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GRAHAM, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1920.

NUMBER 18.

O. P. & G. CO'S. NO. 3 COMES IN A NINE HUNDRED BARRE

A total drouth in the Clear Fork

the water mill at Eliasville failed to legger and the hi-jacker. sluice. By Friday night, however, oil town in Texas. to turn over the water wheel.

pany, which has depended upon the some "booze" in his possession. From open to local subscriptions when de- Texas Rig Building Company see the mill wheel to generate its power, was reports the "booze" came here in an velopments are under way. forced to change power to a gasoline airplane. For several days there has They will also operate a general locating in Graham, the logical center motor Friday night, and as a result been evidence of some drinking and real estate business which aside from for all future activities. of mechanical troubles the town was the officers have been busy, with the the handling of residences and lots, in darkness much of the night.

daily. This water is being piped not his arrival in Graham this morning. ities will be listed daily. only to its North Stephens operations, but through to Breckenridge and C. L. S. C. SPONSORS even south.

The drouth of the river has forced

stream will come.

ville Journal.

THE LEADER DOES NOT

newspapers to miss an issue during for Graham. the holidays and in the past. The Leader has observed this custom but HOW DOES YOUR LABEL READ? we are breaking away from old cusissue if it had wished to.

sure the growth has been noticeable label on their paper and if it does ment. to our readers. The Leader is plan- not read 1921 or 1922 please call in The union feels that they have the him to any similar institution, desirning to grow as Graham grows. The and settle or send check to move up right to organize and, according to ing the services of an experienced, we are not trying to pick on a little J. W. HILL No. 5 BIG PRODUCER management has been giving consid- your figures at once. All whose fig- the committee, as soon as the propri- able and energetic secretary, and feel brother or take any place off the Eliasville, Dec. 28,—Another big erable time and study for some time ures read 1920 will receive one more etors of the cafes are ready to arbion the advisability of starting a daily paper after this issue and if not paid trate with the union the committee cure his services, will, as we have stretched hands ready to join with pool today when the J. W. Hill No. 5 newspaper to be published in addi- up by the 10th of January their feels that an amicable settlement been, be greatly pleased with him every town in Young county to make well of the Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas

four years and has suffered with the subscriber and hope to receive a re- this issue of The Leader and asks and has enjoyed the seasons of pros- tween this date and January 10, 1921. present the facts in the case. perity with the good people of Graham and Young county, and if the town has reached that stage in its giving all foreign as well as local fire.

obtain materials we are in position appreciated. to get out all work on short notice. Dodgers, envelopes, letter heads, etc., can be gotten out on a few hour's notice.

We desire to thank the good people for their patronage during the past year and hope to merit your continued patronage during the coming year.

COMPULSORY SCHOOL

ried in the Graham schools will begin business of farming, not in the interthat your children are in school. H. B. COGDELL, Supt.

ter, Saturday and Sunday.

Graham is growing at such a is feared, following the action within rapid rate that the finances at the creasing oil development in this sec- opened offices and yards in Graham the past few days of the Mid-Kansas, city's disposal will not warrant the tion and by the influx of people to the 20th of December and are now Humble, Prairie and other big oil employment of enough men to prop- the city a new and active firm has prepared to look after the rig buildcompanies operating in the Stephens erly police the city. Graham is try- been organized in Graham known as ing contracts. This company have ing takes Graham to task for exclud-For the first time in forty years, protection to keep away the boot- building, on the east side of the faith in Graham and Young county

voir. The stream ceased to run over order that the city might have suf- dence and business properties. the dam several days ago, but the ficient funds to employ competent The firm will engage in building a ready here. mill obtained good power through the men to help keep Graham the best number of popular priced attractive

"MIRACLE MAN"

Unless good rains come, the de- Tickets for this big production will struction of thousands of fish in the be on sale at booths at the front entrances of Doty's Drug Store on the The ford between Eliasville and west side and L. M. Davis Drug Store Fort Worth and Dallas. S. H. Web- Milton H. McConnel has served us in Graham is proud of South Bend the Eliasville and South Bend fields South Bend, heretofore hub deep, now on the east side. Every ticket bought ber, advertising manager, is an advertising manager, is an advertising manager, is an advertising manager, is an advertising manager, and Lisle terrisonal transfer and Lisle transfer and Lisle terrisonal transfer and Lisle transfer has only a thin stream of water at the booths, or from representatives tising man formerly of Fort Worth May 1, 1920, and is leaving the Marnew gusher comes in in either field ing on the Bunger and Lisle terrienhance the library fund, the club securing one-half of all proceeds from tickets thus sold. It comes with the MISS AN ISSUE best of endorsement. See the show and buy your tickets from the club . It is the custom of most weekly ladies and help them build the library

tion to the regular weekly edition. names will be taken from the list.

The Leader has been here forty- We are anxious to retain every people through periods of adversity newal from all who are behind be- that the public read it carefully as it the highest type, and in addition to

> FIRE ALARM FRIDAY NIGHT Just as the people were returning to their homes from the Christmas

The Leader is better prepared to in the alarm and the excellent fire de- to see the happy faces of the throngs render service now than at any time partment was soon on hand but fort- of children as they waited impatiently in the history of the paper. Except unately they were not needed but for the exercises to begin. in instances where we are unable to their promptness in responding was

AGRICULTURE IS A

in this country is imperative. There for. Parents are hereby notified that place our agriculture on a more sat- this section has been unusually prosisfactory basis and to stabilize the perous. matter of such tremendous impor- city. tance to our entire population everyof the Secretry of Agriculture.

the thin stream of water which came Up to the present time we have no for rental purposes to care for the inthrough the sluice was not sufficient hi-jackers and very few bootleggers. creasing demand for homes in Gra-As we go to press it is reported that ham. These will be financed by out-The Eliasville Power & Light Com- a bootlegger has been caught with side capital at the start but will be

result that Mal Wallace met the man will include a business exchange LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION One oil company is said to be and took possession of the "booze" on where the latest business opportun-

> pany are all experienced real estate Upon accepting the resignation of nal points out. a real estate operator formerly of I therefore beg to advise that Mr. found around Eliasville. ed with the oil game in Electra.

----STRIKE STILL ON

A committee from the Cooks, Waittoms and are getting out our paper The existing condition in the news- it is not the purpose of the Union to of such institutions. this week. So many things are hap- paper business is such that it will be be radical in any way, but all it Our directory holds Mr. McConnell found in several parts of the county. For several weeks we have given a pening in and around Graham that necessary for us to ask all who are wants if a fair and square deal with in the very highest esteem, and we Graham rejoices in the prosperity detailed drilling report of the South The Leader could not have missed an behind with their subscriptions to the proprietors of the restaurants. deeply regret that he is leaving us. of any place and especially Young Bend fields. We are omitting this please settle at once. If your label The committe further states that the His services have been satisfactory county towns. We are glad to see report this week but for the benefit The Leader has had growing pains reads 1920 you are behind. We hope during the past few weeks and we are all our subscribers will look at the times been ready to effect a settle-four secretary have been very success-

can be effected.

The Union has a half page ad in fitted by his services.

CHRISTMAS TREES

Last Friday night was a happy The Leader is ready and waiting to trees Friday night the fire alarm was time for the "kiddies" of Graham. install the daily. Application has turned in but fortunately there was All the churches that hold regular been made for the Associated Press no fire. A lady rooming at the services had trees. The Leader reservice and if the daily is published Walker House was standing too near porter made the rounds and took a it will be strictly a first class daily an oil stove when her kimona caught peep at all the trees after the chil-Some one in the excitement turned tive churches. It was a joyful sight All the churches had beautiful

trees and they were tastefully decorated. Each church exercised every precaution to see that no child was NATIONAL PROBLEM overlooked. If for any reason any and efficient secretary. A sober national thought with re- child did not receive a present his or gard to the importance, the absolute her teacher would be glad to know it necessity, of a sustained agriculture and such child will be properly cared

is, perhaps, no single solution for the In addition to the trees at the situation which the farmers are now churches there were a number of BOY BURGLAR ROBS facing, but there are many steps private trees in the homes. This ATTENDANCE NOTICE which can and should be taken to was a good Christmas in Graham as

Wells his week.

TEXAS RIG BUILDING NEW WELL INCREASES ACTIVITIES

Attracted by the activity and in- The Texas Rig Building Company THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGG" other oil towns and furnish sufficient pany with offices Suite 14, D. & F. for two years and are showing their square, to assist in relieving the by opening yards here. It is one of turn over last Friday night, due to Cards are being distributed asking housing shortage and to facilitate the the largest corporations to come to large number of industrial plants al-

Graham is fast becoming the cenhomes to be offered both for sale and ter of the oil activities of this section in large numbers from Wichita Falls,

> These large corporations like the possibilities in Young county and are

Marshall, Texas, Dec. 21, 1920. The active members of the com- To Whom It May Concern:

Leader reporter that the strike is work, with the ability to efficiently Eliasville, but we feel that some people here by the thousands looking still on. According to the committee and successfully manage the affairs of these eggs will hatch soon and that over the most promising fields in

> ful, and we are glad to recommend feel that The Leader voices the port next week. as a man, and will be greatly bene- this the most attractive oil field in Company, three miles south of here,

Mr. McConnell is a gentleman of his ability, etc., as a secretary, he is whom any one can admire as a again. friend, as well as an able, energetic Respectfully.

(Signed) JOS. H. T. BIBB.

Commerce.

Waco, Dec. 27 .- A boy 15 years old have been there. Monday, January 3, 1921. Be sure est of the farmers alone, but in the cial committees to look out and pro- Neff Sunday. He broke open Neff's audience and lecture on "The Uniinterest of the nation as a whole. The vide for any poor and needy in the desk and filled his pockets with gold versity of Hard Knocks" at the fice in Graham several months and being a Knights of Pythias badge, received. Miss Amelia Robertson, of Dallas, where as a national problem and Mrs v E. Parsons is visiting her Everything was recovered. The boy The lyceum course is putting on vill soon recover and experience no visited her mother, Mrs. M. M. Les- dealt with as such .- Annual Report sister, Mrs. Johnson, in Mireral had been released on probation two fine numbers this season and should permanent injury from the unfortu-, days before Christmas,

FRAME-UP ON THE GOOSE

The Eliasville Journal in a half column article under the above headcounty oil fields. It has been dif- this immediate section. ficult to get definite data from the The Panhandle McCluskey No. 4 Eliasville field and as a large number and the Godley Oil and Gas Comof the wells are in Stephens county pany's Nos. 2 and 3 are at interestit has not been our purpose or in- ing depths besides several others that tention to give Young county credit are expected to come in within the with Stephens county's production, next week. tory. Everybody knows that this is least thirty.

operators and should have an asset Mr. Milton H. McConnell, our di- The Journal did not state where The boiler is being moved back and a Breckenridge men to suspend for a time their plans to supply Breckenridge with city water from the Clear ridge with city water from the Clear recommendation, trying if possible, the local literary club or C. L. S. C.

"The Miracle Man" will be shown at the National Theatre on January rectors unanimously passed a resolution directing me, as president, to write Mr. McConnell a letter of write Mr. McConnell a letter of the source of the things complained to was evidence of the Lydon sand or the exthe local literary club or C. L. S. C.

The man referred to the facts were obtained for the local literary club or C L. S. C. and is also president of the Export to express our appreciation of his of. The map referred to was evi-Oil Co., with offices now in Graham, services, and the high regard in which dently a map of the South Bend field, think, has put a new place on the oil

and Dallas. K. M. Wilson, secretary shall Chamber of Commerce of his and feels that only a small beginning tory to the east. wishes of the directors of the organi- ham also feels that these are only ments. Locations are being made, two of several pools that will be contracts let, rigs are going up, wells Mr. McConnel has demonstrated the found in Young county. At the pres- spudding in and wells coming in. in course of time golden eggs will be Teras.

DONALD JOHNSON SHOT

and affable at all times, and a man Donald Johnson and Jim Dowdle whom any one will learn to honor and went out hunting with Mr Davis, depth of thirty-one feet. respect as a friend and associate. The Mrs. G. B. Johnson's brother. While writer has been very closely asso, the boys were sitting down resting line facilities it was carried down to ciated with Mr. McConnell in his Jim's gun, in some manner unknown the soft spot in the sand, from which work since last May, and can not re- to the boys, was discharged taking the large production is obtained in frain before closing this letter from effect in Donald's leg below the knee. this field, stating that, in addition to my great It was a small shot gun and the load appreciation of Mr. McConnell's went through the muscle just behind work as a secretary, I have formed the bone. The wound is painful but a very strong attachment for him, it is thought that Donald will not and unhesitatingly and unqualifiedly suffer any ill effects from the wound recommend him as an honorable, as he is resting well and it is hoped straight-forward, right-thinking man, that he will soon be able to be out

RALPH PARLETTE LECTURES

ture at the Opra House last Satur- when the fumes from the gasoline President Marshall Chamber of day night. This was the third num- were ignited and Mr. Gleese came ber on the lyceum course and was very near losing his life. His cap and one of the best numbers on the course coat were ablaze but his companion in but coming on Saturday night and the car and some men in a car just PAT NEFF'S OFFICE also Christmas night there was not as behind him rolled him in the sand large a crowd present as ought to and extinguished the flames but not

was arrested for burglarizing the Mr. Parlette has a delivery peculiar head, face and one side of his body pens and other things, among them Onera House Saturday nigrt was well has made many friends. The Leader

receive a better patronage.

The Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline Company's well No. 3 came in Sunday night, December 26. Those who were present stated to the Leader reporter that it was producing at the rate of 1400 barrels a day. This county field in attaching their big ing to profit from the experience of the Texas Building and Realty Com- been operating in Stephens county ing South Bend from the oil news G. Co's. No. 1 that came in sixty days and taking Eliasville off the map. In ago and has been producing 500 barno place in the article does he place rels daily. The No. 3 has settled the blame on The Leader for the down to 900 barrels as we go to a reduction of the water in the reser- for subscriptions from the people in movement of real estate, both resi- Graham and is welcomed among the ways been fair to South Bend as an the South Bend field which is ten or oil field and we have tried in every twelve miles from Graham. The O. way to be fair with Eliasville. The P. & G. No. 2 is expected to come in Leader has tried faithfully to give today. Every indication is that it reliable information about the Young will be as good as the other wells in

The Breckenridge papers are claiming There are about twenty producing all Young county. The Wichita Falls wells in the South Bend territory now papers are also claiming this terri- and by January 10th there will be at

the next oil field and that Graham The North American-Scott No. 1 will be a city as The Eliasville Jour- on the Rodioso survey at the 3,100foot sand is standing 800 feet in oil. or an old map made before oil was situation in the southern part of the

and treasurer, was formerly associat- own accord, and with the very best has been made in either field. Gra- Every day is bringing new develop-

fact that he is full of energy and is a ent time Graham agrees that the The holidays are not over but vast capable secretary, fully understand- golden eggs in Young county have throngs of people are coming and ers and Waitress' Union stated to The ing all of the duties incident to the been found around South Bend and by the 15th of January there will be

producer was added to the Eliasville was drilled in and is now doing 600 barrels on the gauge. This well, which is only a short distance from the big 3,000-barrel gusher brought a man of high character, pleasant Last Saturday, Christmas day, in two weeks ago, struck the sand at 3,207 feet, and has been drilled in a

With the laying of additional pipe

PAINFULLY BURNED

While F. D. Gleese was returning to Graham last week he had some trouble with his car near South Bend. He emptied his vacuum tank and not having any vessel with wrich to refill the tank he used his cap and after getting in his car to come on to Gra-Ralph Parltte delivered a fine lec- ham struck a match to light a cigar until he was painfully burned. His

joins his friends in hoping that he-

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Graham, Texas, December 30, 1920.

CARE AT CHRISTMAS TIME.

tertainments.

and the Fiend-Fire appears. Some not fatally burned. hearts of those who but a short time erous toys and amusement devices.



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the above picture. Another picture- The little fellows, a gladsome lot, have received their Christmas fireworks; the younger one, sparklers-The other children, firecrackers, rockets and roman Ten fathoms of the road to hell candles. They are allowed to go forth to the feing of these fire works unaccompanied by an adult, unsupervised play with powerful destructive Many people think that these are agents-Destructive to both life and

The baby fires a sparkler-He cannot go out with the older children, NOTICE OF STOCKit being cold weather-The falling sparks fell into combustable materiwith all its contents.

At . Christmas time, many people Possibly the other children, one of are so engrossed with the idea of en- whom is more bold and daring than 8th, at 1 o'clock p. m. Directors for tertainment and amusement for their the rest, holds a lighted cracker in the ensuing year will be chosen, and children, that they are forgetful of his hand and the explosion occurs-and such other business proper to come the dangers that accompany these en- he is horribly burned about the hands before the meeting will be transacted. and face, his features are marred for 16-18c Picture the family reunion. Gath- life. Possibly a teasing brother has ered around the annual Christmas lighted a roman candle and pointed tree-Children, grandchildren, nieces, it at his sister. The ball of fire nephews, cousins and all. The tree strikes her dress, which ignites, and with its many decorations, its light- before father-attracted by the ing effects, its imitation snow, flow- screams of the children-can reach ing beard-When suddenly a flash, the scene, his daughter is severly, if

one has been careless and the acci- Again the rocket may have fallen dent occurs. Some little fellow hope- on the shingle roof of the neighbor's lessly scarred for life-or maybe the home, and the poor widow loses her loss of life. That happy scene is home, all that she has, in fire, the orichanged without warning to one of gin of which was through no caresorrow, misery and despair. There, lessness of her own, but of that of is a Christmas, the horror of which her neighbor in not directing the is forever burned into memory and play of his children, with their dang-

before were so gay and carefree. A These Christmas time pleasures and family reunion that will never be for- programs may be so arranged as to gotten. But always the darkness of preclude the possibility of any of death or accident in the ascendant, these tragedies occuring in the home. The family with a home gone, a Proper supervision of the children loved one burned, that scene that be- and their fireworks, and a little care gan so happily, changed in a mo- in preparing the decorations will ac-

The State Fire Marshall requests that all people throughout the State of Texas bear these facts in mind in preparing their Yuletide festivities. To that end he extends heartiest greetings and good cheer to all not a single calamity of the kind pictured above may be the part of any resident of this great State. To that extent he asks, your co-operation.

A. P. WOOLDRIDGE.

FAMOUS PIRATE POEM IN TREASURE ISLAND.

The mate was fixed by the bosun's

It had been gripped By fingers ten

And there they lay All good dead men. Like break o'day in a boozing ken-Yo-ho-ho and a bottle of rum.

Fifteen men of them stiff and stark-Yo-ho-ho and a bottle of rum. Ten of the crew had the murder mark Yo-ho-ho and a bottle of rum. Twas a cutlas swipe or an ounce of

lead Or a yawning hole in a head

And the scuppers glut with a rotting red: And there they lay.

Aye damn my eyes Their lookouts clapped On paradise Their souls just bound the contra-

wise Yo-ho-ho and a bottle of rum. Fifteen men on a dead man's chest-Yo-ho-ho and a bottle of rum.

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With a yo-heave-ho

And a fare-ve-well.

In "Treasure Island" the pirates sing only four lines of this ballad. all there are of the poem.

HOLDERS MEETING Notice is hereby given to the stockal and the flames destroy the home holders of the Loving State Bank, Loving, Texas, that the annual meeting will be held in their office January D. F. FORD, Sec. Board of Directors.

> FOR SALE-100 foot front nice business lot on main street to depot good for any kind of business; several new 4 to 6 room houses, different parts of town; priced to sell. See W. C. BURNS. 1

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ment to one of horror and distress. Drink, and the devil had done with their white paper by the car lots at any apprentices, not caring to undercelluloid decorations, the same on We wrapped 'em all in a mains'l duce from twelve to sixteen pages weekly publishers find themselves in holly or mistletoe on gas light, or With thrice ten turns of a hawser's or less than the weekly paper can memory of the oldest veteran. Not any of these might be the cause of And we heaved 'em over and out of other hand the weeklies are receiv- costs has dropped in cost, nor is there

several cents per hundred less than take the loss of time and material the weekly papers and are able to pro- incident to their training. Thus per thousand circulation for the same a worse plight than any time in the print six or eight pages. On the one single item entering into their ing from twenty-five to forty cents any signs in the heavens which give per inch for their space. Printers promise of near relief. There wages are higher now than in the is just one thing for the publisher to history of the country and will con- do-act like any other business many tinue to be so, for there is such a in the same circumstances and hold shortage. During the war many his overhead expenses as yow as posprinters joined the colors and of sible while he sells his productthose who lived to be discharged, space, subscription and job printing DALLAS many drifted into other lines of work- -for a fair profit. By this means For the past five years there has he may hold the respect of his bankbeen such a rush of business that er, his business connections and his printers have neglected to train up own self-respect.-Clarendon News. Office over Graham National Bank

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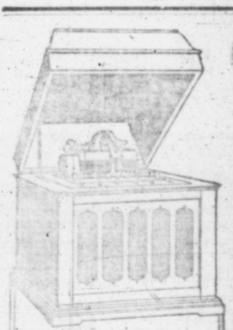
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the law of Texas to enable Texas cot- This work is financed solely through Superintendent Duncan is one of the ton growers to co-operate in the the sale of Christmas seals. W. I. most progressive school men in the same manner the California farmers Bracy, directing the sale of Christdo. The text of the law has been mas seals in Texas, said that re- cational affairs. prepared and will be presented to the ports from many sections of the

number of the successful co-opera- cess. tive marketing organizations in California met with the Texas committee and gave the benefit of his exeprience with co-operative marketing organizations in California. He told the committee that the marketing organization must be by the commodity, composed only of farmers, must be large enough to be a factor in the market and must take no chances on the contract between the marketing mittee of 7 to take charge of the de- to attend. There is no requireassociation and the growers.

