

The Winters Enterprise

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Introducing Our New Director

Mr. Albert Spill, whom you all know, is now a member of our board of directors and will be found at all times working for and soliciting business for this institution.

Our board of directors for the coming year, as elected by our stockholders Tuesday afternoon, are as follows:

Henry James, President.
J. W. Dixon, Vice-President.
Bert E. Low, Cashier.
S. H. Davidson,
Albert Spill.

Don't forget the Runnels County Poultry Show to be held in Winters, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

MORE THAN A BANK

COMMUNITY INSTITUTION

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

THE BANK FOR EVERYBODY

Rev. J. L. Speer has been having quite a tussle with severe cold which has caused him considerable ear trouble. We are glad to see him improving.

Mrs. Howard Butler and children of Weatherford are visiting home

folks.
W. C. McCarver was out from Ballinger on business Tuesday, accepting the invitation of friends to the Lions' luncheon.

The Enterprise \$1.50 per year.

Light Crust Flour

We say there is no better flour on the MARKET

Assortment No. 1

2 cans No. 1 tomatoes,
2 cans No. 1 corn,
2 cans No. 1 peas,
2 cans No. 1 condensed milk,
2 cans No. 1 salmon,
2 cans No. 1 BB beans,
12 cans for—

\$1.28

Assortment No. 2

1 can No. 2 tomatoes,
1 can No. 2 corn,
1 can No. 2 peas,
1 can No. hominy,
1 can No. 2 BB beans,
1 can No. 2 Lima beans,
6 cans for—

88c

Potatoes, clean and white
3c per lb.

10 lb. sugar
81c

2 lbs. cocoa
37c

Pure pork sausage
25c lb.

3 lb. can B. D. coffee
\$1.48

1 gal. fruit, your choice
61c

3 lb. box crackers for
38c

5 lb. box raisins for
68c

10 lb. box prunes for
99c

King Komus Cane Syrup, gal. . 89c

Fresh vegetables of all kinds at the right price.

A complete line of California fruits at all times.

We Fatten our own beef thereby insuring you the best in meats that can be had.

WE DELIVER ALL ORDERS AMOUNTING TO AND OVER \$2.00



JIM SMITH

WE DELIVER ALL ORDERS AMOUNTING TO AND OVER \$2.00

POULTRY SHOW NOW IN FULL BLAST

The stage is all set for the poultry show, opening Thursday morning and birds from all over this and adjoining counties are already to show off to the best advantage to all who care to view them.

Secretary Watts has been busy getting things in readiness and he has been assisted by J. D. Motley, secretary of Ballinger Young Men's Business League, and County Agent, Lehmburg.

It behooves every one in Winters who cares to aid in the propagation of better poultry to do what they can for the success of the show and we hope to see as many as can do so attend the show one or all three of the days.

The big Alexander building near the depot has been "fixed up" for the occasion and affords plenty of room for the show.

CITIZENS URGED TO BOOST WESTERN UNION

It will be recalled by those familiar with the negotiations with the Western Union Telegraph Co., some months ago that the company agreed to maintain the local office for a period of six months, ending January 1st this year. As the time has elapsed, John Q. McAdams, who was perhaps more vitally responsible for the opening of the office here than any other, has written the proper authorities relative to the matter and has received the following reply from J. F. Wilson, district commercial superintendent of the telegraph company at Dallas:

"As you will no doubt recall, we established the office at Winters on a six months trial basis and the question as to whether or not we will continue the office after December 31st, rests solely with the telegraph company. In this connection, we will have a representative in Winters within the next week or ten days with a view to investigating conditions at that point and to decide whether we will continue the office."

SINGING CONVENTION

The Runnels county singing convention will be at Maverick, Sunday, Jan. 18th, at 2 o'clock, and will render the following program:

Opening song led by president.
Invocation.
Twenty minutes general singing.
Special song led by Oscar Robertson.

Class song by J. F. Forrest.
Special song by J. P. Hutton.
Class song by A. B. Herline.
Song by Miss Sybil Dinson.
Special song by H. C. Stephenson.
Class song by W. B. Worthington.
Special song by Clarence Goble.
Class song by Mr. Jennings.
Quartet by Poe brothers and more music by various leaders.

Come and help make it the best of its kind. Don't forget the date, Jan. 18th.



Every insurance company is tested by the great fires that wipe out cities

No matter where your property is located—no matter what the amount of your insurance policy—you are interested in the strength, reliability and reputation of your insurance company.

One of the greatest tests of any company is the conflagration that wipes out a whole city and piles up fire losses that may total millions.

Then both ability and willingness to pay mean everything. This agency represents the Hartford Fire Insurance Company—a company that has met every conflagration emergency since 1810.

Make sure BEFORE the fire—Call today!

E. A. SHEPPERD
Insurance and Loans

Debts of Inspiration

OF SERVICE BUILT UP IN 18 YEARS

Here we show the names of those who have been with us since the beginning of this bank.

At the end of eighteen years of business in this community, we are proud to tell of the debt we owe to those good friends whose trust has been given to us since first we opened the doors of this institution.

Friends and, more than friends, business associates, we and the men and women whose names we show today have worked hand in hand since 1906.

To be able to take a part in helping individuals and businesses to reach their ambitions; to be chosen as helpful partner by men and women who are building up a financial reserve for future needs; to work with and for the community, all these are causes for pride.

We gratefully acknowledge the debt we owe to those customers of our first days—we pledge every effort to justify their trust and that of our other customers by constant helpful service in all banking matters.

THE WINTERS STATE BANK

Winters, Texas
"The Dependable Bank since 1906"
Capital stock then \$ 15,000.00
Capital 100,000.00

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J. H. Speer
Aug. Spill
Ben Spill
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Dr. Fred Tinkle
C. Vogler
W. D. Virden
A. J. Watson
S. B. Wood
Mrs. H. C. White
J. B. Wilson
P. H. Williams
Walter T. White

COME TO DRASCO FRIDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 23rd

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will present a pageant, "Grandmother's Dreams," at the school house. A small admission of 10 cents and 20c will be charged. We are sure you will be delighted with the program. Everybody invited.

MRS. T. P. HENDERSON

At the family home in Winters, Dec. 30, Mrs. T. P. Henderson passed away. Her going is indeed sad, since five little children are left motherless.

The body was laid to rest in Fairview cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Henderson has a grocery store on North Main, near the Williams & Miller gin.

MRS. SKAGGS ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. J. M. Skaggs was hostess for the regular meeting of the Literary and Service Club Thursday afternoon. Roll call was answered with notes on music, after which Miss Heavenhill, club president, conducted a very interesting business session.

The nominating committee presented their report which was accepted by the club and the following were elected as officers for the new year: president, Mrs. F. J. Brophy; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Harris Mullin; 2nd vice-president, Miss Oliver; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. T. V. Jennings; rec.-sec. Miss Kornegay; cor. sec., Mrs. L. E. Low; treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Shepperd; critic, Mrs. Paul Holcomb; parliamentarian, Mrs. A. H. Smith.

Mesdames R. T. Thornton, R. L. Gaston, and H. O. Jones were duly elected to membership in the club.

During the regular program Miss Loyle Kornegay gave an interesting paper on, "The Legitimate Drama and the Movie."

At the close of the afternoon the hostess, assisted by her guest, Mrs. Ray Skaggs, served delicious sandwiches, candies and hot tea with lemon.

W. I. Dunn of Wingate returned from Alabama a few days ago, accompanied by R. C. Dunn. R. C. is a brother of J. T., the popular young salesman at the M store.

Mrs. Trent Root of Killeen is visiting relatives and friends in Winters.

SIMMONS CHORAL CLUB WITH US

Among the various entertainments that have come to Winters in the past year, none has met with quite such hearty endorsement nor more completely come up to the high standard of excellence than that by the Simmons College Choral Club, when they rendered the oratorio, "The Life of St. Paul," at the auditorium of the First Baptist church Friday evening, last.

All seats in the auditorium and galleries were taken and it was gratifying to note the heavy percentage of young people who gathered there to enjoy an entertainment of this character.

Each individual in the club rendered his or her part in a manner befitting entertainers of the highest class and no time throughout the program did any one fail in coming up to the high standard we Winters people have come to expect of anyone connected with the Simmons College.

Everyone in attendance was entertained and elevated and each one was high in praise of the entertainers.

We feel that those responsible for bringing the entertainment to Winters are due their share of praise for it was elevating in its nature, refining and instructive regarding the life of the great apostle.

Mrs. L. M. Bankston of Ennis is visiting at the home of her brother, Harris Mullin, and other relatives in the city.

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City Drug Company

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PHONE 35

THE WATCH DOG



Willis—Pa sent me for a piece of rope like this.

Hardware Dealer—How much does he want?

Willis—Just enough to reach from the goat to the fence.

Love is a form of mental intoxication which makes the wisest man act foolish and a foolish person appear simple-minded. It makes him wear a facious smile, the wrong cravat and odd gloves, and it makes him cunning in his evasions to his mother, to the boys at the office and to his clubmates, yet he forgets to rub the powder off his coat lapel.

One ounce of loyalty is worth one pound of cleverness.

Mary had a little slam,
For everyone, and so
The leaves of her engagement book,
Were always white as snow.

