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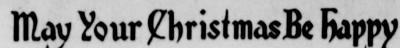
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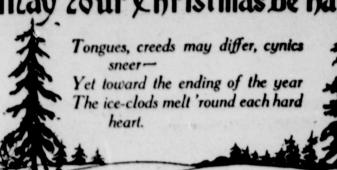


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STUDENTS WELCOMED

The various students off to college and universities were welcomed by home folks for the Christmas holidays. Those who came in the past week are as fol-

Misses Ruby Mae Cochran and Sidney Laurence, University of Texas; Bethilda Eldridge, Simmons College; John Laurence, Princeton University; Myrtle Harrell, Abilene Christian Colege; Mary Ellen and Vincent Bohlman. St. Henry college: Nelberta Lea and Katherine Dan iels, Loretta Academy, Las Cruces, New Mex.

BRIDGE PARTY

One of the most delightful parties given during the holidays was at the home of Mrs. James Kerr, last Thursday afternoon, when she entertained in honor of her sister, Mrs. M. A. Dittmar of San Antonio. Decorations suggestive of Yuletide were car.

Mrs. Tom Butler was given a beautiful Venetian glass bowl as high score prize. Mrs. Will avage was awarded second high score, a novelty vacum perfume jar. The consolation prize was cut by Mrs. Fred P. Holt, a box of handkerchiefs, and the low score prize was awarded to Miss Aggie Reilly, a basket of nuts. A delicious plate lunch of potato chips, olives, saltines, fruit salad, hot coffee, tea and cake was served to the following guests: Mesdames Will Savage, F. B. Carter, J. C. Green, B. P. Franklin, G. S. Wilkinson, M. A. Boling, Tom Misses Mallon Couch and Aggie A. Dittmar.

Do you know why Jacobs are

San Marcos came in the latter r. L. Williams.

relatives in Valentine.

Miss Merle McKee came in Sunday from San Antonio to

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parsons left Monday for Snyder to visit relatives.

-Mrs. Gould, a state inspector, once pronounced Jacobs Candy n the South.

Church News

of Sanderson

Only 77 p esent at Sunday school due to cold spell, there be-

g but 14 little tots instead of 36. The Ladies Auxiliary to the Presbyterian church pcs poned the meeting for December 29. Members will be notified in The

egular appointment last Sunday coupe. and held morning services at the Presbyterian church and at his wn in the evening. 2 fine services

Times for next meeting date.

Junior League was reorganized last Sunday with a good attendance. Officers were elected, each one filling their places. Will meet each Sunday. All other boys and girls are welcome.

Mrs. S. C. Bodkin From Lined her Sanday school classes her home last Friday in or of William Lea's birthday. A Christmas grab bag was the main feature. All report a fine time.

—Contributed.

Our Greeting



unto heart. "Amidst the general call to hapmess, the bustle of the spirits, and stir of the fections, which prevail at this period, what osom can remain insensible?" said the poet.

It is one day at least when suspicion, hate and gloom find but little space for lodgment in human breasts; when people forget the things that worry and fix their minds upon the many things for which they may be thankful; when the spirit of cheer exists in sufficient bounty to

Any unhappiness, any sense of the thorns of life, may be sunk in contemplation of the joy which the day brings to so large a part of the world, especially to the children of our immediate world; for the day was born with a Child and has remained largely a festival of the young, its sanctified ideals strengthened by childish purity, re-creating faith, hope and charity in their elders.

Then, let us make this Christmas purposeful; a season of regenerated feeling, of love, peace and good will. Let us hang the holly and the evergreen; let us promote the surge of joy. In this spirit, we wish you all

A Merry Christmas

THE PUBLISHERS

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FORTY-TWO PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lemons entertained a few friends at their M. Couch, Fred P. Holt, H. R. home last Friday evening with a Laurence, W. T. Carpenter, R forty-two party. After several Butler, Ed Downie, John Stovell; Savage received an ivory per-Rielly and the honoree, Mrs. M. prize. Mr. Carlton White received a box of handkerchiefs as the gentlemen's first prize. A novelty pencil was the booby called "Made last night?" Ask

A. White. A plate lunch of chick, at the agency, the Sanderson en salad sandwiches, olives, nutangel food cake, hot coffee, tea and mints was served. The fol-lowing guests enjoyed the everdner of lowing guests enjoyed the evening: Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Duke, Gardner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. C. I. White, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boling; Mesdames Will Savage and Luella Mrs. J. C. Green and children Lemons; Misses Minnie J. Ware are spending the holidays with and Gazelle Williams; Messrs. Clyde Griffith, G. J. Henshaw and J. A. White.

-Every box of Jacobs takes a spend the holidays with relatives number which may bring you a piece of Tudor Community Silver in the Queen Bess design, Jacobs candies are for sale at the Sanderson Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roberts of Factory the cleanest and best Knoxville, Tenn. came in last kept, white tiled candy factory Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Robert's sister, Mrs. Joe Nichols, and brother, Ray Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha E. Lewis of Sunday is the regular day for Bonham are spending the holi-Rev. D. A. Adams. Services at days with Mrs. Lewis' sister 11 a. m. and 7:30 pem, all ome Mrs. T. R. Arrington.

> Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newten and children left Monday for El Paso to spend the holidays with

Joe Farley came in Monday from Van Nuy, Calif., 1531 miles and he made the trip in 48 hours, Rev. S. White was here for his not an aeroplane, but, a Ford

> Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Duncan left Tuesday for Dallas to spend the holidays.

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GHRISTOAS W. D. Pennyp acker

N HUMAN experience there is no page more replete with joyous association. The first Christmas we remember only as described in sacred story, and we visualize its influence through the spirit exemplified in the lives of our fellows.

The next Christmas we cannot recall. We may have lain in trundle-bed or cuddled in a mother's arms. That was a hallowed Christmas!

Then followed anniversaries teeming with visions of sleighs, Santa Claus, candy and toys, when the veriest romance of Yuletide was so real! We never forget those days.

But how mystically they merge into another epoch. With the diminishing vision of Santa

we become aware of a better Christmas in the conscious love and loyalty of others. And then—

In years that follow, the Christmas season becomes richer and more beautiful. It has lost the confusion of toys and confections. But in all these years there has been growing a tree that is ever green—upon it

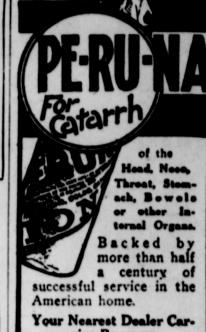
a thousand glittering spangles—hallowed memories of those who played with us around our earliest Christmas trees, or

shared the season's festivities in later years.

Refreshing are the recollections that flood upon us as a newer generation takes our place in the pleasures and happy illusions of Christmas.

