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SECOND POULTRY SHOW NEXT WEEK

Plainview Offers Nearly \$500 in Cash Prizes for Second Annual Exhibition.

JANUARY 7, 8, 9, 10

Requests for Entry Have Come from Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico; 1,000 Birds Expected.

Plainview's second annual Poultry Show opens Tuesday and continues during Wednesday, Thursday and Friay. Nearly \$500 in cash prizes has en offered. The largest individual ard is \$25 provided by the Chamber or Commerce for the best cock, hen, cockerel and pullet, any variety.

The poultry show will be held in the Masonic building, southeast corner of the square.

8. S. Sloneker, president of the Association, says that he has had requests for entry blanks from over Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas. He expects more than 1,000 birds. Three hundred and thirty-six premiready for the awards. Plainview's first poultry show was held last January. It attracted much attention in Hale County. This year people from ity. They are coming to see.

Mr. Sloneker urges that everybody in Plainview shall come out to see the poultry. Some of the best chickens anywhere in the country will be raised at home the department says. tract home-seekers.

And the importance of the poultry in- home. dustry may be understood when one knows that the Missouri hea produced a revenue of \$75,000,000 annually for the "show-me" state.

J. W. Pipkin and J. W. Elliott are two local exhibitors whose chickens have made winnings over the State. Mr. Pipkin won second on cock, second on pen, third and fourth on hen, ad third on pullet, at Arlington reat Arlington. He also won first prize on a hen exhibited at Cleburne, and this prize carried with it first State

Dallam and other counties on the Commissioners of Dallam County renext poultry show, acording to J. W. Pipkin.

ELLERD BROTHERS SELL BAILEY COUNTY LAND.

Enochs, of Jackson, Miss., Will elop 53,420 Acres; \$600,000 Involved in Deal.

Miss., 53,420 acres of land situ- guests soon departed. manifest a desire to extend into the Mrs. Bruce Thomas.

in the shallow water belt. Development such as Mr. Ellerd says Mr. Enochs proposes is just what the Plains country needs, and the men at \$25 an acre, one-fourth cash.

PLANTING TREES AT KAUFMAN.

Organisations Line Three Streets with Them.

Kaufman, Texas, Dec. 27.-Under anted on Mulberr Street, leading proved."
This w

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURER LIKES HERALD ADVERTISING.

Smith-Briscoe Company Asks for Copies of Herald Carrying Advertisement of "Steadfast" Shoes.

The Plainview Mercantile Company caried a half-page advertisement in The Hale County Herald of December 13 for "Steadfast" Shoes. Mr. Shofner is just in receipt of a letter from Smith-Briscoe Co., Lynchburg, Va., makers of Steadfast shoes, saying "We congratulate you upon your getup of your half-page advertisement on 'Steadfast' Shoes. It is one of the most attractive advertisements we have ever seen.

Thre days later Smith-Briscoe Co. write a second letter-"If you could now occupied by Dr. L. L. Gladney, send us thre or four more copies of just north of the Christian Church. tree of Caivary Baptist Church: mmerce for the best cock, hen, The Hale County Herald, under date At that time the house stood on the of December 13, we would appreciate half-page advertisement of 'Steadfast' Shoes has complimented it very highly and requested copy of the paper."

> Copy for this advertisement was written and displayed by The Herald.

SHOULD GROW SUGAR BEETS.

America Produces Only One-Eighth of Sweetening It Uses, Department Says.

Declaring that the United States all over Texas have been attracted should raise all of the sugar it uses, by the news that has gone out about the United States Department of Agri-Plainview and Hale County's liberal- culture has issued an appeal to the American farmer to go in for the cultivation of the sugar beet. We now import 2 million short tons of sugar beets annually, and these should be

shown. Furthermore, many visitors "The average American consumes will come in with their poultry. It is eighty-three pounds of sugar each an opportunity for Plainview to at- year," according to the report, "and only ten pounds of that is produced Poultry experts have often said that in this country." The farmers of the Hale County is ideal for chickens. Southwest should keep that money at

DENISON ROADS COMPLETED.

\$250,000 Bond Issue Pays for More Than Fifty Miles of Highway.

Denison, Texas, Dec. 27. - The United Construction Company, which has been building macadamized roads in the Denison district for three years, cently. Mr. Elliott won second on has completed its work. The original pen, third on pullet and fifth on hen bond issue of \$250,000 has ben expended, and there are more than fifty miles of limestone pikes in and leading to Denison. Early next spring it is expected that the County Commissioners will oil the roads outside North Plains are giving asistance to of the corporate limits of Denison, the local poultry association. The and the City Council here has incently gave \$200 to help finance the structed Alderman Davis, chairman of streets and alleys, to purchase oil and the necessary equipment to be used in oiling the Denison streets which have been macadamized.

A HOLIDAY PARTY.

Last Saturday night the Bailey home, two miles south of town, was thrown open to a crowd of invited en M. and John J. Ellerd, of guests. Games were the enjoyment, iew, have concluded a deal and at a late hour a delicious lunchterring to I. C. Enochs, of Jack- eon was served, after which the

in Bailey County about sixty | Those present were: Misses Alberta s nearly west from Plainview. Miller, Ethyl Tyler, Louise and Ruth consideration involved is more Duckwall, Nora White, Dorothy Matan \$600,000, according to a state- lock, Hallie Faulkner, Edith Munger, ent given out by R. M. Ellerd today. Mary Eta and Lee Amber Brown, Opal The Texico-Coleman cut-off will and Irene Thomas, Cecil and Ruth pass a few miles east of this land, Bailey, and Messrs. Joe Smith, Carl and other railroads are looking in that Reese, Guthrie and Floyd White, Allen direction. Mr. Ellerd says that Mr. and Archie Duckwall, Bea and Grant Enochs has ample capital and may be Thomas, Nolan and Frank Brown, Joe depended upon to build his own trans- Workman, Walter Tyler, Ralph Cox, portation facilities if none of the lines Don, Ash and Dell Bailey, Mr. Weise, now operating in Northwest Texas Mr. Whiteman, of Iowa, and Mr. and

The soil is level, dark loam, and is ATTORNEY GENERAL SAYS STREET BONDS ARE GOOD.

The question of the legality of the recent issue of bonds for street crosswho effect it are large benefactors. ing and water was questioned by the This land will be placed on the market attorney general's office at Austin. It was reported that the bond issue was not in accord with law and vote would have to be taken again.

Mayor J. L. Dorsett is in receipt of a telegram from James R. DeLay, who open a grocery store on the west side took up the matter in person with the attorney general, reading: "Attorney General has reviewed bond record the supervision of the Kaufman Civic and in his opinion same is sufficient. and Schol Improvement Club, a large Record will likely be submitted to ipment of trees has just been new administration, but will be ap-

also on Jackson Street and issue is legal and that Plainview may Williams, returned to his home Sun- Dr. and Mrs. Lee Dye, and the host him from giving these little tokens son, of Plainview, as stenographer for go ahead with civic improvement.

MYSTIC IS OLDEST CLUB IN PLAINVIEW

Harp in November, 1905; Mrs. Meharg First President.

OPEN SESSION POPULAR

provement Set Forth As Purposes of Club.

The Mystic Club is the oldest club held in November, 1905, at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Harp, in the house received into the organization. In Christ the Lord. 1906 the club was received into the The associations of our Lord's na-State federation.

in rhyme, as follows:

"Address of Welcome. Woman's Club has convened

tonight With cheery words and faces bright:

The starry night its radiance lends,

To answer that query is a pleasant were

For a woman's club means good to all Who listen and heed to Progression's call;

"It opens the vista of knowledge to

And places the lore of ages in

Of those who desire its pages to scan And keep in touch with Superlative

'A woman's club broadens all of our

It makes of its members good mothers and wives; It makes them good housekeepers.

also good cooks, For the culinary art keeps pace with new books.

'A woman's club is for good, not wrong:

and song:

sincere

woman's friend; To one and all we wish a good time this welcoming rhyme."

Those open sessions were informal show along this line. -free and easy-large numbers of the friends of the club women and their husbands meeting for an evening of social pleasures. The resident members of the Club who participated in the "good times" made possible by Plains plain, heart-made hospitality

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NEW GROCERY FOR PLAINVIEW

Lee Stephens and Buck Sams to Open

Lee Stephens and Buck Sams will of the square, next door to the Plainview Mercantile Co. The new store Knight. will occupy the building just south of the Ware Hotel Building.

STABLES FIT FOR CHRIST'S BIRTH Fort Worth Paper Closes Subscription

Organized at Residence of Mrs. A. E. Mrs. Tandy Says Lowly Birth Showed Jesus Savior of Slave as Well as Master.

NOT SON OF A PALACE

Intellectual Upbuilding and Civic Im- Writer Thinks Birth in Castle Would Have Stamped Savior for "Upper Class."

In response to many requests, The in Plainview. The first meeting was Herald is publishing the following Commissioners. paper, on "The Nativity," read by Mrs. C. W. Tandy at the Christmas

One mile from Bethlehem is a little corner where now stands the Ellerd plain in which, under a grove of Every one who has seen your building. The charter members were olives, stands a chapel known by the Mesdames S. W. Meharg, A. E. Harp, name of "The Angel to the Shep-T. J. Jordan (now deceased), W. E. herd." It is built on the traditional Armstrong, and Misses Lula Pitts, site of the fields where, in the beauti-Beulah Speakman, Clevy Dupuy (af- ful language of St. Luke, "there were terwards Mrs. A. L. Hamilton), Bessie shepherds keeping watch over their Parr and Myrtle Haynes. Mrs. Me- flocks by night, when, lo, the angel harg was president for two years, then of the Lord came upon them, and the Mrs. Armstrong for several years, glory of the Lord shone round about "Hamlet" was the first study for the them," and to their happy ears were club. At the second meeting of the uttered the good tidings of great joy club Mrs. L. A. Knight, Mrs. H. C. that unto them was born that day, in Randolph and Mrs. R. E. Burch were the city of David, a Savior, which was

tivity were all of the humblest char-One pleasant custom during these acter, and the very scenery of His earlier days of its organization was birthplace was connected with memto have an open session two or three ories of poverty and toil. On that times during the club year. On one night, indeed, it seemed as though the Money to Be Used for Road Improveof these occasions Mrs. W. E. Arm- heavens must burst to disclose their strong gave the address of welcome, radiant minstrelsies; and the stars, and the feeding sheep, and the "light and sound in the darkness and still-But in the brief and thrilling verses the rural districts. of the Evangelist we are not told that While a welcome warm the Club those angel songs were heard by any the Camino Real, which closely folcorn, and David had followed the with the heavy road tax.

"And suddenly," adds the Evangelist, "there was with the angel a multihighest, and on earth peace among men of good will." "Come, now, let us go into Bethlehem and see this thing which has come to pass, which the Lord made known to us,' said the shepherds when those angel songs

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WEAVER BESTS MOORE.

It greets you tonight with music the wrestling bout between Jack forty acres here and, by giving it am- road at Amarillo, was married to Miss-It bids you welcome with words Moore, of Lubbock. Weaver evident- of them have been getting from 160 ly out-classed Moore, as he put him acres. To those who have come from far to the mat twice in less than an hour. A cordial welcome to each we ex- acknowledged before leaving for Kan- then, and it is surprising how much Who has come tonight as a club stuff and promises to do some big conserve it." things yet.

Who have listened with patience to ning's entertainment was Murray's farm as a windbreak. This shrub will trained dogs. It is seldom that a grow, he says, eight or ten feet in a Plainview audience has seen a better single year. The demonstration farm just exactly what the situation re-

NEW YEAR'S PARTY HONORING MRS. WHEELOCK.

New Year's Day was made delightful for eighteen Plainview people when Mrs. R. W. Otto entertained with delightful New Year's dinner.

An invitation to Mrs. Otto's spells good time, and surely on this occasion it spelled a stronger one than ever. All formality was displaced with genuine New Year hospitality.

After the sumptuous dinner, a series of games of "500" was played, resulting in top score for the ladies being won by Mrs. W. A. Wheelock, of Lubbock; that for the gentlemen by L. A. Charley Clements helped Mayor Dor-

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. to the cheerless. and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Otto.

RECORD GIVES EIGHT BUICK CARS TO WINNING SOLICITORS. TEXAS RAILWAY

Campaign with Parade of Automobiles Given Contestants.

Headed by Armour & Co.'s big motor truck, bearing the brass band, eight Buick automobiles paraded the streets of Fort Worth last Saturday 32 COUNTIES WITHOUT TRACK morning, each having been awarded to a successful competitor during a circulation campaign by the Fort Worth Record.

Those participating in the parade were District Judges Swayne and R. H. Buck, Mayor Davis and the City

Six of the automobiles cost \$1,120 each, the two grand prizes costing \$1,360 each, making the total for the automobiles \$9,940. To this might be added \$1,200 worth of Grafonolas and \$300 worth of watches, bringing the grand total up to \$10,940, one of, if not, the greatest aggregate of prizes ever given by a newspaper in the

The automobiles are of the latest design, and are handsome machines. "Oh, I just think my car is the loveliest I have ever seen," said one pretty and successful contestant yester-

The appearance of the eight cars in the parade provoked much favorable comment among the Christmas shoppers. The cars were sent direct from the factory to The Record.

EL PASO COUNTY CARRIES A \$350,000 BOND ISSUE.

ment, Part Being for Extension of the Camino Real.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 27.-A bond ness," and the rapture of faithful issue of \$350,000 for road improvement hearts combine to furnish us with a in El Paso County has carried. A picture painted in the colors of heaven. heavy vote was cast by tax payers in

The funds will be used to continue except the wakeful shepherds of an lows the old Santa Fe trail from New obscure village, and those shepherds, Mexico, where it now is being im-'What is a Woman's Club,' you ask? amid the chill dews of a winter night, proved by convict labor, through West ding their flocks from the Texas and into Arizona. It is asserted wolf and the robber, in fields where that the bonds will make a reduction Ruth, their Savior's ancestress, had of three cents on the 100 valuation of gleaned, sick at heart, amid the alien the county tax rate, by doing away

in Table Luxuries.

A. M. Kruger, horticulturist for the ico & Orient is wending its way to-Pearson Syndicate, believes that sweet potatoes and celery are two crops which will yield Hale County farmers large returns. Mr. Kruger POTTER COUNTY'S had ceased to break the stony silence. has had large experience in irrigated districts, and he believes in irriga-

Mr. Kruger also thinks that much larger returns might be secured over the South Plains by "dry farming" The attraction at the Schick Monday methods, or, rather, intensive cultivaevening, drawing a good house, was tion. He says that a farmer may take Weaver, of Kansas City, and Bomar ple care, he can raise as much as most Lena M. Smith Friday, in Fort Worth.

