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Around the Capitol Legislative Letter

Austin, Texas, Dec. 12.—The capital city is putting on gala attire preparing to ring out the old and ring in the new administration. There is always a touch of gladness and a touch of sadness in these occasions. The gladness of crowning the people's anointed and the sadness of dismissing the old guards who have outlived their usefulness.

Governor Elect Colquitt has felt the first joy of power in appointing a number of his friends to office and likewise in choosing between friends has felt the grief of those who deal out political fortunes of individuals. In these days of glorious uncertainty many a Royal Lion from the Democratic den is hobnobbing in Austin and during the past week many a political scout has come galloping up with his saddle bags filled with recommendations but there is a hungry horde of disappointed applicants returning home glaring at each other over gulfs of misunderstanding. There has been enough patriotism spilt on the capital grounds during the past ten days by disappointed office seekers to conquer a foreign nation.

Members of the present administration are discussing with owl-like seriousness the wisdom of the Governor elect in appointing their successors before their term of office expires and there are others who have been so accustomed to eating out of the public crib that they feel they have acquired the divine right of office. The transition of the old administration reads like the story of a cat that swallowed a tape line and died by inches but it is human to complain and politicians always murmur when they face the plow handle.

The appointments will soon be filled and new blood, new ideas, new energy and new life will soon be pulsing through the veins of the state. It is one of the results of our form of government that authority gravitates to those best able to wield it.

Reviewing the appointments made by the incoming administration we find the departments headed by some of the strongest business men in Texas, and they are men who know the state and how to build it up.

The thirty-second legislature has among its number some of the brainiest men in the state and the majority of the law makers are in sympathy with the business policy of the next administration. Out of the 133 members in the legislature, 87 of them served in either the thirtieth or thirty-first legislature and have stood up for Texas on roll calls that tested their patriotism.

The old administration has made its mistakes and so will the new one, but if the incoming administration can profit by the mistakes of the past what a glorious reign we will have in Texas during the next four years.

Sethmoreland Gray spent Sunday in Palestine with his mother, who is there undergoing treatment.

In order to reduce our large stock of DRY GOODS before stock taking time we have decided to continue our

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Uptill the 24th of December.

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"The Price is the Thing."
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Townsend's Views on Legislation.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 9.—Hon. W. J. Townsend Jr. of Lufkin, Angelina County, recently elected senator to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator C. C. Stokes of Houston County, was here today on departmental matters.

Senator Townsend desires first recognition in the senate to present the joint resolution providing for the submission of the prohibition constitutional amendment. He gives notice that he will present it as soon as possible and push it to a conclusion in order that the people of Texas may vote on the question of statewide prohibition, which he is advocating.

Senator Townsend stands for the retention of the International & Great Northern bill and will oppose its repeal and he is for a reformation of the penitentiary system. He thinks the iron deal at Rusk has gotten the worst of it and believes that if given fair consideration will prove its worth and will be more than self-sustaining. Mr. Townsend points out that there are only about seventy-five convicts now at Rusk prison and says that the penitentiary can not be self-sustaining when thus conducted. He thinks there should be some changes in its operation.

Dr. Robertson's Philosophy.

The man in love with himself is not bothered much by rivals.

True happiness comes only as a reward for duty well and faithfully performed.

It's not what's in a business but what we get out of it that counts in life's battle.

The things that astound us today will be common place in the days of our children's children. Verily the world moves.

A religion that does not make this world happier and better will serve a very poor purpose as a fire protector in the world to come.

The saloon men are getting ready to reap a harvest during the holidays. If the Lord is good to his anointed, this will be their last feast.

A drunken man run amuck at Wichita Falls Monday and killed two inoffensive men. Yet, they say whiskey won't hurt you if you let it alone. It's a lie.

The low down cowardly biped who wilfully abuses an inoffensive dumb brute that's in his power is ten degrees lower in the scale of creation than a dog—no we'll take that back. There's several good dogs in Oakhurst and we don't want to insult them by comparison.—San Jacinto County News.

The kidneys ache when they are overworked and the trouble gets serious unless promptly removed. Prickly Ash Bitters is a reliable kidney tonic and bowel regulator.

A. S. Porter Special Agent.

Try a pair of Buck Skin breeches, a new line just in, prices right. W. H. Lively.

Holiday Gifts

The time is at hand when many people are bothered about what to buy for their Holiday Gifts.

Did it ever occur to you that it is better to give something both ornamental and useful than to give something that can't be used?

If this meets with your approval you may find in our store many things that are suitable and that you would like, and we extend you an invitation to visit both of our stores and we will be glad to show you what we have and quote you prices. Any selections you might make will be set aside for you until called for.

In our Grocery, Furniture and Hardware departments you will find quite an assortment to select from in Dining Tables, Side Boards, Book Cases, Rocking Chairs, Dining and Parlor Chairs, Bureaus, Dressers, Bedsteads, Bed Room Snits, Matting, Mattresses, bed springs, cooking stoves, Chinaware in dining sets, or just as you want them, Table cutlery, lamps, clocks, sewing machines, boys' wagons, shot guns, loaded shells, Saddles, bridles, buggy harness, and hundreds of other nice and suitable things that you might like.

