PANHANDLE TOWNS MEMPHIS HAS THE BEST COUNTRY BACKING HER

County's Educas Last Week.

n interesting and ession of the teachers ty began Monday, ht teachers in attenost of them staying t the session. Some ly staying two days. age was chosen as and Prof. Fillers of as secretary of the Addresses of welcome by Mayor A. J. Kinard gular program was and each and every

gram is as follows: blic School-W. H.

Method with the ooks Arithmetic-J. lanagements-Mrs C. Miss A. Hamilton.

Methods with Dodge's es-Miss Ethel War-Wilmoth. es to Study-Miss

don, Irwin Cunning-Punishments-F. E.

isses Mattie Miller,

Number Work-Miss SDAY MORNING.

and Physiology in Grades, Miss Mat-

nty.-County Judge T. earthly trials. s, Editor W. A. John-

al Accident at Gin.

the gin at Brice, and tend our heartfelt sympathy. y, December 24, the was running the seed umped off the pulley | Waco, Dec. 23.—The Texas

Respectfully Call Attention to Our ent As Made to mptroller of Curis It Appears In Column of

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espectfully.

THE NATIONAL BANK

the end of the belt that was being whirled around the line shaft before the engine stopped, and it This Meeting Should Be sorrow for the sudden bereave all patrons of Colora to and Southresting Session of cidentally shoved his hand through the loop in the end of the belt which caused his death. He was whirled around the line shaft until his legs from the knees down were a mere pulp of mangled bones and flesh. Both There were about erable extent. When assistance ed to meet in a mass meeting at arrived he was heard to speak the court house next Sunday one word, but it was not plain afternoon Jan. 3, at 3 o'clock, to enough to be understood. He discuss and take action on some lived about one hour after the ac- measure of vital importance to all. cident but never regained con- Don't fail to be present.

Burial took place on Christmas J. M. Elliott B. F. King day in the Odd Fellows cemetery Joe J. Mickle G. M. Thompson at Clarendon, Texas, and was Dr. Bowman A. W. Read J. M. Elliott, followed buried with the honors of the I. Dr. Wilson Dr. Ballew by Rev. W. L. Head. O. O. F. lodge, of which he was a Rev. Head dearly beloved member.

sthoroughly discussed ed by Eld. E. Dubbs of Clarendon, A. J. Kinard B. F. Shepherd in a solemn and impressive man- W. B. Quigley.

His death has brought the bitter cup of sorrow to the lips of precious life drifting into eterni- spirit of our brother Chas W. road: ty, but when there comes a soft Sache, joined the choir invisible.

Godly living. Yet He who doeth he loved. all things well, makes no mis-Language Work. takes. It is true that when dettie Fowler, Ethel Leautiful youth is gone, not much of life remains, hence the ducational Outlook in dear one's eyes are closed to all

Mr. Sache in four days more would have been 31 years of age. acrease the Efficiency He was the ideal of the home ounty Schools-C. A. which he so suddenly departed. He was a single man and leaves a father, mother, six brothers and s of the death of C. W. one sister to mourn the sad loss, Brice came to us Friday to these heartbroken ones, who sa shock barbed with sit in sorrow where the footsteps grow. Mr. Sacae was shall never again echo, we ex-

\$40,000 for Baylor.

around the line shaft Baptist education commission e or four feet below. met here yesterday and last was given to slow the night and transacted some very A little boy stand important business. Dr. A. J. Barton, pastor of the First Baptist church here, who has had under advisement since the convention at Fort Worth the proposition of allowing himself elected to the secretaryship, declined to accept the position permanently, but was urged so strongly that he consented to serve as acting secretary until a man could be secured and placed in the field.

The commission pledged itself to the task of raising this year \$100,000 for the denominational schools in Texas \$40,000 of which is to go to the endowment fund of Baylor university, \$10,000 to the enlargement and improvement fund of Baylor university, and the remainder to be prorated among the other correlated institutions.

The Democrat and the Farm Ranch, one year for \$1.00.

ing close by at the time said Mr. MASS MEETING AT COURTHOUSE and I personally cordially thank our officers and employes for all REVIVAL

Citizen of Memphis and Hall County.

J. F. Bradley J. A. Grundy Rev. Humphreys Rev. Bonner Funeral services were conduct. Rev. Frank S. S. Montgomery

Fully Attended by Every ment that has come to us, realize ern lines for their great friendliing that one possessed of zeal ness toward us, and I predict for and fidelity rarely equaled has them augmented prosperity if

The citizens of Memphis and him, his mother, father, brothers lines. I have great satisfaction

tions be sent to the bereaved more than ever for Texas, and I family, one each to the Banner- regard it as very propitious that of the strongest and most prac-Stockman and to the Memphis this influential financial interests tical Evangelists in the state. In minutes of this lodge.

J. D. CAMP. T. S. KEMP, GUSS JOHNSON.

The Denver Sold.

The Colorado & Southern and Denver railroads with all their affiliated properties have been sold to the Burlington railroad and released his soul from its company, the transfer was made earthly habitation. Day after day On December 24th, 1908, Tuesday of last week. In this have the hearts of his friends one of nature's noblemen in its O.F. lost one of its choicest, was received by Vice President truest sense-brave generous most exemplary members. While Keeler from President Trumbull around their dear one, hoping Common Mistakes in and manly. It is sad to stand mankind was singing "Peace and will be of interest to the pub. yet hopeless, watching day by beside the dying and watch their on earth, good will to men" the lic and employes of the Denver day and hour by hour the advan-

> "A word to our employes and whispering from parched lips. A man of sterling qualities, a patrons. A better purchaser our sorrow, for his many friends us with all its memories, and it "Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I he left his post of duty having rado and Southern could not have sympathy and in love, for in Mr. hearts as we think that e're long fear no evil; for Thou art with stood to the very last faithful. been found. I understand the Reeves his community claimed a it will be a thing of the past, me," It brings a balm to the Resolved 1. That Clarendon Colorado and Southern lines will fellowship. Lodge suffers a keen sense of be operated seperately, and as It is sad to give up one whose loss in his death and will sadly far as our employes are concerninfluence among men would miss his presence in its weekly ed the infrequency of changes on but when quite young moved emploped or disregarded. Gone, doubtless have been for good, meetings. It will ever be grate- the Burlington System is a good with his parents to Limestone and we cannot call it back again, who by precept and example was ful for the inspiration of his index to their general policy toso well calculated to spread beautiful life, and will seek to ward all good men. I believe the for some time. They then went day that is past or use again one abroad the blessed influence of emulate his devotion to those Colorado and Southern lines will to Erath county, thence to Stev-opportunity that we have allowed

faithful service rendered, and we wish and expect for them a happy New Year. I also wish to thank peen culled from our ranks. , they will continue to co-operate 2. That we tender our deepest in every wise way for the expansympathy to those pearest to son for Celorado and Southern

Oscar Reeves Is Dead.

At the home of his brother, Otus Reeves, the suffering of the stricken one were ended.

Dec. 14, the Death Angel came that stricken family gathered ces of ths remorseless malady.

trolled 25 sections of fine land on ing with hope and promise. his home ranch, 40 sections in all There let us go forward with sisters and three brothers.

The funeral occurred at the the dim future. Baptist church Wednesday, Dec. 15. Services conducted by Revs. this paper and read it carefully, Winn and Bell, who paid beautiful tributes to his memory. Music was furnished by a mix- and all the year pleasant. ed quartette; the floral offerings were beautiful, these being sent from his friend, W. H. Fuqua of at 15 cents per hundred. Amarillo-Plainview News.

New Year Nuggots. Start right. Wind up right. Keep to the right. Resolve and right about. Don't sham, but be real. Be content with the little you

Think evil of none, but well of Consistently add to what you

have got. Undertake something good and stick to it.

Advertise from the start and make business good. Break away from bad habits and evil companions.

Cultivate courtesy, kindness, cheerfulness and promptness. Don't kick, don't grumble, don't criticise your brother's short comings, but smile at your obstacles and be gracious

SERVICES

Abe Mulkey Is Secured to Conduct a 10 Days Revival Service.

Rev. R. B. Bonner has secured hands were bruised to a consid- Hall county are urgently request, and sister and kindred whose in feeling that the new financial the service of Rev. Abe Mulkey, interests which we have enlisted of Corsicana, for a 10 days meet-4. That a copy of these resolu- in behalf of this property can do ing beginning Jan. 8. Mr. Mulkey is widley known. He is one Democrat for publication, and enters the field almost simultane. a report given in the Texas Christhat a copy be spread upon the ously with the movement inside tian Advocate last week it is the state for the development of stated that he has had 52654 conversions in his 23 years of Evangelistic services. Large preparations are being made and great results are expected. Bro. Bonner has secured the hearty cooperations of the pastors of the At 12 o'clock noon Monday, town and everybody is urged to join in the meeting and make it one of the best meetings for all that Memphis has yet had. The meeting is to be held in one of the friends and relatives. He was Clarendon Lodge No. 381, I.O. connection the following telegram that stricker family of the large new brick buildings, on the south side of square. Let every body get ready to attend.

The Old and New.

We are saying good by to the Their sorrow has surely been old year, it is slipping away from gone forever, with its sunshine Mr. Reeves was born Nov. 8, and its shadow, its joy and its have more employes than ever ens, and finally came to the Plains, to slip by us unheeded. We 2. That as a body we bow in before. Our board of directors whers he settled on his well im- shall henceforth return no more proved ranch near Silverton, and that way. But let us remember has been a citizen of the Plains that there lives before us a New for 18 years. He owned and con-year, fair and spotless and glow-

near Silverton. He had recently firm resolutions amid all the moved to Plainview and was hav- changing scens of time. So we ing a handsome home on High say good bye to the old year, and land avenue built, but died before enter upon the new, realizing it was completed. This will be that we are one year nearer the occupied by his wife and five sunset of life, and that the hand children, mother, father, four that has led us all the days of the past will still lead us through

Accept our reflections, take and send it to your friends, and may your New Year be happy

Old papers for sale at this office

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF MEMPHIS, TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSI-NESS, NOV. 27, 1908.

| Total | 8357,841.04 |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Cash | 103,215.45 |
| Banking House | 12,000.00 |
| U. S. Bonds and Premiums | 52,203,13 |
| Over Drafts | 230.81 |
| Advanced on Cotton | 11,050.00 |
| Acceptances | |
| Loans | 8166,147.07 |
| Total | 8357,841.04 |
| Deposits | 190,112.35 |
| Bills Payable | 20,000.00 |
| Circulation | 50,000,00 |
| Surplus and Profits | 42,728.69 |
| Capital | \$ 55,000.00 |
| | |

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Citizens State Bank

Memphis, Texas

The Home Circle Column PLEASANT EVENING REVERIES

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the

Home Circle at Evening Tide

'The year lies white in the distance, Like snow that no step has marred, And we look at its shining surface As though through a window barred, And we wonder what idle footsteps Shall trample the fallen snow, Just as we watched and wondered

A year ago. "Since then so many footsteps Have falled and stumbled past, That the white perfection of promise Grew scattered and dark at last; But the new drifts lie on the pathway To cover the blackened snow, And the New Year comes in its beauty, As it came a year ago.

