how little it costs to operate them.

Call us for information or come to the office and see the one we have on demonstration.

See Our New Electric Water Heater

Why do without hot water in cold weather when an electric water heater is within the reach of all?

You can have hot water in just a few minutes and they are not expensive to operate—just a few cents a day.

\$5.00 will see one installed in your home

TERMS IF DESIRED

West Texas Electric Company

Colorado, Texas

THOUSANDS OF TINS OF MEAT TO BE PRESERVED

The home demonstration agent recently estimated that during the six months from December 1 to June 1, not less than thirty thousand tins of pork and beef products, vegetables, fruits and preserves will be tinned by the people of Mitchell County under the steam pressure process as recommended by the Extension Department, A. & M. College. The cookers have already been purchased by approximately twenty-five citizens of the county and others plan obtaining them within the next four weeks.

The Chamber of Commerce ordered one thousand tins Tuesday for distribution among some of the farmers and cattlemen who will can beef and pork products during December. Arrangements are being made to have the cans handled at Colorado, the county agent stated last week.

Big Thanksgiving dinner Thursday at Pullman Cafe, 50c.

Choice alfalfa and prairie hay sold by Oliver & Bell.

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LUBBOCK BOOSTING FOR WEST TEXAS A. & M.

From Lubbock Avalanche:

"What's the next big thing for Lubbock?"

The fact that that is the main question here may be looked upon from more than one angle, but to the fellow who knows Lubbock and her people it is just a hint that there will be another big something for this town in the near future, regardless of what it is or when it comes it will be as big, as that is the way things are done here.

M. M. Dupre, Geo. W. Briggs and Senator Bledsoe believe that a West Texas A. & M. somewhere in West Texas will be the next great achievement to be recorded in the historic archives to be handed down to future generations, and those well versed in the manner in which those three men go after what they want will readily see that there is great possibilities for Lubbock being made a greater center of attraction, in that Lubbock men are leading the fight for better schooling facilities for West Texas.

Don't misunderstand us. Don't read this article and go away and tell the next fellow you come to that Lubbock business men are talking and about tearing their shirts for an A. & M. College for Lubbock, for that is by no means what they are doing. The next big thing for Lubbock is, we understand, to be the building in West Texas of an A. & M. College, and in that Lubbock men are the ones first interested in the situation they are the fellows who will be outstanding characters in the achievement.

What Lubbock business men,

school men and statesmen want is an A. & M. College in West Texas. Of course there will in all probability be an explosion of journalistic gas within a few weeks decaring from every town and village in all West Texas that the magnificent educational institution will be placed within the confines of the respective towns, but as yet the Avalanche editor has not instructed the make-up man to reserve space for the dedication article, and if we can remain as liberal as those directly back of the A. & M. proposition are, we will in all probability omit the publication of anything that will even tend that Lubbock is going teeth and toenail for the school to be located in Lubbock. Of course Lubbock business men and citizens are not asleep, never have been and if our observations have led up to the proper conclusion they never will be, but even if they are very wide awake we can assure our readers that in putting up the fight that is necessary in bringing to West Texas this deserved and needed institution the forces will have to so utilize every ounce of strength that there will be no room to explode petty jealousies or civic sentiments behind the lines until this little scrap is won.

The slogan of the local organization, has been printed on stickers which are given the business men with instructions to use them on all correspondence directed to towns in West Texas, the results of this advertising alone, it is believed, will be extraordinary.

All together for West Texas. Lubbock people are great Lubbock boosters, and had rather do things for Lubbock than any other town in the State, but when a big proposition for the area of West Texas is to be put over they are broad-minded enough to forget the bounds of this city, and liberal enough to use the same energy in doing things for West Texas as for Lubbock.

back them in all their undertakings, and in fact it has been hinted that at the meeting he was made a member of the organization and given a place of responsibility as one of its propellers.

Now is the time for all towns and all people of West Texas to pull together—the future will hold opportunities a plenty for civic effort—let it be for all West Texas at the present.

WHY SUFFER SO?

Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Colorado people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor. Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?


Mrs. G. W. Donaldson, Coneche street, Colorado, says: "A few years ago I was troubled with sharp pains in my back and when I did any hard work it affected my kidneys. I had such nervous spells that the least thing would irritate me. I had sleepless nights and I was annoyed by the irregular action of my kidneys. When morning came, I had a terrible drowsy feeling and no ambition to do anything. I am pleased to say that since I have been a user of Doan's Kidney Pills, the trouble has passed away."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Donaldson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

NEW TRUCK LINE

E. A. (Ed) Stokes
Long Distance truck hauling anywhere anytime. Make daily trips to Sweetwater. Prices are right. Phone 450, day or night.

MULES



For Sale

Another car load of GOOD MULES Will be here Wednesday **DEC. 6th.** Must be sold and will be sold cheap at **OLLIVER & BELL**

SPECIAL

We now have the largest stock of Gancy and Plain Stationery that has ever been in Colorado. We are now equipped to make any kind of Monogram you like. We want you to visit our office and see—seeing is believing.

