

GRAND JURY COMPLETES SESSION RETURNS 5 BILLS

The Grand Jury for the November term of court, which recessed until Monday after being in session all last week, was reconvened Monday and resumed its labors, bringing its session to a close this morning. The grand jury returned five bills into court, four for felonies and one for misdemeanor. In its report, the grand jury commended the officers for their attention to duties, commended the various improvements about the court house, making only one recommendation, viz: the placing of a carpet on the room of County Superintendent W. M. Deans, in order to lessen the noise in the room, which is directly over the district court room. The Grand Jury also went on record as opposing the visiting of churches by masked men, and recommended the arrest and bringing to trial of anyone making a church visitation in such manner.

The report of the Grand Jury to Judge Woodward is as follows. To the Honorable J. O. Woodward, District Judge, McCulloch County, Texas.

We, Your Grand Jury empanelled on the 26th day of November, 1923, for November term of court, respectfully submit the following report.

We have been in session for seven days, during which time we have had a number of violations brought to our notice, and we have, in every instance, made careful and thorough investigation.

During this session, we have examined 56 witnesses from various parts of this county and other counties of the State, and through said examination have found sufficient evidence to justify the returning to you of five true bills, four of which are felonies and one misdemeanor;

We have examined the report of N. G. Lyle, Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, E. B. Elliott, Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 2, and have found them to be correct and showing evidence of them having been diligent and faithful in the performance of their duty. We find no report from J. P. Barton, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4.

We have examined the report of Boyd Commander, District Clerk, and find the same to be correct.

We have made examinations of the jail, and find it to be in a sanitary condition and well-kept; we have also made examination of the court house and since the recent repairs we find it in good condition and we would only recommend the placing of carpet upon the floor of the County Superintendent's office, as this office is over the district court room and the noise made in this office is plainly heard in the district court room.

Being the first Grand Jury to meet in the new room provided for the Grand Jury, we wish to say that it is complete in every detail, and we commend the last Grand Jury in its suggestions towards this room, as well as the other improvements in the courthouse. We have examined the Ladies Rest Room and find it well kept so far as the lady in attendance is responsible, but find that the room leaks around the stove pipe and windows, and we suggest that this be properly repaired.

We find the general condition throughout our county in regard to law enforcement to be good, and we wish to express our hearty approval to the officers of the court for the manner in which they are performing their duties. We believe the law violations in McCulloch county is on the decline (even bootlegging). We desire to express our thanks to the Honorable District Judge, the District Attorney, County Attorney, Sheriff, District Clerk and all Bailiffs for the courtesies and services shown us during our session.

The attention of several members of the Grand Jury has been called to masked and robed men entering our churches during services and making

contributions to ministers, thought to be members of the Ku Klux Klan. As members of the Grand Jury and as citizens of this State, we are opposed to any organization or any of its members concealing their identity by the use of robes or masks. American citizens who claim to be 100 per cent American, should always be found standing out in the open and not conceal themselves, but glad to uphold and enforce the law. We believe the local officers should make arrests in such cases and the guilty parties brought to trial.

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COUNTY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION TO MEET SATURDAY AT NEW HOTEL BRADY

The McCulloch County Teachers Association will meet next Saturday at 10:30 a. m., at Hotel Brady, and J. B. Matlock, president of the association announces a specially interesting program and is anticipating a large attendance of teachers from all over the county.

The following will be the program of the meeting:

Song, by Association.
"Opportunities of Parent-Teachers Association," Mrs. Wm. C. Jones, Brady.
"Co-Operation of County and City Schools," J. B. Smith, Brady.
"Special Primary Work," Miss K'Nola King, Rochelle.
"School Discipline," Frank Lohn, Calf Creek.
Music.
"Conducting Recitations," Mr. L. Passmore, Lost Creek.
"Red Cross Work," Miss Barth, Brady.
Reading, Jno. F. Pearson.
Eats and Music.
Business Meeting.

VOCA PICNIC THANKSGIVING ATTENDED BY LARGE CROWD AND IS VOTED GREAT EVENT

J. B. Matlock, superintendent of the Voca schools, was in Brady Saturday and reported the picnic at Voca on Thanksgiving day as having been attended by a large crowd, and being a most enjoyable community event. Although the tables were long and large, more good things were brought by the people than could be placed on them, and it was unanimously agreed that the Voca ladies surely know how to cook.

The day was one of enjoyment for everybody, the day's events including ball games, a program by the school, a Thanksgiving talk by Rev. Farmer of Fredonia. In the girls' basket ball game, the Voca girls defeated the Fredonia girls, 24 to 2.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindnesses and loving thoughts during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother. May God bless you each and all.
Mr. and Mrs. David Harkrider,
Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dutton
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harkrider
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Griffin
Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Harkrider
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith
and grandchildren.

BAZAAR.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their bazaar at the Popular Dry Goods Store on Friday and Saturday, December 7 and 8. Everyone invited.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

This is to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any indebtedness incurred, or checks passed by Mrs. Bettie Thornblom, since December 1st, 1923. ARTHUR THORNBLOM.