New Year Reveries.

If you find it so difficult to keep | well. your New Year's resolutions, perhaps it would be a good idea to make a few bad ones this time, far a change. For instance, you might resolve to be cross to your wife (if you have one) every day during the year, and then give hergentle words and loving kisses in stead. You can thus be consistent with your past record, and possibly be a better man when another year rolls around.

time for invoice. Business men ful, at least tranquil. If the old Sunday night. you used the talents that have come the other. If, on the con- p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m., been given you so as to gain other trary, the old year has brought ers' training class and prayer talents. Is there any prospect us only joy and comfort, we part meeting every Wednesday evening at of your being placed over ten from him sorrowfully, but meet 8:30, J. M. Elliott, president, and in the way of loving and helping blessing. The sober jollity of Humphries, President. Official Board thing to the capital stock of your impressive nature. It is like month. Everybody made cordially living the coming year, or a cause is new and untried. for great congratulations as we review the past and go forth to build "more stately mansions" Another year is drawing to a

Though times and seasons are not as important as many would thoughtful person at the coming thing we may write will cause after first and third Sundays. Everynew year remembers how old he them to think more seriously of body invited. You will be welcome. so old. Let us turn our minds brief period that is giving them away from the tabernacle of flesh, to improve it. The boy makes the least real thing in our lives, the man, the girl the woman. and think a little of the inward My boy, how do you want to be growing old. For the body every remembered by the people after added growth is almost incalcula- you are gone, as a Lincoln or as a the mistake and the bad?

rision of the good resolutions his task and each succeeding day the sun is less hot? which mark the celebration of turns out work more perfect than Plant trees by all means, and New Year in the minds of many on the preceeding one, so should then plant more trees. Plant people. Shame upon the man or we make each succeeding year of shade trees and fruit trees, give woman who would dull the bright our lives more perfect. Are we them a little care and attention ambitions and desires for the bet- doing this? Do we take time dur- and they will add to the comfort ter of any human being! But ing the hurry and bustle of the of the children and the wealth of EDGAR EWING, Secretary there is little time to give to habi- holiday season to review our the property owner. There is tual mourners and augurs of evil. work of the year and see wherein no city in Texas that has too The new year will be what we we have made mistakes, jotting many trees within its bounds, make it, so far as our individual them down in our memory as to but, alas, few.—Beaumont lives are concerned, and the man be avoided in the future? That Enterprise. or woman who resolves to be boy would never have become a happy in a healthful, unselfish perfect workman if he did not way, is taking first road toward avoid the mistakes of yesterday,

We must never make the same

were on the endless search for you do it? happiness, though the joy of heaven rather than that of earth was the goal fixed upon in the eyes of those who sacrifice the present for the future. Eternal happiness was what they desired. Unselfish happiness is always wait- after the third Sunday of each month ing right around the corner if we at 3:30 p. m. Ladies' Missionary will only take our eyes off the far distance and look nearer home. The resolve to make next year a happy one for those nearest us will bring a good deal of real joy and satisfaction to the maker of the resolution, if he holds out

From

The

Editorial

initial day of the year, and as customs, the interchange of gifts, New Year," and the demonstra- 4 p. m. every first Monday. tions attendant upon the contemplative habit of seeing the old Head, pastor. Services each Sunday year out and the new year in. at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday There are two great reasons why school at 10 a. m., Bro. T. R. Garrott A new year is here. It is a the time should be, if not cheertake an invoice of their stock. year has brought sorrow and these services. Wouldn't it be business for you desolation, and hung crape on our to all. to take one of yourself. Life, doors, the new year will bring us Christian Church-Elder L. H. each life, is a business. Have you the leaves of healing, and we are Humphries, pastor. Services every gained or lost last year? Have glad to part with the one and wel- Lord's Day at 11 a. m. and 7:00 cities or five cities or one city? his successor with the ardent L. H. Humphries, teacher. Ladies' Have you declared any dividends hope that he, too, comes with Aid Society meets every Monday at others, and have you added any. New Year's day is always of an meets on the first Sunday of each character? These are pertinent standing for one brief moment welcome to these services. questions that press us all for an on the threshold between time answer. Let the result of the and eternity. Here is the world TELLINE-Rev. J. P. Burke, pastor. self invoice be a spur to us in we know-yonder the world that

> close. Another milestone of life is M. E. Church desk and pen this short epistle at 10 a.m. Prayer meeting Wednes-

we have made. Will you do this, boys and girls? Will you rest from your play and jollity for just a little season between now and January 1, 1909, and recall those indiscreet words, those hasty actions that will prove stumbling blocks in the way of your becoming strong, helpful men and women, honored and loved by all for your noble character? Will

Church Directory.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev Howard M. Frank, pastor. Services 7:00 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. Ladies' Aid meets on Thursday Society meets on Thursday after the first sunday at 3:30 p. m. Choir meets for practice every Friday night.

METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. Robt. B. Bonner, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Joe J. Mickle, superintendent; Home Department, Mrs. M. D. Forgey, Superintendent; Cradle roll, Mrs. W. D. Morgan, superintendent. Junior Epworth The first of January is the League meets Sunday at 4 o'clock p m., Mrs. R. B. Bonner, superintendent; Senior Epworth League meets at such is honored by a multitude 5 p. m., W. D. Morgan, president. of observances, chief among Business meeting and social gathering which are the New Year calling every 4th Friday night. Woman's Home Mission Society meets at 3 p. the cordial greeting, "A Happy Woman's Foreign Mission Society at

BAPTIST CHURCH-Rev. W. L. Supt. B. Y. P. U. each Sunday at 4 p. m. Evangelistic services each Special music for

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. on first and third Sundays, Prayer meeting every Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Everybody invited. S, K. Jones, Sunday School superintendent.

in view and we shall, in all human Rev. C. E. Clark, pastor. Services moon. Visiting brothers are welcome. probability, pass it and struggle every second and fourth Sundays at on to the next. As we sit at our 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school Chas. Webster, Secretary. have us think, still nearly every to the young, we wonder if anymeets at 4 p. m. Wednesday evenings

A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on meets at 4 p. m. Wednesday evenings is and wishes he were not quite all life means to them and the Dr. P. L. Vardy Sunday School Su-

Tree Planting. Now the tree planting season is on and the papers are beginning to call upon their readers to ble gain. How old are we? How Booth? My girl, what position should need so much urging is plant trees. Why such a project | welcome much older than a year, two do you wish to occupy in the mystery. To the traveler thru years, ten years ago? How much hearts of the people with whom New England and the east the quicker to recognize the devine you have lived? You are the long rows of forest trees many voice? How much stronger our moulders of your own destinies. of them nearly a century old at full moon. Visiting brothers and hand and clearer our voice You can make them what you once attracts attention. Every sisters are welcome. against evil? How much swifter will. It rests with you whether street has its row of trees and our feet to bear the message of your name shall go down in his when a new street is laid out good will to men? How much tory honored or crushed, or trees are the first requisite. gain has there been in power and whether it shall pass into oblivion When a town addition is plotted willingness to serve? How much as soon as the earth has hidden the project always provides for more faithful are we in the chaos your mortal remains. Now is the the planting and care of trees as a of small and common duties and time to choose. There are only prime necessity. No one will cares? How much truer are we two roads to travel; one leads to buy a lot without trees when one in friendship, warmer in the happiness and honor, the other with trees may be obtained. home loves, more patient with to sorrow or degredation. We Why then should it be necessary suppose you want to travel the to urge the planting of trees in first mentioned. Are you doing this section when their shade is The pessimist delights in de- it? As the apprentice works at even more grateful than where

By a family of three, 75 or 100 acres of good land on the halves. We are all after happiness, in mistake twice, and in order to Can give good references, and will one way or another. Even the guard against doing so, we must come to see or write you at once.

J. R. L. Arrente doing so, we must come to see or write you at once. J. B. LANDRUM, Lodge, Texas.

EXTRAORDINAR

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Lodge Directory.



MEMPHIS COMMANDRY No. 50, K. T., meets in Masonic Hall on the fourth Monday night of each month. Visiting Sir Knights welcome. D. H. ARNOLD, Em. Com.

. HENRY READ, Secretary. MEMPHIS COUNCIL, No. 156, R. & S. M., meets in Masonic Hall on the JOHN R. BARNES, Clerk. Saturday night after full moon. Visiting Companions are welcome.

D. A. GRUNDY, Th. III.

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No. 220, R. A. M., meets in Masonic J. E. GLASS, Clerk Hall on the Saturday night LAKEVIEW CAMP, No. 2353, W. O. Companions are welcome. J. M. ELLIOTT, H. P.

D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

MEMPHIS LODGE, No. 729, A. F. & A. M., meets in the Ma- J. E. Dawson, Clerk. sonic Hall on the Saturday occurring on or before the full G. R. DICKSON, W. M.

moon. Visiting brothers are welcome. C. L. SLOAN, W. M. P. M. BENNETT, Secretary.

351, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall on the second Friday night in each month. Visiting brothers and sisters are

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No.

MRS. ETHEL E. TAGGART, W. M. MISS FRANKIE TAYLOR, Secretary.

ESTELLINE CHAPTER, No. 235 O. E. S., meets in the Masonic Hall on

MRS. ETHEL TUCKER, W. M. MRS. ALIJE GRUNDY, Secretary.



MEMPHIS CAMP, No. 12624, M. W. A., meets in M. W. A. Hall first and third Friday nights. Visiting Neigh-

C. T. PALMER, Consul. P. BUNCH, Clerk.

MEMPHIS COUNCIL, No. 396, Modern Order Praetorians, meets every Thursday night in I. O. O. F. Hall Visiting Praetorians are welcome. R. A. Boston, Sublime Augustus.

D. H. ARNOLD, Recorder. MEMPHIS LOCAL, No. 4497, Farm-

urdays of each month at 2 p. m. Visiting members are welcon H. H. SMITH, President. MEMPHIS CAMP, NO. 1091, meets on the

second and fourth Saturday nights of each month in Woodman Hall. Visiting Sovereigns prices.

