# **BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS**

### SUCCESSOR TO THE SILVERTON STAR

#### VOUME No. 12, No. 32

PUBLISHED WEEKLY AT SILVERTON, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS

**Subscriptions Being Taken** For the Denver W. L. JENKINS BEGINS

The work of soliciting subscrip tions to guarantee the right-ofway and terminal to the signers of the contract with the Denver has actually begun.

which 28 men were present, the esteem here not only by the camp ground during the summer. this week. committee that had been appoint- church members but by the ened at a former meeting made tire citizenship, seemingly, and JIM BUSBY RETURNS a report recommending that a pa-per be circulated and pledges se-back, having served here two cured and that a contract be en- years ago.

tered into between the signers Upon entering the church last Jim Busby, big deputy sheriff, thereof and the finance committee Sunday, during the Sunday School returned from a week's trip to that will sign the contract with service, the entire school stood McGargle, Graham and Wichita the Denver officials, so as to pro-tect the men who sign for the community. It was unanimously voted to adopt this method of being taken. The Baptist dis-a nice trip and says that while procedure and practically every missed their evening services and McGargle is twice as big as Silman in attendance immdiately came enmasse to welcome the verton with four times as much signed the contract, pledging a new pastor. Rev. Jenkins was business, due to oil boom, the Bennett makes his headquarters neck was broken and his chest gagement Silverton took the certain amount, it being under- equal to the occassion and spoke newspaper there doesn't compare at Plainview. stood that if the amount raised is in excess of the amount needed to pay for the right-of-way and terminal that it will be prorated with the Briscoe County News. "That Ye Should Love one anoth-er." W. M. Draper, pastor of the Bastor of the advantage of our special ofback.

Y

)

th

re

ir

re

will o-

ith Mr.

f Pampa

trict

If

es

A solciting comittee composed ment pertaining to the Thanks- \$1.50. of the following was appointed giving service. by chairman, J. A. Bain: J. M. Heald, J. R. Burson, T. M. Nich-ols, C. D. Wright, W. E. Schott, Kendrick was had at his home Crow. The following were ap-pointed as a right-of-way com-mittee: D. M. Morgan, Dan Mon-Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob tague, P. A. Jones, Jno Burson, Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs.T. A. Howard Payne. Roscoe Fort, M. C. Potter and Northcutt and little granddaugh-C. C. Garrison. The committees ter, Margie, Mr. and Mrs. Dougre to make a report Friday night las Northcutt and family, Miss d a mass meeting will be held Bertha Mae Stevenson, Mr. Bert District Court room to rehd report.

Two hundred reels of motionpicture films and 9.400 slides are Baptist Church met Sunday with G. A. NIX LOCATES tion service of the University of 13 members present and had a distributed by the visual instruccollection of of70 cents. Mrs. Oregon. These present historical Perry, president, read a portion scenes, classical drama, art, fairy stories. birds and animals, rocks of the 86 Psalm. Prayer by Mrs. and minerals, fish and plant life, Stewart. No new members reand other subjects. They are ported and no sick one reported. widely used by communities and -Reporter. schools throughout the state.

The Ambassador Class of the

#### E. H. PERRY LEASES CORNER: TO OPEN GRO. AND CAMP GROUND

year lease on the corner formerly theatre for a week's engagement. occupied by the old wagon yard The manager of the show was in on the north west side of the Silverton Tuesday billing the court house square. He has torn town. He said that the show SECOND PASTORATE HERE away most of the old sheds and was fully as good if not better improved the building and put up than it was when they were here W. L. Jnkins began his second a new picket fence. He says thefore as they have added several pastorate here Sunday of the M. that he intends to put in a stock new members to the cast. The At a meeting Monday night, at E. Church. He is held in high of grocries and to run a tourist company is playing in Turkey

### FROM WEEK'S TRIP

Baptist church made an announce fer of 13 months subscription for and Mrs. Jeff Simpson, Mrs. brothers living below the cap. JOINT SERVICE AT BAPTIST

Paul I. Odor and family left Wednesday morning for Abilene. Simpson's brother-in-law, of Coryell County also visited them R. Brown, F. P. Bain and W. H. Present: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cur Simmons University "Homeson", I. M. Nich-Fred Lemons, U. M. Meeker, H. Sunday and the following were R. Brown, F. P. Bain and W. H. Present: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cur Simmons University "Homeson", I. M. Nich-Fred Lemons, U. M. Meeker, H. Sunday and the following were R. Brown, F. P. Bain and W. H. Present: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cur Simmons University "Homeson", I. M. Nich-Fred Lemons, U. M. Meeker, H. Sunday and the following were R. Brown, F. P. Bain and W. H. Present: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cur Simmons University "Homeson", Homeson Simmons University "Homeson", I. M. Nich-Simmons University "Homeson", Simmons University "Homeson", Simmonson Unitersity "Homeson", Simmons University "Homeson", Simm Simmons University "Homecom- daughter, Ruby, who is attend- crease was nearly 20,000. ing" and see the annual "Turkey ing school at the college. Miss bond issue in 1920 of \$9.500,000 will deliver the address of the Game" between Simmons and

> December the 12th is the day to begin your Christmas shopping. School class of young people met ings, land and equipment. Hyancenth bulbs, ready for the at her home Tuesday evening for light-needle work of all kinds. a social and business meeting. Northeutt, Mr. Jas M. Boyer, Mr. Also, Pies, cakes and Hot drinks at Mrs. Fisher's Style Shoppe,



Thelma Nix, Daughter of G. A.