May this Yuletide be brighter and happier than all that have gone before.





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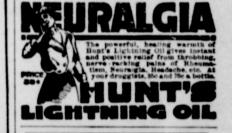


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SINNERS in HEAVEN

"I HATE YOU!"

SYNOPSIS .- Living in the small SYNOPSIS.—Living in the small English village of Darbury, old-fashioned and sedate place, Barbara Stockley, daughter of a widowed mother, is soon to celebrate her marriage to Hugh Rochdale, rich and well connected. Barbara is adventurous, and has planned, with an aunt, an airplane trip to Australia. Major Alan Croft, famous as an aviator, is to be the pilot. At her first meeting with Croft Barbara is attracted by his manner and conversation, different from the cut-and-dried conventions of her small town. They set out, her small town. They set out, Barbara, her aunt, Croft, and a mechanician. Word in a few days comes to Darbury that the plane is missing and its occuplane is missing and its occu-pants believed lost. Croft and Barbara, after the wreck of the Barbara, after the wreck of the airplane in a furious storm, reach an apparently uninhabited island in the Pacific ocean. The other two members of the party had perished. The two castaways build a shelter. In Croft's absence Barbara is attacked by a black man, evidently a savage. Croft resource her. Croft discount. Croft rescues her. Croft discovers a party of blacks, evidently reconnoitering, but they leave pair. Croft fixes up an electrical guard to scare off attacking na-tives.

PART TWO-Continued.

Quietly, as if explaining the mechanism of a watch, be explained how it worked "I will load it, and fix it ready for

use," he concluded. And the girl who, in England, had shrunk from all firearms, took the lit- fell upon their faces, terrified at these tle weapon from him eagerly, welcom- apparitions in the starlight. ing It as a valued friend bringing, pos-

sibly, the greatest succor of all. . bara's nerves became almost unbear-

. . . She faced the moment when, her companion slain, she would seize the revolver, turn the dark muzzle to her fluttering heart, place her finger on the trigger.

-to escape this fearful ordeal. Had piles. Croft touched her or spoken, her control would have snapped altogether. the groveling wretches scrambled to apparently oblivious to all else,

brain seemed gradually to grow calm, ment, like a cloud of smoke, together her faith in his confidence and in- with a sharp explosion, momentarily genuity to strengthen. . . . The strain dazed her senses. relaxed. Hope struggled feebly with- She felt herself lifted bodily, whirled in her heart. She no longer felt the back again round the hut and in at wild desire to scream or to escape. Her the entrance; while, from without clenched hands parted, and she sat back with a sigh

Those who, from lack of imagination and its sense of fear, face a terrible fied effects of the revolver shot in the ordeal with gallantry, are justly called brave; but those who, tortured by the slope. these possessions, foreseeing all with outward flinch, deserve the laurels of heroism. Some such thoughts flitted through Croft's mind, as he sat waiting, fully conscious of the suffering silently endured by his companion. When she relaxed against his shoulder. he drew a breath of relief. .

What seemed like hours passed in the silence and darkness. Then Barbara suddenly raised her head. "Have I been asleep?" she whis-

pered, in astonishment. He turned to answer, whipping suddenly back to the aperture, and craning forward. A sound had reached his intent ears—the faint distant

crepitation of snapping twigs. Now that the dreaded moment had arrived, Barbara was conscious of an utter lack of agitation. Save that her

fingers closed upon his arm, she gave no sign: her eyes followed his, peering into the starlit dusk without. For several minutes nothing more was heard. The girl was beginning to sition, she tried to free herself, but his think it had been a false alarm, when arms tightened.

all at once a slight rubbing noise reached them, as of something wriggling over rough ground. At the same instant a dark form was dimly discernible flitting, shadow-like, from a distant tree to the shelter of a large rock, there falling to the earth. Pres afraid of him, of his savage grip, and ently, from behind this rock, issued a of the eyes which glittered strangely in snaky, black stream-three or the semi-darkness. four bodies waddling along on their But ordinary shackles of restraint fronts, their outline faintly distin- had fallen from Croft for the moment. guishable.

Minutely sweeping the whole visible horizon with his keen eyes, Croft now new prominence in his mind. He had perceived other black streams, issuing become acutely aware of her, as he had from other temporary shelters, slowly

trickling down the slot. He it was all strange, bewildering. Life or death, man and woman, savage, primitive passions pitted against savage, primitive passions. No tection," he Whispered.

Presently, two or three figures deached themselves from the moving mass and wriggled forward with incredible swiftness, leaving the remainter some yards behind.

uts!" whispered Croft. inthara caught her breath sharply. drawing back into the hut.

mine!" Croft, his eyes fixed upon the advancing figurer, laid his hand upon the tter, with forefinger outstretched toward the little key upon which so much depended. No sign of her lips,

By CLIVE ARDEN

the wire encircling the but was visible | in the comparative gloom.

A few tense moments. . he pressed the key, keeping it down, giving the spark gap a slight adjust-

Then, from all around, rose a deafening medley of howls and frenzied contact with the wire, seeing the flesh, feeling the sharp sting of the electricity. Those who escaped it were equally terrified, and the whole order broke up. Some rolled upon the ground rubbing themselves, still howling; others fled, screaming, toward the south. A few, braver, tried again to half petrified with fear of the unnatural.

Croft waited until but a few stragglers remained near the hut. "Now," he cried, "we must show

ourselves, and complete the filusion!" "Oh!" remonstrated Barbara, "Is that necessary?" "Yes; if it's to be a success."

Selzing her arm, he dragged upon the door, and whirled her round to the landward end.

Those natives who remained uttered loud, fearful shouts, at sight of the two white figures: falling upon their faces, they stretched out arms of supplication, gabbling what seemed to Barbara unintelligible nonsense. Those fleeing turned, halted, then likewise

For a moment the girl thought her companion had lost his senses. Loos-As they sat in the dark hut, upon | ing her arm, he sprang forward with a their upturned suitcases, near the bound, his arms wildly waving. Apwindow aperture, the strain upon Bar- pearing unnaturally tall, his white shirt and bandaged head increasing the suable. With every minute her faith in pernatural effect in eyes used only to the electric ruse, never strong, grew a dark naked skin, he went through a weaker; until it ebbed away, leaving pantomime of weird gestures. Now only a ghastly death, or worse, creep- and then this was interspersed with ing nearer with the rising of every extraordinary utterances snarled from between gleaming teeth and cruel, drawn-back lips. The wild awful fury.

seeming to emanate from every pore, terrified her: he looked every inch a She savage himself. His weird babble bore clasped and unclasped her clammy strong resemblance to that of her purhands, sitting upright; then crouching suer. Apparently the prostrate natives back against the bamboo. . . . Quly understood at least part of the disfear of disgrace in her companion's course; for occasionally eager hands opinion restrained her wild impulse were raised in supplication, accomto rise and flee somewhere—anywhere panied by cries or moaning re-

Suddenly, as if at some command, But he sat perfectly still, his gaze their feet. With another torrent of fixed upon the dark slope down which wild words, he wheeled round, and, to their enemies would come, his mind her amazement, threw his arms around her, pressing her close. . As she watched him, her fevered seemed, in the excitement of the mo-

> arose a fresh confusion of howling cries, with the tread of running feet. as the warriors, terrified by the magnidusk, dashed for their lives away up

Once inside, he leaned back against shrinking dread, yet meet it with no the bamboo, still holding her close, his breath coming first, every nerve tingling, primitive man among primitive men, after the savage state into which he had worked himself.

