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MANY HOMES ARE MADE BRIGHTER

Christmas Cheer Distributed Sunday Afternoon To Homes Where It Would Do The Most Good

KLAN ALSA DONATES MONEY

Klan Letter And List of Contributors Is Printed Herewith—Response Generous

Christmas was most appreciated probably in those residences visited by the committee Sunday afternoon distributing Christmas cheer in families where it was needed the most. In some cases the committee did not wait for Christmas but sent loads of wood and other necessities right out. In the majority of cases the distribution took place Sunday afternoon. The Girl's Bridge Club furnished many toys and also raised \$100 in money which will also be used to continue Christmas in some families where needed.

The response to the appeal for funds was most generous and also many, many other articles contributed in addition. The list of cash contributors is printed herewith—also a letter from the Ku Klux Klan with a cash contribution. The letter and list follows:

Sweetwater, Tex., Dec. 23, 1921. Honorable George H. Sheppard, Mayor, City of Sweetwater, Sweetwater, Texas.

Dear Sir:— We hand you herewith a contribution from this organization to the community Christmas tree fund. Will you please direct the enclosed offering through the proper channels in order that it may be used to make a merrier Christmas for a few of those among us who through unfortunate circumstances must otherwise lack the Christmas cheer which we feel sure will be provided for them.

Kindly say to the committee in charge of the arrangements for the community tree that we heartily commend the spirit and endorse the work they are doing for those whom the Savior said: "As ye do unto the least of these so do ye unto me." Wishing for the people of Sweetwater a joyous Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year throughout which may we all sincerely be celebrating, taught by the one immortal doctrine, "Peace on earth; good will toward all mankind."

Sweetwater Klan No. 217, Realm of Texas, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

List of those who donated to the Christmas Charity fund.

- Elks \$100.
- Scottish Rite Masons \$50.00.
- Paul Sorenson \$50.00.
- Sweetwater Cotton Oil Mill \$10.00.
- Planters Gin Co. \$10.00.
- R. M. Simmons \$10.00.
- West Texas Electric Co. \$10.00.
- Ku Klux Klan \$25.00.
- Mrs. B. Frost \$5.00.
- D. A. Clark \$2.50.
- U. B. Newman \$2.50.
- L. P. White \$2.00.
- S. R. Cochrell \$2.00.
- R. W. White \$1.00.
- O. I. Stewart \$1.00.
- S. R. Hill \$1.00.
- Roy Freeman \$1.00.
- W. Hand 50c.
- R. S. Malone \$1.00.
- Addie Dublin \$1.00.
- W. P. Freeman \$1.00.
- Rev. Cox \$1.00.
- Judge Bracher \$1.00.
- Ruby Hemby \$3.50.
- C. E. Cameron \$1.00.
- Emma Lee Hemby \$1.00.
- Jana Cordell \$1.00.
- Roy Hooker \$1.00.
- O. R. Braur \$1.00.
- G. E. Ford \$1.00.
- Cash \$5.25.
- Glass Grocery \$10.00.

Those who donated especially to the tree fund.

R. M. Simmons \$5.00.
Mrs. Moore Newman \$2.00.
O. Cowen \$1.00.
J. E. Barrick \$2.00.

Other donors to the tree: Sweetwater Drygoods Co. material for candy sacks, Prim Nickel Saire, decorations for tree. J. T. Hughes, box of apples. Number of other stores gave apples. West Texas Electric Co. lighted the tree.

In addition to the cash donations to the general charity fund practically every grocery and drug store in town gave candy and fruit.

Purchasing committees were busy Friday and Saturday buying the clothes and food, which a survey of the town had shown to be needed, and on Sunday afternoon all the committees met and distributed to those in need of food, clothes and for the children fruit and toys.

Toys were supplied by the Girl's Bridge Club from their charity ball which also netted \$100 to be used for charity.

Some twenty families and many individuals were visited by the committee Sunday afternoon and food and fuel and clothing and toys left as needed.

MONEY READY.

School Bonds Sold And Money Is Awaiting Draft From Sweetwater.

The money with which to build the New East Ward school and modernize the South and West Ward schools is ready, waiting a draft from the School Board, according to word received from the George L. Simpson Company of Dallas, the purchasers of the bonds, by F. G. Robertson, president of the Board. The bonds have been approved by the State authorities and sold, so that there is no financial difficulty in the way of starting work on construction.

President Robertson stated that bids would be advertised for immediately, just as soon as the specifications could be got into shape and probably next week.

GUILT IS DENIED

Bootleggers Confess to Sale of Poison Whiskey But Deny Murder Charge in Ohio.

SHELBY, Ohio, Dec. 26.—Two bootleggers sobbed like broken hearted children here today when they were forced to gaze upon the corpse of Ralph Longley, poison hooch victim, at a morgue here today.

The men confessed making and selling the moonshine whiskey, which brought the Christmas revelry to a tragic climax. The killing of Longley and at least temporary blinding of two others resulted from the poison whiskey according to the confession of the men, who, however, declared their innocence of the murder charge placed against them.