#### GABE GARRETT'S COMO-**DIANS TO OPEN HERE MON.** Gabe Garrett's Commedians

who played here last spring will E. H. Perry has secured a three open here Monday in their tent

> Lee White, of Jones County Justice of the Peace, Morton, has moved his family to the Vigo said that Montgomery met death from a broken neck as a result of Park Community. an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Carter motored to Plainview Monday on isiness

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Turner of Turkey spent Sunday with Mr. is understood that he has two Simpson's sister returning with The body was shipped to Mexia them to make her home. Mr. for burial. Simpson's brother-in-law, of

Ruby will remain over for for school buildings proved insuf-Thanksgiving and the week end. ficient to meet the need, and the

city last year voted an additional Mrs. W. N. Draper's Sunday \$34,640,000 for new school build-JUPPOSED MAD

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pritle and Mrs. Reuben Pritle of Amarillo, visited with Jim Davis the first of the week. Mr. Pritle is a son of Rev. Z. G. Pritle, formerly pas tor of the Methodist church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jackson over the Burson Motor company building.

THURSDAY, NOV.26 1925

### W. C. MONTGOMERY SILVERTON FOOT **BALL TEAM MAKES RECORD THIS YEAR**

W. C. Montgomery, 42 years The Silverton High School old, who moved here from east football team will close one its Texas last spring and was living most successful seasons here about four miles east of town, Thanksgiving day when they was killed late Thursday night play the Olton eleven. The Silwhen the car in which he was verton team has played six games, returning home left the highway winnig four, tieing one and losing at a small bridge near the cem- one. The schedule and scores etary. The coroners verdict, as of the games have been as follows a result of the inquest held by Silverton 6 - Lockney 13

Silverton 3 - Matador o

- Silverton 6 Tulia 6
- Silverton 27 Kress 14
- Silverton 13 Lockney 7 Silverton 14 - Tulia 6

Meeker and another young man It will be seen that although were returning from Quitaque the locals have played six games and discovered the wrecked car they have only gone up against and body of the man about one a. four teams and that they have B. F. Bennett of the West Tex- m. They immediately notified won from every team. The forst Chamber of Commerce was a the proper authorities and the in- game of the season was dropped isitor in Silverton Monday. Mr. quest was held. The victim's to Lockney but on the return enhe had not been dead long before game with Tulia was a tie but he was discovered. Mr Mont- Silverton took the second go

# CHURCH THANKSGIVING

There will be a union Thanksschool children each year has giving service at the Baptist A pastor of the Methodist church occassion and it is expected that an unusually large crowd will be in attendance. It is not known whether the stores will close for the holiday or not but it is though that most of them at least, it be closed during the autemoon.

#### **CROUTHERS CASH** STORE PUTTING ON BIG SPECIAL SALE

Quite a bit of excitement was Robt. Crotthers, of Crouthers are moving into and apartment caused Tuesday afternoon when a Cash store is announcing a big Collie dog at the home of Jeff special sale in this issue of the Davis, in th east part of town News. Mr. Crouthers states that turned mad, or at least appeared he has a large stock of seasonable

Nix, local blacksmith, left Silver- Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Harris, Em to do so,. The dog snapped at merchandise and staple groceries

states definite standards for kin-dergartens teachers. In Bulletin No. 7, 1925. of the Interior Department, Bureau of Education, these laws are analyzed and pertinent information presented concerning the establisment, support Father and conduct of kindergartens in the United States.

The W. M. U. will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 2:30 Lesson in Soul Winning. Leader,

Mrs.Buchanan. All members are as a "golden volced" soprano! urged to attend.

States. Although the laws vary come to Sunday School and all materially, they include in 34 married people under "40" are

Willie Floyd Kendrick and Mr.

The T. E. L. Class of the first

and Mrs. Johnnie Kendrick.

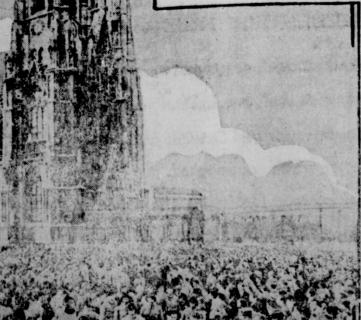


of hirin' a famous singer, a theater manager billed her

### Austrians Want German Annexation



Part of the vast throng that gath ered in the square of the Votive church in Vienna recently to demonstrate in favor of the proposed annexation of Austria by Germany. The union of the two countries in the not distant future is considered probable.



been made by all but four of the collection. Everyone is urged to had imployment in a restaurant. not heard from his daughter.

A few weeks ago he decided that he would make an effort to largments made from a small ko- is reported to have been seriously room of the house with it fight- his ad. dak picture. These, with a letter ill for the past two weeks but is ing, biting and snapping continuof description and details of Miss improving some now. Nix's disappearance, were sent to chiefs of police and newspapers on the west coasts where it was the rebuilding of the Haylake Bob Stevenson and J. L. Waters supposed she had gone.

After due lapse of time Mr Nix bgan getting results.

dro, California under the name of expected to arrive in Silverton present including Mrs. Jeff Davis, Thelma Jackson. Her picture for a visit with her daughter. was quickly recognized by a police officer of San Pedro who was an acquaintance of Thelma's, wrote was attending to business and a very nice letter to Ma. Nix tell- visiting friends here the first of ing him that Thelma had married the week. a sailor and was now living in San Francisco, and giving other information calculated to cause Mr. Nix to cease worrying as to

her well being. A woman of San Pedro, seeing Thelma's picture in the papers, Burson's. wrote that she had roomed at her right, in fact he thought she was cious breakfast was served. new-found son-in-law name is Coffey, Frieze, and Burson. Jimmie Green and he is an elec-trician, 1st class on the U. S. S. ing with Miss Burson. Sunday He offered no explanation as to near future.

giving, due to the fact that they papers. know that their daughter is safe Most of the teachers are planand sound.

Tuesday.

school house.