"Well done!" he panted, laughing wildly. "The revolver-fust then-was an inspiration! Vanishing in a puff of smoke finished the trick!"

Barbara gasped, too much astonished to realize that she was still clasped in his arms, having forgotten the existence of the revolver during the last scene. It hung from her hand, still smoking a little from its acci-

dental discharge. "W-what-were-you doing?" she stammered.

Again he laughed wildly. "Telling them we were sent here by their gods, over from the reef, leaving her severely friendly overture. and should blast the Island into a thousand bits if they showed us hostility! You saw the effect?"

"I did, indeed!" Realizing their po-

"Among natives," he continued, excitedly, "a wife is tabu to her husband. To-to make you doubly safe. I told them you were my-my wife."

"Your-" Words falled her. More vehemently she struggled, suddenly

Since those wonderful hours of the night before, the girl had assumed a never yet been aware of any woman.

drawing room code of morals or manners was guiding their destinles out

flercely up against his chest. while we are here, you are mine! Don't forget. You may belong to another in shrank back, her fears and suspicions England; but here, you-you are

His tone was exultant, and he bent her backward so that her face was upturned, unprotected beneath his own. His breath came hot and fast above

Some primeval, caged beast instinct seized her, too, sweeping away fear. Raising her free hand, she dealt him, with sudden passion of rage, a blow in the face while struggling violently

in his grasp. His arms loosed her so abruptly that she nearly fell. For a moment he yells, partly of pain but more often of stood before her, his hands groping at fear, as the advancing men came in his head, looking dazed, or as if awakening after some vivid dream. She wicked blue sparks hiss at their bare | confronted him with the fury of a little wildcat.

"You are mad! Mad! L-oh-I hate you!"

Covering her face with both hands she strove to subdue the extraordinary tumult within her . . . then looked up at the sound of the door being reach the goal; and again retreated, hastily shut with a crash of bamboo canes.

With a gasp of relief, she realized that she was alone.

After the natives' attack, a new doxical though it may sound, the hours which brought them so near together widened the gulf between them. Had that eventful night ended with the accidental discharge of the re- Lord for that, at all events." volver, their daily life might have continued more or less placidly, like the had turned away into the hut. waters of some river, with but an ochurled violently into the center of the down her cheeks. She scrambled to extend. Intensified a hundredfold, all brushwood, lay down and sobbed out the fears of her first afternoon upon her heart. the island rushed riotously back. She of the passions lying dormant under a cold exterior.

Nothing more had been said concerning the episode. Half expecting some kind of apology, she had decided, next morning, to accept it frigidly, drawing close the cloak of her own reserve and

But the apology never came. He did not appear at all until nearly midday. when he arrived with arms full of



Seized the Coconut and Hurled It Down the Beach.

seemed encased in a mantle of such icy reserve that her own attempts the invisible wall grew, higher between Daddy and Mother Allister were in the dwindled to mere foolishness. She took | them, only occasional chinks appear- parlor fixing up a little, scraggly tree refuge in silence. A stone wall and ten | ing, or thin places through which they miles of land might have divided them. He spent the afternoon fetching things the girl regretted her refusal of his one

This position endured for some days. possible, and her loneliness became at times intolerable. But she learned and she strolled listlessly up to the preserve it by drying thin slices in the clearing by the water's edge. There sun. She soon acquired primitive ways she halted, amazed. birds and the fruits he brought.

down the slope, after being absent for noticed, a few yards away. hours, looking strangely haggard round the eyes. With disconcerting suddenness, in characteristic, brief sentences, he demanded, more than suggested,

friendship between them. "We can't go on . . . this life's unbearable. . . . " His voice was unusually curt, the sentences were disjointed, his perves evidently worn thin.

She was taken unawares, at a mo ment of deep depression, when everything seemed very dark. Not pausing

crowding in. "I'm afraid I can't trust yourfriendship. I can't forget-"

that flashed in sudden anger. "D-n it all! That was an exceptional night. Can't you understand? on the plank .- Exchange,

are not wiped out in less than a week.

"I'm afraid not. I-"Then you must lump it!" He turned away with an expressive shrug. and disappeared up the hill.

That was the only overture he ever made; and the strain between them increased.

Barbara welcomed anything which nade work to absorb her thoughts. For the terrible feeling of impotence the sheer homesickness, the loneliness were ever below the surface, ready, all together or individually, to spring upon her at any moment. A day arrived on which the onsets

came "not singly but in battalions." She had been alone for hours. When Croft arrived, her spirits were below zero, her nerves frayed, her temper was not of the best. He glanced at her shrewdly, but appeared to notice nothing. Coming to the hut, he dropped a large coconut into her lap, where she sat outside the door.

"There you are, my child! Get busy!" he remarked casually.

Uncontrollable irritation, the result of solitary fretting, welled up within her. Impulsively she seized the coconut and hurled it down the beach. phase began between the pair. Para- "Don't call me that! I'm not your 'child'-nor anything to do with you." There was a moment's silence; then he gave a little laugh.

"No, indeed! Let's thank the good She looked up, dumfounded; but he

So that was the position? Her discasional rock obstructing its even like was returned in full? A sharp course. But Croft's amazing lack of stab of burt pride and desolation self-control had been like a huge stone caused sudden tears to rise and roll river, causing ever-widening circles to her feet and, out of sight among the

Croft got his own supper that night became conscious of him as she had He made no comment on her swollen never been before: not only of the eyes and lack of appetite. But when force of his will, but of the strength she took the large shells used for plates to wash in the lagoon, he rose, impulsively, to follow her. After a few steps, however, he paused uncertainly. With a little helpless shrug,

Each day he spent much time upon the reef, salving all that was possible of the machine, until what remained was swept away one night by the tide. A dozen times a day, one or both climbed the hill and vainly searched the horizon-gathering, with dwindling hopes, more fuel to heap upon the growing pile which some day might flare into a beacon to attract a passing

The natives seldom ventured far from their settlement. Whenever Croft encountered one, the frightened wretch took to his heels. Only once kins. did he meet one with sufficient courage the trees, leaving Croft no wiser. . .

sufferings of those beloved upon earth. in his eyes. After a lifetime, too, of inseparable | Christmas Eve came. Daddy and companionship, this new existence, in Mother Allister were doing their best which Hugh had no part, seemed strangely incomplete. Yet, paradoxically again, his presence was not needed here; he would have seemed as much out of place as the proverbial fish out of water.