MORE COTTON FOR MISSOURI

Southern Part Of State Plans For A Greater Acreage

By The United Press. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26.—Missouri, with the southeastern portion of the state as the leader, has entered into the cotton growing industry on a magnificent scale, figures showed.

Missouri's 1922 cotton crop was worth \$2,200,000 to the land owners and tenants the state department of agriculture estimated. This is figured on a basis of 130,000 bales actually sown within the state. In addition several thousand bales of cotton grown in Arkansas and was credited to Missouri is not a new product to that state.

Recently a bank at Gideon remained open until midnight to take care of the cotton business. It was only typical of many towns in southern Missouri. Popular Bluff, Dexter, New Madrid, Parma, Hayti and other towns have witnessed unusual prosperity as a result of the cotton growing strides.

The ravages of the boll weevil further south and the prediction that Missouri is too far north to be infected with the pest are given as the chief reasons for the expansion of the industry in this state.

RECORD BUILDING YEAR

By The United Press. OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 26.—Building this year will be the greatest in Oklahoma's history, according to figures already piled up.

In 1922, \$2,289,250 was spent on business building, which is nearly three times as much as in 1921, when \$1,040,938 was expended according to official records.

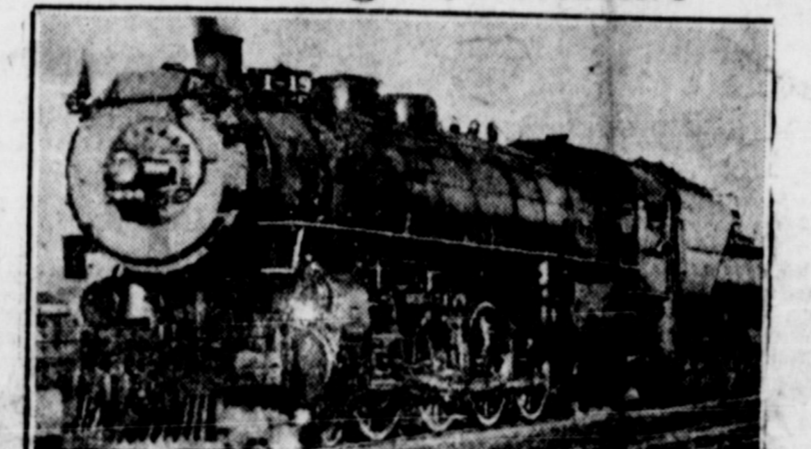
Total construction costs for the city so far this year is \$7,720,075.

TURKS ARE FIRM

Janet Pasha Refuses To Give Ground Without Sanction Of The Angora Government

LAUSANNE, Dec. 26.—When the Lausanne conference resumed its sessions after the Christmas holidays, Janet Pasha, Turkish delegate and representative, sent to Angora for a mandate, declaring that unless he was released from that orders, that he would not give ground upon the disputed points. Without some concessions by the present Turkish government, peace will be impossible declared high officials here today.

World's Largest Locomotive



Fifty-four of these huge locomotives, the largest in the world, have been ordered for the Union Pacific system. They are nearly 100 feet long, stand 15 feet, 10 inches from rail to smokestack, weigh over 200 tons, and have drive wheels six feet in diameter.

DISORDERS AGAIN MAY REVEAL THE MENACE IRELAND AMERICAN PLAN

Fresh Burst Of Incendiarism And Shooting Brings Retailatory Free State Measures.

BORAH'S AMENDMENT CALLING FOR CONGRESSIONAL STUDY.

TO SHOOT RAIL TRESPASSERS

Civilians Killed And Injured When Insurgents Strew Cork With Bombs.

By The United Press. DUBLIN, Dec. 26.—Trespassers upon railroad property without permission will be shot on sight, according to an order issued by the Free State today as the result of a fresh outbreak of incendiarism and bombing by Republican insurgents.

A bloody Christmas was feared as rebels have ignored the ultimatum of the Free State officials that four insurgents, who are now in prison and condemned to death, would be executed immediately if the outrages continue.

The casualties, one passenger, and were wounded when a band of insurgents in motor lorries dashed through the streets of Cork, hurling bombs promiscuously.

One man was killed and two women and a Free State private soldier wounded when the Government troops attacked armed rebels in a Borist street barricade.

CONCERT MONDAY

Five Bands Represented At Performance—Big Crowd Attends—Concert Every Two Weeks.

The joint concert by the proposed 100-piece band from Nolan county had a large attendance at their first joint concert here on the courthouse ground at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Five bands were represented at the concert, which was furnished by forty-eight pieces. Rotan sent eighteen musicians to Sweetwater and Rosecoe delegates by three members and fifteen members of the Sweetwater Junior band were on the program together with three members of the Sweetwater Booster Band.

The program lasted for more than an hour and was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd, who repeatedly applauded the performance, which was given out of doors on account of the warm day. Concerts will be given by the combined bands every two weeks throughout the winter in the new theater, according to H. P. Leavelle, director of the band. All contributions for the support of the Junior Band will be gladly received according to Mr. Leavelle.