"Plough deep," Mr. Kruger says, rillo News, and is 28 years old. Weaver is 22 pounds heavier than "and your soil will pulverize thorough-Moore and several years older. He ly. It will hold what moisture falls THREE CASES OF SCARLET sas City that the Lubbock boy is good moisture does fall, if only farmers will

Mr. Kruger says that he will plant Another splendid feature of the eve- tamarack around the demonstration and about ten acres in sweet potatoes A little later it will be more deeply uation. broken.

Mayor Dorsett Brought Christmas Cheer to Twenty-Two Fatherless Children.

J. L. Dorsett, Plainview's mayor, played Santa Claus to twenty-two or- ily of Mrs. Meigs Stewart, in the east phan children and six widows this part of town, last week in a very ma-Christmas. He secured \$74 from the lignant form. The cases are under ity in general and \$22 from the Elks Lodge. Mrs. C. R. Hairfield and being done to prevent the spread of sett in his work of bringing Christmas

Wheelock, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. | Mayor Dorsett asks that The Herald L. A. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ware, express his thanks to every citizen Dr. G. J. Williams, of Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Burch, Mr. and of Plainview who contributed to this This would indicate that the bond daughters, Misses Lena and Ethel Wooldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Tudor, might know the joy which came to ator, has appointed Miss Rikka Peter-

GROWTH CHECKED

Commercial Secretaries Say Only 153.6 Miles Constructed in State During Year Just Closed.

Cessation of Building Attributed to Restrictions by Law upon Issuance of Stocks and Bonds.

"The interest in railroad matters aroused by the investigation of the Welfare Commision, added to the general anxiety manifested by the citizenship of Texas in the development of our transportation facilities has rendered the subject of railroad mileage construction during 1912 one of sufficient importance to justify the Texas Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association in taking a census of railroad building during the last calendar year," says J. A. Arnold, Secretary of these Associations. The result of the census shows a total of 153 miles, as follows:

Railroad Construction, 1912- Miles Kansas City, Mexico & Orient, Girvin to Fort Stockton 34.0 Paris & Mount Pleasant, part of line between Bogata and Mount Pleasant San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf, San

Antonio to Fowlerton 82.0 St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico, Bloomington to Victoria 13.6 Heyser to Austwell 16.0 "In view of the recent appeal made

by nine of the leading independent railroad builders in the State for legislation enactment that would removestatutory obstacles in the way of construction, a glance at the map and a review of the railroad construction go ing on during the year is intensely interesting

"In the Central as Pampandle tions of the State, where transpo the United States, the map is vacant.

"The Eastern portion of the State makes no better showing, except in the extreme Northeastern part, where a gap of eight miles has been filled KRUGER WILL PLANT CELERY. in connecting the road between Paris tude of the heavenly host, praising Expert Horticulturist Sees Big Profits of heavy bonuses, the San Antonio. and Mount Pleasant. Under pressure Uvalde & Gulf is constructing 115 miles of track. The Kansas City, Mex-

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FIRST BORN WEDS.

W. Duncan Kersey Marries Miss Lens Smith, in Fort Worth, Two Days After Christmas.

W. Duncan Kersey, an employe of the Fort Worth & Denver City Rail-Mr. Kersey is the first boy born in Potter County, acording to The Ama-

FEVER IN PLAINVIEW.

Drs. McClendon and Flamm Say That Rigid Quarantine Precludes Likelihood of Spread.

In order that the citizens may know will grow five or ten acres in celery garding scarlet fever is in Plainview. The Herald has asked Dr. E. F. Mcthis year, Mr. Kruger says. The sod Clendon, health officer, and Dr. Willishas been broken and is now flooded. H. Flamm for a statement of the sit-

Dr. McClendon says that there are three cases in Plainview, two at Mrs. HELPED WIDOWS AND ORPHANS. Meigs Stewart's, 401 East Sixth St.and one at the Shafer Boarding House. A rigid quarantine has been established, Dr. McClendon says, and there is attle likelihood of the disease spreading.

"Scarlet fever broke out in the famabsolute quarantine and everything is the disease."-Willis H. Flamm, M. D.

MISS PETERSON TO BE SENATE STENOGRAPHER.

W. A. Johnson, proprietor of The who has ben in Plainview visiting his Mrs. E. Dowden, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. cause. He only regrets that all Hall County Herald, and State Seathe next term of the Legislature.

SCHICK Opera House

Monday, January 13th The Season's Biggest and Best Attraction

THE UNITED PLAY COMPANY

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The Most Popular Romatic Play on the American Stage

A MAGNIFICENT PRODUCTION OF GRACE HAYWARD'S

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A LOVE BEHIND A THRONE.

YOU HAVE READ THE BOOK-NOW SEE THE PLAY



A Blood Bubbling, Heart Leaping Story of Love and Adventure and an Americans Fight for a Kingdom in the Balkans

All special scenery--beautiful costumes--oast of unusual and uniform excellence.

Prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00; Box Seats \$1.50 Seat Sale Opens Monday, January 6th, at J. W. Willis Drug Co.

NOTE:--I can personally guarantee this attraction to be absolutely first-class in every detail and worthy of the most consideration of our theatre goers .-- Wallace Tyrone Manager Schick Opera House.

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Home Building Time"

For the best Lumber at Prices that are right

Plainview Lumber Co.

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Miss Mattie Curtis, field secretary Rev. J. F. Forsythe, pastor woman's work of Oklahoma, was the Southern Presbyterian Church, nome for the holidays. She returned preached for the Presbyterian congregation at Floydada Sunday. to Oklahoma City Thursday.

CALIFORNIA IS FIRST IN IRRIGATION.

History Being Prepared for San Diego Exposition.

The Census Bureau has just put out | On December 30, at Indianapolis,

and that the acreage irrigated is 13,-738,485, or 7.9 per cent of the improved area in farms in the states where irrigation (other than for rice) is practiced. California leads in the coming next and Utah third.

The inquiry about this subject gives the great irrigation exhibit being prepared for the San Diego Exposition especial interest. Col. D. C. Collier, President of the Exposition, believes that this will be the greatest demonstration of the utility of irrigation that has ever been made. From the earliest times of which we are able to learn irrigation has been practiced, especially in Bible lands, and also in what is now known as New Mexico, Arizona, Mexico, and other portions of America, where can still be traced irrigation ditches that were dug by people the very memory of whom has perished.

The history of Irrigation shown at San Diego will be no less interesting han the demonstration of what is beng done with its aid today.

MEN HAVE BETTER MANNERS.

Wives of 1912 Luckier Than Those of 1812; "Husbands May Be Devils, but They Hide Hoofs."

husband of 1812, one has to congratu- were 3,810 children of white parentlate him, whatever his shortcomings, age and 387 blacks. and one has to express to his wife the hope that she appreciates her good tuberculosis of the lungs; pneumonia

With all due respect to our greattues and self-sacrificing lives, the wife starved to death. of a 15-dollar clerk today has more to live for than the haughtiest Colo- died at the age of 103 years; a negro nial dame of them all. In 1812 no man who died in Coryell County was man disgraced himself and his class 109 years old. by even the semblance of soberness after dinner. No man could admit, even to himself, a sneaking predisposition to middle-class virtue by pretending to be true to his wife. And nearly every man buried two or three wives and at least a third of his twen-

The man of 1912 may be a smolderhe keeps it neatly shod in patent on the floor, where you cannot tell from the righteous foot of a high church clergyman.

So let the most embittered woman give thanks. If hypocrisy is indeed the homage Vice pays to Virtue, Virwas never before so enthroned. And this is a really great improve

Civilization, unlike grace, starts on the outside and works inward. Before you teach a Choctaw the Golden Rule you have to buy him a suit of clothes. When you despair of morals, thank heaven for manners. They are getting scarcer and scarcer. They of Dallas. Memphis won the prize of are, in fact, obsolescent. Everybody has to aspire to polish. If you sandpaper a boor you get a cad, but thank heaven for the sandpaper! At least, a cad may be the great-great-grandfather of a Man.-New York Evening

CUPID GAINED IN LEAP YEAR.

New York Girls More Shy Than Chicagoans: Metropolis Gained 2,162 to 3,374 in Chicago.

bureau here announces that 38,264 lienses have been issued since January That is an excess of 2,162 over

There is no doubt that the total is greater because this is leap year. The fact is demonstrated by the figures of other leap years. Every leap year total of marriage licenses is greater preceding years. It is seldom that you can get a girl to admit that she propounded the fatal question, but figures and facts are figures and facts. From Brooklyn comes word that the leap year total is far greater than that

Mrs. J. C. Hunt, of Canyon, was a winter. guest at Christmas dinner with Mrs. J. H. Hall.

of any other year since 1908.

SENTENCE IS PASSED ON LABOR LEADERS.

Greatest Irrigation Demonstration in President Ryan Gets 7 Years-Heaviest Sentence; Six Are Freed.

report on irrigation in the United Ind., imprisonment in the Federal prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, was It has been found that 158,713 imposed upon thirty-three labor union farms are irrigated wholly or in part, officials who were convicted of aving engaged in the destruction of property by dynamiting over an area of country extending from Boston to Los Angeles.

As president of the Iron Workers' number of irigated farms, Colorado International Union, Frank M. Ryan was given the heaviest sentence of all-seven years.

Eight others were given six years and two were given four years, twelve were given three years, four were given two years, and six were given one year and one day, and six, including Edward Clark, of Cincinnati, a Government witness, were allowed liberty on suspended sentences.

Steps toward appeals to the United States Circuit Court in behalf of all the prisoners have been taken. Meanwhile it appears that thehe is no prospect for procuring the liberty of any of the men through supersedeas bonds. United States Marshal Schmidt refused to state what time the special train to Leavenworth prison will

4,197 BIRTHS DURING MONTH OF NOVEMBER.

Death Claims 1,937; Tuberculosis Heads List with 202; Pneumonia Killed 105.

Acording to statement of R. P. Babock, Registrar of Vital Statistics, When we reflect that the husband there were 4,197 births in Texas durof 1912 is the great-grandson of the ing November, and 1,937 deaths. There

Of the deaths, 202 are attributed to was the cause in 105 cases. No other single disease killed as many as 100. great-grandmothers, their noble vir- Thirty-six persons are said to have

"DAMNS" TWICE; PAYS 2 CENTS.

Milltown Automobile Tire Clerk Swears Couple of Times to Swell "Profane Box" Total.

New Brunswicks, N. J., Dec. 25 .-For every swear word spoken this tained \$4.98. even \$5. There are one hundred clerks.-Chicago Tribune.

MEMPHIS WINS HOLLAND

McGregor and Hubbard Are Next in Race for "Spotless Town" Award.

ben adopted as a slogan by Memphis in reality the sublimity of morals. This fact has become known by the been closed by Hollond's Magazine, \$200 offered in towns of Class C.

> The nearest copetitors to Memphis were McGregor and Hubbard.—Hall to reach the stairway and escape. County Herald.

MOTOR SLEIGH DEVELOPS SPEED.

St. Lawrence River Motorists Adapt Automobile Mechanism to Ice Craft.

A motor sleigh is the latest contrivonce of enthusiastic motorists who live along the St. Lawrence River. Theron O. Patterson, of Alexandria four-cylinder Franklin motor and those found on aeroplanes.

The drivers seat is in front of the motor, and the driver is protected by canvass sloping hood. ing mechanism has an automobile wheel, and the throttle and spark conwere used in the 1905 Franklin, from which the motor was taken.

Not only is the light machine propelled over the ice and roads at high speed by the large ten-foot blade propeller, but the canvass hood is so shaped that it catches the wind and helps to skim the light craft over the ice. Mr. Patterson has entered his motor sleigh in several races this

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FIRE DESTROYS BRICK BLOCK AT WAXAHACHIE.

Property Loss Estimated at \$57,000 in 2 a. m. Blaze; Davenport Family Has Narrow Escape.

Waxahachie, Texas, Dec. 28 .- A fire supposed to have started in the back end of a pool hall destroyed one entire block of two-story brick business houses early this morning and caused CLEAN TOWN CONTEST. a loss to property estimated at \$57,-

> The fire was discovered about 2 with her family, had rooming apartments on the second floor adjoining smoke. She quickly aroused Mr. Davenport and their two children, and then turned in an alarm. Leaving all their clothing behind and garbed only situate in the County of Hale, Stin their night clothes, they managed Texas, and belonging to the said

The fire department responded Nos. 7 and 8, in Block No. 20, promptly, and in a short time every original town of Plainview, available hose nozzle was throwing a stream of water on the seething January, 1913, being the first T

W. H. Chapman, Winnebago, Neb., tells how he did it. "My two children medicines did them no good. I got a erty. bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and before it was all used the 6th day of December, 1912. has mounted it on a light, high sled, children were free and cured of their The craft is propelled by a large cough. I saved a doctor's bill for one wooden propeller blade similar to 25c bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." No opiates. R. A. Long's December, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock -Adv. 4 a. m. Drug Store. **************

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF (EXAS.) County of Halix In the District Cour of Hale Coupty, Texas.

A. E. Harp, Plaintiff, vs. No. 636 J. D. Hanby and Eva Hanby,

Defendants. WHEREAS, By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Hale County, Texas, on a Judgment rendered in said Court on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1911, in favor of o'clock my Mrs. P. F. Davenport, who, said A. E. Harp, and against the said J. D. Hanby and Eva Hanby, No. 636 on the docket of said Court, and which said Judgment was on the 7th day of When Mrs. Davenport awoke November, 1911, duly transferred to the room was filled with a suffocating J. H. Wayland, I did on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of la Hanby and Eva Hanby, to-wit County, Texas; and on the 6th da day of said month, between the ho of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. on said day. CUT THE HIGH COST OF LIVING, the Court House door of said count will offer for sale and sell at publiauction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. D. Hanby had a very bad cough and the doctor's and Eva Hanby in and to said prop-

Dated at Plainview, Texas, this the

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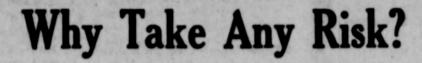
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streams and wells. The urban popu- would be safe to apply percentages lation is therefore largely dependent but slightly less than that determined "Poorhouse" Is Abolished in Illinois

upon the subsurface supplies, and the rural poulation depends almost entirely upon them. It is estimated that in Florida 750,000,000 gallons of amounts are generally lowest for ground waters are used daily for town streams in the arid and semi-arid reand country domestic supplies, while gions, because large areas there con-The importance of underground used by the cities and 500,000,000 galwaters to residents in humid sections lons for the irrigatino of tobacco, citis illustrated by the fact that 75 per rus fruits, and vegetables. One-half presumably because of the extensive cent of the population of Michigan of the irrigation and the greater part practice of irrigation in that area. are directly dependent for water upon of the city supplies in Southern Cali- The amounts are highest in regions the underground supply. Another in- fornia, amounting to more than vestigation of 19 counties in north- 300,000,000 gallons daily, are drawn waters in those sections are not so central Indiana indicates the vital re- from the sands and gravels that unlation that ground water bears to derlie the valleys, while in Central streams in arid regions.—United daily life. Of 54 communities in these California a smaller but nevertheless States Geological Survey. 19 counties having public supplies, 45 important draft is made upon the use wells alone and 3 others use both same source. It is probable that it

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will appear t second week in January, on our gular day of publica-tion, and wi contain the following stories and departments:

Happy New Year .-- A story of early plantation life in Southern Louisana before the war--containing an excellent moral. (Illustrated)

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The Parcels Post in Texas.--How it will benefit manufacturer, farmer and consumer. (Illustrated).