Croft, on the other hand, appeared daily more suited to his environment, fitting in as if it were indeed his natural sphere." Gradually, as the past grew fainter, her confidence reone way, piqued her in another. So she withdrew into her own shell; and came a little nearer. At these times

It was one evening, two or three weeks after the natives' attack, that He seemed to keep away as much as the largest chink in the wall appeared. The day had been unusually hot; many practical things. He taught her river to bathe. With bare sunburned to create fire by friction with wood; to feet, and the revolver-without which bake breadfruit-that substitute for a she seldom stirred-stuck in her belt, cereal in the South seas-in hot em- she passed through the grove, through bers, then scoop out the interior; or the tall dark avenues beyond, to the

of preparing, with a campfire and a Face downward lay Croft, his dark few old native vessels, the strange fish, head buried in his arms; beside him were one or two branches of bananas; Then, one day, he came striding a couple of breadfruit had rolled, un-

> Barbara is shocked by Croft's display of passion. Yet she is piqued by his show of indifference. What next?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"To Walk Spanish"

To make a person "walk Spanish" to as from our sins. That makes the o make him come up to time, or to wonder and the glory and the bless-He laughed again, pressing her to reflect on the possibility of similar make him act under compulsion. It re- ing, in the birth of Jesus. He came suffering having impelled this request fers to the old sport among boys in to express the divine love, and by which one boy seizes another by the His sacrificial death, to make that collar and the seat of the trousers and love effective unto the salvation of forces him along on tiptoe. Hence, all who should believe on him. The by extension, it means to walk ginger- cross on Calvary marks the tragedy ly. Apparently the expression origi- in the life of the child born at Beth-He looked at her queerly, with eyes nally referred to the manner in which | tehem. It also makes its glory .-the Spanish pirates used to handle Presbyterian Banner. their prisoners while starting them out

A fourth of July Santa Claus

By Eleanor E. King

T WAS the great day of the Fourth of July, and Tommy, like all the other seven children of the busy Allister family was out bright and early. Tommy had a great friend in the lady next door. So, Tommy had learned, and, by the way, kept it a

safe secret from the rest of the troop, that when his stomach growled too loudly, if he were to go to next door he most always could get a piece of the best bread and jam, and perhaps run an errand or two for her to ease his conscience.

Tommy, bright and early, had found his way over to Mrs. Askins', as he called her. She was busy getting ready to go to a picnic.

"You see, Tommy," she explained in answer to his questions, "this man who is coming with his car to take us out to his house where we are to have our picnic, is an old chum of Mr. Has-

As they loaded the things into the car Tommy trooped along and was it



stood there Tommy spied a balloon man coming down the street. As the noise of the horn grew nearer, Tommy's eyes enlarged.

"Aren't those whoppers, though," Tommy sighed. "Gee!"

"Wouldn't you like one, Tommy? nggested Mr. Miller, digging into his cket. "Now, I'll tell you, Tommy, you know my name next year when I come after these folks on the Fourth, I'll buy you another balloon.

It was almost Christmas now, and Tommy was once more in the Haskins kitchen, watching preparations for another feast, but of a different sort. The most wonderful ples, cakes and uddings were being evolved. Suddenly, Tommy burst forth:

"Say, Mrs. 'Askins, do you remen ber what that man said?" 'No. Tommy; what are you think

ing about?" "Do you suppose he will come back? You know he bought me a balloon, and said if I remembered his name he ould buy me another when he came

"Of course he will," said Mrs. Has-

"Oh, I am so glad. My mother she to reply to the white man's questions. just says I am silly when I ask her But, at the first allusion to ships and and says, I am too busy to be bothcred other white men, his fortitude gave with that. Run along, now!" And you completely away; with a walling cry of know." Tommy hastened to add, "I fear, he turned and vanished among haven't forgotten his name either. It's

Mr. Miller.' That night Mr. Miller dropped in of Hugh's suffering. To be alive, in for a minute at the Haskins', Before splendid health, yet unable to inform his departure Mrs. Haskins had a those mourning her death, could be moment of conversation with him equaled only by a like impotence upon | slone. He said, "All right," leaving the other side of the grave to allay the with the merriest kind of a twinkle

to keep from looking sorrowful. They



turned. His apparent disinclination knew only too well that they could often think I had such joy in teaching for her company, though reassuring in never begin to give the children the those girls; I wonder if I did right in number of things each wanted. The keeping them under one teacher so children had all gone to bed. Just long. I suggested that I turn them when a knock, ever so gentle on the front door, attracted their attention.

"I am sorry to bother you at this hour, but I wanted to wait until I was sure Tommy would be in bed. Perhaps you would feel better to know my name-Miller," he said, shaking hands with Mr. Allister after depositing his load on the table. "I've a tree outside here," and he hurried out to

The next morning was never equaled in all the annals of the Allister famly. Such excitement, such happiness. Tommy, after his recovery from surprise and rapture over his toys, ran to his happy mother as she was trying to get breakfast. Tugging at her skirts, he said, "You see, mother, that man ! met on Fourth of July was Santa Claus, and his name is Mr.

The Christmas Message

Christmas represents a great histor event and spiritual truth-the most important of all events, the most pregious of all truths-no less than the coming of God to earth, in human nature, in the person of a child, to save



right away."



F SO many years all in the same breath, just chuckled swept over his head ! -sorrow, great worries and time whitening his hair one would have declared him too

good to live. His kindly deeds had made his kindly face. His every act, thought or deed, was for someone else. Yet, "this man of God" sat with his head on his hand, deep in thought. In these last few moments he had lived over ten years or more; had seen twelve little girls

grow to womanhood. Mr. Baxter had taken a class from the beginners' department. Every Sunday these twelve little girls had been a delight as they sat listening with eager, attentive faces to the wonder, fully interesting things they were told. All too soon came graduation from grammar school. The lessons had to go a little deeper for the high school students. The teacher was fully equal to the task. Finally college took its toll, until only three of his flock remained, and those few left in the fall

to start their college career. Mrs. Baxter came in interrupting his reverle, "Ellen," he began, "I

Why B. B., This is No Time to Worry

About That,"

thought she might understand their

needs better but somehow I couldn't

"this is no time to worry about that."