COLORADO FOREMAN HURT

COLORADO, Dec. 26.—Gus Gunther, brick foreman on the new Colorado National Bank building here, sustained a broken arm and three broken ribs as the result of a twenty-foot fall today, when a cornice stone, which was being placed upon the building, crashed through a scaffold hurling him to the street.

MASONS TO BROADCAST

Education Talks Will Be Broadcast As Old Year Dies

DALLAS, Dec. 26.—The Masonic Service and Education Committee of the Grand Lodge of Texas, has arranged for a series of Radio talks on Masonic subjects to be broadcast over the WFAA station of the Dallas News. These talks will be given each month, the first of which will be in form of a Watch Night service on New Year's Eve, Sunday night, December 31. The first program will consist of three, 10-minute talks along Masonic lines, several vocal selections, and two minutes before twelve o'clock a bugler will blow taps as the Old Year goes out. Promptly at twelve o'clock a bugler will also sound reveille as the signal for the birth of 1923. The Masonic service committee would be very glad for all Masons who have Radio receiving sets in their homes, or their Lodges to listen in on these programs.

LOSES FOWLS.

John D. Childers Loses One Of Pair Peafowl Shipped From Old Mexico

Some weeks ago, Mrs. John D. Childers's sister, on the Bell Ranch in Old Mexico, shipped a pair of peafowl as a present to Mrs. Childers. The male bird, however, escaped and when last seen was headed northeast.

The birds are larger than turkeys, with var-colored feathers and a tail that some times attains a length of 6 feet. They are an oddity in this country and are esteemed by the Childers family owing to the fact that they were a gift.

Mr. Childers in another column of today's Reporter offers a reward for the return of the bird or information concerning its whereabouts.

NEW PARSONAGE

Baptists Decided To Build New Parsonage—Ready To Break Ground January 1st To Be Carried Out

The building of a new, commodious parsonage to be in keeping with the new Baptist Church was decided upon unanimously by the congregation of the First Baptist Church Sunday morning.

The congregation having decided to locate the new church on the site occupied by the present parsonage, application was made to the city authorities for permission to move the structure. However it is inside the fire limits and the City Authorities were unable to grant the permission. Consequently the congregation felt they had no alternative but to build a fire proof parsonage, of brick and conforming with the general architectural designs of the new church.

Work of surveying the grounds and the driving of stakes began this morning. The parsonage will be built first then the present building moved away so that work can begin on the new church.

The cost of the new structure was not decided upon, this matter being left up to the Building Committee. The latter committee is also hard at work on the specifications of the new church. It is thought a contract will be let for the construction of the new church early in the new year.

COLEMAN RECEIVES BIDS.

By The United Press. COLEMAN, Texas, Dec. 26.—Bids have been received here for the building of sixty-one miles of Coleman County road program which, when completed, will cost more than a million dollars.

AFTER THE A. & M.

Plain-Panhandle Chamber Of Commerce Wants To Locate West Texas A. & M. Up There

AMARILLO, Dec. 26.—The Panhandle-Plains counties will unite behind some one city located within these counties as the location for the proposed West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College if the suggestion made at a meeting of the directors of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce here Friday is carried out.

A call will be issued for a meeting to be held at 2 p. m. January 8, in the Longhorn to decide upon a location which all sections of this territory will unite.

The suggestion is that each of the 40 counties embraced in what is termed the Panhandle-Plains country will have one vote in the mass meeting to determine the question of the location.

Several cities in this section are already avowed candidates for the school. The list includes Lubbock, Post, Plainview, Floydada, Amarillo, Canyon, Memphis, Clarendon and perhaps other towns.

It is desired that every section of the EState send representatives to the meeting to be held here January 8.

TO GIV MORNING DANCE

Last Dance During Christmas Holidays By Local Elks Monday Morn.

A New Year's morning dance will be given by the local Elks starting at 12:15 o'clock next Monday morning. This dance will be the last dance given by the lodge while the younger set are spending the holidays here. Music will be furnished by the Smiles Fun Makers. Refreshments of coffee and sandwiches will be served during the morning's hours.

All Elks and their out-of-town guests are invited to attend the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Maner are visiting in the city with Mr. Maner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Maner.

CHRISTMAS WAS QUIET IN TOWN

Marked By Perfect Weather—Rodeo Attracted Many People—Kiddies Are Pleased By Free Show

LARGE CROWD HERE SATURDAY

Poor Of City Remembered Sunday Afternoon By Distribution Of Food, Fuel, Clothes and Gifts.

With summery weather, blazing sky-rockets and the popping of firecrackers Christmas, 1922 has passed into history. It was such weather as only West Texas can produce at this time of year, clear, warm and exhilarating. There was a large crowd in town Saturday, most of whom were in a buying mood. Large stocks of merchandise were awaiting them and they bought.

Merchants noted a difference in holiday business this year—most of the gift buying being of a practical nature. One merchant reported that he never had sold so many pairs of shoes intended as Christmas gifts as he had this year. Some merchants reported others not so good, and still others reported holiday business about the same, with better October and November business than last year. On the whole it will average up probably better than last year.