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Here is where the ladies want the best and we have spared no means to make our line fully up to their demand, and our stock of flour sugar, coffee, lard, pickles and extracts are as good and the prices as low as you will find them any where.

Again we extend you an invitation to visit us and look over what we have, and you can rest assured that we will be glad to show you our stock and quote you prices, and if there is anything you might select we will take care of it for you until called for. Respectfully,

George E.
Darsey.

Grapeland, Tex.

Don't fail to read our Dry Goods Advertisement in this paper to-day.

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We ask that you call and take advantage of these prices. We are ready at all times to make you prices on anything as cheap as the cheapest. We also thank you for your past patronage and solicit a continuance of same.

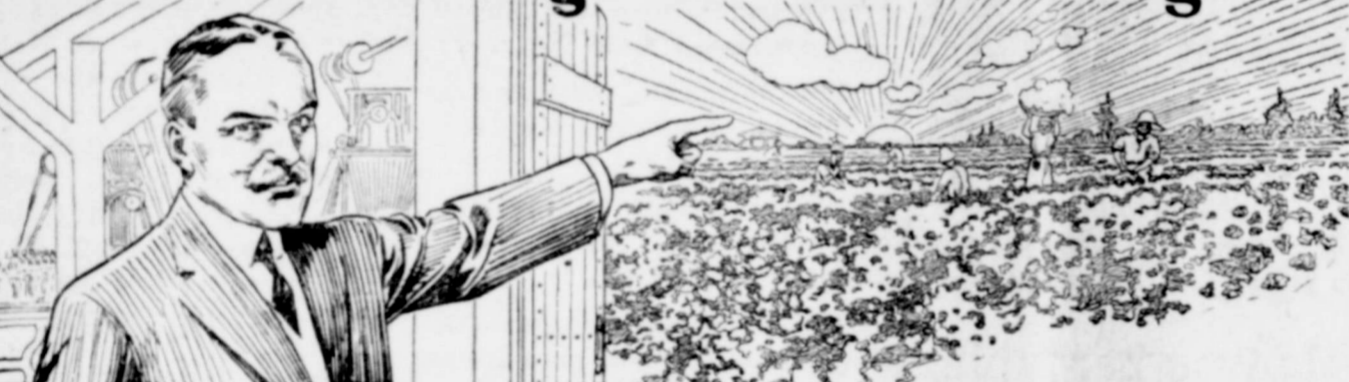
Wishing you a merry Christmas, I am,

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Take Care.

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y. says: My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was ir-

regular and infrequent. I started using Foley's Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than I have for years. Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

The greatest danger from influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as it not only cures influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia. Sold by all druggist.

Holiday Excursion Rates

The I. & G. N. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to points in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma, December 22d. to 26th, 31st and January 1st; Limit January 5th, at rate of one and one third fare; also to St. Louis, Kansas City, Chicago, Washington, DC, Memphis, and all points in Southeast, and to Mexico and Colorado, December 20th, 21st, and 22; limit January 18th.

For particular information address Ticket Agent.

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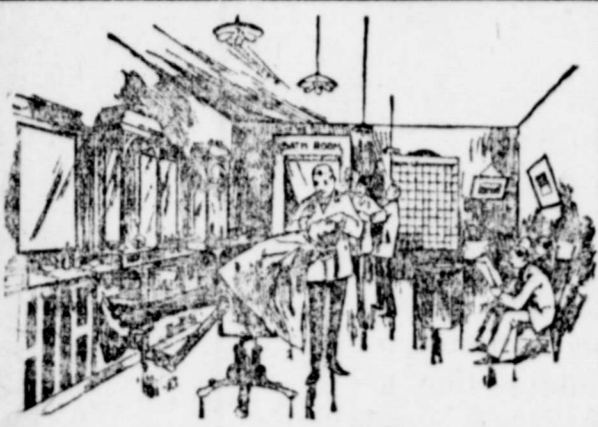
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D. N. Leaverton, C. C.
J. R. Richards, K. of R. and S.

ELBERTA CAMP NO. 2124, W. O. W.



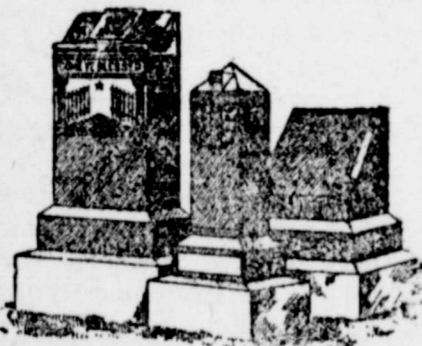
Meets every second and fourth Saturday night at the K. of P. Hall. Visiting Sovereigns are always welcome.

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The Philosophers and the Frog.
By a Staff Correspondent.

Dr. Safford, for many years professor of chemistry in the Medical College of the University of Nashville used to tell his students a fable—the moral of which was "prove it." Certain wise men were gathered together to ascertain the explanation of a statement that when two glasses of water of equal weight are balanced on the beams of a balance scale and a frog is then put in one of the vessels the balance remains the same, thus attempting to prove the assertion that a frog has no weight when immersed in water. Each wise man had his own explanation, and there was much heated argument and discussion. At length one of the wise men said: "But is your statement true? Let's prove it." Of course when it came to proving it they couldn't.