Permanent Good Roads .-- The construction and maintenance of good roads. (Illustrated).

The Fine Arts.--The latest in music, painting and decorating.

Stories of Morgan's Men.--Death of Gen. Morgan, by C. W. Greers.

Farming and Poultry.--The news of the farm from over the state.

Children's Stories .-- "Old Uncle Ben's Turkey Money," "The Cranberry," etc. (Illustrated).

Fashions and Household.--Late fashions and hints on culinary and housekeeping. (Illustrated).

75 per cent of the population depends of which its product must be sold. directly upon underground waters .-United States Geological Survey.

LAND EROSION STUPENDOUS.

One Cubic Mile of Soil Is Washed Away Each Ten Years,

The surface of the United States is being removed at the rate of thirteen ten-thousandths of an inch a year, or United States Geological Survey. Though this amount seems trivial when spread over the surface of the country, it becomes stupendous when considered as a total, for over 270,000,000 tons of dissolved matter and 513,000,000 tons of suspended matter are transported to tidewater every year by the streams of the United States. This total of 783,000,000 tons represents more than 350,000,000 cubic yards of rock substance, or 610,000,000 cubic yards of surface soil. If this erosive action had been concentrated upon the Isthmus of Panama at the time of American occupation, it would have excavated the prism for an 85foot level canal in about 73 days.

The amounts removed from different drainage basins show interesting comparisons. In respect to dissolved matter, the southern Pacific basin heads the list with 177 tons per square mile per year, the northern Atlantic basin being next, with 130 tons. The rate for the Hudson Bay basin, 28 tons, is lowest; that for the Colorado and western Gulf of Mexico basins is somewhat higher. The denudation estimates for the southern Atlantic basin correspond very closely to those for the entire United States. The an additional 11,500,000 gallons are tribute little or nothing to the run-off. The southern Pacific basin is an imof high rainfall, though usually the highly mineralized as the waters of

BECOMES "COUNTRY HOME."

for More Pleasant Name.

The title of "poorhouse"-suggestive of misery, adversity and ill luckis being abolished in Illinois through Charities Commission.

more official references to the almswas the "country home." Several building, Nassau Hall. other counties were induced to make the change, and soon Mrs. Fesler hopes to make her campaign Stategood character and in genuine need ing. of help.-Christian Herald.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

ered the peace proposals made by the able. However, it is regarded as cer- of their number. tain that the negotiators will get to-

marching suffragettes attended a were drowned. masked ball at Hudson, N. Y., and had a Christmas tree. They reached Albany from New York December -, votes pledged to him for re-election. where they will present a petition to Representative R. L. Henry, of Texas, Governor Sulzer when he is inau- has declined to be a candidate, for gurated. Only six women are sticking fear of creating a split in the party.

Admiral George Dewey celebrated Mary Scott, sisters, died the same day his 75th birthday in Washington of pneumonia. They lived in rooms Thursday. His friends gave him an in St. Louis, and were supposed to be informal reception, and in the after- very poor, but \$5,600 in gold and bills noon he and Mrs. Dewey received was found sewed in the clothing of many callers.

A kiosk in a Panama street was dynamited fifteen minutes after President Taft had passed on his way to a been indicted by a United States grand ball given in his honor at the Na- jury in New York for violation of the tional Theater. The presence of the Sherman anti-trust law. They are President is said to have had nothing Charles S. Mellen, president of the to do with the dynamiting, which was New York, New Haven & Hartford the result of a feud between rival Railroad; Edson J. Chamberlain, tradesmen. The President started president of the Grand Trunk system, home Thursday, on the battleship and Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of

in the State of Michigan to the entire been begun against the Kellogg Com- nothing. John Hartnett and Elmer United States, and to state that nearly pany, which is accused of fixing prices Vigus have been arrested at Spring-

> Managers of the big express companies have agreed to maintain rates in spite of the competition from the parcels post, which goes into effect the first oaf the year. The express men say they do not think the new law will prove satisfactory.

took 75 persons from the steamer Turrialba, which was caught in a gale and driven on the shoals near Atlan-

The Congressional committee investigating the "Money Trust" would have three kinds of banks, one for commercial borrowers, another for agricultural borrowers and the third class to be private banks for stock gamblers. The general plan of the committee is to unhorse money as a master and put production in the sad-

A bomb hurled from a housetop vounded Baron Hardinge, Viceroy of India, as he was making a state entry into Delhi on an elephant, severely shocked the vicereine, killed one attendant and wounded another. The man who threw the bomb is suppised to be in sympathy with Calcutta, the former capital, recently succeeded by Delhi, the ancient capital of the

Governor Blease, of South Carolina, pardoned 80 prisoners the day before Christmas, ranging from murderers if he had his way he would pardon most of the prisoners now in confine-

companies and steamship lines to stifle competition is alleged by Luther Conant, Jr., commissioner of corpora-Gulf Coasts are largely owned by railroad systems and used as subsidiaries. The New York & New Haven road and the Eastern Steamship Company are alleged to have insteamers in the Gulf and Atlantic the memorial to Thomas Jefferson. Coast trade.

Mrs. Fesler began her campaign in As Governor of New Jersey, he is ex- Louis. her home county, and there were no officio president of the Board of Trustees. The present head of the house or the poorhouse. Instead, it university has offices in a newer Missouri, are said to be drawing away

wide. The State charitable institu- French liner La Tourraine, bound for Major element. tions of Illinois are taking care of New York. In Washington it is said more wards than before, so that now he will not be allowed to land. He

The elopement of Professor Roy OF LAST WEEK. stitute, of Albion, Ill., with Miss Ora the Knights Templar of Missouri and The Ottoman cabinent has consid- threatens to disrupt the school. The of Royal Arch Masons of the State, marriage was found out in a few days died in Rochester, Minn., of cancer. allied powers at the London confer- and Professor Hart was reprimanded His home was in Bethany, Mo. ence and telegraphed a counter pro- by President Hines. The students posal, the nature of which has not resented this, and presented a wedbeen made public. The Turkish press ding gift to the student-bride. The is unanimous in declaring the propo- students threaten a strike if Professor sition of the powers to be unreason- Hart is disciplined for marrying one

was wrecked on the New Foundland "General" Rosalie Jones and her coast and 22 out of 27 of the crew

Speaker Clark is said to have 263

Mrs. Sarah J. Johnson and Mrs. Mrs. Johnson. They are said to have a sister in Pueblo, Colo.

Three prominent railroad men have the Grand Trunk directorate.

Breakfast food manufacturers are A Chicago & Alton train bound for the latest to be accused of violating Kansas City was held up by four men the Sherman anti-trust law. In the at Iles' Junction, two miles south of Federal Court at Detroit a suit has Springfield, Ill. The robbers obtained

field as suspects, and indentified by the engineer and fireman.

An unidentified negro was killed on Frisco train near Chandler, Okla., while trying to force the express messenger to open the safe. The negro first entered the chair car and held up the conductor. After robbing him, he went to the express car, marching The United States cutter Seneca the conductor in front of him. Walter Daniels, a negro porter, borowed a revolver from a passenger and shot the robber.

> The St. Louis Post Dispatch Christmas festival was the largest of the thirteen of these events. Women and children received 12,500 tickets to the Coliseum, where a Christmas tree 36 feet high was loaded with presents. Dinner was served in the Caliseum to all who held tickets. At the Midday Lunch Room, 313 Pine Street, dinner was served to 2,500 homeless men. To needy persons who could not come to the festival in the Coliseum 2,500 baskets were given, each well filled with the requirements for a Christmas dinner. The leading business men of St. Louis contribute their time each year to making this annual event a success. The money is a popular subscription, and the outlay is about \$10,000. It is not a charity, but a hospitality.

B. F. Bush, president of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain and Denver & Rio Grande systems, will have additional duties ofter January 1. On down to men convicted of minor of- that date he will become president fenses. At a recent conference of also of the Western Pacific, Texas & Governors Blease exclaimed "To Hell Pacific, and International & Great with the Constitution," and also said Northern. The combined mileage of the roads headed by Bush will be

Albert T. Patrick, recently pardoned while serving a life sentence in New York for the murder of William Marsh Rice, saw his daughter, Lilliam. 16 years old, and his mother, Mrs. tions, in a report made to President Edward T. Patrick, for the first time Taft. The report says that steamship in twelve years during the Christmas lines on the Great Lakes, Atlantic and holidays. They live in Denver, and came to St. Louis to meet Patrick at the home of his sister, Mrs. John T.

terlocking interests, and the same is will be held in St. Louis May 1-3, imcharged of the Southern Pacific and mediately following the unveiling of

Daniel M. Houser, president of the President-elect Wilson led a number Globe Printing Company and general of newspaper correspondents over manager of the Globe-Democrat, at | • • the work of Mrs. James Fesler, of some of his favorite walks around St. Louis, celebrated his 78th birthday Rochelle, Ill., secretary of the Auxil- Princeton, and at the end of five hours by working a little harder than usual . Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist. iary Board of Visitors for the State took them into the dimantled offices at his desk. He has ben in the news-

> Friends of Governor-elect Major, of urged to run for Mayor of St. Louis. Ex-President Cipriano Castro, of The support of Harry Hawes is said Venezuela, is a passenger on the to have resulted in opposition by the

A home for Jewish working girls the title "country home" is suggestive is classed as an "undesirable," but in St. Louis has ben opened at 2621 of the residents-homes for the aged, admission will be refused on account Locust Street, as the result of two infirm and unfortunate who are of of a disease from which he is suffer- years' work by the Ben Akiba Aaid

> Tandy Allison Dunn, grand treas-Hart, of the Southern Collegiate In- urer of the Grand Commandery of May Crane, one of the students, past high priest of the Grand Chapter

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Riverside. A part of it reappears in the river above Riverside Narrows, W. B. JOINER for Farm Loans. Adv. from the reservoir it is diverted where it is again taken out into a power ditch whose waters are re turned to the river above Corona. A few miles below it is picked up by canals and distributed to the orange and deciduous groves about Anaheim after it has sunk in to the earth in the municipal purposes and irrigation and Santa Ana. The portion of it that returns there, by irrigation, to the the United States Geological Survey, are recovered in springs and flowing by the many pumping plants and ground water is once more recoveed

A single drop of water in its progress from the mountains to the sea, a ditsance of only 100 miles, may thus be used as many as eight times for power and irrigation.-United States Geological Survey.

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record and map out the topography and every feature of the roads and country between Yuma and The has ben doing similar service for the after trying other remedies and prepast two years. In some places, while scriptions, I purchased a box of Foley tires had to be deflated.

—Adv. tf. Southern California are mapping out my family have used them with sire their territory. They have undertaken illar results. Take at the first significant territory. this tremendous task of mapping out of kidney trouble. R. A. Long Drug

and accurate maps are being made of all the principal roads.

Mr. Geary, after completing the map-making trip, left in a Franklim truck to begin putting up the signs throughout the desert roads. Posts of galvanized steel with steel plates lettered with directions and distances to towns, water-holes and supply stations are being erected. Mr. Geary's trip wil cover the desert north of the Arizona, then south to Phoenix and The trip was a preliminary one to return by Yuma and the Ocean-to-Ocean Highway.

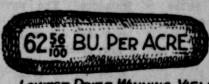
W. R. Fox, 195 W. Washington St., Needles. The car used on this trip Noblesville, Ind., says: "After sufferwas a four-cylinder Franklin, which ing many months with kidney trouble, crossing bad stretches of sand, the Kidney Pills, which not only did me more good than any other remedies This trip shows the care with which I ever used, but have positively set the officials of the Automobile Club of my kidneys right. Other members of

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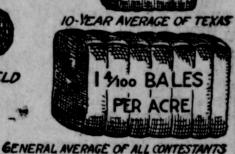
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It's the man who smiles who really es the serious side of life.

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Plainview's weeds haven't been burned; nor the alleys cleaned up yet.

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"Get-together" meetings sometimes prove that the other fellow is not half so bad as you thought he was.

It has been suggested that bridegrooms have that sheepish look because every one of them is morally certain that he is a lamb being led to the slaughter.

THE GREATEST NEED.

A republic must have thinkersthinking voters, thinking professional men, thinking farmers and thinking business men.

It is not of much importance that the young men of today shall amass a lot of facts, but that he shall think deeply on some subject.

It is vital that young Americans systematize their minds for comprehensive and continued thinking.

"OR NEW YEAR, SAY "I WILL." with the passing of Christmas we face forward, and await, with mingled awe and enthusiasm, the coming New Year. It is a time of self-examination, of reconsecration-a sort of new birth for all of us when the old year dies.

ing because the new year brings him gardens of Bethlehem until they mearer the estate of manhood, to the reached the summit of the gray ridge gray-haired patriarch, awaiting the on which the little town is built. On summons which shall call him from that summit stood the village inn. service to the victor's crowning, we The khan or inn of a Syrian village thrill at the prospect. Standing be- at that day was probably identical tween two eternities, we peer into the in its apearance and accommodations

sons, but do not let your ponderings of rough stones, and generally only a palsy the will. The voice of oppor- single story in height. It consists of tunity cries "come." Honor, fame a square enclosure in which the cattle and fortune lie ahead. But the way can be tied up in safety for the night is rough and siren songs ensnare the and an arched recess for the accom-

fastly toward the goal, and be sure two above the level of the court-yard; you "fill each unforgiving minute with it is, in fact, a low, small room with sixty seconds worth of distance run." no front wall to it. They are public, Make firm resolve-"I will." It is and everything that takes place in easier to keep a resolution headed "I them is visible to every person in the will" than "I will not," just as it is khan. They are totally devoid of easier to go forward than to stand furniture. The traveler may bring his still. The former means aggressive own carpet if he likes-may sit upon

from evil, but he who wills "to do" food, attend his own cattle, and draw

Se a copy for issues of The Herald safety and a floor on which to lie. dated December 13.