Business at the postoffice ran about the same or better than last year with the Christmas rush spread out better than usual. All packages were delivered by noon on Christmas day.

The matinee for the kiddies Monday morning at the Queen attracted many patrons, and there was a large crowd out to the Rodeo at Swatter Park Monday afternoon. Jeff Green won first money there with his broncho riding, with Ed Howell second and Luther Weeks third. Moody won first honors at the stunt roping with a mark of 12 seconds and a mark of 12 seconds.

The poor of the city were remembered Sunday afternoon by several committees who distributed gifts among them, including fuel, food, clothing, etc.

One accident marred the rodeo given at Swatter Park Saturday afternoon. O. D. Marrs, 22 years old, who lives in Taylor county, sustained a double accident of a broken leg which was also fractured in another place. He was given treatment here and left Sunday night for his home. Marrs received the injuries when he leaped from his horse in an attempt to "bulldog" a steer. His ankle turned causing the injury. In the mix-up Marrs lost a pair of spurs, which were borrowed property and valuable as a gift. Anyone finding the spurs is urged to return the implement to Marrs.

Saturday proved to be a rush day at the marriage license desk here. Six licenses were issued Saturday and one was issued Tuesday morning. Licenses were issued Saturday to Miss Lillie Stapleton, Dora, and Ben Franklin of Burk Burnett; Miss Myrtle Bibb and R. Free, both of Sweetwater; Miss Ruby Garber, and James M. Merrington of Colorado; Miss Hattie Mary Quinn and Rus Stiles, both of Sweetwater; Miss Doris Parr Cophona and Melvin C. Outlaw of Sweetwater secured a license Tuesday morning.

LINERS FOUNDER

Distress Signals Evident Says Captain Of Battered Liner—Hurricane Sweeps Atlantic

QUEENSTOWN, Ireland, Dec. 26.—Three vessels are believed to have gone down in a hurricane, which is sweeping the Atlantic ocean, according to the captain of the liner New Columbia, which was driven in here today by the storm.

The liners Celtic and Carmania, their decks and lifeboats smashed, put in here reporting the most terrific gales experienced in the last twenty years. The captain of the New Columbia stated that he had observed distress signals from three ships, but been unable to get in touch with them by radio, and expressed the belief that all three of them had foundered.

CHRISTMAS TOLL HEAVY

Ten People Dead In Georgia Christmas Day—Several Injured In Wrecks

By The United Press. ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 26.—Ten are dead and five injured as the toll of holiday shooting and accidents over the state of Georgia, according to reports from over the state today. Seven people were shot to death two died from burns and one in an automobile accident.

Two are suffering from bullet wounds and the balance of the casualties occurred in automobile accidents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Star, their daughter Ethlyn and little Dick, Jr., of Cleese are visiting with Mrs. Silas George.

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WEST TEXAS A. & M.

A meeting in Amarillo has been called for January 8, for the purpose of locating the West Texas A. & M. somewhere around Amarillo.

The gentlemen are just a trifle previous. Said college has not been authorized by the legislature nor formally approved by Governor Neff. The part of wisdom would be to get the college first.

There is sure to be one of the biggest cat and dog fights in West Texas over the location of the proposed college, after it is authorized, that this portion of the state has ever seen. But this light must be superceded by cooperative fighting with the rest of the state to get it. People fighting among themselves are easy prey for the outsider. Let's forget about the location part of the proceedings until AFTER we get the college—and then marcy be unto the hindmost.

INSURANCE.

John Wannamaker, the merchant, took in \$24.60 the first day he was in business. Of the \$24.60 he spent the next day 24.00 in advertising and kept the 60 cents for breakfast. That's a little larger percentage than most people should spend in their business, but it was the beginning of the largest retail advertising account in the world.

Mr. Wannamaker was his own advertising manager. He had many employees in this department of his store—but he liked the advertising game and he was the chief of the staff and wrote at least the editorial which was always a part of the Wannamaker advertising.

It is not unusual to think that the man who believes in advertising insurance for his business would also be a great believer in insurance on his life. It cost the insurance companies 3 1/2 million dollars for Mr. Wannamaker to die.

Turning to other great advertisers we find them believing in insurance as well. James Cash Penney—who sells for nothing but cash as his name would indicate—besides having an interest in 371 stores in America each one of which is an advertiser—has 3 million dollars worth of life insurance.

Adolph Zukor, the advertising movie magnate has 5 million. Rodman Wannamaker, a son of John, has almost as much life insurance as his father. Over 50 Americans are insured for over a million dollars, and in almost every case these insurance policies are carried by men who insure their business with advertising.

WEST TEXAS NOTES.

Seed Wheat From Jerusalem.—In looking through an old relic the other day, A. Rhodes came across a small sack full of modified wheat that came from Jerusalem forty years ago.