D. M. Wadlington, of Munday

#### **SLUMBER PARTY**

.Saturday night the Junior girls and part of the Senior's went to slumber party at Miss Anna

A lunch was served at Midnight house and told of her having gone after mid-night everyone had to to San Francisco. And to cap the keep going in order to keep aclimax, the sailor son-in-law, see- wake. The girls stayed up until ing the picture in a paper, immed- seven o'clock the next morning iately wrote a long letter assuring and at seven they went to bed and Mr. Nix that his daughter was al- slept until nine. At nine a delithe finest girl in the world, and The girls present were: Misses that she had just presented him Dickerson, Pyeatt, Morgan, Bowit ha fine baby son. Mr. Nix's mar, Cloyd, Jackson, Crawford,

Pennsplvania. He will complete afternoon they went for a joy ride his time in the navy in eight mon- on "Ham and Eggs". Everyone ths at which time he expects to had a wonderful time and . are ask for a permanent discharge. hoping to get to go back in the

why Thelma had not written her Examination began Tuesday folks but said that he would see marning at nine o'clock and closthat she did soon. Needless to ed yesterday at four o'clock. say, Mr. Nix and his family will High school teachers are going to spend a more thankful Thanks- celebrate Thanksgiving grading

ning to be away Thanksgiving.

Legal provision for the estab- Baptist Church met Sunday with ton a little more than a year ago mett Puckett and Maxine Frieze the children and another dog and and that he is determined not to lishments of kindergartens has fourteen present and a 55 cent to go to Globe, Arizona where she attended the dedication of the chassed the children in the house, carry over any large amount of new Masonic Temple and the who escaped without being bit- it, even if he has to sell some of Until last Saturday Mr. Nix had Shrine ceremonial in Amarillo ten. The women folks, failing to it below cost. The prices that get assistance, beat off the dog he is quoting seem to be lower with sticks or anything they than can be found in any of the

**DOG FRIGHTENS** 

WOMAN; IS KILLED

**KILLED IN AUTO** 

ACCIDENT THURS.

Ike McClendon and "Dutch"

An increase of about 20,000

Onar Cornett, son of E. H. Cor- could lay their hands on, and fin- neighboring towns and readers locate hr and so had some en- nett, of the Haylake community ally corralled the dog in the bath of the News will do well to scan

> ously. They telephoned to town REBECCAS INITIATE for help and in the absense of the Work is progressing rapidly on sheriff or the "official dog killer" Mrs. T. L. DeSpain, of Dallas, the bath room door and killed the Mrs. Rawls Miller, Mrs. Stuart, others.

> > Mrs. A. V. McCaryt, of Canyon spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. A. Jones place, arrived here. Mon-C. B. Goodwin.

FOUR NEW MEMBERS

i Sa

AI' MA

rist rea Thu Ma ind

-wi

The Rebecca lodge met at the went to their aid. They stuck I. O. O. F. Hall Monday night the muzzle of the gun through and a very interesting time is reported. Four new members were Miss Nix had gone to San Pe- mother of Mrs. E. E. Merrell, is dog. There were several women initiated into the lodge which now has a total membership here Mrs. Sam Hunt, Mrs. Alvin Davis Haynes is the Noble Grand and Mrs. Hattie Davis and perhaps Mrs. Mattie Perry the vice Grand

> J. F. Cowsar, of Knox County, who has bought a lease on the P. day with his household effects.





Strayed: Cream colored white spotted Jersey Cow, with halter. Notify Johnson & Jerdis, Real Estate, Tulia, Texas.

#### FARM LOANS

Long time, low rate, good options, quick service. Do not require school land patented. Also buy Vendor Lien Notes. Z. G. Fogerson, Box, 545, Amarillo, Tex

# List Your Land-

With R. F. Stevenson. Office in District Clerk's room, second fioor of courthouse. If you want to buy a bargain see me.



#### THE BEST MAN IN THE CHAPTER By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK Dean of Men. University of Illinois.

WE WERE talking over the mon who composed the active membership of his chapter. Greene and L attempting to give a proper estimate to each man's character and influence. We were pretty well agreed until we came to Benton.

"Benton is the best man in the chaper," Greene asserted. Why do you think so?" I asked.

"Well, he's our best student," Greene affirmed, "or at least close to the best. He has good manners, he is well known about the campus, his morals are unimpeachable, and his family connections are excellent." This was all true, but from my point of view Benton was far from the best man in the fraternity. He was selfish; he seldom gave any consideration to the interest or to the welfare of others. He had the most comfortable and the quietest room in the house. No freshman in trouble with his studies would ever have thought of zoing to Benton for help, though he was, perhaps, best able of any one in the chapter to give the help had it been asked. He made no sacrifices for other people. He knew less about how the fellows were getting on, what the standing of the individual men in the chapter was than many a freshman. He often came to my office to ask for some personal favor, but I should never have thought of asking him anything about how his fraternity brothers were doing, for he would not have known or cared. If there was anything special to be done for the chapter he was always busy; his own

interests came first. yielded none of his opinions or preferences. He was invariably right and admitted it, and if things could not go his way, he refused to have anything to do with them. I was accustomed to grant such special favors as he might ask, for it must be said to his credit that he was a student who seldom, if ever, neglected his work, and who acly and well; but if he ever asked me for something which I could not quite (eel I ought to grant, he was never willing to accept my view of the case gracefully, but he went out of the office flushed and angry. He was a bad loser.

He was well known about the trucks were produced. campus, it is true, but he was not popular. He was indifferent or arrogant to the man who, less fortunate than himself, had not had a chance to beong to a fraternity, and even to other fraternity men he assumed an air of condescension which was maddening. Hymn, It was evident that before we had talked to him for five minutes he felt that the men who were members of his fraternity were of a different class. were formed of a finer clay than were conplace members of other or



BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

"He stopped gambling because he was being haunted? By what kind of ghost i "The ghost of a chance."