Sapiro contrasted the prosperous condition of California farmers at present time with the deplorable state the farmers of other parts of J. T. Orr, Dallas, Texas, Henry the country have found themselves Coit, Ranger, Texas, J. B. Fortson, in since the recent slump in the Rice, Texas, Dr. W. B. Bizzell, Colprice of farm products. He attrillege Station, Texas, Fred Roberts, buted the wealth of his people to Corpus Christi, Texas, S. A. Lindsey, the co-operative marketing associa- Houston, Texas, D. E. Lyday, Austin, tions which he said prevented wide Texas.

50 PER CENT OF TEXAS SCHOOL AMARILLO ALL-THE-YEAR LICITY DEPARTMENT. CHILDREN ARE UNDER WEIGHT

if not in the whole world was launch- public health nurse, declared recent- the school board and parents. ed in Dallas this month by the "Com- ly. She said that investigations When the decision was made last mittee of 21" of the Texas Farm throughout the State revealed that term, children who had been attend-Bureau Federation which convened most children do not get enough ing school during the nine-months for the purpose of making a plan to food of the proper kind, they get period remained for the first half of insufficient sleep or that they are the next term in order to equalize the

for the first year's operations. The "Scales for every school in the These children have been going reguamount of money involved in the state," is the slogan of Miss Hyer, larly for seventeen months and have whe of this cotton is variously esti- who stated that the weight of a child been able to make two grades, nated at from seventy-five million to is one of the best indications of Many are wanting to go righ one hundred and fifty million dollars. health Miss Hyer gives entertain through and in order to make room It is planned to present a contract ments to help earn money to install for those on the waiting list for the to members of the Texas Farm Bu- scales in schools of the state where winter term, charges are to be imreau Federation and to cotton grow- she has conducted investigations, and posed on those who persist in coners not eligible to the Texas Farm is demonstrating the relations of tinuing right through without a va-Bureau Federation. This contract weight to health. She declares that cation of the usual three months. provides that all crops of the man constant use of weight charts will ensigning it shall be placed in the mil- courage children to observe good

state legislature as soon as possible. state indicate that the seal sale cam-Mr. Aaron Sapiro, Attorney for a paign now in progress will be a suc-

> fluctuations in prices. He predicted self government at Baylor: University that the standard of living in the has made another long stride toward present level upon the successful com- adopted the open court system where-

organization campaign.

Following is a personnel of the new

SCHOOL PROVES SUCCESS

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 20.—What is Austin, Texas Dec. 13.—Nearly 50 Amarillo, Dec. 11.—The all-the-year probably the biggest co-operative per cent of the children of Texas are round school term in Amarillo has marketing plan in the United States underweight, Miss Pearl N. Hyer, reached a point of decision between

number to begin for the winter term.

M. H.: Duncan, superintendent of the Amarillo city schools, has been, mer's own co-operative marketing The Texas Public Health associa- advocating an all-the-year school for tion is sending two nurses into the some time, but not until this year has An examination of Texas law led schools of the state to examine the the school board been willing to unmembers of the "Committee of 21" children and to demonstrate the need dertake the plan which is proving to see that it is necessary to change of public health nurses in schools very satisfactory to all concerned. South and is a leader in Texas edu-

He is a brother of our Dr. R. A.

BAYLOR ADOPTS OPEN COURT

SYSTEM OF SELF GOVERNMENT Waco, Texas, Dec. 12 .- Student South would be placed far above the perfection. The student body has pletion of the new cotton merchandis- by all students violating any of the laws of the association are brought The "Committee of 21" adjourned to trial before an open court which after appointing an executive com- the whole student body is privileged tails of the co-operative marketing ment as to attendance, but the guilty party is generally able to find a large number of his friends gathered to hear the trials. It is believed of criminal appeals held in effect tothat this change in student self gov- day. ernment will greatly decrease the number of violations of the association's laws. All three departments, the legislative, judicial, and executive will in the future be open to the

HARDING AND ROOT

student body.

TALK WORLD PEACE. Agreement to Prevent Future Wars is Urged by Colonel Harvey.

Marion, Ohio, Dec. 13 .- President elect Harding today discussed the problems of his administration with Elihu Root, former secretary of state and one of the most notable of the nation's older statesmen.

International relations and the prospect of an acceptable world peace association held the center of attention in their four-hour talk, Mr. Harding drawing exhaustively upon the recent experience of his visitor as an adviser abroad in the formation of a world court under the Versailles league., The President-elect asked many questions about the present attitude of European statesmen toward the league.

What advice Mr. Root gave with regard to reservations of the framework of the league was not revealed, nor would either comment on the results of the conference, except to to say that no conclusion had been reached. It had been said that Mr. Harding was attempting to form no opinion for the present, but was content to gather information and ad-

Coincident with Mr. Root's visit, it became known that Colonel George Harvey, the New York editor, who has been the guest of the Presidentelect since Saturday, is urging Mr. Harding to advocate a world agreement that no nation would resort to offensive warfare until its people had so decided by referendum.

HEALTH HINTS

From Texas State Board of Health. There is danger of contracting anthrax from shaving brushes made of horse hair.

According to an eminent sanitarian: "For every case of typhoid fever some person or community is criminally responsible and should be adequately punished." Could this edict always be carried out, typhoid fever would soon disappear from civilized communities,"

It is because men violate the fundamental laws of Nature that they have to pay he price in suffering and

Make sure that your water supply is protected from every form of pollution. It is dangerous to take

Your body is your life-time willing servant. Abuse it-it will be patient, but when it takes reverge it takes a thousandfold. Give it a square deal. and it will give you back pure blood, strong, skilled muscels, and a clear

Walk in fresh air and sunshine daily, if possible.

Onen your windows at nicht Sleep is necessary for well being, avoid over exertion

Guaranty State Bank, Graham, Tex.

Although not one year old, we feel that the progress made by this bank is something that each customer who has contributed to its progress may justly feel proud. To justify this statement we invite your attention to statement of condition at the close of business Dec. 15, 1920.

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock - - - \$25,000.00 Undivided Prof. Net 3,105.58 Deposits - - - - 174.638.99

TOTAL - - 202,744,57

RESOURCES

Loans - - - - \$129,283.48 Fur. & Fix. - - -6,331.75 Int. in Guar, Fund 750.00 Cash & Exchange 66,379.34

TOTAL -

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city of Chillicothe without the written permit of the mayor.-Quanah

DECLARED ILLEGAL

Tribune Chief.

Austin, Dec. 8 .- Sunday motion picture shows and Sunday baseball, where admission fees are charged, are illegal in Texas, the Texas court

This action came when a majorithe lower court under which J. J.

The opinion, written by Judge O. S. Rattimore, held that motion picture of the first day of publication beshows are included in the definition fore the return day hereof: of amusements forbidden to be exhibited for profit on Sunday.

In a dissenting opinion, in which THE STATE OF TEXAS he declared the nature of the pic- To all persons interested in the L. Davidson said:

NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any, Constable of return.

Young County-Greeting: lished in a newspaper of general cir- D. 1920. culation which has been continuous- 16c ty of the court affirmed judgement of ly and regularly published for a period Clerk, County Court, Young County, of not less than one year preced-Heggman of Austin was fined \$20 ing the date of the notice in the for operating motion picture show County of Young, State of Texas, and

you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive NOTICE.

ture displayed by Heggman would Estate of Jessie L. Howry, a boy not permit the show being classed aged 12 years and Lucile Howry, a as "amusement," Presiding Judge W. girl 10 years of age and Darwin Howry, a boy seven years of age, "As I understand Judge Morrow's all minors. R. J. Howry has filed in

opinion, it overrules all previous cases the County Court of Young County, BEGGING ORDINANCE. inclusive of Roquemore case, and an- a application for Letters of Guard-On account of the increased num- nounces the position that any place lanship of the Estate of the above ber of men out of work in the sur- of public amusement where fees are named minors which will be heard rounding country and the extra charged is included in the statute." on the First Monday in Jauary, A. amount of beggars of all kinds, the Judge Davidson referred to the D. 1921, same being the third day of council of Chillicothe has passed an statue prohibiting Sunday amusement said month, at the Court House im ordinance prohibiting begging or soli- and explained that the decision in the city of Graham, T exas, at which citing alms on te streets of the the Roquemore case in effect exempt- time all persons interested in said Estate of above minors may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

> Herein fail not, under penalty of the law, and of this Writ make due

Given under my hand and seal of You are hereby commanded to office, in the city of Graham, Texas cause the following notice to be pub- this the Tenth day of December, A.

W. H. KENNEDY.



35 Per Cent Discount on Tires AND GIVING TUBES AWAY!

Stop your car at the old post office building and have it shod all round while you have this opportunity. Our stock is fresh from the factory and

GUARANTEED

Graham Tire Company

Old Post Office Bldg

--NOTICE!--

After January Is: All Ice Will Be Strictly Cash

Graham Mill & Elevator Company

The HOME LOAN & INVESTMENT CO. OF DALLAS, TEXAS WILL LEND MONEY AT 3% INTEREST

As an investment it pays an average of about 100 per cent. per annum profit. You can build or buy a home or business for less with CASH. Monthly deposits before getting loan are \$10.00 on each \$1,000.00 desired. The full amount deposited by you before maturity of loan will be returned. You can repay the loan at the rate of only \$10.00 a month on each \$1,000.00 borrowed, plus 3 per cent, interest; covering a period of seven years and one month; or you may pay the full balance any time, and stop interest. If rendered unable to continue monthly deposits or payments, an extension will be granted. Should death overtake you before maturity, your contract will be given priority for loan.

If Loan is not desired at Maturity, your Deposit will be returned. Plus a Bonus of \$150.00 in Cash OUR CONTRACT HAS CASH AND LOAN VALUES. BUY A CONTRACT NOW-START SAVING

FOR FULL INFORMATION WRITE

C.E. TURNER, Agent, Graham, Tex-



Out of the more than 3,000,000 Ford cars now in use, about sixty percent have been sold to farmers. Probably no other one thing has brought to the farm so much of comfort and profit as has the Ford car. It has enlarged the social life, doubled the facilities for marketing, brought the town next door to the farm, multiplied for the farmer the pleasures of living. A family car without an equal in low cost of operation and maintenance. We solicit your order for one now because the demand is large and continually increasing.

TOURING, COUPELET, SEDAN AND TRUCKS FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY—EASY TERMS



LeSage Motor Company Authorized Ford Dealers W., 62; Ind., 301

FOR SALE-Residence lot 50x180 in College Height addition, \$500.00, good terms. MISS LEE GAMESON, 17-19p

FOR SALE - Hotel, twenty-one rooms completely furnished. Modern excellent location for good patronage. See RISER & McANENY, Room 12, D. & F. Bldg., next Graham Hotel 18 L. A. KAYSER, Adjutant.

FOR SALE-Extra good cow horse. See W. B. HINSON.

FOR SALE-Two new four room houses with bath at a bargain. Terms, See W. C. BURNS. 13tfc.

See H. LONG about it. Invest-Real Estate, Employment, Guire. 16tfc.

FOR SALE-We have two of the best business sites obtainable in Graham. One 50x100. The other 75x175 east and south fronts respectively. Will consider lease to right party. See RISER & McANENY, Room 12, · FOR SALE-Two lots in College Heights Addition. A real bargain .-

TAILOR SHOP-Tailor Shop for Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders give it now

MISCELLANEOUS

Experienced office stenographer and bookkeeper wants position. Call at Leader office. 12tfc

You will find the largest new complete line of Box Stationery at

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For taps and Rubber Heels see fund your money. CALDWELL & SONS, McCain building. First class work.

WANTED-Buyers for houses and lots. We have a good line of both and prices that suit. Let us assist you to locate a home. RISER & Mc ANENY, Room 12, D. & F. Bldg. next Graham Hotel.

See H. LONG about it. Invest-Real Estate, Employment,

Buy the boy or girl useful toys, a Wagon or Tricycle.-SNODDY & SON.

LOST-Silver mounted fountain pen; cap off; engraved "U. K. A .. " Finder please notify MISS UNA ADAMS at County Superintendent's office, or telephone 22J and receive reward.

Beautify your house and town by building sidewalks.—CECIL GRA-HAM. S. W. Phone 147

Buy the boy or girl useful toys, a Wagon or Tricycle.-SNODDY &

Two Rooms Wanted by Young couple

Prepare for cold weather by pur-

NOTICE TO THE PDBLIC

on East Fourth street. CALDWELL & SONS.

AUTOMOBILES

ton, at Barrow Furniture Co. c.

FOR SALE-Ford Truck and Ford condition. See BABB MOTOR CO 13tf

Ford Coupe, first class condition, ton, at Barrow Furniture Co. c.

Ford Coupe, first class condition, for sale at a bargain. W. E. Carlton, at Barrow Furniture Co. c.

NOTICE OF SHARE-

HOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given that the Regular Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Beckham National Bank will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1921, at the office of said bank, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. for the purpose of electing tation or thereafter. Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business proper to come before said meeting. Union No. 272. 15-18e R. E. LYNCH, President.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTICE AN APPEAL TO AMERICANS

Annual dues for 1921 are now pay able. The national dues remain the same as last year. The State dues 24th. Our Post dues remain at 50c. has ruled that all members who do land about 1 1-2 miles N. E. of Gra- from the subscription lists of the ham. - See RISER & McANENY, American Legion Weekly. All mem-Room 12, D. & F. Bldg. next Graham bers of this Post are urged to pay up ferers in the track of the war. 18c by January 15th, in order that the lists may be in the hands of the National headquarters by the 31st. New members are welcome. The

> Legion Weekly for one year. the Adjutant, at Graham.

R. H. TAYLOR, Post Com.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Prentiss Corley and Miss Mamie children.

Raymond B. Bryant and Miss Helen Loving. W. S. Rogers and Mrs. C. A. Mc-

Willie E. Stowe and Miss Kather-

GET MORE BUTTER

enough butter from my cow's milk give a few dollars we would go over D. & F. Bldg., next Graham Hotel 18 production for a family of two. Af- the top again. Do not wait to be a short time, she gave a half gallon at any store where European Relief 5tfe ter a day."

sale-O. C. Lowry, South Bend Tex- to milk cows just what is needed to 17-18p. keep the digestive organs in proper the following: condition, so that they get the most possible good from their feed. Give equally wonderful results when used screen advertising. for horses, hogs, and sheep, because they are a tonic, appetizer and worm also screen advertising. expeller.

It matters not what ailment you screen advertising. may have among your stock or poul-7tfc try, it will pay you to get the proper windows were contributed by Mc-Now is the time to build concrete Dr. LeGear Remedy from your dealer Crum, sign painter. 16tfc. They are the Doctor's personal prescriptions, compounded during his 28 on Friday, December 24, were paid years of Veterinary Practice and Ex- for by Mr. John E. Morrison and Mr. 7tfc pert Poultry Breeding. They must E. S. Graham. satisfy you, or your dealer will re- The contributions listed below are

14tfc The Arrival of Zenobeia, World's amount of many contributions. If Most Noted Palmist, Clairvoyant and Transmedium



A woman with strong power is now with no children. Best of references in Graham for a short time only. chasing your Coal Hods at SNODDY be or what you want to know, you Ranger Boiler Works. Mr. Sham- SNAP comes in cakes. Three sizes 9tfc. will be helped and pleased with what burger will have a first class lumber 35c, 65c, \$1.25 Sold and guaranteed See Cecil A Graham for anything this clairvoyant will do for you. She and rig yard and will be ready in by Davis Drug Company and Norrisin concrete.-S. W. 'Phone 147 16tfc gives you reliable advice in all af- fifteen or twenty days to supply the Johnson Hdw. Co. Buy the boy or girl useful toys, a fairs of hife business, love law and growing needs of Graham. Wagon or Tricycle.-SNODDY & family troubles; if you want your One-ton Maxwell truck in good re-7tfc home happy come soon for you may pair for sale at a bargain if taken at We have opened an Electric Shoe with a real gifted clairvoyant; you er office. Repair Shop in the McCain building cannot afford to miss this wonderful opportunity. Have you ever come to a point where you thought the whole world was against you and everything you undertook to do turned Ford Coupe, first class condition, out wrong, and the ones you loved for sale at a bargain. W. E. Carl- and trusted proved faithless? Come and get on the right road to success time only \$1.00.

obeia. She tells your sweetheart's

Reading hours from 10 a. m. to 9 Goldwater. p. m., including Sunday and holis days. No reading by mail. No phone "HOW I CLEARED THE

answered. Reading rooms at Walker Hotel Entrance at side of building.

Respectifully,

FOR EUROPEAN RELIEF

3,500,000 children in Eastern and Central Europe, in the countries of were raised to \$1.00 by the State con- Latvia, Esthonia, Lithuania, Poland, vention which met at Houston Aug. and parts of Germany, Austria, Hungary, and Czecho-Slovakia, will So send in your check for \$2.50 right starve before next harvest unless away and avoid missing a single they receive American aid. The Arcopy of the American Legion Weekly. menians are provided for by the Near The National Executive Committee East Relief already subscribed this winter, but the present drive for Eu-FOR SALE-200 acres good farm not pay 1921 dues will be dropped ropean Relief is the first general campaign to aid the children of the eight countries above, helpless suf-

America is the only country that ean spare enough this winter to save these children, and America's response must now decide whether \$2.50 dues include the American 3,500,000 of these children shall begin to be turned away in January from Make your check payable to Ligon- more than 17,000 asylums, hospitals, Daniels Post No. 34, and mail it to clinics, and feeding-stations dependent on American support. There would be no tragedy in history so sweeping or so destructive of those who can deserve no evil, the little

Total European Relief to be Texas quota 1,400,000 Graham's quota

The drive in Graham is nearly over and so far we have only raised \$1060. Heretofore Graham has always gone over the top on Near East Relief, Liberty Loans, etc., Mrs. Hattie Meece, of Glnen, Mis- chiefly by the contributions of a few souri, says: "I was not making liberal persons. If everybody would ter using Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders solicited but leave your contribution more milk a day, and a pound of but- posters are displayed or with any of the banks or church committees. De

The European Relief acknowledge

The National Theatre kindly gives the proceeds of one matinee, also

The Graham Theatre gives \$10.00

The Majestic Theatre gives free The three large signs for show

The posters distributed in Graham

only a few of those received. No record has been kept of name or past contributors will remind us of lief Council to those who desire them as subscriptions to this fund may be

ernment.	
S. Boyd Street	\$500.00
Mrs. Addie M. Graham	100.00
P. K. Deats	50.00
I. B. Padgett	. 2.50
J. W. Davis	
A. H. Jones	5.00
John Kisinger	5.00
C. W. Johnson	10.00
Chas. E. Donnell	10.00
G. L. Donnell	10.00
J. Wiley Moore	10.00
M. S. Elder	5.00
T. C. Wadley	. 5,00
All contributions and ass	istance
gratefully acknowledged.	
E. E. WH	ITE,
and the same of th	

County Chairman for European Relief Council.

eyes and tells you everything, makes to open a lumber and rig yard here without RAT-SNAP. Reckon I could subscriptions today showed that a to- Co. no difference what your troubles may soon. His yard will be near the n't raise chicks without it." RAT-

Maid, Texas, spent Christmas here,

UNITED HOME BUILDERS

1921, of the members of the United abroad, and they are looking to us. and happiness. All readings strictly Home Builders of America to trans- Since 1914 our people have given Roadster with box bed. Both in good private. Special readings for a short act such business as may come before with unpralleled generosity, and they the convention. Important business should not be lightly called upon for If you want to know whom you will matters are to be considered and all additional charities. But there is a for sale at a bargain. W. E. Carl- marry and when, come and see Zen- members are urged to be present in life-and-death situation in Central person or by proxy. For further de- Europe, where orphaned destitute,

By J. Tucker, R. I.

seen more rats than any man. Dogs this Council eight well-known organ-The Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses wouldn't dare go near them. Got izations, namely the American Relief Union of Graham, Texas, hereby \$1.25 pkg. of RAT-SNAP, inside of Administration, American Red Cross, apologize for any hasty or disagree- 6 weeks cleared them all out. Killed American Friends' Service Committee, able act that was committed by their them by the score every night. Guess Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, members during our early represent the rest were scared away. I'll never Federal Council of Churches of Christ be without RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, in America, Knight of Columbus, Y 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed M. C. A., and Y. W. C. A. Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses' by Davis Drug Co., and Norris-John. At Christmas time, peculiarly the 18c son Hdw. Co.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

same we will be glad to acknowledge tained a few of his little friends in money. Ten dollars will represent to begin with a capital of \$1,000,000 them in a later issue. Formal re- celebration of his eighth birthday an- a child's life in Central Europe. niversary, Monday, December, 20th. About fourteen little guests were present to enjoy the games and the deducted from income before calcu- lovely birthday cake that was Total of \$7,000,000 Is Subscribed; Ft. cided to instruct the campaign comlating income tax for Federal Gov. decorated with seed candy in all

> for favors was brought in. 6 o'clock included the guests: Ed- rectors were nominated and will be to function immediately. win and Oliver Graham, Perrin and presented to a meeting of the stock-Clyce Smith, Malcolm Graham, Les- holders to be held here Jan. 7 for con- A Rat That Didn't Smell After Being ter Ringgenberg, Robert Lee Price, firmation. Louise Hutchison.

Made," Mrs. Emily Shaw Says." "h'y husband bought \$2 trap. ! board.

EUROPEAN RELIEF

Three and a half-million children never again have the chance to talk once .- McCLUNG, next door to Lead- are facing, starvation in : Central 18p Europe. It is estimated that they Earl M. Brewton and family, South can tide over to next harvest by money and service equivalent to thirty dollars per child. The countries involved can furnish two-thirds of this OF AMERICA cost in the form of personnel and There will be the regular annual machinery for distribution, but for meeting in Dallas, Texas, January 4, the other one-third they must look

tails call on the local agent, Sam famished children, pitiful consequences of the World War, must die unless aid is sent.