The famous Wahl Fountain Pen and Eversharp Pencil

If you are looking for Christmas Gifts we have it

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Thanksgiving Days Are Here

New Thanksgiving Table Linen and Napkins to match, extra quality, ALL LINEN.

All Ladies Ready-to-Wear, special price of 1-4 OFF

New French Gingham, 32 inch, extra quality regular 75¢ seller at 50¢

ALL READY TRIMMED HATS TO BE SOLD AT EXACTLY HALF PRICE **1-2 off**

See Madam Hendren

Talking Dolls

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY THURSDAY, NOV. 30TH

Jones Dry Goods, Inc.

WITH THE CHURCHES
SUNDAY WITH THE BAPTISTS

Last Sunday was a fine day and we had two of the largest audiences for several months. Had four additions. We are all heart-broken because of the extreme sadness which came into the home of Sister Nunn in the death of her son, Tom. A large congregation gathered at the Baptist church at 3:30 to pay the last rite of respect. A beautiful floral offering was made by the many friends.

By request we will have some remarks to make on the "devil running at large in Colorado." Come Sunday night and we will try to help you see some things. You need not wear your "specks"

Remember we want to have a full school Sunday morning. Prayer meeting is becoming more interesting all along. Don't let anything keep you away. Bring your friends to all the services. Evening services at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting and choir practice at 7:30.

M. C. BISHOP.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
There were two good audiences Sunday. The evening hour gave us almost a full house. The subject discussed is a vital one, and of course will provoke both favorable and adverse comment. Every subject that involves the morals of our commun-

ity and the habits of men, whether good or bad, will provoke animated discussion. Our Bible school meet at 10 o'clock each Sunday morning. The morning worship at 11:00. The evening hour 7:00. Come and hear further discussion of great issues. Let's study together and find what is best for our present and future generations.

D. R. HARDISON

Thanksgiving Program

Last Sunday was set aside as the time for the special Thanksgiving offering for Buckner Orphans Home Miss Delma Bishop gave an appropriate reading and the orchestra a special number. The offering amounted to more than thirty-five dollars.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

All Saints' Mission

Reverend F. B. Eteson, priest in charge.
The Little Helpers branch of Women's Auxiliary will meet Saturday afternoon, December 2, at 3 o'clock with the leader, Mrs. J. S. Bennett. Announcements for week, beginning Dec. 3—Advent Sunday. Holy communion and sermon 11 a. m.
Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m.

At the morning service Reverend Eteson will discuss "The Every Member Canvas" of nation-wide campaign. Every member, or his representative is expected at this service, so that after hearing Reverend Eteson's explanation of this

matter, he will be ready to take his pledge of next year's assessment.

December 4—Monday at 4 o'clock at the church, first of three Advent weekly meetings of women of the church, held by Reverend Eteson. Topic of importance will be discussed.

December 7—Thursday at 4 o'clock at church, December business meeting.

Give us that order for an Essex car while they are only \$1195 delivered.—Price Auto Co.

Now is the time to have your windmill repaired. Phone 280.

All kinds of Cheese, the very best at City Market.

STERLING OIL NEWS

From Sterling City News-Record:
W. F. Cushing, field manager for the Cushing Ranch Drilling Association reports that the crew at the Cushing No. 1, is engaged in removing a joint of defective casing from the well so as to shut off the water that had begun to give the drillers trouble. When asked about the prospects when drilling ceased, Mr. Cushing replied: "It looked mighty good." He said the well had been on fire twice in the last few days from matches being struck near the hole. He says considerable inflammable gas is escaping from the well.

H. H. Enders, head of the concern left for Boston a few days ago, but to return in a short time.

Drilling continues at the Sparkman well, but most of the company's interest at present is centered on the Cushing well.

William Redmond, head driller, of the Brennan well, and his crew began operations last Monday morning and are now deepening the well. We are told that it is certain to go down to the 3000 ft. level if the pay sand is not encountered at a shallower depth.

The hole in Durham well No. 1, has been cleared and cleaned of obstructions and the casing set and the drill is going day and night. K. K. Biglow assisted by Mr. McCannan has charge of this job and they are making good progress.

W. L. Foster and G. C. Potts visited the Magnolia Company's Foster No. 1, in Kellis Valley about three and one-half miles south and one mile west of Foster No. 1 Itan well last Tuesday. They report that the pay sand was struck in this well at 2480 feet—about 200 feet less than the pay sand of the Itan well. Mr. Foster says the drill kept going and the hole was around the 2600 foot level with an increasing showing as it went down. A sample of oil from this well leads one to the conclusion that this is the finest grade yet found in this field. It is an amber color, burns readily and leaves no residue. If this well proves what it promises, the field extends south towards this vicinity and will greatly stimulate the local development.

