

THE MUNDAY TIMES



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Mrs. E. L. McGintie of W. T. U. Co. Talks On Care of Eyesight

General care of the eyes and the proper use of artificial light for the protection of eyesight is the subject of a series of educational lectures now being given in West Texas public schools under auspices of the Safety Department of the West Texas Utilities Company.

Mrs. E. L. McGintie, representing the Safety Department of the company, who last fall visited all West Texas schools with a series of lectures on general safety topics, is again conducting this educational feature, and spoke to the student body of the Munday schools on Wednesday afternoon.

In addition to presenting a very interesting and instructive talk on care and protection of the eyes, Mrs. McGintie carries with her a specially built lighting cabinet, designed and built by expert engineers in the laboratories of the General Electric Company, which is used in a highly interesting fashion to show the effects of various colored lights, and the queer tricks that may be played on the vision by a shifting of lights and shadows.

She also carries with her a complete miniature motion picture outfit which is used wherever auditorium space is sufficient, showing films on the history of light through the ages, on the marvels of the X-ray and other topics.

CAMP FIRE SPARKS

Miss Clara Tillinghast was a visitor to Dichta Falls last Wednesday.

Miss Fern Hogan spent last Sunday in Rule, visiting her brother, Hilton Hogan.

Miss Christine Chapman spent last week-end in Abilene. She did some Christmas shopping while she was there.

We are very sorry to hear about one of our sponsors, Miss Barbara Swanson, getting her limb hurt.

Miss Naomi Freeman took a spin in the aeroplane last Sunday.

Miss Vivian Rogers was a visitor to Knox City last Tuesday night, and also to O'Brien Sunday.

Last Tuesday night, December 6, 1927, the Camp Fire girls and other guests met on the West Texas Utilities lawn for a weenie and marshmallow roast.

After we had roasted all our weenies and marshmallows, we played various games. The most interesting was the football game. Sebern Jones and W. A. Wyche, Jr., gave two very interesting readings.

About ten, after a wonderful time, we parted for our homes. Those present were: Misses Fern Hogan, Christine Chapman, Arlene Kendall, Henrietta Isbell, Clara Tillinghast, Madeline Craig, Naomi Freeman and Vela Phillips. Messers W. A. Wyche, Jr., Sebern Jones, Virgil Craig, Rex Holder, Hubert Isbell and our sponsors, Misses Grace and Barbara Swanson.

CAMPFIRE SPIRIT

We're merry and jolly,
We're plumb full of pep,
We're ea glad group of girls
And have a good rep.

We work and we play,
And do kindly deeds
And offer our services
To all those in need.

We have a great future
And with lots of work,
We'll make a great showing
For we don't like to shirk.

So watch us and help us
And give of your best,
For we're coming forward
And do all the rest.

—Reporter.

GINNING REPORT SHOWS INCREASE OF 9,644 BALES OVER SAME PERIOD 1927

The ginning report of W. H. Griffin, special agent of the Department of Commerce, shows that 41,947 bales of cotton were ginned up to December 12 this year, as compared with 32,303 bales on the same date last year, an increase over last year of 9,644 bales.

Name Fits Job



John Fields, vice-president of the Federal Land Bank of Wichita, serving the states of Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado and New Mexico, who was elected president of the American Farm Congress at Kansas City.

"SHE'S A SHEIK" BRINGS "LAUGH WEEK TO PEOPLES"

It's Laugh Week at the Peoples Theatre Monday and Tuesday. Bebe Daniels is there in her funniest film "She's a Sheik" and she's literally spreading happiness in handfuls. Manager Williams declares that though people may enter the theatre with long faces, when they emerge, smiles beam forth.

"She's a Sheik" presents Bebe in what is said to be the best role of her cyclonic life before the camera. As Zaida, bewitching granddaughter of Sheik Yusuff ben Hamad, Bebe is given a chance to indulge in all the rapid-fire action and laugh situation that Director Clarence Badger could devise. She fights a duel with the man she hates, kidnaps the man she loves, tries to tame him and change his hate into love, saves the Foreign Legion troops when they are surrounded by Arabs, prevents a shooting squad from killing her fiance and any of a hundred other things.

Following Bebe and aiding and abetting her through the film are such fine players as Richard Arlen, William Powell, Josephine Dunn, James Bradbury, Jr., Billy Franey, Paul McAllister and Al Fremont. John McDermott, the author of "Senorita" wrote "She's a Sheik" especially for Miss Daniels. Lloyd Corrigan prepared the scenario.

So fast is the action in Bebe Daniels' new Paramount farce "She's a Sheik" that, as suggested in an old ditty "the sands of the desert never get a chance to grow colder."

Health Champions



Marie Antrom, of Kingman, Kan., who scored 99.15 out of a possible 100, and J. Fred Christensen, of Blanchard, Ia., who scored 99 out of 100, and were declared America's health champions in the "4-H" club contest held in connection with the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago. Miss Antrom is five feet, five and a quarter inches tall and weighs 125 pounds. Christensen is five feet and ten inches tall and weighs 152 pounds.

Let's Hope For A Good Brood

By Albert T. Reid



NOW, LISSEN, BIDDY, -
WE'RE EXPECTIN'
YOU TO SET, -
NOT SIT.

.. With Our Subscribers..

Mrs. D. A. Eiland has our thanks for a renewal of The Times to Cecil Birdsong in Louisiana. Cecil was formerly manager here for the Western Union Telegraph Company and likes to keep up with Munday happenings.

We are pleased to add to our large list of readers the name of Prof. Chas. R. Lail, superintendent of the Gillespie school. Prof. Lail is serving his second year as superintendent in this excellent school and his services have proven highly satisfactory to the patrons of the school.

Mrs. Kattie Rayburn has our sincere thanks for a renewal of the subscription of Mrs. Dewey Thorp at Maricopa, California. The former Mundayites are always glad to get the news from home, and we are told that they read it from "kiver to kiver."

Prof. Joe A. Hoffman sent in his renewal for The Times and the Wichita Record-News, for which he has our sincere thanks. The Times and Record-News are proving a popular combination at \$4.00, and if you haven't gotten in on this low rate we urge that you do so before the close of the year, for it is likely that all reduced rates will be withdrawn on January 1st.

We have received from Mr. J. O. Bowden a renewal for The Times and also a renewal for Miss Winnie Morgan of Sipe Springs, Texas. The wiseacre who stated that the Bowdens and Johnson grass were taking the Munday country might have added that the Bowdens are also taking The Munday Times, for we believe there are more Bowdens and members of the Bowden family on our list than any other single family, and naturally we're grateful for their loyal support.

Among the renewals received during the past few days is that of Chas. J. Stingol of the Rhineland community, and we extend to him our sincere thanks.

The Munday Times and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News continues to be popular combination, and this week Mr. J. O. Johnson of route 2 grabs the bargain off.

P. C. Cory, who is moving from here to De Berry, Texas, wants the Munday Times and the Semi-Weekly Farm News for one year. Mr. Cory has been here for three years and is moving back to his old home, but wants the Munday Times to follow him in order that he may keep up with the happenings of the Munday country.

Mrs. A. E. Whitmore came in the other day and renewed

our her Munday Times and also for that of her daughter, Mrs. E. Y. Cornelius, of Dallas, for which she has our sincere thanks.

Mr. J. M. White—the concrete man—takes the man who mixes concrete—dropped in the other day and made a liberal contribution to our chequer, for which he has our thanks.

Mr. J. R. Nelson takes advantage of our clubbing rate with the Star-Telegram and thereby saves himself 50 cents. We urge that all who want this combination to get their order in before January 1st, for we have a letter from the Star-Telegram stating that their bargain day rates will be discontinued on that date.

Our good friend, R. C. Dobbs, on route 2, handed us his renewal for this paper some days ago, for which he has our sincere thanks.

SCREEN WESTERN TAKEN APART; REASON FOR SUCCESS DETERMINED

Are Westerns popular—and if so, why? Well, take a look at the average audience when a Western is being shown. Contrary to popular opinion, there are usually as many women as men present and as for the kids—they eat 'em up! From this we might well deduce the fact that men aren't alone in liking He-man histories.

A Western takes audiences out of their dull work-day world and transports them into such an adventurous globe as they might well like to believe exists. Their minds are transferred from dusty city streets and humdrum, sleepy towns to stretches of open country, of vast, stretching plains and towering mountains. The gasp and sputter of automobiles are forgotten in watching graceful animals go bounding along o'er fresh fields.

Their natural feelings take vent. Hates and loves come to the fore. Justice—not the twentieth century brand—but the crude variety of former days, is pictured. The heroes are always tall, handsome, are weather-tanned men; men who will fight and die for their women. And the heroines are always sweet and pure and brave and beautiful.

Watching the thrilling action of a Western unfold is like watching a dream come true. John Jones and William Williams become embroiled, chap-fred, rough riders, afraid of no one and perpetually ready for a fight or the next best thing. Five footers become six-footers and—well, you know how it is. As for the women, who haven't wanted to be rescued from marauding Indians by a stalwart Romeo on a dashing

Renus Keeps Fit



George Renus, "King of Bootleggers," on trial at Cincinnati for the murder of his wife, shadow, horse, knife, rope, and runs in the jail yard to keep physically fit.

AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY DECEMBER 18TH

Come make one in our Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Sunday. We have our school organized from the beginners department up—no mix-up with us. Classes for all ages up to 150.

Preaching by the pastor both morning and evening. We believe in and preach the old time gospel, which is the power of God unto Salvation to all who believe.

"You are welcome."
R. B. FREEMAN, Pastor.

white horse? The kids? Gary Cooper and Fred Thompson are revered household names.

Take, for example, Zane Grey's latest Western "Open Range" which reaches the Peoples Theatre this Friday. Manager Williams says that its success is already assured because:

It was written by Zane Grey. Enacted by Betty Bronson, Lane Chandler and Fred Kohler, just to mention a few members of the cast.

Directed by the man who made many of William S. Hart's early successes, Clifford Smith. And because it contains such thrilling scenes as—a woman's buggy race, a rescue from a runaway wagon, a wholesale stealing of cattle, an exciting arrest and jailing of the innocent hero and finally a heart-in-mouth climax when Indians attack a tiny village and the hero saves the town by stampeding the stolen cattle right through the ranks of the attackers.

Because it contains the unsurpassed scenery of Zion National Park.

And because Paramount, the producer of practically every Zane Grey story ever written, has screened it.

All in all "Open Range" looks like a good entertainment bet.

MUSIC AND SPEECH ARTS RECITAL

The following program will be rendered Friday evening, December 16, 7:00 o'clock, by pupils of Mrs. Louise Ingram and Miss Lillian Aycock, at city hall auditorium:

- Narcissus Elhebert Nevin
- Helen F. Eiland
- Meditation C. L. Morrison
- Helen Phillips
- Johnny's Pa Cook
- Jack Williams
- The Apple Tree Swing M. B. Norvill
- Virginia Smith
- Isaacstein's Busy Day Parker
- Francis Johnson
- Dollie Waltz Baldwin
- Wanda June Williams
- Big Bass Singer Walter Rolfe
- Dorothy Campbell
- Little Ah Sid Anon
- Hazel Alline Cluff
- Moonlight Revels F. Denger
- Madeline Fritz
- Angelina Dunbar
- Wynnefred Warren
- May Day Waltz I. A. Rugbee
- Rovene Russell
- Trained Morton

Characters: Joe Aycock, Dick Ray, Janet Ray, Vela Phillips, Sarah, Fern Hogan, Nellie Taylor, Naomi Freeman

By the Mountain Spring C. Bohm, Francis McCord

Cake Mary Fritz, Parker

Fragrant Floweret Charles Hueter

Mildred Gray

Thursday Evening Morley

Characters: Gordon Johns, Lillian McGlothlin, Mrs. John (Laura), Louise Aycock, Mrs. Sheffield, Marguerite Burns, Mrs. Johns (Gordon's Mother), Mary Hope Smith, Valsette, A. L. Brown, Marguerite Campbell, Soldier Song, Steinheimer, Marga Barton

Melody Spaulding

The American Dorris Dobbs

Arthur Smith, Jr.

Moody Days Strickland

Maxine Burnison

Soldier's March Wright

Katie Beth Bowden

Sammy Sees His First Circus Dunbar

Martha Nell Carroll

Wooden Shoes Bartlett

Black Hawk Waltz Mary Welsh

Geraldine Burnison

Christine Chapman

Sis Hopkins and Her Beau Billions, Hare

Mildred Burnett

(Please bring this program with you.)

SIMPKINS-ALLRED

Mr. Odes Simpkins and Miss Ida Allred of the Hood community were united in marriage on last Sunday morning at the Baptist parsonage, pastor P. D. O'Brien, officiating. This young couple are popular members of the younger set of the Hood community, coming from two of its most respected families.

Directed by the man who made many of William S. Hart's early successes, Clifford Smith. And because it contains such thrilling scenes as—a woman's buggy race, a rescue from a runaway wagon, a wholesale stealing of cattle, an exciting arrest and jailing of the innocent hero and finally a heart-in-mouth climax when Indians attack a tiny village and the hero saves the town by stampeding the stolen cattle right through the ranks of the attackers.

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Mrs. Warren Tells Of Accomplishment Parent-Teacher Ass'n

Two months ago a campaign was started by the Parent-Teacher Association to raise money to build concrete walks around the school campus. It seemed such a big undertaking that it was decided to raise just enough money to build what was absolutely necessary to get the school children off of the campus in muddy weather. The money raising business was put in the hands of captains—seven in all—who set out to raise \$500.00. These captains were Meslames W. H. Chapman, J. A. Kennedy, Alice Whittemore, H. F. Barnes, J. O. Bowden, D. E. Holder, M. Carrot and D. T. Mauldin. They were so well organized and had such splendid co-operation among the patrons of the school that when their first report was given they had over \$400.00 on hand. The P. T. A. then voted to make another drive for funds and try to finish the east end of the campus. This was done with most gratifying results, and today we have near \$800.00 in the Treasury. We have enough faith in the patrons and children of the public schools of Munday to say that we could finish the work all around the campus if we set out to do that. What we have already planned seems sufficient for present needs—but the work on the campus is not completed when the walks are finished.

We expect to have the campus leveled and beautified and have adequate play-ground equipment supplied before another year shall have passed. Everybody is happy that everybody else co-operated and made this work possible. The school children, the teachers, the school board of trustees, the city council, the business firms, the farmers, the various committees and in fact, every individual, all have been most liberal with their time and means in putting this over, but lets not be satisfied till we have made this the most up-to-date and the most efficient school system, of its size, in the state of Texas, and then keep it that way.