New Year's

Greeting ...



Opened for Business February,

The Oldest - Established Dry Goods Firm in Plainview

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To you, our friends who have favored us with your generous patronage and kindly influence, we extend our sincere thanks. have tried to serve you honestly and fairly---to give you value received for every penny spent with us.

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102 NORTH PACIFIC ST.

107 WEST MAIN ST.

rate, the portion of it in which the

CHRIST'S BIRTH.

(Continued from Page One.)

This way would lead them up the ter-From the exhuberant youth, rejoic- raced hill and through the moonlit Such seems to have ben the case in not to be found in the palace or fort- handkerchief, blind man's buff and at Runningwater.

with those which still exist in modern The past is sealed. Ponder its les- Palestine. It is a low structure, built modation of travelers. The paved If you would win, set yourself stead- floor of the recess is raised a foot or effort; the latter, defensive inaction. it for his meals and may lie upon it The man who "will not" may keep at night. He must bring his own his own water from the neighboring spring. He would pay only the mer-The Hale County Herald will pay est trifle for the advantage of shelter,

In Palestine it not infrequently hap-

The object of that toilsome journey, which colud not but be disagreeable that heavenly splendor.

his flock upon the lonely hills.

to the settled habits of Oriental life, was to enroll their names as members had been ordered by the Emperor Augustus. In the political conditions of the Roman Empire, of which Judea then formed a part, a single whisper of the Emperor was sufficiently powerful to secure the execution of his mandates in remotest corners of the civilized world. In deference to Jewish prejudices, it was not carried out in the ordinary Roman manner, at each person's place of residence, but, according to Jewish custom, at the town to which their family originally belonged. The Jews still clung to their genealogies and to the memory of long-extinct tribal relations, and, though the journey was a weary and distasteful one, the mind of Joseph may well have been consoled by the memory of that heroic descent which would now be authoritatively recognized, and by the glow of those Messiahic hopes to which he was almost the sole depository. Berath, which is 15 miles distant

from Bethlehem, or possibly near Jerusalem, which is only 6 miles off. may have been the resting place of Mary and Joseph before this last stage of their journey. Others who were traveling on the same errand may have passed them on the road, and when, after toiling up the steep hillside, by David's well, they arrived at the khan-probably the very one which had been known for centuries as the House of Chinkon-covering, perhaps, the very ground on which, 1,000 years before, had stood the hereditary House of Boaz, of Jesse and of David-every room was occupied. The enrollment had drawn so many strangers to the little town that there was no room for them in the inn." In the rude limestone ghrotto attached to it as a stable, among the hay and straw spread for the food and rest of the cattle, weary with would not be permanent, and common day, January 19. Rev. C. Bruce their day's journey, far from home, in humanity would have dictated an early Meador, of Stamford, will assist in the midst of strangers, in the chilly removal of the mother and her child the services. winter night-in circumstances so to some more appropriate resting devoid of all earthly comfort or splen- place. The leagi, as we see from St. dors that it is impossible to imagine Matthew, visited Mary in "the house." a more humble nativity-Christ was

Distant but a few miles, on a little nountain, towered the palace-fortress houses of his friends and courtiers crowded around the base. The humble wayfarers, as they passed near it,

innumerable caves which abound in But the true King of the Jews-the began the real fun. the limestone rocks of its central hills. rightful Lord of the Universe-was The tots played games-drop the mas with her mother, Mrs. Matlock,

miles to the village which had been influence upon that smiling infancy. "GRAUSTARK" CARRIES the home of their great ancestor while They have painted the radiation of he was still a shepherd lad tending light from His manger-cradle illuminating all the place till the bystanders are forced to shade their eyes from at the Schick Opera House on Monday,

dawned only in a few faithful and last year. humble hearts.

How long the virgin mother and WILL BEGIN PROTRACTED Holy Child stayed in this cave, or cattle enclosure, we cannot tell, but probably it was not for long. It is probable that the crowd in the khan a meeting at Seth Ward College Sun-

CARLOAD OF SCENERY.

"Graustark" will be the attraction January 13. The United Play Com-But all this is wide of the reality. pany guarantees a perfect perform-Such glories as the shepherds saw ance in every particular. This firm were seen only by the eye of faith, sends on tour a corload of massive and all which met their gaze was a scenery. Miss Hayward, who adapted peasant of Galilee, already beyond the the book, in her desire to get the corprime of life, and a young mother with rect atmosphere, spent a summer an infant child, whom, since there kodaking through Europe, and every were none to help her, her own hands scene is a replica of Old World royal had wrapped in swaddling clothes, environment. The costumes were de-The light that shone in the darkness signed from the plates of a celebrated was no physical, but a spiritual, court costumer. No effort has been beam; the Dayspring from on high spared to make this production the which had now visited mankind one sensation of the season, as it was

MEETING AT SETH WARD.

Rev. S. A. Barnes expects to begin



"He was made human that we might be made divine."

MRS. C. W. TANDY.

of the great Herod. The magnificent PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL HAS "OLD-TIME FROLIC," moved to Kress.

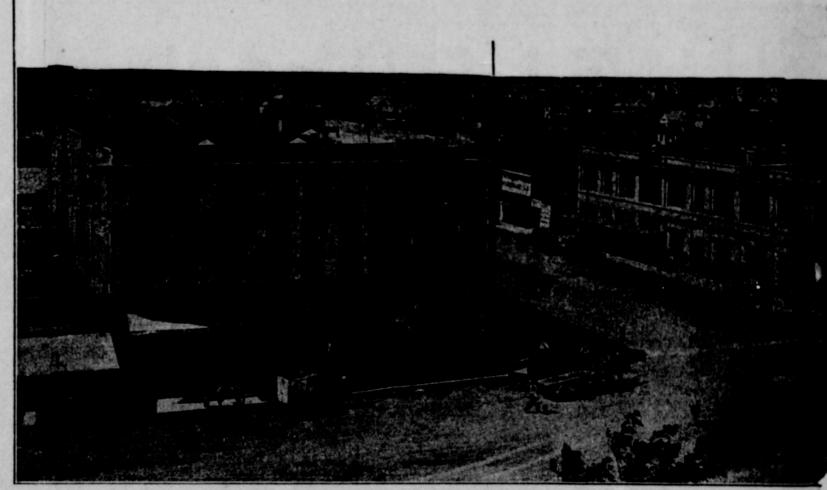
The old-time "frolic" for the Sunday shipped to California. might have heard the hired, voluptu- School of the Southern Presbyterian The school at Kress started again pens that the entire khan, or, at any ous minstrelsy with which its feasts Church held Thursday evening, at the Thursday, after New Year. celebrated, or the shouting of City Hall, was a charming success. the rough nuremoius whose arms en- More than fifty "grown-ups" and little a Chistmas tree and a big crowd. animals are housed, is one of those forced obedience to its despotic lord. folks met at an early hour, and then Mr. and Mrs. Bright Bagley returned

KRESS NEWS.

Jan. 1 .- Mr. and Mrs. Will Rousser came home Tuesday, after a Christmas visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McLain, east of Amarillo. Mr. E. Ackley and family have

Mr. Hostettler's car is loaded, to be

home Saturday, after spending Christ-



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TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS

the little town of Bethlehem, in the ress. The cattle stables of the lowly ring around the rosey-all those "WESLEY BARACA CLASS" land of Judea. Many of our writers khan was a more fitting birthplace games so dear to childish hearts. The who are most familiar with Palestine for Him who came to reveal that the and who lived less than a century soul of the greatest monarch was no after the time of our Lord, place the dearer or greater in God's sight than scene of the nativity in a cave. Over the soul of his slave; for Him who OPEN SESSION TO BEGIN this cave has risen the Church and had not where to lay His head; for Convent of the Nativity. Over the Him who from His cross of shame was altar a silver star is lit into the white to rule the world. marble, encircled by its sixteen everburning lamps and surrounded by the swings from the center of a rope hung inscription "Here was born Jesus across the entrance of the khan, the Christ of the Virgin Mary."

Joseph, the village carpenter, had ger. The fancy of poet and painter of the house and lineage of David, and ered there, and of the stars lingering they were traversing a journey of 80 beyond their time to shed their sweet

Guided by the lamp which usually shepherds made their way to the inn From this northern home, at Naze- of Bethlehem, and found Mary and reth, in the mountains of Jeoulon, Joseph and the Babe lying in a manmade his way along the wintry roads has reveled in the imaginary glories with Mary, his espoused wife. Fallen of the scene. They have sung of the as were their fortunes, they were both "bright harnessed angels" who hov-

older ones met around the fire in pleasant conversation.

"WEEK OF PRAYER."

The Ladies' Aid of Calvary Baptist Church will observe the "Week of Prayer," beginning Sunday, January 5, with an open session, at the church. The ladies will have charge of the service. The pastor will preach, 'World-Wide Missions."

The further anouncements for the week are found in the program printed in this issue of The Herald.

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TO MEET IN CITY HALL.

The young men of the M. E. Church met Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Otis Trulove, and organized a "Wesley Baraca" Class. Officers for a term of six months were elected, as follows: B. O. Brown, President.

Raymond Gibbs, Vice President. Warren Gibbs, Secretary-Treasurer. L. R. Pearson, Corresponding Sec-

The class motto is "My Brother and I." It is the aim of the class to have every young man in Plainview a member of some Sunday School.

The young men have secured a room in the City Hall, where the meetings will be held on Sunday mornings.

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from Floydada.

Miss Lizzie Ashton went to Cana-

dian Saturday. Byrd Murphy returned Tuesday

Rev. J. M. Strong went to Alva,

Okla., Thursday. Irene Ragle, of Lockney, went to

Tulia on Tuesday. J. H. Vanderslice and wife went to at Sweetwater. Happy on Thursday.

yon Friday, to be the guest of Miss Mrs. M. M. Frasier. Addie Hicks.

Margaret Powell went to Amarillo M. M. Herring, of Tahoka, Texas, was in Plainview Tuesday.

> John Arnold and wife, of Silverton, are visiting relatives here this week. College, went to Alvarado Friday, on

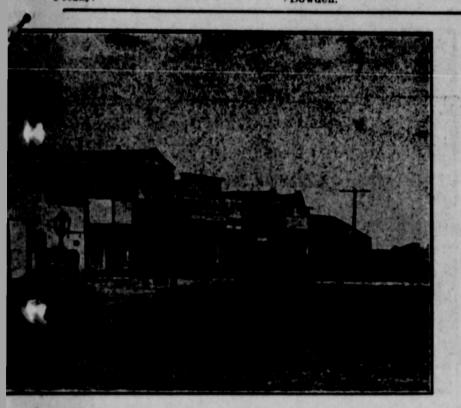
Dr. L. C. Wayland and wife returned

Tuesday from a visit to Kansas City. Mrs. Alice Prewitt, of Dallas, has Christmas with friends. been in Plainview visiting her brother,

E. D. Vaughn. Ray Ivey came home Tuesday, after at the High School building. a visit to his sister, Mrs. R. M. Wright,

Miss Gertrude Hicks went to Canter, was a guest over Sunday with J. H. McKee.

E. Dowden, Jr., and his friend John from Colorado City, where he spent Miss Myrtle Wheeler, who spent the Turner, of the Colorado School of Christmas, to his work in the school holidays visiting at the home of A. L. Mines, spent the holidays with the rom ato Seth Ward. Lankford, returned to Texico, N. M., former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.



EN THE SANTA FE RAILROAD WAS BUILT.

Mrs. W. A. Wheelock, of Lubbock. Miss Ethel Thomas returned to her is the guest for the week-end with school, near Claude, Saturday, after Mrs. Robert Tudor.

Miss Mary Tomlinson, of Tulia, spent Friday in Plainview, visiting J. E. Hooten returned Thursday to with Mrs. G. C. Keck.

Mrs. H. B. Lovett, of Pampa, who has been visiting Miss Lula Faulkner,

returned home Tuesday.

ing at the home of H. Lang. to

turned to Floydada Tuesday, from visiting at the home of J. M. Shafer Brownwood, where they had been at- and family, left Thursday for Calltending the marriage of Mrs. Matt-fornia, where they will spend the house. W. J. LOVVORN, 1115 Harp lecting Taxes. J. C. HOOPER,

Artesia, New Mexico, after spending who has been at the bedside of his some days in Plainview visiting

Mrs. C. A. Malone and the boys returned Tuesday from Abilene, where Mrs. Frederick L. Brown was host-H. H. Kuhlman and wife were in they have been visiting during the ess on Christmas Day with a delicious Plainview during the holidays, visit- holidays.

winter.

moved last week to Ochiltree, Texas.

Rev. J. P. Reynolds, of Wayland

Miss Beulah Hoyle has returned from Cone, Texas, after spending

Miss Willson returned Tuesday to resume her work in the school room

Mrs. J. D. Bedford and daughter, Marie, of Amarillo, were guests during Mrs. Joe Lee Ferguson, of Hale Cen- the holidays of Mesdames A. W. and

Prof. Schuman returned Wednesday,

F. H. Yarborough, teacher in Floydada High School, was a passenger from Amarillo Saturday, back to his work in the school room.

Miss Anna Irick came in Tuesday for a visit with home folks, before beginning the new year's work with her music class at Floydada.

Mrs. J. W. McClung, of Amarillo, returned home Saturday, after visiting Mrs. S. A. McClung, of the Olton community, during the holidays.

M. C. Finley, of Oklahoma City, who spent some days in Plainview and Lockney during the Christmas holidays, returned home Saturday.

Miss Lelia Bailey, teacher at Kirkland, returned home Friday, after spending the holidays with her brother, D. R. Bailey, at Petersburg.

A. V. Stewart, of Fort Worth, brother of Mrs. C. L. Barnes, spent Christmas Day and Thursday in Plainview, returning to Fort Worth Friday.

Charles Sargent and family, who spending the Yuletide with home were in Plainview some days visiting with Berry Sloan and family, returned home, to Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday.

> Gid Mayfield, of Briscoe County, aged father, at Four Lakes, N. M., passed through Plainview Wednesday,

dinner to J. C. Wolverton and family, Mr. Z. E. Jenkins and family and also Mrs. M. A. Colbert and son, Ed, who Mr. Jenkins' mother, and W. E. Risser

It's Every Day in the Year We Are Offering Something Unusual **Price Making**

We now have on our tables over \$500 worth of good merchandise at wholesale cost and less.

Remnants in almost everything-most all good lengths. Men's shirts (3 50c shirts for \$1.00); children's hose (sizes 5 to 8); sweater coats (men's, women's and children's); men's wool shirts, and many other articles.