S. A. BRYANT, C. C. F. A. HUDGINS, Clerk.

NEWLIN CAMP, No. 616, W. O. W. second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month. Visiting sovereigns are

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G. A. WIMBERLY, C. C. S. A. McCarroll, Clerk

ESTELLINE CAMP, No. 2157, W. O. W., meets in W. O. W. Hall on the first and fourth Friday nights in each month. Visiting Sovereings are wel-J. A. BELL, C. C.

ELI CAMP, No. 2179, W. O. W. meets in the Eli W. O. W. Hall on th second and fourth Saturday nights of each month. Visiting Sovereigns are made welcome. T. R. PHILLIPS, C. C.

after full moon. Visiting W. meets in the Lakeview W. O. W. Hall on the first and third Saturday nights. Visiting Sovereigns are made

W. H. YOUNGBLOOD, C. C.



I. O. O. F., meets in I. O. O. F. Hall every Tuesday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.

JOHN DENNIS, N. G. F. A. HUDGINS, Secretary.

FLORA LODGE, No. 346, D. of R. meets every Monday night in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting members are

MISS FLORA ARNOLD, N. G. MRS. W. F. GAMMAGE, Secretary. NEWLIN LODGE, No. 673, I. O. O. F. neets in Newlin I. O. O. F. hall every Thursday night. Visiting brothers

DR. J. L. JOHNSON, N. G. J. H. PIERCE, Secretary.

ESTELLIFE LODGE, No. 625, I. O. O. F., meets in W. O. W. Hall every Monday night. Visiting brothers are

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The officers fear they right th apply for requ pers and arrest, bed are denied commissions

MEMPHIS LODGE, No. 444, sentment is keen. Citizens believe the will make an unwise m gers are sent, but do m

Recommends Compromise

will send them.

Cents Tax. Austin, Tex., Dec. 22 there is contention, 38 liability for independen district taxes arising recent decision of the Court in the Baird of Millips, County Judy Attorney General is add th, County Attorner con, Sheriff and Collectors to effect a col

with the taxpayers of collection. The Supre has held rural independ districts can not exceed mon school district tax as some of the people at ing familiar with the some of them are raisi tions to the payment original, and now ille The latest protest is Overton district, in Rus Tax Collector Watkins advised by the Attorne to accept the 20c te thought expedient to this line rather than W

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A good size cotton Blanket 45c A No. one 10-4 cotton Blanket only

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Men's heavy ribbed shirts and drawers, worth 50 to 65c, now at per garment - .- 40c Men's heavy fleeced shirts and drawers to match. Most dealers get 65 to 75c for them, our price to you during this battle sale per garment - - 45c Misses' and Children's Union Suits, a good heavy fleeced garment, worth 35c, now goes at 20c. The same thing in Ladies' sizes for - - 25c Ladies' Union Suits, Oneta style worth 75c, now go at 45c Ladies' and Misses' separate suits at big reduction.

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Good half wool Suitings, latest patterns and colors, now on sale at per yd. 250

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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Wheat & Speer. See Johnsey & Foreman for plans and estimates.

Hugh Hall of Childress, spent Christmas in Memphis with friends.

Byron Gist it nome from A. & M. college spending the holidays with home folks.

FOR SALE-\$40.00 folding bed, nearly new, \$20.00 cash will get it. Phone 222. H. M. Allen. 1tp

Bring in your corn for grind-

Mrs. Donna Green and little 25-4tc and Mrs. Clyde Wright.

> W. M. Stevens, wife and S. E. Wright.

> There has been quite a num-

News of Interest to Town and

Stallings Bros. west side 25-2tc

W. T. Howard is in Fort Worth Furs of all kinds wanted by on a brief business trip.

Join our suit club four suits 11-tf pressed per month for one Dollar

If you have any furs of any kind to sell Wheat & Speer will

from Industrial school at Denton handle. spending the holidays.

A car load of Little Fairy flour & Speer. It is the best. Try it.

Bring in your corn for grinding to the Craver & Crump mill ing to the Craver & Crump mill at any time. "We never sleep." at any time. "We never sleep." 21-tf

Farmers inspect the bur Mrs. T. A. Taggart is enjoying machine at Burnett & Moreman a visit from her father and gin before having your bolls gin- mother J. H. Dort, of Saint Jo., 25-4ct Texas, for a few days.

Mrs. Duncan Pedigo is enjoydaughter, Velma, of Amarillo, is ing a visit from her brother and spending the holidays with Mr. sister, Albert and Miss Allie Rector of Commerce, Texas.

Don't miss seeing the specifamily of their daughter, Mrs. opera house every night this to a hotel.

attending seemed to enjoy them- the residence of J. F Bradley in our business houses and pron-Northeast Memphis.

Buy a load of cobs from Craver & Crump for \$1.50

Miss Myrtle Spencer visited friends in Clarendon Sunday.

Don't overlook that free vest proposition of ours for next 3) days. Stallings Bros.

We are giving away free a \$5.00 fancy Vest with every \$25.00 suit of clothes for this month only Stallings Bros.

Clarendon Hildebrand and mother are down from Clarendon spending a few days with Mrs. Hildebrand's sister, Mrs. Mary Phillips.

drugs in a good Panhandle town Miss Myrtle Bradley is home to exchange for land in the Pan- operator at Tuxedo and is taking

JOE J. MICKLE LAND CO.

spending the holidays with home folks in Memphis.

A. V. Lipe and son, Rube, of church soon to be begun.

daughter of Clarendon, spent alties given by the Ina Lehr was called in use as a "Black workman we should judge. Sunday and Monday with the Stock Co., between acts at the Mariah" to convey the "boozer"

Electrical Inspector Phillips On Christmas eve night at the spent Tuesday of last week with ber of parties and social gather. Christian church some one left a Dunbar Bros. He was here in ings in town the past week parti- small go-cart with blue pillow in the interest of the Texas Fire cipated in by the young folks it in J. F. Bradley's carriage. Proventive Association. He and at each and every one, those Owner can get same by calling examined the wiring of several of

Craver & Crump will sell you

Wheat & Speer have just received a car load of Saint Jo flour Give it a trial.

John E. York of Amarillo, 25-2t rpresenting the Remington Typewriter Co., was in Memphis this Tuesday.

> Our people were treated to quite a shower of razors Tuesday afternoon. Some of them got a little more of that class of hardware than they really needed.

D. A. Davis came in Monday A good clean \$4000.00 stock of spend a few days with relatives and freinds. Mr. Davis is an a month's lay off.

J. H. Brantley, a popular day morning on the south side nice presents and almost every has just been received by Wheat traveling salesman with head. block after two or three day's lay one attending received some quarters at San Antonio, and a off for Christmas. Work will be token of rememberance. brother of Claude Brantley, is pushed right along and the completion of the entire number will be seen in the near future.

himself obstreperous. The bus occupied one whole day. Swift certainly enjoyed it as did every-

Cleaning and pressing done at 26-2tc. cobs at \$1.50 per load. 26-2tc. Stalling Bros. west side square

> J. B. Beard was in the city sevral days last week attending to his business interest.

> MONEY-Jas. Brown of Memphis has money to loan on improved patented farms on five years' time, Money ready soon as title shows clear. Office in First National Bank.

Lewis & Marshall are this week moving their entire dry goods establishment to the New Houghton building on the north side of the square where they night from Tuxedo, Texas, to will be glad to see all their old

Exercises at the various churches on Christmas eve was rendered according to programs. Workmen resumed work Mon- All the trees were laden with

Christmas Eve, at the Christian church, a jolly but orderly crowd filled the church and lis. The last hole on the north tened with appreciation to the 30 Clarendon, are in Memphis side was filled up last week when minute program rendered by the making preparations to move the Dr Ballew had the vacancy be- school. The Star as it appeared Methodist church preparatory to tween his office and the Houghton in the East and slowly moved the beginning of the new brick building filled up with a small across the stage followed by the brick building. It is a 10x15 "Three Wise Men" was watched building and will make a neat with almost breathless interest. A passenger on the northbound and snug little place for a small The tree was literally loaded train Tuesday morning was put stand. Cobb & Nelson done the with beautiful and useful articles, off in the north switch yard for brick work and completed it in gifts from friend to friend, etc., 'boozing" and otherwise making two hours. The wood work and thechildren s treat, well they one else who was there.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30

The powers are now busy suggesting rules for war. Why not get busy and suggest rules which would prevent war.

The new president of Hayti has taken the oath. The next time he becomes a news item he will probably be taking to the woods.

to \$1,000,000 a day. Maybe that whether or not to mkae this a The terrible sleeping sickness of accounts for the fact that Ameri- regular feature in our paper. tropical Africa is discussed at length can girls are the sweetest on This paper is issued for the in an article in Popular Mechanics.

practically discontinued between as far as is possible we want to Memphis. Tenn., and St. Louis give our subscribers the kind of on the Mississippi river. Continu- reading they desire. It occurred then, either silently or with a peevish ed low water is the cause.

before the Christmas shopping homes, in particular, If you ing disinclination to work, The factal began. There has been consider | would enjoy a column each week aspect changes, and a previously happy able change in the distribution just drop as postal card or in any and intelligent looking negro becomes since then.

President Castro has developed into a first-class drinking man in Berlin. Can it be be is trying to drown the sorrows of a dictator with a revolution on his hands or is merely clebrating.

moving heaven and earth to get necessary if convinced the contract for building the readers will appreciate same. Panama canal. Maybe that is the milk in the cocoanut and the contractors are trying to milk it.

The little town of Farwell on They have a man in Washington tyites out west take this hint and to see what can be done toward having the boundary dispute

taken in regard to Sunday closing Grayson welcomes you home, law. All places of amusement, good people, -Sherman Telecigar stands, boot black stand, gram. etc., were included.

compulsory education in Texas, of the greatest visitation Texas love of the pill box, and in the interof other counties of Texas to in this section are amused by aufor that cause.

farmer of Bowie county, says ing in now, that he may better health by Mile, de Brecourt, an acthat the day for long staple cotton in Texas is past. He says it is Tribune Cnief. three weeks later than other cotton, thereby giving the boll weevil a clear road to do its damage. The farmer of Red river bottom Great Panhandle, with its Great little Johnny's cramped position bewill have to get a much earlier Opportunities holding outits arms what painful. variety of cotton or change to a to the industrious farmer, they "I wish I dared"- the young man would suggest that they come who have come here before them couple were electrified by an impatient to the Upper Red River Valley - laugh at the absurdity of such a break! She's dead easy!"-Brooklyn have boll weevil.