#### To Match the Bride

There is, it seems, a trying time in store for the prospective bridegroom, for the decree has gone forth that he must now appear at his wedding dressed in the same color as his bride

A ceremony where this new fashion was observed has already been reported ; but as the woman on that ] occasion was married in brown, her partner for life was able to get himself up to match without becoming prominent.

Other men will not get off so. easily, for the marriage garment may be white or any color of the rainbow. We may yet witness the alarming spectacle of an azure bride leading to the altar an unwilling victim clothed for the sacrifice in a pale-blue suit with tie, shoes and spats to correspond .--- Windsor Magazine.

Farm crops in Texas are worth He could not work well with other about one billion dollars a year, people. He made no concessions, he which is about double the figures of any other state.

The Ford Motor Company's production record moved up to a igher peak than ever during the ast week. Figures given out by the company Saturday afternoon showed that for the week complished his assigned tasks regular- of October 17-23 the domestic production totaled 49.004 cars and trucks, a record for any six-day period.

The biggest day for the week, which reached a new record, was last Tuesday when 8,466 cars and

#### **ROYAL SERVICE PROGRAM** December 2.

Bible Study, Mrs. Buchanan. rayer for Real Xmas Spirit By Mrs. Draper. Child from the Glory Land by Mrs -Fouse.



26 Piece Set of Rogers and Bro. Guaranteed Nickel Silverware, celebrated "Westerlys" Pattern in a beautiful display chest. Will make you the proud possessor of this beautiful chest of Silverware.

tal

the

the

Ve

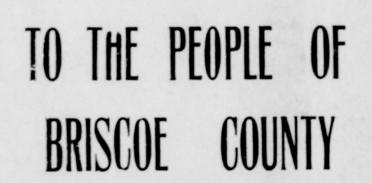
of

WO

tee add pic fro

How you can secure this Beautiful Silverware absolutely free: With each and every cash purchase of Sweedish Enamel ware of \$1. at this store we will give the customer a key .ch One of these keys thus given away will be the the key that will unlock the lock, and the possessor of this key will become the owner of this beautiful Silverware.

Come and see the silverware, also the lock on exhibition at our store. Bring in your keys on the Day and Date set-Watch for the Announcement-And see if you hold the success-



This is to call your attention to the fact that I have again taken charge of the Briscoe County Butual as Secretary-Manager. I have been in Abilene as President of the Abilene Div. of the Southern Benevolent for the last twelve months where we have sold three million dollars of Mutual Insurance. I have with me J. H. Richards of the Southern Benevolent Ass'n., and with his help I am going to build this membership to a thousand in the next sixty days. Now I am asking for the cooperation of all the Mutual members and every man and woman in Briscoe County. . We are not fighting any other Mutual but you should first join your Home Mutual. Please help us boost.

We are thirty months old and have had eighteen calls; deaths, dues and all. Making it cost up to date sixty cents per month. C. R. PENNINGTON, Secretary

ganizations a seifish con eited snob.

The best man in any organization is ne, of course, who does the work of the organization, but he should also give consideration to the other men in t, he should be willing to co-operate, e should have at heart not only his nterests but the interests of every other man. The ideals of the organization should mean more to him than nere words, they should influence and control his life. The best organization man can never be a selfish man.

(C. 1925, Western Newspaper Union.)

#### Funeral Was All Right. but Resurrection, No!

Dr. Ladislas Wroblewski, the Polish minister to Washington, said in a talk about diplomacy at a dinner party

"The German embassy's action in refusing to put its flag at half-mast when Woodrow Wilson died reminds me of a good story.

"On the death of the duke of Wellington the French ambassador to London decided, German-embassy fashion, not to attend the funeral.

"'How can I attend the faneral.' be said, 'of the vietor of Waterloo, of the man who wrecked my couptry ?

"But the American ambassador gave him wise counsel.

" 'Hold on there, friend ! They're burying the duke, are they not? "Yes, of course.'

"Well, then, accept the government's invitation and attend his burial. Always accept an invitation to the duke's burial, but, if you're ever invited to his resurrection. decline with thanks.'"

Sage Jays:

lessly ye'll hev an

accident sconer or later; ef ye drive arefully, some reck-Meral: Thuy glt yo

Children Always-Mrs. Bomar. Common Characteristics- Mrs. Haynes.

Prayer of Thanksgiving for hrist Child-Distressing Differences- Mrs.

Morgan. Angels Announcement - Mrs.

Homer Simpson. Heavenly Hymn-Mrs. Draper Gifts of Grace-Mrs. Garrison. Discussion of Plans for Xmas offering-Mrs. Earl Simpson.

ful key that unlocks the lock that makes you the happy possessor of this Beautiful Silverware. C

## WILEY-MERRELL HDW. CO.

Hardware, Harness, Queensware & Implemen

Silverton, Texas

FREE!

We have on display at our store a fruit jar full of money which we will give ABSOLUTELY FREE to the person guessing the correct amount, or nearest correct. One guess will be allowed with each purchase of one dollar made at our store between now and Saturday at 5 P. M. at which time the winner will be announced.

Be sure to make a guess. Get in on the fun!

