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## HOME TALENT SHOW MAJESTIC THEATRE DECIDED SUCCESS

The home talent program at the Majestic Theatre last Friday night under the auspices of the American Legion was enjoyed by a large audience. All available space was filled with chairs in an effort to seat the people but some left not being able to get seats.

Miss Akard and her orchestra favored the audience with several selections. Miss Akard has been with our public school some time as music teacher and her excellent orchestra is in demand on all occasions. She is always willing to do her part and was delighted to have the privilege of assisting the Legion boys.

Pat Wood has lived here a long time and his solos are always enjoyed. He was at his best Friday night and his solo was appreciated. He was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Lois L. Manry, one of the efficient teachers in our schools.

The disarmament conference, presided over by Herman Buchnan, furnished an amusing number on the program. Mr. Buchanan, representing Uncle Sam, came on the stage first cleaning up his revolver. The Hindu represented by H. L. Thornton, next took his place on the stage. He came in with dirk in hand and showed that he was loath to give up his weapon. W. E. Simpson, as an Indian with tomahawk, came in next and took his seat by Uncle Sam. China, represented by William Huey, was the next to enter. The last of the principal races was Marion Burkett, representing the black race. After the conference was properly organized the chain gang from the county bastille (?) composed of Russell, Hutchison, Hampton and Morrison, favored the assemblage with some choice music. Sheriff Saye consented for them to appear before the conference.

After the short entertainment the conference proceeded to business. It developed that every nation was eager to lay down arms—after the other nations had. After some discussion Uncle Sam forced the other nations to stack arms after which to show his good faith he also laid aside his.

Mrs. R. A. Duncan, W. B. McFarlane and C. C. Hampton favored the audience with solos. All these are gifted soloists and Graham people are always delighted to have the opportunity of hearing them.

The next number entitled a "Fable in Jazz" was rendered by Mr. W. B. McFarlane and Miss Fatime Dowdle. Miss Dowdle is another Graham favorite and our people are glad to have her back in the music circles again this year after an absence of a year studying music.

Miss Valda Thomas gave a reading portraying the trials of a milliner portering to the trade. It was the first time many of our people had heard Miss Thomas but she easily won her way into the hearts of our people. She is a good reader and she is welcome to Graham.

Another number which caused much merriment was the "First Bunker Infantry Drill." Eight local members of the American under the command of Henry Ranspot furnished amusement for several minutes.

The closing number was a quartet by the American Legion Quartet. The Legion is indebted to Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Manry, Miss Dowdle, Miss Thomas and all others who so willingly and cheerfully assisted them in making the program a decided success. The entertainment netted the boys about \$150.00 and they are fully appreciative of all the assistance rendered from every source.

## ATTENTION, AMERICAN LEGION

The Ligon-Daniel Post of the American Legion will hold their last meeting of the year, Monday night, December 12, at 7:30 o'clock. A large attendance is desired at this meeting as the present officers are anxious to close out the year in fine condition.

New officers for the ensuing year will be elected at this meeting and every member of the post is urged to be present.

## McFARLAND SUBMITS PLANS TO C. OF C. FOR UNION STATION

Captain H. T. McFarland, chief engineer of the Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad, was here Monday to submit to and secure the approval of the Chamber of Commerce plans for the new union station to be built on Lots 12 and 13, Block 25, just across the railroad and directly north from the Graham Mill & Elevator Co. The plans and the location were approved by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce Monday morning and as soon as detailed plans have been completed work will be started.

The new station is to be of brick, cement and stucco and equipped with a complete hot water heating system. The foundation will cover a space of 34-90 feet and the main waiting room, finished in white with four large double settees, is to be 22x38 feet. Adjoining the waiting room will be a ladies rest room 17x17 feet, equipped with all modern conveniences. On the opposite side of the ticket room from the large waiting room is the colored waiting room 12x16, which will also be modernly equipped. The baggage room will be 28x30 feet. Along the railroad track in front of the station will be a concrete walk 420 feet in length, extending from Oak to Elm street.

When completed the new union depot will cost between \$30,000 and \$35,000.00. The present Rock Island depot will be used by that company as a freight and express depot.

## Improvements Are Made by the City

The city is making some needed improvements at the northeast corner of the square. Concrete crossings are being laid across Fourth and Elm streets. It is hoped that this will be the beginning of more crossings and sidewalk improvements by the city and by individuals.

The city is planning extensive improvements for the next few months. The contract was let recently for the enlargement of the water system. An additional and larger standpipe will be installed and larger water mains will be laid in the business section of the city.

A larger and better disposal plant for the sewer system will be built further from the city than the present plant and other improvements will be made in the sewer system.