Clarendon has designate l Thursday, Dec. 31, as Prohibition All persons are hereby warned to the young but rising author. Day. The good women of that not to hunt or otherwise trespass town have organized what is under penalty of law on my place that," rejoined the author. 'Consernown as a Ballotless Legion, live miles north from town. which stands for Texas dry in 21tf 1909. On the afternoon of Dec. 31, they are going to have a prohibi-

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move in the right direction and we wish that their every effort hotels in New York, speaking of the

The traveling men that come number of traveling men that But this is not the only indication. continually coming our way and to the prosperity of our town: town in which to live,

troduced to our readers a new feature, "The Home Circle New York Tribune. Uncle Sam's sugar bill amounts Department." We are undecided to us that acolumn of this nature like such reading or not. We but that its moral tone would be such as to make impression for good in the community. New York contractors are willing to do the extra work

A Poor, Ignorant Editor.

know what he is talking about .-

If the Grayson countyites would open their eyes clong a thing as returning to Grayson Life.

Trespass Notice.

H. E. Franks.

hey are going to have a prohibition much led by the band boy s 200 acres of good land for three daying National airs. At night men. Reference given. Ad-

The proprietor of one of the largest may be crowned by glorious uses made by nonpaying customers of his house, said to a rural guest a few days ago: "We have a large number of patrons from whom we never collect mon W. C. Needham by making puba cent, althou h we have no such to our town remark that we have thing as a free list. They come here week for four successive weeks previa very pretty town, and by the in the morning, pick up a castoff pa- ons to the return day thereof, in some per, which they read, keeping an eye newspaper published in your County open for another, which they grab as make Memphis regularly, we soon as it is dropped. After reading know we have a business town, awhile they stand at the ticker, often giving long lectures to their fellows on financial conditions and stock possi-Everything is on the move and bilities. The overcoat becomes burdenboom. New enterprises are some, and it is taken to the check 6th day of February A. D. 1908, then room, where its owner knows it will be perfectly safe. Then, if they can new life is quickening in the old tear themselves from the ticker, letindustries. Many; things attest ters are written on our stationery. They do not use our telephones be-With our trade, our churches, the call, but they carry home matches, our schools and our cultured toothpicks, blank cards and blotters population, we have a first class They also take generous nibbles of the cheese and crackers in the cafe. The strangest part of all is this-that In last week's issue we in the majority of this class are well to do and highly respectable, and on that

The Sleeping Sickness. pleasure and usefulness to our The disease, which long baffled scientists, is spread by the tsetse fly, a patrons and subscribers, and not bloodsucking, day flying insect. On the Steamboat traffic has beem for our special gratification, and approach of either man or animal at a river crossing in the densest forest fly, if there is one in the vicinity, and each week might prove interest. The usual course of the disease is The per capita of wealth of the ing to our readers in general, and from four to eight months. At the condition, lassitude and a correspondmanner to suit your convenience Later, tremor in the tongue develops, let us know whether you would speech is uncertain, and mumbling. walk shuffling and progressive weakness, drowsiness and oblivion to his believe that such a department surroundings afflict the sufferer. The would not only prove interesting, last stage is marked by extreme ema-

Cause of Fatty Heart.

our cellular elements of the body, especial-They tell us that beyond the fat invades the tissues of the heart green briars and bull nettles muscles the disease known as "fatty degeneration of the heart" results, and there is no use to farm, for the the patient is in serious danger. Whenthe border of Texas and New country is not suited for that sort ever a slight additional strain upon the Mexico is still having trouble, of thing. Will the Grayson coun-circulation results from undue exermuscles interfere with the heart's accome home? Or, will they con- tion, and it is liable to cease beating. tinue to do the prairie dog stunt Anaemia and hysteria often are accomin the spring, by diving in their increased weight and difficulty of holes when the little, old black moving about such patients are pre-Galveston and San Antonio cyclone clouds appear, and dodge vented from taking an ordinary amount of exercise. Often, too, there have blue Sunday. on account sandstorms in the summer and are a lassitude and a positive dislike of Gov. Campbell's firm stand freeze in the fall and winter? Old for muscular exertion of any kind.-What to Eat.

From Medicine to the Drama. The earlier part of Victorien Sar-Humph, we don't know of any. dou's career was beset with many body hereabouts who ever lost trials and difficulties. His parents wished him to take up a medical ca-The teachers institute of Dallas anything from cyclones, unless reer, and he began his studies with county has declared in favor of he lived at Sherman at the time some zeal. The love of the drama, and have adopted resolutions ever experienced. The hundreds val of the other work Sardou was to that end, calling upon teachers of Grayson county people living busy upon a play. Life was a strugthough he managed to get journalistic memoralize the Texas Legislature surdities like the above, and kind- work to supplement his more slender ly invite the Telegran editor to income. His first play was a fallure, come out of the buil netties and and Sardou rushed from the theater Gus Shaw, the millionaire visit the happy land they are live fell seriously ill, was nursed back to tress who lived on a floor below, and

A Friend In Need.

About half an hour had been expended by the bashful young man in enough to see their way to the a series of advances and retreats, and hind the sofa was becoming some-

would be like their wise brothers commenced on a new attack, when the exclamation behind them: "Aw, make

> Literary Irrigation. "Your latest poyel scenes very dry,"

said the reader of the publishing house quently if you will count them you will and the beroine weeps real tears on just 253 pages of my story,"—Cleve-land Plain Dealer.

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You are hereby commanded to sumlication of this Citation once in each if there be a newspaper published therein, to appear at the next regular term of Justice's Court of Precinct No. and there to answer a petition filed in ber A. D. 1908, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 30c, wherein J. M. Gist is Plaintiff and W. 3. Needham is Defendent, and said petition alleging that said Defendant is due Plaintiff the sum of two hundred dollars due upon account for goods, wares and merchandise sold and delivered by Plaintiff to Defendant between the 1st day of January 1908 and the 15th day of October 1908.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return uted same.

Witness, B. F. King, Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. one, Hall

Given under my official signature, at office in Memphis, this 21st the day of December A. D. 1908.

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iting the family of her opportunities, let the Democrat days,

Dr. J. W. Greenwood is spendent over to Wellington Fri- and other North Texas points.

Some men seem to think the only way to stand up for them- stirring about among the merer your fall suit from L. selves is to sit down on somebody

W. K. Hollifield & Co. have just received a car of the celebrated ds are out announcing the Albatross flour the best flour

> Sid Jones, manager of the Har friends. rison-Headrick Hdw. Co., at Wel-

neck the world seens to have been -Clarendon Chronicle. created for the especial purpose

Bro. Thomas says he has enjoyed Powell. a nice trade the past year.

not put it in according to the cotton in Memphis but is now lo-cancer of the stomach. cated at Chillicothe.

trader as is evidenced by the exercises at the different ed. I have employed an trade he made recently in which churches were to begain. A he acquired a tract of land in person could hardly see how to "You sold my wife some eggs yester" Bowie county, sight unseen get along the streets for a few day, Mr. Peavey," he said when the Just give him a chance, he'll do minutes. 21tf the rest.

B. Quigley has received quarter section from S. O. Green state of Missouri for the past a nice consignment of sometime ago will take possession twelve months, returned to said Mr. Peavey.

Scatts to be used in our about the first of Japuage and of seats to be used in our about the first of January and Memphis Monday morning with business to say they were fresh eggs."

Why not? I bought 'em for fresh eschools. They will be dis- begin to prepare for coming his family to make this his futed between the two schools crop. Mr. Mitchem who has ture home. We are glad to welbeen farming the place will move to Mrs. Temple's place west of to Mrs. Temple's place west of

more of these happy reunions. his family.

Honey in the comb at Pioneer Mercantile Co.

Editor Durham of the Hedley Herald was in Memphis Thurs- rapidly the telegraph poles fit by

the city. Lock Bros., phone No. 12 your orders.

Christmas week with relatives round a common center. The unand friends in Memphis.

Tom Couly of Wellington, If you are looking for unusual Conn, of Henrietta, for a few ducing car sickness. This can be

Harrison and W. D. Moring the holidays in Honey Grove doesn't take fright when she thanks about it.

> There is quite a good deal of chants these days, seeing after

> Wednesday for Saint Jo, Texas, where they will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives and

Taggart was presented a lington, was a business visitor in Barnett were married Sunday morning and left for Amarillo, When a man has a crick in his where they will make their home.

> John Wilson, a substantial serviceable look. Editor S. J. Thomas and family the holidays in Memphis with of Childress, spent Christmas the family of A. G. Powell. Mr. it, is the clock's gong, with the hamvisiting relatives in Memphis. Wilson is a brother of Mrs. mers-there are two of them-brought

T. C. Anthony and family are and president of the American in diameter, and it sounds with a ing an ordinance making it in the city spending a few days Press association, died at his strong, clear, resolute note when the with the family of Mr. Whaley. home in Dobbs Ferry, N. Y list face you can tell the time in the usual a house for electric service Mr. Anthony formerly bought Sunday night. He died of way, but the hours are struck as they

> A sand storm came up Christ-W. P. Cagle is a natural born mas eve just about the time the

E. Bean, formerly of Memphis 19, "believe I did." W. M. Hollyer who bought a and who has been living in the fresh eggs," continued the visitor.

Mrs. L. S. Maloney of Wolfe ge table the first issue of the Mr. and Mrs. J. Ad Smith City, Texas, is spending a few han County News, issued at enjoyed a family reunion of all days visiting her father and d, Texas, with Ralph Shuf- their children during the holi mother Dr. and Mrs. J. W. seditor. It is a six-column days. They were all present but Mickle. Mr. Maloney has sold to, all-home print. Is full one, a son-in-law living at Wel- his mercantile business at Wolfe lnews and well balanced lington, who was detained on ac- City and will re-enter business in advertising matter. We count of business. We hope Canyon City, to which place he cta bright future for this they may all live to see many has gone preparatory to moving

Cause of Car Sickness. W. C. Wood attributes car sickness

to the nystagmus produced by looking out of the car windows. Look out of car window and observe how Each one is seen and involuntarily followed by the eye until it is opposite, We deliver meat to any part of when the eye shifts to the one following. This is true of near buildings. Objects farther away seem to move 18tf slower, and those very far off seem to be almost stationary until the whole Dr. W. R. Orr of McLean, spent landscape appears to be revolving conscious effort to take in everything produces a rapid lateral oscillation of the eyeballs, as any one can observe Mrs. H. Myrick is enjoying a by watching the eyes of his fellow proved by asking a patient who is subject to car sickness to look steadily A girl never knows what her at a mirror which is moved rapidly name may be next year, but she to and fro or tilted backward and forward. He will immediately complain of nausea and vertigo. The treatment consists of advising the patient to avoid looking out of the car windows and in giving him a grain of citrated caffeine shortly before he takes the cars and repeating it every hour as long as there is any tendency mortgages that are coming due. to be sick. The author has been en-Fred Boswell and family left many sufferers from car sickness .-New York Medical Journal.