Ten dollars contributed through MILL OF RATS." the European Relief Council will save the life of one child. For concerted "As night watchman believe I have effort, there have been combined in

. 17-20c children's season, we should think of

this sad European problem in terms tal of \$7,000,000 has been subscribed.

FEDERAL BANKING COMPANY LAUNCHED.

Worth Man Nominated. colors, and having the eight can- New Orleans, Dec. 18 .- The Feder- with a view to increasing the capital dles on top. After refreshments al International Banking corporation, stock to \$10,000,000. At a meeting a small Christmas tree decorated with a subscribed capital stock of \$7, of th stockholders here Jan. 7 banks with Christmas decorations and 000,000, was formally launched here making subscriptions to the capital fourteen baloons in different colors, today at a meeting of the campaign stock will pay in the treasury 25 per committee.

A picture theatre party from 5 to Fifteen members of the board of di- possible for the organization to begin

Raymond Lee Hutchison enter of children rather than in terms of making it possible for the corporation in excess of the amount originally

Stock in the corporation will be divided into 70,000 shares. It was demittee to solicit new subscriptions, cent of their subscriptions, making it

Dead For 3 Months.

Robert F. and Clarence Jones, Glenn Following the confirmation of the "I swear it was dead at least 3 Q. Street, Annie Margaret Gilmer, board of directors by the stockholders, months," said James Sykes, Butcher, Charles Edwin, Raymond Lee and officers of the new institution will be Westfield, N. J. "We saw this rat elected by the board and the bank every day. Put a cake of RAT-SNAP will begin to function under the pro- behind a barrel. Months later my "Rat-Snap Beats the Best Trap Ever visions of the Edge act and under a wife asked about the rat. Rememcharter from the federal reserve bered the barrel, looked behind it. There was the rat-dead, not the bought a 65c box of RAT-SNAP. The The conference held here today was slightest odor." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, C. D. Shamburger of Wichita Falls, trap only caught 3 rats, but RAT- attended by bankers from nine south- \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Davis furnished. apply at Leader office. 18pd This remarkable person closes her is in the city making arrangements SNAP killed 12 in a week. I'm never ern states. A canvass of the stock Drug Co., and Norris-Johnson Hdw.

WE WISI

-- to join the people of Graham and surrounding territory in their annual Christmas festivities and in the closing of the Old Year. We rejoice with those who have enjoyed Prosperity and sympathize with those who have Suffered Reverses.

And we hope that 1921 will be the most Prosperous and Happiest year of your lives, and we are going to add our bit by furnishing you the most complete and up-to-date line of Furniture that has ever been carried in this territory at prices that are as low as is consistent with legitimate business.

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mere mechanical ability, but of incentive genius - the world renowned genius of Thomas A. Edison That is why the Amberola, in spite of its moderate price, has proved its superiority over high-priced "talking machines" and ordinary phonographs in comparative tests on many occasions.

That is why its tone is a revelation -its genuine Diamond Point Reproducer does away with the cost and pother of changing acceles-its Am-

The Amberola is not a product of berol Records last for years and years, whereas ordinary records are easily broken or spoiled.

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TREASURES IN HEAVEN

No part of the gospel is so habitually ignored as our Lord's teaching about money. Most Christians shut plied to the primitive church. Yet as the direct antagonist of God.

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crites who made a show of their there will your heart be also." Christ prayers, but His scourge fell upon is not just warning misers that any the money changers and traffickers day they may be robbed of their and thieves. Christ looked upon hoarded gold, and that they must incovetousness as a deadly sin which fallibly leave it all behind them betheir eyes to it or they lay it aside destreys the soul. Among all the pow- fore very long. Indeed, men as a as a counsel of perfection which ap- ers of evil He singled out mammon rule are not mere misers; they hanker

on no subject was Jesus Christ more When our Lord commands us to lay the money will buy. Covetousness, insistent. He dealt with it in stern, up treasure not on earth but in moreover, is a vice which knows no plain precepts as well as in tremend- heaven, many people understand Him respect of persons. It can infect a ous parables. Again and again He to be uttering a maxim in regard to cottager no less than a capitalist. warned men against being greedy for religious thrift and foresight—as Peasants may be guilty of profiteergain. He denounced the lust after though this was only an improved and ing. Shopkeepers may grow closeriches. He emphasized the spiritual amended version of one of the pro- fisted and mean. A trades union may danger of great possessions. When verbs of Solomon. But a greater than become mercenary as well as a mil-He publicly cleansed the temple He Solomon is speaking here. The clue lionaire. "Treasure," it is true, takes passed over the priests who had no to the passage lies in its final sen- variegated shapes and borrows all

after money for the sake of what faith in their sacrifices, the hypo-tence: "For, where your treasure is, manner of strange disguises. A man may set his heart on this object or on that-on his library, or his garden, or his study, or his success in business, or his seat in Parliament, But nearly every man is secretly hoarding some kind of treasure. He cherishes some darling object around which his hopes circle and his plans crystalize; some dominant interest absorbs him so- that his thoughts constantly wing their way back to it, like homing birds. Now each man's inner self will become in the end possessed by his dearest prossessions, Your heart perforce goes into partnership with your treasure so that they share the same fortunes and suffer the same fate. Christ's solemn warning against setting your affections on things that are earthly and transient means not merely that such things vanish away, and we must, therefore, endure the bitterness of their loss and the blank they leave behind. The argument is far more penetrating and profound. Our heart becomes entangled and made one with our treasure, and therefore the man whose nature is bound up with any corruptible object must need share its corruption. He must suffer as it suffers, from the moth and the rust and the thief. He is infected with its diseases, and dragged into its haunts. The curse of unworthy and ignoble treasures is not that you lose Him, but that you go down into their sepulcher. The heart of your heart bcomes cankered with pride and corroded with cares, and wormeaten with the gnawing of ambition.

and consumed with the slow fire of the rust of selfishness-a worm that

dieth not, a fire which is not quench-

Graham of the Texas Conference of communities.

headquarters at Dallas. co-operation and efficiency in social people who are interested in the all persons interested in social pro- 31, 1921. gress, whether or not they are ac- The officers of the Conference are: tively engagde in social service work. Elmer Scott, president; Mrs. Maggie The conference aims to be of service W. Barry, Dr. Oscar Davis, vice presto every community in Texas through idents; Miss Ruby A. Black, secreits services to agencies and organi- tary; J. K. Hexter, treasurer; Miss zations doing work of a social and civic nature in that community, and man, Dr. J. Elliott Ross, H. Wirt through its services to individuals in Steele, directors, the community.

Besides its annual inspirational and You will find the largest new comeducational meetings, the tenth of plete line of Box Stationery at which was held in San Antonio No- SNODDY & SON. vember 19-23, 1920, the Texas Conference of Social Welfare has added to its functions a year-round pregram of enlarged activities. In order to carry out this program, the conference has engaged a full time secretary, Miss Ruby A. Black, formerly of the University of Texas, who took up the work September 1. This enlargement of activity has necessitated an increased budget, and in order to meet this budget and in order to extend the interest in the Texas Conference of Social Welfare, which represents all kinds of social work, the present membership drive has been inaugurated, with chairmen working in some 280 Texas towns and

Among the definite methods of ser vice which the Conference offers to any individual or any organization in the State are: The establishment of relationships throughout the State of all social agencies, either private or public, in order to bring about team work and to prevent overlapping and neglect; the provision of library reference along lines of social health and civic subjects, and the supplying of literature and bibliographies; the encouragement of local social solidarity through community councils; the assistance of communities in solving their social problems; the creation of a central information bureau available for everybody; the maintenance of a speakers' bureau which will be able to supply speakers on social, health, and civic problems to any community desiring such peakers; the keeping of a registration bureau for social workers so that the worker and the organization needing workers may be brought to-

gether; the study and encouragement OF SOCIAL WELFARE of social legislation, both in its enact- 25 years of age. If you would like ment and in it enforcement; the mak- a steady position in attractive sur-Mrs. J. E. Dowdle has been aping of contacts with all national roundings apply to CHIEF OPERA-pointed membership secretary for agencies; visits and conference with TOR, Southwestern Bell Telephone

Social Welfare, according to news re- The Civic Federation of Dallas furceived here this morning from the nishes offices for the Conference, so that the budget this year is at a min- Wagon or Tricycle,-SNODDY & The Texas Conference of Social imum. The Conference hopes to en- SON. Welfare is an organization devoted to roll between two and three thousand work, and its membership is open to social progress of Texas, by January

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GRAHAM, TEXAS.

COLLISION KILLS ONE AND INJURES FOUR

FREIGHT STRIKES PASSENGER NEAR CRESSON, KILLING MISS E. JOHNSON.

ENGINE SPLITS PULLMAN CA

Condition of Louis Arthur Serious, but Injuries of Others Are Not Grave.

crashed into a rear Pullman of a 18 miles southwest of here Monday ment. morning. Miss Ethel Johnson, about 25 years old, of Cypress, La., was killed and nine other passengers on man at the time of the crash. Those of 194.5 miles per hour. injured in the collison are:

Miss Jean Woodward. Fort Worth, badly hurt; Louis Arthur, express messenger, Fort Worth, badly hurt about the head; Henry Toliver, negro ending June 30, 1920, is shown in the Pullman porter, Fort Worth, badly in November bulletin of the American jured; Bernay Sheffield, Brownwood, slightly injured about the feet. Daniel H. Campbell, Chicago, injured about the body.

According to passengers on the train, the freight engine plowed down last few nights, the dispatch adds, 500 the aisle of the Pullman car, practically cutting it in two for half of its their beds and removed to an interlength. One berth, occupied by Bernay Sheffield, was thrown to the top of the crashing engine and Sheffield was imprisoned in the compartment. Workers in the wreckage saw his hand protruding from a small epening and thought that it was a hand cut off the body of a passenger, but finally heard Sheffield call out, and then tary service. with axes cut a way for him to escape. He emerged smiling, according to those who liberated him. He was slightly injured about the feet.

The Frisco train was traveling on a delayed schedule and obeyed a torpedo signal at a bridge near Wins- New York, Washington, Indianapolis cott. Just as it was getting under way the freight train crashed into it

CONSTANTINE SAYS HE

Army to Be Used to Cultivate Good Relations With Allies.

Athens .- Amid the thunder of canon and the hum of aircircling airentered Athens Sunday.

ing down the cheeks of people swarm- by President Millerand. ing near his carriage.

Immediately after alighting from the railway train, Constantine drove on rations of black bread without butto the cathedral, where a magnificent | ter and coffee without sugar or milk service was given, all the bishops par- last week when the managers and emticipating.

It was noticeable that no foreign ministers were present during the welcoming ceremonies. The arrival of tention to continue raiding hotels to Constantine was not marred by any incidents.

Constantine read his address from the balcony of the old palace in the DOMESTICpresence of 5,000 persons. He was dressed in a Marshal's uniform and Premier Rhallis stood on his right. Queen Sopie and Princess Christopher also were present.

He declared be would establish internal sunity and exterior peace by using the army to cultivate good relations with the allied powers.

Harris To Succeed Hamon.

Oklahoma City, Ok .- James A. Harris, at present chairman of the republican state committee. has been indorsed by a majority of the committee at a meeting this afternoon as Oklahoma's national committeeman to take the place of Jake L. Hamon. Mrs. Jake L. Hamon, widow of the deceased national committeeman, received 27 votes of the committee. Harris received 49 votes: Only one member of the committee was absent

Man Is Killed By Gasser.

Amarillo, Texas .- A. B. Cook, was instantly killed Saturday morning when gas in the Masterson well blew the cap off the casing, almost completely tearing Cook's chin off. A helper, W. E. Lyon, was hurled twenty feet and knocked unconscious. The derrick was demolished. The gasser is producing 5,00,000 cubic feet,

Texas Crops \$491,923,000.

Washington.- Texas agricultural products for the year ending Dec. 1were valued at \$491,823,000, according to figures announced by the United and Rudolph Hynicks, republican na-States department of agriculture.

Lone Star Asks \$1,000,000.

Dallas .- The Lone Star Gas company has called upon its stockholders for \$1,000,000 in cash, payable Jan. 20. 192y, in order to pay off some of its indebtedness on short-term loans.

100 Divorces Granted Saturday. Houston, Texas.-Judge J. D. Harrey of the eightieth district court Saturday granted more than 100 divorces. a little more than half of the court's record made on a former occasiou.

Shot From Store Kills Man. Wagoner, Ok .- Joel A. Rutherford, republican county chairman of Wagoner county was killed Thursday morning by the accidental discharge of a rifle in a hardware store be sive. meath his office.

EPITOMIZED NEWS OF

IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE EN-TIRE WEEK REDUCED FOR BUSY READERS

FOREIGN-

All the villages i nthe Tepeleni dis trict. Southern Albania, have been destroyed by a yiolent earthquake. Two hundred persons are reported killed, while 15,000 have been made home-

Large sums of money turned over to Germany by France for the purpose of Fort Worth, Texas.-A freight train ameliorating the material situation of miners in the Ruhr region have been Frisco passenger train near Crosson, misappropriated by the Berlin govern-

Sadi Leconite, French aviator, has broke the world's airplane speed rethe Frisco train were injured. Miss cord for four kilometers. Flying at Johnson was the only occupant of the Villacoublay, he negotiated the discord for four kilometers. Flying at women's dressing-room on the Pull. tance in 46 seconds, or at the rate

> A large trade balance in favor of Mexico, in its trade relations with the United States for the fiscal year chamber of commerce of Mexico City.

> The Hungarian authorities are taking steps to intern all alien Jews, says a dispatch from Budapest. During the Jewish families were dragged from

Andre Lefevre, the French war minister has resigned. His resignation resulted from his opposition to the new miliary service bill now before the chamber of deputies, which provides for eighteen months' obligatory mili-

One of the guiding powers behind King Constantine, when he remounts the throne of Greece, may be an American citizen, Constantine Casanges reputed to be well known in the and Louisville.

General Nollett, head of the allied control commission, has informed the German government that its explana-WILL WORK FOR UNITY tion regarding the disarmament of people's guards can not be accepted. and has ordered the government to direct the destruction of several siege guns.

A body of French troops was amplanes and the roaring cheers of a bushed near Djebli, Syria, on the night great throng, Constantine of Greece of Dec. 3, losing twenty men killed and having forty others wounded. His arrival was compared by his Premier Leygues has informed the admirers to Napoleon's return from cabinet council to this effect at the Elba, and tears of joy were seen flow- meeting of the council, presided over

> The members of the reichstag went ployes of the reichstag restaurant refused to serve the forbidden food, "in view of the government's apparent incompel them to obey the rationing regulations."

The motion picture industry in America has pledged itself to Herbert Hoover to raise \$2.500,000 to succor starving children in Europe.

-0-Abraham Kittle, aged 114, said to be the oldest member of the Masonic order in the United States, died at Letroit, Mich., last week. He joined the order in 1827.

Educators from Missouri. Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas at a meeting in Kansas City last week discussed the "low cost of teachers" and adopted resolutions urging more thorough physical training in schools.

The retail price of farm products could be reduced 50 per cent and the agriculturists would realize a greater profit, if the farmers sold direct to the consumer, C. S. Barrett, Union City. Go., told the nation-wide conference of agricultural representatives at St.

Quotations on the local Texas markets now-a days gladdens the hearts of many farmers, but caused much sadness in other quarters. Eggs are quoted at 90c a dozen while the best the farmer with corn or oats could secure was 45c a bushel. Several trades are recorded of two bushels of corn for a dozen eggs.

Harry M. Daughtery, preconvention manager for President-elect Harding, tional committeemen from Ohio, will be urged to support Mrs. Jake L. Hamon for the place on the republican national committee from Oklahoma. vacated by the death of her husband. Jake L. Hamon, who was shot at Ardmore Nov. 21.

President-elect Harding has invited William Jennings Bryan, former secto the plan for an association of nations.

Jack Dempsey, the world's heavy-Brennan of Chicago in the twelfth round of the first heavy-weight cham- protection of maternity and infancy, pionship fight staged in New York much after the federal plan of the

Reduction of wages for farm labor were put into effect last week by the Valley Fruit Growers' association, a larger farmers' organization in Cali-

A cut in wages of silver and lead miners of 75c a day and of copper of \$1, the reduction to go into effect Jan. 1, was decided upon at a recent conference of Utah mine operators.

Officers of Pittsburg and Hughes counties, Oklahoma, are scouring the county looking for six men who are alleged to have made a clean-up of the passengers on the Rock Island train, eastbound, last week, staging a regular wild west scene by shooting over

Imperial Potentate Ellis Garretson of the Order of the Mystic Shrine has announced that the annual convention of the Shriners will be held at Savan- | \$35. nah, Ga., next year, instead of Atlantic City, as previously intended. The convention date will be changed from June to May.

There are at present approximately 300 applications for every 45 positions, while a year ago there was an average of 25 applications for every 300 Faber of the United States department of labor, regional director of the fourth (St, Louis) district.

during peace can be carried on battleships as a service launch and in war converted in a few minutes into a deadly torpedo boat, was demonstarted at New York last week in the launching of the first of the new naval auxiliaries; known as "Type A-3, sea

WASHINGTON-

The Johnson immigration bill, as amended to prchibit all immigration for a period of one year, has been passed by the house.

The population of Chicago is 2,701,-705, it is announced by the census bureau. Whites numbering 2,589,104. with 109 594 negroes and 3,007 of all other races constitute the total.

President Wilson has sent 2,000 nominations of postmasters to the senate and if they are held up there, it will be in violation of the spirit of a law enacted during the last session of congress.

-0-A bill has been introduced by Representative McKeown of Oklahoma seeking to perpetuate the memory of the Chickasaw and Seminole Indians in monuments at an expense of \$25,

More than 100 of the men who served the government at \$1 a year during the war returned to Washington last week for their second annual reunion, confident that the process of readjustment from war to peace was going forward satisfactorily.

Senator Poindexter's anti strike bill has passed the senate. This measure, which had been expected to kick up one of the biggest rows of the session, was passed without any objection. without debate, without a roll-call, almost without anybody knowing it was happening.

The house has voted unanimously to curtail its Christmas recess in order APPOINTMENTS TO to take up the annual appropriation bills without delay. On motion of Representative Mondell the republican leader, the house agreed to adjourn on Thursday, Dec. 23, and reassemble the following Monday.

Congress is again urged in the anaual report of Postmaster General Burleson to afford legislation that will extend the classified civil service to postmasters of all classes, with the declaration that the position of postfrom the realm of politics.

The Western Union Telegraph company has brought suit in the District of Columbia supreme court for an injunction restraining the secretaries of state war and navy from interfering with the proposed connection of the company's cable from the new cable 1.r . from Barbardoes, where it conno ts with a British cable to South

Rear Admiral Joseph Strauss. former chief of navy ordnance, is to be appointed commander in chief of the Asiatic fleet with the rank of admiral in recognition of his work in the laying of the North Sea mine barrage during the war and its removal after the armistice. He will succeed Admiral Albert Cleaves, now in command in Orintal waters.

Charges that the war department is taking no action looking to the prosecution of draft evaders and deserters were filed with the house judiciary committee last week by representatives of service men's organizations, The committee is considering a bill to extend the statute of limitation from three to six years for prosecution of violators of the selective service act.

Roy Miller of Corpus Christi and J. S. Cullinan of Houston have been retary of state in President Wilson's named as the Texas directors of the cabinet, to confer with him in regard national rivers and harbors congress. Judge John W. Gaines of Bay City was named as the Texas vice president.

Favorable consideration without weight champion, knocked out Bill final action was given by the senate to Senator Sheppard's bill for public since the Walker law became opera- highway and vocational training legis

THE MARKETS

Supplied by the Bureau of Markets, Department of Agriculture, Washington,

WASHINGTON, D. C., DEC. 18, 1920 HAY-Markets continue weak; demand very limited; shipments light. Prices have declined \$1 to \$3 the past week. Alfalfa showing greatest weakness. Ususal holiday duliness in evidence. Quoted December 17. No. 1 alfalfa Kansas City \$24, Atlanta \$35.50. No. 1 prairie Chicago \$22, Minneapolis \$16, Kansas City \$14.50. FEED - Market inactive. Production Minneapolis mills approximately only half Buying is for immediate needs only. Dealers stocks generally light Spring bran, quoted Minneapolis \$26, Chicago middlings \$2 lower, Cottonseed meal thirty six per cent, Atlanta \$33, Chicago \$34.50. New York \$37. No. 1 alfalfa, Kansas City \$26. Hominy prices Chicago quoted white hominy

LIVE STOCK AND MEATS-Coleago hog prices established a new low record on the 15th, an average price of \$8.97 being reached. A slight reaction followed with a gain of about 20c but the week ended December 17 closed with prices. generally 80c lower than a week ago. Other deulines were: Reef steers 50c-\$1; butcher stock 75c-\$1.50; canners 50c; calves 50c-\$1; feeders 50c-75c; fat lambs age of 25 applications for every 300 \$1-\$1.50; yearlings \$1.75; feeding lambs positions, according to Edmund F. \$1-1.25; fat sheep 75c-\$1.25. December .17th Chicago prices: Medium and good beef steers \$7.50-\$12.50; butcher cows and heifers \$4.15-\$10.25; calves light and medium weight \$8-\$10; feeder steers \$6.25-\$9; best fat lambs. \$8.75-\$10.75; yearlings \$6-A high-powered motor boat, which \$8; best ewes \$3-\$4.50; feeding lambs

In the eastern wholesale dressed meat trade price declines were general under slow demand. Beef declined universally \$1 to \$5; better grades breaking most. Veal trade uneven and prices fluctuating, declining \$3 in some markets. Lambs down \$1-\$2; mutton barely steady to \$1 lower; pork unevenly lower. December 17, wholesale prices, good grade meats eastern markets: Beef \$15-\$19; veal \$16-\$20; lambs \$23-\$25; mutton \$11-\$16; light pork loins \$19-\$22; heavy loins \$17-\$18.50.