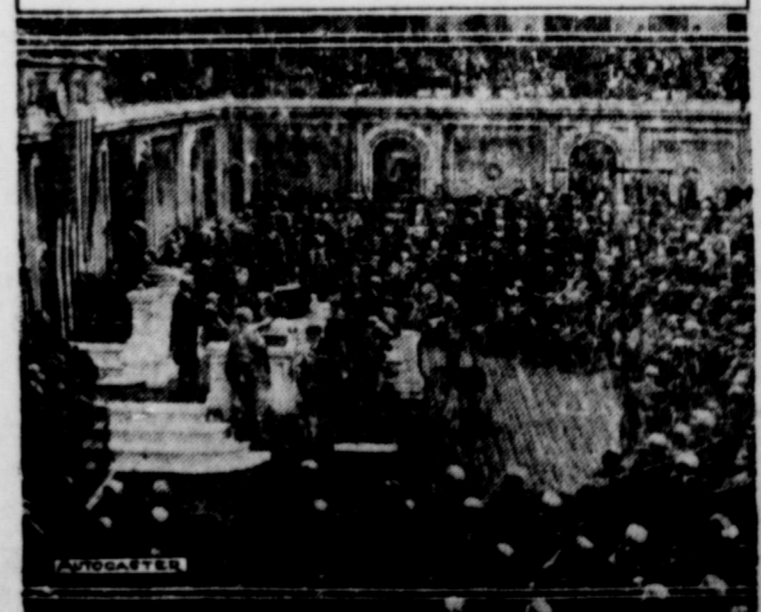
Mrs. F. N. Warren, Pres. P. T. A.

Dairy Chief



An especially posed portrait of Dr. C. V. Larson, chief of the Bureau of dairy industries, department of agriculture, who has resigned to become Director of the National Dairy Council, effective January 1, 1928.

Seventieth Congress Opens



A general view showing Speaker Nicholas Longworth making his opening address at the Seventieth Congress look up its work. This view was made in the House. Photographs are not allowed in the Senate Chamber.



Gifts from Near and Far

Are to be found for Everyone in this

Store of Christmas Cheer



FOR His CHRISTMAS

Most men know this Store for its quality, its style, its service and incidentally its values. It's a store that caters to man's apparel desires 365 days of the year—knows through years of customer experience just what he wants. And by the same token is the logical Store to consider his gifts. Herewith we present only a few suggestions worthy of consideration.



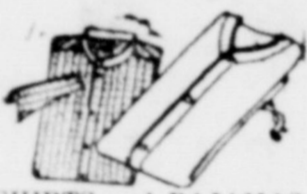
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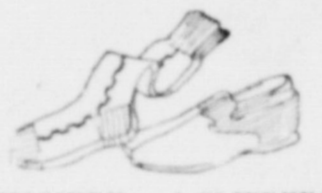
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SHIRTS and PAJAMAS



HOSIERY and SLIPPERS



GIFTS THAT ARE USED!

Luggage takes leading honors for sheer usefulness, as a Christmas gift. Whether for overnight hops or for a European trip, we have the luggage you want to give—at the price you want to pay.



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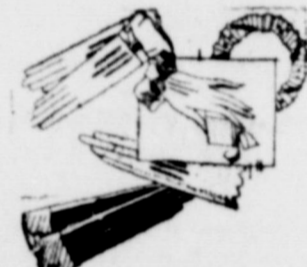
If you would have your gift to the feminine sex express a keen understanding and appreciation of her desire and need—you will choose your offering in the lingerie department. For nothing is quite as sure to please the fastidious woman! You will find here a most comprehensive selection—in dainty silks, satins, voiles, and batiste.

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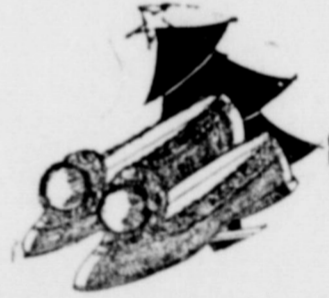
Small Wear Gifts



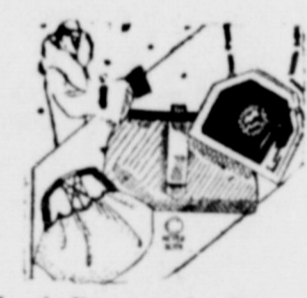
Handkerchiefs that are frivolously dainty for every gift need. In lovely colors and designs.



Kid gloves—gauntlet or clasp models—in an assortment of new colors. A useful, practical gift.



House slippers are always an acceptable gift, and never fail to please and our showing is the most complete we have ever shown.



Hand Bags and Purses in all the latest and most approved designs, a gift that can be appreciated throughout the entire year.

Baker-Campbell Company

ROUNDHOUSE * * * *

looking forward to the Christmas holidays, with joy in their souls. Of Course, we hate to have to quit school for a while, but as you know anything gets old, but don't worry—we will have our fun during the holidays. We will also be ready to make up for lost time when school takes up again.

Sebern Jones intends to spend the Christmas holidays in his home town, Jermyn, while Joe Aycock intends to go

the other way. Joe spent last Christmas in Lamesa and liked it so well that he wants to go again this Christmas.

Sophs.

Christine Chapman spent a very enjoyable time at Abilene last week-end, doing Christmas shopping.

It won't be long now, until 'Ole Santa Claus will be snooping down our chimneys to unpack his toys. J. C. says he is expecting him, and hopes he

will not be disappointed.

Elkin and Earl have already counted the seconds before Santa is due at their house.

If we get two weeks for Christmas we hope the teachers have a Merry Christmas, but if we don't, we want say so much.

Freshmen

We have been having so much fun lately that we have neglected our lessons and from the way our teachers talk about our grades we will have to work harder. Even at that, we have done about as well as the other students in high school.

Last week we had it thrown up to us for the first time since school began about being Freshmen. This was caused by our waiting to be told to march in the house on a cold day. It is said that "experience is a dear teacher." If this is true, we will profit by it in the future.

Two Sophomores, Naomi Freeman and Fern Hogan, were so nearly scared to death the other night that they had to get one of the brave Freshmen to go home with them. We may be the "Cute freshmen", but we are brave.

Someone asked in history class why women had sashes on their dresses, and what they were for. Miss Mills was quite puzzled at such a question. Later she was standing near John R's desk, and he quietly and quickly tied her sash in many knots. Miss Mills turned around just as he finished and well, we will let you imagine what she said.

It seemed queer to see our dignified faculty act as they did in the play. We liked it however, and it showed us that they were more than just ordinary school teachers. What a school we would have if our teachers acted that way all the time. John R. expresses the opinion that he would like it.

In English we have been enlarging our vocabularies and learning the correct usage of words. The following sentences were made:

Mrs. Rhodes: Caz, make a sentence with heroes.
Caz: A man set down on a tack and he rose.

Mrs. Rhodes: Jim, make a sentence with income.
Jim: I opened the door and in come the cat.

Honor Roll for Third Month

- Grade 1 A. Thomas Rigby, Mary Jeanette Moore, Lucy Lee Dobbs.
- Grade 1 B. Ruth Redwine, John Phillips, Harold Smith.
- Grade 2 A. Bobbie Barton, Irene Roddam, Rhonda White.
- Grade 2 B. Woodrow Myers, Glenn Dobbs, Jr., Lois Marie Williams.
- Grade 3. Sylvia Clair Barnes, Geraldine Campbell, Fred Broach, Jr., W. R. Moore.
- Grade 4 A. Lillian Burns, Jonel Williams.

Wynifred Warren Margaret Whittemore.

Grade 4 B. Laymon Miller, Imogene Strickland, Billie Dingus.

Grade 5. Jerry Kethley, Billie True Hill, Virginia Bess Atkinson, Inez Campbell.

Grade 6 A. Lowery Rigby.

Mildred Burnett, Edward Burns, Jesse George Kennedy.

Grade 6 B. Barbara Eiland, Doris Dickerson, Edith Neff, Mildred Moore.

Grade 7 A. Eleanor Jungman, Lee Alfred Parks, Ruth Rice.

Grade 7 B.

Mavourcen Reeves, Jay Smith, Marie Spelce.

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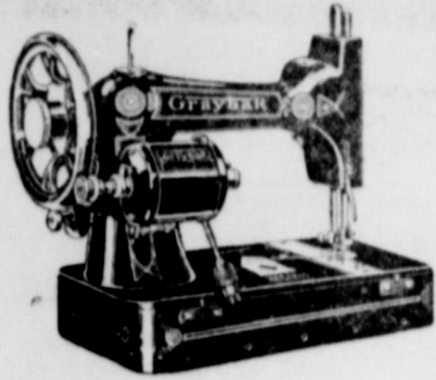
We are now winding up Dressing Turkeys Christmas and New Years. If you have not sold your turkeys, we advise that you do so at once.

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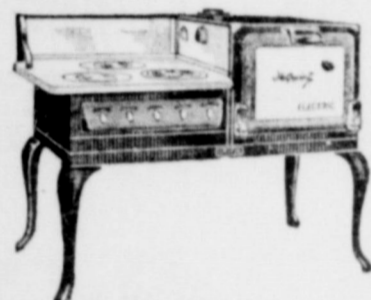
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—A boon to the housewife or to anyone who sews. The little noiseless motor eliminates the tiresome pedaling. Machine can be operated at any desired speed without vibration. Can be had in several different styles, with or without cabinet. Ask us for a demonstration.



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Gifts "She" Will Like



It is but human nature for women to like the things that take away some of the burdens of house-work, and in no line can one find so wide a variety of items that have been created and designed for that very purpose as in the electrical line, and we are pleased to offer herewith a few gift suggestions that will lighten and brighten the house-work throughout the entire year.

Not only do electrical gifts solve the vexing problem of "what to give," but most of the items are sold on easy-payment plans, where desired, thereby making it easy to give a real worth-while gift at a small cash outlay. We will be delighted to demonstrate and explain particulars on any of our merchandise without obligation to buy.

Frigidaire

PRODUCTS OF GENERAL MOTORS

—Electrical refrigeration is the modern and best refrigeration, and a Frigidaire in your home is ready to serve you in summer and in winter, keeping perishable foods at just the proper temperature, day and night, and no gift would be a greater asset to the home.

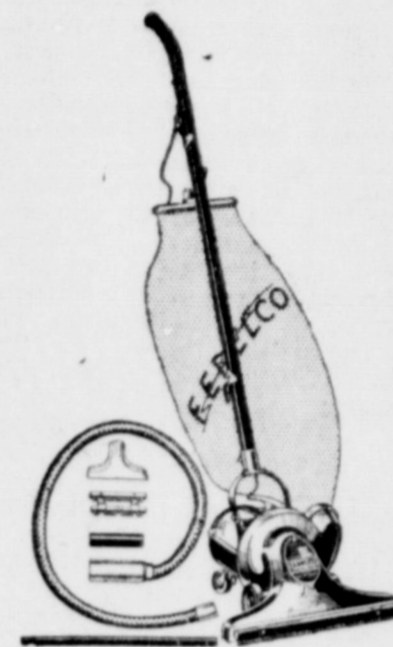


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FEDELCO ELECTRIC CLEANERS

—Worth their weight in gold to the housewives of Munday, for they make housecleaning easy after the sandstorm. They do away with the broom and eliminate the necessity of breathing the germ-laden dust. Can be used for cleaning floors, walls, curtains, upholstery—anywhere there is dirt or dust they will get it, and to purchase one as a Christmas gift is to apply the greatest common sense in your giving. Sold for cash or easy terms.

West Texas Utilities Company

SPECIAL

During the Holiday season we are giving a beautiful 8-Piece China Waffle Set with each Hot-Point Waffle Iron sold. This is an ideal Christmas gift, and with the 8-piece china set added it is the gift of gifts. Come in and see them, or ask our representative to call.

We would be glad to have you visit our show rooms and see the many beautiful and useful things that we have for Christmas giving.



SUGGESTIONS

Here are a few gift suggestions to help you in solving your gift problems. We are sure that no gift will surpass Electrical Gifts, for they keep on giving throughout the years.

- Toasters
- Lighting Fixtures
- Bed Lamps
- Table Lamps
- Curling Irons
- Heating Pads
- Cigar Lighters
- Washing Machines

These and other suggestions on this page may be seen at our show rooms, or we will be glad to send a representative for a demonstration.

Catch The True Spirit of CHRISTMAS: Do Your Share In Making Happy

At Christmas Play, and make good cheer, For Christmas comes, but once a year.

These lines were written four hundred years ago, by an almost forgotten poet, Thomas Fusser.

And can't you picture the Christmas celebration of his day—the enormous Yule-log brought into the great hall from the forest to add warmth and light, the wreaths of holly and mistletoe, Christmas candles alight, minstrel stingers, merry feasting at the rough banquet table! And withal—the glorious spirit of good fellowship and the sacred interpretation put upon the words, "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men!"

That spirit is no less in evidence today—and the Christmas star is still one of joy and love!

Once a year comes the opportunity to each person to be born anew. No matter how weary, how self-centered, how narrow, how shriveled or how engrossed we have become in

the twelve months pursuit of money, glory or success, the chance comes at Christmas for all of us to become new men and women.

Selfish gain may dominate our lives for eleven months and two weeks, but for the fortnight before Christmas at least unselfish love should be the triumphant note.

The king of the Christmas season is the child.

How much happier we all would be if we could grasp his carefree spirit and give of our love as unstintingly!

The child puts his heart into Christmas and there fore he takes a heart full of love with him when the day is done.

Christmas is the time to remember all the big and little kindness which have been bestowed upon us throughout the entire year, and however you remember it—whether with an expensive Christmas present or with a greeting card—remember it with love. With this in mind your gifts will not be coarsened by any desire for dis-

play or to receive something in return, and it will be far better to send the simple Christmas greeting than a showy gift that lacks the Christmas spirit.

For no matter how much money you spend, you can give no more than your friendship or love with each gift.

The rich, happy beyond their deserts, should not let this day pass without making a happier one of those for whom life has been less easy. You need not go far today to find a child with sorrowful, longing eyes, and perhaps an outstretched hand. Don't leave that hand empty.

You will find easily some man or woman, old, cold and poor. Don't pass without putting at least a moment's brightness into the tired faces and maddened eyes. The kindness of the individual makes life possible in a world that is hard for so many. Do your share—big or little—give happiness to many if you can—to one or two at least.

And do not forget—all you who will eat, drink and make merry, that Christmas is, after all, Christ's mass, and it does not mean squandering, folly, gluttony—but a holy and beautiful thing!

Then yours will be indeed "A Merry Christmas."

AGRICULTURAL NOTES

(W. O. Logan, Co. Agent)

"My chickens are sick, droopy and seem to have sore head, or something is the matter." "What will cure them?" This question or part of it has been asked either by letter, phone or in person of the writer at least thirty times in the last thirty days.

It is first necessary to know what caused the condition. When that is remedied then doctoring is made easy.

We have found that poor housing, with drafts, filth and in a few cases practically no tops on houses furnished sleeping quarters for these birds. Then in some cases crowded houses. In one case we found each hen had about 1 1/2 square foot, or two hens to the square foot roosts.