The Ship's Bell Clock.

In its most ordinary form the ship's bell clock is a stout, well made clock, a good timekeeper, contained in a Henry Parks and Miss Marion | round nickel plated case six or seven inches in diameter which is mounted on a board that can be hung on or screwed to a wall or bulkhead. The face of the clock, the dial, is of finish ed steel, and its pointers are of blued steel, so that with its nickeled case the whole clock has a metallic, solid.

citizen of Leonard, Texas, spent Attached to a projection of the board upon which the clock is placed, outdown into it on arms extending through an opening in the clock's case Orlando J. Smith, founder It is a sturdy gong two or three inches and striking on the gong's inner side. are at sea on a ship's bell.-New York

There was no doubt about it. He

grocer appeared.

"Waal, yes," said Mr. Peavey genial-

"And you told her that they were

-from St Wiley too."

"I don't believe it. Si Wiley's an honest man." "Waal, Si said it, all right. He come

in here with his basket full of 'em and put 'em down on the counter and traded 'em off for a box of sody biscuits." "When was this?" "Oh. I dunno. 'Bout six weeks ago

I guesa."-Baltimore American.

How He Knew.

A ragman who was gathering up wornout clothing in the country purchased a pair of discarded trousers at a farmhouse and remarked to the man of the house as he paid for the stuff

"I see, sir, that you are about to lose your land on a mortgage. "Guess you are right," said the discouraged looking farmer, "but will you

tell me how the Sam Hill you found

that out?" "Easy enough," said the cheerful ragman as he settled back on the seat of his peddling wagon. "I notice that these old pants are completely played out, so far as the part of 'em you sat down on is concerned, but they show

Just His Luck.

mighty little wear anywhere else."-

"William, Freddie informs me that his teacher has decided to advance him from the sixth to the seventh grade owing to his fine deportment and his praiseworthy attention to his studies. "Pshaw! That's just my luck!"

"Why, what makes you say that?" "I had it all figured out that I was going to be about \$10 ahead at the end of this month. Now it will be necessary to buy a new set of schoolbooks." -Chicago Record-Herald.

The Invisible Point.

It was an awfully old joke, but the American thought It might cause his English friend to generate a smile. "Just before I sailed for Liverpool," said the American, "I dreamed that I as dead, and the heat woke me up." "So?" rejoined the Englishman seriusly. "The weather must be beastly hot in America."-Chicago News.

Luck.

"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" asked the young man. "Yes," answered the home grown philosopher. "There is a lot of intelligence and perseverance in it."-Ex-

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Prof. L. A. Wells of Amarillo, spent the holidays in Mem- shows for all. See me at once.

phis with home folks.

J. S. Cobb left Wednesday for Mrs. Ida B. Moris and daugh-Dallas where he will join his wife ter left Tuesday for their home and spend the holidays with after several days visit with the friends and relatives.

Main street recently.

C. W. BROOME. 26-8tc.

The tongue of the bus was D. H. Arnold's new home in broken out at the depot Thursday West Memphis has been completmorning by the team turning to ed and the family are now enjoy-

family of C. F. Nelson.

C. B. Weaver has just finished Mr. King who has been a nice home in the Durham addi- engineer at Burnett & Morman's tion and has moved thereto. Mr. gin has resigned his position and Weaver sold his place on East accepted one with an ice plant at

Passenger trains on the Denver A hgib wind came up last have been running schebule time Thursday afternoon making it during the Christmas holidays very unpleasant for the large which has been quite a source of crowd in town shopping and pleasure to visitors coming and otherwise getting ready for Christmas.

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etter shape to display our goods and we are also going to enlarge our

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have more so that we can keep more goods on hand and please our

Hoping that you will join us and work hard to make this the best year

red, to make this the banner year in our history.

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any good customers better.

TEACHERS

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Bushong, J. W. Mosley. The Qualities of the Lately

Adopted Text Book-W. B Roach, Mrs. W. L. English.

Moral Training in the Public School s,-Misses Edna Sloan Ellie Wilkerson.

Agriculture in the Public Schools.-R. R. Fillers, A. N. Cowles.

Advantages of Normal School Training-Misses Alice Vanderslice, Ireine Burdett.

The body adjourned at a late hour Tuesday all feeling that it was good to have been there.

At the adjournment each one expressed themselves as feeling as though they had been greatly benefitted by having attened.

Union Watch Service.

Program for the Union Watch meeting to be held at the Christian church Dec. 31, 10:45 p. m. to 12:05 a. m. Jan. 1st 1909.

10:45 Song and praise service. 11:23 Psalm in concert. Prayer-By Rev. Frank.

Solo "Just for today"-Miss Beulah Humphreys.

11:15 Volunteer service, "God's providence in the past"-Led by

Rev. Bonner. Song-Presbyterian quartette. "God's Volunteer service,

by Rev. Head.

Thee." 11:58 Silent Prayer.

12:01 Song-"The Kings Busi-

Benediction-Rev. Bonner. We are promised the Electric lights until 12:15. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend this midnight meeting. Committee.

Program Annual Meeting.

the following is the program for the annual meeting of the Christian church to be held Jan. 1st, 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. There will be an introductory service and sermon, Thurday at 7:30 p. m.

and praise service.

10:30 Greetings and Reminiscences.

11 Reports.

11:20 "A New Year sermon." 12 M dinner at the church.

2:30 p. m. roll call by Church Clerk.

3, Report of nominating committee and election of officers.

3:30 sermon "Our Open Door." The evening service will be the first of a ten days series of meetings conducted by the pastor.

You and your friends are cordially invited to attend this and all other services.

L. H. HUMPHREYS, Pastor.

Woman's Culture Club.

Met Dec. 16, with a large at tendance at Mrs. Bryant's home. A very pleasant and profitable afternoon was spent. Delightful refreshments were served after which we adjourned.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. A. Crozier. Program as follows:

Response Quotations from the Shakespere Lessons.

Business.

Texas History-Last half of

Shakespere Lesson-2nd Act. 1st Scene-Leader for 2nd Act. Mrs. Frank Finch.

Reporter.

Junior Christian Endeavor.

Song.

The Lords Prayer in concert. Bible lesson read by the leader Lesson explained-By super-

Lesson story, Witnessing Nola Adair.

ation-Alvis Moreman. ble Question-Cleo Bradley lible study period.

ader, Lucy Shaw.

B. Y. P. U. Jan. 3, 1909.

Topic-"The Duty of making good Resolutions" Acts 11:19-23, Josh. 24:14-23.

Reading-Phil. 3:1-14.-Willie

Strength"-Frankie Taylor.

Leader-T. R. Garrott.

Y. P. S. C. E.

Sunday, January 3.

Topic-Song of the heart. What is True Blssedness, Ps. Matt. 5:3-312. A New Year's Consecration Meet

Name Conditions with which we may confuse blessedness-Mrs. M. W. Lid-

Why can we not be blessed without blessing others?-Jett Fore. Give Bible examples of true blessed ness-B. F. Shepherd.

Sentence Prayer. Solo-Mrs. T. J. Rich. Special Reading-Miss Elkins. Leader-T. J. Rich.

At the Marriage Alter.

What is there in the vale of life Half so delightful as a wife; When friendship, love and peace con

To stamp the marriage-bond divine?

At the home of the bride's parpromises for the future"-Led ents Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Mickle, Sunday afternoon was solemn-Song "My Faith looks up to ized the marriage of their daughter, Johnnie Mae, to Mr. C. F. Dunbar. At the appointed hour the couple took theirplace in the parlor unattended, where Rev. R. B. Bonner, pastor of the Methodist church, pronounced the ceremony in a most beautiful and impressive manner. At the close of the ceremony congratulations were extended.

The bride is one of our choicest young ladies and is honored and

in her home circle and now she per off two sides and the ceiling. has gone to reign as queen of her The kitchen furniture and some own home.

Friday morning 10 a. m. song business men who is making his loss will amount to between mark in the business world, and \$50.00 and \$75.00. judging from what the bride is worthy of, he will make her a true and noble man.

favorable circumstances. We re- started running down hill. Guy joice that they remain among us in his attempt to check the team. to cast their influence for good in shoved both feet through the

matrimony.

Ferd Cox Dead.

Cox at Hollis, Okla., came as a great shock to the relatives and friends in Memphis. Only last Saturday the parents received would probably be able to be brought home in a few days, but on Monday morning at 4 a. m. wafted the spirit of this noble young man to his home above.

10 a. m.

Only the memory of the lovely boy is left, yet how sweet, how uplifting its influence. Each death is a link that binds us to the great beyond, so let us live and do, that when our time comes, we will be found a fitting link to enter the home beyond.

To the sorrowing relatives we extend our sincere sympathy.

Let me figure with you on your

Tozans are interested.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 22.- Promoters of the Mountain Valley his picture machine and left a and Plains Railroad Company, piano, phonograph and heating chartered under the laws of New stove fully covered by a mort-Mexico and projected from Ci. gage held by a bank in Amarillo. "Good Resolution. Why make marron, N. M., to either Guthrie His creditors can do nothing them at this time?"-Robert or Oklahoma City via Higgins more than profit by this experi and Hartley, Texas, Arnett, Vici, Reading-James 4:7-11-Mrs. Cestos and Watonga were in conference with business men here today. The proposed line would "Progress in Resolution. Our operate in Oklahoma, it is understood, under a State charter, and Reading-Eph. 6:10-18.-Ruth for that purpose a call was made upon the Corporation Commission. With its completion, Northwestern Oklahoma would be connected with the Cimarron, N. M., coal fields, as it is said the to show their appreciation of our company controls the deposits inconvenience in delayed settlethere as well as 1,000 square ment to come in at once an make miles of timber adjacent to the final settlement in cash or notes.

Sale Still On.

Herod will hold forth in the Brumley-King building another month. Don't forget the Great Removal Sale. It will continue 30 days longer at Herod's store.

We are closing out all our men's and boys overcoats, avoid moving any more goods but will, according to contract, can buy all the goods we want at Gammage school house. when these are gone at Herod's the same old stand.