DAIRY PRODUCTS-Butter markets have been in good shape all week and firm at close. Retail prices have been generally lowered in line with present costs and consumptive demand improved. Active trading on fancy butter, but under grades do not fully share improvement. Arrivals Danish somewhat lighter; demand for Danish not so strong on account of domestic prices and irregular quality of some recent arrivals. Storage butter moving very slowly. Prices 92 score about two cents lower than a week ago, closing New York 55c; Chrago 51 1-2c! Philadelphia 55 1-2; Boston 5. COTTON-Spot cotton lost 39 points the past week closing at 14.72 cents perpound which is equal to the lowest point reached so far this season. New York December futures declined 53 points closing at 15.12c.

GRAIN-The outstanding features of the weeks grain markets have been heavy export sales of wheat and great difficulty in securing cash-wheat to fill ald sales. On the 16th Great Britain bought in the S. 1,500,000 bushels wheat; Italy 1,-250,000 bushels; Spain 250,000 bushels Argentina reports fine crop prospects with yields running above expectations. On the 17th there was a heavy and general buying movement of futures including wheat, corn and oats. Heavy export business in wheat continued; corn also bought by exporters on the 17th. Stronger demand for cash wheat in southwest to fill old export sales and much wheat going direct from country stations to gulf ports. On the 17th Omaha reported exporters bidding 31c over Chicago March for wheat up to middle of January. Flour trade continues dull; stocks low; estimated at half of volume of year ago. For the week Chicago March wheat gained 43-8c, closing at \$1635-8; May corn up 15-8 at 72 7-8 cents. Minneapolis March wheat up 5 cents at \$1.60; Kanmas City up 4.3-4 cents at \$1.59 1-2c; Winnipeg May up 4 5-8c at \$1.76 5-8; Chi-December wheat \$1.69 1-2; May wheat \$1.59; December corn 69c.

BE MADE BY NEFF

Four Men Selected As Officials of Incoming Administration.

Waco, Texas .- Governor-elect Pat M. Neff has announced a number of appointments he will make to important state offices when he is inaugurated as governor in January.

R. B. Walthall of Nacogdoches to be his private secretary, Ed Hall of Bryan to be commissioner of banking master should be removed entirely and insurance Major Thomas D. Barton of Amarillo to be adjutant general, Judge R. H. Hamilton or Port Lavaca to be assistant attorney general representing the state before the court of criminal appeals.

Three Gangsters Lynched.

Santa Rosa, Cal.-A life for a life was exacted of George Boyd, Terence Fitts and Charles Valento by a mob here when fifty to one hundred men, armed and masked in black, entered the Sonoma county jail, overpowered Sheriff Boynes and his deputy, took the three men to a cemetery and hanged them. Had the three lived they would have faced the courts on the charge of murdering Sheriff John A. Petray and Detective Miles M. Jackson and Lester H. Dorman of San Francisco.

Traveling Men Win Income Fight. Washington.-By approval by the secretary of the treasury of new regulations concerning deductions by commercial travelers of expenses for board and lodging while away from home, from their income tax returns, the traveling men brought to a successful close a campaign which they have waged since passage of the revenue bill.

Kill Man; Get \$100,000 Loot.

New York,-Three masked robbers entered the rooms of a jewelry concern on the eighth floor of an office building in the heart of the Fifth avenue Thursday afternoon, shot and killed Edward W. Andrews, a member of the firm; bound and gagged three other men and escaped with jewels valued at \$100,000. Stepping from the crowds of Christmas shoppers passing the building, the men took the elevator to the floor upor which Andrews' firm has offices.

POSSIBILITIES WITH SHEEP

Farmer Who Does Not Utilize All of Available Pasturage Is Throwing Money Away.

The keeping of a reasonable number of sheep on the average farm does not necessitate the keeping of fewer dairy cows or other grazing stock. This fact was determined by the United States Department of Agriculture in its recent investigation of sheep-raising possibilities in New England. It was found that farms where sheep are kept successfully



Frequently Sheep Can Be Pastured on Land Which Would Not Otherwise Be Used for Grazing, So That They Do Not Displace Any Other Stock

have practically the same number and kinds of other live stock as other farms of like area where no sheep are kept, and that the acreage in crops on the two classes of farms is substantially the same. The inference is that the farmer who keeps no sheep is simply throwing away enough pasturage that cows and other live stock do not utilize to net him a neat profit.

IMPROPER FEEDING OF PIGS

One Big Reason Why Fall Porkers Prove Unprofitable in the Hands of Many Farmers.

One reason why fall pigs prove unprofitable in the hands of many farmers is improper feeding. Many persons have the mistaken idea that a plg must be fed a light ration until it is four or five months old to give It a chance to grow, which is one of the biggest mistakes a hog raiser can make. As soon as fall pigs will eat grain and while they are still sucking their dams, give them all the grain they will eat. In fact, the best thing is to have them run to a trough or a self-feeder, where they can find corn, oats, tankage or some other feed whenever they want it. After they are weaned keep them right on a ration of that sort until they are ready for the market. If you have a selffeeder, put shelled corn or ear corn in one part of it and tankage in another, or provide separate self-feeders, one for the corn and one for the tankage, and then let the pigs be the judge of how much to eat of each constituent.

CHECK DISEASE AMONG HOGS

Animals Become Infected with Tuberculosis Principally From Following Cattle.

Eradicating tuberculosis from cattle will practically solve the problem of controlling the disease among swine. That is the opinion of veterinary experts experienced in the handling and post-mortem examination of swine received at the principal market centers. By means of a simple and practical marker, hogs may be tattooed with distinguishing letters and figures, and when disease is found by post-mortem examination the identity of such animals is known. With a simple system of records it is thus possible to trace a shipment to the farm from which it came and stamp out infectious diseases at their source. Evidence shows that swine become infected with tuberculosis principally from cattle, either by following them in feed lots or pastures, by receiving infected dairy by-products, or by eating tuberculous carcasses.

DISPOSE OF SURPLUS BULLS

If Not Sold at Minimum Price Within Reasonable Time Convert Them Into Steers.

Some of the breeders have adopted the policy of putting a minimum price on the bulls which they have for sale. If the bulls do not sell in a reasonable time at this price, then they are castrated and good steers are made out of them. This protects the market and the quality of stock which they are

Yellow Corn More Nutritious, Many careful and observant stock feeders have long contended that yellow corn produces better results than

CHRISTMAS

A Puzzie.

Billy and Mary stopped in the house next door to see the new talking machine. After they heard a piece or two, Mary started to look it over, and said: "It's not like ours." Mrs. Case asked: "What kind of

nachine have you?" Mary engaged in deep thought. At last she exclaimed: "It's a Scotch

ollie." Mrs. Case said: "Why, I never eard tell of that kind of a talking nachine."

Billy spoke up, saying: "Mary is always getting things wrong; it's a fox terrier. If you don't think I'm right, Mrs. Case, you go over and look at the picture on it."

Sad Suggestion.

"I hate to go in a barnyard where lot of roosters are."

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"TOO OLD!"

John Stuart Webster, mining engineer, boards a train in Death Valley, California, on his way back to civilization after cleaning up he rescues a distressed lady, who makes his heart flop over. He liminates the offending man. She is Dolores Ruey. In Denver he is offered a \$25,000-a-year job by a capitalist friend, Edward J. Jerome. He receives a delayed letter from his own particular pal, Billy Geary, asking him to finance a gold-mining proposition in Central America and go fifty-fifty with him on the profits. So he starts for Sobrante. Jerome goes with John to the depot. They meet the distressed lady on her way to the same train. John tells Jerome the whole story. Jerome secretly sees the girl, offering her \$10,000 if she induces John to take his job inside of ninety days. The girl accepts. The scene now shifts to Buenaventura, Sobrante, where Geary has existed for two months on credit extended by Mother Jenks, keeper of a hotel and dramshop. Dolores cables Henrietta Wilkins (Mother Jenks) that she is on her way to visit her. Mother Jenks has been educating Dolores, who is the daughter of former President Ruey of Sobrante, deposed and executed by President Sarros, Mother Jenks doesn't want Dolores to find out she is no longer respectable. So Billy mests the steamer and tries to turn the girl back. But Dolores lands and salutes Mother Jenks as "Mother." Billy promptly falls in love with Dolores. Webster in New Orleans secures a stateroom on La Estrellita by buying a ticket for a mythical valet, "Andrew Bowers." In New Orleans Webster saves a young man from assassi-nation.' On the steamer he finds the mythical valet in his stateroom He accepts "Bowers" on trust, without learning his identity.

CHAPTER IX-Continued.

While he was considering the matter, a voice behind him said very softly and indistinctly, like a man with a

"M: Geary, will you be good enough to back your launch a couple of hundred feet? When I'm certain I can't be seen from the steamer, I'll come

aboard." Billy turned, and in the dim light of his binnacle lamp observed a beautiful pair of white hands grasping the gunwale on the starbourd quarter. He peered over and made out the head

and shoulders of a man. "All right," he replied in a low voice. "Hang where you are, and you'll be

clear of the propeller." He signaled Don Juan, who backed swiftly away, while Billy doused the binnacle lamp.

"That'll do," the thick voice said presently. "Bear a hand, friend, and I'll climb over."

He came, as naked as Mercury, sprawled on his belly in the cockpit, opened his mouth, spat out a compact little coll of tinfoll, opened it and drew out a ball of paper which he flattened out on the floor of the cockpit and handed to Billy. 7

"Thank you," he said, very courteously and distinctly now. "My credentials, Mr. Geary, if you please."

Billy relighted the lamp and read: "Dear Billy:

"I do not know the bearer from Adam's off ox; all I know about him is that he has all the outward marks of a gentleman, the courage of a bearcat, a sense of humor and a head for which the presidente of Sobrante will gladly pay a considerable number of pesos oro. Don't give up the head, because I like it and we do not need the money-yet. Take him ashore without anybody knowing it; hide him, clothe him, feed him-then forget all about him.

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*Kick the boat ahead again, Cafferty." Billy ordered quietly. He turned to the late arrival, "Mr. Man, your credentials are all in apple-ple order. Do you happen to know that this bay ts swarming with man-eating sharks?" The man raised a fine, strong, youthful face and grinned at him, "Hobson's choice, Mr. Geary," he replied. "Afloat or ashore, the sharks are after me. Sir, I am your debtor." He crawled into the cabin and stretched out on the settee as John Stuart Webster's voice came floating across the

"Everything well with you, Billy?" "All is lovely, Jack, and the goose nonks high. By the way, that friend of yours called with his letter of intro-

duction. I took care of him." "Thanks. I suppose you'll call for me in that launch tomorrow morning?" "Surest thing you know, Jack. Goodnight, old top."

"Good-night, Billy." launch and headed back for the city. At Leber's little dock Billy stepped ashore, while Don Juan backed out into the dark bay again in order to avoid inquisitive visitors. Billy bastened to In Buen Amigo and returned presently with a bundle of clothes; at an agreed signal Don Juan kicked the launch into

the dock again and Billy went aboard. "Hat shirt pecktle, duck suit, white seeks and shoes," he whispered "Climb tabe them etranger."

Once more the launch backed out in ! the bay, where Webster's protege dressed at his leisure, and Billy handed Don Juan a couple of pesos.

"Remember, John," he cautioned the bibulous one as they tied up for the night, "nothing unusual happened tonight."

"Divil a thing, Misther Geary. Thank you, sor," the Gaelic wreck replied blithely and disappeared in the darkness, leaving Billy to guide the stranger to El Buen Amigo, where he was taken into the confidence of Mother Jenks and, on Billy's guarantee of the board bill, furnished with a room and left to his own devices.

John Stuart Webster came down the gangplank into Leber's launch hard at the heels of the port doctor. .

"You young horse thief," he cried, affectionately. "I believe it's the custom down this way for men to kiss each other. We'll dispense with that, but by-" He folded Billy in a paternal embrace, then held him at arm's length and looked him over.

"Lord, son," he said, "you're as thin as a snake. I'll have to feed you up.". As they sped toward the landing, he looked Billy over once more. "I have it," he declared. "You need a change of climate to get rid of that malaria. Just show me this little old mining claim of yours, Bill, and then hike for God's country. Three months up there will put you right again, and by the time you get back, we'll be about ready to weigh the first cleanup."

Billy shook his head. "I'd like to mighty well, Jack," he replied, "but I just can't."

"Huh! I suppose you don't think I'm equal to the task of straightening out this concession of yours and making a hummer out of it, eh?"

The young fellow looked across at him sheepishly, "Mine?" he teered. "Who's talking about a mine. I'm thinking of a girl !" "Oh!"

"Some girl, Johnny." "I hope she's not some parrakeet."

Webster bantered. "Have you looked up her pedigree?"

"Ah-h-h!" Billy spat over the side in sheer disgust. "This is an American girl-born here, but white-raised in the U. S. A. I've only known her weeks, but-at!" And Billy kissed his hand into space.

"Well, I'm glad I find you so happy, boy. When do you pull off the wedding?"

"Oh," said Billy, "that's premature, Jack. I haven't asked her. How could I until I'm able to support her?" "Look here, son," Webster replied, "don't you go to work and be the kind

of fool I was. You get married and take a chance. A man ought to marry young, Bill. Hang the odds. I know what's good for you."

At the hotel Billy sent a note to Dolores, apprising her that John Stuart Webster had arrived-and would she be good enough to receive

Miss Ruey would be that gracious. She was waiting for them in the veranda just off the patio, outwardly calm, but inwardly a foment of conflicting emotions. As they approached she affected not to see them and turning. glanced in the opposite direction; nor did she move her head until Billy's voice, speaking at her elbow, said:

"Well, Dolores, here's my old Jackpartner walting to be introduced. Jack, permit me to present Miss Dolores Ruey."

She turned her face and rose graclously, marking with secret triumph the light of recognition that leaped to his eyes, hovered there the hundredth part of a second and departed, leaving those keen, quizzical blue orbs appraising her in the most natural manner imaginable. Webster bowed.

"It is a great happiness to meet you, Miss Ruey," he said gravely. Dolores gave him her hand. "You have doubtless forgotten, Mr. Webster,

but I think we have met before." "Indeed!" John Stuart Webster murmured interestedly. "So stupid of me not to remember. Where did we meet?" "He has a profound sense of hu-

mor," she sollloquized. "He's going to force me into the open. Oh, dear, I'm helpless." Aloud she said: "On the train in Death valley last month, Mr. Webster." Webster shook his head slowly, as if

mystified. "I fear you're mistaken, Miss Ruey. I wasn't on the train in Death valley last month. I was in Denver-so you must have met some other Mr. Webster."

She flushed furiously. "I didn't think I could be mistaken," she answered a trifle coldly.

"It is my misfortune that you were," he replied graciously. "Certainly, had we met at that time, I should not have Den Juan Cafetero swung the failed to recognize you now. Somehow, Miss Ruey, I never have any

> She was completely outgeneraled, and having the good sense to realize it, submitted gracefully. "He's perfectly horrible." she told herself, "but at least he can lie like a gentleman-and I always did like that kind of man."

> So they chatted on the veranda until luncheon was announced and Dolores

left them to go to her room. "Well?" Billy queried the mo she was out of earshot. "What do you | with me this evening, if he can man- | Billy has talked so much of you think, Johnny ?"

"I think," said John Stuart Webster, slowly, "that you're a good picker, Bill. She's my ideal of a fine young woman, and my advice to you is to marry her. I'll grub-stake you. Bill, this stiff collar is choking me; I wish you'd wait here while I go to my room and rustle up a soft one."

In the privacy of his room John Stuart Webster sat down on his bed and held his head in his hands, for he had just received a blow in the solar plexus and was still groggy. Presently, however, he pulled himself together and approaching the mirror looked long at his weather-beaten countenance.

"Too old," he murmured, "too old to be dreaming dreams."

He changed to a soft collar, and when he descended to the patio to join Billy once more he was, to all outward appearances, his usual unperturbed self, for his was one of those rare natures that can derive a certain comfort from the misery of self-sacrifice and in that five minutes alone in his room John Stuart Webster had wrestled with the tragedy of his life and won.

He had resolved to give Billy the right of way on the highway to happi-

In Mr. Webster's own whimsical phraseology, his clock had been fixed, on the instant he recognized in the object of his youthful partner's adoration the same winsome woman be had enthroned in his own secret castle of love. From that precise second Billy's preserve was as safe from encroachment by his friend as would be a bale of Confederate currency in an armorsteel vault on the three-thousand-foot level of a water-filled mine.

John Stuart Webster had unanimously resolved upon the course he should have pursued in the first place. He would investigate Billy's mining concession immediately; provided it should prove worth while, he would finance it and put the property on a paying basis; after which he would see to it that the very best doctors in the city of Buenaventura should inform Billy, unofficially and in the strictest confidence, that if he desired to preserve the life of Senor Juan Webstaire be should forthwith pack that rapidly disintegrating person off to a more salubrious climate.

Having made his decision, John Stuart Webster immediately took heart of hope and decided to lead trumps. Dolores rejoined them for a siesta

after luncheon. Webster leaned over and slapped

Billy Geary's knees affectionately. "Well, Bill, you saffron-colored old wreck, how long do you suppose it will take for you to pick up enough strength and courage to do some active mining? I'm-anxious to get that property on a paying basis, so I can get out of the country."

"Why, Johnny," the amazed Billy declared, "I thought you would stay and help run the mine."

"Indeed! Well, why do you suppose I spent so much time teaching you how to run a mine, you young idiot, if not against just such a time as this? You found this concession and tied it up; I'll finance it and help you get everything started; but after that, I'm through, and you can manage it on salary and name the salary yourself. You have a greater interest in this country than I, William; and so with your kind permission we'll hike up to that concession tomorrow and give it the double-O; then, if I can O. K. the property, we'll cable for the machinery I ordered just before I left Denver, and get busy. We ought to have our first clean-up then but one course:

within ninety days," "Gosh, but you're in a hurry," Billy murmured. He disliked exceedingly the though: of having his courtship interrupted on a minute's notice.

"You know me, son. I'm a hustler on the job," Webster reminded him brutally; "so the sooner you start, the sooner you can get back and accumulate more malaria. What accommoda-

tions have you up there?"

"None, Jack." "Then you had better get some, Billy. I think you told me we have to take horses at San Miguel de Padua to ride in to the mine," Billy nodded. "Then you had better buy a tent and bedding for both of us, snip the stuff up to San Miguel de Padua. go up with it and engage horses, a good cook, and a couple of reliable mozos. When you have everything so, you might talk to me for a change; you" exchanges will increase and radi ready telegraph me and I'll come up." "Why can't you come up with me?"

Billy demanded. "I have to see a man, and write some letters and send a cablegram and wait for an answer. I may have to loaf around here for two or three days. By the way, what did you do be afraid of you until I know you betfor that friend I sent to you with the

letter of introduction?" "Exactly what you told me to do Johnny "

"Wnere is he now?" "At El Buen Amigo—the same place where I'm living."

"All right. When you get back to your hostelry, you might tell my time? I am never in repose."
friend I shall expect him ever to dine "Feminine curiestry, Mr. We

age it."

For an hour they discussed various subjects; then Billy, declaring the slesta was almost over and the shops reopening as a consequence, announced his intention of doing his shopping, said good-bye to Dolores and Webster, and lugubriously departed on the business in hand.

"Why are you in such a hurry, Mr. Webster?" Dolores demanded, "You haven't been in Buenaventura six hours until you've managed to make me perfectly miserable." "I'm terribly sorry. I didn't mean

"Didn't you know Rilly Geary is my

personal property?" "No, but I suspected he might be. Bill's generous that way. He never hesitates to give himseli to a charm-

ing woman." "This was a case of mutua! selfdefense. Billy hasn't any standing so cially, you know. When old Mrs. General Maldonado lectured me (the dear, aristocratic soul conceived it to | fecisions, but not always right, bebe her duty) on the impropriety of appearing on the Malecon with Billy your heart instead of your head. and my guardian, who happens to be Billy's landlady, I tried to explain our American brand of democracy, but lifetine tells me you are close to fiftyfailed. So I haven't been invited anywhere since, and life would have been very dull without Billy. He has been

away." Webster laughed. "Well, be patient, Miss Ruey, and I'll give him back to you with considerable more money than he will require for your joint comfort. Billy in financial distress is a joy forever, but Billy in a top hat and a frock coat on the sunny side of Easy street will be absolutely irresistible."

"He's a darling. Ever since my arrival he has dedicated his life to keeping me amused." She rose. "Despite your wickedness, Mr. Webster, I am going to be good to you. Billy and I always have five o'clock tea here in the veranda. Would you care to come to my tea-party?"

"Nothing could give me greater pleasure," he assured her.

She nodded brightly to him. "I'm going to run up to my room and put some powder on my nose," she explained.

"But you'll return before five o'clock?" Webster was amazed to hear himself plead.

"You do not deserve such consideration, but I'll come, back in about twenty minutes," she answered and left him.

As Webster viewed the situation, his decision to see as little as possible of Dolores during his brief stay in Sobrante was a wise one. The less he saw of her (he told himself), the better for his peace of mind, for he was forty years old, and he had never loved before. For him this fever that burned in his blood, this delicious agony that throbbed in his heart-and all on the very ghost of provocationwere so many danger-signals, heralds of that grand passion which, coming to a man of forty, generally lasts him the remainder of his natural exis-

tence.