A hick town is a place where people are considered unorthodox if they don't pull down the shades by 7:00 p. m.

What has become of the a. f. farmer who succeeded in getting his hired man to work at five o'clock in the morning?

WORLD'S DEEPEST WELL PRODUCES NATURAL GAS

On November 27th, after drilling for 39 months at Long Bridge, near Latrobe, Pa., gas was struck at a depth of 7,459 feet by the People's Gas Company.

This makes the deepest producing well in the world. Work on the well started in April, 1922, and went along in good style until the 7,000 foot level was reached, when the drill stuck in exceedingly hard sand.

The gas is said to be flowing at the rate of 200,000 cubic feet per day. The total cost of sinking this well was estimated at \$150,000.

The People's Company brought in a producer in the Oriskany sand at 6,822 feet in the same region several years ago, and at that time the Oriskany sand was the deepest ever reached by a drill.

THE ADVERTISERS GET FAR AHEAD

In a recent address to a group of public utility men Bernard J. Mullaney, widely known public utility advertiser authority, the other day declared that public utility companies which use newspaper advertising consistently and with intelligence are making greatest progress, says the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

"An obligation of a utility is to give full information to the public, and newspaper advertising is the best medium yet devised for doing this," Mr. Mullaney said. "There is a wide difference between news and advertising which all utilities recognize. The newspaper of today is entitled to both—news and advertising."

"If you are not satisfied with your advertising copy, go into the newspaper editor's office and make him tell you what is wrong with it; why it don't pull. He is just as anxious that his advertising columns sell as is the advertiser. A good way to tell if your advertising really conveys your message is to try it out on the office boy. If he understands you thoroughly, then you have a good piece of copy."

Mr. Mullaney told of the large amount of advertising that is now being done by utilities and stated that this had not only benefited the companies, but had been of real community benefit inasmuch as it had been of help particularly to the smaller newspapers, in making them more prosperous and better able to produce better newspapers such as reflected upon their communities.

\$25.00 REWARD

For any one convicted of shooting or breaking insulators on high line.
Winters Light & Power Co.

"AMERICA" WILL BE AT THE QUEEN JANUARY 29-30

When a motion picture arouses the enthusiasm aroused by "America" it must be no ordinary picture, it must be something even beyond the more or less common, million-dollar super-pictures, "America" is.

First of all, "America" is a Griffith picture and a picture as good as if not better than any Griffith has ever made.

There are two stories in "America." One, of the romance and sacrifices of a noted Virginia belle; and the other running parallel to the first is a bit of the story of America's struggle for freedom, done with that delicacy to detail, to truth, to history, which has made the reputation of David Wark Griffith what it is today, and presented to the American people "Lest we forget the price of liberty paid in blood and tears."

Take it as you will, then, "America" is either the thrilling story of Nancy Montague with a picture of the American Revolution as a background, or the thrilling story of the Revolution with the story of Nancy Montague as a humanizing relief.

But stories of romances and sacrifices, even good stories, are fairly common in motion pictures, and what interest, you may ask, have the battle scenes and incidents of the Revolution for the average motion picture audience of today?

Lives there anyone who has ever attended school in America who has not been enthused and thrilled with the story of Paul Revere's ride, who has not scanned Longfellow's poem with excited impatience?

Mr. Griffith makes this story live for you in "America."

Who has not heard of Washington's suffering at Valley Forge?

Mr. Griffith actually gives you some sense of this suffering in his screen picture.

Who has not heard of Lexington and the "shot heard round the world?"

Mr. Griffith shows what led up to this shot, and pictures vividly the scene when the shot was fired.

"Wait till you see the whites of their eyes, then fire!"

This incident happens before your own eyes.

Pitt's defense of the American colonies before Parliament, the essential meeting of the Virginia House of Burgesses, Morgan's "Liberty or Death" Riflemen, Capt. Butler's raiders, the Minute Men, the Vigilance Men of Boston, and above all Washington himself, become living people and living incidents.

Through it all runs the beautiful romance of Nancy Montague, the aristocrat, whose father was a royalist and a Tory, and Nathan Holden, humble son of a farmer, express rider from Boston and ardent American patriot.

Carol Dempster plays Nancy, an extremely difficult part, for her career runs from being a petted belle of the aristocracy, through many supreme sacrifices to the English cause, to that of humble service for the American cause.

It is a story full of heart throbs,

WEST TEXAS NEWS

Stamford—It is very gratifying to look over the December report of the Business Bulletin printed in Chicago, and see the crop report placing West Texas in the lead of any section of the United States. The collection report also placed West Texas in the lead with as bright a future for 1925 as was ever seen before.

Lamesa—This city fallen upon a new method of increasing the Chamber of Commerce membership with an automobile race each day for a week and each race will be unique and different from the other. Lamesa has a large Chamber of Commerce membership for a town of its size, yet fully realizes that the greater the membership the greater the interest and power of the organization.

Ballinger—The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual banquet on the 15th with the view of mapping out the new year's work, including a membership drive. Hon. Mark McGee, attorney from Brownwood will be the principal speaker for the occasion.

Stephenville—The Commissioners' Court of Erath County was presented with a road bond petition for voting bonds to construct more highways in this county. The order was granted requesting the election, which will be held soon.

Memphis—The Memphis Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual banquet Jan. 30th. Homer D. Wade, assistant manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be the principal speaker on the program.

Cisco—The Chamber of Commerce of Cisco is planning details in advance for what Secretary Richardson describes is going to be the largest "swimming season" in the history of Lake Cisco. Lake Cisco has the celebrated floating swimming beach in the midst of the mammoth lake, and the local Chamber of Commerce purposes to increase tourist travel. In 1924 many thousand visitors were entertained at Lake Cisco.

Midland—On January 19, representatives of the West Texas, Midland, Seminole and El Paso Chambers of Commerce will be in Midland to resist the efforts of the Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. to have authority from the interstate to take up the tracks of the Midland and Northwestern Ry. Co. recently sold under receivership to the Texas Pacific Railroad Co.

Memphis—Paul James prize winning band has made arrangements to attend the 7th Annual Convention

with American history as a background, or the romance of the birth of America, a story just as full of heart throbs, with the Montague-Holden love story for color and relief. "America" is one of America's really great pictures.

of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Mineral Wells in May, 1925, dressed in the famous Kansas City uniforms used by them at the Brownwood Convention.

Big Spring—Big Spring Chamber of Commerce is perfecting arrangements to entertain the second annual district convention for the Central West Region of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce here on February 5. Five hundred delegates are expected to attend, and the Hon. W. W. Rix of this city will preside.

Floydada—Local business men in Floydada who have been having a great deal of trouble with worthless checks, and overchecking, are anxious to have a law passed at Austin which will remedy this condition.

Bradshaw, Jan. 9.—"The Bradshaw Booster" a new weekly newspaper, edited by M. H. Pruitt, has made its appearance. The business houses signed a contract with Pruitt to advertise for one year at least, and on the other hand, Pruitt agrees to have his circulation at a minimum of 250 subscribers.

Bradshaw, Texas, Jan. 9.—The Bradshaw high school boys' basketball team beat Bluff Creek by a score of 22 to 14. This is the first official game to be played this season. Bradshaw has strong teams, both boys' and girls', and is counting on a good showing in the finals.

Bradshaw, Texas, Jan. 9.—W. Elms, a carpenter, was badly injured this morning when he fell off a

scaffold, breaking two ribs and bruising his head. He was on the construction work on the Cartwright ranch, 1 mile north of here. Physicians report him doing well.

The house that Elms was working on is the first of twenty tenant houses that the Cartwright ranch plans to build this month. Heretofore this ranch has been used almost wholly for stock raising, but is now being converted into farms.

INCOME TAX

N. Dow Chapman, income tax consultant will be in Winters, Texas, from February 2nd to February 7th, both dates inclusive, for the purpose of preparing income tax returns to be made to the government before March 15, 1925. Office will be at E. A. Shepperd's. Have your figures on 1924 business ready and come in to see him.

NO "GOOD FIRES"

Fire prevention is everybody's personal problem; not only the obligation to go and help in an actual conflagration, but also to help in preventing fires.

The United States pays approximately \$500,000,000 every year for fires; 75 per cent of which are needless. Almost \$5.00 per capita goes up in smoke every year—the price of six months fuel or a month's rent for the average family of five. There are no "good fires;" every one is a devouring monster. Every item of property burned is that much human labor and savings destroyed and the nation is that much poorer.

If America could reduce her fire losses 50 percent, much property now covered by insurance would secure fire insurance protection. The public would benefit by reduced rates and insurance companies would benefit by doing a larger net business because of fewer fire losses to pay.

TEN MODERN COMMANDMENTS FOR 1925

- Work hard—the surest way to build.
- Study hard—for knowledge is power.
- Develop initiative—a "rut" is the start of a grave.
- Like your job—and master it.
- Be exact—slipshod work will not win.
- Conquer—self-confidence is necessary for success.
- Cultivate personality—and stand out from the crowd.
- Help others—opportunities given are remembered and repaid.
- Be democratic—fellowmen make a leader's success.
- Do your best—then you have done everything.

We have plenty of Texas Best Coal \$8.00 on car, \$8.50 delivered. Winters Ice & Fuel Co.

The latest in sheet music. Cleveland & Son.