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NOTICE.

HAPPY MARRIAGES

6; Abernathy, January 7; Hale Cen- health and nature. All the knowledge FOR RENT: Good eight-room ter, January 8, for the purpose of col- a young man or woman, wife or daughter should have is contained in the People's Medical Advisor, by R. V. Pierce, M. D. This big Home Doctor Hog. J. V. BOSTON, Kress, Tex. At Book, containing 1,008 pages, with engravings and colored plates, and bound in cloth (nearly 700,000 copies formerly sold for \$1.50 each), is sent FREE to any one sending 31 one-cent stamps to prepay cost of wrapping and postage. There are no conditions to this offer, and the reader must not associate this book with the advertising pamphlets prepared by quacks throughout the country. Address, 622

> McCUTCHEON'S GREAT NOVEL TO BE PLAYED AT SCHICK.

Washington St., Buffalo, N. Y.-Adv.

"Graustark," or "A Love Behind Throne," to be presented at the Schick Opera House on Monday, January 13, is a theatrical offering worthy the residence and town. Finder notity serious consideration of all classes of S. S. SLONEKER, Plainview, and retheatre patrons.

It is the product of America's most popular and successful novelist, George Barr McCutcheon, whose works for the past six years have out- Finder notify F. B. WOOD, Plainview, sold those of any other American author. It is also universally considered the best book he has written. The combined sales of his other books, "Truxton King," "Brewster's Millions," "Nedra," "Castle Craneycrow," "Beverly," "The Sherrods," "The Flyers," "The Man fromBrodney's" and "The Daughter of Anderson Crow" is not so large as the tremendous output of his great work, "Graustark."

A MISTAKE.

Some malicious person has reported FROM NEW YORK. scarlet fever at the Boone Institute. The report is false. There is not M. D. Henderson manager of the now, nor has there been, any case or

J. W. Alexander was the first citi- further development for his company There are some cases, so we are informed, about 5 blocks from the Institute, which have caused a stampede from the East Side School.

(Signed) BOONE INSTITUTE.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

All good as new and at a bargain if FOR TRADE: 1 Section of Land to

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED.

WANTED: A Duroc - Jersey Male.

FIRST - CLASS HOUSEKEEPER WANTED: Only two in family. Elderly lady preferrel. For further particulars address P. O. BOX, 744, Plainview, Texas.

WANTED: A woman for a week of ten days to do House Cleaning. WARE

LOST.

LOST: Between my home, on Grover St., and the railroad crossing, a suit case. Finder returned to Herald office and receive reward. J. S. HEAYDEN.

LOST.

Pair chain pipe tongs, between my ceive reward.

LOST: Fourteen-inch leather grip, between Plainview and Petersburg. Texas.

FOR SALE.

LAND FOR SALE BY OWNER.

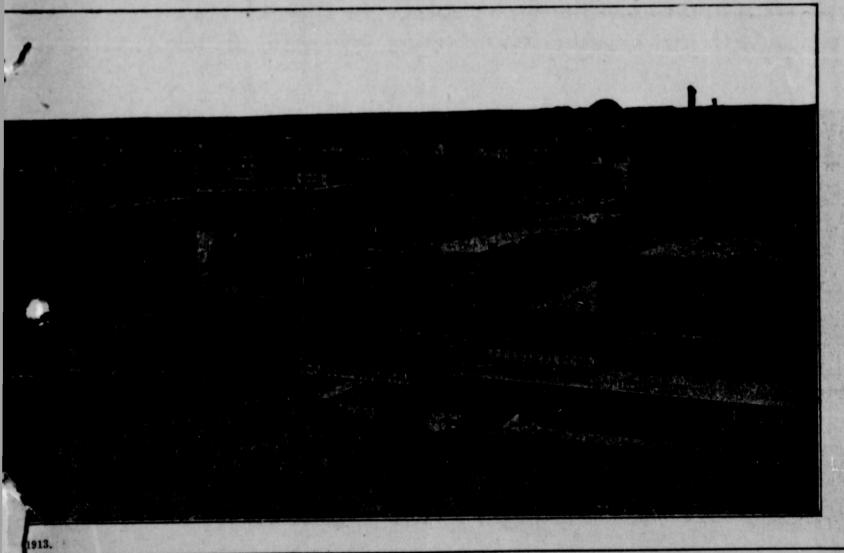
113 acres, patented; 11 miles from Hale Center, 2 miles from post office, school and church; \$1,000 cash, balance 7 years, 6 per cent interest. Also 4 lots in 6 blocks of Court House in Plainview; \$200 cash will handle. Also quarter-section two miles from Hale Center, \$21; three-fourths cash, balance one year. Y. W. HOLMES. Plainview, Texas.

FOR SALE: One-half section in Lamb County; 31/2 miles of County Seat. Will sell cheap. BOX 612, Plainview, Texas. Adv. pd.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: A nonresident owner has placed in my hands six large residence lots only five blocks from the square at a price 20 per cent less than actual worth. Will take good team of young mules, and balance long time. For particulars, see or write J. M. HUGHES, Plainview, Texas.

FOR TRADE.

sold at once. Phone 277. GEO. D. tade for good Plainview Residences. W. M. HEARN , Tulia, Texas. 3-pd.



BROWNWOOD OFFERS

Locating Committee of Odd Fellows Approves Proposition-To Spend \$75,000.

Brownwood will give land and cash totaling about \$40,000 for the new Odd Fellows' Widow and Orphans' Home, to be erected there, provided Houston in March, approves the action of the locating committee, says the centers of population. Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

of the trustees of the home at Cor- guest of Mrs. Wm. F. Meador.

\$40,000 FOR HOME. water and build a macadam road from sickness. See me. J. M. HUGHES. the city to the home, a mile and threequarters distant. The present home at Corsicana has 300 inmates and is crowded almost to capacity. It will be ratained even after the Brown-

wood home is opened. The locating cimmette refused to consider Plainview for the location the Grand Lodge, which meets at of their Home because they thought we were too far away from the old

John A. Kee, Fort Worth, chairman Oklahoma, is visiting in Plainview, the The crate waighed three pounds, and

sicana, attended the meeting at Cor- Just to remind you that you should January 1 being a holiday the reg- of our friends most sincerely for your sicana Monday, and said Tuesday get that health and accident policy istry window was closed, so that no remembrances to us Christmas, and to there is no probability of objection to before something happens. Costs only parcels were sent out the first day. wish you every one health, prosperity ten dolars a year, and pays \$5,000 for Four persons had registered "parcels and happiness during 1913.

000. Brownwood will furnish cheap loss of time from either accident or jing, the fourth being Z. T. Northcutt.

PARCELS POST FIRST.

Crate of Eggs to Swissville, Penna., "Parceled" from Plainview Early Today.

zen of Plainview to avail himself of in this territory. the new Porcels Post. Mr. Alexander sent a crate containing one dozen eggs TELEPHONE GIRLS Mrs. Edgar Brown, of Lone Wolf, to his brother in Swissville, Penna. cost 28c to send.

The new home will cost about \$75,- accidental death or \$25 per week for post packages by 9 oclock this morn-, "THE TELEPHONE GIRLS."

HENDERSON HOME

Pearson interests at this place, re- any person exposed to scarlet fever turned yesterday from a business trip in the Boone Institute. to New York, where he was in con- We are taking all precautions to ference with his chiefs with regard to prevent its coming to the Institute.

THANK THEIR FRIENDS. We take this occasion to thank all

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love to rehearse the events. Their memory re-collects the fragments of joy, good will and peace making-a memory picture of returned joys.

The Club has for some time fostered an abiding interest in library work for Plainview. Article 2 in their constitution reads: "Intellectual improvement, public library work and the erection of public library building, and civic improvement." Just recently a book case has been bought and a demolished-"all down and out."

A room in the Court House has been placed at the disposal of the Club for its meetings. The members have beautified the room with furniture and hangings. The Club meets every first and third Saturday in the month. At its latest meeting, Mrs. T. E. Richards read a much-appreciated paper on "Observance of Christmas Yesterday and Today." The latter part of the paper, "How We Observe It Today," is presented as a conclusion to the story of the past and present of the Mystic Club:

"There is one night in the year on which I am always tried. There are many such nights throughout the year, but experience has taught me that, whether at home or abroad, "on land or on sea," wherever the 24th of December finds me, I am invariably Europe much better than in that of tired; not just simply fatigued, but our Eastern States. One authority simply all used up, completely, limply states that in the dry climate 8s, a,sh demolished-"al down and out."

presents! The planning, the making statues after an exposure of 1,000 and, at the last moment, buying!-trying to make one dollar do the work of three!—until really I feel like a crust. This same scientist, however, heroine when it is all over, when I can draw a long breath and say: "The churches built partly or entirely of last one is labeled and dispatched to Norwegian calcite marble which have the express office, the last touch is given to the Christmas tree, and the last stocking is filled." Oh, what a relief, instead of a joy!

"Edwin L. Sabin, in December Lip- weathering. pincott's Magazine, says: 'In some households Christmastide has far departed from its original intention of things being equal, is probably related Peace on earth and good will to- to the degree of humidity of the atward men.' Instead of opening the mosphere and the amount of rainfall. heart with glad expectancy to hear Though weathering is due mainly to the angels sing, instead of watching carbon dioxide brought down by rain, to 'follow the star," the thoughts are it is probably due in part to nitric feverishly directed eastward, entirely, acid generated by lightning. and the heart is attuned in manner

my list! I haven't half of them pro- many country churchyards and cemevied for yet, and every one gave me teries. As the epitaphs on tombstones something last year. I do hope some and monuments give the approximate of them omit me this year, so I can dates of their erection, the amount of omit them next. Tom says we ought dissolution by weathering in a cento economize, and that we need not tury can be calculated. On a marble give each other anything; but that stone in horizontal position in the wouldn't be Christmas. Still-oh, cemetery on Burial Hill, Plymouth, dear! here are forty-five names. What am I ever going to do? The expense is perfectly scandalous. But year in vertical position is badly we must make the most of Christmas. So, let's see

"There is not much chance for 'peace' and 'good will' to permeate Wales and New England in the same this anxiety to even up in dollars and cemetery, dated 1683, 1743, 1745, 1773, cents, or to make the gift count for and 1828, have well-preserved lettermore than the giver, the matter more ing. The good state of preservation than the spirit. Christmas is not of epitaphs on slate dating back to peace; it is hard work, care, and striv- the early settlement of New England

to get, but in the matter of exchanges ing on white marbles 75 to 100 years one feels that the exchange ought to old is so far weathered that it will be a fair one. How to make it fair probably be completely effaced within is oftimes a problem that takes a 300 years of the date of cutting. It is pretty skilled mathematician to solve. also a question how long the letters One nearly always finds that he has on the marble headstones in the Najust a few dollars short of the sum tional Cemetery at Arlington, Va., will which the situation really demands.

"If a person, through kindness, region. sends, one year, at Christmas time, a donation to some acquaintance who smoke-laden atmosphere of great is unfortunate, expectations may be cities and industrial centers is hastawakened which one does not like ened not only by the action of atmosnext Christmas to disappoint. A gift pheric acids, but also by that of sulthis year paves the way for a gift next phuric acid arising from the smoke year. In this way one gets involved of railroads, factories, foundries, and in a network of obligations from steam plants where soft coal is used .which it is almost impossible to ex- United States Geological Survey. tricate one's self. And not only is this a strain upon one's mind and purse, but htink of the work it means week to Gays, Ill. to others. Did you ever stop long enough to look at the haggard faces of the girl clerks in the dry goods stores, and note the effect of the tre- Plainview Citizens Should Read and mendous strain of the holiday trade? Did you ever notice the fagged look of the men on the express wagons on Chritsmas week? Did you ever notice the tired look of the grocery boys, who have worked both night and day that everybody may have a good Christmas dinner? Did you ever notice the tired look of the housekeepers, all worn out in preparing the Christmas feast? If these things have so far escaped your observation, stop long enough to think upon them, vincing proof: and you can readily see the old story -s blessing slowly turning into a

we shall be able to spiritualize Christ- to his work. Doan's Kidney Pills mas, making it a season for the in- were procured and their use cured terchange of gifts of mind and heart, him, although other remedies had reserving the material presents for failed." coarser and less sacred seasons. May For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 the time speedily come when, at cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, Christmas time, every one who bears New York, sole agents for the United the name of Christian may, by a com- States. mon tie of love, be drawn closer to Remember the name-Doan's-and each other and closer to God. May the take no other.

time speedily come when each Christian at Christmas time may be able to say from the depths of his heart:

'If any word of mine can make My brother's face the brighter; If any deed of mine can make

My brother's load the lighter-God, help me do that deed today, Lest, wating for the morrow, My brother shall have passed away,

And mine be greater sorrow."

White Marble Subject to Dissolution and Early Effacement of Inscriptions.

BAD FOR GRAVESTONES.

Although marble is considered superior, for statuary and ornamental purposes, to many of the other stones in its ability to withstand the action of heat, cold, snow, and rain, its wearing quality is governed by four factors -its chemical composition, its texture, the general character of the climate to which it is exposed, and the local artifical conditions of the surrounding atmosphere. Both calcite and domolite marble are soluble in carbonic acid, which is brought down from the atmosphere in every drop of rain water.

It is generally known that carvings in European marbles will stand exposure in the climate of Southern states that in the dry atmosphere of "Barring the dinner-there are the Egypt, Greece, and Italy, marble years lose some of their fine lines but become coated with a fine protective refers to a number of Norwegian stood six or seven hundred years exposed to the raw, wind, and cold climate of Northern and Western Norway with but very little, if any,

Rain Has Solvent Effect.

The amount of weathering, other

The effect on white marble of such a climate as that of New England, out-"''Oh, dear! Forty-five names upon side of the cities, can be observed in Mass., dated 1825, the lettering is almost effaced, and one of the same weathered.

Slate Stones More Durable.

But slate stones from England, is noticeable in many other cemeteries. "One does not exactly give in order Generally, in New England, the letterstand the humid atmosphere of that

The weathering of marble in the

J. W. Angell and family moved this

DON'T BE MISLED.

Heed This Advice.

Kidney trouble is dangerous and

often fatal. Don't experiment with something

new and untriel.

Use a tested kidney remedy. Begin with Doan's Kidney Pills, Used in kidney troubles 50 years.

Recommended here and every-

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Washington, D. C .- About nine farms in every hundred in Texas reported bees when the Thirteenth Federal Census, just issued, was compiled. While the number of farms reporting bees have decreased from 60,-043, in 1900, to 37,881, in 1910, or 36.9 held in Lamb County on the 20th show per cent, the average value of bees that Curl was elected county judge per farm reporting was \$12.48 in 1900 over Miller by a majority of eight and 17.83 in 1910, showing an increase in valuation of \$5.35 per farm.