Webster was forced to admit he was afraid of himself. His was the rapidly disappearing code of the old unfettered West, that a man shall never betray his friend in thought, word, or deed. To John Stuart Webster any crime against friendship was the most helnous in all the calendar of human frailty; even to dream of slipping into Billy's shoes now would be monstrous; yet Webster knew he could not afford a test of strength between his ancient friendship for Billy and the masculine desire for a perfect mate. Remained

"I must run like a road-runner," was the way. Webster expressed it.

CHAPTER X.

Dolores had been gone an hour before Webster roused from his bitter introspection sufficiently to glance at his watch. "Hum-m-ma!" he grunted disapprovingly.

"Oh, I've been here fully half an hour," Dolores' voice assured him. He turned guiltily and found her leaning against the jamb in a doorway behind him and farther down the veranda. She was gazing at him with that calm, impersonal yet vitally interested glance that had so captivated him the first time he saw her. "Are you quite finished talking to yourself and fighting imagicary enemies? If you a life member. And the "thank I'll even disagree with you on any subject, if opposition will make you

any happier." He rose and indicated the chair. "Please sit down, Miss Ruey. You are altogether disconcerting-too confoundedly smart. I fear I'm going to

She shrugged adorably and took the proffered chair. "That's the Latin in her-that shrug." Webster thought, "I wonder what other mixtures go to make up that perfect whole." Aloud he said: "So you wanted to

study me in repose? Why waste your "Feminine curiosity, Mr. Webster.

that I wanted to see if you measured up to the specifications. Just let me have your hand, and I'll tell you all

about yourself." "Is there any charge?"

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"Right as a fox," he declared, and held out his great calloused hand. He thruled as she took it in both of hers. so soft and beautiful, and flattened it out, palm upward, on her knee. "A fine, large, useful hand," she commented musingly. "The callouses indicate recent hard manual toll with a pick and shovel; despite your recent efforts with some and brush and pumice-stone. there still remain evidence of some foreign matter ingrained in those callous spots. This line indicates that you are very brave, gentle, and courteous. You are quick and firm in your stuse your actions are governed by trace you have made a decision, you are reckless of the consequences. Your three years of age-"

"Secress, you're shooting high and to the right," he interrupted, for be dear-and you have taken him did not relish that jab about his age "I'll have you know I was forty years old last month, and that I can still do a hundred wards in twelve seconds fig. -in my working clothes."

> "Well, don't feel peeved about n. Mr. Webster. I am not infallible; the hest you can hope for from me is a high percentage of hits, even if I did shoot high and to the right that time. In point of worldir experience you're a hundred and six "ears old but I lopped off fifty per cent. to be on the safe side. To continue. You are of an extremely chivalrous zature particularly, toward young ladies traveling without chaperons; you are kind, affectionate, generous to a fault. something of a spendthrift. One resy safely depend upon you to do the tinexpected. Your matrimonial line to unbroken, proving you have never married, although right here the line is somewhat dim and frayed," Sle up at him suddenly. "You looked haven't been in love, have you?" she queried with childlike insouciance "In love-and disappointed?"

He nodded, for be could not trust himself to speak.

"How sad!" she cooed sympathettcally. "Did she marry another, or did she die?"

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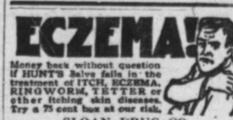
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My Dear Maggie: at this time? It is certainly pep- visiting teachers and their friends a pering down these. Some rain. I'll most cordial welcome; and whereas, bet that on tomorrow every ser- the pastors of the various churches of vice car in town is equipped with Mineral Wells heartily co-operated water wings and we will hear the with the teachers in their work; and drivers say, "Hydro-Whoopies, Hydro-

sail for South Bend."

mary occupation of going somewhere thrities of the city schools and the since I wrote to you last. You ask Institute; and and at the desk I have often seen the frailty of human friendships, where. Well I have been to Rome. Whereas, the hotels, boarding No not Rome, Italy. Honey you houses and private homes have opened lationship, the vanity of human know as well, as I do that I haven't wide their doors for the accommodaenough money to look that place up tion of the visiting teachers; and slowly envelopes human life itself. on the map no less go there. I have been to Rhome, Texas, over in the a splendid menu at a nominal cost for County of Wise. But I had just as the convenience of the teachers; and much fun as if I had gone to Rome, dent Wilson was written on October Italy, for I am somewhat historical and private, vied with each in exthis same desk and this day. Truly, 5th by Congressman Eagle to his as well as romantic and sentimental, tending all social and personal sersister in Houston. A fine tribute it And I could close my eyes and ima- vices to the teachers in such degree gine that I was in that historical old that nothing occurred to mar the city. I could picture myself sitting pleasure and benefits derived from in that ancient restaurant where Cleo- the Institute by all visiting teachers; patria sat and ate and when she was therefore be it trying to get out without paying her check William the Conquerer exclaimed, "Caesar, Mark Anthony." And our full gratitude for all the courte-Wilson was most courteous, atten- tune or one of which he may take a honey, I could see that ancient res- sies extended to us in the many ways taurant where Brutus sat, when it aforementioned. was 30 degrees below zero, out of Whereas, our county superintendoors, eating watermelons. He had dent and ex-superintendents of Palo eaten two and called for the Pinto county, Mr. E. L. Pitts, without. third, when Napoleon Bonapart, discrimination have rendered invalexclaimed, "You've et tu Brute." Institute in personal and professional While I was having these dreams I ways; and, was in a garage and opening my eyes | Whereas, in the wisdom and judg-Island of Haiiti. To gaze upon this therefore be it

to go, he quietly arose and by some the safety deposit vault to cut couthe school lawn, for 'twas recess, and educational matters. I longed to be a child again, and to Therefore, we thank them for their go back to school and to play with ability and uniform courtesy extended and having an oil well invade our the other children and the more I to the teachers of this Institute. He was in the perfection of his back yard. We would even consent thought of it the more that I wantfine powers at that time (1913) and to being a very poor man if an oil ed to go and I exclaimed, "Oh Time of this resolutions be sent to the folthe whole great future for himself well would come and deface our In Thy Flight Make ME A Child lowing: Dr. Roberts, the other Inand his fellow citizens, which he asparagus bed and fill our celler full Again Just for Tonight." Soon a stitute leaders, President of the State planned and faced with consumate of petroleum and our stocking full trance came over me and I was a Teachers' Association, to each of our child again, there I stood in knee senators and representatives in Conpants and bare footed, my mother gress, to the State Superintendent of came and washed my face and ears, Schools, and that a copy be sent each the ages. And today, there is an air if it does gum up the surroundings kissed me and sent me to school. newspaper for publication in each of as of the tomb, here. Only his spir- a little. It is one of the few things When I arrived they gave me two the three counties, Jack, Palo Pinto little books, viz., "OIL SCOUTS and Young. WELL RECORD BOOK" and "HOW TO DRIVE A FORD." The first class that we had was spelling, they gave us lots of hard words and I got turned down twice, I missed "Expense Account," and "Mud Hole." And Maggie you were is the school room, you sat just three seats in front of me. You wore a little pink apron and were so pretty:

> "You were my Queen in Calico, I was your barefoot bashful beau.

Finally recess came and we child ren were sent out to play. I didn't want to talk to all those old boys, I wanted to talk to you and I was By feeding Martin's Egg Producer. standing there talking when up came his honors as Rough Rider in the Spanish American War, he rode a car from here to South Bend for four months and never complained of behe was only six years old and had on pink rompers. And when he came up to you and went to talking to you and said that you were his sweetheart and not mine, honey, it was more than I could stand, I hit him right between the eyes. Yes, I was ing tired.) Oh! how I hated him, isit me of not I've been precty sent home, expelled and forever disgraced-and then I woke up.

Next Friday night is Christmas little kiddies will be all over the world, Will Santa Claus come to see you? I don't know wnether he will Eve isn't it? Oh! how happy the

bad this year. I'm happy though, I am going to see my mother, there I shall forget all about oil wells and mud holes and gassers 'neverything. For near Friend Mama will have a big Christmas dinner and ,oh! how I shail eat. I'll tell you about it all in my next letter. I had planned to invite you to visit in my home this Chriscmas and to let you meet all of your future connections and in-laws, but you had to go and get sick right at the last

No you won't get any Christmas present. Why? Honey, don't embarass me any more l've told you forty-leven dozen times-I'M BROKE. Goodbye love,

RESOLUTIONS

Resolutions of Teachers' Institute, mposed of Jack, Palo Pinto, and Young counties, held at Mineral Wells Texas, December 20-24, 1920.

Whereas, the city of Mineral Wells, through Mr. S. E. Miller, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Davis, Hon. Roger Creighten, Hon. K. Mc-Honey is it raining where you are Brayer, and others, extended to the

Whereas, the Mineral Wells teach-Whoopies, this whoopie will soon set ers and their Superintendent, Mr. R. A. Dean extended a co-operative hand Well I've been following my custo- and spirit in all the educational ac-

Whereas, the school children served

Whereas, the citizens, both public

Resolved, That we hereby express to all the citizenship of Mineral Wells

was waiting on tables uable services to the teachers of this

I beheld a ruins greater than any ment of the county superintendents, ruins in Rome, greater, than the ruins they have held and caused to be held of the Acropolis of Athens, or of the most successful Institute ever Christophe's San Souci Citadel on the conducted in this part of the State,

ruins it brought tears in me old eyes Resolved, That we endorse the and I sang "Memories, Memories, action of the superintendents in com-I was gazing at my perfectly sweet Institute

Resolved, fruther, That we hereby pledge ourselves in this Institute as-And while I was still in this city sembled to co-operate with our county saw the little children playing on superintendents in all progressive

Respectfully submitted. T. H. GLENN, Chairman MISS MYRA HILLIARD, Sec.

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order. It is prompted by what I have Possibly it would be safe to say that the devil. on every fair Sunday in the average The non-church going element won for their numerous visitors.

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non-church going element takes the Opposed to visiting and social life? advantage. I have been informed social side of life more and more. But Thompson. Shall the Non-Church Going Part say? Of course it's mean. Oh, wvb God's house we are paying by far too holidays with home folks. all had backbone enough to rebuke great a price. When we turn away Mr. and Mrs. Jas. G. Staples went such a spirit. By the next Sunday from God's house there will be no to Denton county to spend Christmas another " Go" family is on the go social side worth while to build up. with the former's parents, returning The sub-caption may not seem to from another direction to show their thing that can save our social life. William Brazelton and family resecond part is in for another Sunday Brother Superintendent, if you are afturned to their former home at Clyde, and work and kent away from flicted with the "Go" family I will Texas, after spending Christmas with of hard work and kept away from seen with my own eyes. Thousands church. By the third or fourth Sun not charge you anything extra if you relatives at Farmer. of other have seen the same things day this over visited family will have School next Sunday.—Texas Christian wife and mother, of Graham, were placed in a wheel chair, and when with their own eyes. The fact is, to go somewhere in self defense. So that the non-church going element, you begin to see around the circle.

Every that very thing. The pity and shame from church and Sunday School every of it is that they are having most Sunday. What is the final result of tremendous success. This implies in such doings? The Sunday School susa general way to all communities, and pended, the church abandoned and the particularly to the rural districts. community gets a through ticket to

community the majority of the grown out. What did they win They won will try to help and cheer in definite, people tre either off visiting or en- lethargy, carelessness, slothfulness, practical ways; by helping to make tertaining their company, or rather indifference, a dead church, a dead at hard work preparing big dinner Sunday School, a dead community, overloaded with gamblers, cursers and The automobile and the telephone Sabbath breakers and succeeded in are largely responsible for bringing putting their own children and their about this state of affairs. When the neighbor's children on the devil's Sunday visiting folk get their new lightning, hell-bound express with a car they break out all over with a guarantee to be safely landed in the

a better name I will call "GO." Go This picture is not a bit overdrawn somewhere they must. They must While improvements have been made go or "bust." Go if the sun shines, in other lines, the devil has been door go if it don't. They get their ing business at the old stand. He is neighbors all visited up, then they doing his work now with greater begin to reach out twenty miles away rapidity than ever. This is a picture or more. The phone message is from real life, or rather from real brief and to the point. It is general- death. I am not writing about things the soldier bonus bill would cost the ly about like this: "Say we will be which are taking place in Europe government approximately \$2,300,over there Sunday to spend the day." or the Orient, but right here in Texas. 000,000, Secretary Houston estimated ANENY, Room 12, D. & F. Bldg., What is it to the "GO" family if those Oklahoma and Mexico. I speak ad- today before the senate finance comat the other end of the line should visedly. These things are going on mittee, considering the soldiers' aid happen to be of the Church going Hundreds of communities have made measure. class? Can't they "cut out" their the landing of thousands more are on Church and Sunday School for that the journey. Can anything be done? enactment of the bill meant an added was in Graham Thursday. He is now a particular Sunday? You see the Certainly, something can be done. burden in the way of taxes, reiter- student is Simmons College. He was "GO" family is on the go and Church What? Call a halt. Let the church ating a statement made before the here working in the interest of the Sunday School and Epworth League going element have courage enough, committee last week that the treas- college. There are several Young must sidetrack and give them the backbone enough and religion enough ury ought not to be called upon to asto tell the non-church going element sume any additional burdens. Says one. well the church going "We will not forsake the house of our family should phone back, "We are God." Let your motto be: God and going to Church." Yes, of course, the church and Sunday School and the

they ought to, but will they do it? salvation of the children first, and No, not many. There is where the afterwards bring up the social side. No, not a bit of it. Cultivate the with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. more than once that some people do if we are to cultivate the social side these things purposely. Mean, you of life by turning our footsteps from school in Clay county, is spending the

Every Christian a Missionary We can be a missionary by our testimony; by our gifts; by our prayers; by making it our chief business to persuade others to come to Christ; Gray and wife. by faithfully representing Christ in our conduct, at home, at work, whereever we are, all the time; by picking Christmas day. out a few definite people whom we our comumnity, our State, our nation, what Christ wants them to be.

Study the passage from Galatians: Let him that is taught teach. Sow spiritual seed.

Be not weary in well doing. We shall reap if we faint not. As we have opportunity let us do good unto all men!

PUBLICITY SUPT.

SOLDIER BONUS MEASURE WOULD COST TWO MILLION

Washington, Dec. 27.-Passage of

The treasury secretary declared

While Mr. Houston said it was impossible to compute accurately the extra cost of each of the four optional aid plans, he believed the estimate

ost of each as follows:

Adjusted service pay \$1,342,000,-

Insurance provisions \$4,534,000,000. Vocational training \$1,880,000,000. Farm and home development \$1,-80,000,000

As the plans were optional, - the secretary said, the choice of the men would not be confined to any one of them, and allowing for the various selections he arrivd at his total estimated cost of \$2,300,000,000.

The treasury secretary professed to be "against the wall" as to methods of obtaining revenue to meet the outlay that would be required if the bill were enacted. He called the committee's attention to the suggestions for new taxes contained in his annual report, but explained that these were mentioned only for the information of congress and without any sort of recommendations.

He did not attempt to discuss the various tax suggestions, asking the committe to hear Dr. T. S. Adams, treasury economist and tax expert, who gave a comprehensive resume of the tax situation, referring frequently to Secretary Houston's discussion of the question in his annual report. He declared the treasury was daily seeing new evidence of a further drying up of revenue sources, adding that the task of computing tax receipts was, to that extent becoming more difficult.

In addition to the difficulties thus confronting the trasury, Dr. Adams declared the internal revenue bureau faced another problem in keeping experts on the job. He said the men who were capable did not stay long. Senator Smoot, Republican of Utah,

said "the real danger is that those men get training in the revenue bureau then go out and help big firms evade tax payments."

Dr. Adams said that might be true n some extent, but that he knew "of one man who left the bureau a year ago whose resignation cost the government millions of dollars in uncollected taxes for he was an executive with expert knowledge of the work."

The witness said this was typical of the "labor turnover," and that it direc ly affected the tax collections and would continue to have a more direct effect or such collections unless tax aws were simplified.

Se s .. Smoot said all thesa difficultie culd be avoided if a revenue aw when "the average man can underston were passed by Congress. littee adjour ed without ate for further hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bloodworth and children, of Jermyn, spent Christmas

Miss Lona Boswell, who teaches

guests at the home of R. F. Willis and wife afternoon of Christmas day. Ruel Gray, of Fort Worth, and Au- pleted,

brey Gray, of Graham, spent Christmas day with their parents, R. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Garvey and Brackenridge. baby, Mrs. Mollie Keen and Wayne

Gray Friday night. daughter went to Markley Sunday the treasury department three years groes. R. Connally,

Christmas tree at the home of I. R.

visited her aunt, Mrs. William Cooper delegated to carry a message to Ben- at the Medical College in Galveston, at Jermyn first of the week.

Mrs. W. M. Ward has returned from a ten days' visit to relatives in The message was to the effect that provide facilities for women students Baylor county.

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BRACKENRIDGE, CAPITALIST.

Brackenridge, aged 88, capitalist and ment to Belgian interests. here tonight at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Brackenridge recently had been critically ill, but today he was able to visit the office of the Express Publishing Company, of which he was a

this was done, suddenly expired. Fun-

diana in 1832. His father, who was \$500,000.00. a lawyer and merchant, had known The first county park to be estab-

When the war between the states tonio is the county seat. Biggers, of Farmer, attended the broke out George W. Brackenridge One of his recent donations was a after a short visit at the home of J. and subsequently sending him to New Other donations were \$50,000 to

> Antonio in 1866, and one of his first Antonio, besides funds for manual business connections here was with training and libraries. . the San Antonio National Bank, with which he served until 1912. He was See H. LONG about it. Investthe holder of large real estate inter- ments, Real Estate, Employment, ests and at one time possessed the etc.

land on which Fort Sam Houston and DIES SUDDENLY Camp Travis are now located. He built the San Antonio water works San Antonio, Dec. 28 .- George W. system and later sold the establish-

benefactor of numerous institutions. Mr. Brackenridge never married. among which were the State Univer- He is survived by Miss M. Eleanor sity of Texas and Columbia Univer- Brackenridge, sister, and by numersity, New York City, died suddenly ous nephews and nieces. He owned large blocks of stock in railroad bonds and his private fortune was large. He was credited with financing some of the railroad projects of Mexico.

Mr. Brackenridge made many benefactions, a complete list of which he never made public. Among the most prominent was the donation of the famous Brackenridge park in the city of San Antonio, which is recognized eral arrangements have not been com- as the most beautiful national city park in the United States. It is es-Mr. Brackenridge was born in In-

A. J. Cantwell and family visited J. Abraham Lincoln, and part of Lin- lished in the South, it is claimed, was M. Wallace and wife at Loving on coln's education was acquired from Roosevelt park, donated by Mr. books loaned to him by the elder Brackenridge only three months ago to Bexar county, of which San An-

offered his services to the federal fund of \$100,000, which he established government, but Lincoln refused to to serve as rewards for the conviction Mrs. Mira Connally and little let him in the army and kept him in and punishment of lynchers of ne-

Orleans in charge of the commissary the University of Texas for Bracken-Little Miss Mary Dell Cantwell there. While in that city he was ridge Hall, \$40,000 for a similar hall ito Juarez of Mexico, who was then \$50,000 for an additional building at in revolt against Emperor Maxmillian. Columbia University, New York, to the United States would recognize of medicine, \$50,000 to a negro col-Juarez in support of the Monroe Doc- lege at Seguin, Texas; \$250,000 worth of land in Austin to the University of Mr. Brackenridge moved to San Texas, and three public schools to San

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202,744,57

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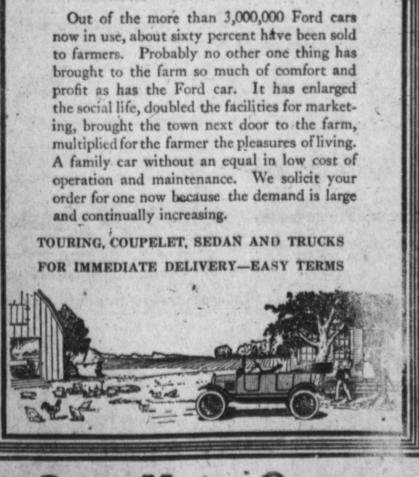
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FOR ME

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Well, they may

(6) wear-sachet-bags

THE GOOD NEW YEAR

EMORY J. HAYNES to the Boston Globe

Our journey pursue -

Let us gladly felfill,

Our life is a dream;

Gides swiftly away,

The arrow is flown,

The moment is gone:

0 that each, in the day

Of His coming, may say,

The millennial year

Our time, as a stream,

And the fugitive moment refuses to stay:

Rushes on to our view, and eternity's near.

"I have fought my way through;

I have finished the work Thou didst give me to

Seven Sentence

Sermons

M EAN to be something with all

your might.-Phillips Brooks

Doing what can't be done is the

glory of living.-General Armstrong.

Along an upward way,

few!

A bright New Year and a sunny track

And a song of praise on looking back,

When the year has passed away:

And golden sheaves, nor small, ner

This is my New Year's wish for you!

If you tell the truth, you have in-

finite power supporting you; but if

not, you have infinite power against

And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to the which also ye

were called in one body; and be ye

I asked the New Year for some mes-

Some rule of life which to guide my

asked, and passed; he answered,

his coming year, I do not stop to ask; Enough, if day by day there dawns

For I have learned how vain such

But let me seek Thy will, O King of

BEGINNING A NEW YEAR.