Stoves, stoves, stoves, \$6.50 and up. Cleveland & Son.

"AMERICA"
QUEEN THEATRE, JAN. 29-30th

BLAIR'S No. 7

HERB TONIC
FOR
**Stomach, Liver
Kidney and Blood**
Sold For Over 20 Years
All Good Druggists
For Sale by City Drug Co.

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PORTABLE TYPEWRITER
Cash or Terms
OWENS DRUG STORE

HEMSTITCHING
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Button Making.
All work guaranteed.
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Mrs. J. T. Stevenson

A Drug Store SERVICE!

It is our aim to give our friends and customers the best drug store service possible. We are constantly studying methods and means by which we may improve our drug store service to you.

Give us a trial and you will be convinced and pleased.

Our soda fountain is complete. Drink with us.

MAIN DRUG COMPANY
W. W. OLIVER, Mgr.
"WE STRIVE TO PLEASE"

CARS FOR HIRE
Phone 159
Kilpatrick Motor Co.

Bargains On Tires
See me before you buy. I will save you Money.
FEDERAL, SEIBERLING AND LEE

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|---------------------------|---------|
| 0x3 1/2 B. P. Cord..... | \$10.35 |
| 30x3 1/2 B. P. 6 ply..... | 12.45 |
| 31x4 B. P..... | 14.95 |
| 32x4 B. P..... | 15.75 |
| 33x4 B. P..... | 16.25 |
| 32x4 1/2 B. P..... | 20.45 |

Speer Filling Station
WINTERS, TEXAS

SEE THE NEW NEW

for Economical Transportation
CHEVROLET

Chevrolet

NEW value—greater quality than ever before.
NEW Chassis—from radiator to rear axle.
NEW bodies—of even greater beauty and comfort.
NEW finish—in the wonderful, enduring Duco.

Kilpatrick Motor Co.

for Economical Transportation
CHEVROLET

School Notes

The Winters high school boys' basketball team defeated Wingate 17 to 14 at Wingate Wednesday afternoon.

The girl's team defeated Hatchel Thursday afternoon 18 to 11.

Both teams are undefeated this season and are rapidly getting in shape for the best teams of this section.

On January 14th, the boys' basketball team will play their first game on an indoor court, playing the powerful San Angelo team at San Angelo. This game will test the strength of the team that will represent the Winters high school this year.

The basket-ball fans of Winters will have a treat on Jan. 16th, at 4

o'clock when the local boys' team will play the San Angelo high school team on the Winters high school court.

The Blizzards hope to bring several strong teams to Winters this season, and much will depend on the support that the fans are going to give them.

Winters high school now boasts of having the best out-door court to be found in this section of the state. The court is being prepared for the boys' basket-ball tournament of Runnels county.

At the teachers' institute in San Angelo, the boys' basket-ball tournament of Runnels county was voted to Winters. Miles contended for the tournament and did not get it. It was voted to Winters on the privileges and conveniences offered by Winters. The hearty support of the town is asked in making all the visitors glad that they convened in Winters for the basket-ball tournament this year.

Miles is boasting of the best team in Runnels county. They have been playing since the opening of school last fall and have to their credit ov-

er a dozen victories. They scored an avalanche of points against Ballinger. However, the result will be different when they meet the fast Winters team at the county tournament. The local boys have it in their hearts to beat Miles and they are practicing every afternoon as long as they are able to see the baskets. With such determination to win the county championship they are going to be hard to stop.

It is going to take a sum of money to put on the tournament here and a small admission will be charged at all games through the season. You can help us and Winters by giving the team your loyal support.

BUYS PEOPLE'S CAFE

W. M. Powell of Santa Anna has purchased the People's Cafe and will continue to conduct the business. Mr. Powell is an experienced restaurant man, and intends to give his patrons of this popular cafe a high-class restaurant service.

Mr. and Mrs. John Curry are now living in their new home on Main street. This is one of the new modern homes which takes its place among the best of the city.

FRESHMEN NOTES

"Watch Us Grow!"

The freshmen class is working hard in the hope of becoming in the years to come what the seniors are now, only we hope that we won't be so flat-headed. The other day we overheard a senior talking to a junior saying: "The freshmen are pretty good sports after all." By jove, don't we know it.

Well, all of the freshmen are here, but likely as not, we won't be after exams.

The following poem is the greatest masterpiece of one of the freshmen authors. It shows the greatest of skill and romance. If any money is donated to the class for it please notify school.

Edith had a little wad of gum,
It was as white as snow;
Everywhere that Edith went
The gum was sure to go.

She took it to school one day,
Which was against the rule;
Mr. Robinson took it away,
And chewed it after school.

Pop-eyed Reporter

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the dissolution of the partnership heretofore existing between Mrs. J. W. Dale and H. O. Jones, operating the Farmers Mercantile Company, of Winters, Texas. Mrs. Dale retires from the business and H. O. Jones will continue to operate the said business.

All accounts outstanding against the firm will be taken care of by H. O. Jones and all accounts due are likewise payable to H. O. Jones. Witness our hands at Winters, Texas, this January 1, 1925.

Mrs. J. W. Dale,
H. O. Jones.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our customers for the splendid business we have enjoyed since the organization of the Farmers Mercantile Company, fourteen years ago. The good business you have given has helped this institution to grow wonderfully, and

we certainly feel very grateful to you for this confidence.

Under Mr. Jones the business will continue to give the same excellent service, and, as in the past, he will have the best interests of the customers at heart.

Mrs. Carrie Dale,
H. O. Jones.

WITH THE BAPTISTS

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.
Sunbeams, 2:00 p. m.
B. Y. P. U.'s 6:00 p. m.
Sunday evening pastor Stephens will speak on the subject, "Wanted—A Man."

FOR SALE—Battery charger, for storage batteries. Cleveland & Son.

Mrs. Marvin Goddard of Ennis is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Hunter, and other relatives.

"AMERICA"

QUEEN THEATRE, JAN. 29-30th

Be Not Deceived

PHONE 297

We are now ready and fully prepared to render a home laundry service to the people of Winters that they have never had before, for we have just installed—

Modern Laundry Equipment

Consisting of tumblers, steam washers, shirt presses, extractor and huge drying room.

We also have secured experienced help and will now give you real laundry service.

If you have not given us your business, we want you to give us a trial, and let us prove that our work is as good as the best.

Winters Steam Laundry

Pre-Inventory

STARTS SATURDAY JAN. 17th

SALE

STARTS SATURDAY JAN. 17th

Our entire stock of high class variety goods and staple merchandise will be placed on sale beginning Saturday. Everything in the store has been marked at cost, as we are going to give our customers the benefit, rather than include them in our inventory.

All 10c school goods 9c
Toilet paper, 6 rolls for 19c
Suitcases, each 1.39
Clark's O.N.T. embroidery thread, guaranteed fast colors, 3 skeins for 9c
Goods grade men's union suits, for 1.19
15c coat hangers 9c
Heavy galvanized tubs, 49c, 59c, 69c, 79c, 89c and 99c
Aluminum ware of all kinds.
Enamel ware worth investigating.
Tin cups 4c
Tin qt. and half gal. cups, each 9c
No. 2 lamp chimneys 9c
Ladies' Men's and childrens' sweaters at below cost.
Men's overalls, good grade 1.25
Men's wool shirts 1.40

Men's work shirts, good grade 65c
Ladies' house slippers 79c
Hose of all kinds at real bargains.
8 oz. water glasses, each 5c
Palmolive talcum powder, 2 for 19c
Plain white cups, saucers and plates, set 89c
Plain bowls in accordance with above.
42 piece decorated dinner set, fancy 7.89
Lard cans, 5 gal. 39c; 8 gal. 49c; and 10 gal 59c
Palmolive soap, 3 bars 19c
School tablets, 200 count, 2 for 9c
Crayolas, 2 boxes for 9c

Hundreds of other articles too numerous to mention. Come in and look. A look will convince you that we are giving you real bargains.

"WE SELL AS CHEAP AS ANYBODY"

Sykes Variety Store

1 door East of Queen Theatre

News from Puckett

A fruit supper was given by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Danford Saturday night. Quite a large crowd attended and every one reports a good time.

J. W. Price and family were visitors at E. J. Queen's Sunday. Mrs. J. T. Burns and daughter spent the day with Mrs. Ralph Burns Tuesday.

Collis Hall and wife were visitors at Wilmeth last Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Queen visited the school last Friday. Our school seems to be progressing nicely, but we insist the parents take more interest and co-operate with the teachers better.

Mrs. Mollie D. Smith spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denson of Wingate.

Mrs. Jim Danford spent the evening with Mrs. W. A. Mitchell last Friday evening.

Quite a few of our young folks saw the show "North of 36" last Thursday and Friday nights.

Miss Gayrene Mott had a sister to come from Mexico last Thursday for a visit to her mother, Mrs. Geo. Miller.

If nothing prevents, W. R. Hall will soon have the house he is building completed and his son will be ready to move into it.

A lot of sickness in our community but we are glad to report every one better. Puckett Reporter.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—House and lot in good location at a bargain if sold at once. See Latham at Curry Bros. 1f

FOR RENT—Business house on Main street to be ready for occupancy January 1st.—A. W. Jordan.

Nice young cows, fresh in milk, for sale at farm 3 miles north of Winters.—A. W. Jordan.