"Why, B. B.," protested his wife,

"I feel rather responsible for the

girls, and the attitude they may take

I hope they haven't been influenced

"B. B., you are in a bad frame of

mind tonight," interposed Mrs. Bax-

ter, sitting down on the arm of his

chair, patting his head. "Don't you

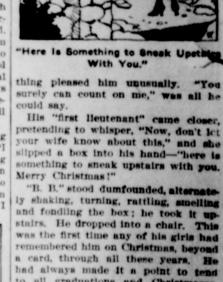
know that most people are too busy

tonight getting ready for the Christ

mas festivities to be mooning over past history? You know we have

get up much enthusiasm about it.

too strongly by me."



had never expected it to be otherwise. Unwrapping the tissue paper, the box disclosed a leather bill-fold with a hand-tooled design. "Ellen," he shouted in his happiness. my 'first lieutenant' made with ber own hands for me. The card on I

part of my great appreciation for the wonderful work you have done in

teaching our class. YOUR FIRST LIEUTENANT."







The doorbell rang vigorously, three

"If it isn't my first lieutenant"-a

"No, thank you, Mr. Baxter, I can't

right now. The girls are planning a

class reunion while they are home for

the Christmas holidays. They want to

know if they can't count on their

teacher for one of those humdinger

essons-like they used to have before

"B. B." surprised, dazed and happy

we were scattered to the four winds."

pet name he had for a member of his

class. "Won't you come up."

"B. B." hastened to the door.

thing pleased him unusually. "You surely can count on me," was all he His "first Heutenant" came closer. pretending to whisper, "Now, don't let

"B. B," stood dumfounded, alternate ly shaking, turning, rattling, sm and fondling the box; he took it up stairs. He dropped into a chair. This was the first time any of his girls had remembered him on Christmas, beyond card, through all these years. He had always made it a point to tend to all graduations and Christme The girls had appreciated it. This was the first time, but, he ha tell himself, it was quite all right-he

"'Just an attempt to show a wee

NONERONANA MANAMANTANA CHRISTMAS

HRIST was born at Bethlehem that he might die at Calvary. This is the message and meaning of Christmas. Socrates supposed and Plato philosophized and the world's great ones dreamed that mental process could save humanity But Jesus came to save us from the evil that dwells in us, and in the unexplored field of re-









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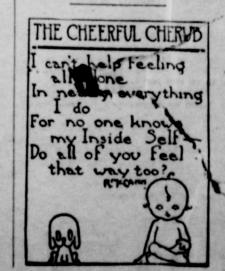
STO'- KEEPUH LOW HE LOS' ALL DE MONEY HE MADE DIS LAS' PAS' YEAH, BUT BOSS 'LOW HE DONE LOS' ALL HE GWINE MAKE FUH DE LONGES'!!



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Merry Christmas to All



Christmas Time

By THOMAS A. CLARK



F ALL the illusions Christmas.

The old saint who

fireplace in our sitting room and filled our stockings on Christ-mas Eve was as real to me as Moses or George Washington or my grandfather or any other person of whom I had heard but whom I had never personally met. He is to me real today when I am in reminiscent perhaps because I have always wanted him to be real. Long after I recognized all the subterfuges which being practiced on me as a child at Christmas time, I never admitted them even to myself, for I was quite willing to submit to the deceptions; I was made happy by all the ceremonies and surprises.

I have never in all my life been away from home at Christmas time; I hope I never shall be. Christmas joys Christmas Eve, there will be raisins are for me the most delightful; Christmas memories, the most precious. Everything about our holiday preparations at home was of the simplest



character, but the season was full of possibilities and surprises. The dinner lacked the conventional roast turkey. Instead there was a roast goose or a huge joint of roast beef (following the English custom with which my mother was familiar) with suet dumplings and gravy. There was always, too, a loaf of spiced bread and plum pudding with a delightful sauce of drawn butter, and there was mince pie followed with nuts and raisins and other goodles.

Just as "home" always suggests to me sugar cookles, hot from the oven with mother warning me not to eat so many as to make myself sick, so Christmas invariably brings to my mind the thought of raisins. They were in the clean bread which mother made, the

plum pudding was congested with the the found them always on Christorning in my stocking with other to eat, and there was reg-Cle table to be eaten after dinne

was not altogether what we high eat that gave Christmas such place in my regard, though the t helped materially, no doubt. It was the mystery, the anticipation, the preparation and the surprise of it all, the gathering together of all the family, the games, the roaring fire in the fireplace, and the general hilarity and good will prevailing that made Christmas for me the best loved of all the holidays of the entire year.

entire year.
We are rather entgrowing Christ-

mas," a friend said to me a few days ago. "I don't believe it is ever going to be for any one again just as it used to be."

I suppose not; though there are some events connected with the celebration of Christmas, there is the real Christmas which I am sure I shall never outgrow. If I should hang up my stocking by the fireplace now, I feel just as sure as I ever did that old Saint Nick would get in some way before morning and fill it as he used to do when I was a child. My faith in Christmas has never waned, and my need for it. of childhood, I gave I practice economy badly at any time, up with most re- but with the greatest difficulty at luctance those that Christmas time, and especially since clustered around the prices of my own particular varieties of frankincense and myrrh have been so affected by the economic conclimbed down the ditions. It is what is in our hearts that chimney into the makes Christmas real. The song of



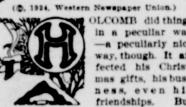
the angels is in the air if the Christ-

on earth peace, good will toward men." I shall hang up my stocking at looked like a store key. in it in the morning. I have faith that to the steps. the old Christmas Joys will be mine once more.



A Load of Christmas

By Frank Herbert Sweet 🐧



ness, even his of them.

ness man with competition, you'll ad- old clothes or nice ones.

This year Holcomb was very busy, you know-hadn't even occurred to hadn't any better shoes to wear. him until two days before the day.

street between a restaurant and his office, when he saw a small shop with mas spirit is in our hearts, Christmas | windows crammed with toys-nothing is as great a reality as it ever was, if but toys. At this season, nearly the we will make it so, and for us all the middle of the afternoon, a toy shop angels are again proclaiming as they ought to be crowded with customers. did that night in Palestine, centuries This shop was closed. On the steps ago, "Glory to God in the highest, and stood a small, anxious looking man, and a big one dangling a large key. It

Seemed peculiar. So Holcomb went

"Like to look at the toys," he began. "Can't now," boomed the big man This chap can't pay a bill, so I've taken it. Auction day after tomorrow.

"Meaning," said Holcomb, "that if the bill is paid, the store belongs to this man again? How much?"