Though we are apt to think that

New Year's has been observed since

the year one, such is not the case,

In fact, there is no mention of the

day as a Christian festival until the

fifth century, and even now the He-

brews celebrate their New Year's in

September, for their calendar is ar-

ranged, according to the new moon,

which makes New Year's a moveable

holiday. Today, however, there is

scarcely a nation but observes this

season of the year in some manner

or other, though customs differ in

A Resolution

(1) be patriots, rather than

by reviving the thealism which

won the war; to broaden our

outlook and narrow wur ant-

mosities; to carry into national

and international affairs the

maxims which guide gentlemen

and gentlewomen in their daily

conduct; to practice thrift that

me may be able to practice

charity; to recognize that each

of us is and always must be

his brother's keeper; to work

well that there may be plenty of

goods in the world and think

well that they may be rightly

distributed; to go forward each

day to a higher level of purpose

and effectiveness, and live as

one afraid of no man, and of

whom no tust man to afraid.

- Chirago Journal

partisans; to win the peace

-0. E. Fuller.

you.-Charles George Gordon.

thankful.-Col. 2, 15.

, sage sweet,

soft and low.

"God's will to know."

before me

My appointed task;

seeking is,

kings,

most localities.

That thou hast in store

seek not great things,

And find therein my bliss.

feet;

0 that each from his Lord

May receive the glad word,

"Well and faithfully done!

And our talents improve

And never stand still till the Master annear

By the nationce of hope, and the labor of love,

................. T WAS foretold forty years ago. The New Year shall be a good one. This is the story of the prophecy.

It depends upon you to believe it. Forty years ago a lone skater upon the glassy surface of a lake in northera New England celebrated his solltary holiday. At the far end of his ten-mile dash he rested in the noonday sun, sitting at the base of a towering chiff.

He was a stonemason's apprentice. a mere boy workman. He habitually carried his steel chisel in his pocket. Climbing high, and with much hazard, up the face of the towering rocks, he cut this legend in the face of the mountain:

"The New Year Will Be Good."

The bold lettering is visible for miles. The take in summer is a faverite resort of pleasure parties. Each year thousands of eyes have spelled out the cheery monograph, while boats passed, and many a hearty laugh has rung with a heartler joy as old and young have approved the sculptured

It will long endure, for the steel cut deep, and the mountain will not remove nor the pretty lake pass away. The boy did not date it. Fortunately so, for that makes it fit every year and every reader. Why not for

a century to come? A thousand times the question has been asked: "Who wrote it?" And

no one knew. So it seemed some eternal truth of nature that the very rocks had miraculously inscribed upon themselves It was true to anyone who would read it. In storms the snow silvered

take the trouble to lift his eyes and the lettering. In sun the words gleamed with lines of living light. A sentence by no means elegant, but crude and boyish rather. Yet what rhetoric could add to the abrupt and simple prophecy from a hopeful, healthy

The New Year was to be just plain "good." Was that enough? Is it not enough for us all? One good to you, another good to me, still another



good to others. But always to all who will grasp it, written on the very face of the turning globe, the next year will be "good."

Last summer a wealthy visitor at the lakeside hotel drew the proprietor to the corner of the veranda, and, lifting his glasses, asked: "Do you see those letters on the rocks? I am the boy who cut them, January 1, 1847. You seem glad to know the author. I never revealed the fact. Why should I?

"It is not because I said it that it in true. No matter who says it, on a Happy New Year the New Year will be good. It is true in itself. Happy the man or boy who says it, who feels and who will have it so.

"The mere freak of a moment, yet somehow later I awoke to the fact that I had written a life creed on my heart out of the hopefulness and daring of a

Let us take the hope and courage of youth as the truth of this latest of our years. The New Year must be good. We will make it good. Canyou not see those lettered cliffs? No: visitor ever was dull to their magic spell, and many have read them through grateful tears.

SLEIGHBELLS JINGLE-

Hear the moaning and the groaning of the winter breeze; Old Year's dying-bear him sighing, listen to him wheeze! Weary Willie is quite chilly he his threadbare coat; this cold weather altogether gets his ill-clad goat. Old Br'er Rabbit's wary habits new avail him not; hounds are telling by their yelling that the trail is hot. See the fuel fight a duel with your next week's pay; watch your meter and the beater steal your heart away! You remember last September, Angust and July? Sun was shining, you were whining, vowing you would die! You were praying for some sle'ghing erying for some ice, now it's freezing gult your speezing; yell, and say it's

COOK BOOK by Nevie Maxwell Hymn for the New Year

The appearance of the table and the viands upon it add wonderfully, not only in point of aesthetic taste, but also in digestive results as well for we digest and assimilate more readily that which pleases the eye.

Some one has said that the eye is the first organ of digestion.

Water; cook in this very carefully four or five tart apples, cored, pared and sliced in rings. Serve the sausage with the apples in overlapping border around them.

SEASONABLE DISHES

This is the season for fudge making. Try adding a spoonful or two of molasses to the fudge mixture after it has cooked five minutes. It timproves the flavor and keeps the candy from sugaring. Spices, cinnamon, a bit of clove, chopped dates and figs make a delicacy more easily digested than fudge rich with nuts. A most wholesome candy for children is fudge thickened with corn flakes. Crisp the flakes and stir in as many as the mixture will hold. A nice peanut fudge is made by putting a layer of peanuts in a greased pan, then pour over the fudge just before it gets hard, after a good beating.

Baked Slice of Ham. Take a thick slice of ham and parboll in water to half cover, turning often; add one clove of garlic, remove the ham and cover with a tablespoonful of mustard mixed with two tablespoonfuls of brown sugar; add water to just cover the bottom of the baking dish but not to reach up to the sugar. Bake slowly until the sauce has been absorbed and the water nearly evaporated. More water may be needed, but it should be added in small quantities and boiling.

Stuffed Green Peppers.

Cut the tops from one dozen green peppers and put the tops with a small onlon through the meat grinder; add one pound of sausage meat, threefourths of a cupful of cracker crumbs, two tablespoonfuls of catsup, one egg. three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt, and milk to soften if needed. Remove the seeds and membrane and stuff the peppers with the mixture. Cover the top of each with buttered crumbs and bake in a moderate over 45 min-

Simple Fudge.

Take two cupfuls of sugar, two sources of chocolate melted over hot water, one-third of a cup of sirup or two tablespoonfuls of light molasses, two tablespoonfuls of butter and onehalf cupful of milk. Cook to the soft ball stage, cool a little and stir until creamy, pouring out before it gets too hard. Have it smooth and attractive in appearance. If cream is used in place of the milk the butter may be

Yankee Potato Salad.

Boll two quarts of potatoes with the skins on, cook two eggs until hard. While hot combine the eggs and potatoes, cutting in bits, stir in two tablespoonfuls of butter, add one chopped onion and one-half cupful of mild vinegar; season with salt and pepper and set aside to become cold. When ready to serve add one cupful of heavy cream and sprinkle with pars-

Sausage With Apple Rings, Cover the sausages with boiling water; after pricking them in every part let simmer fifteen minutes, then sirup of a cupful each of sugar and-

THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

"MRS. GRUNDY."

ONCE upon a time-and not so very far back, at thatthere was a real Mrs. Grundy, the wife of Judge Felix Grundy of Nashville, Tenn. The lady belonged to the best social set of the Southern city and her opinions on good form were highly respected though, in the light of modern usages, they would be considered extremely straight-laced.

During the time at which Mrs. Felix Grundy ruled the social set of Nashville it happened that a theatrical company visited the city, presenting a play known as 'Speed the Plough." History does not state whether the piece was humorous or serious, vulgar or refined. In Mrs. Grundy's mind it was enough that it was a dramatic production for the wife of the judge held that theater-going was a pastime which should not be indulged in by ladles and gentlemen because of the fact that it was frowned upon by the church. By a curious coincidence, one of the characters of the play was also named Mrs. Grundy and the audience laughed whenever she was mentioned. The connection was later explained to Noah M. Ludlow, manager of the company, and the name was launched in theatrical parlance as the title of a mythical person who rules the social and moral destinles of a community.

After Martin Van Buren's election to the presidency, Judge Grundy was made attorney general of the United States-but his claim to fame is as nothing when compared to that of his

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Last Night's Dreams -What They Mean

> DID YOU DREAM OF CROSSING A BRIDGE?

NEARLY all authorities agree that to dream of crossing a bridge indicates success in business. If you Vegetables, raw when possible and dream that the bridge is in bad condition and that you are warned not to when necessary to be cooked, cooked in steam and served with butter, and cross it, and yet do cross it, is a sign that you will rapidly go onward to a small amount of salt and pepper success. If you have any difficulty. will soon build up a run-down constitution. Add to this whole wheat in getting across your dream bridge, and yet do so, it means that you breads and cakes, and plenty of salad will successfully overcome otstacles plants and the body will have no need thrown in your path. Simply to see a bridge in a dream means that you will soon be called upon to exert yourself to get the better of some private difficulty or business obstacle. But don't fall off your bridge of dreamswake up before you do that. However, if you should fall off, or be pushed off, or be forced to leave the roadway to avoid being run over, if you support yourself by clinging to the structure it is still a good sign, for it means the overcoming of difficulties on the road to success. Only one authority can be found who regards it unlucky to dream of a bridge; the almost unanimous verdict is the other way-except that you should not fall entirely off the structure. In that case, or if the bridge collapses under you, beware of false friends. (Copyright.)

SCHOOL DAYS



THE GIRL ON THE JOB

How to Succeed-How to Get Ahead-How to Make Good

By JESSIE ROBERTS

RAINY TOMORROW

E XPERTS are agreed that sooner or later there may be a slump in financial matters, and that money will Salaries may fall, there may again be much unemployment-in short, after a lot of fair weather, rain may be looked

Are you getting your umbrella and overshoes, metaphorically speaking, for the wet spell?

In other words, are you laying aside some of the money you are getting today for the time when you find it difficult to make as much?

No woman in business or employment of any kind should spend her entire income. Even with the best of I have heard in the stillness of sinmluck there is likely to be a time when money is badly needed, and when a sum in the bank or properly invested When the tasks of the day that enmay be really a life saver

A spell of illness, an accident, a sudden responsibility—these things A lorelel singing her number. The are apt to come to any of us, to all of us. To meet them we need more than the regular sum we make; we need a I have heard, and have come at her reserve. And it is a fatal mistake to spend your entire income in the full days, simply because you take it for I have come where in dirt she was granted that you will always go on making as much as you are now, or make more for awhile, and again you' may not. And if you have never developed the habit of saving part of what you make you will be no more secure when your income grows larger. because you will continue to spend

It is no use counting on it always being FAIR AND WARMER for you. Make sure that some day it will read, RAIN TOMORROW, and that it will be right. Be prepared. And especially now, when the world is in a most upset condition, and when anything may happen, make your own future as secure as you may by laying something away each week, and I gazed on her womanly splendor; I by buying sound securities when you have enough laid by to do so. (Copyright.)

The language of Coraica, Napoleon's hirthplace, is chiefly Italian.

THE WOODS

BY DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THE CITY.

N THE land that is silent forever, asleep in the star and the sun. Where poiseless wanders the river, where voiceless the rivulets run, be much harder to get than it is now. Where men are not cultured nor clever, where wealth is not wanted nor won,

> Where the world moves in musical measure, where aureate daffodills nod.

Where Nature gives freely her treasure, her tree and her bloom and her sod, With only an acre of azure to curtain

the presence of God,

ber, have heard in the nearness of night.

cumber lie hard on the sense and the sight,

City, her song of delight.

calling, bave followed her glow in the sky. sprawling and beckoning men

such as I. even more. You may do so, you may I have come to her creeping and crawling, her love and her laughter

> She has opened her door at my coming, has opened her arms at my tread: Around her the roses were blooming.

to buy.

the passionate roses of red; Around her mad music was humming. and music the words that she

About me went white arms and slen-

der-for such had an Antony dled: drank of her ups, and she

sighed: I looked in her eyes that were tender. I looked in her ayes and she

The High Cost of Shoes Gets Wallon

"Ten cents to twenty-five cents a pair is enough profit for any maker of work shoes," says Geo. R. Harsh, head of the Harsh & Chapline Shoe Co., of Milwaukee, makers of the famous Lion Brand and Steven Strong work shoes for men and boys.

"For 15 years we have been trying to make the best work shoes in the country. To do this we even had to put up our own tannery, buy the bides. and do our own tanning, as we could and no leather in the open market good enough to go into Lion Brand

"That we have come close to success is evidenced by the sale of more than 10,000,000 pairs through thousands of stores. Last year alone the shoe buying public bought more than \$6,000-000 worth.

"Lion Brand Shoes are se popular we could probably go right on doing business through the stores. But I believe there should be fewer profits between the producer and user," continued Mr. Harsh.

"By selling direct to the wearer we cut out the profit of the tanner, Johber and store keeper, as well as the salesman's expense, and are able to save the buyer of Lion Brand work shoes from one dollar to three dollars a pair.

"It took a lot of courage to change our selling policy, but we believe the buying public is ready for the change and that our action in stepping over the middleman to the user will be fellowed by other large manufacturers of many other well known quality products.

"Our catalog No. 1 is now ready for distribution from factory, Hanover and Maple Streets, Milwaukee, Wis."-Adv.

Marriageable Age.

At what age should a woman marry? Opinions differ quite a bit. An English clergyman related that an elderly lady in his parish who was about to get married consulted him on the wisdom of her step. .

"You see, sir," she said, "the other night I got out of bed and tumbled down on the floor and I hadn't nobody to pick me up again, so I thought it was time I got married."-Roston Transcript.

Important to all Women Readers of this Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease, If the kidneys are not in a healthy con-

dition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. You may suffer pain in the back, head-

ache and loss of ambition. Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be despondent; it makes any

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine; will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.—Adv.

Not Too Thrifty.

"How much do you charge a feller to take a wash?" asked a grinty looking individual of the cashler at a publie bath house.

"Fifty cents a bath, or 12 for \$5," replied the cashier. "It would pay you to buy a \$5 ticket."

"Nothin' doin' answered the grimy individual, decisively. "How do I know I'm going to live 12 years?"-Tolede Blade.

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strictly by perseverance. Overcame all obstacles Bubbs-Where did be get his first lesson?

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Physical Endurance. "Some of those old-time statesmen patiently wrote out their speeches and other documents with pen and ink."

"Yes," rejoined Senator Sorghum, "But they had the strength left. It wasn't so customary in their day for n man to get out in a campaign and shake hands with the whole world."

Granulated Eyelids, Stjes, Inflamed Eyes relieved overnight by Roman Eye Balsam, One trial proves its merit.—Adv.

"I have a book in my library which

is a pronounced favorite with every-"What is it?" "The dictionary."

Saving Fish That Stray in Flood Time

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WASHINGTON. - A conservation measure of vast importance, says the annual report of the secretary of | 000 fishes of various species of bass commerce, is the rescuing of food that/were used in supplying individual fishes that are left in temporary ponds. lakes, pools and stoughs on the subsidence of the floods of the Mississippi river and tributary streams. The annual losses of valuable fish life owing to the drying or freezing of all these shallow waters have been enormousand have affected the food supply of such stations to produce. The strire the entire region from Minnesota and cost of the rescue work was only 13 Wiscensin to Mississippi and Louisiana. Thus the situation is clearly one cent of the output. The expense was that comes under the federal purview. and the bureau of fisheries has as- lections were lighter and the ov . wend sumed the task of mitigating, as far as charges were fixed, so that the average resources will permit, the yearly description of food fishes, its operations 1.000 fish rescued and planted.

being supplemented by those of several

During the fiscal year 1920, more particularly in the period from July to November, the number of food fishes rescued from the overflowed lands bordering the Mississippi and tributaries reached the noteworthy total of 156,-559,000, all of which would inevitably have perished. This salvaged output. which was about 100,000,000 in excess of the results in any previous season, was returned to the open waters in the vicinity of the points of collection, with the exception of less than 1,000,applicants or in satisfying the requisitions of fish commissions.

The young fish saved in the 1920 operations, if they had been hatched and reared in the usual manner at the ordinary fish-cultural establishments cents per 1,000 fish for about 75 per higher at certain points where the col-

McCormick Would Shake Up Departments

A BOLITION of the Department of the Interior, creation of two new departments-one to be known as the Department of Public Works and the other as the Department of Public Welfare and general reorganization of other governmental departments is proposed in a bill prepared by Senator McCormick, Republican, Illinois, for introduction at this session of con

Senator McCormick is now in Europe and the principal provisions of his bill were outlined in a statement issued from his office. The statement said that while the bill would be introduced early in the session action on it probably would be deferred until after the inauguration of President-elect Harding. The statement added that the Illinois senator, after completing the measure, discussed the proposed changes with Mr. Harding, "who ex-

pressed great interest in the bill." The proposed Department of Public Works, under the bill, would include all important engineering and building services of the government. The department of public welfare would include various welfare agencies of the government, such as the woman's bureau, now in the Department of Labor: the pension bureau, now in the Departbe enlarged so as to increase its

fulness to business, Creation of an office in the state department to have jurisdiction over insular affairs and territories such as Alaska would be provided for. The allen property custodian's office and the division of the secret service would be placed under the department of justice. The office of the comptroller of currency would be abolished and Its function transferred to the federal reserve board.

The McCormick measure also would abolish the board of mediation and conciliation and transfer its functions to the Department of Labor, and abolish the council of national defense and discontinue its functions.

The measure transfers to the department of commerce the weather bureau. ment of the Interior; the public health | patent office, coast guard, lake survey service, the bureau of war risk insur- office, hydrographic office, paval obance and the vocational training board. servatory and inland and coastwise The Department of Commerce would waterways service.

We Are Living in a Tenth-Second World



CHARACTERIZING the progress in the radio art as "nothing short of phenomenal," Major General Squier. chief signal officer of the army, in his annual report, says that from a technical point of view there has never been a period when the whole subject of electrical methods and means of intercommunication was in a more healthful state.

General Squier reports that notwithstanding the estimated general increase in cost of telephone service of 25 per cent throughout the country. the signal corps succeeded in decreasing the cost to the army by 42.72 per

icy, the signal corps should own, main- dio telegraph circuits on ordinary wire tain and operate telephone systems at I telephone and telegraph circuits over all permanent activities and announces a maximum distance of 130 miles.

that as rapidly as the permanent status of military posts becomes known negotiations will be opened with the telephone companies for the purchase of war activity telephone systems.

Asserting that with suitable apparatus messages may bezexchanged between any two points on the surface of the globe, General Squier says we are in fact living in a "tenth-second world," since with suitable equipment any radio impulse passes between any two points within this time.

Perhaps the most important of the many developments worked out during the year by the signal corps has been the putting into practical use of General Squier's own invention of applying radio telephony and telegraphy to hare wires laid in the sea or in the earth.

New developments include a system of potential wave engineering involving no earth return, the utilization of wave colls as antennae and a static elimination scheme.

In addition there has also been carried out during the year a number of experiments with wired radio on railroad lines which resulted in the su-He believes that, as a matter of pol- perposition of radio telephone and ra-

Poor Old Nineteenth Amendment in Bad

DOOR old Nineteenth amendment's troubles are far from being over. according to the National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage. Anyway, the organization with this elongated and impressive name says it has just begun to fight.

In other words the National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage announces that it has begun a new campaign. There are two purposes which animate the association and inspire the campaign. One is nothing less than the repeal of the Nineteenth amendment. The other is the passage of leg- lion women voted." islation to restore "state rights." It proposes to have congress pass an amendment requiring ratification by en eligible to vote, about which the popular vote of all amendments to the suffragists have been shouting for

The anti-suffrage association, in an polls." analysis of the woman vote in the re- No wonder the N. A. O. T W. S.



women staved at home" and "instead of twelve million only nine or ten mil-

"In other words," says the analysis, "only one-third of the 27,000,000 womyears, could be persuaded to go to the

cent election, says, "the majority of on the war path.

EVENING WRAPS WARM TO THE SOUL



E VERY young woman likes to feel, it in beige or turquoise, lined with once in a while at least, that she heavy rose-colored satin. looks really regal; that, if fate had part. Happy therefore is the possessor of a regal evening coat with which | dolman sleeves that could not be more

may possess for queenship. dependently of imitations. Imagine admirers,

Black panne velvet, with bands of handsome companion wrap with its she can reinforce whatever talent she capacious, and its cape collar of marten fur. There are bands of marten Evening wraps enfold the figure also about the sleeves, this sumptuous whatever lines they follow, and ev- fur matching up with the rich fabrics erything about them is ample. The used, and a lining of plain heavy satin, coat at the left of the two shown the color depending upon the taste above has long, wide sleeves, plenty of the wearer, which might well conof fullness in the body and a deep sider either black or silver gray as a cape collar of white fur. It is made foil for brilliant gowns. Black and furs have turned out, showing what is wide. Vivid greens, rich henna Magazine. the looms can do when they work in- tones turquoise and rose, all have

made her a queen, she could look the black and silver brocade, make the

Knickers and Pettibockers



T IS not unlikely that knickerbock- | The same silks used for petticoats ers and pettibockers ultimately make pettibockers like those shown will replace petticoats for wear with in the picture. The addition of one street dress, and there are several first- wide flounce or several narrower ones rate reasons why they should. They that cover the legs below the knees allow greater freedom in walking, gath- transforms knickerbockers into petti er less dust, wear longer, and petti- bockers, and these flounces give the bockers may be adjusted to suit any effect of a petticoat in walking. The length of skirt. Both these very pracflounces are usually knife-plaited and silk with stripes or bars in bright col tical garments will be featured in ors is used for making them. the annual displays of underthings By contrast with undermuslins as soon as Christmas shopping is over. knickerbockers are very plain, being Besides being practical they have been made up attractively, many of them innocent of lace or tucks or embroi in rather heavy wash satin and silks, deries; but make up for this lack of in bright colors for the knickers, and ornamentation by their pretty and vivid colors, of which pink, tarquoise in darker shades for the pettibockers. All are adjusted about the waist by an tan, blue and flesh, are favorites

elastic band run in a casing, or hem,

at the top, and elastic bands confine

them below the knees so that there are

no brittons and buttonholes or draw-

strings in them.