The wheat belonged to Mrs. Rhodes' father and he came in possession of it through a friend of his, Dr. Coleman, who was a missionary to that country more than forty years ago. Dr. Coleman was a noted Mason and it will be remembered by some of the Snyder folks that he lectured here several years ago.

Mr. Rhodes said he was going to plant these seed to see if they were still good.—Snyder Signal.

A Novel Accident.—Ben Schafer was the victim of an unusual accident Thursday afternoon of last week, suffering a broken leg as a result of a mule's kick when he was ten feet away from the animal. Ben's brothers were preparing to shear a mule at their father's ranch in Glasgow county, when the mule blazed away with his heels, striking a piece of skantling which was thrown thru the corral fence, and hitting Ben on the ankle. In addition to a broken bone, the leg is badly bruised, causing the injury to be a very painful one.

Mr. Schafer was brought to this city

Classified Section

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Jan. 1, two or three furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 4.

FOR RENT—Cottage, 2 rooms, 2 sleeping porches, phone 581. 253 tdc.

FOR RENT—Cottage, furnished or unfurnished, lights and water supplied. Phone 581.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE.

Seed wheat, barley and rye at the Flour Mill. Phone 689. 258 tdc.

FOR SALE—Close in lots on paved street. Terms T. Vard Woodruff, owner. 194 tdc.

FOR SALE—Have some plain land for sale or exchange, improved or unimproved, for farms, ranches or city property in Nolan, Fisher or other counties. We leave on Thursday each and every week, free transportation there and back. Key and Jenkins. Phone 116. P. O. Box 141. Sweetwater, Tex. 253 tdc.

FOR SALE—A number of fine young cockerels of the Thompson strain of the Imperial Ringlets. Pen headed by \$35.00 rooster from Thompson's best. Will go at a bargain to make room for fall stock. Address L. C. Vinson, Sweetwater, Tex. Box 272. 189 tdc.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, ether, or Chacked hands, Ring worm, Chapped hands and Face Scalp diseases, Old Sores, and sores on children, also for foot troubles. Guaranteed by Bownes Drug Store. 10-11-12c.

STRAYED—Grey horse from Grogan Wells. Phone 581. 253 tdc.

FOR RENT—4 or 5-room apartment on East North Second street; unfurnished. See me at store. H. Berman. 3tdc.

FOR SALE—My home at 902 N. Locust street. J. C. Holland. Phone 289. 244 tdc.

FOR SALE—Good two-horsepower electric motor. Horace Heath. 268-30tdc.

COAL COAL—See us for the very best grades of fancy nut and Lump coal. S. Edwards Grain Co. Phone 142. 229 tdc.

COME ON WITH THAT \$!

Schafer, at S. D. Myers Saddle Shop, Secretary. 277 3tdc.

FOR SALE—Eight-foot show case, \$65. Whitten's Shop. 280 tdc.

**C O L D ?
C O A L !**

Domestic Lump, \$10.50 Per Ton.
RAY SMITH,
320 — Two Telephones — 466

for medical treatment and is now at the Wyoming Hotel.—Big Spring Herald.

Whiskey Found in Trunk.—Officers in the city are holding a large can of whiskey and a check to a trunk shipped from El Paso to Abilene. Parties

**A First Showing
Of**

**NEW SPRING
MILLINERY**

Arrived this Morning

**MAX
BERMAN**

noticed that the trunk was leaking and on investigation discovered that it contained whiskey. The officers took charge and found that the trunk contained two large cans which had been made to fit the trunk and that one was still full of whiskey. Owners of the trunk have not been located.—Taylor County Times.

Instill Big Engine.—H. H. Garret of St. Louis, and Buck Barkholder of El Paso, who have been installing the 150 horsepower Fairbanks-Morse engine at the City Waterworks plant, completed the job Wednesday and the big engine was put in commission Wednesday afternoon.

For the present this engine will be used to pump three of the city's big wells, and as the consumption of water increases additional wells will be harnessed to it, and the power to pump them will be ready and waiting. Quite a saving in the operation of the waterworks system should follow the installation of the big engine.—Spring Herald.

Killed By Live Wire.—M. F. Price, employed as lineman for the West Texas Telephone Company at Brady and whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Price, live in Coleman, was killed by a current from an electric light wire at Brady last Friday afternoon.

Mr. Price was riding the telephone cable in a swinging seat and leaning

back, is said to have come in contact with an electric light wire which caused instantaneous death. He fell from his seat to the ground.

Mr. Price was thirty-four years of age. The body was conveyed to Santa Anna for burial, that place being his former home. His parents have lived in Coleman about three years. He is survived by his wife and one child, parents, two brothers and two sisters. A sister, Mrs. Roxie Richardson, lives in Santa Anna, another sister lives in Lawson, Oklahoma. Odell Price, a brother lives in Coleman and Ed Price lives in Fort Worth.

High Line Coming.—Work is progressing right along on the high line from Plastero to Rotan. The poles are nearly in sight from town and except for a delay of material from the north much of the wires might have been strung by this time.

From the way work is going on it looks like the power might be coming to us over this line by the first of January, but the company is promising to connect with this service by the first of February.