"Of course-and \$200." "What's it all worth?" to the little

"About \$50 if sold at auction," deectedly. "I picked a bum street. No "What did you pay or agree to pay?"

"\$500." "What will you sell for?"

"Can't sell until-" nodding toward he sheriff. Holcomb counted out \$200, and

passed it to the sheriff. "Good-by," he said. "Now what do you ask?" to the small man. "I'd rather like \$300, but will be glad to accept half that."

Holcomb counted out the \$300.

"Give me the key." to the sheriff. "Thank you. Now where can I find two men to move the toys?" "I'll be one," beamed the man out

of business. "I know about toys. And I can get another man from the next building."

"Do so, and I'll bring round my car from the next corner." Inside of an hour the shop was

emptied and the limousine filled. Then Helcomb took the most country of all the country roads, stopping at every house that showed signs of children. "Hello-o," he would call to any small boy or girl he happened to see; "got some stuff for your house. Please take

He had provided a pocket heavy with loose quarters.

It in for me. I'm in a hurry, Give you

There were about three hours of daylight. When the daylight was gone the car was empty. He was glad of the darkness, for he had to go back

Daddys Ma Fairu Tale

A MARY GRAHAM BONNER

TOMMY'S NEW SHOES

Tommy was not very old. Nor was e so very, very young. That is to say, he was not a baby. Not by any manner of means. He went out to play with others and with an older brother and sis-

ter, too. That was one of the reasons Tommy did not feel so very old. He was the youngest in the family. His sister and his older than he was, and of course

He Was Ashamed so was his daddy and so was his mother.

all the boys and girls were talking about it.

"What are you going to ask Santa for?" they would ask Tommy. Tommy didn't know. His mother had been sick during the

fall and his father had been out of had heard it hinted that Santa Claus throat and lungs in a congested conhad helped with the medicine. "Perhaps," thought Tommy to himself, "Santa has spent all he can af-

ford on our family, for he has to divide up Christmas between all the fami-And when he asked his older

brother and his older sister if this were true, they said that he was right. They asked Santa to give them a little of their Christmas in medicines. Not because they wanted medicines, out because medicines had to be bought and money hadn't been coming in-hardly at all.

For one thing Tommy wanted a bag of candy. He also wanted one of Santa's oranges. They were so much better than the ones at the store. Better than any other oranges could

Tommy also thought he would like a little tin boat-just a tiny one to

float in the bathtub. But more than anything else Tommy wanted a pair of new shoes.

OLCOMB did things Perhaps that may seem a strange in a peculiar way present for Tommy to have wanted. -a peculiarly nice He had his good shoes and his old way, though. It af- shoes. Only his good shoes were not fected his Christ- so very good any longer and his old mas gifts, his busi- shoes were so old that he was ashamed

friendships. But then he was a little boy wouldn't be apt to be bachelor of fifty. Then, too, every- ashamed of an old pair of shoes. Maybody loved him, which is a very pe- be you think a boy wouldn't think of cultar thing about a successful bust- his appearance and whether he wore

Maybe boys don't like to dress and fuss and all that sort of thing, but and his Christmas gifts general gifts. Tommy didn't like the feeling that he His Sunday shoes were beginning to

ow a little wear and his everyday He felt everyone looked at them. He felt he looked poor and he felt as

though in some way people pitied him, and though he was only a little boy he hated that. And he felt they thought somehow

it was his mother's fault for getting sick and his father's for being out of work for a while. He knew it was not. His mother

didn't enjoy being sick or taking horrid medicine. And his father didn't enjoy not having work. He looked very miserable sitting around the house or going out and

then coming back again and saying to Tommy's mother: "No luck this time. It's a hard time

of the year." Yes, there were a number of reasons why Tommy wanted shoes.

Then he could wear his Sunday ones for every day and his new ones for Sunday. And if, on the muddy spring

days, he should wear the very old pair it wouldn't matter then, for he could say, "I just thought I'd wear this old pair

so I could have some fun." They would know he had a better pair all right. It was Christmas morning and Tommy awoke with a start. He heard his father shouting out Christmas greet-

dy Bags and Oranges. ings to everyone and all the family

and joyful. "Mother feels better than she has for weeks," Tommy heard his father telling his older brother and sister, "and last night Mr. Brown told me he had a job for me!"

Oh, how happy Tommy felt, but even greater than all the family rejoicing, it seemed to him at that moment, was the fact that Santa Claus had called the night before, even though he had had to do so much already. And there were candy bags and oranges and mittens and a beau tiful, shiny, splendid pair of new shoes with a piece of paper sticking out of one, upon which was written.

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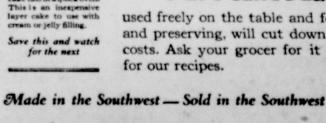


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paper published in your County, living together as husband and Plaintiff and Ruth Gallos is De- from the Sanderson Drug Co. ed therein, if not, then in any newspaper published in the 63rd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said tween defendant and the insupportable.

Plaintiff prays that defendant being No. 1668, the nature of the Plaintiff's demand is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce, solving the marriage relation benon newspaper published in said tween defendant being No. 1668, the nature of the Plaintiff's demand is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce.

Plaintiff alleges that on or about the 15th day of Polymer and the number of said suit being No. 1668, the nature of the plaintiff's demand is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce. District to said 63rd Judicial Dis- be justly entitled to. trict, to appear at the next regu- before said Court, on the said Terrell County, to be holden at of, this Writ, with your endorsederson, Texas, on the 4th Mon- have executed the same. day in January A. D. 1925 the Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Sanary A. D. 1925, then and there to of December, A. D. 1924. answer a petition filed in said (Seal) LUELLA LEMONS, Court on the 8th day of December A. D. 1924 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1665, wherein Jose Marie Flores, is Plaintiff, and Reta Lerme Flores, is Defendant, and ing: said petition alleging Jose Maria Flores who resides in the County that you summon, by making of Terrell, State of Texas herein- publication of this Citation in after called Plaintiff, complaining some newspaper published in the of Reta Lerma Flores, whose res. County of Terrell if there be a idence is unknown, hereinafter but if not, then in a newspaper called Defendant, and for cause published in the nearest County

fore said Court, at its next regu- Gavino M. Aragon is lar term, this writ with your ant. The nature of the plain return thereon, showing how you tiff's demand being as follows,

Terrell County.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

Monday in January 1925, the the premises considered. in said Court, on the 17th day of fendant, for cost of suit, etc. December, A. D. 1924, in a suit Herein fail not, and have you numbered on the docket of said before said Court, on the said Court No. 1667, wherein Grace first day of the next term thereof the plaintiff's demand being have executed the same. as follows, to-wit: Suit for di-