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Grabcoin.' "What does he want?" asked that successful captain of industry.

"He says he's an old college friend of yours who is now on the ragged edge of a misspent life."

"Ah! He wants to negotiate a loan. Just go back and tell him it's painful of the best English literature. for me to meet old college chuins, as he will doubtless recall that I was expelled in my sophomore year."-Birmingham Age-Herald.

Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" is not a "loz-enge" or "sirup," b a real oid-fashioned dose of medicine which cleans out Worms or Tapeworm with a single dose.—Adv.

An Obliging Conductor. "Miss," said the conductor, severely,

"if you are going by this train you must get aboard at once."

"Oh," gasped the dear young thing, who had been chatting with another damsel ever since the train arrived. "do let me have a minute more; I must kiss my sister."

"Get aboard, miss; get aboard!" said of one of the shaggy, silky materials silver is a favorite combination for the conductor, obligingly, "I'll attend which the manufacturers of woven evening wraps, but the choice of color to that for you."-New York Central

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A Change for Company. In a North side meat market a woman and her little boy stood at the counter awaiting the preparation of an order of lamb chops. While the cutter was frenching the chops and getting them ready for their little white pantaleftes the boy pulled his mother down to whisper into her ear, "Mamma, aren't you going to get some weinles?" "S-s-h, Lawrence," she admonished, "we have to have something different for company."-Pub-

Cuticura for Pimply Faces. To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum.-Adv.

lishers' Auxiliary.

Saving Mother. Two bread rolls were left on the plate, and as it was passed Richard

took the largest one. A troubled conscience immediately caused him to look at his mother. whose stern countenance spoke plain-

er than words. "Well, mamma," he said, although not a word had been spoken, "I didn't want you to be the hog."

Well Done on the Gridiron. "What's your favorite wild game?" "Football."-Boston Transcript.

REDUCED TO PLAIN ENGLISH

Page Boy's Abbreviated Complaint Left No Manner of Doubt as to His Meaning.

At one of the big London hotels there is a page boy who in his spare moments is much given to the study

A few days ago he was paid his wages with a small fine deducted for some breach of regulations. Indignant,

the boy said to the manager: "Sir, if you should ever find it with in the scope of your jurisdiction to levy an assessment on my wage for some trivial act alleged to have been committed by myself at some inoppertune moment in the stress of one's avocation I would suggest that you refrain from exercising that prerogative. The failure to do so would of necessity force me to tender my resig-

The manager, tottering, reached a chair and in gasps asked the boy what he meant.

again, I shall chuck the job!" said the lad .- Tit-Bits.

Heard in an Office.

"Sewing on your own buttons? Why, I thought you were married." "Oh, I'm married, all right, but you see ! keep my independence."-Bosf.n Transcript.



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THE TEACHER SITUATION

An impression prevails that the teacher shortage throughout the United States is no longer a serious from county and district superinten-While the average condition is slightly better than last year, due to marked improvement in States where salaries have been greatly increased, the general situation remains practically unchanged. The number of schools ers show that a very serious situation still exists, particularly in this State where salaries are lowest.

On September 1, 1920, the National Education Association sent a letter Graham Leader: to every county and district superintendent of schools in the United cording to the label on the wrapper their respective counties. The following is a tabulation of the replies received to three of the questions asked: the report; (2) the shortage of teach-



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teachers below standard whom it had been necessary to accept in order to keep as many schools as possible open. The standard referred to is, of course, the minimum for the given county or district, and teachers below standard are admittedly incompetent. The real shortage is, therefore, the sum of One Year \$2.00 actual shortage and the number of

well-trained teachers for every teach- sas Avenue, St. Joseph, Mo. to the question, "What per cent of work was a burden to me. your teachers have had two years or one-half the teachers had that amount restless to sleep well. problem. Recent reports received of training, and that in a large majority of the States less than one-half dents in every State clearly indicate had that much. Some superintenthat such a conclusion is erroneous. dents report as few as ten per cent taken four bottles and my appetite

The drive should be for a competent, well-trained teacher for every perfectly normal and I never slept boy and girl in America. Until this better in my life than I do now. without teachers and the still larger imately, it cannot be said that the strength, and I certainly do recomteacher situation is not a serious mend it to anyone in a condition like

FROM REV. R. LINDSEY

My subscription to The Leader, ac-States, enclosing a return postal card expired December 1, 1920. I am upon which were asked ten questions sending a \$1.00 bill pinned to this people of Graham, we thank you for regarding, the teacher situation in sheet to pay for six months from the good and useful gifts given to above date. I cannot get along with- us during Christmas times. We out The Leader. Graham was my old thank you more than words can tell. home for many years. I always took You will never know how much (1) The number of teaching positions a deep interest in the town, and did these gifts meant to us. The B. Y. in the county or district covered by all I could for its prosperity. I have P. U. and our pastor, Dr. C. R. Taymany friends in Graham. Therefore, lor. were so kind to us. It was so The Leader is like a kind letter from sweet of Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. McCrum,

> This Home is in southern Texas on useful gifts to lighten our sorrows. the Tres Palacios Bay, an arm of Mr. Kelley, Mr. McCrum and Mr. Matagorda Bay. It is about twelve Long were a real santa claus to my miles long and two miles wide and little ones .. Palacios, a pleasant little town of times worth while to us. probably 1,500 people. We have the Graham has so many good people usual business houses, and besides an who have remembered us that we are oyster house, a fig plant, an ice fac- glad to have the privilege of living tory, etc. We are connected with among Christian people. May God's Houston by a branch of the Southern blessings rest upon all of you. Pacific from Wharton, We have one passenger train every day. This is a delightful climate. No real cold UNCLE JOE CANNON weather. Frost and ice are rare.

> The people have flourishing garbage, turnips, radishes, beans, black- Representative today established a eyed peas, onions and many other new American record, garden plants growing right now. All With the close of a dull house which are planted in fig, grape fruit, of Vermont who as senator and reptrees also flourish here.

> old preachers and there are about record, with the hope of reaching the fifteen in it, all more or less helpless. ripe old age of 100 and beating Glad-The Baptists in many places all over stone's record of fifty-three years in Texas are sending in clothing, bed the British House of Commons. quilts, blankets, sheets, and many ar- "Uncle Joe's" achievement will be ticles of food such as green and dried celebrated in the House tomorrow, fruits, etc. We had a splendid Thanks- with Champ Clark, himself a veteran, giving-turkey, full of good stuffing, who retires March 4, leading the as we called it when I was a boy, speaking cereminies. Mr. Cannon mince pie, milk and butter coffee, tea, also will speak, and many of the older everything but "punkin" pie, and we members will ask time for a few recould have had that, but nobody marks. thought to send us the pumpkins.

> A Sunday School class in Beaumont, the T. E. L. class sent us \$1.00 each earned with their own dear School would not like to emulate the ter position to know the circumstanof Graham. I know they are perfectly splendid, only they just haven't thought. I'm mighty lonesome sometimes and a little gift with a kind of office, Jim Ferguson issued conword from any brother or sister would be highly appreciated. Maybe you would like to know what T. E. L. stands for? Well, open your Bibles at II Timothy, 1st chapter, 5th criticism of the liberal pardon power verse and you will have the key to exercised by Governor Hobby. We the letters-Timothy, Eunice mother, are in a position to know that this and Lois grandmother.

Yours truly, R. LINDSEY:

Now is the time to build concrete



ers at the opening of school in September, 1920; (3) the number of SHE GOT BETTER

Verge of Giving Up When Friend Recommended Tanlac

Unquestionably the greatest edu-taking Tanlac was certainly a very cational problem before the American welcome surprise to me," declared your hogs, sheep and cattle, and help people is the securing of competent, Mrs. Maggie Brown, of 604 East Kan- your cows produce more and richer

ing position in the country, in rural "For two years," said Mrs. Brown,

"I could tell that I was improving right along before I had even finished my first bottle of Tanlac. I have of their teachers having attained that is just splendid. I am never troubled ferent parts of town; priced to sell. with indigestion, and I have already gained ten pounds. My nerves are shall have been accomplished, approx- Tanlac has restored my health and I was."

Tanlac is sold in Graham by Sloan Drug Co., and in Newcastle by Leon Palacios, Texas, Dec. 15, 1920. Slaughter & Co., and all leading druggists.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many good friends and good a loving friend. It's news from home and Mrs. Campbell to come to our I am in the Home for old preachers house and by their kind words and

abounds in fish. The Home is two Mr. John E. Morrison's daugter miles nearly north of the town of and many othrs made Christmas

MRS. W. B. HARLEY.

SETS NEW RECORD

Washington, Dec. 28 .- "Uncle" Jos dens. They have Irish potatoes, cab- Cannon, war horse of the House of

around the town the land is laid off session he passed the mark for length in small tracts of five to twenty acres of service set by Judge Smith Morill orange, peach and other trees. Many resentative, served forty-three years, strange and beautiful ornamental nine months and twenty-four days. The former speaker will begin to-This Home is a pleasant place for morrow adding new time to his own

HOBBY PARDONS MORE

THAN TWO THOUSAND Governor W. P. Hobby has been the hands, and each also wrote us a good object of some criticism on the part kind letter wishing a joyous Thanks- of the uninformed people of Texas giving. Wasn't that splendid? I am on the ground that he has exercised wondering if some of the Sunday rather freely his powr to pardon crim-School classes in the Graham Sunday inals. We know of no one in a betexample of the Beaumont young mar- ces of most of these pardons than ried women. I'd like to brag a little Lieut. Gov. W. A. Johnson, editor of about the big-hearted Baptist women the Hall County Herald, who in commenting on the matter, says:

"Governor Hobby will issue about two thousand pardons during his term siderably more than this during his services of a little of one term. Governor Colquitt also issued more than this number. There has been some criticism is unjust. Most of the pardons issued are for prisoners who hav served more than half of their terms and in nearly every case the prisoner had the approval of the trial court officials and of their local communities. Penitentiaries are necessary to correct criminals as well as to protect society. Pardon is certainly a God given blessing in many cases, Certain it is that no greater privilege is vouchsafed in a modern government. Governor Hobby's pardon record is a good one and will be approved by all good citizens."

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"My horse was in such a run down condition, I thought he would die. After feeding him Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders, he is as weil as ever and is now as good looking a horse as there St. Joseph Woman States She Was on is in this section,"-J. C. Huste, Rockbridge Baths, Va.

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Mr. Huste's small expenditure of Tre Leader will be gladly cor- as well as in city schools. At least 'I suffered from a general nervous, saved him the price of a horse. Dr. rected upon its being brought to the two years of professional training be- rundown condition, and felt tired and LeGear can also help you. For 28 yond a four-year high school course wornout all the time. My appetite years as a Veterinary surgeon and is the generally accepted minimum was poor, I ate scarcely anything and Expert Poultry Breeder he has de-Graham, Texas, January 6th, 1920. standard for teachers. The replies of became so weak that I could hardly voted himself to the compounding of county and district superintendents get around and even a little house- remedies for ailments of stock and poultry. Whenever you have an ail-"I had a terrible headache and ment among your stock or poultry more of training beyond high schools," dizzy spells, my nerves were upset get the proper Dr. LeGear Remedy show that in only a few States have by the least little noise and I was too from your dealer. It must satisfy you, or your money will be refunded.

> FOR SALE-100 foot front nice business lot on main street to depot, good for any kind of business; sev--See W. C. BURNS.

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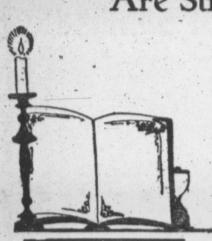
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What that gleaming white record has in store we cannot now foretell, nor should we wish to know.

With gratitude in our hearts for the

blesings that the old year has brought; with hope in the promise the New Year brings, we cannot but face it with a feeling of joy and gladness befitting the occsion.

May the unfullfilled hopes of the Old Year find realization in the New-this is our wish to you and yours.

The Beckham National Bank

Strong, Safe, Conservative, Courteous

The Leader acknowledges the receipt of many cards and letters of greeting and also many beautiful calendars from our patrons and cus- ular annual meeting of the share-

C. E. Burdick was here from Loving last Friday and dropped in to see us a few minutes and to renew for The Leader. He said a light snow fell in his community Thursday night.

W. Plemmons, of Miami, Oklthoma, purchased through McFarlane and Ury of the Graham Oil Exchange, a

You will find the largest new com-SNODDY & SON.

Rev. J. E. Evans left Monday for Odessa on a short visit. His family, who have been there with Mrs. Evans' mother since work was started on the new parsonage, will return with

Prepare for cold weather by purchasing your Coal Hods at SNODDY

the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Co. Kennedy and family Monday of this

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how and does it here.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the regholders of The Graham National Bank, will be held at the office of said Bank in Graham, Texas on Tuesday, January 11, 1921. At which time and place the annual election of directors will be held.

GRAHAM NATIONAL BANK. By Chas. Gay, President.

Mrs. J. T. Rickman and her daughlot on the west side of the square ter, Mrs. J. C. Rickman, were in their just south of Chism's Studio. The car last Friday when it came near lot was owned by J. H. Meisterhans. burning. In some way a short circuit was made and the car caught fire plete line of Box Stationery at but fortunately the car was not run-7tfc ning and the flames were quickly could seldom retain a single thing I extinguished.

> Why I Put Up With Rats for Years," Writes No Windsor, Farmer.

poison which nearly killed our fine work, and my nerves were in such bad 11 o'clock service. watch dog. It so scared us that we condition it was almost impossible ,Let's start the New Year right. suffered a long time with rats until for me to get any sleep and I would Mrs. O. T. Anderson, Misses Hallie SNAP. That's the sure rat killer and ery night of my life. I was also Farmer, Earline Roach, Lois Cook, a safe one." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, troubled a great deal with constipating house as nurse or housekeeper. and Dot Richardson, of Olney, and \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Davis tion, for which I had to be always Call Leader office. Miss Blanche Cox, of Petrolia, were Drug Co., and Norris-Johnson Hwd. taking some sort of laxative. Finally

Smith on Cherry street happened to gain my strength or get any better, the sad misfortune of having one of and was in a terrible fix when I his hands badly lacerated last Satur- started taking Tanlac. TYPEWRITER? day when a bottle in which he had "I had heard so much about the Fred McBride, an expert typewriter reporter is not in possession of the Tanlac I decided to try it. Well, I repair man, is at the Henderson hotel. details of the accident but understand had taken two bottles of it before I He repairs, cleans and overhauls all that his hand is badly hurt. It was could notice much improvement in of the different makes, carrying all thought at first that some of the my condition; then my appetite betools and parts for that work. Bet-fingers would have to be removed but gan to get better and I commenced ter have yours overhauled. He knows there is hopes now of saving his hand to regain strength. I kept on taking although it will be disfigured.

FORCED TO QUIT

Pieces-Tanlac Put Him Back on Job

Topeka, Kans., who is employed at it has done for me." the Rock Island Railroad depot.

tinued, "I had suffered from stomach Slaughter & Co. trouble and nervous indigestion. I my neighbor told me about RAT- lie awake nearly all night long ey-17-20c I got in such bad shape I did not try to eat a thing but boiled sweet milk The eleven-year-old son of Mr. and do what I would I could not re-

some powder exploded. The Leader benefits others were receiving from it until now I have a splendid appe-

tite and eat just anything I want and everything agrees with me perfectly. The headaches and dizdy spells have left me entirely, my nerves are in such fine shape I sleep all night long without ever waking up and always Had No Strength and Nerves All to get up feeling greatly refreshed. I have regained my strength completely, am back on the job working ev-"I gained sixteen pounds in weight ery day and have been entirely rein three months after I started tak- lieved of constipation. In fact, I am ing Tanlac and am now enjoying better in perfect health every way. Tanlac general health than I have in years," has certainly put me on my feet and said Robert Waldy, 308 Gordon street I am glad to tell others about what

Tanlac is sold in Graham by Sloan "For the past four years," he con- Drug Co., and in Newcastle by Leon

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ate and after every meal I would fill Special New Year's message with up with gas something awful. My special music next Sunday. Everyhead ached just about all the time body invited. It is the earnest deand often I became so dizzy it was all sire of the pastor and superintendent I could do to keep from falling. I of the Sunday School that every continued to go down hill until I got man, woman and child of the church "Years ago I bought some rat so weak I was not able to do my be present at Sunday School and the

WANTED-Place in oil field room-

CASING for SALE

I have 550 ft. 124 in. 50 pound Casing. 1140 ft. 10 in. 40 pound

Run once. In first class condition. If interested write or wire-

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Dallas.

FOR RENT-New four room house or rent or lease .- E. V. BURNS19p Lee Ribble, of Crowell, visited relatives here during the holidays.

T. J. Slover, of Bridgeport, is here this week selling a car of hay. C. H. Carson, of Fort Worth, spent

Monday in Graham on business. as with relatives at Megargel, south of town. Liss Eula Logan, of Wichita Falls, Earl Wheat and family, of Loving, visit to relatives.

were in Graham trading last week. WANTED-Your vacant lots for sale-LEWIS REALTY CO. 18-19c daughter, Mrs. J. R. Roach, of Dallas, are in the city visiting rela-

LOST-Silver Spangled Hamburg Cockerel. Please return to WILLIE

Mrs. Cabel Johnson and little daugh-

er are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Parkinson.

WANTED-To hear from owners

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Goldwater spent days. hristmas with Mr. Goldwater's other and sister in Dallas.

oon from a few days business so- can be secured. ourn in Fort Worth.

Lewis says if you have property to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crouch, of Mc-

Bradley and Ed Price, of Burk- Johnson. rnett, spent Christmas here with Mrs. Gibbins, of Clayton, New Mexeir sister, Mrs. W. M. Miller. ico, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M.

Miss Clyde Kisinger, one of the F. Brown, and sister, Mrs. A. B. Edpular teachers of Newcastle, was dleman. , during the holidays.

LETTER LOST-On or about the county judge of Clay county in the th of December letter with pension recent election. plication blanks, Finder return to A. CADENHEAD, at Miller's Mar-

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Price and fam- particulars. have returned from Pond Creek, hospitality of the people.

WANTED-To list your house, lot, iness building or business location ses and royalties with us for quick HOW. IS YOUR ults. Nothing too big or too small SER & McANENY, Room 12, D. & Bldg., next Graham Hotel. 18c

FOR SALE-Grocery store with National Cash Registers (formerly See RISER & McANENY, son hotel. Better have yours attend-om 12, D. & F. Bldg., next Gra- ed to. He knows how and does it 18c here.

Miss Lina Price has returned from | C. B. Hockaday has been sick at his home in East Graham the past

> Hardy Price is spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Price.

P. L. Gibson is visiting J. M. Williams, J. L. McLaren and other friends here.

Richard Lynn, of Denton, spent the Ed. Cox, wife and baby spent holidays visiting his brother, Claud,

pent Christmas here with relatives. Oklahoma, came in last Friday for a

Valley, Oklahoma, are visiting their

Mrs. Emory Pinckard and children, short notice at reasonable prices. Guarantee satisfaction. Call H. L. WEBBER, Ind phone 26. 18-19p

T. J. Slover, of Bridgeport, is here establishing a feed and fuel business in the Kinnebrew building, southeast corner of square.

FOR SALE-Theatre. Will sell on terms or consider lease. See RISER Miss Lois Cook, of Olney, is spend- & McANENY, Room 12, D. & F. ng the holidays with Miss Faye Bldg. next Graham Hotel.

Sam J. Culwell, of Bridgeport, is LOST-On Christmas Day one here this week looking out location earl ear screw, near square. Notify for the real estate and insurance bus-18c iness.

Don Parsons, of Megargel, was in aving three to six room houses for the city Sunday visiting relatives. ale.-LEWIS REALTY CO. 18-19c He left Monday for Ivan for a few

Judge Stine, of Henrietta, spent the first of the week here in the J. T. Vaughan returned last Friday near future if suitable office rooms

LOST-About Dec. 18, a bar pin, Lee Douglas, of Jacksboro, was set with small diamond. Return to ingling with the large crowd here MRS. R. G. HALLAM and receive reward.

ell and want quick results, list it Kinney, spent Christmas here with ith him.-LEWIS REALTY CO. 19c their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W.

siting her sister, Mrs. G. D. Hin | Rube Loftin was here from Henrietta yesterday. He was elected

> LEWIS REALTY CO is offering some of the choicest close in business 18p property in Graham. See him for

NOTICE-Young ladies from 17 to s with their sister, Mrs. Fred 25 years of age. If you would like rry, and family. They were very a steady position in attractive surch impressed with the country and TOR, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Graham, Texas.

CASH REGISTER?

Fred McBride, a repair man of l established business. Located on with the company) is at the Hender-









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E. C. STOVALL, Graham, Texas

NOW BILLY PLAYED

By Sara McCulloch

It was . Christmas eye and past Billy's regular bed time, but he lingered before the sitting-room fire, talking with Mother about Santa Claus and the many visits that he would have to make. Mother said that Billy had been a good boy so Santa Claus would surely bring him his new train: "I hope he got my letter," said Billy as he thought of the happiness that Christmas would bring him. Then he began to talk about his little friends Tom and Louise, and he felt troubled about them, for they both had said that Santa Claus could not come to them this year. They were his little heighbors and playmates; he liked them and he knew that they, too,

·had been good.