# **DOUGLAS & WHITESIDE**

"The Store That Strives to Please"



Firmer v3

MA	19115115	COUPON
iears, R	Photodelphia Da	ið illes Scande Käkan Ch
and Lan	a General Caul	Ing. TA LOU
Neme		
Puntotica		
Rural Ro	ya	Box No

PHONE US for High Grade groceries, fruits and vegetables-Quality groceries at lower prices. SOUTH SIDE GROCERY

"Where Your Dollars Go Farther" Free Delivery Silverton, Texas

OBTANT-PIN

1, 19

3rc

who a

last Fr

ad weat

h prese

i for s

ee tick

he mo

o are c

the Si

s as the

llot, al

is havit

the nan

inder th

rustees

No. 2

School

t School

rict

istrict

in

Satud

TIAN MAY 3

iristian

accomp

preach t

Church

May 30 and eve

e will b

es due

Pot

dispos

(96c) cents for which please mas Nippon Sifk Hosiery Chu. 2 Se per pair per week sutil a retiller me to four pair of one colors and sizes as desig- Signed E.F.D. or Street Address	SEND ONLY 96C For 4 Pair Balance on weekly payments of the per payments of the per payment o	Xmas Club—Women's Hose 1925. NIPPON SILK HOSIERY CLUB P. O. Box 1264. Memphis, Tenn. Enclosed herewith find ninety six (95c) cents for which please enroll me as a member of your Xmas Nippon Silk Hosiery Club, It is understood that I am to send 25c per pair per week until to balance of stat I am to send 25c per pair per week until to balance of that I am to send 25c per pair per week until to distance of that I am to send 25c per pair per week until to distance of that I am to send 25c per pair per week until to distance of the pair of Women's Nippon Pare Thread Silk Hose, colors and sizes as designated below. B.F.D. or Street Address
Tova State Size	Do Not Delay REMEMBER - Club will club at an early date. Send your order in today. All ships inte for Xmaa delivery. NIPPON SILK HOSIERY CLUB Post Office Box 1594 Memphie, Tenn.	Town Not Street Address Town State Color Size Color Size Color Size Color Size Color Size Color Size Size Color Size

or to the Silverton Star.Official Organ of Briscoe County J. L. Nunn, Publisher. Paul I. Odor, Editor Entered as Second Class Mail Matter at the Post Office at Silver-

ton, Texas, in accordance with an act of Congress March 3,1879.

Advertising Rates on Application

\$2.00 Per Year

**OUR PLATFORM** Get a Railroad any railroad. More Brick Business Buildings.

A Modern Hotel for Silverton.

A Passable Road across the Tule Canyon.

#### REAL THANKSGIVING

When we think of Thanksgiving Day we associate it with a big turkey strutting about the farm-yard, or perhaps we are reminded of the steaming, delectable portions of cranberry sauce brought from the kitchen. In any event, the ideas of service in giving and gratitude in receiving are uppermost, although they may be brought to the attention by the performance of customary rites long asso\_ ciated with this public holiday.

It is dutiful to give thanks for what we have received. But bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidit is more enobling to the spirit to be greatful for what we are able ney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrah, to give. A prayer uttered because one has been blessed with good health or good fortune fails of its completeness unnless with it goes thanks for being thereby able to help one's self to better circumstances and to help others. Even good health and great wealth the two most cherished of material possessions, are but means, not ends. They are the starting points of real service,. What good is a robust specimen of quarterback or tackle unless he can get into the game and help his team to win? Such man would actually suffer if kept out. What benefit to himself or to mankind is the clipper of interest coupons or the drawer of wage unlness the thritis wealth gained is put into legitimate circulation and beneficial service.

Thankful? Yes. We are thankful for the good conditions that have been showered upon us and for all the benefits we have received; but we are also thankful for all that these things have made possible for us to do, and for the good works that they will enable us to accomplish. This is real thanksgiving.

#### THE PROFITS OF DECENCY

The biggest discovery of the twentieth century is the sound- by their husbands. mess of the principle of live and let live.

Other generations were convinced that "dog eat dog" was the hard rule of business.A man sought prosperity by outwitting or destroying his rivals.

That spirit lingers in places but it is dominant no longer. Instead of fighting to undermine competitors, men co-operate to promote the general prosperity. The growth of this habit of mutual helpfulness during the last few yars is one of the remarkable developments of American life.

It is an outcome of another important discovery, the profit to be made out of multiplying and satisfying the wants of the average

Plato, the great dreamer of ancient Greece, described his ideal republic in which the fortunate citizens were kept prosperous and free by the labor of slaves. He could not imagine a state in which the men and women who performed the heavy labor of civilization also shared in its fruits.

The discovery that there is room enough for all is one of the epochal advances in human history.

The United States has learned the lesson irst. Our rich ing if not up to date in that town. natural resources developed by scientific industrial methods have provided wealth inconceivably abundant.

Forty years ago many business men were possessed of the lack of available land upon which to idea that they could prosper as they took business away from their build.



Does Not Operate Will be at AMARILLO HOTEL MONDAY, NOV. 23 Office hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m..

ONE DAY ONLY No Charge for Consultation

Dr. Mellenthin is a regular graduate medicine and surgery and is licensed by the state of Texas. He does not operate for chronic appendicitis, gall stones, ulcers of the stomach, tonsils or adenoids.

He has to his credit wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, ilcers and rec tal ailments.

many satisfied patients in Texas. Mrs. J.T. Tucker, Clarksville, gall

rouble Mrs. J.H. Weiser, Lexington, heart

trouble R. A. Schumann, New Braumfels,

headaches Mrs. Henry Wirthorn, Crawford, an-

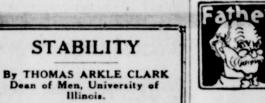
H. A. Newton, Cross Plains gall stones Mrs. H. D. Brown, Burckburnett, heumatisn

Mrs. C.T.Kaiser, Humble, gall stones H. G. Fenske, Riesel, appendicitis. Remember above date, that consulation on this trip will be free and that his treatment is different.

Married women must be accompanied Address; 211 Bradbury Bldg, Los

Angeles, California.