The number of colonies of bees decreased from 392,644 to 238,107, or 39.4 per cent, and their value decreased from \$749,483 to \$675,327, or 9.9 per cent. Although 37,881 farms reported 238,107 colonies of bees on hand April 15, 1910, 20,749 of these farms, with 81,387 colonies on hand on the same date made no report of honey or wax produced in 1909. The actual returns show the production of 3,093,097 pounds of honey, valued at \$308,488, and 58,402 pounds of wax, valued at \$14,310.

DR. McCLENDON MEMBER OF NATIONAL HEALTH COMMITTEE.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 24.-Dr. M. M. Carrick, Texas member of the National Legislative Council of the American Town Contest, announces the appoint- Engineer. ment of Dr. E. F. McClendon as a member of the National Auxiliary County.

on to deal with public health problems, Dr. Carrick stated that he thought it advisabe in making his selections to give special attention to the knowledge of and interest in public health matters.

"GRAUSTARK" COMING.

George Barr McCutcheon's Great Novel Is Gorgeous Scenic Production.

"Graustark," the dmamatization by Grace Hayward of George Barr Mc-Cutcheon's novel of the same title, comes to the Schick Opera House on Monday, January 13. This is one of the big theatrical successes of years. The play teems with heart interest. All its absorbing situations revolve around the love affairs of the Princess Yetive, of "Graustark," and Grenfall Lorry, a wealthy, dashing, handsome young American. The young lover is falsely accused of having slain a rival. throne is tottering, when Anguish, R. A. Long's Drug Store. -Adv. 4 Lorry's artist friend, shrewdly guesses he man and wins a confession by run ning his tsrong American bluff.

The abduction of a Princess, the murder of a Prince, the escape and re-appearance of the falsely-accused lover and his final acceptance by Princess Yetive and her people, are feato their liking.

> Scenically, it is a marvel of that sary property for the station site. art. The hotel, boudoir and throne room are gorgeously artistic, conveying ideas of court splendor which are Texas onion wider publicity outside rounded out by the costumes of the the State, the Texas Truck Growers' players, each being exactly suited to Association at a recent meeting the requirement of the play. Nothing adopted a "sticker" to be used in sealis lacking in the lavish equipments ing on the back of envelopes, which of this spectacular, romantic and quite reads "Eat Texas Bermuda Onions, consistent play.

The artists engaged in the interpretation of the different characters are thoroughly fitted for the parts Home Industry" is being followed by they are portraying, each having been the State, as a car of mules was recarefully selected for their capabili- cently purchased by the State Prison

"Graustark" should prove the biggest dramatic treat of the season .-

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Special Election in Lamb County Re- | ture. sults in Defeat of Former Officer

by Eight Votes.

Littlefield, Texas, Dec. 23 .- Complete returns from the special election votes. No primary was held in Lamb County, and at the general election Miller, the former judge, and Curl tied. Hence this special election.-Amarillo News.

TERRELL FAVORS STATE

a State Highway Department has been Year. drafted by Senator H. B. Terrell, of West, which he proposes to introduce in the coming session of the Senate. Provision is made for a State Highway Engineer, his duties and compen-Highway Fund.

The proposed act provides for a nonsalaried State Highway Commission composed of five members whose Medical Association and medical di- headquarters would be in Austin, who rector in charge of Holland's Cleanest would employ a competent Highway

He would be required to make a general highway plan of the State, Legislative Committee of the Ameri- gathering data relative to mileage, can Medical Association for Hale character and condition and other details concerning highways of the dif-As the Council is constantly called ferent counties of the State, and es- Texas" contest, each having a per cent tablish standards for the construction of \$9.5. of highways which must be met in the plans and specifications of proposed county road construction before any Commissioners' Court could use funds that over 5,000 acres will be planted derived from the sale of bonds for to fruit and vegetables in this vicinity constructive purposes.

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TEXAS INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Dallas.-Representatives of all the railroads entering this city voted to issue \$5,000,000 worth of bonds for tures of gripping interest which makes the purpose of erecting a Union Terthe play so successful. It unfolds a minal at the foot of Commerce Street, story of love behind a throne in a de- for which preliminary plans have been lightful manner, without sacrificing made. Harvis Hunter, of Chicago, any of the intense interest. Roman- was employed as the architect, and it tically-inclined persons find the play is understood that deals have been closed for practically all of the neces-

> Crystal City.-In order to give the Association Brand."

Fort Worth.—The slogan "Patronize Board from the Fort Worth horse and mule market for use on the prison plantations. Two cars of Texas mules were recently purchased by Uncle Sam, who shipped them to the Panama Canal Zone for work on the big

Palestine.-A plot of ground valued at \$10,000 will be offered as a bonus to any person or company who will build a first-class hotel in this city.

Bay City.-A movement is under way here for a bond issue sufficient culation is poor, the blood thin and to shell 300 miles of roads in this county.

Galveston.—Local business men have pledged a sum of \$45,000 toward the organization of a \$100,000 corporasues and replace weakness with tion for the purpose of manufacturing automobiles in this city. The Industem against colds and thus prevents tries Committee of the Commercial Association has endorsed the project A grandneice of Alexander Hamil- and will recommend that \$25,000 be

College Station.—The best agricultural speakers obtainable have been secured to give lectures in connection with the annual short course in agriculture at the Agricultural and Mechanical College here from January strength, we will return your money. 6th to 19th, inclusive. Among the speakers are Hon. Peter Radford, manager of the Farm Life Commis-

sion; Judge Sam Lindsey, chairman rection of the road just completed. Ed R. Kone, Commissioner of Agricul-

Dallas.-The entire remaining issue of \$525,000 city bonds of the \$1,025,000 voted last spring have been sold to the Dallas Trust and Savings Bank. The amount of the bonds is divided as follows: \$100,000 City Hall Building, \$125,000 fire station building, \$200,000 schol house bonds, and \$100,000 sanitary sewer bonds.

Corpus Christi.-Bids have been rectors. opened for the new \$15,000 depot to be erected by the San Antonio and Aransas Pass Railway, and also for . HIGHWAY COMMISSION. the new building of the Wells Fargo Express Company, which will cost Austin, Texas.-A bill dealing with \$9,000. Work on the two structures the establishment and maintenance of will commence shortly after New

Pecos.-The A. J. Anderson farm of 1,000 acres and the C. C. Kountz farm of 3,840 acres, both in the Toyah Valley, were purchased by the Mount sation, and also for creating a fund Castle Irigation Company, at a price by the license of automobiles and said to be \$40 per acre. The acreage motorcycles to constitute a State will be developed under irrigation along with other land in Reeves County owned by this company.

> Lockney.-An organized effort is under way here to secure the extension of the Altus, Lubbock & Roswell Railway. A bonus will be raised and offered the promoters of the line.

Brownwood.-Brownwood, Gaines ville and Hillsboro are all tied for first place in the "cleanest-town-in-

Palestine. - Reports from truck growers in Anderson County indicate next season.

Gainesville.—Thirteen of the sixteen miles of gravel roads have been completed in Precinct Number 1, Cooke County, and when the remainder is view's talented and appreciated musi- inspected and passed upon by the encians, left Saturday for Florence, gineer and Commissioners' Court Alabama, where she has accepted a there will have been spent \$52,000 on position as director of piano and voice this stretch of the good roadway, averaging \$3,260 per mile in cost. The citizens in the vicinity of the Sivells Bend road are raising a \$10,000 fund to extend the road twenty-our miles north of the Gainesville precinct line.

> Brownfield .- Terry County has just completed a stretch of roadway thirty miles long which runs across the county, and preparations are being

JUDGE OVER MILLER, Farm Life Commission, and Hon. The county has purchased scrapers and a road plow, which are being loaned to small communities without

> Houston.-The Allison-Richey Land Company of this city has filed an amendment increasing its capital stock from \$50,000 to \$500,000. Officers of the company are: W. R. Allisen, president; E. S. Allison, vice president; C. J. Brice, secretary; J. J. Scholl, treasurer, and J. L. Allison, W. E. Richey and R. H. Allison, di-

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Miss Minerva

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(Continued from last week.)

eaving a little brown river on her

fresh white tablecloth. "Wait until ask a blessing; then L will help you

Billy enjoyed his breakfast very

began; catching his aunt's eye he cor-

rected himself: "These muffins am

"Did you ever eat any bobbycued rabbit?" he asked. "Me an' Wilkes

Booth Lincoln been eatin' chit'lins, an'

sweet 'taters, an' 'possum, an' squir-

rel, an' hoe-cake, an' Brunswick stew

ever sence we's born," was his proud

'and don't fill your mouth so full."

"Use your napkin," commanded she,

The little boy flooded his plate with

"These-here 'lasses sho' is-" he be-

he must be more particular in his

"These-here sho' is-am-are a nice

messer'lasses. I ain't never eat sech

a good bait. They sho' is-I aimed to

say-these 'lasses sho' are a bird;

they's 'nother sight tastier'n sorghum.

an' Aunt Cindy 'lows that sorghum is

"I must be very patient,"

thought, "and go very slowly. I must

After breakfast Miss Minerva, who

would not keep a servant, preferring

to do her own work, tied a big cook-

apron around the little boy's neck, and

told him to churn while she washed

the dishes. This arrangement did not

ly; "me an' Wilkes Booth Lincoln don'

ever have to churn sence we's born;

mitted to his fate, clutched the dasher

As he thought of Wilkes Booth Lin-

coln the big tears came into his eyes

and rolled down his cheeks; he leaned way over the churn and the great glis-

tening tears splashed right into the

hole made for the dasher, and rolled

Billy grew interested at once and

laughed aloud; he puckered up his

and he couldn't squeeze another one

ously. "I done ruint yo' buttermilk."

"Aunt Minerva." he said mischiev-

"What have you done?" she in-

"It's done ruint," he replied, "you'll

"Why did you cry?" asked Miss Mi-

"Yes'm, I jes' loves to work; I wish

"Churn on!" she commanded un-

He grabbed the dasher and churned

"I reckon the butter's done come,"

"It hasn't begun to come yet," re-

he announced, resting from his labors.

plied the exasperated woman. "Don't

The child churned in silence for the

space of two minutes, and suggested:

"It's time to put hot water in it; Aunt

Cindy always puts hot water in it.

"I never put hot water in my milk,"

Again there was a brief silence,

broken only by the sound of the

dasher thumping against the bottom

of the churn, and the rattle of the

"I sho' is tired," he presently re-

marked, heaving a deep sigh. "My

arms is 'bout give out, Aunt Minerva.

Ole Aunt Blue-Gum Tempy's Peruny

Pearline see a man churn with his

toes; lemme git a chair an' see if I

"Indeed you shall not," responded

"Sanctified Sophy knowed a colored

'oman what had a little dog went

roun' an' roun' an' churn fer her," re-

marked Billy after a short pause. "If

you had a billy boat or a little nanny I could hitch him to the churn fer you

"William," commanded his aunt,

can't churn with my toes."

ev'ry day."

his annoyed relative positively.

said she, "it makes the butter puffy.

Work more and talk less, William."

waste so much time. William."

Lemme git some fer you."

I had time to work all the time. But

it makes my belly ache to churn-I

got a awful pain right now."

vigorously for one minute.

sympathetically.

nerva calmly. "Don't you like to

hafter th'ow it away; 'tain't fitten fer nothin.' I done cried 'bout a bucket-

out of his eyes.

ful in it.

angrily, and began his weary work.

did not witness his disgrace.

omans has to churn an' I ain't a-going

Boys don't churn," he said sullen-

not expect too much of him at first."

the very penurity of a nigger.' She did not again correct him.

speech, he stammered out:

"These muffins are very good," said

"These muffins sho' is-" he

to what you want."

Miss Minerva patiently.

very good.

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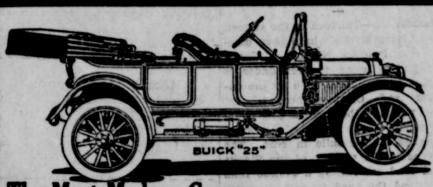
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have finished your work." "Can I sing?" he asked.

She nodded permission as she went

Returning a few minutes later she found him sitting astride the churn,

"He'll feed you when you's naked, The orphan's tear he'll dry, He'll clothe you when you's hongry An' take you when you die." Miss Minerva jerked him off with

no gentle hand. "What I done now?" asked the boy innocently. "'Tain't no harm as I can see jes' to straddle a churn."

"Go out in the front yard," manded his aunt, "and sit in the swing liam," she called after him, "there is Listen to me and try to speak more "Don't! don't!" she screamed as he do with him as possible." helped himself to the meat and gravy.

CHAPTER IV.

Sweetheart and Partner.

"I am going uptown, William," she said. "I want to buy you some things that you may go with me to church Sunday. Have you ever been to Sunday school?

"Naw'm; but I been to pertracted see Sanctified Sophy shout tell she tore ev'y rag offer her back 'ceptin' a shimmy. She's one 'oman who sho' is got 'ligion; she ain't never backslid 'tall, an' she ain't never fell f'om grace but one time-

"Stay right in the yard till I come back. Sit in the swing and don't go outside the front yard. I shan't be gan, but instantly remembering that gone long," said Miss Minerva.

> His aunt had hardly left the gate before Billy caught sight of a round, fat little face peering at him through the palings which separated Miss Minerva's yard from that of her nextdoor neighbor.

> bad little boy what can't play with "What you doing in Miss Minerva's

yard?" came the answering interrogation across the fence "I's come to live with her," replied

Billy. "My mamma an' papa is dead. What's yo' name?" "I'm Jimmy Garner. How old are you? I'm most six, I am."

"Shucks, I's already six, a-going on seven. Come on, le's swing." "Can't," said the new acquaintance "I've runned off once today, and got

licked for it." "I ain't never got no whippin' sence me an' Wilkes Booth Lincoln's born,"

Major Minerva-he ain't never churn," he began belligerently, but his "Ain't you?" asked Jimmy. "I 'spec' relative turned an uncompromising I been whipped more'n a million times, and rather perturbed back upon him. Realizing that he was beaten, he sub-She's bout the pertic-larest woman He was glad his little black friend bout half a minute."

lawn-swing.

"Who lives over there?" asked Billy, pointing to the house across the

"That's Miss Cecilia's house. That's face and tried to weep again, for he her coming out of the front gate now." The young lady smiled and waved wanted more tears to fall into the her hand at them. churn; but the tears refused to come

> "Ain't she a peach?" asked Jimmy. She's my sweetheart and she is 'bout the swellest sweetheart they is." "She's mine, too," promptly replied

Billy, who had fallen in love at first sight. "I's a-goin' to have her fer my "Naw, she ain't yours, neither; she's

mine," angrily declared the other little boy, kicking his rival's legs. "You all time talking bout you going to have Miss Cecilia for your sweetheart. payment for a certain tract of land, She's done already promised me."