One fellow had tried all kinds of "dope" in water and greased with all kinds of bought and home-made mixtures and they were no better.

When a poultryman will fix a roomy house (2 square feet per bird) and put a good cover over it and three good walls to it, and a duck curtain on fourth side for windy wet weather or severe cold weather, and keep it

clean and free from insects, then feed the hens a good egg laying mash every day in the year, and keep some kind of green feed growing as much as is at all possible these troubles will vanish to a great extent.

We find fellows still buying egg powder to make hens lay, and medicine to start them laying. The egg laying contests conducted at the various agricultural colleges get record productions, yet they never use egg powder or medicine. Treat the hen as a machine into which you feed the burdles of wheat or milo heads, the straw and chaff is separated from the kernels, eggs are the result of feed being converted into human food by a delicate machine. So put the right feed into them and house properly.

These are dead chickens all along the roads dumped here and there and fell off the roost." Call your old hens and keep young & off. Hens that do not lay and eat a heavy grain ration all the time will get fat and may fall off the roost dead.

Maybe scrub stock got the name because they kept the bank account so clean.

A variety of feeds is desirable since variety increases palatability.

Did you study those good animals you saw at Fairs this year?

Scrub bulls are becoming a thing of the past. The ranchmen are realizing it pays to use purebreds. Now the cotton farmers are waking up to the fact if they keep milk and butter they had better breed to real purebred bulls. Bull circles makes this possible.

Knox county has 1542 farms, only 700 of them have dairy cows, 712 swine, 1189 poultry. Substract what we have from the total farms and see if we have room for expansion. Yes! and only 3 farms have sheep.

Use knife freely with the pigs and jersey calves, and early and use better breeding stuff and older.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dick Dresser, of Baylor County, Texas, Candidate for the office of District Attorney, 50th Judicial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

5 PER CENT	5 PER CENT
FEDERAL LAND BANK LOANS	
New rate on all loans closed after August 1, 1926. This is a net saving of \$10 per \$1,000 over any loan offered by any other lending agency in Texas.	
Federal Land Bank Capital Stock \$6,000,000	
Loans \$137,000,000	
The Rule National Farm Loan Association	
W. H. McCandless, Secretary-Treasurer	
\$70,000	\$1,000,000



Bride-Elect Honored At Birthday Party.

Announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Mable Clements to Joe Lanham Bevers of Dallas and honoring Miss Clements' birthday anniversary, Mrs. Warren Lay gave an afternoon party and shower Wednesday afternoon at her home, 4806 Morningside Drive. The wedding will take place in Dallas on Monday, December 26. Master Warren Hoffmeister, dressed as Santa Claus, tossed snowballs to the honoree, which proved to be the shower gifts. The Christmas motif was carried out in the living-room decorations, while the dining table was laid with an imported lace cloth, centered with a large white birthday cake surrounded with pink sweet peas, ferns and tall pink tapers in silver holders. Large baskets of pink and white chrysanthemums completed the decorations. Refreshments were served to forty guests.

The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. H. C. Clements, Mrs. Hoffmeister and Mrs. Raith Shelton.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Clements, 3654 Granada street. The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bevers of Munday, Texas.

The above social item taken from the Dallas Morning News of recent date is of interest to local people by reason of the fact that the bridegroom-to-be is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bevers of this city, and was reared in this community, but for the past several years has made his home in Dallas.

Mary Ruth Weeks Celebrates Birthday.

Celebrating her twelfth birthday, Mary Ruth Weeks little Miss Mary Ruth Weeks entertained a group of friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weeks, Saturday afternoon, December 10th. Games were played and refreshments served to, Opal Russell, Barbara Eiland, Pauline Gray, Mildred Gray, Edith Neff,

Moragiu Spann, Rhonda White, Mourine Bevers, Agnes Grisom, Mildred Grissom, Roween Russell, Virginia Reed, Katie Beth Bowden, Mildred Moore, Opal Bronon, Allene Bevers, Irene Newsome and Lillian Henderson.

All reported an enjoyable time.

MUNDAY CLUB

Yes, we have organized our 4-H club, consisting of the first and second year girls. On last Thursday we met our home demonstration agent at our club house. Miss Nelson gave a very interesting demonstration to the first year girls as to explain how to make their hotpan-holders. After which talked to the second year girls, telling them about how to finish their patches and what to bring to make their sewing bag.

The secretary found out that all the girls present were going to take gardening instead of poultry. The members present were as follows:

Dorothy Matlock—pres.
Ethel Isbell—sec'y.
Ida McMahon—yell leader.
Lillie Mae Worthington—reporter.

Marie Spelce, Pauline Mulligan, Irene Martin and Irene Jungman, and Miss Nelson our leader.

We are working very hard to get our work in when Miss Nelson calls for it.

Miss Mary Langford Hostess at Lovely Party

Miss Mary Langford complimented the members of the bridge club and a number of guests with a lovely party at her home on Friday evening.

The living room was attractively decorated with Christmas suggestions, which were also carried out in the bridge table appointments.

High score was won by Mrs. Thomas Bengo, low score by Mrs. Earl Owens.

A delicious plate was served to the following members and guests: Misses Frances Atkeison, Faye Briggs, Thelma Atkeison, Opal Maples, Gladys Johnson, Mrs. Joe Davis, Fred Grider, Earl Owens, Olga Ter-

ry Walters, guests were Mrs. Fred Broach, Thomas Bengo, Henry Atkeison, Erma Mae Lee, Miss Madge Pendleton, and the hostess.

Miss Kathleen Mabry and Mrs. Erma Mae Lee will entertain the club at Mrs. Lee's home on Thursday evening, December 15th, at 7:30 o'clock.

Vera Home Demonstration Club Met With Mrs. Ford.

The Vera Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Ford December 6 with our new president, Mrs. J. J. Collins, in the chair.

We were very much disappointed when our demonstration agent, Miss Nelson, could not be here. We had our last Christmas program for the year 1927. We had ten members and two visitors present.

Roll call was answered by mentioning an inexpensive home-made Christmas gift. The club discussed ways of making money.

After opening Christmas baskets and receiving present, the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. J. J. Collins the first Tuesday in January, 1928.

—Reporter.

CUNNINGHAM-MATTHEWS

Mr. Roy Matthews and Miss Virgie Cunningham were united in marriage on Saturday evening at the Baptist parsonage in this city, the Rev. P. D. O'Brien officiating. These are popular young people of Goree, and we join their many friends in wishing for them a long and happy married life.

R. C. Dobbs returned last week from Dickens City, where he was called by the death of his brother, Geo. L. Dobbs, who died on Monday of last week after a prolonged illness. Deceased was 67 years of age and had been a resident of Dickens county for twenty-three years. He is survived by his wife and several children. We extend our sincere sympathy to Mr. Dobbs and other members of the family in their great sorrow.

Mrs. Kate Rayburn left on Thursday morning for Maricopa, California, where she goes to make her home in the future, and she carries with her the best wishes of a large host of friends in Munday.

The Rev. P. D. O'Brien is attending a meeting of the State Baptist executive board at Dallas this week.

Very Much In The Race



New and exclusive photo of Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover, who appears to be gaining in popular republican favor for the G.O.P. Presidential nomination which President Coolidge does not choose to accept.

Irwan West will leave this week for Denton, Texas, where he will make his home in the future, he having sold his garage business here recently to Sam Donnell. During the three years that he has been here Irwan has made a host of friends, who will deeply regret his leaving Munday, and who will wish for him the best of good fortune.

HOOD COMMUNITY

We are requested to announce that there will be a box supper at Thorp school house on Friday night, December 16th, given under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

FOR SALE—Nice home of 5 rooms and bath in north-west part of town at a reasonable price. See J. Walter Moore, at Thorp. 37c-4t

We are deeply indebted to Mr. T. A. Bolt for a nice quantity of good old-fashioned pork sausage and since then the Kennedy sent with his compliments, and since when the Kennedy kids have been getting their ears greasy at mealtime. About the time an editor of a country newspaper feels like the cards are all stacked against him and begins to wonder if he couldn't do better grubbing mesquite stumps, in drops some good friend with something good—and he is immediately made to feel that he wouldn't trade places with Henry Ford, with one of his cars thrown in.

The new Methodist pastor of Munday circuit, Rev. A. G. Hulme, will preach at the Hood church next Sunday, November 18th, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. You are welcome to come and worship with us.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Porter of Shawnee, Oklahoma, were guests first of the week of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davy, and Mrs. Davy and children accompanied them to Floydada, where they will visit their parents. Mrs. Porter is a sister to Mrs. Davy.

We're giving the kiddies their say this week. Their little letters are published in this issue, and we believe you will find that they are worth reading, but if you don't think so, just remember they weren't published for your benefit, for they were published for Santa Claus, who is a regular reader of The Munday Times.

STRAYED—Span of mules, one black horse mule, weight about 1200, with small bunch of hair sticking upon hips, mare mule same except for hair on hip. Notify Ed Shavor, Knox City, Mo.

WANTED—Share crop or work by the day. Can handle 160 acres.—S. C. Wallace, Knox City, Mo. 37U2p

SPECIAL NOTICE

Munday, Texas, Dec. 17, 1927. —All who have Mattress Work to be done, please RUSH your orders in, as I may leave any day.—E. J. McCullough, Phone 183.

Christmas Goodies

The most complete line of Christmas Candies, Fruits, Nuts, Christmas Trees, etc. in Munday. Call and get yours and see our Grocery Prices in window.

Tune in on our radio program over WRR, Dallas, or WJAD, Waco, on December 17th, 8:00 to 10:00 p. m.; December 24th, 12:00 noon to 4:00 p. m. and January 1st, 8:00 to 10:00 p. m.

Atkeison's "M" System

SHOPPING SUGGESTIONS

Lovely Gifts at Moderate Prices



If you would know the thrill of finding suitable gifts for everyone—of completing your Christmas shopping with a minimum effort—and, last, but not least—of obtaining decidedly good values, make Campbell Mercantile Company your headquarters.

Our Christmas suggestions are unusual and lovely—they have been gathered from the four corners of the globe. Every nook and cranny of our shop is replete with them—amusing—quaint—simple—elaborate—practical—or extravagant! But always with an air of distinction—and in greater assortment than ever before.

Fine HANDKERCHIEFS

Handkerchiefs—the universally appropriate gift. Hundreds of crisp, new ones! Fine in texture and superior in design. Some are white—some are hand-drawn, embroidered and hand initialed or lace trimmed. Beautifully boxed in sets of three, six and twelve.



Practical Gifts for Men

Give him something he can wear. Campbell Mercantile's Store is filled with practical things—neckties, bath robes, pajamas, fancy vests, gloves, belts, socks, mufflers, suspenders, shirts—from our fine Christmas stock you will find is easy to make a selection that will be certain to please him.

We have the best gift merchandise this year that we have ever offered, and our prices are an inducement to thrifty shoppers, handsome quality gifts, things he can wear. Here you can find good-looking gifts that are practical and useful. Things he would buy himself. Things he needs.

LET US HELP YOU PLEASE HIM!

Acceptable Small Gifts of Thoughtfulness

Silk stockings—fine clear weave. Sheer, medium and heavy weight, reinforced at points of hard wear. Full-fashioned, of course. Durable, long-wearing quality. A gift of practicality, and loveliness. An exquisitely sheer chiffon hose—silk from top to toe. In

lovely colors to match any costume. Dainty, charming lingerie. Silk, voile, batiste and crepe. Elaborately lace trimmed or plainly tailored. Nightgowns, pajamas, chemises, step-ins, panties, bloomers, costume slips, vests and brassiers.



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How to Play BRIDGE

Series 1927-28 by Wynne Ferguson
Author of "PRACTICAL AUCTION BRIDGE"

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ARTICLE No. 4

Are you getting the most out of your bridge? Are you making costly mistakes in bidding or play? That is a question that every auction bridge player should ask himself, and one to which he should try to give a conscientious answer. There are undoubtedly some players who either hold good cards or bad cards consistently, but the great majority of players hold average cards. For this reason, if you lose consistently, the chances are that your game needs improving. The cards break even in the long run, therefore your losses must be due to bad handling of good material. This point is well illustrated by the following hands:

Hand No. 1

Hearts—O, J
Clubs—9, 7, 3
Diamonds—A, Q, 8, 7, 4
Spades—K, 4, 2

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and passed. A and Y passed and B bid one heart. If Z passed, what should A bid? A should undoubtedly bid two diamonds. The fact that his partner has made a fourth hand bid shows a very strong hand, but as A has only two hearts, there may not be a game in hearts. On the other hand, diamonds may be the only suit that B lacks, and a bid of that suit by A may enable B to bid two no-trump and go game. As a matter of fact, A-B can make either three hearts or three no-trump, so a diamond bid by A would be a big winner. Be on the lookout for such hands and don't pass your partner's bid of a suit if you have two or less, and a fairly good suit of your own. Bid your own suit and tell him what kind of hand you have. It is then up to him to decide what to do.

Hand No. 2

Hearts—10, 7, 2
Clubs—10, 8, 7, 5
Diamonds—J, 8, 4, 3
Spades—A, 6

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid two hearts. A bid two clubs and Y bid two hearts. Should B bid three clubs or pass? B should pass. His hand is not strong enough to help his partner unless the latter is strong enough to make

if B should bid three clubs, he would give his partner a wrong picture of his hand and thus lead to trouble later on. Be careful not to make unsound runs.

Hand No. 3

Hearts—J, 8, 7, 4
Clubs—A, 10, 7
Diamonds—7, 5
Spades—2, 6, 5, 2

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and passed. A bid one spade, Y doubled, and B passed. Z correctly bid two hearts. A bid two spades and Y and B passed. What should Z now do, bid three hearts or pass? Z should pass by all means. His hand is far too weak for a rebid, even if his partner should help. Z certainly should pass. Don't let yourself be tempted to overbid unless you have some chance for your own suit. You can't perform miracles with poor cards, and the sooner you realize this fact the sooner you will enter the list of winning players. When you get good cards, try to win as much as possible with them, but when you get poor cards, try to lose as little as possible. That is the secret of the successful player.

Problem No. 6

Hearts—A, K, Q, J
Clubs—A, 8
Diamonds—9, 2
Spades—10, 9, 8, 7, 5

Hearts—4
Clubs—J, 7, 6, 2
Diamonds—O, J, 5, 4, 3
Spades—A, Q, J

No score, first game. Z dealt and passed. A passed, Y bid one heart and B passed. Z now bid one no-trump, all passed and A opened the tray of hearts. How should Z play the hand so that he can see game against any defense? Solution on next page.

To-Night By The Fireside ---Give A Thought

Tonight, while you sit at your ease after a hearty dinner; comfortable in the warmth of a cozy home; indolently making up gift lists—

Somewhere, in a squalid, hovel, a poverty-stricken family huddles about the dying embers of a feeble fire. On a canvas cot in a dim corner lies the wasted figure of a man; racked by a cough which threatens to snap the thread which miraculously holds him to this world.