Our people are looking forward to a longer hour service and slightly cheaper rates when the change is made, but the local plant is giving a splendid service and there is really nothing to worry about, as far as we can see. Rotan is fortunate as far as the electric service is concerned.—Rotan Advance.

Roby will soon be connected with the high line. Work is being done as fast as possible, putting up the line from the kyp plant at Plastero. The line will run from Plastero over the Katy railroad to Rotan, then

branching off to Roby at North Roby.—Roby Star Record.

OIL PRODUCTION GROWING

ELDORADO, Ark., Dec. 26.—Day by day, in every way, history is being made in the Arkansas oil fields.

Recently, a new high mark was established when the daily average production for one week reached 100,000 barrels. Production continues to hover about the same level that it has maintained for several months in the south fields despite the fact that no new wells have been brought in. Huge steel tanks are being built in many sections of the state and tank farms of hundreds of thousands capacity are under construction.

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SEE! SEE! SEE! SEE!

The jockey who sells out his boss.
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The youth in the clutches of an adventuress!
The clean-up on a long shot!

The plot to frame the race!
The great horse race!
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The breakneck auto dash!
The gun fight in a gambling palace!

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The Electric Way

The added work in the average household due to holiday festivities is not noticed in the household where the work is done the electric way. There is speed without smoke, dirt or smell with the electric range—a few easy minutes with the Hoover or Premier Vacuum Cleaner removes the Christmas litter, the Automatic Washing Machine cleans the soiled table linens, Choice dresses easily and without harm—to mention just part of the conveniences of the Electric way.

**West Texas Electric
Company**

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS GLEE CLUB



The 1922-23 Club of an organization as old as the University itself—who will appear in concert at the First Christian Church Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. A program of unusual merit is promised.

**Newest Spring
Footwear**

We have just received several more cases of the new spring pumps. They are in black and brown satin with the newest Colonial tongues—others in black suede with patent leather trimming—some with Louis heels, others with box heels—to mention but a few of the many new styles available for your choice NOW.

Cowen & Tidwell

"Where The Price Is Right"

Keep the Business College in mind and start a course January 1, day or night. Open day and night during the Holidays. Call for information.

**West Texas Commercial
College**
Luella Building.

REPORT OF LAND AND TOWN LOTS ASSESSED ON THE TAX ROLLS OF THE CITY OF SWEETWATER, TEXAS, WHICH DELINQUENT FOR THE YEAR 1921, RETURNED BY W. H. BARTLETT, TAX COLLECTOR OF THE CITY OF SWEETWATER, TEXAS, AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION AS THE OFFICIAL DELINQUENT RECORD OF THE CITY OF SWEETWATER:

Adams W. J. lot 4, blk 3 C. P. K. ad. total taxes \$13.09.
Abdolf P. A. lot 11, blk 21, ad. M. W. total tax \$10.78.
Armstrong J. H. E. 1-2 lot 1 blk 81. 1st ad. total taxes \$23.10.
Altizer G. W., all blk 99, 1st ad. to total taxes \$30.03.
Beaumont Jas. M. Abat. 1338 Sur. 46 2-7 & P. 2 acres, all blks 3, 4, 5. Briscoe total taxes \$38.59.
Beaumont, Mrs. Myrtle lot 9, blk 1 G. H. ad. total taxes \$10.78.
Blackshire Titus, Mid. 1-3 lot 2, blk 78 1st ad. total taxes \$7.26.
Braxell, W. F. lot 7, 8, blk 1 Orient ad. lot 7, 8, blk 2, O. ad. lot 10, 11, 12, blk 13, O. ad. lot 1 to 6 blk 26, O. ad. lot 7, 8, 9, blk 27, O. ad. lot 1 to 6, 11, 12, blk 26, O. ad. lot 3 to 12, blk 41, O. ad. lot 1 to 7, blk 42, O. ad. lot 1, 2, 4 to 24, blk 43, O. ad. lot 1, 3 to 6, 10 to 18, blk 44, O. ad. lot 3 to 6, 15 to 24, blk 55, O. ad. lot 25, blk 59, O. ad. lot 13 to 24, blk 84, O. ad. lot 8, blk 106, O. ad. lot 7, 16 blk 123, O. ad. lot 6 to 10, blk 124, O. ad. total taxes \$52.36.
Bryan, J. E. lot 1, 2, 3, blk 64, total taxes \$15.54.
Bullock H. N., W 1-2 lot 2 blk 86, 1st ad. total taxes \$39.89.
Bullock Electric Co. lot 1, 2, 3, blk 2, S. A. C. ad. lot 7, blk 38, 1st ad. to total taxes \$38.50.
Carter & Anthony lot 25, 26, 27, blk 14, M. W. ad. total taxes 77c.
Channant W. S. N 1-2 lot 4, blk 52 1st ad. total taxes \$15.40.
Cochran Mrs. Nina lot 16, 17, 18, blk 18, 1st ad. total taxes \$108.99.
Cochran Jno. H. Jr., 90 to W. lot 4, blk 87, 1st ad. all blk 5 S. O. ad. all blk 4, S. O. ad. all blk 5, S. O. ad. part blk 29, S & W total taxes \$46.20.
Collier T. B. lot 9, blk 38 1st ad. to total taxes \$42.64.
Candiff W. S. lot 13, 14, 15, blk 19, M. W. ad. total taxes \$26.18.
Davis N. C. N 1-2 blk 5 R & C ad. total taxes \$23.87.
Dunlap L. lot 12 blk 2, C. P. K. ad. total taxes \$9.24.
Dupre W. F. 60 ft E Side lot 1, blk 27, 1st ad. total taxes \$41.25.
Parris R. A. 200 lot 2 S W cor blk 27 S & W. ad. total taxes \$6.16.
Fitzgibbons Mrs. C. lot 6, 7, blk 3, S P ad. lot 1 blk 38 S P ad. \$2.31.
Fomby M. E. lot 9, 10, blk 106 Orient ad. \$17.71.
Foster Buck, lot 6, 7, blk 1, D. O. O. total taxes \$5.72.
Galdner Mrs. D. D. lot 7, blk 2, Newmans ad. total taxes \$3.05.
Galbraith L. D. 71x208 ft out N W cor blk 48 S & W. ad. total taxes \$84.64.
George Mrs. Ida lot 1, 2, blk 13 1st ad. \$23.10.
Greaves G. H. lot 4 blk 41 S. P. ad. total taxes \$62.70.
Grisham R. N. lot 3, blk 47, H. C. H. ad. total taxes \$3.08.
Hanna J., lot 3 blk 77 Orient ad. total taxes \$2.50.
Hatcher C. lot 11, 12, blk 50 H. C. M. ad. total taxes \$15.40.
Homer W. L. 70 feet N S of lot 1, blk 98 1st ad. \$19.58.
Hord, H. C. all blk 19, Eastern ad. lot 4, 5, 6, blk 16, 1st ad. lot 9, 10, 11, blk 72, Orient ad. W 1-2 blk 90, O. ad. lot 1 to 4 blk 91, O. ad. lot 7, 8, 9, blk 116 O. ad. total taxes \$139.90.
Hunter R. L. lot 12 blk 3, Long ad. total taxes 39c.
Hutcherson T. J. lot 1, blk 40 S P. ad. total taxes \$9c.
James & Fitzgerald lot 2, 7, blk 2, Fvhts ad. lot 2, 4, blk 10, Fvhts ad. lot 1 to 4, 8, 9, 10, blk 17 Fvhts ad. lot 13 to 18, blk 23, Fvhts ad. lot 10, 11, 12, blk 8, Hgd ad. lot 7, 8, 9, blk 20, Hgd ad. lot 1, 2, 3, blk 43, Hgd ad. lot 10, 11, 12, blk 57, Hgd ad. lot 7, 8, blk 58, Hgd ad. lot 1 to 6, blk 69 Hgd ad. total taxes \$56.15.
Jones Ethel lot 15, blk 29, S S ad. to total taxes 7c.
Jordan M. A., W 1-2 lot 1, blk 94, 1st ad. total taxes \$24.92.
Judd Lee abot. 274 Sur. 32 T & P. 31 acres total taxes \$65.09.
Keyes C. O. lot 3, blk 100, 1st ad. total taxes \$16.60.
Kyle and Parker 50x100 S R cor. blk 21 1st ad. \$116.50.
Killbrew J. W. lot 11 and E 1-2 lot 13, blk 18, 1st ad. total taxes \$91.90.
Leach D. S. N lot 7, blk 2, S. A. C. ad. total taxes \$56.52.
Lyon Hattie B. lot 4, 24 & 25 S. ad. total taxes 15c.
McVay W. B. blk 46, 5, blk 1, Waldoe ad. total taxes \$29.85.
Mart Hotel 29' NS of lot 16 blk 19. 1st ad. total taxes \$261.80.
Matthews H. S. 76 ft x 140 N W cor. blk 29, Eastern ad. total taxes \$19.80.
Moffett H. J. lot 3, blk 5 Waldoe ad. total taxes \$15.40.
Montgomery J. M. lot 4, blk 2 Waldoe ad. lot 5, W 1-2 lot 2, blk 1, Stall ad. total taxes \$30.75.
Weel F. J. lot 1, 2, 8, blk 1, Mustang ad. all blk A, S-Orient; lot 4, 5, 6, blk 1, S. R. N.; lot 4 to 9, blk 95, Orient ad. total taxes \$82.59.
Nelson J. C. lot 5, 6, 7, 8, blk 85 O. ad. total taxes \$9.40.
Norton J. E. lot 4, blk 2, J P C ad. \$9.80.
Perry W. A. lot 7, 8, blk 91, Orient ad. total taxes \$3.85.
J. H. Poser lot 7, blk 1, J. P. C. ad. total taxes \$13.42.
Price Fred abot. 273 Sur. 22 T & P. 3 acres total taxes \$9.24.
Rice M. L. lot 14, 15, blk 7, M. W. ad. total taxes 77c.
Robb C. D. lot 10 blk 11 lot 11 lot 12, total taxes \$2.10.
Robbins Mrs. B. J. all blk 95 1st ad. total taxes \$2.10.
Rogers M. N. abot 1888 Sur. 46 99 T & P. 6 acres; 77' East end of lot 4, 5 & 6, Eastern; lot 10 11, blk 40 S & W total taxes \$25.45.
Roston C. T. lot 3, blk 11 Eastern ad. total taxes \$46.20.
Smith J. J. (Jack) lot 17, 18 blk 68 Orient ad. total taxes \$15.44.
Snodgrass H. C. lot 5, 6, blk 29, Orient ad. total taxes 77c.
Snyder Mrs. J. W. lot 4, blk 64 S. P.