"I'll tell you what," proposed Billy, "lemme have her an' you can have Aunt Minerva.'

"I wouldn't have Miss Minerva to save your life," replied Jimmy disrespectfully, "her nake ain't no bigger'n to said F. E. Brown and Eulies B. that," making a circle of his thumb Smith, Defendants herein, by Crawand forefinger. "Miss Cecilia, Miss ford Lang and wife, and to secure the Cecilia," he shricked tantalizingly, "is my sweetheart."

"I' betcher I have her fer a sweetheart soon as ever I see her," said

"What's your name?" asked Jimmy presently. "Aunt Minerva says it's William

Billy," responded the little boy. "Ain't God a nice, good old man," remarked Billy, after they had swung in silence for a while, with an evident desire to make talk.

"That he is," replied Jimmy, enthusiastically. "He's bout the forgivingest person ever was. I just couldn't make no differ'nce what you do or how many times you run off, all you got to do is just ask God to forgive you and tell him you're sorry and ain't going to do so no more, that night when you say your prayers, and it's all right with God. S'posing he was one of these wants-his-own-way kind mans, he could make hi'self the troublesomest person ever was, and little boys couldn't do nothing a tall. I sure think a heap of God. He ain't never give me the worst of it yet." "I wonder what he looks like,"

mused Billy.
(To be continued.)

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called Plaintiff, and complaining of ants' failure to pay the first of said

Defendant F. E. Brown resides in evidenced by said notes has never been Potter County, Texas, and that the paid, and the Defendants, though

Smith is unknown. 2nd. That heretofore, to-wit, on or part thereof, and still refuse to pay "Hello!" shouted Billy. "Is you the about the 16th day of February, 1911, said notes or any part thereof, and Defendants made, executed and de- the same remains unpaid to the damlivered to Crawford Lang their three age of this Plaintiff in the sum of (3) Certain Promissory Vendor's Lien Six Hundred (\$600.00) Dollars. Notes in writing, two of said Notes 7th. That because of the failure of being for the principal sum of One Defendants to pay said notes when Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars each, and due, Plaintiff was forced to place said one of said Notes being for the prin- notes in the hands of Charles Clemcipal sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) et.ts, a licensed attorney at law, for Dollars, each and all of said notes collection, and that it was necessary bearing date February 16th, 1911, and that suit be filed on same, and that due and payable One (1), Two (2) and the Plaintiff has contracted to pay Three (3) Years from March 1st, 1911, said Charles Clements for his services each respectively payable to the order in collecting said notes a sum of of Crawford Lang, each of said notes money equal to the 10 per cent attordrawing interest from March 1st, ney's fees provided for in said notes, 19:1, until maturity at the rate of 8 and that said sum provided for in said per cent per annum, and after matur-ity until paid at the rate of 10 per ices in collecting said notes. cent per annum until paid, interest 8th. Wherefore, premises considpayable annually as it accrues; and ered, Plaintiff prays the Court that ever was; she don't 'low me to leave both principal and interest of said the Defendants be cited to appear in the yard 'thout I get a whipping. I and each of said notes providing that the have judgment for his debt. Suiting the action to the word all past due interest on this note interest, attorney's fees, and costs of Jimmy climbed the fence, and the two shall bear interest from the maturity suit, and for a foreclosure of his tien little boys were soon comfortably thereof until paid at the rate of 10 on the above described property and settled facing each other in the big per cent per annum. And each of premises, and that the same be desaid notes providing that a failure to creed to be sold according to law, and pay this note at its maturity, or any installment of interest thereon when due, shall at the option of the holders of them mature all notes given by the maker hereof to the payee herein on this date, in part payment for this land, and also providing that if this note is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or for the purpose of securing the same, or if col- said Court, at office, in Plainview, lected through the Probate Courts, I. Texas, this, the 27th day of November. the makers of said notes, agree to pay A. D. 1912. a further and additional sum of ten (SEAL) per cent on the amount due as attorncy's fees; and providing further that By W. H. BOX, Deputy. each of said notes are given in part situated in Hale County, Texas, and described as all of Lots Nos. One, Two. Three, Four and Five, in Block No. Ten (10), Nob Hill Addition to the

Green Hill, but 'tain't, it's jest prain Defendants, Eulies B. Smith and F. E. 3rd. That each and all of said notes were in fact given in part payment for the property described in said notes, to-wit, all of Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Nob Hill Addition to the town of Plainview, Hale County, get 'long at all 'thout him. It don't Texas, and that said property was by deed in writing of same date of notes conveyed to defendants, in consideration, among other things, of the Three Notes herein described, and that in said conveyance a vendor's lien was retained and reserved against the said described property to secure the payment of said notes according to the tenor thereof.

4th. That by virtue of said notes
Defendants herein promised and
agreed and became duty bound to pay
to Plaintiff herein the sum of moneys
in said notes stipulated and specified,
together with all interest and attorney's fees thereon according to the
tenor and effect thereof; and that by

VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.

By E. O. Tenson, Pre deat.

THE TEXAS AND GULF RAILWAY COMPANY
COMPANY OF TEXAS.

BEAUMONT WHAFF AND INTERSTATE RAILWAY
COMPANY OF TEXAS.

BEAUMONT WHAFF AND TERMINAL COMPANY
By E. P. RIPLEY, President.

THE PECOS AND NORTHERN TEXAS
RAILWAY COMPANY,
By E. P. RIPLEY, President. 4th. That by virtue of said notes

LADIES' AID BEAUTIFYING PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Southern Presbyterian Church is beautifying the interior of their house of worship. Just recently they have put down new carpets, stained and waxed the pews and painted the ceiling and walls of the building.

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has a valid and subsisting lien upon

5th. That each and all of said notes in said Court, on the 25th day of No- have been transferred and delivered vember, A. D. 1912, in a suit numbered in due course of trade by the said on the docket of said Court No. 925, Crawford Lang to the Plaintiff, P. F. Billy was sitting quietly in the big wherein P. F. Bryan is plaintiff and Bryan, and that the said Plaintiff is lawn-swing when his aunt, dressed for F. E. Brewn and Eulies B. Smith are now the legal and equitable owner the street, finally came through the defendants; the nature of the plain- and holder of said notes, and said tiff's demand being as follows, to-wit: vendor's lien. 6th. That the first of said notes is

now long past due and unpaid, and In the District Court of Hale County, that the interest on each and all of said notes is now long past due and unpaid, and the Plaintiff herein has meetin'," came the ready response. "I To the Honorable L. S. Kinder, Judge elected and does hereby elect and declare each and all of said notes ma-Now comes P. F. Bryan, hereinafter tured and due, an account of Defend-F. E. Brown and Eulies B. Smith, notes when it was due and failure to hereinafter called Defendants, re- pay the interest on said notes when spectfully shows to the Court as fol- due, according to the tenor of said notes, and therefore Alleges that each 1st. That the Plaintiff herein re- and all of said notes are due and paysides in Hale County, Texas, and that lable, and that the purchase money residence of Defendant Eulies B often requested, have hitherto failed and refused to pay said notes, or any

for such other and further relief. special and general, in law and equity, that he may be justly entitled to, etc.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of

B. H. TOWERY, Clerk District Court, Hale County, Texas.

Town of Plainview, Texas, conveyed payment of said notes herein sued upon according to their tenor and effect, a vendor's lien is retained in said conveyance and is expressly acknowledged and also retained in said

officers of the Guif, Colorado and Santa Fe Raiway Company of said rairoad between Coleman and Sweetwater.

The undersigned will apply to the Legislature of Texas, which convenes in January, 1913, for the passage of an act or acts authorizing the Guif, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by The Concho, San Saba and Llano Valley Railroad Company, and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by The Texas and Guif Railway Company, and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by The Guif and Interstate Railway Company of Texas and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by The Guif and Interstate Railway Company of Texas and to purchase or leases the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by the Beaumont Wharf and Terminal Company, such lease or leases, if executed, to include the branches and extensions of such railroads, and each of them, that may be thereafter constructed; also authorizing the Guif, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company to lease the railroad of The Pecos and Northern Texas Railway Company extending from Coleman to Sweetwater, Texas, or in the alternative to authorize The Pecos and Northern Texas Railway Company to the operation by the officers of the Guif, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company for the operation by the officers of the Guif, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company of said Railroad, for account of The Pucos and Northern Texas Railway Company.

By E. P. Ripley, President.

THE CONCHO, SAN SABA AND LLANO VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY,

By E. P. Ripley, President.

THE TEXAS AND GULF RAILWAY COM-PANY,

By B. O. Tennson, Pre dent. deed of conveyance. Each and all of said notes were executed by the said

SUFFRAGETTE "ARMY" TAKES N. Y. CAPITAL

"General" Jones and Followers Hike o Albany from Metropolis in 12 Days; 174 Miles.

band, commanded by "General" Rosa- chronicle of construction for the year. Grading completed. lie Jones, ended in Albany Saturday Sibyl Wilbur.

"General" Jones claims the distance covered was 174 miles. The pilgrims paraded the capital grounds. Their purpose is to deliver a message to Governor-elect Sulzer and a campaign on "votes for women."

TEXAS MULES TO COSTA RICA.

Stability of Texas Product Makes Him Popular with Banana Growers.

COCHRANE'S **STUDIO**



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TEXAS RAILWAY

(Continued from Page One.) ward the border under the encouragement of banuses. The filling in of a The long hike of the suffragette few gaps by the Frisco completes the

"The blank portions of the map afternoon. Of the twenty-eight "Pil- make a more powerful appeal for an grims" who started out from New amendment to our stock and bond law York City twelve days before, only than the pens of our writers, the elofive finished the march. These were quence of our orators or the logic "General" Jones, "Surgeon General" of our foremost thinkers, and when Livinia Dock, "Colonel" Ida Craft, compared with our necessitiees, it "Corporal" M. N. Stiles and "Private" presents mute evidence of squalid

Railroadless Counties.

"We have thirty-two counties that have no railroads and ten counties that have less than fifteen miles of A drove of 200 selected mules have cent during the past decade. The the club of the expense of maintaining been purchased from West Texas mule combined area of these counties is the room, although they left the manraisers, according to a Galveston dis- equal to that of the State of Ohio, and agement of it with them. patch, and have been shipped to Port as fertile farm lands as can be found Limon, Costa Rica. At a later date in the United States is contained in floor apartment with ample toilet 100 more will be shipped to another their borders. The combined popula- complement, and is open during store tion of these counties is 111,800, the The mule makes the best carrier total assessed value of all property is for bunches of fruit from the planta- \$120,000,000 and the annual farm pro- a farmer coming to town to drive to tions to shipping yards. The stability duction has a total value of approxi- the rest room and let the women of and reliability of the Texas mule has mately \$10,000,000. McMullin is the the family alight and then care for his given him popularity over native ani- only county that heard the whistle of a locomotive for the first time during women make the rest room their head-

"The counties without a single mile of railroad track are Andrews, Bailey, Bandera, Blanco, Borden, Briscoe, Cochran, Crane, Crockett, Edwards, Gillespie, Gaines, Glasscock, Hansford, Hockley, Hutchinson, Kimble, King, Lamb, Live Oak, Loving, Mason, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Schleicher, Somervell, Sutton, Terry, Throckmorton, Yoakum and Zapata.

"The ten counties that have less than fifteen miles of railroad are Aransas, Castro, Dickens, Franklin, ESCAPED AFTER FIFTEEN YEARS. Lipscomb, Martin, Rockwall, Starr, Stephens and Sterling.

Other Construction Work.

follows: Name of line and terminals-Gulf, Texas & Western, Jacks-

Quanah, Acme & Pacific-Pa-

boro-Salesville 24

ducah-Roaring Springs ... 35 Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe-Coleman-Texico 89 Houston & Texas Central-Stone City-Giddings 40 36

A-Length of proposed line. B-

"Steel for the Gulf, Texas & Western is on the grade and line is to be completed early in the year."

WOMAN'S REST ROOM IS COUNTRY TRADE MAGNET.

Wisconsin Community Finds Club Project an Excellent Investment.

Luverne, Minn., Dec. 7.-A women's railroad. Thirty-six of these counties rest room to be open at all reasonable are in West Texas, while four are in hours was started in this town by the the eastern section of the State. The Ladics' Tourist Club as an act of mermajority of them have witnessed a cy toward their country sisters who remarkable growth during the past were compelled to spend a good many few years without the aid of the rail- hours in town while their husbands road. Five of them show a decrease were engaged in business. After the in population, while thirty-five have rest rooms had been opened a year increased from 2 per cent to 7,700 per the merchants were glad to relieve

business hours, and on special occasions much later. The rule now is for horses and go about his business. The quarters and meet the wagon there on the hour appointed for going home.

A matron is in charge of the room and soaps and towels are furnished. A retiring room is supplied with cots, and permission to use these is gained from the matron. After the farm women became accustomed to the use of the room many of them insisted on donating toward its maintenance.-St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

W. P. Broyles made a successful escape after fifteen years of suffering "There are four other lines under from kidney and bladder troubles. construction at the present time, as Foley Kidney Pitls released him and will do just the same for others. He says: "They cured a most severe A. B. backache with painful bladder irregularities, and they do all you claim 24 for them." Refuse substitutes. R. A. Long's Drug Store. -Adv. 4

OUR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION

Resolved---

First: That we express as publicly as we can our thanks for the splendid business

we have received during the past year. That we will do everything within our Second: power to increase our business this year, and we cannot successfully do this unless we secure your patronage.

Third: That we will keep our stock in an Up-To-Date condition and the treatment ac-

corded you at our store will be the most courteous. Fourth:

That none but competent help will be employed, and our Prescription Department will always be presided over by experienced Registered Pharmacists.

That all articles purchased from us not Fifth: proving satisfactory will be gladly exchanged or the money refunded.

That our hopes of adding you to our large list of pleased customers shall not fail to materialize through any fault of ours, and that we will be more than pleased to be of even the least service to you throughout the year.

DUNCAN'S PHARMACY

Maybe You Have a Piano

Then why not help someone win this one free, by buying your needs at this store. You get votes with every cash purchase.



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Standing of Contests will be published each week in the HALE COUNTY HERALD. Be sure and ask for your Piano Votes.

Phone R. A. Long Drug Co.

Community Correspondence _____

Messrs. H. C. and A. J. Beckner are pending the holidays with their parents, at Cloud Chief, Okla.

The stork, as well as Santa Claus, Eby Christmas morning, and left a bouncing baby boy.