Three emaciated tots—the eldest barely five—sit close together in the center of the room, teeth chattering from the bitter cold; the whimpering of the tiniest rising above the rasping breathing of their father.

In the flickering light cast by the embers, they sit; gnawed by the insatiable hunger born of subsistence on bread crusts and weak tea; waiting for mother to return.

Mother, whose back is bent, whose hands are calloused from drudgery. Sometimes, as she works the polished floors, remind her of other floors that were her pride; it seemed years ago when she first came to this town.

Can exercise his building talents through a set with which he can build a miniature skyscraper—elevators and all! The little fellow who loved to tinker with the doorbells has a chance to harness electricity in the steel structures that can be made from another set; running the elevators, lifting and carrying loads.

The simple scooter has given way to motor-driven top cycles; the latest is a 4-h.p. motorcycle with a side car, in which the young gallant drives his sweetheart to and from school!

Change in Doll-land
And the dolls! Ten years ago, only the very wealthiest families boasted "mama" dolls; for the most part, little girls were content with stuffed dolls, or pair machine dolls with eyes that closed when the dolls were placed in a horizontal position—sometimes.

Today, dolls must be dressed in the height of Toyland fashion; the heads must be unbreakable; the wigs must be made of real hair; and they must walk—talk—cry when spanked—and sleep.

Yes, Santa would be a very astonished person if he woke up from a ten-year slumber, and read over the Christmas lists of today's younger generations!

ago, when Allen was considered by many, the coming young lawyer of the town. And Allen had led his beautiful bride to the little red-and-white cottage that was to be their home. The eager light in her eyes was reflected in Allen's as, together, they planned for the future.

One case—and there are so many thousands more, unknown! The citizens of this town have always responded willingly to the pleas of organized charity. Despite all that they do, they cannot remove poverty; they can but relieve it. Let us make a more determined effort to seek out the worthy cases, each of us, this year; so that even the inevitable few who in pride or by other factors, are prevented from appealing to charity, will have cause to rejoice.

Long years ago old Santa came with reindeer, in a sleigh. Slid down the chimney, left some toys. And then he drove away. In later years he rode a wheel and came in through the door. 'Twas out of date for him to use The chimney any more. A motorcycle next he brought—How his fat sides did shake! He had behind him firmly tied, His pack—all he could take.

And after that his auto car Stopped way out by the gate. He told his chauffeur he'd be back Before so very late.

This year I'm sure we shall not hear Him chugging down the lane. He'll swoop down on us from above! He'll come by airplane!

And after that? Oh, goodness knows Just how he'll come! I know Perhaps some time he'll send his gifts To us by radio.

—Kansas Farmer.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that

the annual meeting of the share holders of the First National Bank, Munday Texas, will be held in the directors room of said bank in Munday, Tuesday, January 10, 1928, at 1:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business proper to

come before said meeting.
C. A. EILAND, Pres.

BLEEDING GUMS HEALED

The sight of sore gums is sickening. Reliable dentists often report the successful use of Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy on their very worst cases. If you

will get a bottle and use as directed, druggists will return money if it fails.—Loveless Drug Co. No. 1

FOR SALE PIANO—In vicinity, over half paid out. May be had by assuming balance due. Write Wichita Music Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. 343c

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DODGE BROTHERS ADD NEW EQUIPMENT AT NO INCREASE IN PRICE

Four-wheel brakes of the latest and most efficient Steeldraulic type now insure deceleration equal to the amazing acceleration of America's Fastest Four!

Swift, time-saving travel is now made still safer by increased braking efficiency.

Step on the brake pedal and feel the positive, cushioned braking, absolutely uniform on all four wheels.

At \$875 for the Sedan, f. o. b. Detroit, this famous Four with complete factory equipment, represents the smartest, swiftest, sturdiest, low-cost transportation money can buy.

The car is roomy—yet compact.

Turns in a 38-foot street—parks in 17½ feet of curb space—yet provides ample room and exceptional comfort for five adults.

Spring length 85% of wheelbase—the longest in its price class.

Mile-a-minute performance!

25 miles to the gallon at 25 miles per hour!

A brilliant performer by every standard—a sturdy car from end to end.

A Four of striking beauty—smartly finished—tastefully appointed—luxuriously upholstered—long, low and gracefully designed.

A car you can drive for years because in every detail it is built the good Dodge way—carefully and accurately—of materials that pass Dodge Brothers high and critical standards.

Six months in public service, this Four has already won as proud a name for itself as any product ever built by Dodge Brothers.

After stern trial, it has been accepted as a value—a genuine and trustworthy value. And now with four-wheel brakes at no extra cost, you can buy it knowing that money has no greater buying power in the field of transportation.

GEORGE ISBELL, Munday, Texas

DODGE BROTHERS, INC.

Even Toyland Grows Up

If Santa Claus had fallen asleep ten years ago, and awoke today, he would be very much amazed at the strides that Toyland has taken.

Gone are the simple toy trains—the horse and wagon sets—the stuffed dolls that so delighted children a decade ago. In their stead, he would find contraptions which are miracles of creative genius.

In place of the tiny locomotive and two miniature cars which depended upon a hand-wound spring to jerk them around the wobbly set of tracks, are sixteen-car string which

thread their way in and out of tunnels, slowing down at crossings, stopping at automatic signal lights—and all this by electricity.

Modern Equipment
The horse and wagon are replaced by automobile dump carts which are exact duplicates of the huge trucks that rumble down the roads today. Cranes, derricks, excavators—these work with the precision of the 20-ton originals.

The set of wooden blocks that clattered to the floor has given way to building sets. Today, the imaginative youngster

JEWELRY
Brings the Yuletique Smile

There are few things in life more highly desired at Christmas time than quality Jewelry. And here's a Store that features nothing but the highest standard of merchandise, marked so reasonably low that every gift seeker will respond to this announcement.

Eiland's Drug Store
"If It's From Eiland's It's Right"

TOY TOWN
Now Open at

THE LEADER

Toyland is now open for inspection with the greatest assortment and variety of pretty toys that we have ever shown. Hundreds of toys and many practical and useful items are to be found that will gladden the hearts of the little ones on Christmas morning. Our stock is entirely too large for us to attempt to even offer suggestions, and for you to have any conception of our immense stock a visit to our store will be necessary.

And with Christmas only a few days off let us urge that you do your

Christmas shopping at once. Don't wait until the stocks have been picked over, just come in and make your selections now while you can get just the things you want. We will store them away for you if you wish, but don't wait and be disappointed.

Our line includes everything for Christmas giving for the old as well as the young, and a visit of inspection now, while our stock is complete, will solve the gift problem for you—if you shop early.

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VALUE OF A BAND

(By Marcy B. Darnall)

It is safe to say that no institution of a civic nature gives greater returns for the money and effort expended upon it than does a good town band. The benefits derived through the maintenance of a band touch the entire cultural, social and commercial life of its community.

Members of the organization themselves are enabled to develop their musical talents in pleasant association with their fellows, while the discipline necessary to their successful advancement is most desirable, particularly for boys and young men.

After the band is capable of playing in public its presence adds immeasurably to parades, ceremonies and celebrations of every kind, while its regular concerts are a source of enjoyment for the entire citizenship.

Purely as a business proposition a good band is of the greatest value in advertising its town. In some localities it is the custom for merchants associations to take the band occasionally on good-will trips to various rural communities in their trade territory. Such excursions invariably result in closer relations and consequently in increased trade.

It does not take a large town to maintain a good band. In fact, some of the best amateur bands are found in towns of less than 1,000 population. With earnest and willing members, a good instructor and reasonable support from the citizens a good band may be developed anywhere.

And a town that does not possess a band is overlooking one of the most valuable agencies which it might employ for its social and commercial advancement.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

To one of humane tendencies it is distressing to witness the utter disregard of animal suffering which is shown by thoughtless or vicious persons.

Acts of unnecessary cruelty to dumb animals are an indication of either a lack of education or a serious moral defect on the part of those who practice them. Children should be taught very early to treat animals with kindness. Without such teaching a child is very likely to develop cruel tendencies, particularly when the example of unfeeling indifference is set by older persons.

As a prominent educator recently said, any system of education which neglects training in the humane treatment of animals is failing in its duty.

We have noticed another thing: Any person who is cruel to animals will bear watching in all his other relations of life.

HONOR NEGRO FIGHTER

Perhaps the most remarkable funeral ever witnessed in the South was that of Theodore "Tiger" Flowers, former middle-weight champion of the world, recently held in Atlanta.

This dead negro pugilist was given honors equal to those accorded many distinguished soldiers and statesmen. It was not so much his prowess as a pugilist that was recognized in his funeral, although his prominence in the roped arena had brought his other admirable qualities to public notice.

Flowers was recognized among his fellow citizens, both white and black, as a man of sterling character, a deacon in his church and a doer of good works in every relation of life. His funeral was held from the city auditorium, which was packed to overflowing with a throng of which the most prominent white citizens of Atlanta were a part. A eulogy on his life and character was delivered by the sports editor of the Atlanta Journal. The procession which followed his body to the cemetery was more than a mile long. The Atlanta Constitution in a long editorial on the "Tiger" said in part:

"No greater and more impressive obsequies for a colored citizen have ever been witnessed in the South. The unusual testimonial was to the character of the man, which was unique of the man, which was unique in the annals of his avocation. He maintained before a sinister world the character of a clean, honest and high-minded man. Because of his moral and manly character the city's auditorium, rich with memories of honors paid to presidents of the republic and celebrities of this and other nations, was made the scene of his funeral honors—a civic act which must inspire the leaders of his race to follow in his steps the paths that lead away from prejudice into highway of racial harmonies and peace."

The lesson of all this is that the best people of the South are not only willing but eager to pay tribute to worthy negro citizens, either in life or death.

TELEPHONE FAKIR TRIES FAST ONE AND FAILS

Snyder merchants report much annoyance from salesmen of various sorts of advertising, or so-called advertising. A garage owner stated yesterday that from two or three a day visited his place of business, and all manner of sales tactics were used to put over the business.

The Times-Signal carried a warning in last week's paper concerning a recent stunt staged here by a telephone salesman. Then an in question visited Editor Norman of the Hermleigh Herald and represented himself as an agent for the Snyder Merchants Association, who wanted to put a supplement in his paper. Thinking in a spirit that he wanted to co-operate, Editor Norman told the man to go ahead and he would help.

This salesman came back to Snyder, saw County Judge Holley and told him he was representing the Hermleigh Herald and that he wanted to use an office in the Court House to do his telephoning. Judge Holley wanted to help all he could and gave the man a key to County Agent Wills' office. The "man" got on the phone and called every representative business house in Snyder, saying that he was editor of the Hermleigh Herald and asking for a \$10 ad to help in getting out a booster edition.

Mayor H. G. Towle first smelt a mouse, came to the Times-

Signal office following which visit the Hermleigh Herald was asked its vision of the whole matter. Editor Norman came right down and the whole scheme of the visitor exposed.

Snyder has been the victim of these fake advertising schemes before, and more will come since prosperity and a fine crop have visited Scurry County. But these words are only sounded as a warning to our merchants that they may not be the willing victims of rank schemes of this nature.

The only safe and sure way to handle such a menace is to turn down all that do not have a bona fide advertising proposition that has been OK'd in writing by some officers of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce. President Pat Bullock should appoint a vigilance committee for this organization to approve or disapprove every scheme coming into Snyder. If it is bona fide, the representative should be given a written order that his project meets with the approval of the Chamber of Commerce; if his proposition is all bunk, he should be thrown out of town with a chain around his neck.—The Scurry County Times.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

(The New Building)
 Bible exultation and communion services 10:30 to 12:00 each Sunday.
 Preaching each Sunday night.

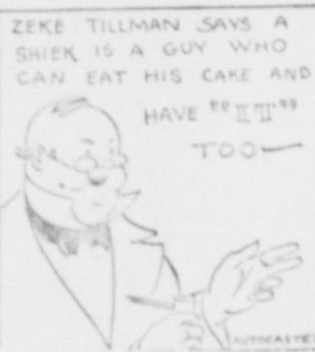
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the First State Bank, Munday, Texas, will be held in the directors room of said bank in Munday, Texas, Tuesday, January 10, 1928, 1:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business proper to come before said meeting.
 E. DUVAL, Pres.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by J. E. L. Harrison.
 Young People's Program 7 p. m.
 Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
 Bible Study Friday 7:30 p. m. conducted by H. V. Standley.

The Judge's Joke

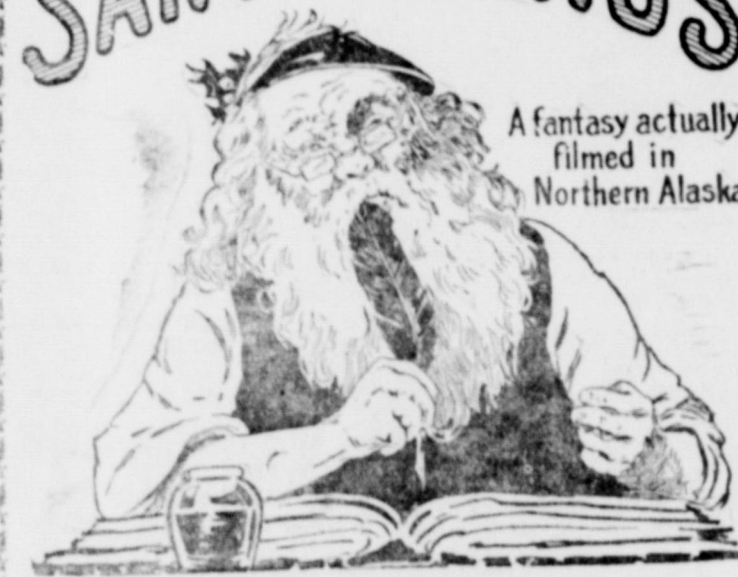


Dr. W. P. Farrington

Physician and Surgeon
 Special attention to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
 Phone 1
 Office 26—Residence 24
 Office:
 Rooms 1, 2 and 3
 Pendleton-Eiland Building

CAPT. F. E. KLEINSCHMIDT

SANTA CLAUS



A fantasy actually filmed in Northern Alaska

Bring the Children to see

"SANTA CLAUS"