We will sell you feed in quantities guaranteed price any month this year.—Oliver & Bell.

Fresh Mackrel every day, the kind you like at City Market.

C. W. Hooks was here from Buford Tuesday afternoon. He stated that the Buford school, of which he is principal, was doing good work.

There is less carbon in that Supreme Auto Oil—get prices before buying.

Buy your cow feed from Oliver & Bell, both loose and sacked hulls,

THE BLESSED

By Nancy Byrd Turner



November darkens to its close,
They kneel beside their flickering hearth;
Without, one little wistful rose
Is drooping toward the barren earth.
A frost had bitten the April fruit,
A blight had seared the summer corn,
Sharp hail had smitten to the root
The golden barley, overborne.

"But oh," he cries, "I love you, sweet!
What shall we reck of wind or weather
So long as we can surely meet
The sunshine and the storm together?"

Her meager little garden prayed
All long July for quenching rain;
The sad-eyed rattle left the shade
To seek their cooling creek in vain;
The flowers that her hands had cherished,
That made the borders beauty bright,
They loved their lovely heads and perished;

Her tears had fallen at the sight.
"But ah," she breathes, "I love you,
dear!
It cannot truly matter whether
We gain the year or lose the year,
Just so we live the year together."

Then on the hearth a fagot falls
And breaks to sudden leaping light;
A cricket in a corner calls;
Slow silence deepens down the night.
The circle of his young arm makes
A shelter where the dark had been;
The old clock on the mantel wakes
And cries Thanksgiving in.
—Youth's Companion.

Awful Possibility



If Thanksgiving Dinner Was Reversed, How Would You Like It?

REASONS FOR GIVING THANKS

As a Nation, the American People Has Ample Cause for Rejoicing at This Period.

It is three hundred years since Thanksgiving day was first celebrated on the American continent. The Pilgrim band, though they had lost half their numbers during the first winter at Plymouth, and though they were beset by hardships and by the fear of their savage neighbors, found in the survival of the little colony and in the hope of a gradually ameliorating lot just cause for thanksgiving to God. Have we, who have inherited the institutions and the spiritual ideals that they labored to establish, less reason than they to be thankful?

Like the other nations of the world the United States has reached a great social and political crisis. We have passed through a great war, and we begin to feel the burden of debt and disaster that the war laid upon mankind. Our trade is disarranged; neither financially nor economically are we so prosperous as we are wont to be. We are a little afraid of the future, for we have been shaken out of the easy and comfortable confidence in our own efficiency in which we have been used to live.

But great material prosperity is not always a matter for thanksgiving. It sometimes softens and dissipates the strength and virtue of a nation. Perhaps nations like men should echo the prayer of Agur: "Give me neither poverty nor riches." We have enough and, like the Pilgrims, we can reasonably hope for an increasing store of comforts in the coming years. Is there not ample cause for thanksgiving in the fact that, although the nation has been tried by adversity and loss and assailed by doubt and misgivings, it shows no sign of losing its heart or its head? The gospel of hard work and cheerful courage still counts most Americans as its adherents. We are working our way out of the depression that the war caused.

We do not thank God because our way is the way of fatness and of peace, but because, in the time of testing and trial, our people are able to quit themselves like men.—Youth's Companion.

That Settles It



Mr. Turk—From now on I'm ag'in the administration.

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"Thirty days on Cow Chow" will be the Third Degree as to whether it will pay to keep or sell a cow.

If she can't make you a good profit on Cow Chow she can't make it on any ration.

Every pound of Cow Chow fed a good dairy cow will make her produce about three pounds more milk per day on grass—up to normal production.

Cow Chow lowers the per gallon cost of producing milk on pasture. And you can get more milk from fewer cows now. You will get more milk next winter. Don't lose winter profits by under production on pasture. Order today and start to putting the proof right in the milk pail.



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Frequent Headaches

"I suffered with chronic constipation that would bring on very severe headaches," says Mrs. Stephen H. Kincer, of R. F. D. 1, Cripple Creek, Va. "I tried different medicines and did not get relief. The headaches became very frequent. I heard of

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and took it for a headache, and the relief was very quick, and it was so long before I had another headache. Now I just keep the Black-Draught, and don't let myself get in that condition."

Theford's Black-Draught (purely vegetable) has been found to relieve constipation, and by stimulating the action of the liver, when it is torpid, helps to drive many poisons out of your system. Biliousness, indigestion, headache, and similar troubles are often relieved in this way. It is the natural way. Be natural! Try Black-Draught.

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There's a battery that is used by the builders of 173 makes of cars and trucks.

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Hymn

For Summer's bloom and Autumn's blight,
For bending wheat and blasted maize,
For health and sickness, Lord of light,
And Lord of darkness, hear our praise!

We trace to Thee our joys and woes—
To Thee, of causes still the cause—
We thank Thee that Thy hand bestows;
We bless Thee that Thy love withdraws.