FOR SALE—Good kitchen, cabinet \$10.00, and one \$15.00. Nesco perfect oil cook stove complete, nearly new, \$25.00. Phone 122.

Pedigreed Black Hawk Jack to sell, trade or let out. See F. M. Seay, Winters.

Plain and fancy sewing. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. R. L. Farmer, phone No. 152.

FOR SALE—Good corner lot suitable for home site. See C. L. Logan if you want to build.

FOR SALE—Good milch cow. See J. H. Craig, Jordan Building, phone 295.

FOR SALE—Choice Texas Red Seed Oats, at farm 3 miles north of Winters. A. W. Jordan.

FOR SALE—One four burner Perfection Oil Stove with oven. Mrs. H. W. Lynn.

FOR SALE—Narragansit turkeys, Toms, \$8; hens 7; also 25 White Leghorn pullets, \$1 each. Mrs. Jim Eoff, phone 2121.

FURNITURE—New five piece ivory breakfast suit \$18.50; \$40.00 Dresser \$32.50; good rocker \$3.50; three burner New Perfection stove with two burner oven, used 3 months, \$15.00. Phone 122.

LOST—Baby's fur neck piece on streets of Winters. Finder please notify Owens Drug Store or phone 183.

Five room house and two lots to sell or trade. Will take good team of mules in trade. Price \$1600. H. L. Stooksberry.

Hollywood Theatre

The Home of Good Pictures

The Hollywood Orchestra conducted by Frank Hall plays our pictures.

THIS FRIDAY

A TRUE TO LIFE DRAMA

"The Clean Heart or Cruelties of Life"

This is an unusual picture. Percy Marmon and Marguerite De LaMotte are the stars.

THIS SATURDAY

William Farnum in
"The Scuttlers"

A westerner that will thrill you.

MONDAY—ONE DAY

A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

"Tiger Love"

Featuring Antonio Moreno and Estelle Taylor

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20-21

A William Fox production

"Dante's Inferno"

A story that has been interlaced with main narrative of Dante's visit to hell. See it.

—Special music by Hollywood Orchestra.—

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 22 and 23

A stirring drama of a stage career.

"Greater Than Marriage"

Coming soon "PETER PAN"

Back in Business

I have bought the grocery business of Graham & Pumphrey and will continue the business at the same stand. I cordially invite those who have been customers of theirs to continue to trade with me. If you have not been a customer of theirs I invite you to give me a share of your trade. I shall endeavor to keep a full line of staple and fancy groceries and your wants in that line will be supplied at all times.

Your patronage will be cheerfully appreciated. Prompt delivery service.

YOURS TO SERVE,

W. A. Dry

—PHONE 251—

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The Passing Day

(Will H. Mayes)
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One can't live in Austin or any other capital long without noticing the propensity of people to kowtow to those in authority. Just now the kowtowing season is on in full force because of the change of state officials and the kowtowers are work-overtime. It happens every two years when a set of new officers are elected, and it is no worse now than it has been in the past. Proper courtesy and consideration should be shown newly elected state officials and they should be welcomed and made to feel at home in their new surroundings and with their new duties, but their reception often approaches too nearly that once accorded sovereigns coming into office, who are likely to feel that the subservient spirit shown is attributable to a desire to receive favors rather than to extend them.

This statement is made now only because public attention is centered on the incoming state administration and not because the reception accorded the administrative officials is any different from that shown other new administrations. It may be a bit more elaborate because we are living in a decade that does things more elaborately than our predecessors did, but it is the same spirit that has been shown in very country in the world since there has been organized government. It is largely a survival of the old hero worship, the disposition to doff our hats to praise even unduly those who have achieved any kind of victory regarded as worth-while, and after all there is something commendable in the spirit that prompts it if only it is not overworked, and if it is consistently followed up.

A fault with the American public is that it is too impulsive and is too inclined to praise today and forget or condemn tomorrow. It is too prone to make heroes of those in the public eye for the time and to overlook even greater public service. A governor is a great person when inaugurated, according to popular view, but of little importance when going out of office. It is recalled that a few years ago an inauguration ceremony was delayed for a time because in its eagerness to see that every attention was paid the incoming governor, the committee forgot to escort the retiring governor to the hall where he was formally to turn over his office to his successor. The one had rendered the State four years of service, the other was expected to render a service.

If we really want to show our appreciation of worth-while action and heroic conduct we do not have to go very far from home to find those worthy of our homage. Every community has a few people who are making struggles as heroic as any ever fought on battle-field or won on political platforms. There are

fathers and mothers all about us who are giving their lives—the best that is in them—to the discharge of duties, many of which are not of their own choosing. They are doing this without any expectation or hope of reward and even with the knowledge that their services will not be appreciated or even known. It is a pity that the heroes of the homes cannot occasionally be made to feel that what they do is worth-while, that those who serve their neighbors or their communities in countless small ways may not be honored now and then.

The fact that people do not always see returns for their services should not discourage anyone in any worthy worth-while effort. After all, the greatest reward of any altruistic effort is in the work itself and in the satisfaction the work brings to the one doing it. It is difficult to impress this on the young but as we grow older we come to know that the plaudits of the populace amounts to very little, and most of us come to care less for it. Almost every week I meet an old man, now past eighty, who in his younger days did splendid service to the State and Nation, and still does what he can with his feeble strength to help make the world a better place in which to live. At times it seems that the busy world has almost forgotten him, but he cares naught for that, and derives his greatest satisfaction from still being able to go about his work, although the world pays little heed now to what he does.

The American Press is responsible for the story of a dispute between a merchant and a newspaper man of South Dakota concerning advertising. The press says: "An editor and a merchant were discussing the virtue of billboard advertising. The merchant contended that more people read the billboards than newspapers. After a lengthy conversation in which neither man would give in, the men parted. The next week the merchant came tearing down the street to the newspaper office wanting to know why the obituary of his wife's mother wasn't in the paper, especially after he had seen that a copy was taken to the newspaper office. 'Well,' said the editor, 'I knew you wanted the obituary read by the people, so I took it out and nailed it up on your billboard.'"

**U. S. CIVIL SERVICE
WILL HOLD EXAM.**

An open competitive examination under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, for the position of clerk in the postoffice at Winters, Texas, will be held on February 7, 1925, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m.

Applications for this examination must be made on the prescribed form, which, with necessary instructions, may be obtained from the Commissioner's local representative, Local Secretary, at the Winters, Texas postoffice or from the undersigned.

All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and file their applications with the undersigned at once in order to allow time for any necessary corrections and to arrange for the examination.

Secretary, Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, New Orleans, La.

HE WAS EXCUSED

"I want to be excused," said a worried looking jurymen addressing the Judge. "I owe a man \$10 and as he is leaving for a post abroad to be gone for some years, I want to catch him before he gets on board and pay him the \$10. It will be my last chance."

"You are excused," returned his honor in icy tones. "I don't want anybody on the jury who can lie like that."

The Enterprise \$1.50 per year.

ECZEMA

THE only one of those false free treatment offers you have seen so many times. We don't offer to give you something for nothing—but we do guarantee that you can try this wonderful treatment entirely at our risk, and this guarantee is backed by your local doctor.

GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salvo and Soap) has been sold under absolute money back guarantee for more than thirty years. They are especially compounded for the treatment of Eczema, Itch, Ring Worm, Tetter, and other itching skin diseases.

Thousands of letters testify to their curative properties. M. Timberlin, a reputable goods dealer in Durant, Oklahoma, says: "I suffered with Eczema for ten years, and spent \$1,000.00 for doctors' treatments, without result. One box of HUNT'S CURE entirely cured me."

Don't fail to give HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salvo and Soap) a trial. All druggists handle.

OWENS DRUG STORE

BE A SELF-STARTER

One of the greatest improvements of the automobile is the self-starter, now found on all but the cheapest kind of cars, which need to be cranked by hand.

This device suggests the reflection that a very large proportion of the human family require something of like nature.

They lack initiative, volutary effort; they need cranking in the form of orders or directions, before doing anything worth while.

The men and women who succeed best in life, and get the most out of it, are of the self-starter type. They don't want to be told or advised what to understand, but proceed of their own accord to do things.

The great inventors, such as Edison, are all of this sort. They are originators, not mere followers or imitators, and they rank among the chief benefactors of the world.

So it is in business, literature, art, the various industries, and, in fact, all occupations. Success in each is dependent chiefly upon originality or initiative.

So let every young man or young woman resolve to be a self-starter

LOQUACITY

Distracted Spouse—It's the way you've changed. I can't understand Bill; you always was kind to dumb animals and all that, and yet when it comes to —

Bill—Well, yer try bein' dumb and see how yer get on!

"AMERICA"

QUEEN THEATRE, JAN. 29-30th

LANKFORD'S BREAD
A Whole Loaf of Goodness!

A NUT BROWN LOAF WRAPPED IN SANITARY PACKAGE; DELICIOUS, SWEET, APPETIZING AND GOOD FOR KIDDIES AND GROWN-UPS.

LANKFORD'S BAKERY

Letter of Thanks

To our friends and customers of Runnels county, we wish to extend our thanks for their splendid co-operation during the year 1924, and to wish them the best in health and happiness for the New Year.