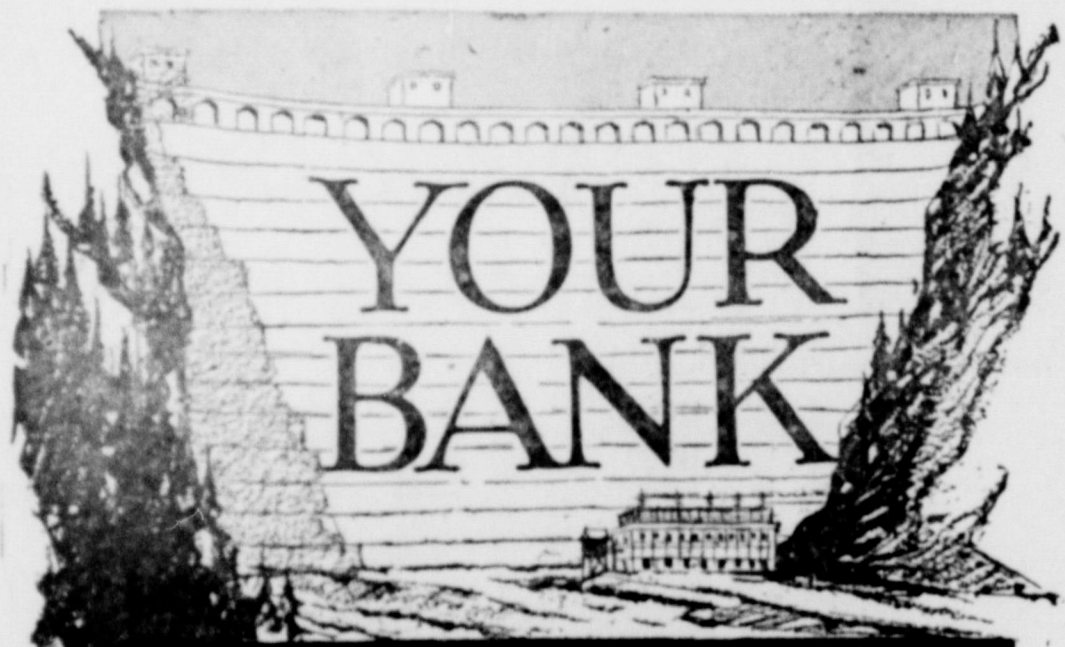
Monday and Tuesday, December 19 and 20th
PEOPLES THEATRE

Dr. Ammons
 DENTAL SURGERY and X-RAY DIAGNOSIS
 Located in NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
 Munday, Texas
 PHONES
 Office 155 Res. 214

Mother!
 Clean Child's Bowels
 "California Fig Syrup" is Dependable Laxative for Sick Children



Hurry Mother! Even a frail, nervous, bilious or constipated child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to sweeten the stomach and open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. It doesn't mess up or overact. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs.
 Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must buy "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.



AS THE dam conserves and creates waer power so does this Bank conserve and create wealth. You, too, can make this Bank a conservator of your money through an Account with us. Then watch your resources grow through regular deposits. We help you conserve your cash with helpful suggestions.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
 Munday, Texas



Pangburn Candy Is the Welcome Gift!

CANDY with Pangburn freshness and tastiness makes an irresistible appeal to young or old. And the variety! Caramels, nougats, cherry centers, bon-bons, nuts and fruit centers, etc.—put up into palate-pleasing assortments in special holiday boxes. Give Pangburns Candy—it will reflect your good taste.

Eiland's Drug Store

"If It's From Eiland's It's Right"



Gifts
 From Everywhere

Why not give something Different this Christmas?

You will find a large assortment of Beautiful and unusual Gifts here. Visit our store and see how reasonable they are priced.

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| Mirrors | Waste Baskets |
| Framed Pictures | Outdoor Lamps |
| Ivory Plaque's | Bed Lights |
| Book Ends | Bridge Lamps |
| Mottos | Ash Trays |
| Incense Burners | Smoking Sets |
| Vases | Candles |
| Rose Bowls | Candle Holders |
| Fireplace Vases | Bridge Set |
| Nilok Pottery | Address Books |
| Sewing Cabinets | Table Numbers |
| Magazine Racks | Candy Jars |

BOXED CHRISTMAS CARDS

12 Cards for	35c
15 cards for	65c
25 cards for	\$1.25

SEE OUR JEWELRY AD

Kethley's Gift Shop
 NEXT DOOR TO CAMPBELL MERCANTILE CO

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In Those Days When Knights Came Bearing Gifts

This all happened many, many ages ago; before the era of Fords and traffic cops. When women were as old as they felt, and men were as old as women wanted them to feel.

Now, in every well-regulated paleolithic community, there was always a huge ferocious male who headed the tribe; he was known as the Old Man. And, amid his many wives, he always had a favorite who had been the daughter of a rival chieftain. And she always brought a daughter whose beauty and grace were the talk of the land. All this had to be, otherwise there would be no story.

Now, the Old Man's name was Mumbo the Terrible. And his favorite wife, in his intimate moments, he called, "Hey, You!" And the daughter was known to all and sundry as Pyorrhea because 4 out of 5 wanted her.

As in All Best-Sellers Phorrhea's hand—both of them, in fact—were sought after by several suitors. In the order of their appearance, there was Jumbo the Cockeyed. He could never tell which of them Jumbo was looking at. So she was one of Pyorrhea's numerous step-brothers; but in those days they weren't so strict; and anyway, in actual relations, Pyo and Jumbo were about forty-three steps removed. Pyo rather liked Jumbo, but could never learn to trust him; with another woman present, Pyo told Jumbo she could never be more than a sister to him. Then came Rumbo the Tin-Eared. He kept a gymnasium where he reduced the figures and bank-rolls of all the very rich business men who read Lionel Strongfort's ads and believed them. In the old days, Rumbo used to be a pork-and-beaner; never got beyond the preliminaries, until he fought Squeegy the Squasher; that time, he almost got to the gates of the netherworld heaven. At first, Pyo was quite flustered by the attentions of Rumbo; his manner of wooing, as demonstrated by the ardent way in which he caressed her bean with a war club, almost swept her off her feet.

Came Christmas, as the movies say, and Pyo was beset by the biggest problem in her life. Mumbo the Terrible had

issued a decree that whosoever should bestow upon his daughter the most unusual gift in the world—that man should sit at Mumbo's right hand during the Christmas feast; and that man should have Pyorrhea.

Oh, how the gallant swains flocked to the contest! From far-off Diphtheria to still farther Inertia; from uncharted realms and from Mumbo's own village—each tribe sent a hopeful suitor. Such clashing of cymbals, such show of wealth! Such glitter of jewels, such sheen of tiger-skins!

After declaring the rules of the contest, he motioned the timekeeper to sound the gong, and left the ring. Immediately started the procession of gift-bearing suitors. As they came before Pyo, one by one, they held forth their gifts. Each extolling the virtues of his token, reciting the travails he had undergone to secure it. To each, Pyo listened; to each, she said, "No." As a reward for losing their heads—for such was the penalty incurred by the losers—each was permitted to kiss her

hand. (Author's note: After decapitation, the bodies were stripped of their robes and jewels, which Mumbo kept. Tex had overlooked this item in drawing up the contract with Mumbo; something that his descendant would have spotted immediately.)

The Sun Hung Low—in the heavens already, and Pyo was growing tired of saying, "No." And her hand hurt from the scrapings of so many whiskers upon it. And still no gift appealed to her.

And then, lo and behold! Footsteps were heard to clatter along the road; and a breathless rider threw himself from the back of his spent jassack, before Pyo. He prostrated him-

self before her, and when he raised his face to meet her glance, a thrill such as she had never known passed through Pyo's body.

So softly that even the referee had difficulty in hearing her, Pyo whispered, "Yes!" The stands shook with the acclaim of the multitude. The dinosaur and the minosaur raised their heads in startled wonderment and then fled into thickets of the jungles.

Terrible was the wrath of Mumbo to behold, as he rose in his might and demanded, "Pyo, didst see the gift?"

"Of course, Dad!" she answered. "Where, then, is it?"

"In Rudolf's languid glance, Dad."

"I call the gods to witness

that I have a crazy loon for a daughter! What manner of gift couldst thou have seen in this man's eyes?"

"It's really hard to explain to somebody else. But the second I looked into his eyes I realized while they last. E. M. Bowman, Goree, Rt. 2, Box 43. 31-8tp

likened to the billing of doves. FOR SALE—A few span of good home-raised mulcs, 4



Here's A TIP Direct From SANTA

—Have a Dodge parked at the front door on Christmas morning.

—What gift could give more to the family than a Dodge Brothers Car? Throughout the year and the years to come it would contribute toward the happiness and enjoyment of every member of the family, and such a gift would remain a family treasure long after the ordinary gift is gone and forgotten. Come in and let's talk it over. We can arrange convenient terms if you prefer.

—And if perchance you already have a Dodge, why not some accessories to add to the attractiveness and convenience of the car. A Full and Complete line of Dodge Brothers Car Accessories are here for your selection.

GEORGE ISBELL

MUNDAY, Dodge Brothers Dealer TEXAS

Give Jewelry Gifts that Last

GIFTS AS LASTING AS THE LOVE THAT PROMPTS THEIR PURCHASE

JEWELRY GIFTS BRIGHTEN THE LIVES OF THOSE WE LOVE

Look Over the Following Suggestions and you will find Just the Gift that will be appreciated:

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| Bar Pin | Vest Chains |
| Brooch | Bill Fold Sets |
| Diamonds | Military Brushes |
| Pearls | Fountain Pens |
| Rings | Desk Sets |
| Wrist Watches | Cigar Lighters |
| Dinner Rings | Chest of Silver |
| Bracelets | Well and Tree Sets |
| Beaded Bags | Silver Flower Bowls |
| Mesh Bags | Sandwich Trays |
| Tooled Leather Bags | Tea Sets |
| Toilet Sets | Sherberts |
| Vanity Case | Ice Tea Glasses |
| Strap Watches | Silver Salt and Peppers |
| Watch and Chain | Silver Candle Holders |
| Emblem Rings | Silver Pheasants |
| Initial Rings | Heat Proof Caseroles |
| Cuff Links | Console Sets |
| Scarf Pin | Salad Sets |
| Emblem Charms | |

See Our Gift Shop Ad

KETHLEY'S

JEWELRY STORE and GIFT SHOP
Next Door to Campbell Mercantile



There's Only One Gift to a Smoker!

GOOD CIGARS

RECALLING pleasant thoughts of you as the donor with each puff.

In Christmas Boxes

Eiland's Drug Store

A Host of Charming Gifts

Buy "His" Gift From a Man's Store!

Here's a store in which he places his faith and confidence—just because he knows the quality of the merchandise is right—he knows the styles are correct to the most minute detail—and he knows that the cost is absolutely in keeping with the quality.

We make a study of "his" wants at all times—not just at Christmas time—but throughout the year—and a gift from our new and approved stock will surely appeal to "him."

We suggest that you visit our store and see the many items that we have for Christmas Giving, and we are sure that we can offer some worthwhile suggestions in solving the problem of "what to give."



Spann & Huskinson

The NEW FORD Car Will Be Here DECEMBER 23rd and 24th

- Beautiful New Body Lines
- Choice of Four Colors
- 55 to 65 Miles Per Hour
- Remarkable Acceleration
- 40-Horse Power Engine
- Four -Wheel Brakes
- Standard, Selective Gear Shift
- Hydrolic Shock Absorbers
- 20 to 30 Miles Per Gallon Gasoline
- Theft-proof Coincidental Lock
- Typical FORD Economy and Reliability

Be Sure and SEE The NEW CAR at Our Showrooms Friday and Saturday, Dec. 23rd-24th

Land Motor Co

MUNDAY, Authorized Ford Dealers TEXAS



GIFTS FOR EVERYONE

Here you will find Gifts from far and near, that will win the lasting gratitude of the recipient. Come and shop with us—be in our midst—the Christmas spirit surely prevails in our store.

A few suggestions from our immense stock for Everyone you may wish to remember:

Loveless Drug Company

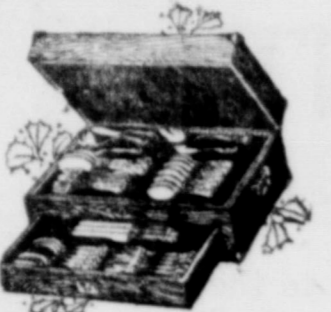
A Good Place to Trade

For The Home

An ATWATER KENT RADIO—so you may have the pleasure of an evenings entertainment in Radio Land these long winter nights, or, Brunswick Panotrope or Portable—a gift of the ages—for all ages.



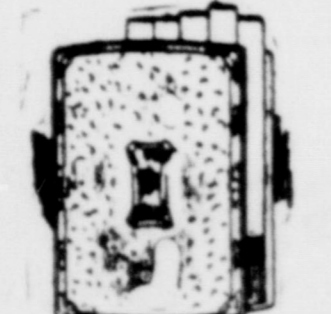
Cigars



Silverware



Toilet Sets



Cigarette holders

FOR MOTHER

- Bridge Sets
- Manicure Sets
- Perfume Spray
- Ivory Ware
- Stationery
- Perfume
- Hand Bag
- Radio Set

FOR SISTER

- Fountain Pen Sets
- Camera
- Memory Book
- Bath Salts
- Vanity Case
- Wrist Watch
- Perfume
- Ivory Sets
- Toilet Sets
- Candy
- Manicure Sets
- Bath Salts

FOR HER

- Toilet Sets
- Ivory Ware
- Perfume
- Hand Bags
- Vanity Cases
- Watches
- Diamonds
- Ivory Sets
- Candy
- Kodaks
- Manicure Sets
- Pen-Pencil Sets

FOR HIM

- Cigars
- Cigarettes
- Smoking Stands
- Military Sets
- Pipe Sets
- Books
- Cigarette Cases
- Fountain Pens
- Pencils
- Cuff Links
- Watches
- Traveling Sets

FOR FATHER

- Cigars
- Cigarettes
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- Ash Tray
- Cigarette Case
- Smoking Set
- Razors
- Watch
- Golf Balls
- Fountain Pens
- Humidor

FOR BROTHER

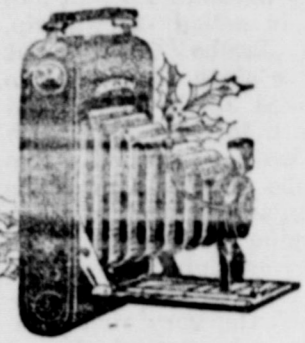
- Flash Lights
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- Desk Sets
- Pen-Pencil Sets
- Shaving Sets
- Military Brushes
- Golf Balls
- Knife
- Watch
- Cuff Links



Golf Things



Candies



Kodaks



Vanities

This Week

By Arthur Brisbane

ALAS, POOR BEARS.
FOR CHILDLESS MOTHERS.
THIS CHANGING WORLD.
HERE TO STAY.

Three hundred thousand dollars is bid for a New York Stock Exchange seat. The price moved up \$130,000 this year, only a beginning.

Stock Exchange seats go up with stock prices. The public is always a bull.

Poor Wall Street bears! Virgil Jordan, chief economist of the National Industrial Conference Board, tells the Railway Business Association:

"A great industrial boom is coming that will make 1925 and 1926 look like a depression."