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE PLANS ARE REVISED FOR THE YEAR 1924

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 20.—The State Interscholastic League was split into two divisions here at a meeting of coaches, school authorities and league officials Friday morning. Athletic competition will in 1924 be on a schedule of classes A and B.

The split was recommended by Roy Henderson of the league, and practically all of the 100 representatives present voted in favor of it. The details are to be worked out, but some of the general features probably will be:

Schools with less than 350 enrollment will be in Class B, with the option of entering Class A; schools

with more than 350 enrollment will be in Class A, with no option. The state will be divided into a different number of sections for each class—probably eight for A and 16 for B. Teams in Class A will play to a state championship. It is yet to be decided just how the final stages of the Class B race will be furnished. It may be that A and B will be combined after bi-sectional titles are settled, and the final race will be between all teams undefeated.

It was suggested at the meeting that the number of substitutes be limited in a game, but it was overwhelmingly defeated.

OATIS MITCHELL TRIAL IS MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

The case of State vs. Oatis Mitchell, charged with murder, was taken up at 1:30 p. m. yesterday, with the reconvening of district court by Judge J. O. Woodward. Mitchell is charged with the killing of Sam Cole at Rochelle last year. Cole was killed with a rock the defendant is alleged to have thrown at him, while Cole and Mitchell's father were engaged in an altercation, in which Cole was presumably getting the best of the elder Mitchell, when Oatis Mitchell came to his father's assistance.

The special venire of 72 men was exhausted Monday after eight jurors had been secured, and another special venire of 38 men was ordered by Judge Woodward. The jury was completed this morning, the following being selected to try the case: W. H. Ballou, T. J. Bratton, G. W. Wilkes, Robert Finlay, W. E. Campbell, T. J. Beasley, J. B. Whiteman, R. B. Smith, O. L. Fleming, Dave Childers, Dee Blackwell, H. C. Samuel.

At noon the state had closed its testimony and the defense had one witness on the stand. Assisting District Attorney Walter U. Early in the prosecution are Attorneys Sturgeon of Texarkana and McLaugh of Brownwood, while Newman and McCollum represent the defense.

The case is attracting much interest many Rochelle folks being in attendance, and the court room being filled with interested spectators.

TECH. COLLEGE TO TRAIN COTTON MEN SAYS NEW PRESIDENT, DR. HORN

Houston, Texas, Nov. 22.—Paul W. Horn, former superintendent of Houston schools and now president of Southwestern university at Georgetown, Thursday afternoon was unanimously chosen president of the Texas Technological College by the Board of directors of the institution.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 24.—Dr. Paul W. Horn, newly elected president of the Technological College was in Austin Saturday as a member of the State Educational Survey Commission and reports that he is going to stress the technological side of the college work at Lubbock.

"My initial effort will be to train cotton textile men," declared Dr. Horn "so that when cotton mills are opened in Texas it will not be necessary to send to other states for men to manage them. My desire is to turn out thoroughly competent cotton textile men. It may take some time to do it, but we will accomplish it as soon as possible."

Dr. Horn explained that in his desire for thorough technical training he was not going to overlook the agricultural side of the school, but that he will give much attention to it, and particularly with reference to agriculture adaptable to the West and the varied conditions in that broad expanse of Texas, such as arid farming, semiarid farming, shallow well irrigation and forage crops. Likewise, he declared, the immense live stock interests will not be neglected, but that side of the college will be developed along with the other training.

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MEDICAL ASS'N MEETS THURSDAY AT HOTEL BRADY

The Fourth District Medical association will have the honor of being the first convention to be held in the new Hotel Brady. The association meets Thursday and Friday. Headquarters of the visiting physicians will be at the Hotel Brady, while business sessions will be held in the district court room. Dr. J. G. McCall, secretary of the association, has prepared one of the most extensive, as well as interesting programs, ever announced for the association. Thirty-three papers are listed in the two days' program, and a wide range of subjects of interest to the medical fraternity being covered. As a result, the association promises to be not only largely attended, but to be of great interest and benefit to the doctors in attendance.

A feature of the convention will be reception to be tendered the visiting ladies from 3:00 to 5:00 Thursday afternoon. This will be followed at 7:00 p. m. by a banquet tendered all visitors, members and ladies by the Brady Chamber of Commerce, and at which the Brady Luncheon club will act as hosts to the visitors. Entertainment will be offered during the evening by the Brady orchestra.

During the evening, short Public Health talks will be made by Drs. Rosser of Dallas and Buie of Marlin. Officers of the association are Dr. Ned Snyder, Brownwood, president; Dr. J. G. McCall, Brady, secretary and treasurer; Dr. Joe E. Dildy, Brownwood, counselor.

Prominent on the program are Dr. J. B. McKnight and Dr. Chas. J. Koerth, former Brady citizens, and both now with the State Sanitarium at Sanatorium, Texas.

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Death of Grandma Harkrider.

The death of Mrs. M. A. (Grandma) Harkrider, occurred Monday morning, December 3rd, at 12:20 o'clock. Her passing brought universal sorrow, for wherever she was known, she was loved for her many Christian virtues, for her ennobling life and for that greatest of all gifts, a great love for all humanity.