The stability of a practice depends upon the foundation upon which it is builded. We have built ours on merit, honesty, and trustworthiness. Our many satisfied patients will gladly testify to the efficiency of our work.

For the convenience of the people of Runnels county we are now maintaining offices at both Winters and Ballinger.

Trusting that when you are in need of health service, you will give us a trial, we are,

Yours for better health,

Crowder & Craig

C. A. Doose Bldg. Ballinger Jordan Bldg. Winters

Amalie Oils
100 per cent Pure Pennsylvania

Would not be approved by the designing engineers of the motors in 207 different makes of automotive vehicles, if they had not been uniformly high in quality for many years.

Shipped only in sealed packages.

Texhoma Oil & Refining Co.
W. L. HINDS, Agent

TO MY FRIENDS!

I HAVE PURCHASED THE NEAL BAKER BARBER SHOP, AND WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS CALL AND SEE ME.

E. M. HALL
(Formerly with Winters Barber Shop)

Texaco Filling Station

Having purchased of Key and Sons the Texaco Filling Station, I wish to announce to the public that I expect to give you the very best of service and will appreciate a share of your business.

We will use Texaco products, and whatever your needs may be in our line, if it's just free air or water, drive in. There is always a man at your service.

Texaco Filling Station
Wm. A. MITCHELL, Prop.

The Busy Housewife

The busy housewife, who finds her time for marketing limited, will appreciate this store. When she phones us an order, she may be sure that she will receive the same quality groceries she would choose were she selecting them herself. She will not have to worry about wether or not they will be delivered in time. WE ARE DEPENDABLE. When we say "yes"—WE WILL.

CALL US ON THE PHONE—WE'LL DELIVER YOUR ORDER

SPEER BROTHERS
PHONE 45

"Golden Bell Flour"
"Cream of the Harvest"

The Producer and the Consumer

FRIEND HOUSEWIFE:—

When it comes to your baking, you as the producer, must use every care in the choice of your raw materials that your results may be up to your expectations. You can depend on—

"Golden Bell Flour"

Only the choicest of our local farmers' wheat goes into because we, like you, are discriminating producers.

"Golden Bell Flour"

Where the same careful attention is given to baking which is given—

"Golden Bell Flour"

in the milling, the results are of a quality and excellence that give universal satisfaction.

Every sack is fully guaranteed and we are not satisfied unless you are.

C. L. Green Milling & Grain Co.
WINTERS, TEXAS.

Creosene Stops Sore and Bleeding Gums in 12 Hours

This new discovery is a pleasant penetrating liquid medicated with gum-tissue healing and germ-destroying ingredients used by the dental profession, which carries the medication direct to the roots of the teeth, relieving pain, tightening loose teeth, healing pus pockets and killing the germ that leads to pyorrhoea, thereby accomplishing at home in a pleasant way, all the good benefits of a treatment in the dental chair without the pain and expense. Recommended by
JACKSON-HOLCOMB DRUG CO.

MIGHT SPOIL THEM

Book Agent—Have you any children in school?
Farmer—Yes!
Agent—You're just the man. Why not buy them an encyclopedia?
Farmer—Waal, it might be all right for the girl—but, by gum, the boys ain't no better than me—and I had to walk to school when I was a boy.

NO DOUBT

"Gee, there's an awful lot of girls stuck on me."
"Yeah. They must be an awful lot."

\$5,000 A YEAR TO MRS. WILSON

Honey Grove Signal:
A bill has been introduced asking Congress to pay Mrs. Woodrow Wilson \$5,000 a year during her life. We do not know whether an annuity is being paid the widow of any other President, but if so, the spirit of our country is being violated as it would be paying Mrs. Wilson an annuity. Woodrow Wilson was a great man, and served his country well, but was well paid for his work. Mrs. Wilson is comparatively a rich woman, and it would be a great injustice to the toiling masses for Congress to vote her money she hasn't earned or doesn't need. It is hard for our own dear country to get away from the snobbery of Europe. Giving money to persons for no other reason than they have occupied a high position does not fit into the scheme of this republic.

WORDS FOR TEXAS SONG MADE PUBLIC

Austin, Texas.—The new Texas song, for which a prize of \$1000 was offered, was given to the public today by Governor Pat M. Neff, through whom the award was offered.

The words were written by Mrs. Gladys Yoakum Wright and William J. Marsh of Fort Worth. Mr. Marsh composed the music. Payment of the prize is contingent upon the acceptance of the song by the legislature. The money is contributed by patriotic citizens.

As originally written, the composition contained three stanzas but the committee on selection decided that only the first and third stanzas should constitute the official song. Governor Neff was of the opinion that only three verses should be included and he expects to make this recommendation to the legislature.

A large number of songs were offered in the competition. The air of the music is said to be in keeping with the theme of the words. The words, as originally submitted, follow:

TEXAS, OUR TEXAS

Texas, Our Texas!
All hail the mighty state!
Texas, Our Texas!
So wonderful, so great!
Largest and grandest,
Withstanding every test;
O Empire, wide and glorious,
You stand supremely blest.

Chorus:

God bless you, Texas,
And keep you brave and strong,
That you may grow in power and worth
Throughout the ages long.

Texas, O Texas!

Your free-born Single Star
Send out her radiance
To nations near and far.
Emblem of freedom!
It sets our hearts aglow
With thoughts of San Jacinto,
And glorious Alamo.

Texas, dear Texas!

From tyrant grip now free,
Shines forth in splendor.

POSTED!

All persons found hunting or trespassing in any way on my place east of Winters will be persecuted by law. Fair warning.—Bud Queen.

COMANCHE VOTERS STRONG FDF BONDS

Comanche Enterprise:

The bond election Tuesday came much nearer being all one way than the most sanguine supporter of the movement expected. The vote for the water bonds was 375 for bonds to 75 against, or exactly 5 to 1. The gas bonds carried by 372 for gas to 65 against, nearly five and three-fourths to one. This is a fine showing of public sentiment, and practically insures the sale of the bonds when the time ripens for it, at a good price without quibbling or delay. With such an increased supply of soft water as is contemplated in constructing the drainage reservoir, and with a gas supply afforded by the funds authorized for the purpose, Comanche will be able to attract increased manufacturing industries, a larger number of wage-workers, and an enlarged local market for farm products, besides making the town a more desirable place in which to live. After waiting some years for prosperity to come to us, it now looks like we were going out after it, and that brings home the bacon.

WASHED OR DRY CLEANED

A colored Baptist preacher had just finished an enthusiastic exhortation. "Now brudders and sisters, come up to de alter an' hab yo' sins washed away."

All came but one man. "Brudder Washington don't yo' want yo' sins washed away?" "I done had my sins washed away."

"Yo' has! Where'd yo' git hit done?"

"Over at the Mefodist church." "Ah, Brudder Washington, yo' ain't been washed. Yo' jest been dry-cleaned."

'TIS TRUE

It has just about gotten so in this country that when a fellow gets his automobile tax paid he don't have much left to pay his other taxes with.

LOST—Black and sandy pig, weight about 50 pounds. Last heard of 4 miles north of Winters. Reward if notify R. S. Stone, telephone B. C. Lee, phone 1240.

WHY MEN FAIL

There is a cause for everything. Nothing ever "just happens." If a man is promoted to a better job there is a cause. If a man loses his job there is also a cause.

There are many causes that lead to failure. Here is a list of the most common causes:

1. Finding fault with the other fellow but never seeing your own.
2. Doing just as little as possible and trying to get just as much as possible for it.
3. Spending too much time showing up the other fellow's weak points and too little time correcting your own.
4. Slandering those you do not like.
5. Procrastination—putting off until tomorrow something that you should have done day before yesterday.
6. Deceit—talking friendly to the other fellow's face and stabbing him in the back as soon as he turns around.
7. False belief that you are smart enough to reap a harvest of pay before sowing a crop of honest service.
8. Disloyalty to those who have trusted you.
9. Egotism—that belief that you know it all and no one can teach you anything.
10. Last, but not least, lack of the necessary training and education to enable you to stand at the head of your line of work.

Look this list over and check yourself up by it. If none of these causes for failure apply to you, then you are to be congratulated, because you are a SUCCESS!


LOHN SCHOOL GIRL WRITES AN ESSAY AND WINS PRIZE

Brady Sentinel:
The following essay, written by Miss Lola Cagle, a young school girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cagle, of Lohn, is a worthy effort for which she was awarded a prize offered by Fred Lohn, for the best essay on "Mother."

Good corner lot for sale on Parsonage street. Apply at Enterprise office.

"AMERICA"

QUEEN THEATRE, JAN. 29-30th



The Buick Valve-In-Head Engine starts easily—runs smoothly, even at zero. Buick has an exclusive, automatic heat control on the carburetor that takes the ordinary annoyance out of cold weather driving.

One proof of Buick is in cold weather starting and driving

DAVIS-PATRICK MOTOR CO.

When Better Automobiles are Built, Buick Will Build Them



**Children like
Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets**
Don't struggle trying to get your children to take bitter, evil tasting laxatives.
Get a package of **DR. MILES' Laxative Tablets** and the children will beg for them — they taste so good.
Adults and children find these tablets mild, sure and thorough.
Your druggist sells them at pre-war prices—25 doses 25 cents.