Small Blaze.

respected by young and old alike. lamp exploding. The flames section of the country before. She has ever been a bright star spread rapidly, burning the pagroceries were pretty badly The groom is one of our young damaged by fire and water. The

Runaway.

This event marks the most im- Guy Young were driving along try to merit all favors accorded portant mile-stone in their life. the road east of town the buggy me. Wishing each and everyone Another home is made, a new wheel dropped into a chug hole a happy and prosperous New start in life is made under most which frightened the team. They Year. I am yours to pleas. dashboard. The buggy was This happy couple will go to overturned throwing Guy on his housekeeping after the first of head and dragging Mrs. Young year in their own home in West about twenty feet before being Memphis. The Democrat and released. The team ran on nearly its many friends extend congrat- to town where they hung up on a ulations and best wishes for a telephone post. The buggy long and happy life on the sea of received several little breaks. Mr. and Mrs. Young luckily escaped any serious damage ather than fright and severel The news of the death of Ferd minor bruises,

To Our Patrons and Friends. As we cannot get to see each piness. one personally to thank them for word that Ferd was better and their patronage during the year 1908, we take this means of thanking you through the col- tresspassers must keep out. umns of the paper. Our patrons the "Death Angel" came and and friends will always be kindly remembered for their generous patronage accorded us, and we The remains will be brought will make a greater effort to keep in on the train from Childress up our stock to a high standard this Tuesday night and inter- which we know the good people ment will take place at Fairview of Memphis and surrounding cemetery Wednesday morning at community justly deserve. largest audiences of the season. Wishing all a more prosperous The character of Zeke Dobson 1909, we are,

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Moving Picture Show on Move.

show which has been doing bus- horses and mules for sale. Mr. ness in Memphis and conduct- Blevins was for a number of years, ed by a man by the name of sheriff of Shackleford county. McKinney, moved out of town He is a relative of W. M. Fore, and Saturday night. It was an un-came in week before last with J expected move and has cost some W. and J. A. Elliott, mention of of Memphis' good people quite a which was made in last issue of 12-tf nice little sum for the pleasure the Democrat.

of the acquaintance of Mr. Mc Kinney. He carried with him ence and not get done for any more.

To Our Customers.

We thank you for your liberal friends for forty years. patronage the past year, and we feel that we have merited your approval since our sales have been a steady increase. Now that settling up time is at hand we will thank those of our custmers that are behind with us Thus enabling us to favor you Wishing you all a hap again. py and more prosperous New Year. We are yours for fair dealing

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Snake Immigrates; Killed.

Denison, Tex., Dec. 22.-In a shipment of fruit received from Monday morning about 5 a. m. South America by a local firm the alarm of fire was sounded today a snake four feet long with which caused quite a stir among a triangular shaped head and a the early risers. Upon investi- neck the size of a lead pencil was gation it was learned that it was found, almost frozen to death. in the home of J. A. Witherspoon The fruit came in a refrigerator in West Memphis. Mr. Wither- car. The snake was killed and spoon had started across the its skin will be stuffed. Nothing room. He stumbled and fell, the of the kind was ever seen in this

Card of Thanks,

I take this means of thanking my many friends and patrons for all past favors in business and for their generosity and kindness to me and family during sickness. I wish a continuation of your valued patronage and Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. friendship and assure you I will

W. T. REED.

Caristmas Dinner.

The coay home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Alland was thrown open on Christ nas day to quite a number of invited guests to participate in a big Christmas dinner. The table was spread for about twenty-five guests, and was tastefully decorated and its arrangement complete. To say that justice was ample done by all is expressing it as was voiced by all attending. Each one wished Mr. and Mrs. Alland many more such Christmas' of undisturbed hap-

Posted. My property on Bitter creek is posted and hunters and other Otherwise I will prosecute to the full extent of the law W. M. Cross.

Miss Della Horner left Sunday for her home at Graham, Texas.

The Missouri Girl was presented at the Arnwood opera house Monday night to one of the was well received. Taken as a whole the company is above the average.

J. F. Blevins is here from Ta-The white city moving picture hoka, Texas, with a bunch of

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W. C. Bass and wife of Chico, on their way home from Amarillo last week stopped off with the family of M. L. Raney for a short visit. Mr. Bass is a step brother of Mr. Raney. The time was spent most pleasantly in renewing old acquaintances Mrs. Bass and Mrs. Raney having been old

The Ina Lehr Stock Co. which appeared here last Friday and Saturday night will hold the boards at the opera house the remainder of this week. The opening play last Friday night A Country Girl, was well staged and the acting is up to the standard. The specialties between acts are fine and everyone attending will get their money's

W. H. Wallace, manager for Cameron Lumber Co. atthis place, Tom J. Rich returned last Wednesday from Waco where the managers of all the Cameron yards in the state met in their regular association. The meeting lasted two days, after which they departed for

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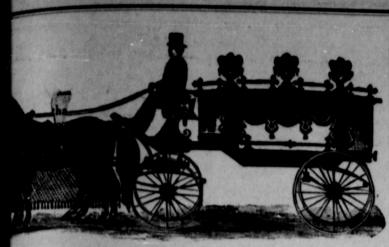
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A Good Qualification.

The mystery of the negro mind is er in a family living in one of the fashionable suburbs of Philadelphia. strove to impress his would be em ployer with his entire fitness for the

"Oh, yes, suh," he said, "I's sholy well educated, suh. I's passed a civil serv ce examination.

"Indeed," responded the gentleman. that is very fine. I'm sure, but can't say that that will be of any particular value to me in a butler."

"No?" said the surprised applicant. "It shore is strange how gemmen's tastes do differ. Now, Mr. Williams." naming his former employer, "he say 'John, one thing I deman' is civil service to mah guests,' an' he done gave me a zamination ri' there, suh,

an' that's the truf." Then the gentleman saw a great

light. He replied: "Yes, you are quite right, John. Civil service is a very important and rather unusual virtue, so if you have passed that examination I think we'll consider you engaged."

A Mogul Hero.

Here is a little vignette of Babar, the first of the great moguls. At eleven he succeeded to his kingdom of Ferghana. His father was accidentally killed, and "I." says the boy, "ha mediately mounted in great haste and, taking such followers as were at hand. set out to secure my throne." He succeeded in holding it, nearly lost it by trusting a traitor who was "the best player at leapfrog he had ever seen' and actually lost it by grasping at the possession of Samarkand. Then came two years of wandering. Then he got Ferghana again and lost it a second time by trying to make his Mongol soldiers restore their loot to the peasantry. And all this before he was seventeen! Thirty-two years later he dled, the last scene being the most striking of all. His darling so Humayun was desperately ill. Only some great sacrifice could save him, said the doctor. He entered the chamber, walked round the bed three times, saying, "On me be thy suffering," and a few days afterward died .- London Spectator.

The Dogskin Wouldn't Go Round. Hungary swarms with barristers. It s the greatest ambition of the Hungarian peasant to make one of his sons an advocate.

The son of a small farmer in the neighborhood of Budapest was sent by his father to the law school of that town, but either from lack of parts or the necessary application he was plucked in the qualifying examina-

Not daring to return to the paternal abode empty handed after all the money that had been spent on his education, he conceived and executed the plan of forging a legal diploma. The father was not, however, so ignorant as not to be aware that such diplomas are always written on parchmentkutya-ber (dogskin)-in Hungary.

Why is your certificate not made out on kutya-ber?" asked the old man. the youth, "there are more barristers than dogs in Hungary, and so there is not enough kutya-ber to make diplo-

mas for us all."-London Answers.

Gam's Dry Humor. When the gallant Welsh captain David Gam was sent forward by Henry V. to reconnoiter the French army before the battle of Agincourt he found that the enemy outnumbered the English by about five to one. His

report to the king is historic: "There are enough to be killed, enough to be taken prisoners and enough to run away.

the battle at once spread through the camp, and doubtless every yeoman archer of the vallant company felt an inch taller. We know that it was almost literally justified by the event. Poor Gam's dry humor was equaled by his courage. He was killed while in the act of saving the life of his prince.-London Standard.

Distilled water after having been exposed to the air is one of the most salubrious of drinks. Its daily use in measured quantities is helpful in cases of dyspepsia and greatly assists the general functions of the body. Every large steamer carries a water distilling apparatus by which sea water is made fresh. In the days before steamers primitive distilling apparatus was used on warships and vessels carrying passengers.

A Postal Deficit.

"Pa, what is meant by the postal deficit?"

gets to put on a postal card."-Detroit Free Press.

"The things your mother always for-

Sleepless.

Blobbs-Why don't you consult a doctor about your insomnia? Slobbs What! And run up more bills? Why, it's because of what I owe him now that I can't sleep.

Wanted Full Credit. "Now, my little man, you are accused

f striking another boy and knocking out one of his teeth." 'Scuse me, jedge, two of his teeth."

When He Enjoys Home.
"Does your husband enjoy his home?" "Yes-whenever I want bim to take e to the theater."-Cleveland Leader.

venezuela received its name from the early Spanish residents, who saw a resemblance to Venice.

FLASH LIGHTS FROM HEDLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starnes of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Graham Tuesday.

Mrs. A. L. Miller, who has been real sick this and last week, we are pleased to report is very much better.

Col. W. E. Reeves, president of the bank at this place spent several days this week in Ft. Worth on business and visiting his brother of that city.

Chas. R. Myers one of our hustling and enterprising farmers reports having just finished selling his surplus corn crop, of 2000 bushels which brought him about 50 cents per bushel.

Miss Ethel White, who has been attending the Conservatory of Music at Dallas, came in Wednesday to spend the holidays.

The Hedley Telephone Exchange has changed hands. N. of Oklahoma, who will move his family here and will take charge about the 5th of January.

On last Thursday evening the member of the Gospel live among last Saturday and Sunday. them, and to extend to him and his wife a cordial welcome, met New Year. at the parsonage about seven o'clock, bringing with them a diversity of good things to eat. This was a surprise to brother Wood and wife, but they are good entertainers, though taken by surprise, and everyone pres ent spent an enjoyable evening.

W. W. Gammon has sold his residence in the east part of the city to Mr. Blankenship of Jack county. Mr. Blankenship will move to our city about the first of January. He also reports several other families in that county who will move out also.

TURKEY SCRATCHINGS.

The health in and around our little town is good.

The most of our farmers are through gathering their crops and are getting ready for the

Xmas with us was some duller plentiful.

The young people of this place have organized a literary society and it promises to be a good one. We wishthem well. Our country is bound to grow and we need well developed brains as well as new houses and farms.