Subscribe for the News



 $\mathbf{T}_{\mathrm{stone}\ \mathrm{mill}\ \mathrm{were}\ \mathrm{tearing}\ \mathrm{down}\ \mathrm{the}\ \mathrm{old}}$ village near which I lived when I was Shop. a boy and putting up a brick garage upon its former site. They are noth-The next time I go there I shall probably find that they are constructing apartment houses, though there is no

The old mill was built a long time ago, or at least so it seemed to me

for it looked weather beaten when I



BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

Where whom I have knownthose simple, unselfish souls who meet sorrows and the sacrifices of a life of toil uncomplainingly and well-I always think of John.

His was, indeed, a very unheroic fig-He was round-shouldered, and ure. thin, almost to emaciation, and if the truth must be told, a little unkempt, his thin iron-gray bair a little ragged and uncombed.

In early life he had been a farmhand; later he apprenticed himself to a barber, and in recent years he had kept an untidy barber shop at the edge of town. Frugal wives beat him out of his earnings by trimming the hair of their husbands and children: the work was sometimes crudely done, but a penny saved is twopence earned and there was no evidence of an inflated currency in the village. He could adapt himself to various sorts of work. He was a host in himself Below are th enames of a few of his at the time of spring housecleaning, wielding the paint brush skillfully within and without the house, putting on wall paper, and acting as general carpenter and repair man.

He had a ready wit, a keen insight into the characters of men, a strangely simple accurate judgment. He had no knowledge of literature, he was not much given to religion, he was quite ignorant of political science, and yet the village teacher always dropped in to see John when he struck a hard snag; the minister would never have got quite successfully through a revival service without consulting him. and there was never a political scheme in the county carried through without his being on the inside

He knew everyone within twenty miles, and everyone whom he knew had a good word for him. Children told him their troubles, mothers named their babies for him, men out of luck and out of work came to him for help, and young boys asked his advice and took it. No one was too low or too insignificant for bis consideration



Good values in hose. All the prevailing colors at the Style



rfere

vani

ne with st. Eat

Get a f

ng store

We cal

City Tai

V

W

fine

ferin

a we

we h

pans

Cups

Le

stove

prov

zine.

C

Si

fu

ra lo

inc marine

# THRIFT--

Thrift is the keynote of a successful career, no matter what work you are in. You don't have to hoard your earnings but you will find it a help to carry an account which will take you through the "rainy day"

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Silverton, Texas

Subscribe for The Briscoe County News.

### **CLARENDON STEAM LAUNDRY**

I will call for family washings, just phone No. 32. Leave small amounts at Smithee's Barber Shop. You get THREE DAY service. Rough Dry Laundrieing only 9c per pound. GIVE US A TRIAL!

Send your Laundry to Clarendon Steam Ldy. by E. L. Evans, agent he j

A Single Ride

competitor

The fact that the capacity of the human race to consume and consequently to produce has never been fathomed. Nobody can vesterday. It must have dated back bound the possibilities of consumption.

The man who predicted that the money value of products manufactured in the United States would increase six times in twenty years would have been considered a lunitic. Yet that happened taken down twenty-five years ago, between 1899 and 1919 and the present rate of growth is even faster

America has expanded miraculously because we are at last recogrizing the fact that there is room enough for all. We have proved that high wages pay handsome dividends. We have seen the prosperity of one establishment open opportunities for others in the same industry. There is no room for jealcusy or destructive ago. "This old shack in which we are competition.

A great thing has happened. The materail advantages of de\_ cency have been demonstrated and a wide and promising vista has been opend. This, too, is America's gift to the world .- Colliers Weekly

**Furniture And** 

complete for you to choose from.

**Floor Coverings** 

We have received several shipments of new

Furniture recently and our stocks are now

"GOLD SEAL" CONGOLEUM

J.A. BAIN

coverings. Let us supply your needs.

We carry this and other high grade floor

#### was a boy and that is longer ago than to 1850 at least, and that is almost as remote as the Stone age in middle west building.

"The old thing should have been I heard one of the boys of the town saying. "Isn't it wonderful how long some of these buildings will stand? "We've got to have a new house before many years," I heard some college fraternity boys saying not long living won't be any good .very much longer. Why, the house must be at least twenty-five years old."

It was, indeed, almost that old and was of brick and stone, quite subtantially built, and with proper care ould have done service for a cen ury or two.

We do some things very well in our untry which is, of course, the greatest country in the world, but in few instances do we build with the idea of stability and permanency. If a ouse or a business block is fifty years old we usually look upon it as back number, an architectural an ique which should either go into a useum or be torn down and replaced. by something more modern and of wer type of architecture.

The farmhouse in which I lived the rst time I was in England had been uilt more than two hundred years and it was as solid and well kept as if it had been put up twenty years ago The aqueduct at Segovia was built by Augustus Caesar, built without nortar, too, and rises in some places to a height of ninety feet, and it is loing business today as it did then and seems likely to be good for a iousand years more.

There are parts of the Abbey of Mont Saint Michel that look as solid nd as substantial as when they were built more than a thousand years ago I have seen buildings constructe pefore Columbus discovered America hat look better, are better designed and are in better repair than others n our American cities that were erect ed in 1893, and the difference does not ie in the materials used.

Perhaps the reason lies in the fact hat we build for today to satisfy a present need; we build hastily and without a sufficiently well-considered olan, and so there is little permaence or stability in our buildings. (c), 1925, Western Newspaper Union.

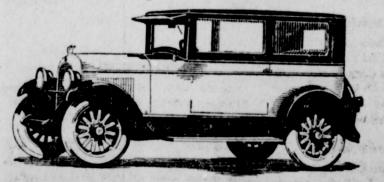
Read "The Homesteader"

# Explains Its Popularity

A single ride proves why the Chrysler Four justly merits the tremendous popularity it has built up in a few short months. In sustainned high speeds-inpliability of power-in economy-in durability and in freedom from mechanical attention which result from high quality of design, materials and workmanship-in ease of handling-and most emphatically in riding steadiness and com fort-the Chrysler Four gives results not found combined in cars of any type even beyond it in price.