Annual Clearance Sale

4 Days Januray 21-22-23-24 4 Days

We find after invoicing that we are stocked on a lot of drug items and sundries, and in order to reduce stock for new goods we are making the following prices for four days only—January 21, 22, 23 and 24.

Come in and see, and if we don't have values, don't buy. All items cash. Don't ask to have them charged.

| Pure Foods | Rubber Sundries | Toilet Articles | Household Preparations | Stationery |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 55c raspberry jam, 15 oz. 30c | \$2.50 Nyal fountain syringe 1.40 | 50c Jonteel face powder 35c | \$1.00 purest Aspirin tablets, 60c | \$1.00 Rexall Iron and Cascara tonic 60c |
| 55c strawberry jam, 15 oz. 30c | \$2.00 Nyal hot water bottle 1.25 | \$1.00 bouquet Ramee powder 60c | 25c purest 1 lb. Epsom Salts, 15c | \$1.00 Rexall cod liver oil emulsion 60c |
| 55c grape jam, 15 oz. 30c | 5c Kantleak nipples 3c | 50c Sytia Ramee powder 35c | \$1.00 purest Russian Mineral Oil 60c | \$1.00 Rexall cherry bark cough syrup 60c |
| 35c grape jelly, 7 oz. 20c | 25c ear and ulcer syringe 15c | 50c Sytia rouge powder 35c | 25c purest 1 oz. Tr. Iodine 15c | 50c Rexall cherry bark cough syrup 30c |
| 40c peanut butter, 10 oz. 25c | 50c adhesive plaster 30c | 25c medicated skin soap 15c | 20c purest Boric Acid 15c | 50c Rexall effervescent phosphate soda 35c |
| 40c fancy whole cherries, 7 oz. 30c | | 25c tar soap 15c | 25c purest 1 lb. Sulphur 15c | |
| \$1.50 1-2 gal. grape juice 1.10 | | 10c toilet soap 8c | 50c purest 100 Cascarian Pills 30c | 75c Symphony Lawn stationery 50c |
| 75c qt. grape juice 60c | | \$1.00 Florida water 60c | 50c purest 100 C C Pills 30c | 75c Revelation plad stationery 40c |
| 40c pt. grape juice 35c | | 50c emulsion cocoanut shampoo 35c | 50c purest 100 Bladus Pills 30c | 50c 1 lb. stationery 30c |
| 4 oz. grape juice 7c | | 75c toilet water, asst. 50c | 25c carbohic salve 15c | 35c envelopes 20c |
| \$1.00 Leggitts olive oil 60c | | 35c Rexall shaving cream 20c | 50c Rexall kidney pills 30c | 10c ruled tablets 7c |
| | Combs and Brushes | 35c Rexall shaving powder 20c | 50c Rexall liver pills 30c | 10c unruled tablets 7c |
| | \$1.75 1 lb. box candy 1.25 | 35c Rexall shaving stick 20c | \$1.00 Rexall syrup hypophos 60c | 5c pencils 3c |
| | 35c 1-2 lb. Meek Chocolate 20c | 75c Columbia phonograph records 45c | | 5c erasers 3c |
| | \$1.50 1 lb. box candy 1.00 | | | |
| | 5c Leggit Gum 3c | | | |
| | 5c Leggit Mints 3c | | | |
| | \$1.00 lb. box candy 60c | | | |
| | 75c hair brush 1.00 | | | |
| | \$1.25 hair brush 75c | | | |
| | 75c hair brush 40c | | | |
| | 75c hair combs 50c | | | |
| | 35c tooth brushes 20c | | | |
| | 50c tooth brushes 35c | | | |
| | 75c clothes brush 40c | | | |

The City Drug Company

The Rexall Store - - Phone 35

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Farmer had as their guests Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Thomas of Lampasas and Mrs. S. M. Farmer of Mile.

People's Cafe

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

I have purchased the People's Cafe and invite the patrons and customers to call and see me.

I will serve good wholesome foods at all times, and will endeavor to give the best restaurant service possible.

SPECIAL CHICKEN DINNER SATURDAY

R. W. Powell

O. E. S. MEETING

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star Monday, Jan. 19th, at 7:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present. Visitors are cordially invited.

Mrs. Lee Tinkle, W. M.
F. J. Brophy, Sec.

OPENING SHOE SHOP

J. L. Carsey of Wichita Falls has opened up a shoe shop in the building formerly occupied by Cornelison Bros.

Machinery and equipment are now being placed in readiness for operation. Mr. Carsey is an expert boot and shoe maker and is now ready for business. He invites you to call around.

BUYS BARBER SHOP

E. M. Hall, formerly with the Winters Barber Shop, has purchased the Neal Baker shop, next door to Enterprise office, and would be glad to see his friends at this location.

MESDAMES SPEER ENTERTAINS

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Speer was a scene of simple loveliness on Thursday evening of last week when the Mesdames Dewey and Larkin Speer honored about forty guests with one of the most elaborate parties of the season.

The home was one of rare beauty in its artistic decorations; a color scheme of pink and green being carried out, making a very attractive setting for the eight tables of "42" which were arranged. Immense clusters of chrysanthemums in the rich and autumn shades were artistically arranged in pretty wicker baskets. Also graceful pink and white roses in slender cut glass vases caught with dainty bows of green mulline, marked the key note to the beautiful decorations. The lights being delicately shaded into one pink glow added to the cheerfulness and carried out the color scheme of pink and green.

After the guests arrived they were shown into the beautiful dining room where they drew partners for "42" after which they went into the series of games. Chocolates, mints and salted peanuts were served during the evening.

At the close of the games, Mrs. I. H. Hodge won high score and was presented with a box of beautiful Madeira handkerchiefs and Messrs. J. H. Hodge and Tom Fry tied for high score, and a handsome smoking set was given to Mr. Hodge.

A delicious refreshment course consisting of bread and butter sandwiches, chicken salad, stuffed olives, potato chips, hot tea, angel food cake and chocolate topped with whipped cream. Attractive little Japanese favors were used.

Those who enjoyed Mrs. Speer's hospitality were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Taylor, Tommy Fry, J. H. Hodge, Marvin Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Roberts.

The Misses Carrie Flynt, Ora Parker, Loyce Korneray, Peggy Bartlett, Jewell Harris, Gladys Flynt, Pauline Dunn, and Zelma Brown.

Messrs. W. B. Ramsaur of Austin, Bill Carlisle, Ralph Lloyd, Faris, Callan and Luther Haynes.

NEW DUMP GROUND READY

I have provided a dump ground that is especially used for disposing of rubbish from the city, such as tin cans. I have prepared this ground at considerable expense and am now ready to see that rubbish is hauled away from your premises at a small charge. All this refuse is buried as required by rules of sanitation and I will be glad to have my wagons answer calls from any one.

SAM KIRBY, City Marshal.

The Enterprise \$1.50 per year.

PICTURE APPROVED BY LOCAL CRITICS IS BOOKED

"Janice Meredith," Marion Davies' new picture, a romance of the days of the Revolution, was viewed at a private screening by the Parent-Teachers' Association members and members of the school faculty Tuesday afternoon, and received their highest endorsement and praise and was booked for a run at the Hollywood Theatre on Jan. 26-27, on the recommendation of those who saw it.

Men who have made history, heroes of '76, names famous in every country, appear in this magnificent dramatic photoplay.

Paul Revere, George Washington, General Cornwallis, Patrick Henry, Benjamin Franklin, Alexander Hamilton, the Marquis de Lafayette, Major Pitcairn, King Louis XVI, and Lord Howe—all prominent figures in the early history of the American republic, are enacted by well-known players in one of the most beautiful productions on the screen.

Martha Washington and Marie Antoinette also are present for a share of the glory of this interesting and exciting period of history.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between Sam Goldsobel and David Goldman operating under the name of G. & G. Dry Goods Co., in Winters, Texas, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1925; that all debts owing to the said company are to be received by the said David Goldman at the G. & G. Dry Goods Co., in Winters, Texas, and all demands against said company are to be presented to him there; that said business will continue under the same name with David Goldman as proprietor.

Sam Goldsobel,
David Goldman.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between J. W. Tanner and C. E. Jones operating under the name of Tanner-Jones Dry Goods Co., in Winters, Runnels county, Texas, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1925; that all debts owing to the said company are

to be received by the J. W. Tanner Dry Goods Company, Winters, Texas, under which said business shall hereafter be known; that all demands against said business now due and payable are to be presented to the J. W. Tanner Dry Goods Company for payment; that J. W. Tanner is the sole proprietor of the J. W. Tanner Dry Goods Company.