Mrs. Harkrider was born in the state of Indiana May 9, 1844, and was, accordingly, 78 years, 6 months and 24 days old at the time of her passing. In early life she, with her parents, moved to Arkansas, where she grew to young womanhood, and where, on April 25, 1869, she was married to David Harkrider. To this union four children were born, one of whom died in infancy. Surviving are David H. and James Harkrider of Nine and Mrs. P. C. Dutton of Brady; also three step-children. She also leaves twelve grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Mr. and Mrs. Harkrider came to Texas in 1880, and to McCulloch county in 1889, making their home here continuously since. Since the death of her husband in 1910, Mrs. Harkrider has made her home with her children.

Mrs. Harkrider had been a faithful member of the Methodist church for fifty-five years. Loyal to her church, devoted as a wife, affectionate as a mother, kind and considerate as a neighbor, she has left to her loved ones a heritage of a good name and a life well spent, which is more to be desired than gold and more precious than rubies.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Dutton, the Rev. I. T. Morris conducting. A large attendance of relatives and friends marked the paying of last tribute to the departed, and many and beautiful were the floral tributes. Interment was made in Brady cemetery.

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INFORMATION ON REGISTRATION OF CARS FOR 1924

The new motor fee law, passed by the last Legislature, becomes effective, as regards all types of passenger cars, January 1st, 1924. Cars are registered according to their weight and horsepower. In the case of standard make passenger cars, this data will be available at the Tax Collector's office. Registrants, however, must furnish the 1923 license number, motor number, year model, and name of person or firm from whom purchased, and if there has been any material change made from the original construction of the car, they must furnish the weight of car. Bring 1923 license receipt whenever possible, as it contains all this data, except the weight.

All trucks of whatever type or for whatever use are now classed as commercial motor vehicles. This includes those used for agricultural purposes, and all forms of light delivery trucks. Every person applying for registration of ANY TRUCK (commercial motor vehicle) MUST FURNISH WEIGHT IN POUNDS OF SAID TRUCK IN FORM OF A WEIGHER'S RECEIPT. The registration cannot be made until this requirement is fulfilled.

Registration for 1924 of cars which have already been registered for 1923, will begin as soon as the numbers are received, which should be around December 15th.

It should be kept in mind that your 1923 car license expires on December 31, 1923, and that the law requires that cars in service on and after January 1, 1924, must have 1924 license tag displayed.

Notices will be placed in both of the Brady papers as soon as the numbers for 1924 are received.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.



BRADY, TEXAS, Dec. 4, 1923

MOUNTING TAX BURDEN.

On the cover page of Willacy's 'Facts and Fiction,' Volume 1, Number 1, is printed the following statement of Texas Legislative finances: Legislative appropriations, 1911 \$10,634,300 Legislative appropriations, 1923 \$42,183,740 Increase in 12 years \$31,459,440 Increase in population, 1911 to 1923 28% Increase in wealth of Texas 35 8-10% Increase in cost of government for Texas 300% -Coleman Democrat-Voice.

LOST. FIRST JOB.

A. D. White, statistician of Swift & Company, Chicago, has discovered that 90 per cent of the youngsters who go to work, lose their jobs. The five reasons given for this furnish food for thought. Incidentally, in them may also be found the reason why some people never get to the point where they can hold a job.

The reasons given by White follow. 'Lack of thoroughness is indicated most frequently by unwilling failure to put the most important thing first, and the expression of a general 'I should worry' attitude.

'Unwillingness to work hard' is shown by being late to work, stretching the lunch hour an dstealing a few minutes at the end of the day, watching the clock and wasting time by social conversations and telephone calls during business hours.

'Lack of thoroughness is indicated most frequently by unwillingness to begin at the bottom and go through the drudgery of mastering each step before going ahead.

'The real secret of promotion lies in constantly doing more than you are paid to do. Keep yourself under paid. As soon as you are overpaid, you are bound to go backward.

'Lack of principle is shown by concealment of mistakes and the constant making of excuses.'-Houston.

JIM DIDN'T; FRANK DID; AND GEORGE DID MORE

Recently a writer in a prominent magazine undertook to explain why some men get \$500 a month while others get \$100. Here's the substance:

Three brothers left the farm to work in the city, and all got jobs in the same company, starting out at the same pay.

Six years later one was receiving \$100 a month; a second \$200; and the third \$500.

Their father, hearing of these salaries, decided to visit his sons' employer and find out why they were

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paid on what seemed to be such an unfair basis.

"I will let them explain for themselves," said the boss, as he pressed a button on his desk.

Jim, the lowest paid man of the three, answered.

"I understand the Oceanic has just docked," said the employer. "Please go down there and get the inventory of her cargo."

Three minutes later Jim was back in the office.

"She carries a cargo of 2,000 seal skins," reported Jim. "I got the information from the first mate over the phone."

"Thank you, Jim," said the boss. "That will be all."

He pressed the button again, and Frank, the \$200 man, reported.