The "Turks" welcome the news. that Dr. H. Gilmore, of Franklin Texas, will soon be here to make his home with us. Dr. Gilmore This quaint forecast of the result of has many friends here who knew him at Franklin, and all speak well of him as a man and Dr.

Things seem to get lively as the new year grows near. Loading wagons, cleaning off yards and scouring floors, as the renters change places for the coming year. This play "Polly wants a corner" seem to go on and on without ceasing, and at present we have several that want corners who are likely to have to move from our country to find

We would like to see more copyies of the Memphis Democrat coming to Turkey. It will tell you of Memphis and Hall county. What we can do, what our brothers are doing and what we should do. Of course we all know we have a good country, but by keeping abre: st with the times we can tell how to better direct our effort to help our country and sup ply our own needs.

GILES GOSSIP.

and was loaded with presents.

is the guest of her aunt Mrs J. P. months from the date hereof." Johnson during the holidays.

Mrs. G. A. Coursey of Giles, and Mr. Tom Owens of Rowe.

Mr. J. T. Alley is reported on the sick list this week.

W. J. Owens returned to his home in Mexico Monday after spending two months visiting his children here.

The socials given at the homes of Messrs. Akers and Watts last Friday and Saturday nights was enjoyed by our young people very much.

Mr. J. S. Akers has placed a nice piano in his home for his daughter.

Mrs. Ranson Johnson entertaning the little folks at her home this evening.

Carter Willingham came up from Ft. Worth the 24th and spent a few days the guest of friends in Giles.

Miss Dessa Young spent the hnlidays the guest of friends in R. Darnell, the former proprietor | Memphis returning home Sund y sold out Monday to Mr. Savage, night an reported a plesant time.

> O. L. Watt and family left for Estern Texas the 22nd where they will in future reside. Mrs. G. A. Coursey and chil-

good people of Hedley, to show dren were the guest of her their appreciation of having a brother T. M. Owens of Rowe

Wishing each and all a happy Adios.

MERRY WIDOW.

Pure Flour.

The department of agriculture object to the use of nitrogen peroxid to bleach flour, and an order has been issued by the secretary declaring such as an adulteration and cannot be legally By consulting them frequently the sold in interstate commerce. The order which has been received by Dr. J. C. Chisholm, former city chemist of Dallas, is of interest and is as follows:

"Food Inspection Decision No. 100. Flour bleached with nitrogen peroxid, as affected by the food and drug acts of June 30, 1906, has been made the subject of a careful investigation extending over several months.

"A public hearing on this subject was held by the Secretary of Agriculture, and the Board of to pursue almost to the day of his Food and Drugs Inspection, be- death in 1883, at the age of eightyginning Nov. 18, 1908, and continuthan common, as the cotton crop ing five days. At this hearing pithily remarks, "a stanch supporter was short and money not so those who favored the bleaching of Devonshire wrestlers, an admirable process and those who opposed it were given equal opportunities to

"Itis my opinion, based upon all the testimony given at the hearing, upon the report of those who have investigated the subject. upon the literature, and upon the unanimous opinion of the Board of Food and Drug Inspection that flour bleached by nitrogen perunder the food and drugs act of of the adulteration is such that no statement upon the label will bring bleached flour within the be legally made or sold in the Distric of Columbia or in the Terriin interstate commerce, or be transported or sold in foreign dar. commerce exports under that portion of the law which reads:

'Provided that no article shall be deemed misbranded or adulterated within the provisions of this act when intended for export | for you since supper time.' to any foreign country and prepared or packed according to the specifications or directions of the foreign purchases, when no substance is used in the preparation or packing thereof in conflict with the laws of the foreign country to which said article is intended to be shipped.

Inview of the extent of the bleach ing process and of the immense hand or in process of manufacture Christmas has passed off no prosecutions will be recomnicely and quietly in our little mended by this department for town. The tree at the Methodist manufacture and sale thereof in betterment and upbuilding of church and the chimney at the the District of Columbia or the school house was well attended Territories or for transportation or sale in interstate or foreign Wishing each and everyone a Miss Reitha Harris of Amarillo commerce, for a period of six

The order is signed by James Mrs Joe Jolley of Jack county is Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, up visiting her sister and brother and dated Dec. 9.

copy of a book There are two volumes of this,

said Mr. Miller. "The other volu is in perfect order, as you see this one is. You cannot possibly let them escape you, for you know you have nothing like this in your library.

"What is the price?" asked the railroad king. "Seven hundred dollars," sgid the

bookman. "Those are too valuable volumes for my library," Mr. Huntington ex-

Mr. Miller went back to his place and sent the books to Mr. Hunting ton's house with a bill for \$700. Next day the railroad king sent for him. "Why did you send me those books?"

he demanded sharply. "Because you bought them," was the bookman's calm reply.

"I certainly did not!" cried the mil-"Oh, yes, you did!" answered Mr. Miller. "You'll remember perfectly

well when I tell you what you said You told me distinction Those are two valuable volumes for my library.' "-Harper's Weekly.

Books of Reference.

Newspaper editors like to answer questions addressed to them by their readers-if they are not too hardand they deem themselves as arbiters rather than as accessories to a misdemeanor when they are appealed to for information "to decide a bet." But they wonder sometimes why certain questions are put to them for arbitrament when the answers are to be found in one of three very accessible books-an almanac, a grammar and a

small dictionary. These are books of reference that ought to be in every home library. however small. We guess that they are, but that they are sometimes dusty with misuse or out of easy reach on a top shelf. It is well to have an almanac, a dictionary or an atlas handy when you are reading your newspaper. reader will find his daily paper relates his early historical studies to present events and makes his touch with the world closer and more significant. Get the habit!-New York Mail.

A Sporting Parson. The inhibition of a hunting rector by his bishop reminds a correspondent that the Rev. Jack Russell, the famous west country sporting parson, was once cited to appear before the bishop of Exeter to answer charges of neglecting his spiritual and parochial duties, and he was also remonstrated with for keeping and following a pack of hounds. The charges were proved unfounded, and Russell refused to give up the sport, which he continued eight. Besides being an insatiable hunter, he was, as his biographer of the virtues of Devonshire cider and cream." And in the pulpit he tried to reform conduct rather than to expound doctrine and was a stern denouncer of bad language, strong drink and "the filthy habit of smoking."-St. James' Gazette.

Sarcasm In the Commons The reluctance of the house of com mons to adfourn over Derby day re calls a story related of one of the Roman Catholic peers who took their seats some four or five years before oxid is an adulterated produce the passage of the first reform bill after an exclusion of a century and a half. He gave notice that on a certain June 30, 1906; that the character day he would make a certain motion. whereupon there arose from his noble colleagues a general cry of "Derby!" The astonished novice named another day, only to be greeted with an equallaw, and that such flour can not ly unanimous expostulation of "Oaks!" At this he explained that he would have to ask the forgiveness of their lordships; but, having been educated tories; or be transported or sold abroad, he was forced to acknowledge that he was not familiar with the list of saints' days in the Anglican calen-

His Glasses.

He came home in the small hours of the morning, and his loving spouse confronted him with wrath in her eye and a telegram in her hand, saying. "Here is news that has been waiting He blinked, looked wise and, braced

up against the hatrack, felt through his pockets, murmuring, "I left my glasses down town.'

"Yes," she replied, with scathing irony, "but you brought the contents

The Democrat wishes to thank its many friends and patrons who have accorded us such generous support since we have been among you. Our business in the past has been all we could quantity of bleaching flour now on ask. We have worked faithfully and dilligently for our town and county, and we promise to continue to ever strive for the community whenever the opportunity presents itself. happy and prosperous New Year and asking for a continuation of your support, we will say good bye to the old year and extend a glad hand to the new,

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The Senate's Hole in the Wall. When the nineteenth century was as yet only half grown, senators applied customarily for their toddies at the so called Hole in the Wall, a small circular room just off the postoffice of the upper house. The latter body then upled what is now the chamber of the supreme court; and the posto was across the main corridor of the building on the same floor. When a wearer of the toga found himself in need of a "snifter" he had only to cross over to the mails department and pass through it to the little circular room aforesaid, which was about the size of a pantry. The Hole in the Wall was the first senate restaurant. and the bill of fare for edibles was short, though to the point. There was ham, guaranteed to have been smoked for six months, a veritable sublimation of the pork product; there were corned beef and bread and cheese, but very little else. They served, however, as an accompaniment for the fluids, and when the Hole was crowded, as was often the case, senators ate their sandwiches outside, in the postoffice. -Washington Post.

The Aurora Borealis.

The aurora borealis, or northern light, is something that we have all beard about, but very few, perhaps. can give any explanation of it. No one definitely knows what causes it, but the scientists are pretty well agreed that it is due to electricity. They believe that the light is made by the recomposition of the positive and negative electricity always in the upper and lower strata of air, respectively. M. Lenstrom made an Interesting experiment in Finland in 1882, his object being to determine the nature of the aurora. He had the peak of a mountain surrounded by a copper wire, pointed at intervals with tin nibs. When he had charged the wire with electricity a yellow light appeared on the tin tips, and an examination of the light by the spectroscope revealed the greenish yellow ray that is a marked feature of the aurora. This evidence among scientists is almost convincing, for it is by means of the spectroscope that we discover the constituent parts of the sun and the stars.-Exchange.

"Thou Diest on Point of Fox." Fox blades were celebrated all through the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries for their excellent temper, and mention of them is frequent in English drama. This is their history:

.There was a certain Julian del Rei, believed to be a Morisco, who set up a forge at Toledo in the early part of the sixteenth century and became famous for the excellence of his sword blades, which were regarded as the best of Toledo. That city had for many ages precious been renowned for swordmaking, it being supposed that the Moors introduced the art, as they did so many good things, from the

Julian del Rei's mark was a little log, which came to be taken for a fox, and so the "fox blade" or simply "fox" for any good sword. See "Henry V.," act 4, scene 4, "Thou diest on point of fox." The brand came to be imitated in other places, and there are Solingen blades of comparatively modern manufacture which still bear the little dog

A Royal Snake Slaughterer.

The "secretary bird" is one of the most precious birds in South Africa. It is royal game, and any person destroying one is hable to a fine of \$50. Majestic looking bleds, they stand about three feet high and generally go in pairs. They are of drab color, with black, feathery legs, and are valued for their propensity for killing snakes. Where the secretary bird is seen there are sure to be many reptiles about. The bird beats down its adversary first with one wing and then with the other, at the same time trampling on clently scanned to catch it by the rises far up in the air and drops its this means thousands of venomous rentles are destroyed .- London Scraps.