Billy sat thinking a few minutes, then he jumped up and ran to his room and took his little bank from the top bureau drawer and shook out his savings. He had \$2.50 and he slipped it into his pocket, hurriedly put on his overcoat and mittens and, cap in hand, ran back to the sitting room. "Mother, he said, "let's play Santa Claus! Let's go to the big toy shop and buy a present for Tom and one for Louise. I have some money of my own to spend!" Mother was surprised at his plan, but she was glad to join in the fun, so, together they were soon hurrying found Mother bending over him. down the street to the big toy shop. There Billy bought a beautiful doll for Louise and a toy automobile for Tom. On one package he wrote, "To Louise From Santa Claus," and on the other, "To Tom From Santa

How happy Billy and Mother felt as they went along the street to Louise's home. There was a light in

IMMIGRATION BILL PASSES IN HOUSE

Washington, Dec. 13 .- The Johnson immigration bill as amended to prohibit all immigration for a period of one year was passed today by the House. It now goes to the Senate, where its defeat is predicted by Senate leaders.

The vote was 293 for the bill and 41 against. Six members voted "present."

An embargo for one year against the importation of wheat, wheat flour, barley, rye, oats, flax, wool, hogs, cattle and sheep is proposed in a bill introduced today by Representative Young, Republican, North Dakota. He also introduced a bill establishing a permanent schedule of import duties upon these items after one year em-

Opposition to the joint resolution directing revival of the war finance corporation when it came up for final disposition in the Senate today was expected to center in an attempt to strike out the provision relating to extension of the Federal Reserve Board of more liberal credits to farmers. Notice that he would move to strike out this provision was given by Senator Smoot, Republican, of Utah, in the debate on the measure Saturday, which closed with an informal agreement that a vote on the resolution would be taken this after-

All feed is strictly cash at my store.-LOUIS BOWER.

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the kitchen and they could see Louise's mother working there, so while Mother waited outside, Billy apped ouitely in by the front door

empty stocking! Billy par e new doll in the top of it an! in his hurry to get out before he was discovered, he tipped over a chair! "Is that you Louise" called her mother. But Billy was soon safely Mrs. Dyer's mother. outside of the house and heard no

Then Billy joined Mother and they went around the corner to Tom's home-the tiniest cottage in the risk being discovered at Tom's he did not attempt to enter, but slipped quietly around the cottage to Tom's bed-room window. It was open Billy was just about to climb in when Tom's dog barked and somebody stirred in bed, so Billy put the toy on a chair near the window and ran back to Mother who was waiting on

When they reached their own home they found that Father had finished trimming the beautiful Christmas tree. They admired it, each one put on a few finishing touches and then Billy hung up his stocking and went upstairs to bed. Mother came and and, fancying that he could hear the jingle of bells and the beat of tiny reindeer hoofs, he soon fell asleep.

When he awoke in the morning he "Billy, she said, "I have thought of this week. a Christmas plan almost as nice as yours. How would you like to have ham and spent Sunday with old-time our Christmas tree this afternoon and invite Tom and Louise?"

Billy clapped his hands and shouted, " I would love to invite them, Mother, and may I be Santa Claus? In the afternoon Billy's friends arrived to enjoy his Christmas tree. What happy faces they had! What merry laughter was heard! And no one was happier than Billy, who, dressed like Santa Claus, handed out

JUST A FEW LIFE INSURANCE FACTS.

The United States Government re-

cently made out the following an-"Nineteen out of every twenty fail

to provide either for their old age or for their families after death." "Over 8,000,000 women must work

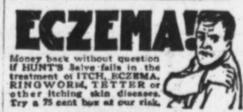
"Ninety percent of the children who enter school at age of six must stop before completing the eighth grade to go to work."

"Thirty-five percent of the widows of the country are in want."

"Life Insurance has decreased pauperism more than 33 1-3 percent in thirty-five years."

"LIFE INSURANCE save the nation more than \$30,000,000.00 per year in maintaining the poor."

"Seven-eighths of all money left by married men for their dependants Bryson School Progressing Nicely. is derived from Life Insurance."



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GRAHAM, TEXAS

FROM OLNEY ENTERPRISE. Joe Head and M. P. McCracken went to South Bend Sunday after-

Miss Erline Roach visited in Jacksboro Sunday .

C. C. Carpenter is in Crowell this week on business. J. M. Bloodworth made a business

trip to Jermyn Wednesday. Will Benson came over from Graham Sunday:

Chas, Keen, of Graham, was in Olney on business Tuesday. J. J. Egan went to Breckenridge

business Monday. Mr and Mrs. John Hanna, of Jermyn, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilbert Tuesday.

C. C. Johnson, of Graham, visited s sister, Mrs Marvin Averitt, Sun-

B. Cheves came down from Whichita Falls Friday and return Mr. and Mrs. George Dver left

this week for Paige, Texas, to visit Bob Harris, the popular Newcastle showman, was in the city on busi-

ness visit Wednesday. John Alexander made a business neighborhood. As he did not care to trip to Spring Creek Wednesday

> Irby Rhodes and Will Harris were among the Olneyites who visited the South Bend oil fields Sunday.

Mrs Chas. Graham, of Anarene, who spent last week with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Keen, returned home Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stephens and Miss Lois Stephens went to Bridgeport last Wednesday. Miss Lois returned Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander were through here Saturday on their We long to show it because of the way to attend the funeral of Grandpa Casey at Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gray, Will's tucked him in snugly for the night and Sam Casey and families attended the funeral of Grandpa Casey at Farmer last Saturday. Cecil Shuffler, a cousin of the

Enterprise man, came in from Alvord for a short visit the first of Sikes Wood came over from Gra-

friends. Sikes is a Linotype man on the Graham Leader now. Mrs Laura Keen and children, who

spent last week near Newcastle, visiting her stepson, Terrell Keen, returned to Olney Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Keen will remain in Olney with with drums, horns and gayly dressed her brother, Walter Jones, until after the first of the year.

daughter, Pauline, and Mrs. Earl Gilbert and infant son, Billie, went to pound a little faster? What would Jermyn Monday on a visit to Mrs. Bloodworth's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Martin and children, and Chas. Graham; of Anarene, spent Sunday in Olney, and Mrs. Martin remained over untiy Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hutchings.

Miss Bernice Benson and Mrs. Keen went to Graham Wednesday, as they thought, on a flying trip, but when they were about four miles on the homeward trip their Ford broke an axle and they returned the

M. S. Patterson and Sam Bird returned last week from a prospecting trip on the Plains. Mr. Patterson and family will leave Tuesday to a good curkey dinner. make their home there. We regret to lose them as they have lived here themes written by a pupil in the a number of years and have a host Graham High School.-Editor) of friends in the community.

FROM JACKSBORO GAZETTE

Suppper For Benefit of School. Bryson, Texas Dec. 15 .- The Bry-

on boys are still doing fine in basket- Roup. Guaranteed by B. S. DOTY ball. Cundiff's senior boys came over Saturday and played. The game ended with 19 to 25 in our favor. School is progressing nicely.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will have a box supper Friday night, the 17th. Every girl and woman is invited to come and bring a box full of "goodies," and every boy and man is wanted and invited to come and with him a pocket full of noney. So, everyone come.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hattin are pending a few days with relatives

G. S. Sneathen of Denton was in Bryson Saturday.

Mr. Wakeley Keene and Miss Alma Jones, both of Bryson, were married Friday, the 10th. They left immediately on the morning train for Gal-

C. F. Daily and Mrs. Ruby Wat kins were in Jacksboro Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lewis of Jacksboro spent Sunday with relatives at

Miss Letha Jones came from Dallas and spent the past few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jones, of this place.

Fffe Mae Box of Jermyn has been risiting relatives in Bryson. Willie Simpson from Graham was

n Bryson, Sunday. Vora Bennett of Jermyn has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence

THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT. By Faye Steen

Bros.

We usually think of the Christmas spirit as a spirit of love. By that spirit we are drawn a little closer to our friends and loved ones. We feel the love that makes us happier. We look forward to Christmas during all of the preceding year in great expectation knowing that it is a time

that everyone will enjoy. Our hearts grow warmer with the mere mentioning of the word "Christmas" and we long for the time to come.

This is a spirit by which all men are influenced, for all nations celebrate Christmas as meaning the same thing the birthday of Jesus, our Savior, in their own way. The litle Babe of Bethlehem brought to the world nearly two hundred years ago, gift that has never been equaled. His gift kindled in the hearts of men true love. True love that makes us happy as we celebrate His birthday and do honor to His name by making some one else happy.

We not only feel the Christmas spirit, but, in addition, we show it We send forth proofs of our love and happiness. Everyone's face wears a smile; evehyone's eyes glow and sparkle from inward emotion. From the oldest down to the youngest there seems to shine forth from their hearts, love, joy and peace. No one mopes or sighs as Christmas comes gliding in on snow-flakes of purest white. No one weeps or shudders when Santa rings his sleigh bells. Ne, never everyone is happy and tries to make someone else happy. We recall friends, real friends, who have proven their friendship in the past and we long, especially at this time, to show our sincere gratitude. living spirit of sympathy and tenderness. Also our hearts are touched by people who are sad and lonely; people who feel that Christmas is a mockery, when gay and smiling we pass on forgetting the black cloud settled over their hearts. People to whom Christmas is a sad time on account of their loneliness or sorrow. To these, we should impart some of our happiness to make Christmas a

time of love for them, too. The world dcorates itself to show its happiness. What would Christmas be if there were no Christmas trees decorated with bright colore tinsel and lighted candles, loaded dolls? What would Christmas be like if every shop in town didn't dis-Mrs. John Bloodworth and little play for a whole month to cause little hearts as well as big ones to Christmas be like if daddy and Mother didn't make mysterious trips to town and come home all winks be like if little tongues didn't rattle away night and day about how Santa gets down the chimney or how he leaves an empty stocking to the bad signs of its coming? I am afraid we would forget it entirely if we could not see it. We would forget to love and be happy or make someone else happy.

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"I'll have more money for insurance in a couple of years," said the fourth wise man. But a reckless chauffer ran over him, and the day when he can buy insurance has past. Now there was a FIFTH man and he bought his insurance when he had the chance. He isn't worrying any. Neither is his family.

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CRIME EPIDEMIC DECLARED

New York, Dec. 19 .- The world war in the dragnet and a score or more to the world war are to be found the police believe. roots of the various crimes of violence | Police here, while taking every proportions within the last year.

ity as to engender the present alarm- mitting robbery. ing situation.

from the relaxation of the war," says tion is expected to be made before Herbert G. Lord, head of the depart- the City Council. ment of psychology at the University of Columbia. "It is not confined Unclaimed Letters in the Post Office to New York or to the United States. Read the news from all the world and you'll find the same conditions existing everywhere."

"How long do you think it will

"No telling," he answered. "If people all over the world keep on quarreling the situation may keep on retting worse indefinitely."

"Do you think people will keep on quarreling ?"

"I don't know," he admitted. "No ed by epidemics of crime, but never before was there a war that was so universal in its effect. Therefore, there is no way of estimating how long present conditions may last, There was great unrest after the Civil War, but when there was the st to be won and in the West the ess men Tound als expression for r istinct for adventure.

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Chicago, Ill, Dec. 19 .- Unemployment which has thrown hundreds of T. J. Rogers. . . thousands out of work is back of the . Miss Pearl Hutchins." crime wave which is sweeping the Toddy Shaltz. country, according to police officials. Mis. L. M. Knox. Unable to get a job men have turn-

In Chicago alone this week there Mr. Howard Kay. have been more than a score of mar- Mr. George Marvin. ing hold-ups which have resulted in ... Miss Carrie Lightner, the killing of a policeman, two robbers, and the wounding of several Mrs. Thomas J. Hawkins. other policinen and hold-up men. Miss Irene Frady.

Anticipating a wave of crime as a result of the laying off of workers, Chief of Police Charles Fitzmorris, several weeks ago dispatched flying squadrons throughout the city to

search every nook and cranny where AFTERMATH OF, WORLD WAR. suspicious characters might be found. More than a thousand were caught E. H. Graves. Mr. E. L. Green. Mr. L. C. Hundt.

Mr. H. H. Hughes.

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Mr. V. E. Hutchings.

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Miss Vera Elliot.

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Eugenia Taylor.

Mr. Earl Sandlin

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Mrs. Florence Thomas.

Mr. C. C. Meadows.

Mrs. H. L. Nickels.

Mr. Claude P. Morris.

Mrs. Bertha Blanks.

J. J. Fain.

is the common alibi for the crime epi- wanted for crimes were picked up. demic. It is the one subject on which Payroll robberies have practically all agree. Socialists and capitalists, been halted. Special police detailed psychologists, dectives and politicians to accompany messengers have frusfind a common meeting ground in trated hold-up plots and saved emtheir agreement that in the reaction ployers many thousands of dollars,

that have grown to such alarming precaution, are not optimistic that the crime wave can be stopped as But while all agree on the cause long as 'unemployment continues. there is wide divergence of opinion They say that men who are out of as to the way in which the war so work this winter and with no ininfluenced the character of human- come will try to make it up by com-

An effort to increase Chicago's "Emotional instability resulting police force to cope with the situa-

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ber 15, 1920. Doyle Dinkey John Cronin Mrs. Carey C. Clark. Mrs. P. E. Cantrell Mr. Chas. Carroll. Miss Ruth Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Colledge. Mr. Tony Barber. Hurley F. Bagley. Mr. G. H. Carroll. Mrs. M. F. Campbell. Mrs. Tom Mikler. John Hoff. Guy Waters. Miss Mary White, Mr. T. J. Timpleton. Miss Etta Stevenson. Mrs. D. E. Leary. . . Mr. Zebb Jackson. Mrs. William McPhenrson. Mrs. Essie Lee Paul. Mr. Jno. E. Redman. Lester Hawkins.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County,-Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon C. A. Blount and E. D. Wortham by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 30th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District. then in a newspaper in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of County Court of Young County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st. Monday in January A. D: 1921 the same being the 3rd. day of January A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th. day of December A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 658, wherein The Continental Guaranty Corporation a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New York and doing business in the State of Texas under permit, is Plaintiff, and C. A. Blount and E. D. Wortham, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 14 day of February 1920 the Defendant for a valuable consideration to them in hand paid made, executed and delivered to The Southwest Trail Garage at Graham, Texas their certain twelve notes of that date each for the sum of \$105.25 with interest thereon from maturity at the rate of 10 per cent per annum and providing for 10 per cent additional as attorney fees if sued on or placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. That said notes matured on the 14th days of March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December 1920 January and Feburary 1921 after date and providing that the failure or refusal to pay any one of said notes at maturity should at the option of the holder mature all of said notes unpaid. Tha said notes were sold and transfered before maturity to the Plaintiff herein who is now the owner and holder of said notes. That said notes are secured by a Mortgage on one Maxwell Truck Model 200 Serial No. 393336 complete which said Mortgage has been transfered to Plaintiff: That said notes are entitled to a credit of \$263.00 which is entered thereon. That all of said notes maturing before December 14th 1920 are past due and unpaid and committee and unpaid and unpai that Plaintiff has elected and now here declares all of said notes due and payable as provided for therein. That defendants have failed and refused to pay the same or any part,

such other and futher orders as the Court mat direct. Herein fall not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular team, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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Witness, W. H. KENNEDY, Clerk of the County Court of Young

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cious and kind expression of love and cessful year than last. esteem of those whose friendship you. have won. No one ever loses who invests himself and all that he has in the Kingdom of God, and in the vestments and the investments which will bring the greatest returns are those which are put into the making laid up above, they will outlive time out for hours from 2 to 5 o'clock and of character. These are the richesand sense, and will be ours to enjoy is the sweet bye and bye.

The many tokens of kindness and good will which have been shown us by the people led to the meditations above. In many ways, on many occasions you have given expressions of love and appreciation. In a temporal way you have been neither slow nor inactive. The increase in salary has been a substantial one. The first year it was \$200, last year \$600, and this year another \$600. Quite a number of checks have come to us on the side, and in other ways you have remembered us. But the whole thing seemed to reach the climax this week, of clothes for the preacher, an ele- Judge and Mrs. C. D. Brewton,

A MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION gant coat for the preacher's wife from On this gladsome Christmas morn- the ladies of the Missionary Society, peace of soul when one feels that his generously remembered. Then after J. Cantwell Sunday. investments are all secure, and there the Christmas tree occasion was over Ben Thompson came in from West. ities at all, for of this world's goods more were left. All this in these a sister there. we possess very little. Our invest- times of the high cost of living was, ments are of a higher and more dur- of course, appreciated for its intrinable character, and the returns are sic value, but much more for the in keeping with the investments, spirit back of it, prompting it. You We have chosen as our portion God have been free also to speak words and humanity. All of our talents and of commendation and love, and your ability, both natural and acquired, actions at all times have given power and money are devoted jointly to their to your expressions. People of other use. To God we owe all; from churches, and of no church have been we preceive all, and through kind, and have spoken many hearten- noon. we would use all in the ing and helpful words. We want you in the service of his creatures heartily all this, and we desire as Saturday. Christ taught us through best we can reciprocate every bit of example and precept while here on it. You have put us under obliga- visiting his grandparents, Mr. and earth. The compensations are the tions to go our limits in building up Mrs. Geo. Roden. richest to be found in any field of the Kingdom of God. You have chalaction. There is a peace of cons- lenged us to do our best. This we Josie Adams and children and R. F. cience, the quietness of spirit, and the want to do. We shall ask a continua- Willis were in Graham Saturday. feeling of joy over duty gladly tion of your prayers and harmonious performed. And beyond this, adding services. With this I see no reason the Box Supper at Loving Saturday to it inexpressible wealth is the gra- why we may not have a more suc-

Little Martha Marie Dyer was hoslives of men. Whether he be a tess to a few of her little friends daughter in Huntsville this week. farmer, real estate man, blacksmith, westerday afternoon, December 29, at ,,Dr. W. O. Padgett and family visbanker or oil driller, the safest in- the home of her mother and aunt, ited relatives at Loving Sunday. Mmes, Glenn Dyer and W. H. Dyer, to celebrate her second birthday. Written invitations had been sent the little guests enjoyed games, Katherine Duncan and Geraldine Duncan winning favors in a peanut hunt. The table was decorated with crepe poinseettias, the birthday cake with the candles and Neopolitan jello with whipped cream and nuts. Dainty little Christmas place cards marked places for Katherine Duncan, Louise Hutchison, Frances Hallam, Edmonia Smith, Geraldine and Maxine Duncan, Mary Bell Clark, and the little hostess. Kodak pictures of the party at the table and the beautiful Christmas

Graves Brewton, of Panhandle, winding up Friday night. A fine suit Texas, is here visiting his parents,

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Gray and son, ing, in the quiet precincts of our a counterpane, towels and a lot of Harold spent Sunday week with W. happy home we are thinking. Think- other personal gifts, including a B. Mann and family of Jacksboro. ing on the rich returns from all our leather purse from Mrs. Bowman's Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wallace of Lovinvestments. There is quietness and Sunday School class. Mary was also ing visited their daughter, Mrs. A.

is rejoicing as the returns come in. on Friday night, the parsonage was Texas and spent a few days with Our investments are not in stocks and bombarded and a characteristic Meth- his mother and sister, Mrs. M. E. bonds, not in real estate and oil; in- odist pounding was administered, and Thompson and Mrs. H. K. Weems. deed, not in any kind of earthly secur- groceries to the amount of \$100 or He left Sunday for Dallas to visit

> Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan made a short visit with the latter's parents in

Garza county, two weeks ago. Miss Roma Gray is at home from Jacksboro to spend the vacation with

her parents, R. H. Gray and wife. W. Duckworth and family of Graham were Jean visitors Sunday after-

Mrs. J. T. Simms and daughter, promotion of His interests, and to know that we appreciate most Miss Artie were shopping in Graham

Raymond Roden of Arlington is

Clarence Brooks and wife, Mrs.

, The Jean Band rendered music for night, they also furnished music for Lamar School Friday night, the occasion being a Box Supper.

B. M. Baker and family, of Fort Worth, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baker here.

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Statement To The Public

FROM THE

Cooks, Waiters & Waitresses Union

It has been intimated by the local press and by various individuals that the demands of the striking Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses were unreasonable and unjust and that we alone are to blame for the Strike in Graham.

Now the public is entitled to know the facts in connection with this matter. Some time ago the Cooks and Waiters met in the Graham Opera house and organized their local Union which is now known as local 272 Graham. As is customary with all labor organizations and especially of this Craft the matter of a working contract was the first matter to arise. In shaping this contract the demands contained was a great deal less than the regular scale of wages over the Nation.

However; it is our understanding that the Hotel and Restaurant Proprietors of this City are not protesting the demands made-but their chief objection is to the Employees Union itself. They are now holding out for OPEN SHOP.

The Open Shop Movement is nation wide—it was formed by the big Capitalists of this Nation, who wish to keep their hands at the throat of their employees. They can only do this by preventing them from becoming organized. Of course by doing this they can dictate the hours and the wages and the working conditions

The Hotel and Restaurant Strike in Graham is now enduring through the stubborness of the Proprietors and their opposition to Unionism-and not through any fault of the Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses. The right to organize for Mutual protection is a God given right, it is a constitutional right and the Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses will stand firm in their demands

The Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses Local 272 have at all times been willing to arbitrate with the Cafe Owners and are now again asking for amicable settlement.

IN ORDER that the public will not be inconvenienced we are now serving meals in our own Cafe (THE JUST-A-BITE) next door to the Texan Hotel. Plans are now being performed to establish a larger place, better located—where we will be able to serve the public in competition with the Cafe's now employing Non-Union labor --- who like Judas of old are helping in the effort to crush labor in their Honest and Just demands. In regard to these Strike Breakers we can only repeat the words of the Saviour, when nailed upon the Cross on Calvary's plain, "Forgive them Father, they know not what they do." We ask the support of all the people who believe in a fair deal to the useful workers of the Nation. We are in this strike to win and shall persevere unto the VERY TRULY YOURS. end.

The Striking Cooks, Waiters & Waitresses

Local 272 Graham



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