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NATIONAL PARK FOR TEXAS

Plans and Proposals To Be Submitted In The Legislature.

By The United Press.
BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 26.—Plans proposals for a national park in Texas will be submitted at the coming session of the Texas Legislature, according to County Judge O. C. Danby, here. Danby with Mrs. J. V. Myrick of Harlingen has been appointed by the Valley Chamber of Commerce to endeavor to secure state and federal action on the project.

The proposed park would be comprised of approximately 3000 acres. The park would be located a few miles down the Rio Grande from here and would include the old Rabb plantation on which is a natural grove of Sabal Mexican Palms famous for their beauty. The Singer, Drulay and south most plantations would also be included in the site.

The site is the most southerly spot on the mainland of the United States where a park could be located and little labor and expense could be converted into one of the most beautiful places in Texas, according to promoters of the project.

PLAN STATE MUSIC MEET

By The United Press.
BELTON, Dec. 26.—The Texas inter-scholastic Music Meet will hold its second session here April 27-28, 1923. It has been announced here. The meet will be held under the auspices of Baylor College and prizes amounting to over \$600 in scholarship and loving cups will be awarded. Last year over 40 schools of the state participated in the meet and the total number of contestants exceeded 200. The number of contestants at the coming meet is expected to double last year's figures.

BIG IRRIGATION PROJECT.

By The United Press.
BRECKENRIDGE, Dec. 26.—Nearly 40,000 acres of land in Stephens County will be subject to irrigation if the proposed dam project is accepted. Engineers from the Government Geological Survey are here to establish elevations out of Abilene for the proposed dam. Completion of the work in establishing to elevations will require approximately five weeks.

WORK ON SHIP CHANNEL.

By The United Press.
HOUSTON, Dec. 26.—A total of 1,285,911 cubic yards of mud and water were removed from the Houston ship channel during the month of November, according to reports made by Captain Charles Crotty, assistant port director here. Five dredges were employed in the work of deepening the channel and in maintenance work in the Galveston bay district.

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Owner unknown lot 8, 9, 10, blk 40.
Snell Park ad. total tax \$2.31.
Owner unknown lot 2, 6, 7, blk 41.
Snell Park ad. total tax \$2.31.
Owner unknown lot 8, 10, 12, blk 42.
Snell Park ad. total tax \$2.31.
Owner unknown lot 1, 3, 4, blk 43.
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STATE OF TEXAS,
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I. W. H. BARTLETT, TAX COLLECTOR OF THE CITY OF

SWEETWATER, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE WITHIN LAND AND TOWN LOTS ASSESSED ON THE TAX ROLLS OF SAID CITY FOR THE YEAR 1921 ARE DELINQUENT FOR THE TAXES OF 1921.
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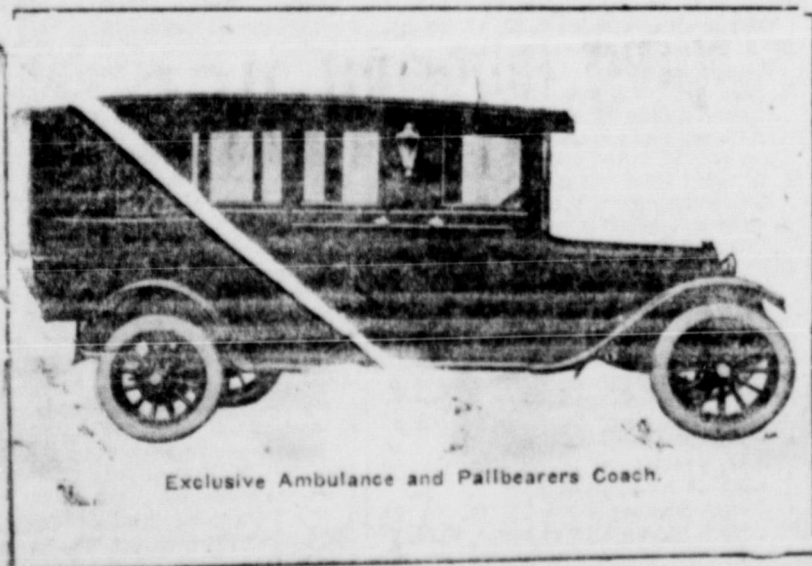
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