"Whah is you been workin'?" MES Mismi Brown. Up twone o' deshere garridges what der keep de automobiles

Natural History.

"I s'pose you likes 'em better dan

Well, de Ciffunce is dat a mule kicks wif his hin' feet an' de automoblie is mo' li'ble to butt same as a gont."-Washington Star.

Every monthly magazine carries as many as two continued steries in it.

Economical.

She-I'm going to give you back our engagement ring. I love another. He-Give me his name and address. She-Do you want to kill blm? He-No, I want to sell him the ring.-Pick-Me-Up.

Milk Toast and Cheese.

Make some rich milk toast and spread out on a flat dish. Cover with a thick

GIVING

The King of Siam is dark physically, but very bright mentally. He is autocratic in his ways and his word decides the legal status of all cases appealed to him. One of his rich subjects died and left his estate in the hands of his friend who was a priest. This priest was appointed guardian for the Son who was heir to this vast estate. The scheming priest managed the estate until the Son come of age, and then the son asked for possession of the property, but the executor claimed it all except a paltry sum which he offered the young man. The Son appealed to the King who called for the will which he read in presence of the priest and the people.

The will specified among the last bequests that 10,000 taels was to be paid to the church and then the last provision read this way--- "give my Son what you want." The King asked the priest how much he had offered the heir, and he said 100 taels, and that the balance of the estate was worth 89,000 taels, which he retained as the will permitted him to give the Son what he wanted.

The King then said, to the unfaithful friend, give the son what you want. Now you prove to us what you want because you have kept the 89,000 taels and given the Son only 100 taels, and I hereby decree that you give him the 89,000 taels and keep the 100 taels for yourself.

Moral:--If you have overlooked any of your friends, and desire to give them "what you want," come and select some of our Christmas goods at reduced prices, and gladden the heart of some friend with a New Year's gift.

Lanterns

Down in East Texas where the crawfish flourishes, it is said that the growing crops are cut down by them at night and the farmers use this plan to destroy them. A barrel hoop is put in the mouth of a sack, which one child holds at the end of a corn row, while another child comes down the row with a blazing pine knot torch causing the crawfish to run backward into the sack.

If they had some of our Dashboard Lanterns, they would not have to use smoky pine knot

Lanterns with reflectors, only Lanterns without reflectors, only

One car of Amarillo Best and Reliable Flour

Silk Throad

The chameleon running among the branches of a tree is difficult to follow because its color blends with that of twigs and branches. If you need silk thread to match your dress goods, come and get a spool of Corticelli

Just Received

One car of Light Crust and Tip Top

Syrup

The small boy who said he didn't have no aunts 'cept his grandma, didn't know much about natural history.

We would like to remark that our Ribbon Cane Syrup is not called Ribbon Cane Syrup because it took the Blue Ribbon at the Dallas Fair, but because the Syrup is made of the juice of the Cane historically designated "Ribbon Cane" as the stalks are striped like

This Syrup came in barrels direct from the farm and is pure.

In gallon buckets it retails for Out of the barrel it sells for only

One car of Wapco canned Fruits and Vegetables

Live fish swim up stream.—Buster

What day is tomorrow?-Frohman

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Diversification.

THE CASH

other, at the same time transpling on the exclusion of all when you are casting about for whom you could get a \$10,000 as most poultry raisers know, rises far up in the air and drops is that there may be sometimes a little left from each year's earn the business done last year and which is sometimes a little difficulty memories and, most employed to be killed. By contention, yet the fact remains little left from each year's earn the business done last year and which is sometimes a little difficulty memories and, most employed to be killed.

Tie man who gives his whole attention to one crop is very apt to allow his Lome surroundings to go to the cogs. This is evidence. in practically every sec-When a man takes six it means that I tion where the one-crop idea prehis wife is carrying twelve continued valis. The man who has made a doing the cooking and trying to find good living for himself and family out how much the new hat cost worn on his acres has already turned by the weman next door. - OH City half of his profit, and it is not necessary that he should have so large a specialized crop to pull through, and having his living at ready, it is not necessary that he should sell on the first stages of the market. Sure of his living, he can bide his time to market surplus product.

There is another feature about this that is little considered, and basis. I feel that there needs to

just in the proportion that it does ever-growing percentage of rev-A correspondent of The Fort be is liable to get disgusted and enue. Worth Record takes exception to to neglect his work. The man "It seems to me illogical and for market or table use, and the family of a man drowned. In January.

the advice that is being given by who is raising many things can unbusiness-like for a man to the laying hens should be kept and ready playhouse w he newspapers to diversify the turn from one to the other and make an advertising appropriation and fed separately. The object the nublic had to pay a head for admission. The ops, and claims that because and relief from the monotony of tion based upon a certain per- with market fowls is to get them were made in kind, wheat, he tendency of the times is to life.—Beaumont Enterprise. | centage of previous year's busi- as fat as possible, while the rum taking the place of the us

cotton to the acre.

Not Expense, But Investment.

That advertising is not an expense but a permanent invest tion would be for one to decide exercise during the day. If con- instead of employing the selection

that is the nan who devotes his be aroused in the minds of the new department in the store. whole attention year after year to business men of Dallas the idea. Wheat & Speer have received a e crop gets monotonous and after years return a larger and Smith lumber yard.

centrate, that the farmer The Panhandle has wonderful ness. For instance: If you had layers should be kept in the best rency.-London Standard. ould turn his attention to some resources for diversification and a customer in New Orleans from possible laying condition. This, ise. While it is not disputed some place where you cannot order it would seem very foolish means that layers must not be dog prefers not to keep that there may be something in only make a living, but have a to figure out a percentage upon allowed to become too fat, ing house, has no posset that travel the country over, the ings to lay away for a rainy day, find out that that amount of cult to accomplish. farmers who raise their living on be sure and don't forget Mem- money spent in railroad fare It is best to keep layers in a con- to make homes without kill me sacm, giving attention to this phis, Hall county, Texas, situated would only carry you as far as dition eager for a little food an babies or flowers or before they do to a money crop, in the Upper Red River Valley Texarkana. The accomplish the time, rather than fully sup. cupboards, the spirit of hon to woo and win with the ones who have the most where the crops for the past ment of the end in view can only plied. Exercise is of almost as Fortnightly Review contortable homes and are the eleven years have averaged a be attained by arriving at New much importance as feeding, and est satisfied with conditions on ittle better than one-half bale of Orleans and the money spent in the overfed hen is not going to getting part way and not arriv- do much scratching and hustling. communicate sickness?

way for advertising appropria. The hens will then be inclined to business in their con what end he wishes to reach, fine, small grain may be sca. cumlocution of the medical Babcock, who, in delivering the then figure what the cost would tered in litter to provide the be for the best advertising and exercise. The morning meal The Dallas Advertising best method in order to reach should be light, but at night they League, although young in years, this class of people and make an can be given all they will eat the throwing your wfe to the growth of the throwing your wfe to the growth of the class of people and make an can be given all they will eat the throwing your wfe to the growth of the g is like the little darkey. When appropriation that would get the food to be varied frequently, knocking her head repeatedly they asked him how old he was business. The reasonable adver- The task of getting the markne replied, If you go by what tiser would etermine the amount et fowls as fat and heavy as pos- your honor. Judge. mother says I am six, but if you of this appropriation by asking sible is comparatively easy, as goes by the fun I's had, I's a hun- himself two questions: 'What all that is necessary is to condred.' In measuring by accom- do I want to accomplish?' and fine them and keep them fully lected to bring my surgical plishment rather than by age, 'Have I or can I get the money to supplied with fat forming food ments with me. "That will be this league has been and is a do it?' and money thus spent is and plenty of water. W. F. tising, and that advertising upon a higher and more business like were an additional story upon a higher and more business-like the manufacturing plant or a

the raising of one crop loses the that advertising is not an expense a car of Higgins Flour and guarmeentive that comes from inter- but an investment, and a perman- antee every sack. Try it. Just est and variety in his work. The ent investment, which will in across the street from Cicero Johnsey & Foreman make

Fowls that are being prepared the first pay night (som

ing is practically thrown away. Twice a day is often enough to "Yes," answered the man "It would seem that the logical feed -at morning and at evening. prehensive about his health,

We sell meat strictly for cashwe can sell you on no other terms. Delivery made to any part of the city. Lock Bros.,

19 tf. counter shelves, etc.

from the ground, cross. Roses whan and redainty white blos oms and leaves formed the trimmings. center the word "Peace" out in rosebuds. Everybody in the car admi

offering, and when the boy down on the floor all leaned to examine it more closely. At one old gentleman stood up and justed his glasses in order to better look at it.

"That is a mighty pretty you've got there," he said, may I ask, is dead?"

The boy giggled. "Nobody 't I know of," h "This ain't for a funeral; it's wedding."

The old gentleman sat down

"Good Lord!" he said. "Whe ever ordered 'Pence' inscribed wedding decoration?"

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The rest of the passengers and many of them, being wondered as well, but nobody ed an explanation.-New York

Mulke A certain Margaret Wilson of ninster, who was an invetera taker, enjoined that a qua Scotch snuff should be placed coffin. She also ordered that rangements connected with he Abe Mu al should be as follows: be my bearers who are known the greatest snuff takers in the of St. James, Westminster. In nourning, each to wear a snuff of eaver hat, which I desire bought for the purpose and gir Six maidens of my quaintance to bear my pall, es carry a box filled with the best s snuff, to take for their refrest as they go along." Snuff was a are cor be thrown on the threshold eased's dwelling before the passed out, snuff was to be st the ground at every twenty randvance of the coffin, and the of ing clergyman's fee was to be tionate to the quantity of sn consumed during the ceremony

What the Peruvians Believed unique idea of the future was that of the ancient Peru As the disembodied soul wing way to eternity it encounter rocks, upon one of which it needs rest. The choice was mined by the morality of the l If it rested upon th hand rock it was instantly tran to "Po," or oblivion, a state and to the Nirvana of the orien through early misdeeds, howe unhappy spirit was guided to the hand rock it entered into a torial hell where flends gra the flesh from all the bones cession, after which the skele reclothed and sent back to another try. There was about this grating proce something over 10,000 years.

don Globe.

Australia's First Theater. The first recorded pro lay in Australia took Feeding For Eggs and Market. Recruiting Officer." The upper of the year 1789. It was

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worst of it is that they get rich

Trying to Make a Hit the floor? Prisoner (evasively only trying to make a hit wi

"That will be all right, doctor plumber who has been working cellar has left his tools here

The Fatted Calf. the fatted calf for the prodigal on earth except the division of money.—Atchison Globe.

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