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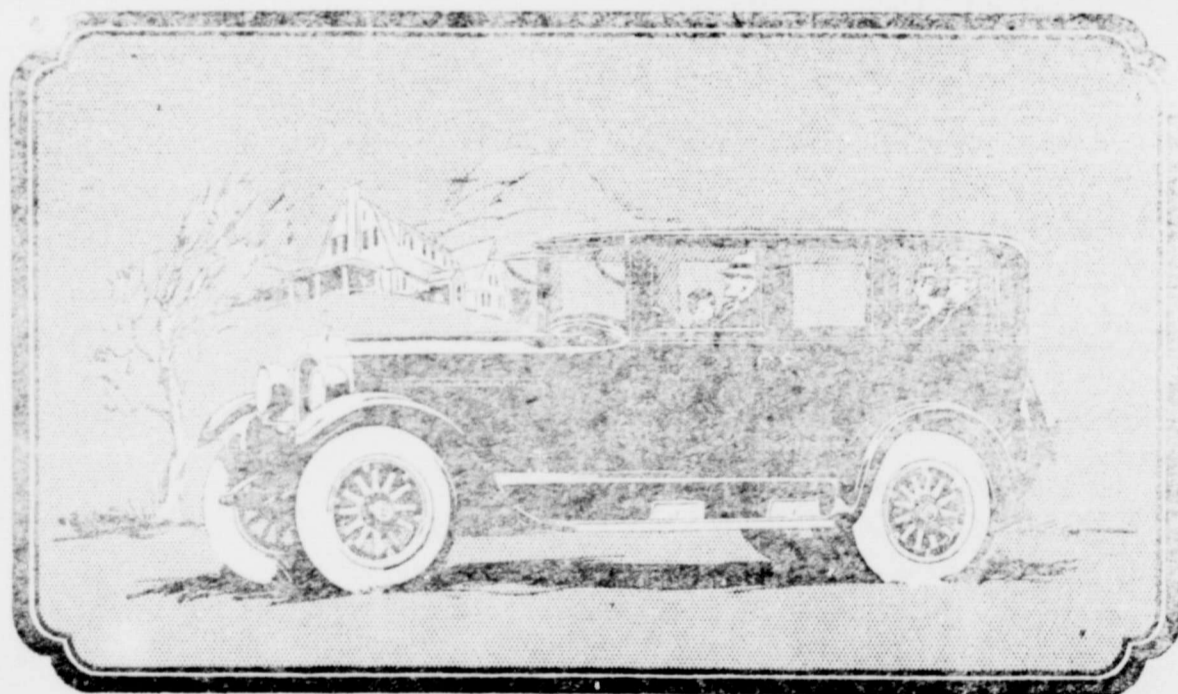
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A thrill-a-minute, laugh-a-second Mack Sennett Comedy

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JANUARY 19-20TH

George Arliss in a powerful drama of human love

"The Man Who Played God"

HE HELD THE WORLD
 spell-bound at his feet while from his sensitive fingers tips came harmonies that brought the plaudits of the multitude. He won a beautiful girl's wondrous soul. A universe was his. And then—silence! Despair! Hopelessness! The world forgot. The girl shrank from him. Fate told of afflictions greater than his own. Then began the game of playing God. Then came peace, joy a new love, a new, more kindly world.

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Also "GOLF BUGS" a two reel comedy.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY JANUARY 21-22

Barbara La Marr in

"The White Moth"

It has its beautiful women; its expensive gowns; its lavish sets and primarily it has dramatic situations that will appeal to every movie fan.

"SITTING PRETTY" a Pathe Comedy

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23rd

"American Manners"

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Lightning fast action, plus hair-raising thrills, plus delightful romance, plus a star that everybody loves. That's the kind of picture that spells entertainment and that's the kind of a picture you're getting in this one. Great entertainment is waiting for you in "American Manners." Come out and get your share of it.

"WATCH YOUR STEP" comedy

\$150 TURKEY BOUGHT BY A SAN SABA MAN

Brownwood News:
 R. J. Edwards, a leading poultry man of San Saba received this week from Bird Bros. at Mayeville, Pa., a fine giant Bronze turkey tom, for which he paid the fancy price of \$150.00. This is the highest price yet paid by a San Saba poultry raiser for one turkey. Mrs. T. A. Garrett of Richland Springs owns the highest priced turkey in the county, a mammoth Bronze tom for which she paid \$200. Both Mrs. Garrett and Mr. Edwards are large producers of the finest strains of standard bred white Leghorn chickens.

DANTE'S INFERNO IS COMING TO HOLLYWOOD

The William Fox production, "Dante's Inferno" will be at the Hollywood Theatre, next Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 20 and 21.

This picture seems to be all that has been claimed for it. Lakes of fire and brimstone, sinners swinging over red-hot flames, and the gleaming forms of hundreds of girls representing the souls of sinning sinners which have passed on to their reward are among the fantastic scenes. A present day story has been interlarded with the main narrative (that of Dante's visit to Hell) and relates some dramatic events in the life of a millionaire who oppresses family and friends until one victim, on the verge of suicide, sends his oppressor a curse, written on the fly leaf of Dante's famous "Inferno" poem. As the enraged man begins to look through the book his spirit is transported to the nether regions where he re-travels the journey described by Dante.

Read the Enterprise.

A GOOD LAXATIVE

Black-Draught Recommended by an Illinois Lady, Who Says It Helps Her.—"Fine for the Liver."

St. Elmo, Ill.—"I have used Black-Draught for three years," says Mrs. J. W. Boyd, a well-known member of this community. "I was visiting a friend who had used it for some time. I was in need of a laxative and I had a burning in my stomach. I was constipated. She gave me a dose of Black-Draught and it helped me, so I used it from then on. It certainly benefited me. I think it is fine for the liver, too. I am glad to recommend it. "One day our pastor was visiting us, and he said his system seemed clogged and asked me to give him something to take. I gave him Black-Draught. He was much pleased with the results and bought a package, himself."

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AUTO DELINQUENTS NOW PAYING FINES

Ballinger Daily Ledger:

"Don't bring 'em before me, if you want to show any sympathy," said Justice of the Peace Willingham, in discussion with traffic officers enforcement of the auto license law, and Judge Willingham assessed two fines against delinquents.

"I have no authority for excusing them," said Judge Willingham, "and if they have violated the law there is only one thing for me to do." The court stated that where a man lived in the country and had not been to town since January 1st, and who came to town for the purpose of obtaining his auto license, and who went direct to the court house and paid same, no fine would be assessed.

The officers are on the alert, and are treating all delinquents alike. Parties who have not paid are taking chances of not only paying for the auto registration, but a fine, which in most cases amounts to more than the cost of an auto number plate.

Up to Wednesday night the records showed that 3355 autos had been registered for 1925, as compared with 4379 last year. Figuring that there are as many motor vehicles in the county as were registered last year, there are more than one thousand delinquent.

Last year 273 trucks were registered, and 218 trucks have been registered for 1925. Transfers to the number of 325 have been made as compared with 1793 transfers made last year. Many of the transfers registered this year were on deals made last year and where the parties were waiting to register cars for 1925 before also having the transfer recorded.

The rush around the tax collector's office is not as great as a few days ago, but the people as a rule are paying their taxes earlier than usual. They are not waiting until the last day grace, which is January 31st. The penalty goes on then and a poll tax issued after that date is not worth the privilege of voting. Polls to the number of 2878 have been issued, which is less than half of the possible total.

THAT'S WHAT WE SAY

An eminent scientist tells us that in one hundred years there will be nothing in the world for us to laugh at. Well, who in thunder would feel like laughing one hundred years from now?

A four tube RCA radio set for sale cheap. Uses no aerial. Cleveland & Son.

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THE POWER OF A MENTAL ATTITUDE

Texas Christian Advocate:

A mental attitude does not have quite the power that some folks claim for it. It cannot do away with sickness and disease—indeed it cannot even make void the effect which they produce. Nevertheless, within its legitimate sphere, a mental attitude is a mighty power. No truth has been more clearly demonstrated within the past few years than this. It is no uncommon thing to hear it said that what you want the next generation to believe is to put into the schools of today. That philosophy, wrongly applied wrought havoc, as we know only too well. But a mental attitude is as potent a factor for good as it is a powerful agency for evil. It depends on what the attitude is. The greatest business in which any of us can engage is to come into the positive experience of the real presence of God. "To arrive where God is," as St. Augustine beautifully said, "is nothing else but to will to go—to will God entirely is to have him." Whether or not we habitually open or close our lives to God is dependent upon our deepest, and therefore our controlling thought. The way must be kept open if we would be susceptible to spiritual realities. He who accepts religion as a mere matter of course has never learned to think deeply about that which concerns him most. The lives which are flooded with the Divine Presence are those which are constantly welcoming him.

CARD OF THANKS

To the friends who gave us kindly assistance, and did for us all that friends can do, we wish to express our sincere appreciation.

When death comes into the home and takes the loved ones, friends mean more than at any other time and we want to say that your kind words and sympathy have meant more to us than words can express.

Ralph Brown and children.
 C. A. Brown.
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 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roberts.

GEORGE ARLISS IN POWERFUL DRAMA AT QUEEN

There is a strange fascination about the new George Arliss photoplay, "The Man Who Played God," because in this picture sensation, booked by manager Hodge for the Queen Theatre for two days beginning Monday, January 19th, Mr. Arliss has the role of a man who, due to great suffering, has found pleasure in helping others about him who are suffering. "The Man Who Played God," a United Artists Corporation Release, is a thrilling drama, with here and there the delicate threads of life's greatest themes dangling loose for the spectator to pick up and study.

As John Arden, George Arliss presents a perfect study of a man who achieves one of life's greatest rewards—the knowledge of self-sacrifice, the satisfaction of knowing that he has been able to relieve the needs and the distress of those about him whose suffering perhaps exceeds his own.