Plaintiff alleges that on or Sanderson, Texas, this, the 17th about the 29th day of March, day of December, A. D. 1924. 1916, she was lawfully married (Seal) LUELLA LEMONS, to defendant, and that said marriage relations still exist; that they lived together as husband and wife until about the 1st day of April, 1924, when by reason of unkind, cruel, harsh and tyranical treatment and improper

To the Sheriff or any Constable and tyranical treatment toward to be holden at the Court House (Seal) LUELLA LEMONS. of Terrell County Greeting -: plaintiff; that he cursed and in Sanderson, Texas, on the 4th You are hereby commanded to abused plaintiff and struck and Monday in January, A. D. 1925, summon Reta Lerme Flores by unmercifully beat plaintiff, and same being the 26th day of Janumaking publication of this Cita- went away and lived in adultery ary, A. D. 1925, then and their to with another woman and plain- answer the Plaintiff's Petition, tion once in each week for four tiff alleges that defendant's ac- filed in a suit in said Court on the but you are frequently honored successive weeks previous to the tion and conduct toward her are 18th day of December, A. D. by her gracious presence when

no newspaper published in said tween defendant and plaintiff, Judicial District, then in a news- for cost of suit and such other paper published in the nearest and further relief that she may

lar term of the District Court of first day of the next term therethe Court House thereof, in San- ment thereon, showing how you

same being the 26th day of Janu- derson, Texas, this, the 17th day Clerk District Court Terrel

County, Texas. before said Court, on the said

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Con- thereon, showing how you have stable of Terrell County-Greet- executed the same

You are hereby commanded newspaper published therein, of action plaintiff represents to to said Terrell County, for four the Court he has resided in the consecutive weeks previous to State of Texas more than twelve the return day hereof, Franmonths and in the County of cisca Aragon whose residence is Terrell more than six months fore the Hon. District Court, at prior to filing this suit, Plaintiff the next regular term thereof, is suing Defendent for a divorce to be holden in the County of from the bonds of Matrimony, on Terrell at the Court House the grounds of over three years thereof, in Sanderson, Texas, on abandonment, and for Judgment the Fourth Monday in January. dissolving said marriage rela- day of January, A. D. 1925, then tions, for cost of suit and for such and there to answer a Petition other relief, special and general, filed in said Court, on the 17th in law and in equity that he may day of December, A. D. 1924, in Herein Fail Not, but have be. of said Court No. 1666, wherein and Francisca Aragon is defend-

to-wit: Suit for divorce. Given under my hand and the Plaintiff alleges that he and seal of said Court, at office in defendant were lawfully married Sanderson, Texas, this, the 9th on or about the 25th day of day of December A. D. 1924 day of December A. D. 1924. to live together as husband and Luella Lemons, wife until about the 30th day of Clerk, District Court, June, 1921, when they were 4-t-c permanently separated; that during the time plaintiff and defendant lived together as husband and wife, plaintiff was kind and affectionate to her, but de-To the Sheriff or any Con-fendant, unmindful of her marstable of Terrell County-Greet. tial duties and obligations, be-You are hereby commanded harsh and tyranical treatment that you summon, by making against plaintiff which continu-Publication of this Citation in ed until on or about the last

gan a course of unkind, cruel, some newspaper published in mentioned date, when defendthe County of Terrell if there be ant went away with and lived in a newspaper published therein, adultery with an Indian man but if not, then in a newspaper whose name is unknown to plainpublished in the nearest County tiff; that defendant without any to said Terrell County, for four cause or provocation on the part consecutive weeks previous to of plaintiff left plaintiff's house, the return day hereof, Frank bed and board and has remained Giroue whose residence is un- away for a space of time more known, to be and appear before than three years; alleges that the Hon. District Court, at the plaintiff's actions and conducc next regular term thereof, to be toward defendant, are generally holden in the County of Terrell of such a nature as to render at the Court House thereof, in their further living together as Sanderson, Texas, on the fourth husband and wife insupportable,

same being the 26th day of Plaintiff prays for a judg-January, A. D. 1925, then and ment dissolving the marriage there to answer a Petition filed relations between him and de-

Giroue is plaintiff and Frank of, this Writ, with your endorse-Giroue is defendant. The nature ment thereon, showing how you Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in

> Clerk District Court Terreli County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable

of Terrell County, Greeting: -You are hereby commanded to conduct of defendant toward summon Ruth Gallos, whose resiplaintiff, she was forced and dence is unkown, by making compelled to permanently aban- publication of this citation in don defendant, since which time some newspaper published in the they have not lived together as County of Terrell, if there be a husband and wife; that during the time plaintiff and defendant if not, then in a newspaper publived together as husband and lished in the nearest county to wife, plaintiff was kind and af said Terrell County for four confectionate to defendant, but desecutive weeks previous to the fendant unmindful of his duties return date hereof, to be and ap-

and obligations of his marriage pear before the Hon. District of said Court, at office in Sander-vows, on or about said 1st day of Court of Terrell County, Texas, son, Texas, this the 18th day of number which may bring you a

Clerk, District Court, Terrell

-Queen Bess is very exclusive.

fendant, file number of said suit

1917 he was lawfully married to

defendant; that they lived to-

gether as husband and wife until

about the 10th day of April, 1922,

when by reason of the unkind,

harsh, cruel and improper con-

duct of defendant toward plain-

tiff, he was forced and compelled

to abandon her since which time

they have not lived together as

husband and wife, and that the

marriage relations still exist; Plaintiff alleges cruel treatment,

improper conduct of defendant

Herein Fail Not, but have you

first day of the next term there-

of, this Writ, with your return

Witness my hand and the seal

Come and see our fresh

line of Christmas Gift

Boxes of Panburns Rag-

time Chocolates. In

We now serve hot drinks

ELITE

Confection: ry

and sandwiches.

bulk also.

towards plaintiff and adultry.

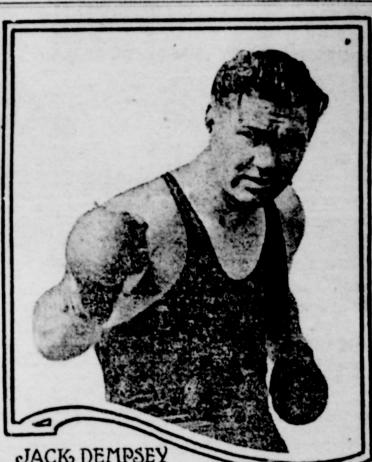
piece of Tudor Community Silver in the Queen Bess design. Jacobs County, Texas candies are for sale at the Sanderson Drug Co.

Plaiting: skirts, panels, ruftle; hemstitching; covered but return day hereof, in some news- such as to render their further 1924, wherein Paul Gallos is you buy Jacobs Royal Chocolates tons, tailored buttonholes. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas.