"Business expansion in 1928 and later will strain our transportation facilities and credit resources to the limit, and put the powers of the Federal Reserve system to a real test."

The average citizen will say: "Amen, let the expansion expand."

This news, if confirmed, will lighten the hearts of many women. Dr. Magdon, of Manchester, a scientist of standing, says that by an operation in gland transplanting it has been made possible for childless women to bear children. Only those who know the intense sorrow of a woman, married and childless, can realize what this means.

The world accepts changes as they come. Not long ago crusaders in New York tried to prevent bicycle riding by women, called modest, luring ladies too far from the house. Now they go 1,000 miles in motors, or try to fly over the ocean.

Next, Aldermen decided that women must be forbidden to smoke in public restaurants. Now the big Pennsylvania Railroad puts

ladies' smoking cars on its first class trains from New York to Washington.

Nevertheless, women should not smoke until they are through with child bearing. Each child should have half a chance, and gets it no matter what his father may do when his mother doesn't smoke or drink strong liquor before he is born.

Hans Lagerstedt, who died at eighty-two with a beard seventeen feet long had claimed the world's longest beard championship. He did something better than anybody else, yet no one made a bearded path to his door in this earth.

However, when Gabriel calls at all, his beard, longer than anybody's, will probably attract attention and amaze the beardless angels.

Generally speaking, we are prosperous, those willing to work get along. But Mr. Hildegar Wywas did not find it so. She struggled for five years with four children, feeding, clothing, paying rent, washing, cooking and working as a "garment presser" for \$15 a week. She scrounged one expensive dress. That took a week's pay. Each month the rent took a week's pay.

Prosperous America was not prosperous enough for Mrs. Wywas. She broke the gas meter, opened all the jets, then knelt by the bed where her five-year-old son was sleeping, her three little girls asleep nearby.

All were dead, when found, with no more rent or food bills to pay. There is still room at the BIRTH CONTROL for those that would make conditions better.

Birth control and publishing information about it are approved by Britain's "National Council of Public Morals."

Theoretically women should have the right to decide how many children they will have.

But it is well that understanding of birth control has been postponed. It might have prevented the arrival of Napoleon and Carlyle, and surely would have prevented the arrival of Caruso, a nineteenth child.

Mrs. Peabody, head of the Women's Committee for Law Enforcement, says "ten million women are not only talking and praying, but working to retain prohibition, and see that it is enforced."

They need not work or pray to keep prohibition in the Constitution; nothing can get it out.

At for enforcement, there is room for much working and praying in that direction.

COMPTROLLER TERRELL DEMANDS \$1,101,894 IN TEXAS FROM SULPHUR CO.

Austin, Texas.—Litigation involving an amount rivaling the Waters-Pierce fine loomed as a probability this week when Comptroller Sam Houston Terrell demanded a showdown upon his contention that the Texas Gulf Sulphur company and the Freeport Sulphur company owe the State of Texas \$1,101,894.89 in past due gross production taxes. Of this amount \$889,767.96 is claimed from the Texas Gulf and \$512,126.93 from the Freeport Sulphur company.

Comptroller Terrell returned the most recent quarterly reports submitted by the Sulphur companies together with accompanying remittances and announced that unless the companies promptly pay their taxes, "the case will be turned over to the Attorney General's department and the full force of this (the Comptroller's) office will be placed at his disposal to support the claim."

The two companies involved in the dispute control three-fourths of the world's sulphur production. They are the only companies operating in Texas, or in the United States.

Since the gross production tax on sulphur became effective, on June 13, 1923, the sulphur companies have uniformly based their tax remittances on a valuation of \$10 per long ton for crude sulphur. Figures obtained by the Comptroller through the United States bureau of mines show that average actual market prices have ranged from \$15 to \$19 per ton. Thus, according to the Comptroller "the State has received, every quarter since the tax was imposed, thousands of dollars less than it should have received."

So far as can be judged from correspondence on file in the Comptroller's office, the defense of the companies is that they have regarded the gross production tax as a severance tax and have considered \$10 a ton a fair basis for such taxation. This defense was noticed by the Comptroller in a statement announcing the return of the sulphur companies' report and remittances. "There is no merit in the argument," he said. "The

law declares itself an occupation tax law, and similar laws have been held to be occupation tax laws by the courts."

The law provides for a tax equal to two per cent of the sulphur produced "at the average market value thereof." One-fourth of the tax goes to the school fund.

"There is no economic, and certainly no legal reason," said the Comptroller in his statement, "why these great corporations should not pay their just taxes. Patience has ceased to be a virtue in the dispute between the companies and this office, and they will not be permitted to deprive our school children of benefits rightfully theirs while exploiting the natural resources of this State."

WANT ADS.

WANTED to buy your fat cattle and hogs. See me before you sell.—Raymond Jones.

FURS Wanted—We want to buy your furs of all kinds and will pay you the highest market price for them.—Munday Produce Company.

SEE me before you buy a stalk-cutter.—E. H. Stodghill.

MULES—Have a number of young mules for sale, broke and unbroke, at my barn.—Dr. A. A. Smith. 35-4f

WANTED—Room and board for three. John McBea, care of Loveless Drug Company, phone 231.

WHEN in need of a monument see me. Can make delivery within ten days.—Mrs. A. U. Hathaway.

FOR SALE—South 1-2 of block k21 and south 1-2 of block 42 R. P. Munday addition. Price worth the money.—W. C. Glenn, Benjamin, Texas. 33-3tc

TRUCKING service, anywhere at any time. Job and contract hauling.—Houston Sweet, Phone 261. 27fc

Bunk or no bunk, we are going to give away \$125.00 in cash on December 27th.—Bell-Moore Chevrolet Company.

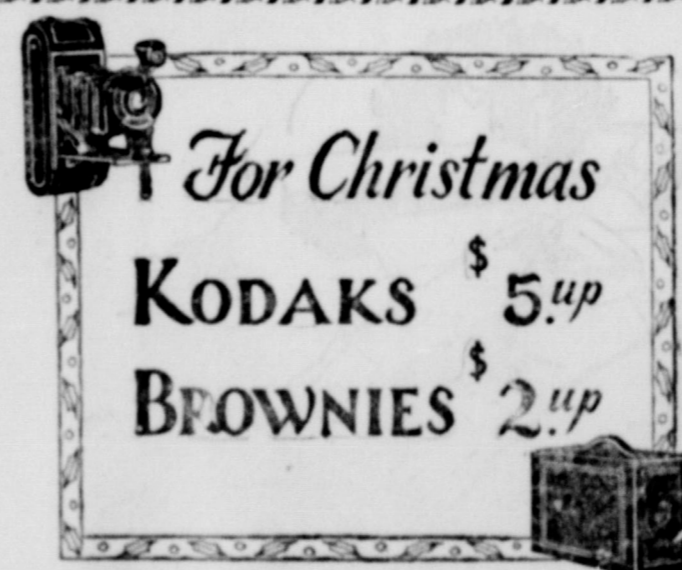
WANTED—Hear from owner Ranch for sale. State cash price, particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 35tc

LOST—Somewhere in or near

Munday a billfold containing picture, identification card, etc. Reward if returned to Times office. 2tp

SEE our circulars for particulars about our giving away \$125.00 in cash.—Bell-Moore Chevrolet Company.

HAVE some good Jersey milk cows for sale, pure bred, good as have been in state, from \$60 to \$80. Ask about my cows around Goree and Bomarton J. E. Brown, south of Bomarton.



Give the gift you'd like to get for Christmas—a CAMERA. The Eastman line is completely represented at this store. Make your selection here now.

"Kodakery" is offered free for a year with every Eastman camera.

EILAND'S DRUG STORE
"If It's From Eiland's It's Right"

TIRES For Christmas Giving

—Not a bad suggestion at that, and especially if you come here for your tires, for we have the largest stock in this section and our prices are so low that you will make a substantial saving.

White Filling Station
F. A. COXSEY, Prop.

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Letters to Santa--

Munday, Texas, Dec. 13, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
Are you very busy. I am not. I am a little girl and my name is Evelyn. I want a little doll and a table. Do you like me? I like you Santa Claus. I go to school. I am 8 years old. Do you love little girls and boys. Santa Claus I want you to please bring me a little doll buggy and a little stove, a little iron and an ironing board and a little cabinet and a set of dishes. That is all. Santa Claus, I wish you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.
Evelyn McCullough.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy 9 years old. I am writing to let you know what I want for Christmas. I want a little car, horn and a ball, some candy, oranges, apples, bananas, walnuts and pecans.
Yours truly,
J. B. King.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 6 years old. I am writing to let you know what I want for Christmas. I want a little car, horn and a ball, some candy, oranges, apples, bananas, walnuts and pecans for Christmas.
Yours truly,
Geneva King.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 12, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
There are some boys in town that want everything they can think of, but I only want a coster wagon and a football, some candy and nuts.
Please help all the little kids that need help as bad as I do. I only have one father and one mother.
Yours lovingly,
Billie Machen.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 7, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I live way down south from Munday, but I am away up here from my mama. I would like to have some things to play with. Would you please bring me some fire crackers, air gun and a little watch and candy, nuts, coconuts and chewing gum.
Your friend,
Porter Morris.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 13, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
We are two little lovely boys and we would be very glad you would bring us a tricycle coster wagon and two of the other fifteen cent watches at the Leader store, and an air gun, candy, lollipop, chewing gum, we would play with a little doll. We have been too good this year. We think you ought to bring us lots of pretties.
Your little friends,
Herbert Hoover
Jim Hughes

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl one year old and I live with my grand-mother and granddad. I am a mighty sweet little girl and want you to bring me a baby doll and a French harp and a tiny little kewpie.
I wish you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.
A kiss for Santa Claus.
Betty Joe Brittain.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a tricycle and a rubber ball and a balking mule and a pop gun.
Yours truly,
Billie Roy Hardaway.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 13, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl nine years old. I am trying to be good and help my mother all I can and hope you will not forget me. I want a cooking set and a baby doll and a bottle of perfume and a box of handkerchiefs.
Yours truly,
Myrtle Emma Britton.
P. S. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 13, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a doll. I want a house set. I want a wrist watch. I want years old.
Ophie Pruitt.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 7, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I have been too good all this year. I have minded my papa. I don't think he has given me but two spankings all the year, so please don't forget me. I want a pair of skates, a little knickerbocker, a little mule and felix the cat, and a little bye-lo-baby doll. Don't forget all the rest of the little children.
Your friend,
Bud Kitchens.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 12, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 4 years old. I have been real good all year. Please Santa, bring me a doll that looks like a real baby, a doll buggy too. Bring my little brother, Marvin, age 3, a teddy bear and wagon. Also bring us both candy, nuts and fruits.
With lots of love,
Gladys Pauline McAfee.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 13, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl. I want you to bring me a doll, a wrist watch and some oranges and apples and candy.
Audrey Kegley.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 13, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am 7 years old. I wish you would bring me a wrist watch, a set of dishes, a little bible, some fruit, nuts and candy.
Ellen Frances Mauldin.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 7, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good little boy and want you to bring me a few things. Bring me an air gun, little rocking horse, little car, Lollipops, candy, nuts and some wax.
Ira Kitchens

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good little boy all this year. I have pulled boles to receive more presents. I will tell you what I want. I want a little air gun and a little kicking mule and a little winding car, some lolly-pops, little wagon, some fire crackers, apples, candy, nuts and chewing gum.
O. B. Luman

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me for Christmas, a bye-lo-baby doll. A lunch basket with a thermos bottle and a story book, with a lot of good fairy tales in it, also a lot of nuts, fruits, candy and fire works. Now Dear Santa, don't forget the other little children, especially the little orphans.
Your little friend,
Drucilla Wren.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 8 years old and Santa, I want you to bring me a tricycle, tool chest and a little truck and train, also lots of candy, fruit and nuts.
J. R. Hill.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 9, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl seven years old. I go to school. I have been studying hard so you would come to see me. I want you to bring me a baby doll with a blanket around it, and a pair of scissors and a sewing basket, a pair of gloves, candy, fruit and nuts. Don't forget daddy and mama and my big brother. This is all for this time.
Your friend,
Labean Groves.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 9, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl seven years old. I want you to bring me a bye-lo-baby doll, a little wagon, candy, fruits and nuts, and please bring my little sister, Bobby, a doll and a gun.
Your little girl,
Willie Joy Floyd.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 5 years old. I have been a good boy this year, want you to bring me some marbles, a horn, a pistol and caps, fire-crackers, a rocking chair, a large ball, an air plane, some nuts and candy.
I have two sisters and two brothers, they have been good boys and girls, so if you can, come and bring them some things too, also, don't forget papa and mama. Now Santa, don't forget any of the good little boys and girls.
Lots of love from,
Harold Frasure.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa:
I am a little girl five years old. I want you to please bring me a bye-lo-baby doll, a good story book, some nuts, fruit, candy, gum and fire works.
Bye, bye,
Your little friend,
Traphene Wren.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good little boy this year and you were so nice to me last year I won't ask for very much, but please bring me a tricycle, a dump truck, a lunch basket with a thermos bottle, some caps for my toy pistol, a lot of nice fruits, candy, nuts and fire works.
A little friend,
Erwin Wren.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl seven years old. I have been good all the year and I love you. Please bring me a doll trunk, a doll bed and any other toys that you would like to give to me. Can you spare me some nuts, fruits and candies?
Your friend,
Lillian Lair.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl ten years old. I am in the fourth grade. My name is Thelma Louise Albright. I want a doll, a doll buggy, a fountain, a book, a slate, a little chair, tablet, some silk handkerchiefs, doll stockings, doll slippers, doll sweater and cap and piano.
Yours truly,
Thelma Louise Albright

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy seven years old. I am going to school, and learning fast. Santa, I want a tractor, a coster wagon, and lots of candy, nuts and fruits, and Santa, we will have a Christmas tree at Gillespie, so be sure and come if you can.
Douglas Neil Busby.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy eight years old. I want a rubber ball, a pencil box with lots of pencils, a slide trombone, some gloves and bat. Lots of apples, oranges, nuts and candy. Bring my little brother, Harold a stick horse and dog.
Clarence Jungman.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl five years old. I stay at home and help mama. I don't go to school. I'll tell you what I want a baby doll with a blanket around it, and a pair of scissors and a sewing basket, a pair of gloves, candy, fruit and nuts. Don't forget daddy and mama and my big brother. This is all for this time.
Your friend,
Winters Groves.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 9, 1927.
Dear Old Santa:
I am a little girl nine years old. I'll tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a baby doll and a sewing basket and a pair of gloves, some candy, nuts and fruits. I won't ask for much for I want you to go to see all little boys and girls and take them something. I wish you a merry Christmas and a happy new year.
Your friend,
Gwendolyn Groves.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good boy. I have been pulling boles, so I want you to bring me a little red wagon and a rubber ball and a bugle and some candy, nuts and fruits and chewing gum, and some fire crackers. I guess this is all for this time. Now, please don't forget me.
Your friend,
Horace Stubblefield.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 7, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am writing and asking you for a few little present Christmas. Please bring me a rifle and rubber cat, one that will meow, and a pair of socks of candy, apples, nuts and chewing gum.
Your friend,
Otis Brewer.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl ten years old and I want a bye-lo doll and little bed, and bicycle, small enough for me to ride.
I have been a good little girl this year. Bring me lots of fruit and candy and, Santa Claus, don't forget other little boys and girls.
Love from,
Jimmie Lois Frasure.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 1, 1927.
Dear Santa:
I want you to bring me a Dutch windmill and a wind-up train and a knife and bat and ball and a boat and a pair of gloves. Bring this to
Glenn Wallace Kennedy.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 4, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me the following things. I have been a good boy: One pair cow boy boots, leather, size 1 1/2, cowboy hat; size 6 1/2; one pair of leather shoes, size 8 years, and some oranges, apples and candy.
Your little friend,
Fred Broach, Jr.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 4, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 6 years old. I go to school. I want a few things. I want a set of tin dishes, a cabinet and a little wood stove and lots of fruits, nuts and candies and a baby doll.
Lots of love,
Mozell Mulican.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 6, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 7 years old. I go to school. I just want a few little things. I want a little doll in a basket and a set of tin dishes, and lots of fruits, nuts and candies.
Lots of love,
Viola Mulican.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 7, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 8 years old. I go to school. I am in the first grade. I want you to bring me a little red truck, watch and a little white dog. I will try to be a good boy.
Your little friend,
Johnny Phillips.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 9, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
We are little girls 4 and 6 years old. We have been good little girls and we are going to tell you what we want you to bring us. We want a little doll in basket, a set of ABC blocks, a little telephone, apples, nuts and candy. That is all for this time.
Yours truly,
Maris Francis Brown.
P. S. Santa, don't forget my little cougar.
Elmo Glen.