So when you hear people say that Coca-Cola is injurious, just ask them to prove it. They can't. Nobody can, because it is not injurious. But on the other hand it can be proved that it is not injurious by chemical analysis. Or if you are not a chemist yourself, why not accept the verdict of every competent chemist who analyzed it. Eminent College and University Chemists, Commercial Chemists, Government, State and City Chemists—all have analyzed Coca-Cola and not one has been able to find anything injurious in it. The next time you hear anyone say that Coca-Cola contains deleterious ingredients tell him to write the Coca-Cola Co., Atlanta, Ga., for a free copy of their booklet, "The Truth About Coca-Cola." In the meantime write for a copy for yourself—you will find it very interesting.

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Mrs. D. Gilkson, 326 Ingles Ave., Youngston, gained wisdom by experience. "My girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose that I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house." Accept no substitute. Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

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The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac for 1911, that guardian Angel in a hundred thousand homes, is now ready. Not many are now willing to be without it and the Rev. Irl R. Hicks Magazine, Word and Works. The two are only one dollar a year. The Almanac is 35c prepaid. No home or office should fail to send for them, to Word and Works Publishing company, St. Louis, Mo.

Foley's Kidney pills are tonic in action, quick in results, and restore the natural action of the kidneys and bladder. They correct irregularities. Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

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**Foley's
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They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out system, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and restore health and strength. Refuse substitutes.

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THURSDAY, DEC. 15, 1910

The trouble with early Christmas shopping is to get the wherewith to begin the performance.

The concensus of opinion on the president's message seems to be that it is a very lengthy one.

Texas needs factories and large industrial enterprises to give employment to labor and furnish home markets for our products.

The glass trust said to be earning 400 per cent on its investment, has reduced the wages of employes 30 per cent. Wouldn't that give you a pane?

Doc Cook has made a confession that he does not know whether he discovered the North Pole or not. Now let Peary come across with the truth about his dash into the frozen north.

The stork got busy around Grapeland too late to help swell the census returns, but if this wonderful bird keeps up the pace it has started we will be in the swim ten years hence.

A London physician declares that men should smoke less in winter. Wise husbands will cut this out and show it to their wives before the Christmas cigars are bought.

If any impression ever existed that the new rules were going to rob football of its most striking feature it has been fairly dissipated. Fourteen were killed and forty injured during the football season just ended.

It will be comforting to the fellow starting out to buy his Christmas turkey that he is 13 cents richer than he was last year, that being the per capita increase in the wealth of the country, according to the government statistics.

The Texas census returns are a disappointment, however the increase compares favorably with other states. The increase the past ten years shows the growth to be 27.8 per cent, and the exact number of people in Texas is 3,896,542. We hoped the result of the count would show upward of 4,000,000. Following are the census reports of Houston County from 1850 to the present: 1850, 2,721; 1860, 8,058; 1870, 8,147; 1880, 16,702; 1890, 19,360; 1900, 25,452; 1910, 29,564.

Albert Tyer's Advice to Boys.

Symerton, Ill., Dec. 7.—If you will allow me space in your paper I would like to say a few words to the boys who read the Messenger.

First of all, boys, I would say improve your time. Next I would say, save what you earn. I do not mean be "stingy" nor deny yourselves the necessities of life, but do not waste your time and earnings. As I go about from place to place I see many things from which we could get good lessons. I will tell you one that came under my observation a few days ago.

I was in the lobby of the Victoria Hotel in Chicago and it was a cold raw day, and there came in an old man, fairly well dressed, and sat near me. By way of opening a conversation he made a remark about the weather. I answered him and he told me this story: He said he was seventy-six years old and had walked eighteen miles the day before looking for work. He also said he had not eaten anything for two days for he had no money to buy anything to eat, and had to walk about the city looking for work as he could not pay car fare. I thought to myself, old gentleman, you are a good object lesson for the boys who are growing up. So I write this hoping one at least, if not more boys and young men may stop and ask themselves this question: "How will it be with me when I am old if I continue as I am now doing, spending all I make or nearly so?" The man I mention is only one of many thousands of his kind.

Near Ottawa, in LaSalle County, I see there is a farm with fine buildings made of brick and covered with slate. I do not know how many acres is in the farm, but it is the county poor farm. I passed there a few days ago and saw quite a few old men. Of course I appreciate the fact that adversities overtake a great many people and they spend their "sun set" of life in poverty, but I see so many making no preparation for a rainy day that I am of the opinion that more and more people will be objects of pity and dependent on charity as the years go by. So often do we see men and boys spending their time in worse than useless ways, and one of the worst things a young man can do is to spend his money for strong drink. Then as a closing remark I would say to the young man especially, if you are a user of whiskey quit it; for your sake quit it; for your mother's sake quit it; for the sake of those who are now or will be dependent upon you quit it; for the country's sake quit it. To you who do not drink I wish to say you are commendable and are on the right track at least in one way, and you will be honored and respected.

May the Messenger and its many readers live long and enjoy the blessings of this life is the wish of

Yours truly,
H. A. Tyer.