"Frank I wish you would go down to the dock and get an inventory of the Oceanic's cargo."

An hour later Frank was back with a list showing that the Oceanic not only carried 2,000 seal skins but that she also carried 500 beaver and 1,100 mink pelts.

The employer pressed the button the third time and George, the \$500 man, walked into the office.

He was given the same instructions his brothers received.

George did not return for three hours, and the office had closed for the day, but the boss and his father were waiting for him.

"The Oceanic carries 2,000 seal skins," he began. "They are offered at \$5.00 each, so I took a two-day option on them, and I have wired a prospect in St. Louis offering them to him at \$7. I expect to have this order tomorrow. I also found 500 beaver which I sold over the phone at a profit of \$700. The mink pelts are of poor quality so I didn't try to do anything with them."

"That's fine, George," said the boss. Then when he had gone, the employer turned to the father and smiled.

"You probably noticed," he said, "that Jim didn't do as he was told, Frank does as he's told, while George does without being told."-Albany News.

PRESCRIPTION LIQUOR.

The Medical profession should be vastly interested in the announcement by Prohibition Commissioner Haynes that during the past fiscal year more than fourteen hundred thousand gallons of liquor was sold on physician's prescriptions. For the profession itself is paraded before the public for a critical review in connection with the figures, which disclose that fifty thousand doctors wrote more than eleven million prescriptions for alcohol, whiskey, rum, gin, brandy and wine in the course of their regular practice during the year. Assuredly, such use of liquor in the practice of medicine, as included by Mr. Hayes' figures, ought to be alarming to those doctors whose daily practice is in harmony with the highest ideals and supports the noblest traditions of the profession.

The Bulletin has frequently suggested that the present prohibition regulations, which provide for the licensing of physicians desiring to use liquor in their regular practice, is unfair to medical profession. If liquor is a medicine doctors should be permitted to prescribe it for their patients, just as they prescribe other medicines. If not a medicine, there should be no regulations providing that certain physicians may make its sale possible by means of a prescription. The question of its value as a medicine is one, we think, which should be decided by medical men themselves, and that decision should be made at the earliest possible time. The doctor should be taken out of the bootlegger class. His mission is to heal men's ailments, not to satisfy their depraved appetites by assisting them in the evasion of the law.

Not more than one-third of the physicians eligible to licenses for writing liquor prescriptions have secured such permits from the government. It is pretty safe to guess that the two-thirds who have not done so were actuated by a disinclination to prescribe liquor under such restrictions as were laid down, or by a conviction that their practice did not require liquor as a medicine. The one-third of eligible physicians who did secure permits included many ethical practitioners, but all likelihood included, also, many who were unethical. It is doubtless due largely to the activities of the latter that the enormous volume of liquor has been sold under the prescription plan during the past year, and for their activity the entire profession is to be judged.

It seems to us that it is up to the doctors, the country over, to do something about it.-Brownwood Bulletin.

The news of McCulloch county—you'll read it first in the Standard.

THE LOVE OF THE SOFT SNAP

It is interesting to hear the young men and women talk about their jobs, the things they are going into and the ends they cherish.

You would find, were you to hear many such experiences, that the question is frequently asked as to what the hours of labor are. "I've got a might good job, the hours are easy and I do not have to work hard," is a common report.

Now a fellow who has that ideal will not probably climb far unless something comes along to wake him up. His main aim is apparently to draw his pay, and get through the day's work with the least effort. Employers do not quickly pick such a fellow for promotion.

If you notice of successful men how they attained their rise, almost all of them will tell you how they worked very hard for many years. They were as keenly interested to see their sales go up or their product increased, as they ever had been to win a football game.

If a job was given them, they were rather pleased to get something difficult. It indicated that their employer thought favorably of their abilities, and willing to give them a chance to make good in a place where success would count. Anyone can handle a soft snap job. But it takes a real man to swing a hard position.

That is true not merely in commercial pursuits, but in manual labor also. The uneducated laborer who is not afraid of work attracts attention. People like to employ him, and throw opportunities in his path. If he does the simple task well and is not afraid of effort, they give him a job where he gets a chance to show what is in his head as well as his muscle. Countless numbers of such fellows have risen from low beginnings to wealth and power.-Granbury News.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

It is all right to train your son for a white-collar job if you don't spoil him by teaching him to eat heartily. -Associated Editors.

The law of supply and demand doesn't always obtain. Look how many reformers we have, and how little reform.-Bethlehem Globe.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Misses Ethel and Myrtle Turner attended the State Teachers association, which met in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McChristy and children are here this week from Brownwood as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reagan.

Mrs. C. C. Johnson of Hamlin is here to spend the winter as a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Johnson, and family.

Mesdames R. A. Hairston and P. B. Melton, accompanied by Miss Ruby Granger, were week-end visitors at Richland Springs.

Mrs. Dr. J. M. Campbell, daughter, Vivian, and Son Campbell, of Goldthwaite, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strickland.

Miss Lela Strickland, who is attending Baylor university at Waco, was home for a Thanksgiving visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller and L. C. Davenport of Richland Springs were visitors the past week of their sisters and daughters, Mesdames J. D. Branscum, R. A. Hairston and P. B. Melton.