Those who see "The Man Who Played God," at the Queen Theatre will see a miracle worked, in the case of one man. Nothing short of a miracle could change John Arden from bad to good! As a story of regeneration, it must be seen by every picture lover.

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"Th' ain't no sense in thinkin' the whole blame world is bad, jest because your station seems to you a trifle sad. Ye can't live up all creation in the way you want to go, you and your corner ain't the whole dern works, ye know.

What a nerve to set there grumblin' 'bout the treatment that you've got from the world and all that's in it and your miserabul lot. Why the world don't know ye are livin' you and your pitiful stue, and if it does it's too darn busy tendin' to bigger things than you.

Ye're a pretty small perteter in this big ole universe and your hull darn run's so piifillin' twist yer cradle and yer hearse. Yet to hear ye moan and holler all the doggone livelong day ye'd think 'at all out doors depended on things comin' jest your way.

Jest supposin' everybody got to fellin' that same way, that the only hope for everything was fer 'em to have their say, that otherwise earth and Heaven would come tumblin' down a wreck. 'Twould be a heck of a world to live in—now wouldn't it be heck?

Lela was in a morose mood the other night. She had decided that nobody loved her and even made the statement that if she should die there wouldn't be a single person outside her family who would act as pall-bearers. We told her we would act as a pall bearer and that made the second time that we got slapped that evening.

I have a grand and glorious brain; I cheerfully admit it. My skull sustains a dreadful strain—some day that thing may split it. No one can get an argument from me, anent my greatness. I grab each honeyed compliment and bear it with sedateness. Yet there is one who knows me well and does not grow excited—who does not think that I ring the bell or that I should be knighted. And when it comes to bailing hay and toting home the bacon, she knows that I am a clumsy jay and half the time mistaken. Though hep to what a flop I am, she does not up and leave me—her knowledge that I'm such a ham you'd think would deeply grieve me. Yet I am meeker than a sheep in her clear-visioned presence. My goat I manage still to keep and make a show of pleasure. For with her wisdom goes a love that sticks in spite of knowledge—A knowledge far and far above the kind one gets in college. She keeps my large pneumatic skull from bursting out with vanity—I simply know that I cannot gull this dame who reeks with sanity. Could she prevent I'd never make a jack-ass of myself; a partner true, she'd not forsake for countless bags of pelf. That governor and balance wheel who regulates my life (this is superfluous I feel) is no one but my wife!

Some flies remind us of some persons. A fly will light on that very instrument of death, the fly swatter, and because of his good sense of choosing that lighting place the next time he will take a risk and see just how close he can get to it and still save his life. A man will put over a big deal successfully by just coming within the law and then he gains more confidence and puts a crook in the next deal, bringing misery to himself and dozens of others.

Another New Year's day has come. It's nineteen and twenty-five, so we will cut out our bad habits, we are as full as a bee hive. No more we'll drink the deadly hootch, or smoke the cigarette, and from our friends we will not mooch, we will not even bet. We're done with bumming around at nights, our money we will save, no more we'll be at ten round fights, to cheer and wildly wave. When girlies meet us on the street, we'll look the other way. The narrow path will guide our feet, or nine we'll hit the hay. No more we'll play rotation pool, and poker is taboo. We'll live up to the golden rule and do what we should do. We'll cut out all sarcastic spells, and do it all the while. It's funny how we scheme and plan, to be an earthly saint, yet New Year's eve do all we can to turn things red with paint. And queerest yet, is that we fail to keep our vows so dear, for soon we take the same old tar, 'till New Year's eve next year.

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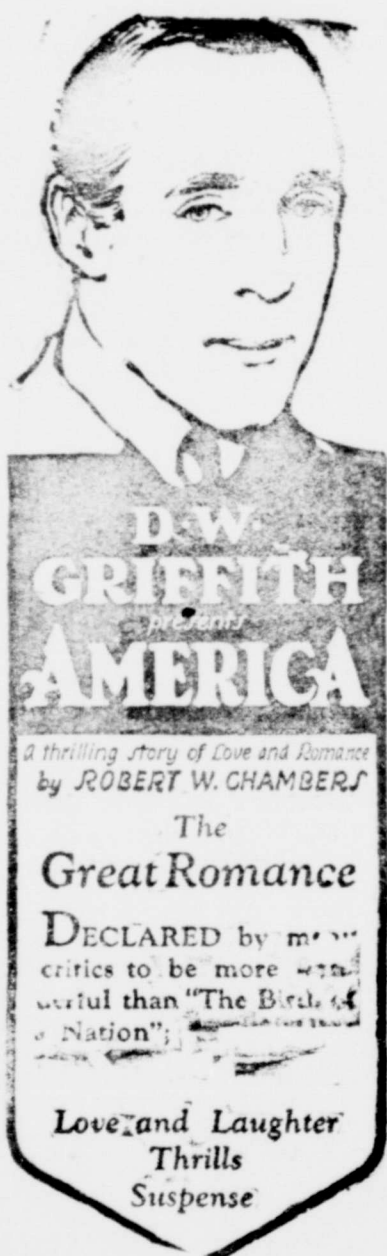
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TWO DAYS, JAN.
29 and 30.

DRASCO

Miss Lula Smith has returned to her school duties at McMurry college in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott and Mrs. Ed Belew are visiting relatives near Lamesa.

The missionary society of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon.

The missionary society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon.

Prayer meeting was led by Hugh Baker Wednesday night. Walter Smith will lead next time.

Rankin Pace is attending school in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Downing have a new son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dorsett, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hudson, Jessie West, Buell Belew, Stanley Sanders, Miss Minnie Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Horn, Jesse Shelby and Mary Lee Horn, were in Winters Friday night to see "Paul, the Apostle," at the First Baptist church by Simmons Choral Club of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander of Winters have moved near Drasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Felton Crow are visiting on the plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Jones of Bradshaw visited Mrs. Jones' brother, J. A. Horn, Sunday afternoon.

The quarterly conference of the Methodist church was held Friday. Rev. Porter, the presiding elder, was present. Rev. Wall of Wingate preached twice.

Rev. Preston Broxton filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Berry Baker and little daughter, Frances, of Caps,

were here Friday.

Miss Eura Bibb of Winters visited relatives at Drasco Sunday.

Kirk Jones has returned from a visit to relatives in Bell county.

Mrs. Frank Harrington and little son of Stanton attended services at Drasco Sunday. They are visiting Mrs. Harrington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Foster, north of here.

Harmony News

We have quite a bit of sickness in the community. The families of Bill Worthington, Mr. Brotherton and Mr. Stanley have the scarlet fever.

Miss Nellie Hill of Ballinger visited relatives in our community the first of the week.

Mrs. Stockton of Crews visited her daughter, Mrs. Bob Warren Friday and Saturday.

Joe Worthington and sister, Miss Rosa, of near Winters and Miss Joy Blackburn and Foster Dement of this community attended a party near Oxien last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Edgar Branham returned

home from Winters after spending several days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alford Eoff, who has been very ill. We are glad to report that she is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bates have a very sick child.

A Ford car kicked Mrs. Arthur Hill and broke one of her arms. We are glad to report she is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cummings and children spent Sunday in the Henry Seales home.

There were quite a number of new pupils in our school this week. We are glad to have them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Seals of Winters are visiting friends and relatives in our neighborhood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Coble have a sick baby.

Misses Winona and Mable Moore returned to their school work at Alpine last Sunday after spending the holidays with friends and relatives.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Henry Seals being very sick. Her mother, Mrs. A. N. Cummings, is staying with her.

CHARTER NO. 10717 RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE **FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

At Winters, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1924.

RESOURCES

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| 1. (a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c) | \$146,094.64 |
| (b) Acceptances of other banks discounted | 38,592.88 |
| (c) Customers' liability account of acceptances of this | Total loans |
| 5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc: Federal Reserve | \$184,687.52 |
| Stock | 1,500.00 |
| 6. Banking house, \$7,500; furniture and fixtures, \$9,064 | 16,564.00 |
| 8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank | 26,097.40 |
| 10. Cash in vaults and amount due from national banks | 190,209.59 |
| 13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12) | 5,923.88 |
| Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 | \$196,133.47 |
| 14. (b) Miscellaneous cash items | 199.34 |
| 16. Other assets, if any, letters in transit | 1,585.71 |
| Total | \$426,767.44 |

LIABILITIES

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| 17. Capital stock paid in | 40,000.00 |
| 18. Surplus Fund | 10,000.00 |
| 19. (a) Undivided profits | 5,527.44 |
| (b) Reserve for losses | 5,527.44 |
| (c) Less current expenses paid | 5,527.44 |
| 24. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in items 22 or 23) | 1,116.79 |
| Total of items 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26 | \$1,116.79 |
| 27. Individual deposits subject to check | 368,923.21 |
| 31. Dividends unpaid | 1,200.00 |
| Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 | \$370,123.21 |
| Total | \$426,767.44 |

State of Texas,
County of Runnels,
I, Bert E. Low, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, 1925.
E. A. SHEPPERD, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATEEST:
W. H. Rodgers, J. W. Dixon, S. H. Davidson.
Directors.

APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our customers for the very liberal patronage given us since we have been in business, and we have at all times tried to give the best service possible.

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We do not know at present what our future plans may be, but of this we are sure, that we will ever keep in our mind, our loyal customers, who have helped us to build our business.

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