Munday, Texas, Nov. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am writing to tell you many things, for I know that you are kept busy making toys for children. If I write for too many things, I want you to please take part of them off. I will tell you my things I want are, a doll buggy, jiffy paints and some clothes for my doll, and Santa Claus, please see that all the children without any

Mother get some toys too. To Santa Clause, from
Mary Anna Burnison.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy three years old and I want to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a little train that runs on a track, a little rocker, a baby doll, a little wagon and ABC blocks. Dear Santa, don't forget my little brother, Sherman. Bring him the same as you bring me. Don't forget the candy, fruits and nuts. I will be a good boy.
Good-bye, I will be looking for you Santa Claus.
Clifford Johnson.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 11, 1927.
Dear Santa Claus:
I sure am glad that Christmas will soon be here, and I guess that all the other little girls and boys will be too. I'm not going to ask for so much this year because I want all other little children to get something I want a cowboy suit like Tom Mix and a little Parkecycle. My little sister wants a doll and a go-cart and a kiddo-bike and please Santa Claus, don't forget my little cousin, Dick Davy Owens. We want a jumper for him. We sure will thank you.
Bobby Davy
Billye Davy
Dick Davy Owens.

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WHAT is the quality that Lawrence Tibbett, David Warfield, Nazimova, William Collier, Florence Easton, Mary Boland, Sophie Tucker and other famous singers, actors, broadcasters and public speakers have found that makes LUCKY STRIKES delightful and of no possible injury to their voices?

For the answer we turned to medical men and asked them this question:

Do you think from your experience with LUCKY STRIKE cigarettes that they are less irritating to sensitive or tender throats than other cigarettes, whatever the reason?

11,105* doctors answered this question "YES."

These figures represent the opinion and experience of doctors, those whose business it is to know.

"It's toasted" * We hereby certify that we have examined 11,105 signed cards containing the above statement.
LYRIAN, ROSS, HIGGS, & BOSTON, Accountants and Auditors
New York, July 21, 1927.



payment, balance easy terms.

320 acres of land south of Lamesa, good improvements, located on highway, all good tillable land. This farm is priced far below current land prices in that vicinity. For quick sale we offer it at about half price and will take some trade.

226-acre tract of land 4 miles from Munday, priced at \$50.00 per acre for quick action. Small cash payment, balance easy terms.

Five-room residence near schools and close to business section, one block of land, out-houses, storm cellar, cistern, well and windmill and city water, east front. Priced at \$2,250. Par cash, easy terms on balance.

Business lot on pavement, good location, priced for quick sale at \$800.00.

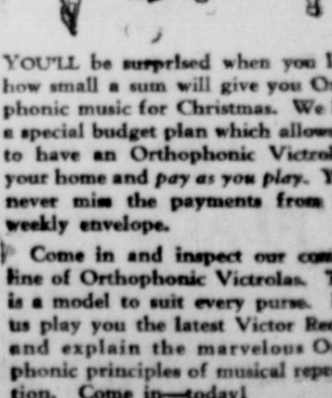
NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership between M. E. Hudson, J. L. Gordon and A. G. Barry of the firm name of Barry Hardware Co., intends to incorporate without change of the firm name after the expiration of thirty days from this the 1st day of December, 1927, and at that time we will dissolve said partnership. All debts owing to said partnership or to be received by said partnership and all demands on said partnership are to be presented to A. G. Barry for payment or collection.
M. E. Hudson,
J. L. Gordon,
A. G. Barry.

FOR SALE—Poland China pigs, purebred, big-boned type.—R. G. Eiland.

FOR SALE—Nice home of five rooms and bath in north-west part of town at a reasonable price. See J. Walter Moore at Thorp. 3614-c
COME in and let me tell you about our stalk-cutters. They're the best.—E. H. Stodghill.

Trench Mouth—Sore Gums
Your friends dare not say so but your sore gums foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy heals worst cases promptly. It is not a mouth-wash or a paste, and is sold on a money back guarantee.—Loveless Drug Store.

SPECIAL NOTICE
Munday, Texas, Dec. 17, 1927.
—All who have Mattress Work to be done, please RUSH your orders in, as I may leave any day.—E. J. McCullough. Phone 183.



EILAND'S DRUG STORE

Legion Head On Job



New photo of National Commander Edward Spafford of The American Legion in Washington with advanced Legion legislative program for the new Congress.

She Has "Enough"



Anita Loos, author of "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," says she has "enough" and is going to stop working to enjoy life.

Real Estate Bargains

Residence in Munday, 6-rooms with sleeping porch, barn, storm cellar, close in, 150-foot corner lot. Priced to sell at \$2,500. This property is located on one of the best streets in the city. Will take some trade. This is a real buy at the price.

80-acres 1-1/2 miles of Munday, level as a floor and real dirt. This is a jam up good farm and is priced worth the money. See us if interested.

40-acre tract of land 1 mile from Munday, good improvements. The price is \$5,750. Will take some trade.
Frame iron clad garage and filling station with some equipment, close in. Lot 25x95; building 25x50. Priced right.

One block of land with good 6-room house, bath built-in features, hardwood floors, barn, storm cellar and other improvements. The best buy in town at the price at which we offer it.

100-acre farm located near Weimert, an excellent piece of land and a bargain at the price at which it is offered. Small cash payment will handle and easy terms on balance. If you want a real bargain in land see us at once, for this land is going to sell at the price we have on it. \$52.00 per acre.

160-acre farm 6 miles from Munday, most all in cultivation. \$45.00 per acre. Small cash

Take a Cruise Through Gift Aisles

Happy, bustling crowds through the streets and stores. What is this strange phenomena that has changed tired, cross faces into bright eager ones? What makes the children even more starry-eyed than usual? What indeed? Don't you know? Can't you guess?

It's Christmas time again—and Santa Claus—that same jolly old saint of our childhood days—is waiting at the threshold of "Wonderland" to welcome all his old friends. No wonder the children are happy!

And the spirit is contagious. It would be impossible for any one to remain cross and irritable in this veritable fairy-land of lovely Christmas things. Every store is stocked to capacity with suitable gifts for all. Some real novel and unusual—still others are frivously gay and extravagant, but altogether charming. All the old reliables are on display too, and this is one year when you will find, with a minimum effort, a gift for everybody on your shopping list—at exactly the price you had planned to pay, whether it be one dollar or one hundred dollars.

Let's Tour the Stores.

Your difficulty will be in elimination rather than in selection, for you will find no gift lovelier than the next.

For the little youngsters—to whom Christmas Day rightfully belongs—there are hundreds of ingenious toys. One that seems to particularly appeal to the youthful visitors is a highly-colored mechanical clown that performs acrobatic stunts. Incidentally, if one is to judge from the number of grown-ups crowding around it, this mechanical clown is equally appealing to them. It sells for three dollars. Less expensive toys include bright marbles, knives, tops, boats, roller skates and sleds, for the boys, and for the girls, there are all sorts of dolls, books, dishes, furniture, etc.

A charming gift that any woman would love is, on the surface, a cigarette lighter—but when the top is lifted, there is a removable lipstick, a bit of dainty rouge, powder, and a mirror. The case may be had in sterling silver, white gold, gold or silver plated, and the various reptilian skins.

For the Wife

An umbrella that the wife, sweetheart, sister or girl friend will be glad to receive is of the short, stubby variety with a beautifully carved dog head for a handle! Other pretty umbrellas have more dignified handles for those of a more serious turn of mind.

For those who like to read, you will find a wide range of titles and authors, including all the newest fiction, old masters, and old favorites. Nothing makes a more pleasing gift.

A gift that any man will appreciate—first, because it is useful as well as ornamental—

and secondly—because he has always wanted to own one—is a dressing gown. Munday stores have a large selection—in gay or subdued colorings, and hubby will not need to pretend to receive it with great rejoicing—his appreciation will be real and his Christmas happiness will be completed.

For the smoker, there are innumerable novel conceptions to warm his heart. And you will find his favorite brand—all ready for wrapping—in a gay Christmas box.

To Women's Hearts

Then, for the more intimate feminine gift, you will find a host of lovely lingerie to delight the heart of both the donor and the recipient. For nothing is so universally acceptable to women.

Many of the stores have arranged their wares—on tables according to price, so if you have decided to spend, say two dollars for a gift—all you need do is locate the table carrying that priced merchandise. There you will find displayed the best that can be had for the money.

It is a great aid—and a great time-saver—for busy shoppers.

TO FLASH BIGGEST SIGN ON BROADWAY

Detroit, Dec. 11.—To the scores of brilliant electric displays in New York's theatrical and night life district, Dodge Brothers soon will add what is said to be the largest and latest type of illuminated sign.

Switches controlling the huge spectacle will be thrown for the first time on New Year's Eve.

Blazing colored letters as tall as a house will proclaim the company's name. Underneath the words "Dodge Brothers" will be a so-called "motograph" or "running-reading sign" on which messages of nearly 100 words race across a separate panel in letters more than seven feet high. This motograph will appear to be a scroll unwinding on one end and winding up on the other.

The sign, measuring 45 by 100 feet, will be mounted on a steel framework atop the Strand theatre building, 47th St. and Broadway, in the center of the world famous New York electric spectacles.

In their efforts to capture the last little possible candlepower of illumination from the 8,000 electric bulbs, the engineers who designed the sign have built the letters and borders from mirror reflectors of nickel-plated sheet copper, with an extra coating of chromium. They say that this single sign, if operated alone, would reflect a glare against the sky that could be seen fifty miles or more out at sea.

Gifts That Keep on Giving All The Year

Gifts that last Give Furniture

Shop Now for Christmas Delivery

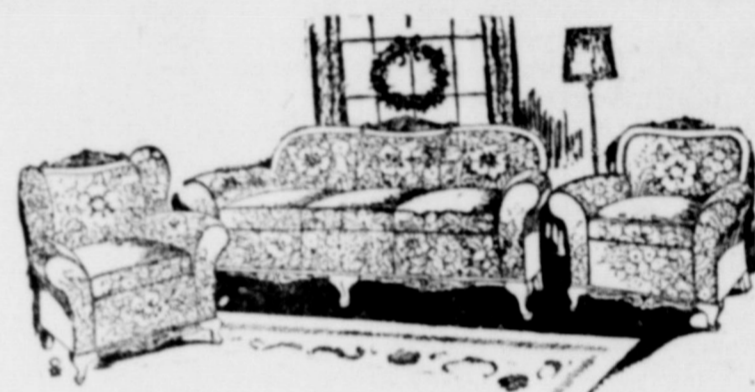
The Most Sensible Gifts

Nothing has yet been discovered that will take the place of Furniture as the perfect gift, for the simple reason that furniture adds to the attractiveness of home life—and the ideal Christmas is that in which all members of the family are again assembled around the family fireside to enjoy the festivities and joys of the occasion together—and a gift of Furniture is indeed a gift to the entire household, lending enduring charm to the home and bringing additional contentment and pleasure. The application of common sense to Christmas giving demands that you give useful gifts—and what is more useful than nice furniture?



BEDROOM SUITES OF DISTINCTION

Never have we shown a more beautiful line than we are showing at this time and you know that means something, for we have shown many beautiful patterns. Our line includes suites in mahogany, walnut or maple, as well as the popular lacquered designs, and nothing will please mother or daughter more than a beautiful Bedroom Suite of Tate quality.

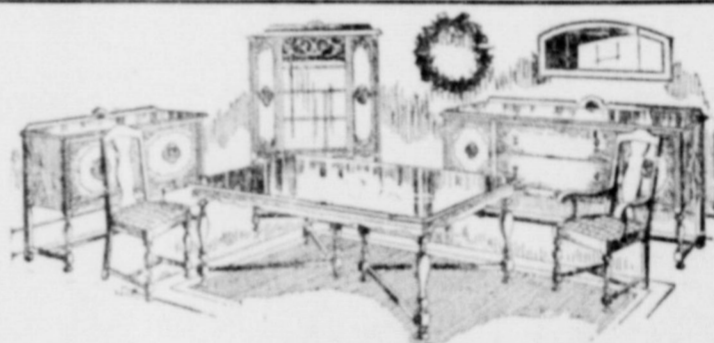


BEAUTIFUL LIVING ROOM SUITES

We are showing the most beautiful line of Living Room Suites we have ever shown in Munday, and they represent the very latest creations of the furniture works, and purchased with carload shipments, we are in position to price them at a far more reasonable figure than we would, had we bought in small quantities. We want you to come in and look at them, and take note of the excellent values.



—An easy chair for father or mother is a worth-while suggestion as a gift, for such a gift would be a constant reminder throughout the year of the thoughtfulness of the giver. We are showing a large selection.



WONDERFUL SHOWING OF DINING ROOM FURNITURE

We are showing a large number of Dining Room Suites in walnut and mahogany. The quality is right and the prices are right. Nothing will add distinction to the home and will afford more pleasure to every member of the household than a beautiful Dining room Suite. A visit of inspection will help you solve the perplexing problem of "what to give."