Mr and Mrs. E. B. Anderson were here from Goldthwaite from Thursday to Sunday as guests of his brother, Dr. J. S. Anderson, and sisters, enjoying a family gathering during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Picking on the Irish Again.

An Irishman, coming out of the ether in the ward after an operation, exclaimed audibly—

"Thank Heaven, that is over." "Don't be too sure," said the man in the next bed. "They left a sponge in me and had to cut me open again."

And then the patient on the other side said, "Why, they had to open me too, to find one of their instruments." Just then the surgeon who had operated on Pat stuck his head in the door and yelled, "Has anybody seen my hat?" Pat fainted.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Yantis returned last Saturday from Minneapolis, Minn., where Mr. Yantis had been called as witness in a case in which indictment was brought against a party for oil frauds.

This party alleged ownership in some land adjoining the Cooper field at Mercury, whereas the county records showed that he held only assignments on about half as much acreage as he had claimed to own.

Mr. and Mrs. Yantis traveled from St. Louis up along the Mississippi river over the Burlington route, enjoying the river scenery, and returned over the Rock Island. They encountered snow at Des Moines, Iowa, and when they arrived in Kansas City found four inches of snow on the ground.

F. A. Kruse left Saturday night for Tampa, Florida, to join Mrs. Kruse and children in making his future home. Their many friends here are exceedingly sorry to give this estimable couple up, although they wish them every happiness in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kruse have been residents of Brady for the past ten years, coming here from Chillicothe. They have proven themselves splendid citizens, and have won the high esteem of everyone. For the past sixteen months Mrs. Kruse has been in Florida with her children, and she found everything so delightful there, that she finally persuaded Mr. Kruse to close out all their household effects and move to Florida, where they will be near to their children.

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REV. HARLEY SMITH WRITES FROM RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL—A WONDERFUL COUNTRY

The Rev. Harley Smith, who sailed some months ago for Brazil, where he is studying the language preparatory to taking up missionary work in the South American countries, has written a most interesting letter to home folks here. The letter is dated at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, on October 31st, and his address is given as Andrade Neves 54. Rev. Smith speaks of a delightful two weeks' visit he and Mrs. Smith had enjoyed in the new home of her parents, who have made their home in Brazil for the past 42 years. The new home he describes as a beauty. It is built on the side of a high hill overlooking one of the valleys of the city of Sao Paulo. Mrs. Smith is a native of Texas, even though her parents reside in Brazil, and it was while she was finishing her education at Baylor university in Waco that she and her husband met.

The following is an extract from Rev. Smith's letter:

"We returned to Rio last week and I have been in the language school since that time. I am enjoying the work fine, however it is getting rather warm here now. We will have summer here for the next two months. It seems rather strange to have to live where the seasons are reversed from those in the States. But I am sure there will be a warm time for me this Christmas.

"I made the trip of about six hundred miles into the interior and saw some of the finest country that a man ever ploughed. This land is all planted in coffee, corn, potatoes, bananas, oranges, etc. The pasture land is being grazed by large herds of cattle like those we used to see on the plains of western Texas. The grass is about half knee high and the timber is about one hundred feet high in many places while at others it is more open.

"There are abundant opportunities for anyone to make a fortune here but they cannot do it without something to start with. Exchange is in favor of the American dollar and labor is very cheap. A poor man does not have a ghost of a show. But had I \$10,000 I could be independently rich in the next few years without doing any work at all.

"The country far surpasses what I had ever dreamed and the people are pleasant and very agreeable. They are composed of Brazilians, Portuguese, Italians, Assyrians, Negroes, Spanish, Germans, Irish, Swedes, Japanese and a few other nationalities."

VOCA DEFEATS ROCHELLE IN BASKET BALL LAST WEEK BY SNAPPY SCORE OF 10 TO 8

Superintendent J. B. Matlock and his Voca team of basket ball players were in jubilant humor the past week following their defeat of Rochelle's star basket ball team in a classy game, which resulted 10 to 8 in Voca's favor. The game was hard fought from start to finish, but the Voca boys were too snappy for Rochelle's star team. The Rochelle boys played a good clean game, and proved themselves good sports. Red Cottle started for Rochelle making a field goal from the center of Voca's 90 foot court. Chester McLerran was the star basket shooter for Voca. The Leddy brothers played star ball while Reef Deans and Willis Hardin were complimented on their good team work. The line-up was:

Rochelle	Voca
McDonald	Frank Leddy
O. Clary	Chester McLerran
Cates	Willis Hardin
D. Clary	Reef Deans
Cottle	Guard
	Albert Leddy

Untraceable Relationship.

A little Southern boy, "bawn and bred in the briar patch" of Presbyterian orthodoxy, returned from Sunday school one day and began, in turn, to catechise his mother.

"Mamma, he solemnly inquired, was Jesus a Jew?"

"Yes, certainly," in mild surprise.

"Are you sure?" he persisted, wrinkling his brow.

"Of course," emphatically.