Many persons find themselves affected with a persistent cough after an attack of influenza. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. Sold by all druggists.

Darsey is showing the best line of sweater coats in town.

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a few days

from now until Christ-

mas. If you are troubled

about what to give in any in-

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which will suggest an appropriate

gift. We think our holiday line af-

fords a better selection of gift goods

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It includes more novelties, goods that

combine usefulness, beauty and intrinsic

worth than any other assortment at your

command. Every item is of worthy quality

and our prices are the lowest for that kind.

May we not have the pleasure of showing you?

D. N. Leaverton

Druggist :- Grapeland, Texas

Hays Spring News.

Dec. 13.—Our community has just been saddened by the death of Mrs. Mary Price, wife of John Price. She was seriously and very suddenly taken ill last Thursday morning. Two physicians, Drs. W. D. McCarty and F. C. Woodard, were called to see her, but in spite of all they could do the patient grew worse and at an early hour Friday morning the death angel knocked at the door and her spirit took its departure to a better land. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Coatney and was principally reared in the Wesley Chapple community, and her remains were carried to the Wesley Chapple Cemetery for interment. The deceased leaves a husband, father, mother, one brother, two sisters and a host of relatives and friends who are grieved to give her up. But only a few months ago she united herself with the Methodist church and believing her to be prepared to meet her Good Master in peace, we can only say to friends and loved ones to grieve not, but live Godly lives and be prepared to meet her in that sweet by and by where the toils, trials and tribulations of this life will molest us no more.

Little Lorena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown, has been on the puny list for several days, but we are glad to note she is improving and we hope she will soon be able to attend school again.

We are having a right nice rain this morning, though it is

unpleasantly cool. We are glad to see the rain as the earth needs it.

Some have been plowing out this way, but the land is too dry for good work. Julius.

Shade Trees.

I have for sale a lot of nice Sycamore shade trees, and will set them out for you at 50 cents a piece. Geo. Chaffin.

Strayed—Reward.

One bay horse, known as the Geo. Calhoun horse; branded figure 1 on each jaw. Liberal paid for return to J. W. Keeland at Grapeland.

John Johnston Arrested.

John Johnston was arrested late Saturday evening by Sheriff Phillips and Joe Lacy and carried to Crockett and placed in jail. The arrest was made at his father's home, and the charge is that he is connected with the robbery of the F. & M. State Bank on the night of October 31. Thus far we have been unable to learn what evidence the authorities have, or what clue they are working upon. Johnston is a printer and was working in the Messenger office at the time of his arrest. About two weeks prior to the bank robbery he came to Grapeland to see his parents, having been absent from Grapeland about ten years. During his stay here at that time he worked in the Messenger office a week.

It is said that during his ab-

sence from Grapeland he has led a pretty rough life, but he made the remark to friends here that he was done and was going to settle down. However, some suspected him of having knowledge of the robbery, and this probably led to his arrest.

John has lots of friends here who believe he is innocent of the affair and hope he will soon be released.

To Our Friends and Customers.

After next Saturday, Dec. 17, we will gin only when there is enough cotton in the house to justify it. In this connection we wish to thank each and everyone for their liberal patronage this season and solicit your business and good will in the future. Wishing you a merry Christmas and a prosperous new year, we are,
Yours truly,
Herod & Co.

Sailor Boy mackerel in ten pound kitts only. One dollar at Kennedy Bros.

Give your friend or relative a life long present, a watch, bracelet, gold ring, locket, stick pin, anything in jewelry, goods guaranteed at Howard's.

All kinds of guns, hunting coats, belts and a full line of shells at Kennedy Bros.

Buy your children's hose from Darsey.

Gift Suggest-ions.

FOR EACH MEMBER OF THEFAMILY.....

At Christmas time many gifts are made that never do any one any good. Will you allow us the pleasure, also the honor, of suggesting the following presents which will be very useful:

For Ladies

Silk Scarfs
Knitted Scarfs
Mufflers
Linen Handkerchiefs
Gold Headed Umbrellas
Hat Pins
Hand bags
House Slippers

That will make your sister or mother a lovely gift that they will appreciate.

Gifts for Men

Mufflers
Silk Handkerch'fs
Four in hand Ties
Bat Wing Ties
String Ties
Umbrellas

We are making a special price on all WUNDERHOSE in stock for Men, Ladies and Children.

4 pair warranted to last 4 months if worn alternately without mending in heel or toe. Sell regularly at 4 pair for \$1.00. Our price

4 Pair for 80c

We are showing them in men's in the following colors: Black, brown, blue, gray, pearl, green and Burgandy.

Come early and make your selection, as we know they will not last long at these prices.

Kennedy Bros.

LOCAL NEWS

Notice to Advertisers.

Copy for all display advertisements must be in the office by Tuesday at noon of each week to insure insertion.

Trade with Lively.

Pretty line of silk scarfs at Darsey's.

Alton Murchison spent Sunday in Crockett.

For post and Xmas cards, call at Howard's.

Lively has Marshmallow for cake filling.

Ladies, misses and boys union suits at Darsey's.

Bob Traylor of New Wayerly spent Sunday here.

Full line of men's sweater coats at 50c to \$2.50. Darsey.

Arthur Owens went to Houston Saturday night.