FURS! FURS!

All shippers of furs to me in Marathon will be guaranteed satisfaction. I will be in Sanderson every Friday to

Reference: MARATHON STATE BANK Marathon Fur Company J. B. RUDD, Mgr.



JACK DEMPSEY

Princess Theater Next Friday and Saturday

Notice to Contractors

FEDERAL AID HIGHWAY CONSTRUCT: N-TERRELL COUNTY

Sealed proposals addressed to Judge G. J. Henshaw, County Judge of Terrell ity, Texas, for the construction of Section C. F. A. P. 321-Job 222 A. of State Highway No. 3 in Terrell County, Texas, will be receive I at the office of the Terrell County Clerk at Sanderson, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m., January 6, 1925, and then publicly opened and read. Total length of Highway-60 miles-divided into four sections. Length of

third section-17.4 miles.

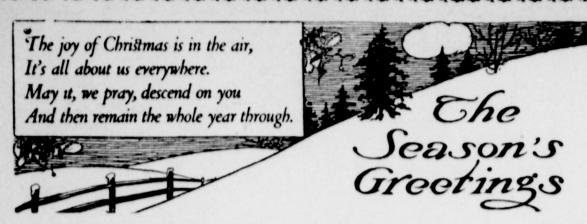
Type of Construction: Caliche surfacing, 18' wide, 8" deep; embankment, 26' wide; concrete bridges, culverts and pavement.

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m	4	Light Clearing	678.00	100' station
	4	Light Grubbing	10.00	100' Station
	4	Channel Clearing	2.00	Acres
	5	Earth Excavation	17,132.50	Cu. Yards
	5 5	Solid Rock Excavation	5369.00	Cu. Yards
	5	Loose Rock Excavation	1949.50	" "
	5	Borrow Excavation	43,617.90	
	5	Overhaul Excavation—Earth	10,573,50	Sta. Yds.
	5	Overhaul Excavation-Rock	9,971.30	C. V.
	5	Unclassified Excavation	17,021.40	Cr. Yds.
	9	Unclassified Borrow Excavation	26,785,10	
	9	Caliche Pit Stripping	10,000 00 18,101.90	
	9	Caliche Hauled 1st 1/4 mile, includes work of pit	4,594.50	
	9	2nd " "	4.410.00	
	9	" " 3rd " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	4,007 (9	
	9	" " 5th " "	1,557 (2)	
	9	" " 6th " "	1.00	
	9	" " 7th " "	1.00	
	9	" " 8th " "	1.00	
	9	" " Add " "	100	
	9	Crushing Caliche to pass 2" screen	18,101.90	
	10	Dirt for covering unclassed Items	5,988.00	
		Rolling	900.00	Hours
		Sledging Rock-Heavy	70.00	100' Sta.
	10			14 11
		" 'Light	63.2	
		Wooden Gaurd Fence 8' Sections	4,572 00	Lin Ft.
		Structural Excavation-Earth-Dry	,1,093.00	Cu. Yds.
	53	" -Rock	10.00	
	14	Reinforcing Steel	78,253.00	l'oands
		Concrete-Class "A"-1; 2; 4	856.54	Cu. Yds.
	54	" Bridge railing-Type "C"	266.33	Lin Ft.
	54	" Bridge-Girder		
	-		257.50_	/Cu. Yds.
	17	Pavement-1; 2; 3½-8" thick	1,300.00	Sq. Yds.
	54	" Walls on Dips - 1; 21; 4	121.46	Cu. Yds.
	00	Standard Cattle Guard-Installed	A.00	Guard
	34	Plain Rip Rap-1' thick	294 00	Sq Yds.
B		will be received on the whole or on earth work		
el	y fr	om all concrete items	Maria de la companya della companya della companya della companya de la companya della companya	act.

arately from all concrete items. Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination at the office of John Stovell, County Engineer, Sand rson, Texas.

A certified or Cashier's check for 5 per cent of the bid made parable without recourse to the order of G. J. Henshaw, County Judge of Terrell County, Texas, must accompany each bid or proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into a contract and make bond in a cordance with the requirements' of the specifications.

The right is reserved by Terrell County to reject any and all bills or propulal. or waive any technicalities. Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for the construction of Sec. C. of State Highway No. 3 in Terrell County, Texas." Payment for the above work will be made in each. All bids will be retained by the County.



May your Christmas be a Merry one and the New Year one of continued happiness, health and prosperity.

MAX BOGUSCH

Watchmaker and Jeweler



THE SEASON'S GREETINGS AND BEST WISHES FOR A

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Is the Wish of the

KERR HOTEL

F. B. CARTER, Manager



The season's great heart has forgotten no one—
Though garret or hut be his place.
The feet of Good Cheer his

The feet of Good Cheer his pathway has found.
To give with a plenteous

Among our assets we like to count the only one that money can not buy,

YOUR GOOD WILL,

and so at this

HOLIDAY SEASON

we extend to you, not as a Customer alone, but as a Friend,

THE BEST WISHES FOR THE SEASON

Sanderson State Bank

A Guaranty Fund Bank



Again 'tis the time of the year to wish for each and every one a Happy Christmas and much prosperity throughout the coming year.

Thanking you for your patronage in the past and looking forward to serve you in the future.

W. E. STIRMAN

Dealer in Wood and Coal



A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

THE

Sanderson Garage



In this Christmas Season, when all the world is rejoicing and good fellowship is abroad in the land, we extend to all our friends and patrons—

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Lemons & Henshaw

ABSTRACTORS



Sound and pleasant business relations are based on MUTUAL benefit and Service only.

We thank you for the past year's opportunity for this, and extend to you the "Season's Greetings" and "Hearty Good Wishes for a New Year" as we pause to remember "another who served."

Sanderson Drug Co.

To Our Friends:

Tis Christmas Time--The Season of Good Cheer and Santa Claus--and we want to take this opportunity of extending our heartiest greetings, and to wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We believe in an all-the-year 'round spirit of Christmas--friendliness, good-will and an unselfish service to all. And we want you to know that we greatly appreciate the business given us in the past, and sincerely hope to serve you often in the future.

So we send our best wishes to you and yours. We wish you the Merriest kind of a Christmas, and a New Year full to overflowing with all the many good things of life--Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

Kerr Mercantile Company

The Holiday Season

Affords an opportunity to express again the pleasure we derive from our business relations with you and on behalf of our entire organization, we wish for you and yours

A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

Mussey Bros.

It is a Pleasure

to express to you our genuine appreciation of your past courtesies and to also wish you and yours an overflowing measure of the happiness during the Christmas season and throughout the New Year

Sanderson Mercantile Company

The Store of Service and Quality