The child was unconvinced, and ready for an argument.

"But, Mamma," he reminded her, "God is a Presbyterian. How could His son be a Jew?"

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Reported Finding of Yellow Metal Caused Intense Excitement in San Francisco in 1851.

To San Francisco in January, 1851, came a tale that set even its excitement-jaded pulses a-throb. Briefly, 19 prospectors had proceeded in the steamer Chesapeake toward the Klamath river, and near this stream the seashore for miles was composed—half, at least—of pure gold, writes Eugene Cunningham in Adventure Magazine.

Digging was not required. One had only to raise as much as he wished of the golden sand from the beach. Small wonder that San Francisco went mad. Eight vessels prepared to sail for "Gold Bluffs."

Then the bottom dropped out. It was rumored first that the gold was mixed with black and gray sands; that because of its exceeding fineness it could not be separated from the mud. Worse still, the sea washed through huge piles of collected sand and flood-tide brought none of it back. Working "Gold Bluffs" promised a reversal of ordinary mining—gold went into, instead of coming out of, the ground. So the greatest excitement of the decade was done. But it was a "thriller" while it lasted.

FELT THE BISHOP WAS SAFE

Woman's Apprehensions Disappeared With Her Increasing Confidence in the Small Boy.

When Phillips Brooks, the great "low church" bishop of Massachusetts, made his visitation at the Church of the Advent, Boston, celebrated for its elaborate ritual, the rector considerably inquired if the bishop would like the usual service simplified.

"Oh, no," was the reply. "Turn everything on!"

A young but well-trained acolyte was told to attend the bishop, and before the towering figure paced, with impressive dignity, the small red-casocked lad.

A lady, who knew and admired Phillips Brooks, but knew little of ritual, regarded the situation at first with anxious face, but soon became serene. On leaving the church after service, she remarked:

"In the beginning I was dreadfully afraid the bishop would not know where to go or what to do, but I felt perfectly safe about him when I saw that little boy knew a great deal more about it all than the bishop did, and was taking good care of him."—Harper's Magazine.

An Inventor at Seventeen.

One Saturday morning, more than 60 years ago, writes Floyd L. Darrow in St. Nicholas Magazine, a man and a boy might have been observed standing over a piece of pipe in a machine-shop in Schenectady, N. Y. The man was giving instructions to his fourteen-year-old son, George Westinghouse, Jr., as to how he wished this pipe to be cut into pieces of a certain length. George had wanted to go on a hike with some other boys, but his father, a somewhat stern man, was assigning a task which, he assured the lad, would require all his spare time for several days to come. While his father had been talking, the boy had been thinking out a scheme to escape this drudgery. In a few hours he had rigged up a combination of tools which, when attached to a power machine, automatically fed the pipe, and cut it into the proper lengths.

In this youthful incident we have the first glimpse of the wonderful inventive genius of one of the most extraordinary men that America has ever produced—George Westinghouse.

History of Vaccination.

Smallpox vaccination, generally regarded as a modern practice, dates back more than 2,000 years, according to Dr. W. G. McCoy, director of the Hygienic Laboratory of the United States Public Health service. "When the ancients noticed that recovery from the first attack gave immunity from others," says Doctor McCoy, "they began inoculating their fellows; first by exposing well persons to others ill with the disease and later by inoculation." Jenner, who is generally conceded to have been the father of vaccination for smallpox with cowpox, only "put vaccination on a rock where it would be immovable," explains Doctor McCoy. Records show that years before Jenner's time men had been vaccinated with cowpox and then with smallpox to demonstrate their immunity.

Rachel's Tomb Jewish Shrine.

Rachel's tomb, about a mile from Bethlehem, is a sacred shrine of the Jews. It is the only spot of Old Testament interest to which the Jews have exclusive rights, and the chief rabbi of Jerusalem has the key to it. They assemble there from time to time for prayer. They do the same at Hebron, where the patriarchs are buried, but in general they do not have ready access to the graves of their forefathers. The Moslems refuse this privilege to them.

Wanted More Information.

The medical officer on duty in the eye, ear and throat department of one of the great London hospitals was about to examine a man who complained of severe pain.

"Now, then, my friend, is it this ear that's causing the trouble?" he

"This 'ere what?" inquired the patient.

TEXAS RED CROSS ACTIVE SINCE 1905 IN GREAT WORK

That the Texas chapter of the American Red Cross is not only one of the most distinguished, but is one of the oldest chapters in the United States, is revealed by records found in some of the old files of the Red Cross. It was organized in 1905 when the government took over the work and completely reorganized the association following the Spanish-American War. The Texas chapter was preceded by Colorado only a few weeks.

Mrs. Mary Sherman Allen, a direct descendant of Roger Sherman, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and a native of Dallas for thirty years organized and directed the work in the State for fourteen years. She is now an honorary vice-president of the Dallas County Chapter, having resigned her post when the World War broke out so that the younger and more active workers could direct the activities. A life-size picture of Mrs. Allen is now hanging in the Red Cross building at Washington as a recognition of her long and faithful services.