Men's and boy's bootees for work and hunting at Darsey's.

J. H. Dickey is a new subscriber on the Percilla list.

Men's and boy's underwear at Darsey's.

Pure Ribbon Cane Syrup 50c per gallon at the old reliable W. R. Wherry's.

Buy the children a pair of jersey leggings for 50c at Darsey's.

R. F. Lively of Waneta was transacting business in Grapeland Monday.

We are still giving a piece of handsomely decorated china with every \$3.00 cash purchase. Ask for your tickets. W. H. Lively.

A nice white blanket will make an appropriate and useful Xmas present. Darsey is showing some beautiful ones at \$4.00 and \$5.00.

The best sewing machine in Houston County for the best money. Kennedy Bros.

If you want the services of a competent, reliable, experienced dentist call on C. L. Moore, D. D. S. Office at Denton hotel. Teeth extracted without pain.

Pure ribbon cane syrup in any size package you want at Kennedy Bros.

Mr. E. O. Buckalew has purchased the bankrupt stock of goods of Nathan Guice and has opened for business. Mr. Buckalew comes from Jewett where he has been in business the past year. The Messenger extends a welcome.

Toys! Toys!

We certainly have the TOYS and the prices are right. Buying as we do, in large quantities for our two stores, enables us to make prices no one-house buyer can possibly compete with.

Our toys are all new stock and as we do not permit the free handling of same, you get toys that are clean and perfect in every respect. Remember you can buy now while the selection is complete. Avoid the last days rush, and we will store your goods sway and deliver them when wanted. THE ARK. Palestine, Texas.

Santa Claus's headquarters. Corner Spring, Sycamore Ste. and Avenue A.

Prices Reduced

ON EVERYTHING I HAVE TO SELL FROM NOW UNTIL XMAS

We want to run our stock as low as possible by Jan. 1st and to do this we are willing to make prices that will move the goods.

Get our prices before you buy. We will save you money on your entire bill.

Visit our store and get our prices for the next twenty days.

Respectfully,

J. J. Brooks

MONEY TO LOAN

We Handle Real Estate.

If you want to buy or sell a farm or borrow money on it, call on us. We buy Vendors Lien Notes.

WARFIELD BROS.

Office North Side Public Square

CROCKETT, TEXAS

Farmers & Merchants State Bank

Grapeland, Texas

You should have account with this bank.

Be fair with yourself. Give yourself a chance.

You can then develop greater business ability. You can advance your business interests.

Any business will be benefitted by the service we can render. You should resolve to start an account with this bank to-day.

Lively sells good shoes.

Rubber shoes for men, women and children at Darsey's.

Bill Johnson was down from Palestine Sunday to see the homefolk.

Old fashion jeans pants at Darsey's.

Lively is making special prices for the holidays.

Try a sack of our Daily Bread flour, none better. Lively sells it.

Dr. McCarty reports the birth of a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Whitaker.

Buy your Christmas goods from W. H. Lively.

Some beautiful decorated lamps for Xmas presents at Howard's.

Miss Lena Traylor of New Wayerly is here on a visit to relatives.

Some very special prices for the holidays at W. H. Lively's.

Whip cord pants and coats at \$4.00 per suit at Darsey's—the best work clothes you can buy.

Mrs. W. L. Holloway and little baby left Monday for a visit to relatives at Willis.

Knee length rubber boots at Darsey's special price 2.00 per pair.

WANTED—Ten acres of land cleared; will give wood to any one who will clear it. See M. E. Bean.

Ladies' Persian and patent leather belts 25c to 50c at Darsey's.

Walter Ingram and Miss Sallie Belle Neel were married last Sunday, Rev. W. N. Warlick officiating.

A pair of Buster Brown shoes and a watch and fob will delight any boy for a Christmas present. Darsey.

Choice Colorado pea green alfalfa hay, the best feed you can buy. Kennedy Bros.

Go to Howard's for Xmas fruits and candies, nuts, raisiens, coca nuts, a general assortment of what you need at live and let live prices.

Darsey is showing some beautiful snowy table lin 66 inches all linen and 64 inches wide mercerized at 50 cents per yard.

To the Public:

I have purchased the stock of goods of Nathan Guice, and am now open for business at his old stand, I would be glad to have you call on me and inspect my stock before you buy. I will appreciate your business.

Call around and let's get acquainted

E. O. Buckalew

Lively sells it for less.

Buy Ruth flour from Howard for your Xmas baking.

Walter Newman of Augusta was here Tuesday.

Get her a pair of kid gloves for a Xmas present. Darsey is showing the best ones you ever saw for the price 75c and \$1.00.

To make your Xmas hunting a pleasure get a hammerless rapid fire pump gun for sale by Kennedy Bros.

Dr. W. D. McCarty of Grapeland, J. D. Herod of Route No. 3 and J. R. Luce of Route No. 2 have remembered the Messenger recently.

NOTICE.

After January 1st. prties wanting lots had better buy now as the prices will be advanced \$10.00 per lot after that date. I have both business and residence lots which I am offering at a special price. W. G. Darsey.

Don't overlook the fact that we are headquarters for your Xmas fruits. Kennedy Bros.