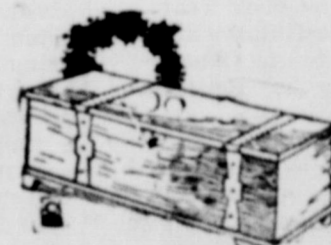
—Rugs always add charm and beauty to any room and offer a suggestion for Christmas giving that is practical and sensible.



—For lightening the burden of housewife for the good wife, mother or sister during the years to come, nothing is equal to a kitchen cabinet, and you'll apply the greatest common sense in giving one for Christmas. See our line.

EVERYTHING IN FURNITURE

We are making mention of only a few of the many hundreds of items in our big store that are suitable for Christmas giving. A visit to our store will reveal hundreds of items that will make equally as appropriate gifts as those we have enumerated here, and we want to urge you to visit our store at your earliest convenience and let us offer a few suggestions.



—There was never a more acceptable gift than a Cedar Chest for mother or sister—they are the one gift that is always sure to please, and we suggest that you visit our store and see our line. Here is a gift that will please and last throughout a lifetime and at a very reasonable price too.



For Christmas Dinner
Fruit Cake 75c per lb.

White Fruit Cake
White Pecan Cakes
Assorted Fruit Layers

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Growth

The whole purpose of life is growth. Each individual was given a place in this world in order that he might grow, and in order that the world might be helped because of his living here. Those who fail to meet this obligation never amount to anything, either in this life or the next. Growth is characteristic only of those who are prepared to meet the ever-changing conditions which govern man's life. To meet these conditions, three factors must be considered: The moral, mental and physical development of the children who will some day become our political and religious leaders.

Very few children fail to grow physically, but a larger percentage than we imagine fail to develop sufficiently and in the right way mentally and morally. It is for these reasons that we should attempt to instill in the minds of the coming generation the need of seeking for these things which can be found only through study and self-devotion to the higher and finer things that make up a successful life.

From this we may presume that the best teacher is not the teacher who teaches what is in the books alone, but the best teacher is the one that teaches his or her pupils how to really live and get the best that life has to offer them. We may also gather from this that the "book-worm," or the one who learns everything in the books, is not as good a pupil as the one who applies what he learns to everyday life.

Nany people who are learned in book knowledge are failures in life. Why? Because they have failed to learn the fundamental principle of growth, application of what they have learned.

"Mail Order Brides"

Those who did not attend the faculty play on last Thursday evening missed one of the best home talent plays ever given in Munday. Many of us were surprised to know that the faculty could so well portray and profession other than that of a school teacher.

The audience was kept in laughter the entire evening by the witty sayings of the characters. No one could possibly have left the auditorium in an ill humor, feeling that they had not got their money's worth of fun.

Both Juniors and Seniors had a representative in the play, and both classes feel that the faculty could not have done better in selecting these two boys for the parts.

During the past weeks there have been entirely too many tardies. Of course, it is impossible to reduce these to none at all, but there have been a large number who do not have excuses worthy of consideration. Monday morning several students were suspended for the day because of insufficient excuses. We sincerely hope that the parents will co-operate with the teachers in their work toward reducing this to a minimum.

Moguls 19—Independents 18

The Moguls did not officially open the basket ball season Friday night against the Munday Independents but they won 19-18 in a very closely played game. For the Moguls, White held high point honors, with 13 points, while Blacklock, for the Independents, led in scoring with 7 points.

Moguls 14—Gillespie 13

As an experiment in the opening game with Gillespie Saturday night, Coach Palmer started the reserves. This almost lost the game before the regular five could get into the game. They came from behind and tied the score as the game ended. An extra period, however, was played and the Moguls emerged victorious, 14-13.

Moguls 32—Gillespie 1

M. H. S. has "SOME" girls basketball team! They had Gillespie outclassed so Satur-

day night in their opening game that Gillespie could score but one point. Harris, Ford and Brewer, forwards, scored 15, 13 and 4 points respectively. See these girls in action next Friday night.

Other Games

Friday night, Goree and Knox City played a very interesting game and Knox City won by the score of 29-28. Gillespie and Weinert played a third game which Weinert won.

Saturday night Goree and Weinert played a very exciting game. It was one of the fastest played in the gym, this year. The score was tied as the game ended and on extra period played. Goree emerged winners by one point.

White Elected Mogul Captain
Truman "Preacher" White was elected as Captain of the Mogul Basket Ball team for the season of 1928.

"Preacher" is a capable man for the place to which he has been chosen. This is his fourth and last year as a player on the Purple and Gold Basket Ball team, and he should pass all records as a last year player. This year he is playing center, and indications show that he is going to make a good one. Before this year he has played forward and played his position well. We know that he will lead the Moguls through this season in a masterly form and do his best to make them emerge victorious in the basket ball tournament which comes in the spring.

Athletic Notes

Two games have been matched for this week with Vera and Weinert, Friday and Saturday nights respectively. These two games promise to be "thrillers" so don't miss them. There will be other games each night played between neighboring towns.

Friday night, though it was cold, showed a splendid crowd

on the side lines watching the games. There was no admission charged Friday night, but Saturday Mr. Standley started taking in the cash but the attendance did not fall off any. We expect record breaking crowds throughout the year at these games.

The floor is a great advantage to the Moguls and other teams. It also has a tendency to draw crowds. The game as a whole is faster and makes each game more interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Horace Bass and Dodge from Haskell, visited in Munday Saturday and Sunday and witnessed the basketball games Saturday night. 'Tis hard to keep away from such a good town, while basketball games are in full swing! Mr. Bass refereed the girls game against Gillespie.

Seniors

"Preacher" White decided that he would be an aviator as he borrowed an aviator's cap and went riding in the air plane, but when the plane turned a flip, "Preacher" threw away the cap and took his flag down. All we can hear is Preacher telling of the thrill he got of being so near heaven.

Miss Aycock of Weinert visited in the home of Arva Harris this week-end.

Mildred Guinn has been ill for the last few days, and we were indeed glad to have her back in school with us Monday afternoon.

Homer Lain spent the week-end at his home in Lone Star. Homer reported that he had a keen time.

Theda Brewer journeyed to Knox City Sunday afternoon and she has convinced us that she had a grand and glorious time.

The Seniors were well represented at the ball games Saturday night. We intend to stand behind the teams one hundred per cent at all the games.

Two weeks or not two weeks that is the question?

Juniors

Less Quantity and More Quality.

The Juniors have been having lots of fun during the cold weather. We have missed one or two from our class, but just

as usual we enjoy ourselves everywhere at anytime. We were rather pleased with our report cards, although some few low grades could be seen on some of the cards. We do not cry or take over it like the Sophs. do. They will learn after while that it does no good to cry over spilled milk. The best thing to do is to try to do better next time, and that is what we are going to do.

"Ocky" Everett Pruitt, Edwin Frasure and Weldon Floyd were absent from their places last Tuesday. "Ocky" came back

Wednesday, but Edwin and Weldon did not come back until Friday. Ocky said that his toes froze, and that he could not walk a mile and a half with sticks, win or lose, as we always do.

"Agnes" Thelma Newsom visited in Abilene Friday. She visited in the home of Ruth Gray, one of our former classmates. Agnes had a swell time, but said that she was glad to get back to Munday.

The Juniors are behind the

Moguls, both girls and boys, 100% strong, and we are doing our best on the side line and on the court. We are going to stick, win or lose, as we always do.

Sebern Jones intends to spend the Christmas holidays

school Friday afternoon. The reason for their absence is not known, nor will it be. The only thing that we know is that they went to Truscott, but what for we do not know.

The Juniors, as well as the other classes in high school, are (Continued on other page)

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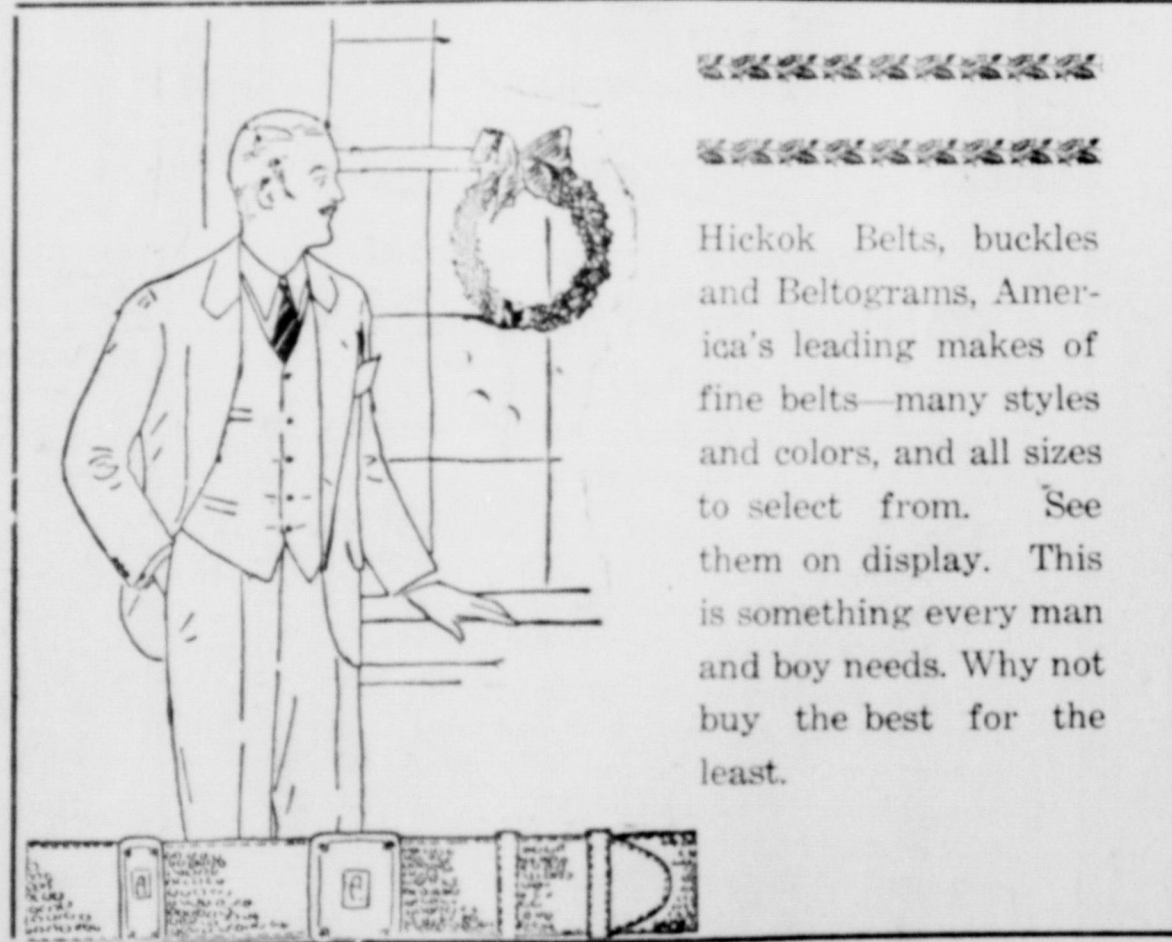
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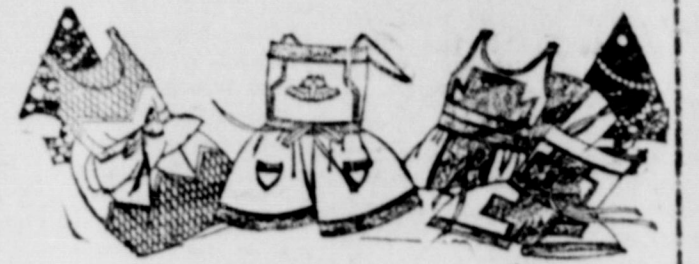


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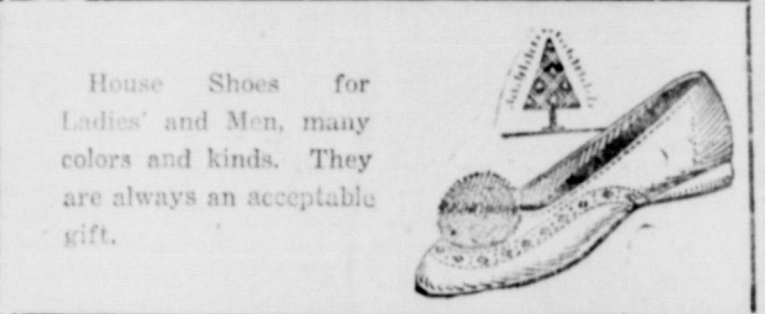


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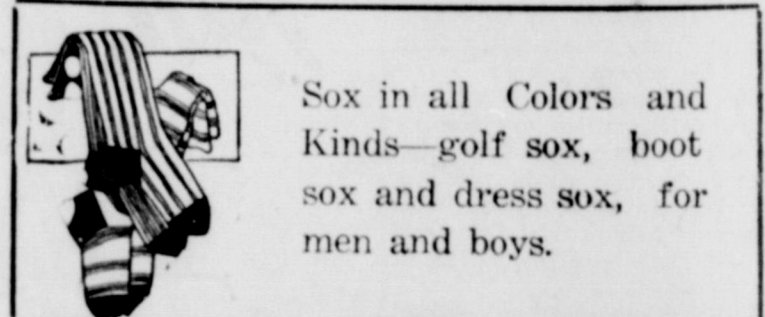
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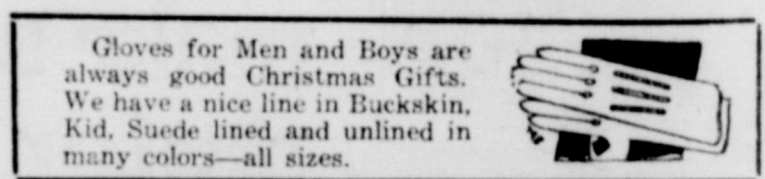
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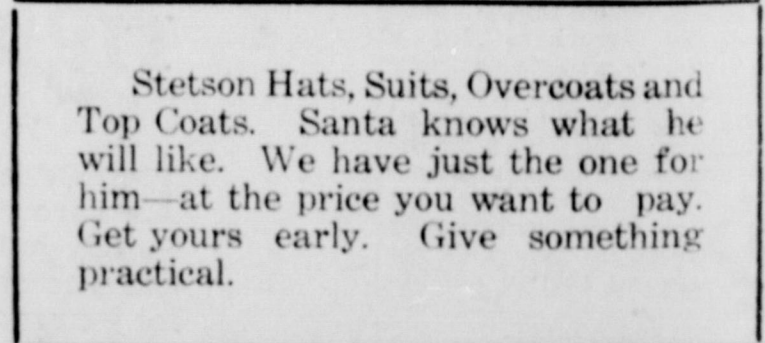
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