We bring no sorrows to Thy throne;
We come to Thee with no complaint;
In Providence Thy will is done,
And that is sacred to the saint.

Here, on this blest Thanksgiving Night,
We raise to Thee our grateful voice;
For what Thou doest, Lord, is right;
And, thus believing, we rejoice.

—From "Bitter-Sweet," by J. G. Holland.

The Spirit of Thanksgiving



As we read of old time Thanksgiving customs, we realize that the world has been traveling fast since then—away from the simple and the spiritual.

One of the customs, particularly, was quaint.

After the Thanksgiving dinner, while the family was still seated around the table, each member was asked to tell for what, in the past year, he was particularly thankful.

These recitals were always revelations of character. The small children of the family mentioned some material thing, a sled or a doll, for which they were grateful.

The older children, those in their teens, were more abstract. They were thankful for the advantages of education, of family prestige, or their social position—a bit self-centered, perhaps, as is wont with youth in its teens.

But mother and father, in their maturity of years, knew that the greatest blessings of life were health and happiness, and their recitals of thankfulness always included a word of thanksgiving that the family had been spared illness and poverty. No thought for themselves, but thankful of some success in school, and daughter's improvement in controlling her temper.

The spirit of the day calls for just such a touch of spiritual introspection. It keeps alive that family spirit, the joy of an assembled family, the particular source of Thanksgiving to each member, along with the joy of the old-fashioned dinner.

Old-Time Thanksgiving.


A quaint account of a Thanksgiving dinner back in 1779, is given in a letter of one Julliana Smith, written to her dear "Dear Cousin Betsey," found in an old diary:

"This year it was Uncle Simeon's turn to have the dinner at his house, but of course we all helped them as they help us when it is our turn, and there is always enough for us all to do. All the baking of pies and cakes was done at our house, and we had the big oven heated and filled twice each day for three days before it was all done, and everything was good, though we did have to do without some things that ought to be used. Neither Love nor Money could buy Raisins, but our good red cherries dried without the pite, did almost as well, and happily Uncle Simeon still had some spices in store. The tables were set in the Dining Hall, and even that big room had no space to spare when we were all seated. The Servants had enough ado to get around the Tables and serve us all without oversetting things. There were our two Grandmothers, side by side. They are always handsome old ladies, but now, many thought, they were handsomer than ever, and happy they were to look upon so many of their descendants.

The Crown of the Feast.

"There was no Plum Pudding, but a boiled Suet Pudding, stirred thick with dried Plums and Cherries, was called by the old Name and answered the purpose. All the other spice had been used in the Mince Pie, so for this Pudding we used a Jar of West India preserved Ginger, which chanced to be left of the last shipment which Uncle Simeon had from there. We chopped the Ginger small and stirred it through with the Plums and Cherries. It was extraordinary good. The day was bitter cold and when we got home from Meeting, which father did not keep over long by reason of the cold, we were glad of the fire in Uncle's Dining Hall, but by the time the dinner was one-half over, those of us who were on the fire side of one table was forced to get up and carry our plates around to the far side of the other table, while those who had sat there were glad to bring their plates around to the fire side to get warm. All but the Old Ladies, who had a screen put behind their chairs."

Quaint Song of Thanks



Through the hard days of the World war while the men were fighting, the women of America were working, waiting, ever courageously. Now that those days are over and the difficult aftermath needs careful handling, woman is still striving to add her service wherever there is need of brave and patient endeavor.

Post-war times are always trying ones. Hence it is with a little more sympathetic understanding than usual that we read the lines of a quaint old Thanksgiving hymn, bearing the date of 1783. Its author is unknown, but its sentiment holds true today, though we may wish to change the name of our first President to that of some later leader.


The Lord above, in tender love,
Hath saved us from our foes
Through Washington the thing is done,
The war is at a close.

America has won the day
Through Washington, our chief,
Come, let us rejoice with heart and voice
And bid good-by to grief.

Let us agree, since we are free,
All needless things to shun;
And lay aside all pomp and pride,
Like our great Washington.

Though we do not proclaim this anonymous writer as a second Shakespeare, let us follow his counsel by bidding farewell to grief, by laying aside pride and pomp, and turning this Thanksgiving season into one in which we remember only our mercies and blessings, which are many. "Come, let us rejoice with heart and voice," for what we have, if it be but little, helping the less fortunate, if it be an abundance.

Day of Joy



Thanksgiving day! Thanksgiving day!
The plumes of celery are gay,
Cranberry sauce is glowing red,
The sun shines blessing on your head
And from the oven comes a whiff
That makes each little tiker sniff.
Give me some white meat, if you please,
I'm bustier than honey bees!

Thanksgiving day! Thanksgiving day!
It's fairer than the buds o' May,
Stewed onions, sweet potatoes plump,
A turkey perched on every stump.
When folks on farms decide to eat,
Believe me, it's a merry treat!
Give me a drum-stick-gravy, too,
And no, I drink the health o' you!