On Monday evening of last week fire destroyed the residence and contents of Alfred Luce and Jim Turner, who were living together three miles north of Daly. No one was at home and it is not known how the fire started. On Sunday before the little baby of Mr. Luce died, which make his misfortune doubly hard.

Today just as we go press we learn that F. A. Faris & Son have closed their doors in bankruptcy. We cannot give any particular just at this time.

W. R. Wherry has received the invoice for a lot of men's, women's and children's overcoats. They will arrive in a few days. Call around and see them.

Christmas Sale

of
Sofa Pillow Tops, Laundry Bags,
Shoe Bags and
Dressed Dolls of all kinds and sizes
by the

Baptist Ladies

These goods are on display at Mrs. Woodard's Millinery Parlor. They would make excellent Xmas gifts, and at the same time you would be helping a worthy cause.

FOR SALE

A Scholarship in the famous Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas,

AT A DISCOUNT

If you contemplate attending a commercial school, now is your opportunity.

Call on or address

The Grapeland Messenger

Grapeland, Texas

Porter says so

Porter says so

Don't Wait

Select your Xmas presents now and let us place them aside for you.

We have an unusually attractive line of

HOLIDAY GOODS

for you to select from this season and will be pleased to have you call and inspect them.

Don't Go

away from Grapeland to buy your Jewelry, Silverware or Cut Glass. We have what you want. Come and see.

A. S. PORTER

Prescription Druggist.

Porter says so

Porter says so

You Must Read This if Want You the Benefit
J. W. Greer, Greenwood, La., suffered with a severe case of lumbago. "The pain was so intense I was forced to use hypodermic injections for relief. These attacks started with a pain in the small of my back which gradually became worse until it was almost paralyzing. My attention was attracted to Foley's

Kidney Remedy and I am glad to say after using this wonderful medicine I am no longer bothered in any way by my old enemy lumbago." Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

Let US PRINT YOUR SALE BILLS

Augusta News.

Augusta, Texas, Dec. 11.—On last Sunday evening we dropped in to get a note of our Sunday school and also to lend a hand in arranging for a Christmas tree. There was a good attendance and the interest manifested in the Sunday school shows that there has been some good work done and that the seed sown has been placed upon good ground and will eventually bring forth good fruit. The singing was really good—a great improvement over what it was a year ago. This is evidence of the good work Rev. F. M. Trimble is doing in our midst. Allow us to say that we believe he is a good man, his intentions are worthy and are clothed in that spirit that leads to better things in the hereafter. His ideals are founded upon honor and of high character. Give him the moral support he deserves and he will then be able to accomplish something that the country at large will appreciate.

By a unanimous vote it was decided to have a Christmas tree. The different committees were appointed and everything will be pushed forward to make the tree a success. Miss Mary Belle Holcomb, Mrs. W. H. Long and Mrs. Walter Newman will act as artists in decorating the tree. These ladies are very fastidious in their tastes, hence we expect something rare and beautiful. A hearty welcome to all who will honor us with their presence.

W. H. Holcomb and daughter, Miss Mary Belle, have returned from Galveston where they have been attending conference. They report a very splendid time. J. L. Sheridan and W. H. Long, representatives of the Masonic Lodge of this place to the Grand Lodge at Waco, are at home again, and report the best time of their lives. Nearly a thousand masons were in attendance and the lessons they were taught were highly appreciated and doubtless will prove beneficial in the future.

Dock Trimble, who has been in Dallas for some time, is again at home.

There is a general hustle among the people preparing for the holidays.

Health is fine and all is quiet on the San Pedro to-night.

As ever,
Old Gray.

Happiness is but another name for perfect health. Use Prickly Ash Bitters and be happy. It keeps the vital organs healthy and well regulated.

A. S. Porter Special Agent.

Negro Accidentally Killed.

Crockett, Texas, December 9.—Earle King, a negro boy about 10 years of age, was shot and instantly killed here last evening, a full charge of shot from a shot gun striking him in the face. The shot was fired by Clifton Collins, another negro boy, who claims the shooting was accidental. After a full investigation of the killing no arrests were made.

Keep the bowels active if you would preserve your health. A dose of Prickly Ash Bitters now and then does this to perfection.
A. S. Porter Special Agent.

The Commissioners Court have purchased a road grader for Houston County and same has been shipped from Dallas to Commissioner Murchison at this place. As soon as it arrives the roads around here will be graded.

BEAUTY AND HEALTH ARE ONE

The First Impossible Without the Second—History Proves This to Be the Truth.

Health gives development, says the Herald of the Golden Age, and harmonious development is beauty. Every vegetable and every animal is beautiful after its own type of beauty, when it is most perfectly developed, in man or woman the exact development of every part and function being the highest possible beauty.

Ideal beauty must have the following: Symmetry, proportion, curvature, color and expression. Especially in woman does one look for these elements. She is the highest type of beauty on earth. Her form is molded and finished in exquisite perfection. Beauty is revealed in her sweet voice; sparkles on her brow; adorns her maternity; shines in her virtuous life; breathes in her pious spirit, and flashes in her loving eyes. No animal on earth has a better proportioned body, features and curves more symmetrical, color more defined, movement more graceful.