As distinctive as its performance is a beauty so advanced that popular desire sweeps towards it inevitably.

Let us prove by a demonstration why the Chrysler is the Favored Four among tens of thousands of owners.



# CHRYSL SIX - FOUR **RAYMOND PATTON.** Dealer

Silverton, Texas

w Doctors Treat be nicely pressed and cleaned-Colds and the Flu Try City Tailor Shop. to break up a cold overnight or cut short an attack of grippe, in-enza, sore throat or tonsillitis, phy-

nza, sore druggists are now recom-ans and druggists are now recom-ding Calotabs, the purified and ned calomel compound tablet that is you the effects of calomel and combined, without the unpleas-

o salts, no nausea nor the singulest terference with your eating, work pleasure. Next morning your cold as vanished, your system is thor-ughly purified and you are feeling ne with a hearty appetite for break-st. Eat what you please,—no dan-

Get a family package, containing all directions, only 35 cents. At any rag store. (adv) ng store.

We call and deliver. Phone us. ity Tailor Shop.

Modern Laundries, such as we represent, not only do all kinds of family washing but do the most expert cleaning and pressing of Suits and Dresses to be had anywhere.

To look nice your clothes must

SEND IT TO THE

LAUNDRY

Prices Reasonable BOYER'S BARBER SHOP Silverton, Texas

# **Valuable Coupons Given with Each CashPurchase**

We have just received a large shipment of fine **ALLUMINUM WARE** which we are offering at very special prices. The ware is of a well known brand and of excellent quality, we have Roasters, Buckets, Percolators, Stew pans, Collanders, Soap Dishes, Cake Cutters, Cups and spoons. And many other articles

Let us show you the new five-burner oil stove. This is the wickless stove that is approved of by the Good Housekeeping Magazine.



BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

# Silverton School News

Friday afternoon the girls bask Athletic Club. ball team journeyed over to Floydada and accepted a 32-36 de-

leanest and hardest fought games for this announcement. ever played on the Floydada court. The score was tied sev-S. H. S. was in the lead several

times. It would be hard to pick individual stars on either side as both teams played almost as a unit and brilliantly, too. S.H.S. forwards

scaracely missed a shot during the first three quarters. Both shots from the most difficult an- tered the eight grade. gles, getting applause even from the Flaydada rooters. Jackson, at running center, played a peppy game during the last quarter. Stiles at forward for F. has a leadly eye for goal. She is fast

and plays so much like a boy that our guards didn't solve her until well toward the last of the game The Floydada folks are dyed in he wool sports. They know how to make visitors feel gracious even in defeat. They support

heir teams one hundred per cent strong, but they can see the good points in opposing teams and let that be known also. There is no nagging nor cheap talk from the sidelines as is too often the case. We get a return game with them here soon after Xmas and we must not be outdone ,neither in play nor in sportsmanship.

Caps cleaned and pressed-25c. City Tailor Shop.

The play "Clarence" has been feat in what the Floydada fans put off indefinately. The date report to be one of the fastest will be announced later, so watch

The parent Teachers Associaeral times during the game and tion will meet on Wednesday, Nov 25, instead of Thursday, this time All parents are urged to attend these meetings, because they are very important.

There were two new pupils in high school this week. Bessie Jenkins who entered the tenth Hodges and Stevenson making grade and Myrtle Jenkins who en

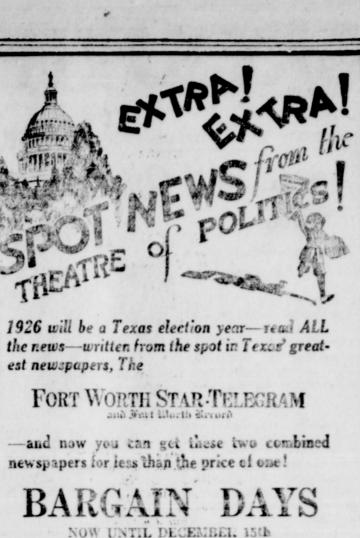
Read the advertisements

## Dr. J.J. Breaker

HYSICIAN and SURGEON Office phone 53 Res. phone 55

eave your calls at my residence when you don't find me in my office-Please

GARNER BROS. UNDERTAKERS Texas Silverton,



L 1, 192

3rd

who at

last Fri

ad weat

1 presen

disposi

i for si

ee ticke

he mos

o are o

the Sil

s as the

llot, als

Is havin

the nam

inder th

rustees

No. 2.

School

t Schoo

rict

istrict

in Satuda

TIAN MAY 3

iristian

accompa reach tr

Church

May 30

and ever

e will be

es due t

Pott

Daily With-Sunday Fort Worth Star-Telegram combined with The Fort Worth Star-Telegram combined with The Fort Worth Record at 5 mail year-ly rate of \$7.45 daily and Sunday as against the regular price of \$10.00 for The Star-Telegram alone

### Daily Without Sunday The Fort Worth Star-Telegrom combined with The Fort Worth Star-Telegram combined with The Fort Worth Record at a mail year-ly rate of \$3.95 daily without Sunday as against the regular price of \$3.00 for The Star-Telegram alone

Rates in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma only. Think what this means to you and your family.

The greatest news service ever gathered together by a Southern newspaper-24-hour triple wire Associated Press Service-incomparable news reports-with editions based on train schedules.

Never before have such comic section leaders been presented by one newspaper. Read The Star-Telegram-Record and you'll enjoy Gumps, Tillie the Toiler, Boob McNutt, Polly and Her Pals. Katzenjammers Skeezix, Spark Plug, Mutt and Jeff-and listen, Jiggs and Maggie are back home again!

The most interesting paper in Toxas and always as big as the news of the day requires.