Thanksgiving Day

'Tis a good day to have in our calendar. None of us would see it dropped, whether there is much or little to be grateful for. At least, there is always the day to be glad of—Thanksgiving day.

Call the Corn



Blow, O Horn of Plenty, blow!
Call the corn from crib and row;
Call the corn and bid it be
Banisher of misery!
Tell the corn to journey far,
Find where hungry children are;
Find where eyes of sorrow stare
Into larders cold and bare.

Blow, O Horn of Plenty, blow!
Make our thankful heart to know
Just how sweet it is to dwell
In this Land of All-goes-well,
Land where, if one field denotes,
We need only turn our eyes
To another, there to find
God has been just doubly kind.

Blow, O Horn of Plenty, blow!
Those a-hunger soon must know
That, though they have been denied,
We will soon be satisfied,
From a thousand fertile farms,
Borne by sturdy yeoman arms,
Will go gifts in such great shares
Hunger cannot linger there.

Blow, O Horn of Plenty, blow!
Call the corn from crib and row;
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Banisher of misery!
Then a stricken land will bless
American usefulness,
Then a still, small voice will say:
"Truly 'tis Thanksgiving day!"
—William Herschel, in the Indianapolis News.

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COLORADO BAPTISTS PLAN MODERN CHURCH BUILDING

That members of the congregation of the First Baptist church contemplate the erection of a modern building on the site of the present structure, was indicated in addresses made Thursday evening at a banquet in the basement of the church. The subject was introduced by J. H. Greene and his remarks outlining the needs for a new and larger church were received with applause.

"I hope to see the day when we shall have a modern and attractive building on this site, large enough to accommodate our Sunday school, as well as the church services," he said. Dr. Ratliff, another prominent layman of the church, also spoke of the crowded condition in some of the Sunday school departments and placed his endorsement upon the suggestion for a new building.

The First Baptist Sunday school is the largest in the city and from addresses made Thursday night it was shown that even the efficient work being done by this department of the church is being handicapped because of crowded class rooms. Often it is the case that the main auditorium is crowded to capacity for church services, some of the speakers pointed out.

The present church was erected in 1886, thirty-six years ago, and during the years to intervene additions have been added. Only last year the basement was improved and equipped to house a part of the Sunday school.

The occasion of the banquet was a pre-Thanksgiving entertainment given by ladies of the Womens Missionary Society, honoring their husbands. Lone tables were placed in the basement and literally loaded with good things to eat. Mrs. A. L. Whipple introduced W. R. Morgan as toastmaster. The dinner was interspersed with a number of addresses and most of the speakers kept the banqueters in an uproar of laughter through expressions of wit and humor.

Others to speak at the banquet were, in addition to Mrs. A. L. Whipple, J. H. Greene and Dr. Ratliff, W. S. Cooper, the pastor, Rev. M. C. Bishop, Judge J. C. Hall, Mrs. C. H. Lasky, C. S. Thomas, J. R. Sheppard, and Mesdames Jack Smith and W. W. Porter. A reading was given by Miss Delma Bishop.

Several of the speakers plead for a closer relation between members of the church and the pastor and between one another, in that the First Baptist church continue to move forward and hold the enviable distinction it so well merits in this community. An interesting report of the recent Baptist General Convention at Waco was given by Rev. Mr. Bishop.

Just before the banqueters were dismissed, Dr. Ratliff spoke to the ladies of the society and expressed the sincere appreciation of the men for the dinner and the entertainment. In responding, Mrs. C. H. Lasky, president of the ladies organization, stated that it had been a pleasure for them to have the men as their guests and suggested there should be more of such occasions, in that members of the church learn to know each other better.

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PLANS FOR WEST TEXAS C. OF C. MEET STARTED


Plans for arranging a program for the three days of the Fifth Annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to be held next spring at San Angelo, have been started by the president, A. E. Spencer of Crosbyton. Spencer announced a committee to arrange this program last week. The committee consists of Houston Harte of San Angelo, C. S. Guin of Ballinger and

W. S. Cooper of Colorado. The 1923 convention of the West Texas Chamber will eclipse any former meetings of the organization, Cooper stated Tuesday. It is expected that from ten thousand to fifteen thousand delegates and members will be in attendance throughout the convention. The committee will meet early in December to arrange the program.


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here this winter and spring, boll weevils and high water will cause West Texas to have lots of company later. We are real sorry at heart for those folks but they just ought to come to God's good country long time ago.

Miss Bill Curry is on the sick list and out of school part of the week. Mr. Chas. Hagler, we learn, has sold his farm in Buford community to one Mr. Geo. Goodwin, Lord Mayor of Cuthbert. Mr. Hagler we are informed will charter two cars and move up in the Stanton country and that Mr. Goodwin has rented his new farm to Mr. Jim Nunn and Mr. Dulin. We are sorry to lose the good folks out of our community, as they are old settlers here, but wish for them success in their new enterprise. We will welcome the new folks just as heartily.