During the fourteen years Mrs. Allen was at the head of the Red Cross work in Dallas the same executive with which she started and practically the entire board of directors and officers served with her. When the books were transferred from Mrs. Allen to the new organization the auditors' report showed that every penny received and disbursed was accounted for.

The first officers of the Texas chapter, which later became the Dallas County Chapter was Mrs. Mary Sherman Allen, president; Raymond D. Allen, secretary; Mrs. Ada McAllister, recording secretary; Royall A. Ferris, treasurer; William H. Atwell, counselor, and Dr. Oscar Marchman, chairman of the medical board, which consisted of forty-two of the leading surgeons and physicians of Dallas.

The executive committee was composed of Alex Sanger, W. A. Green, and Edward Titcher, who is still active in the Red Cross work and during the war the executive chairman. Mr. Titcher is now chairman of the North Texas Conference of Red Cross Chapters. The conference committee consisted of the Rev. W. M. Anderson, the Rev. George W. Truett,

Rabbi William H. Greenburg and Bishop J. P. Lynch. The headquarters were at 3024 Ryan street.

"As I look back upon the early work of the Red Cross and the many difficulties encountered at the beginning I am convinced that it was only through the will of God that we were able to 'carry on,'" Mrs. Allen declared in speaking of the early history of the organization. "During the first year we had only twenty-six members, but at the end of the second year it had grown to more than 200. When the war broke out there were more than 1,000 people upon the rolls."

"Our first work consisted chiefly of caring for tuberculosis cases and through the sale of Red Cross tuberculosis stamps we were able to build eight tents at the City Hospital and provide the services of two nurses. The citizens in the neighborhood became afraid of having those tents so close to their homes and petitioned the city authorities to have them moved. These eight tents were abandoned and were not used for several years but became the first home of the Dallas Baby Camp when it was created."

"During the Dallas flood in 1908 the Red Cross completely equipped two emergency hospitals with doctors and nurses in attendance. This quick relief prevented much suffering and the spread of disease. An emergency hospital at the State Fair was begun in 1907 and it was the first of its kind in the United States. Other fairs over the country quickly followed the idea, but always gave Dallas credit for having pioneered it."

A different method from that being used today was followed for securing funds when some emergency had to be met. A notice of the need was printed in all the papers with a request that donations be sent to the treasurer at once. Thousands and thousands of dollars were received in this way and sent to Japan, Korea, Italy and to practically every section of the globe to relieve the effects of some great disaster, according to Mrs. Allen. Dallas always lead the other cities of the United States in the amounts contributed and is still recognized as one of the outstanding chapters of the country.

The Red Cross owes its origin to a single individual who was inspired with the sentiment of kindness and compassion for his fellow creatures. This man was M. Henri Durant, who after the battle of Solferino, June 24,

1859, was a witness of the terrible suffering of thousands of wounded because of lack of adequate medical care and hospital accommodations and supplies. The movement soon spread all over the world and was first used in the United States during the Civil War.

Although the Red Cross was created solely for the relief of the sick and wounded in times of war they have widened the scope of their usefulness and activity to include necessary relief work after national disasters, first aid instruction to many different groups, home service and since the recent war to the ex-service men in their many difficulties in getting back into civil life and its daily grind.

No other organization in the world carries with it the possibilities of the Red Cross, with its national centers in every part of the world, its systematized arrangements for organized and voluntary relief work in time of war, its opportunities for mitigating suffering caused by fire, flood, famine and disease and disasters of all kinds.—Dallas News.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the shareholders of the Commercial National Bank of Brady, Texas, will be held in the office of this bank building in Brady, Texas, on the second Tuesday in January, being January 8th, 1924, at 8:30 a. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may be legally brought before it.

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HERE IS A PLAN FOR WORLD PEACE, FOUNDED ON LOVE

Wonder, Ore.—(To the Editor of The Portland Telegram.)—It is heart sickening to one who loves peace and hates war to think of the sad predicament that the world is in today on account of our last war. Leaders in government affairs say "it must not happen again."

But we ask the question, Will it happen again? We read in the twenty-fourth chapter of St Matthew of perilous times coming, when nation shall rise against nation and kingdom against kingdom, and there shall be great tribulation such as not seen since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be again. And except those days should be shortened there should be no flesh saved; but for the elects' sake those days shall be shortened. And as God has ever used the instrumentality of man to bring about a fulfillment of his designs on earth, it behooves man to devise some means of preventing wars.

It is impossible to prevent anything without first removing the cause. There are several elements to be removed in order to effectually remove the cause of war. The good book tells us that the love of money is the root of all evil—and it goes without saying that the selfishness of humanity has been the prime factor in the precipitation of wars. But is it impossible to change the nature of human beings so as to eliminate selfishness without first thoroughly Christianizing the whole human race, which, to contemplate, is a stupendous undertaking. However, I believe it is possible to establish and inaugurate a universal system and code of international laws that will settle differences between nations without resorting to the heathenish practice of war.