As long as a woman has health, she can have beauty. Cleopatra, the charming Egyptian, was over thirty years of age when she fascinated Mark Antony. Helen of Troy, whose beauty caused such a long and bloody war, had passed her fortieth year when Paris fell in love with her and carried her from her home. Ah forty Madame Recamier was regarded as the most beautiful woman in Europe.

Yes, beauty is the greatest indication of superb health! All who desire it should study the laws of health, for this is the only way it can be obtained. It is to be sought, admired and loved.

Deep-seated coughs that resist ordinary remedies require both external and internal treatment. If you buy a dollar bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup you get the two remedies you need for the price of one. There is Herick's Red Pepper Porous Plaster for the chest, free with each bottle. Sold by A. S. Porter.

If you want to make your wife, father, mother or sister a nice Xmas present, present them with a W. O. W. policy. Only a few more days till the cheap rates will be off. See Clewis at once, and give him your application.

Elected Officers.

At their regular meeting a few nights ago, the K. of Ps. elected the following officers.

W. H. Richards, C. C.
C. L. Haltom, V. C.
M. L. Clewis, Prelate.
J. R. Richards, K. R. & S.
Olan Davis, M. A.
Jack Spence, I. G.
O. W. Shoemaker, O. G.
Geo. Calhoun, M. W.
A. S. Porter, M. F.
D. N. Leaverton, M. E.

IT DIDN'T GO



Freddy—Did you bet on the base-ball game, Willie?

Willie—Why, I was going to, but when I offered to bet a husky fellow two ice cream sodas to a box of caramels he just gave me a rude stare.

Sick Headache
Can be Cured when

HERBINE

Is Used.

TRY—IT—TO—DAY!

Why suffer with severe headaches, have fainting spells or be fretful? Your liver needs attention. Try **Herbine** the great liver regulator.

CURES Bilioussness, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Chills and Fever and all Liver Complaints.

PRICE 50 CENTS.

BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO.
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

Sold and Recommended by
A. S. PORTER

Counting
Your
Money



Will occupy your entire time when you become a regular advertiser in THIS PAPER. Unless you have an antipathy for labor of this kind, call us up and we'll be glad to come and talk over our proposition.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup COMPOUND.

CURES COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP, SORE THROAT, WHOOPING COUGH AND ALL PULMONARY DISEASES

FINDS IT TO BE A SPLENDID REMEDY.
Mr. J. E. Ryan, Editor Berwick Register, Berwick, La., writes:—I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup Compound in my family for several years, and find it to be a splendid remedy.

I heartily recommend it to those suffering from coughs and colds.

I also recommend it as a safe cure for children when suffering from croup or whooping cough.

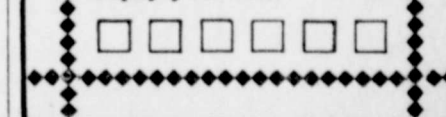
Three Sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00

BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO.,
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

Sold and Recommended by
A. S. PORTER.

A Word to the Borrower

IF you are a borrower of this paper, don't you think it is an injustice to the man who is paying for it? He may be looking for it at this very moment. Make it a regular visitor to your home. The subscription price is an investment that will repay you well.



Best Substitute For Calomel
H E R
Purely Vegetable Preparation

HERBINE

CURES AND ALL MALARIA, CHILLS AND FEVER AND ALL LIVER COMPLAINTS QUICKLY. PRICE 50c.

BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO.
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

Sold and Recommended by
A. S. Porter

Between Now and Christmas

There is just eight shopping days. To get the most out of you gift buying BEGIN RIGHT NOW! Of course when the rush and haste comes this store will lead in giving the best service that rushed conditions will permit, but it will be better for all concerned to BEGIN NOW. We will put your purchases away and deliver them any time. The tendency is toward useful, practical presents that the recipient will appreciate and which will benefit them through the entire year. We suggest here a list of useful presents for Men, Women and Children:

Shoes

There is nothing that will delight the receiver more than a pair of shoes, and our line includes fine dressy, classy shoes for the entire family.



Ladies' patent leather shoes in button and lace, \$2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50 and 4.00

Ladies fine kid shoes in lace at 1.50, 2.00 and..... **\$2.50**

Men's dress shoes, kid, gun metal and patent leather at 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and..... **\$5.00**

Men's fine button shoes in patent leather at 4.00 and..... **\$5.00**

Children's shoes all prices, styles and popular leathers.

Men's Clothing

All \$16.50, 17.50 and 18.00 high-grade, hand tailored suits..... **\$15.00**

At this sharp reduction in prices you can buy a high grade suit at what you commonly pay for an ordinary one. These are strictly high grade hand tailored suits and all of this season's make and in the most approved styles.

Overcoats

Nothing will please a man more nor give him as much real comfort as an overcoat. From our line of overcoats and cravenette coats you will find one to suit you. Each **\$7.50 10.00 12.50 AND 15.00**

Nobby Neckwear



What is more acceptable for a practical gift than a pretty tie? We are showing them in a bewildering assortment of the latest novelties, put up in pretty X-mas boxes,

25c 35c 50c AND 75c

Half Hose

Big range of plain and fancy colors in beautiful mercerized weaves at a pair..... **25c**

Silk half hose, fine classy goods with linen heel and toe, black, navy, red, gray and lavender, a pair..... **50c**

Men's Sweater Coats

Make exceptional Christmas presents, and our showing includes the very best values in light and heavy weaves of wool and wool mixed garments that are warm and dressy, colors white, gray brown, and white with gray border, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00 and..... **\$2.50**

Suspenders



President and Chester suspenders on the market in holiday boxes..... **50c**

Men's Hats.