AMON G. CARTER, Publisher.





# Come-see this fullsize, 5-passenger Sedan

Yes\_a full-size 5-passenger closed car

-with room and to spare for 5 full-grown people to ride in ... a smartly-designed car, clean-cut, rakish, low, extraordinarily goodlooking!

Wider seats

- the widest of any light car built, new single-piece, undivided front seat, 39 inces wide, 19 inches deep, wider back seat, 45 inches wide, 18 inches deepyou know what that means to your driving comfort and freedom ...

#### Big wide windows

-more than 20 square leet of window space - all the air and all the broad, uninterrupted vision of a touring car with closed-car protection . . .

#### Extra wide doors

- Easy entrance and exit to both front and rear seats. No discomfort to any-



body in getting in or out. Each door has four extra-heavy hinges ....

#### Selective sliding gear transmission

-at the lowest price at which you can have a modern selective sliding geor transmission in a closed automobile

These are only a few of the 91 big car features that come to you with this great light car at this amazing price. Come in-Examine it. Terms so easy they could inconvenience nobody. Only a small down payment. 52 weeks for the balance. Your old car can be applied as part payment.



C. D. WRIGHT, Dealer

# **CROUTHERS INVITES YOU**

SALE STARTS NOV. 28, 1925 Silverton's Big Store - South of Court House Square SALE STARTS NOV. 28, 1925 "Owned and Operated by Texas Crackers in the Interest of Texas Folks"

Things You Should know About Crouthers Your Satisfaction is First

Therefore, if YOG buy ANYTHING at Crouthers and ARE NOT pleased with it WHEN YOU REACH HOME. BRING IT BACK and OFT YOU'S MONEY

THIS is or YOUR protection as well as OUR OWN. When YOU buy THESE THINGS at Crouthers YOU can REST ASSURED that they ARE FIRST HAND. ALL OTHER items, however, ARE refundable or exchangeable as YOU wish-EVEN it it is GOODS cut from the EOLT.

"We appreciate YOUR, trade-you appreciate OUR service. The advantage is MUTUAL and makes GOOD friends.

The bank page roll 4 per cent on what you SAVE. Oreathers SAVES YOU 10 to 50 per cent on what YOU SPEND.

Other New Arrivals

GENUINE GILLETTE SAFETY RA-201 monthit, complete with one blade, Crowthere prices - 25c EXTRA' BLADES, Geouine Gillette. Pack of 5 for 38c Crouthers price, 28c 5 for QUILT COTTON, put up in 3-th rolls Crouthers prices-98c FINE 72 Count SEA ISLAND Sheeting 38-inches wide. Crouthers prices-15c per yard FINE IMPORTED English BROAD-CLOTH SHIRTS. White and Colors, Crouthers prices-\$1.45 for choice DEVONSHIRE ROMPER. CLOTH in many pretty jattens. Crouthers prices- yard 30c striped AMOSKEAG, yard wide, Light Outing Flannel.

Big Store Full of Bright, New Merchandise at

New goods all the time! Crouthers SMALL PROFIT prices for QUICK turnover DO NOT PERMIT goods to get OLD! THEY SELL! And are REPLACED from week to week! Everything is marked at the SAME SMALL PROPIT as SOON as RECEIVED and CUS-TOMERS GET the BENEFIT AT ONCE on EVERYTHING they buy The TWENTY EXPERT buyers of Charles Broadway Rouss, Inc., on THE job ALL the time in NEW YORK, pick up WONDERFUL BARGAINS EVERY DAY for CROUTHERS STORE. EVERY CUSTOMER shares in these SPECIAL FURCHASES at the SAME SMALL profit. MANY of THESE goods ARE sold at LESS than current WHOLESALE PRICES. TELL your FRIENDS aboutCrouthers. We invite YOU to COME and SAVE.

"A Good Store for All the People"

Crouthers Cash Store - Silverton

"Better Shees! Better Hosiery for LESS

**Prices!** 

Lower

VOL

JUD

In

Brise

retur

new appli Mi the F

Wrig

to D

State

and Wor

for c

J. H.

FINI

nesda

liveri

to Ja

Road

Mr.

Mr.

Cour

cattle

are 1

Ly

Broy

is a l

que

Sh

M

Cour

town

CHE

w

0.222.5

tair

veat

pass

veat

proa

ture

auto

let v

culn

by t

duri

the

Che

Sep

line

Flin

tion

achi

thre

bile

tal

er r

by t

firs

Che

dat

of

con

yea

the

bre

Dro

far

cor

vea

tat

ed

oft

un:

T

T

# 7,700 CUSTOMERS - ARE YOU ONE

Since the OPENING of CLOUTHERS a little more than Four Months ago our sales register shows that over SEVEN THOU-SAND CUSTOMERS have made purchases in the SILVERTON STORE and the ACTUAL SAVING to these contomers under the CROUTHERS SMALL PROFIT quick sele SYSTEM ranged between THREE and FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS

### EVERY CUSTOMER draws a DIVIDEND with EVERY PURCHASE at Crouthers Cash Store and so the ONLY reason for CROUTHERS wonderful growth is SATISFIED Customers

Hundreds of these satisfied customers are telling hundreds of their friends every day about CROUTHERS quick turnover at small-profit way of selling goods! Of Crouthers enormous buying power through Churles Broadway Rouse system! And as this news spreads from home to home throughout Silverton and the country around-new customers are added every day!

Is Your Crop Short ? Is Money Short With You?

THEN TRY CROUTHERS FOR ALL YOUR DRY GOODS NEEDS

THIS FALL and watch YOUR INCOME stretch its BUYING POWER to the FULL LIMIT in FRESH NEW MERCHANDISE.

MEN of FAMILIES Are Especially In- Crouthers Savings