In order to do this it will be necessary for all peoples to broaden their patriotism so as to include the world instead of confining it to the

limits of our own petty race or nationality. We caucasians have no right to imagine that peoples of other races and colors are willing to concede that we are their superiors in intellect or otherwise. Therefore, every nationality of people are just as zealous in defense of their honor and their flag as we are of ours. And probably all resort to the same measures and schemes to induce their soldiers to fight.

Then let us change our tactics. Let's conform to the principles of the golden rule. Let's extend a brotherly hand of equality to all mankind. Let's get together in the spirit of love. Let's get each nation to send to every other nation one or more of its intelligent young men to make a study of the civil government of the other countries.

Then all get together and adopt a universal code from the very best laws of all the world. Of course, the adopted code will have to stop the exploitation of one nation by another, or individuals or corporations of one country against individuals of corporations of another country.—Progressive American. (Dated Oct. 29, 1923.)

APPENDIX.

My plan would organize a central universal government around which all other systems revolve and are subject thereto. Adopt an universal constitution to be the central head of all governments. Adopt an universal language so far as practicable and by all means adopt an universal monetary system. Of course this will require a few years to accomplish and put into operation; but it is the only means by which serenity can ever be restored from chaos and turmoil.

However, I wish it to be emphatically understood that I do not expect these conditions to obtain until after the great battle of Armageddon has been fought; which will (according to chronological commentators) be in the near future. This will bring what few that may be left in the world to their sense and they will establish permanent peace founded upon justice and love and this will be the millennium.

The greatest menace to civilization today are those individuals and organizations that are fermenting the minds of the people by preaching the doctrine of hate, by arraying class against class, race against race, creed against creed at a time when unity is most essential. This will only hasten the fulfillment of divine prophecy, part of which the most casual observer cannot fail to observe taking place all around us continually.

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BOSTON NEWSPAPER REPORTS EASTERN TURKEY MARKET DEMORALIZED THANKSGIVING

From the Boston American, issue for November 28th—the day before Thanksgiving—comes report of a badly demoralized turkey market throughout the east, and that right on the eve of the greatest turkey day of the year. In glaring headlines, the American reports "Turkey Prices Drop to 25 Cents." Further, the same paper reports Thanksgiving birds selling at 19 cents in Chicago and 20c. in New York, with vast quantities on the market.

In view of the very advantageous price at which the bulk of McCulloch county turkeys were sold, local turkey raisers have reason to be jubilant. This is one year in which the raiser did not take the loss—but instead the dealers, who are accused of having pyramided prices around the holidays until they were out of reason, are this year taking an enormous loss instead of the enormous profit of other years.

Here is an excerpt from the Boston paper showing conditions on the turkey market:

Today turkeys are retailing all over Boston at from 25 to 65 cents per pound, with business not even normal. In Chicago they are as low as 19 cents a pound; in New York 20 cents.

Tonight may usher into being the greatest scene ever beheld in Boston's market history when it is expected retailers will be unloading at any price to get their stock off their shelves. You may be able to buy a choice bird at your own price. In other words feel its breast bone and write your own ticket.

The same is true in all the big cities out West. Hourly dispatches show the turkey market is rapidly becoming demoralized.

In Boston since Monday one of the biggest turkey dealers in New England took a staggering loss as he saw the turkey market crumble. He bought thousands of birds at 46 cents a pound. The wholesale market was 49 cents. He sold out at 43 cents a pound, a loss of three cents on every pound of turkey flesh.

He did not dare to risk what was once the fashion—putting the birds into cold storage. Because what chain stores have accomplished at Thanksgiving he knows can be duplicated at Christmas. This holds true in all cities.

Another big dealer today had on his hands a car containing 521 boxes and seventy-five barrels of turkeys, with no place to sell them.

Stories of huge losses suffered by other big dealers were current in the Faneuil Hall district.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Brady National Bank of Brady, Texas, will be held at its banking house in Brady, Texas, on the second Tuesday in January, the same being the 8th day of January, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before it.
E. L. OGDEN,
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FOR SALE—100 bred ewes, \$8 per head. Will contract their lambs back, October delivery, at \$5 per head.—W. F. DUTTON, Brady.

FOR SALE—5-room house, half block land; small barn and shed; located north of school building in Crothers addition. See or write E. COFFEE, Route 2, Brady, Texas.

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MERCURY LADIES COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING.

An interesting meeting was held Wednesday, November 21st, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Busnach, Mercury, Texas, by the following members of the Ladies Community club of Mercury: Mrs. Okla White, Mrs. Carl Kirby, Mrs. J. W. Bell, Mrs. Raymond Cooper, Miss Caribel Wright, Mrs. E. H. Beakley, Mrs. J. S. Penn, Mrs. W. A. Penn, Mrs. S. E. Young, Mrs. A. S. Wright, Mrs. T. L. Sansom, Mrs. S. Roaten, Mrs. Earl Cawyer, Mrs. Jud Bratton, Mrs. Leonard Taylor, Mrs. I. S. Pointer and Mrs. D. S. Pumphrey.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lohn State Bank of Lohn, Texas, will be held at its banking house, in Lohn, Texas, on the second Tuesday in January, the same being the 8th day of January, 1924, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before it.
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