Prof. E. E. Brown went to East Texas to spend his vacation, but, Fort Worth. since leaving, has sent in his resignation as principal of the schools

Mis Mollie Phillips, our primary teacher, is spending the holidays with

her mother, at Lockney. H. M. Packard was bruised and hurt considerably when his horse ran away with him one day last week.

Mrs. S. G. Moore, Harold and Helen left Tuesday for Knoxville, Iowa, where they expect to reside in the future. Mr. Moore will soon follow, with his car of stock and household goods. Mr. and Mrs. Moore have been efficient workers in the church while here, and their ready help and cheery smiles will be missed by all who knew them. We feel that our loss in giving up this estimable family will be Knoxville's gain.

Mr. and Mrs. Sias Greenfield, of Milo, Iowa, came in last week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Silcott. Ezra Silcott, who has been in Iowa for some time, came down with them to spend Christmas with his parents.

Gerald Craig, of Waco, is sepnding the holidays with his parents, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Curl. A friend of Mr. Craig accompanied him home, spent Christmas and returned to Waco the following Thursday.

Miss Prudence Bower is spending the holidays with her parents, south of Olton.

Miss Dorothy Foley, of Plainview, s visiting friends in and near Olton. District Court conevened Monday, December 23, but adjourned for the holidays, to meet again on January 2, 1913.

Miss Fannie Mae Pugh, who is atending school in Plainview, spent Mrs. W. W. Pugh.

Wednesday, returning the latter part of the week with his family, who have been spending a few weeks with relatives there.

Mrs. D. C. Yauger and daughter visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fleta, are visiting relatives in Fort Worth and Waxahachie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sullivan are visiting relatives at Pilot Point and

Mr. Guy Willis is visiting friends in Fluvanna, Texas.

WEST SIDE.

The Christmas tree at this place was well attended. Several from Olton were present. An interesting program was delivered by the children of the school.

D. M. Green, our teacher, spent his vacation visiting relatives in Terry

Cleve Phillips spent Christmas with relatives in DeLeon.

Rev. Recknagel held Christmas services at the home of Mr. Rueter. Quite a number were present.

Mr. Keller visited with Dean Colony Christmas.

holiday. Messrs. Colony, Chilton, Severs and

their families took Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. Cornelius. nieces of Mr. Colony, left Monday for

their home, in Illinois. Mr. Homan made a business trip to Plainview Friday.

Mr. Jim Phillips sold a nice bunch of calves Saturday.

Mr. Chilton and family Sunday. Messrs. Cornelius, Douthit, Phillips and Hooper dipped cattle the first of

A number of people from here attended the sale Tuesday up near Kress.

\$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be Christmas with her parents, Mr. and pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has Mr. J. S. Daugherty, moved his been able to cure in all its stages, and By W. H. BOX, Deputy. house from a lot in town to his farm that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure west of Olton on Tuesday of this is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Cartarrh being a

constitutional disease, stitutional treatment. Hall's Catarry, Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for con-

MISS SHROPSHIRE TO TEACH IN "C. I. A." AT DENTON.

Miss Ruth Shropshire went to Denton, Texas, Friday, where she has accepted a position as assistant teacher in the College of Industrial Arts.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hale County-GREETING:

G. L. Bruner, administrator of the estate of Susan Ross Bruner, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the estate of said Susan Ross Bruner, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded that, by Publication of Misses Lela and Nevia Stanfield, this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Hale, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, of any they have, on or before the January Term, Mr. Klinegast and family visited 1913, of said County Court, commencing the 13th day of January, A. D. 1913, in the Town of Plainview, when said account and application will be considered by said Court.

WITNESS B. H. Towery, Clerk of the County Court of Hale County. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT, at my office,

in the Town of Plainview, this the 18th day of December, A. D. 1912. B. H. TOWERY,

Clerk of County Court, Hale County, Texas.

A true copy, I certify: J. C. HOOPER, Sheriff, Hale County, Texas

Social Happenings

"REWARD" PARTY GIVEN TO CALVARY PHILATHEAS.

Tandy, on Friday evening.

The compliment took the form of an Hughes. "at tea" and "slumber party." After tes the young ladies, with Mrs. Tandy, MRS. OTTO ENTERTAINS attended choir service at the church. As a surprise to the young ladies, Mrs. Tandy had the same number of young men to join in the "fun" on Oklahoma City, won the highest num- "500" table.

them goodnight.

AN EVENING OF MUSIC AND GAMES FOR BIRDSLEY BARKER.

Honoring Birdsley Barker, of Ama-boys. rillo, who is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. MRS. LINDSAY GIVES Barker, on Slaton St., the Barker brothers, together with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Barker, gave a pleas-

heimer and Miss Mildred Buchheimer, used profusely in the rooms. Misses Hattie Clements, Lucile Kinder, A delicious three-course dinner was Mrs. H. C. Randolph presided at the Barrett, Chas. Thatcher, Will Palmer Harp and Effie Casey. and the Barker brothers.

MISS CASEY ENTERTAINS FOR HAROLD AND CASEY HUGHES.

tion Street. The rooms were attrac- den home. tive with Christmas decorations. The Covers were laid for sixteen guests. Christmas colors. Red and Green place cards were red carnations for After-dinner hours were spent around crepe paper, with holly and mistletoe, the ladies and white ones for the gen- the "500" table.

Those to enjoy the hospitality were A pretty "reward" compliment was Lee Gidney, Lucile Kinder, Marie Bed- sion for the afternoon. given six young ladies of the Senior ford, of Amarillo; Marguenita Hulen, Philathea Class of Calvary Baptist and Messrs. Horace Lindsay, George Church by their teacher, Mrs. C. W. Wyckoff, Earl G. Owens, Jennings Anderson and Harold and Casey

On Monday Mrs. R. W. Otto gave a from California.

Delightful freshments of fruits, can- den and John Turner, the guests of poinsettia filled vases placed on tadies, cakes and nuts were served. The honor; Messrs. Austin Anderson, ble, mantles and buffet. "faithful six" remained for the slum- Small, W. Dowden and Nick Alley The centerpiece for the dining table ber party, while the other guests bid and wife, from Hale Center. The was a round miror upon which a vase Betty Knight and Allie Ware.

Miss Knight won high score for the

"AFTER CHRISTMAS" DINNER.

ant affair on Friday evening. Musical after-Christmas dinner Sunday at tion hall; Mrs. Humphreys and her numbers and Christmas games fur- high noon for her son, Horace Lind- mohter, Mrs. Rix, together with Mrs. say. The Christmas ideas were car- Lindsay and Mrs. L. T. Mayhugh, in Delightful refreshments were served ried out in the decorations. Little the parlor, and Mrs. Gidney, Mrs. to the following guests: Mrs. Buch- red and green bells and holly were Wyckoff and Mrs. R. C. Joiner, in the

Esther Barker, Celestine Harp, Vera served to the following guests: Casey tea table. Holland and Marie Dalmont; Messrs. and Harold Hughes, George Wyckoff, Delicious refreshments of chicken D. S. Murphy, Horace Lindsay, Chas. W. H. Firquin, and Misses Celestine salad, wafers and tea were served.

HONORING ETHELBERT DOWDEN.

Austin Anderson entertained Friday with a six o'clock dinner honoring pretty compliment to a large number Miss Effie Casey entertained Wed- Ethelbert Dowden and his friend John of their Plainview friends on Christnesday evening with a four-course Turner, from Golden, Colo. Young mas Day. The affair was a delightful dinner for Harold and Casey Hughes, Mr. Dowden is home for the holidays, two-course six o'clock dinner, after at the Hughes residence, 700 Restric- and Mr. Turner is guest in the Dow- which "500" was played at ten tables.

Vickery-Hancock Gro. Co.

A BUFFET LUNCHEON FOR SCHOOL FRIENDS.

> Jennings Anderson was host to twelve of his school friends Saturday evening with a buffet luncheon. Mrs. C. C. Gidney and Miss Roebuck assisted in entertaining. Christmas Misses Gwendolyn Hanby, Daisy and games and music furnished the diver-

> > "THE HOUSE BEAUTIFUL" WITH CALIFORNIA POINSETTIA

A hundred and fifty invitations were issued to the charming reception given by Mrs. Edwin H. Humphreys FOR ETHELBERT DOWDEN. Friday afternoon in honor of her mother, Mrs. J. L. Rix, who is here

the return home. Lively games were well-appointed 6 o'clock dinner for The interiors were elaborately and played throughout the evening. One Ethelbert Dowden and John Turner, effectively decorated with the Christsame producing much merriment was who are here visiting through the mas colors. The cut flowers-handprogressive "Flowers, Fruits and Ani- holidays. Six couples enjoyed Mrs. some poinsettia and holly-were sent male," played at three tables. Miss Otto's hospitality to dinner and after- to Mrs. Humphreys by her sister, from Mary Fletcher and M. C. Finley, of ward a pleasant patime around the California. Trailing smilax and holly hung in graceful garlands about the Those present were Ethelbert Dow- windows, while carnations and the

> young ladies were Misses May Kinder, of red carnations was placed. The Jo Keck, Annie Maude Davidson, trailing smilax, extending in four garlands from the chandalier, formed a canopy over the centerpiece. Little girls and Ethelbert Dowden for the red tapers topped with red shades furnished a portion of the warm red glow made by covering the electric globes with red crepe paper.

The house party to assist Mrs. Humphreys consisted of Miss Effie Casey Mrs. A. H. Lindsay gave a pretty and Mrs. W. B. Joiner, in the recepdining room. Mrs. J. C. Anderson and

MRS. TUDOR ENTERTAINS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tudor gave

The interiors were beautiful with made the rooms very pretty and in

NEW GOODS ARE COMING IN DAILY

The heaviest trade we have ever had in the history of our business has not broken our stock--because we anticipated this great demand during the holidays and bought goods accordingly.

Our new goods are coming in every day to take care of your needs. We have studied your wants and are prepared to fill them.

The people have appreciated our efforts to supply their wants and trade has continued heavy even after the holidays.

When you want to find just what you are looking for better start with the Plainview Mercantile Company, and save your time. Time is money. And frequently you will go all over town and then come to us before you are satisfied.

Our New Year's Resolution -- "To Give You PERFECT Satisfaction with every purchase."

Service and Quality Stand First With Us.

We wish you Health, Prosperity and Happiness during 1913

Plainview Mercantile Co.

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Same Careful Attention to Your Wants Same Progressive Management Same Liberal Policy

Fancy jumbo celery Cape Cod Cranberries Plum Pudding

Mince Meat Assorted Nuts Malaga Grapes Florida Oranges

Fancy Bananas Extra Fancy Apples Marischino Cherries

Beachnut Breakfast Bacon Fancy Cluster Raisins Candied Cherries

Bulk Olives Candied Pineapples

The biggest assortment of Candies in West Texas

friends of Plainview.

courses, consisted of oyster cocktail, ture umbrellas for the young ladies National Bank. quail on toast, French peas in potato and red and green canes for the gencases, vegetable salad, smoked tongue, tlemen were given. strawberry cream and fruit cake.

Progressive "500" was the pastime slept a few hours and resumed the for the evening.

CHRISTMAS TREE FOR

The Ware Hotel was the place of Following out this idea, there was a comfort of the guests. Christmas tree with gifts for all employes of the hotel in the dining room of the hotel at 9 o'clock Christmas morning.

The Christmas tree also lent a gladsome air to the dining room during breakfast.

ROAST PIG FEATURES

Plainview Guests Dance Old Year Out with Mr. and Mrs. Nick

Center were host and hostess to fifty Methodist parsonage, on December tables

keeping with the Christmas spirit guests Tuesday with an elaborate 6 18.

holly and mistletoe. A feature of the sumptuous dinner WITH 6 O'CLOCK DINNER, was a roasted pig with one of Hale home of the bride December 24, when County's famous apples in its mouth. Miss Donah Johnson and Fred.

with a six o'clock dinner for twenty- beautiful arrangement of holly and ate family and a few friends were of her home was prettily After seven dances, led by Miss the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Lemons. decorated with the Christmas colors. Bettie Knight and Mr. Bob Malone, will make their home in Plainview. The dinner, which was served in three guest favors of red and green minia- Mr. Lemons is bookkeeper at the First

hot rolls and coffee, followed by The house party, after dancing the ber, 29, uniting J. E. Smith and Miss Old Year out and the New Year in, Lillie Brown in marriage.

dance until high noon.

somewhat unusual Christmas cheer was brilliant. The Jesse Orchestra, Miss Amy Glenn were the brideslast week. It is a part of the plan of from Amarillo, furnished music. De- maids. Mr. and Mrs. Herring left on Messrs. Testman and Weis to make tails had been worked, and nothing the south-bound train for Tahoka. all of their employes feel at home. was left undone to add to the joy and where Mr. Herring is engaged in the

CUPID WINS AT CHRISTMAS.

Plainview Has Many Brides During 2:30 o'clock by Rev. W. P. Waggener. Holiday Season.

Cupid kept up a busy pace during the Christmas season. There were seven marriages in Plainview

Joe Wade and Miss Ollie Gibson

Mr. and Mrs. Tudor had with them to o'clock dinner, followed by a New On December 23, John Schoonvelt enjoy the festive evening forty of their Year's ball. Christmas cheer was and Miss Dora Gozart were married given the interiors by decorations of by Dr. I. E. Gates, in the county clerk's office.

A pretty marriage took place at the Mrs. Ware entertained Saturday The center of the dining table was a Lemons were married. The immedithe guests. Dr. I. E. Gates performed

> S. J. Frye performed his first wedding ceremony on Wednesday, Decem-

At the First Baptist Church, at 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning, January With Mr. Bob Malone and Miss Bet- 1, Rev. H. H. Street officiating, Miss tie Knight leading the cotillion, all the Mabel Shook and Mr. M. M. Herring, WARE HOTEL EMPLOYES, younger set of Plainview took part in of Tahoka, Texas, were Mrs. E. R. Williams played the wed-The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Alley ding march. Miss Lena Williams and practice of law.

W. R. Boggus and Miss Leah Smithee, of Hale Center, were married in the county clerk's office today at

were the first of Cupid's victims. They Mr. and Mrs. Scott Cochran, of Lubwere married by Dr. I. E. Gates, at bock, were honor guests at a fourthe county clerk's office, December 18. course 6 o'clock dinner with Mr. and William H. Bethel, of Wolf City, and Mrs. W. L. Harrington, at their home, Miss Lucy Smith, of Floydada, were 506 Wayland Street, Thursday eve-Mr. and Mrs. Nick Alley, of Hale married by Rev. S. A. Barnes, at the ning. Forty-Two was played at the

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