School is going right off in the same stride it quit in last year, and that was beyond a doubt the best school year in Buford history. We predict a still better year. One thing certain we have a live corps of teachers, and a real up-to-date, wide awake bunch of trustees and teachers and trustees are in perfect harmony. So just watch Buford.

Next Saturday night, and Sunday are Bro. Leach's regular preaching dates. Lets forget it, if the weather seems to be bad and be in our places and hear the messages that this good man brings.

Committees were appointed for the Christmas tree celebration for the community and we are to have a short program of songs, recitals portraying Christmas spirit.

Several of young people attended singing in the Westbrook home in Longfellow community last Sunday night and heard some real singing. Miss Myrtle Iglehart says they just listened as hard as they could. Young folks all met at Mrs. Iglehart's Thursday night for a good time and as it always the case had it.

NOTICE.

The Star-Telegram bargain days are on, daily with Sunday \$6.45, daily without Sunday \$5.30. Home town agent—Roy Farmer. 12-1c

PIE SUPPER AT DORN.

Teachers of the Dorn school, a few miles southwest from Colorado, request that announcement of pie supper, to be held Friday night, Dec. 1st, at the school house be made through the paper. The public of that and other communities is invited.

MAN KILLED AT SWEETWATER OIL MILL LAST THURSDAY

Oscar Schrader, 45, was killed Thursday morning at the plant of the Sweetwater Cotton-Oil Mill when he was tangled up in the seed house line shafting. There were no eye witnesses to the accident, which occurred about 5:20 a. m. Schrader was night seed house foreman and was alone in that part of the seed house when the accident occurred. One of his duties consisted in oiling this line shafting and the assumption is that he was engaged in oiling when in some manner his clothing became tangled up in the shafting, drawing him with it. Other workmen, hearing his cries, came to his assistance too late. The machinery was stopped, but he was beyond aid.

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UNCLE SAM SAYS "WRAP AND MAIL BUNDLES EARLY"

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—"Wrap well, mail early!" This now familiar Christmas slogan of the Post Office Department already has started across. Expecting an extra heavy Christmas business this season, department officials are warning postmasters to lay their plans early.

So well has the post office service been organized of late years that no new methods will be tried this year. Postmasters whose "patronage" is so large that greatly augmented working staffs are needed, have been directed to give first preference in employment to men with families and those long out of a job.

Christmas always costs Uncle Sam between four and five million dollars for extra clerks, carriers, transportation facilities and renting of extra quarters.

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THE TERRYS.

HAD FEAST OF SPANISH STEW

Brave Burghers of Dutch Town of Leyden Held Thanksgiving in 1574.

Governor Bradford Has Testified That the Pilgrims Followed "the Laudable Custom of Holland"—Prepared Tribute to Red Men.

"After the laudable custom of Holland," is Bradford's own description of one of the many functions and even institutions introduced into America and set to work at Plymouth. There was nothing exclusive or selfish about these beginners of the American Thanksgiving day of 1621. They made no profession of originality or the invention of anything new. They were as generous in their acknowledgment of what the Indians furnished for their feast as they were to their former hosts for their "courtly entreaty" received while in the Dutch republic.

The red men taught the white how to cultivate maize, to make sugar from maple sap, to visualize the clams by treading them up and out of the sea beach and, not least for economic success, to raise tobacco. "Dear Lady Nicotine" enabled the Pilgrims to send as a present to their Dutch friends on Manhattan a fine sample of fuel for the pipe. In fact, tobacco was their first paying crop for export.

It is true that Washington Irving and common tradition here distort chronology and history for legend, but it is Bradford's record that in the North the Pilgrims were the first raisers of tobacco. In all probability, besides the American Thanksgiving, it was they who introduced the after-dinner luxury of the cigar.

It is highly probable also that, following the turkey and possibly cranberries, and certainly without regard to cuticle red or white, the feast ended in a smoker, followed by competitive target practice between masters of the bow and the blunderbuss.

These pious folks followed another and very laudable gastronomic Dutch custom—which during their ten years' stay in Leyden they had seen and enjoyed. The besieging Spaniards in 1574 were considerate enough to furnish Leyden with an occasion for Thanksgiving day. This was fixed at the very sensible date of October 4, instead of a Thursday in late November. After William the Silent had cut the dikes at Delfshaven and sent messages of cheer by the carrier pigeons to the besieged, the Zealand Water Beggars drove their cannon boats up to the city walls, over which they tossed loaves and dried herring. These brave rescuers wore on their caps a silver crescent, called in Dutch a Half Moon, with an inscription showing preference for the Turk rather than the Spaniard for their ruler. After this symbol of valor, daring and freedom was the ship of Henry Hudson named.