The correct shapes and colors. Your hat must be right if you are stylishly dressed. We have the following hats in novelty and staple shapes, black, white and all the new shades:

Our Best 2.00 Hat..... **\$1.50**
Buck's Sun Hat..... **\$2.00**
The Davis Hat..... **\$3.00**
Stetson hats, all styles..... **\$4.00**

Christmas Clothes for Boys

There is nothing more appropriate. Give him a new suit and he will be beaming over with joy, as it is human nature for us to want new clothes. You will find in our line pretty patterns in worsted and casmeres in well tailored, stylish suits, 3 to 17 years, at a suit—

\$1.75 2.50 3.50 AND 5.00

Boys' and Children's Hats

An attractive showing of pretty shapes in the new color— **\$1.00 AND \$1.50**

Mufflers for Christmas

For men and ladies in a good assortment of pretty colors in fancy weaves at..... **25c AND 50c**

Christmas Dress Goods

Come here for your Christmas dress, or if you want to purchase a practical gift for a friend or relative you will find our line complete, including a big variety of weaves in wool and cotton fabrics.

Mercerized Pongee at a yard..... **15c AND 25c**
Half wool Panama finished cloth, 36 inches wide, black, navy, tan, red and brown, a yard..... **30c**
36 inch Mohair, in all colors, a yard..... **39c AND 50c**

Special dress patterns in all wool plain and fancy serge, colors navy, black, cardinal and mulberry, fine classy goods that will delight the recipient as a Christmas present..... **\$5.00 5.75 AND 6.50**

Zephyr Knit Scarfs



In white, black and fancy color combinations. These warm practical articles make suitable Christmas presents..... **50c, 75c and \$1.00**

Silk Scarfs in a wide range of pretty plain and fancy patterns at **50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25 and up**

Coats

While our line of ladies coats is considerably broken, yet we have special values at **\$3.25 To 5.00**

Misses' and Children's Coats and Capes

Our stock is still complete and we are showing some very pretty styles and the prices have been reduced considerably below their real value.

\$2.25, 3.00, 3.25 and up

Children's Bear Skin Coats

Children's pretty bear skin coats in navy blue and white, each..... **\$2.00**

Ladies Sweaters

Ladies sweaters in red and gray..... **1.50**

Ladies sweaters navy and red..... **1.75**

Ladies double breasted, all wool white sweaters..... **2.50**

Ladies Thermo sweaters, 33 inches long, red..... **2.50**

Misses white sweaters with red borders, 1.00 and..... **1.25**



Petticoats.

Handsome black petticoats with deep embroidered and sheared flounce, full cut and well tailored, made of good grade cotton taffeta, each..... **\$1.00**

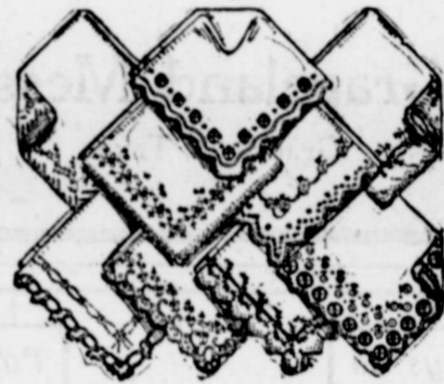
Coronation taffeta petticoats, has the swish and rustle of silk, deep sheared flounce, each..... **\$2.00**

Same cloth with elaborately embroidered flounce, each..... **\$2.50**

Black Silk taffeta petticoats, well made generous cut deep flounce, special at..... **\$3.00 and 5.00**

Handkerchiefs

A big assortment of ladies embroidered handkerchiefs at 5c, 10c, and 25c.



Ladies' pure linen plain hemstitched handkerchiefs,..... **10c, 3 for 25c**

Shopping Bags

A great big 10-inch shopping bag, with leather covered frame, looks like a 1.00 bag for..... **50c**

Elegant leather shopping bag with coin purse, leather covered frame, each..... **\$1.00**

Others at..... **\$1.50, 2.00 and 2.50**

Trunks and Suit Cases

High-grade popular priced trunks that will delight any member of the family as a Christmas present at **\$3.50, 4.00, 4.50 up to 7.00**

24 inch leather suit cases made of good cow hide leather, heavy leather corners, brass catches and lock, cloth lined, straps in body and shirt fold in lid, two leather straps all around, light tan color, special price..... **\$5.00**

Holiday Rugs

Velvet rugs, 27x54 inches, in Oriental and floral designs extra weight..... **1.50**

Axminster rugs, heavy quality, 27x60 ins., beautiful Oriental, floral and scroll patterns..... **2.50**

Axminster rugs, heavy body all wool surface of animal, Oriental floral and scroll patterns, each..... **4.00**



Darsey's Dry Goods Store