It was the enterprising boy Gijshert Cornelison who climbed over early in the morning over the wall to find that the Spaniards had evacuated every one of their camps and their 54 forts. Over the fires was stowed the huts-pits, Angelized as hedge-podge. It was this ragout of meat and vegetables smoking hot but still untasted which furnished a free dinner on October 4, the day of deliverance. It made a fine addition to the dry rations brought by the victorious Beggars. The exact spot of the initial rescue and leaf toasting is marked and the original water gate and unsentry are still kept in repair. Near by stands the modern Hall of Archives, in which are more contemporary documents of the Pilgrims, maps, swains, fathers and mothers, with their signatures, than in all the British Isles.

At once the Dutch made October 4 a Thanksgiving day by going to church. Both the date and its significance are still celebrated, with the eating not of turkey and cranberries but of the Spanish stew. After church all the brides and bridegrooms of the previous 12 months ride in a gala procession of carriages through the city of Leyden. In New Netherlands Thanksgiving day was also a regular function announced by proclamation and observed in both public and private life.

Did these newcomers to Plymouth get used to the biting off of grain that grew on a cob which was not edible? Did they fasten their incisors too deep in the cob, as is done at first by most English tasters of the luscious corn? As for the cranberry, who of them visualized the future to behold an American annual crop of a million bushels? Who could foresee the bogs of four states blushing with the crimson globules, a small library of literature concerning the berry, and even an association of breeders and defenders of this indigenous delicacy?

And what of the turkey which furnished a poultry yard at the very doors of the Pilgrims? Unafraid of man, these majestic birds came with and without invitation. And what of the friendly competition between the Dutch oven which the immigrants brought over and the Algonquin cooking hole? No doubt the folks of both red and white skins were strenuous rivals to produce the toothsome and savory roast. Yet who but a bold hunter in 1922 ever sees this original American klug of birds? The domestic fowl of today is but a pale copy of the magnificent lord of the forest, with its sheeny iridescence of breast feathers and the combs of its neck and head changing when erected with excitement or fear. It is true that the modern

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bird of November struts in ostentatious splendor and with a vanity that at times seems very nearly human. Its display of the exultant passion of victory over rivals reminds one of a Wall Street boss of finance or a lady that is queen of the ball. Is it any wonder that Benjamin Franklin pleaded eloquently that the American wild turkey should be adopted as our national emblem and the symbol of our prosperity rather than the eagle, beloved of monarch and autocrats? Like maize, called Turkey wheat, this glorious fowl got the name it bears because the origin of all novelties was in that era ascribed to Asia, but unlike the cereal grain it still lacks an appropriate name.

Thanks, then, to the Pilgrim Fathers for their discovery of the food resources and gastronomic possibilities of the American wilderness, and quite as much to the Pilgrim Mothers who added deliciousness to the native culinary contributions. They certainly did continue in the New world most of the good things of the Old. Nor in this relation of things must we forget the Indian. In fact, the more we have learned of late of so-called civilized warfare and the methods of propagating Hunnish culture, the more do we respect the red man.

Reverently may we add that the profound faith of these pioneers in the ancient promises recorded in the eighth chapter of Deuteronomy, concerning the Promised Land wherein they should "eat bread without scarceness," was vindicated. They made the inspired prophecy valid by their industry and perseverance, and their descendants may well follow their example in these days.

Humility Goes With Thanks.

Thanksgiving is essentially a religious holiday. Like Christmas, it has lost something of its significance through the overemphasizing of its secular features. The other holidays commemorate the birth or the deeds of great men or perpetuate the memory of great events. They speak to the mind in its happiest moods, telling ever a record of glorious actions and repeating reasons for contentment and love of country. Thanksgiving day ought at least to suggest the virtue of humility.

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Grady Newmon returned Monday from Fort Worth where he had gone on business.

The Christian Ladies will appreciate your presence at their Bazaar Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Palace Theatre.

Judge J. C. Hall was in Sweetwater Monday to attend a meeting of West Texas county judges, who met to discuss proposed legislation for bettering financing the public schools and roads of the state. Hall is a member of the legislative committee, State County Judges and Commissioners Association. He is also secretary of the organization.

Have you still that cold? Why not use Martins Lung Tonic?—Colorado Drug Co. 12-29c

New Essex cars on the floor. Immediate delivery at \$1195. Free demonstration.—Price Auto Co.

W. A. Dulin left Sunday morning for College Station where he is attending a convention of West Texas farm agents and home demonstration agents. Miss Laceywell, who left last week for a visit with her parents at Evant, is also attending the convention.

Regular 5c school tablets, full count, litho covers, special, 3 for 10c at Record office.

666 cures Malarial Fever

O. F. Jones, manager of the Spade ranch, twenty-five miles southwest of Colorado, was attending to business affairs here Friday.

Buy a good tire—The Hood at Price Auto Co.

When you want the best grade of kerosene ask for EUPION OIL.

Jack Helton and McCall Merritt returned Monday from Dallas. Mr. Helton was in Dallas last week to take the Shriners degree.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

W. B. Crockett returned Monday from a business trip to Dallas.

666 cures Bilious Fever.

Mrs. A. L. Moore of Waco is spending a visit with J. R. Pickens and family at their farm home south of Colorado.

Sweet and Sour pickles in bulk and fine. City Market.

W. W. Davis of Sweetwater was in Colorado Friday.

Loose-Wilds fancy chocolates. Latest and best. Call for it.—Colorado Spot Cash Grocery

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Sedan New Price \$595
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---At the new low price the Ford Sedan represents a greater value than has ever been offered.

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A. J. Herrington

THANKSGIVING

We will celebrate the day and the store will be closed all day Thursday

While we are Thankful for many things we wish to especially thank our many satisfied customers for their past liberal patronage. We always give full value for your dollar.

There is another way to get more for your money and that is to buy your winter supply at the Colorado Bargain House. Our stock is complete and prices the very lowest, our motto.

Satisfaction Guaranteed or Your Money Refunded

Colorado Bargain House
THE PRICE IS THE THING
L. LANDAU, Manager

There is one city in Texas that has furnished Colorado with pastors. The Methodist, Baptist and Christian ministers have been pastors in the beautiful little city of Lampasas. We do not regret the change nor do we regret that we were once pastors in Lampasas. Both places have many ties that are strong for all of us. We were faithful there and will do our best here.—Christian Church Bulletin.

Beginning December 1st, 1922, we shall sell everything for strictly cash. There will be no exceptions, do not ask for credit. A. J. Herrington.

666 cures Dengue Fever.

Earnest Roper, a young Methodist preacher well known in Colorado, was assigned to the Hamilton circuit by the Texas Conference. Roper is a son-in-law of J. R. Pickens, and for several months was employed at the J. A. Pickens Market and Grocery at Colorado.

If you want feed in quantities for future delivery any month this year guaranteed price, see Oliver & Bell.

Our Ice Vault is kept to the freezing point all the time.—City Market.

Jno. L. Doss returned Friday night from Dallas where he had gone to be with Mrs. Doss, who is convalescing in the Baylor Hospital. Mrs. Doss underwent an operation there two weeks ago and is said to be doing well.

Home ground guaranteed pure pork (all pork) Sausage, country style at City Market.

For Windmills and windmill repairs and pipe fittings phone 280.

Henry Cook, operated upon last week at the Colorado sanitarium for appendicitis, is recovering entirely satisfactorily, it was reported Monday afternoon.

Plenty of all kinds of feed and more coming—Oliver & Bell.

J. E. Pond, who several days ago underwent a very delicate operation at the Colorado sanitarium, was greeting friends on the streets Monday afternoon. Mr. Pond is fast regaining his strength.

W. E. Shields returned Monday from Dallas where he had gone to take the Shriners degree.

C. T. Nittleberg of Fort Worth, federal bridge engineer, was in Colorado Friday to inspect the Second street viaduct project, being constructed jointly by the State Highway Department, the Federal Highway Department and Mitchell County. The official expressed himself as being pleased with the work up to the present.

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We are placing our last order for Christmas cards. Come in and place your order now.

George Goodwin returned recently from another trip to South Texas where he has purchased land. Mr. Goodwin stated while here Saturday that he would move to South Texas within the next few weeks.

Call me for good coal oil, in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

When you shoe your car get the best—Hood casings—get 'em at Price Auto Co.

Hood tires the best there is at Price Auto Co.

The "Lone Wolf" staff has been busy during the past two weeks working out preliminaries for publishing the 1922 edition of the High school annual. Considerable advertising space has already been contracted for.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

One lot of hats at \$3.50. These hats are being cleaned out regardless of cost.—Mrs. B. F. Mills.

While in Dallas last week, W. B. Crockett took the Scottish Rite degree, adding another 32nd. degree from Burns Store.—Jaka.

I have fed you for 35 years, now I want you to sleep with me 35 years. Try my beds. First door north of Barcroft Hotel, across the street from Burns Store.—Jaka.

H. L. Buckalew of the Longfellow community underwent an operation at the Colorado Sanitarium this week.

All kinds of office supplies at the Record office, also typewriters and draftsman's supplies.

All kinds of Cheese, the very best at City Market.

.. The Gift Shop ..

"We Show The Newest Things First."

This week we are featuring Novelties. Of special interest are the Old Dutch Reproduction Novelties. Also the very new and attractive Sheffield Tea Balls in miniature Tea Pots.

For men, we are showing Shaving Sets which are of newest design.

Another lot of Floor Lamps have arrived and are more elegant and beautiful than ever, the number is limited, so why not come early and see them before they are gone!

New novelties are arriving daily for our complete Holiday Gift Line. Before making your selection of gifts please call and see what we have to offer.

Yours for reasonable prices and courteous treatment

SAM L. MAJORS

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