Bonds were voted by the city several months ago for these improvements but owing to the poor bond market the sale of the bonds were delayed but a contract has been let whereby it is hoped that work will be started at an early date.

## Music Club Meets With Mrs. Allen

Mrs. W. Z. Allen entertained the Graham Music Club Tuesday afternoon at her home. The following interesting program was rendered:

Each member responded to roll call with a short current event of the American musical world.

The study of the Opera "La Trovata" by Verdi was then taken up, being presented by Mrs. E. E. White, Biography of Verdi—Mrs. W. Z. Allen.

Buona Notte (Goodnight) Nevin—Miss Bladen Garrett.

Selection on Edison, Caprice Espagnol (violin solo)—Albert Spalding.

"Sing Again that Song to Me" R. M. Stutz—Miss Betty Dawson.

While the Graham Music Club is as yet in its infancy, having organized but a short time ago it is composed of energetic ladies who hope to in the near future bring some of the real artists to Graham thereby stimulating a more sympathetic understanding of good music.

The club will meet again January 3rd, 1922.

Buy your Sunday dinner at the Christian Ladies Bazaar Saturday, December 17.

Come to the bazaar, Saturday, Dec. 17, to get your cakes, pies, bread, meats, or anything that is good to eat.

## GOOD FELLOWS CLUB FOR GRAHAM

Let us remember the little unfortunate child, who cannot have Santa Claus visit him this Christmas, and try to make him feel happy by receiving a stocking filled to overflowing with fruits, candies and toys.

Are you for such a noble cause? If so, kindly contribute the amount that you feel like giving and your name will be published showing the amount donated. The disbursements will be published accordingly.

Any contribution should be given to the GOODFELLOWS CLUB OF GRAHAM, TEXAS, or deposited in any bank in Graham to its credit.

Santa Claus will be dressed in full style, riding in an automobile and make the deliveries direct to the children.

Let us make it a success. You are invited to contribute as you think you should to such a noble cause.

F. Wesley Gray, acting custodian of funds until committee takes charge of the work.

## NEW OIL COMPANY OPENS OFFICES IN McCAIN BUILDING

A new oil corporation, known as the Monroe Oil Corporation, has been organized in Graham this week.

The following officers have been elected and have taken charge of the work: M. G. Cheney, one of the pioneers in the Bunker field, is president; G. H. Vandervoort, vice president; N. V. McLane, secretary, and P. C. Fay, Jr., treasurer.

The company starts out with a capitalization of \$250,000.00 and is financed with eastern and local capital. The development work of this company will be chiefly in the Bunker field.

The officers are local men who have been in the oil business for some time. The president is a most excellent geologist and has been in the county since the discovery of oil here. All the officers are experts in their respective lines and The Leader is glad to have the company open offices in Graham. They have offices in the McCain building on the northeast corner of the square.

## CASEY-MERCIER JEFFERY NO. 1 TO BE COMPLETED

The Casey-Mercier, Jeffery No. 1, three miles northwest of Graham, has been shut down for a short time but drilling will be started again soon.

The hole is around 3500 feet and in fine shape. It is believed by geologists that the producing lime will be found around 3800 feet. The company has fulfilled its contract and funds are being raised to carry the well to the line. The Chamber of Commerce has taken an interest in the completion of the well and several business men of Graham are subscribing to a fund to complete the well. The following business concerns had subscribed up to the time we go to press:

The Graham Grocery, The Cash and Carry Store, Miller's Market, G. C. White Electric Co., Sanitary Grocery, Birdsong's, F. Wesley Gray, Graham Hotel, and Capitol Cafe. Mr. Mercier believes that sufficient funds will be raised so that drilling can be resumed at once. He would be glad to talk with any one interested in seeing this well completed.

A good producer in this section will mean a great deal to Graham. It has been believed that this territory north of Graham will be a good producing section. A good showing was found in the Steen well only a few miles northeast of the Jeffery. The Farmer well is now drilling east of this one. Graham should assist in the completion of this test at once. The Chamber of Commerce has shown an interest in its completion by assisting in financing it.

Maps made by geologists three years ago show that this is choice territory and it is hoped that a good producer will be brought in soon. Good men are at the head of the undertaking and have faith in the lime that will be found around 3800 feet.

P. C. Walker is erecting some new billboards on West Third street. He is also constructing a work shop.

## PLANS COMPLETE FOR INSTITUTE DECEMBER 19-23

County Superintendent H. H. Avants informs The Leader that final arrangements have been made for the Teachers' Institute to be held in Graham December 19-23. Programs have been printed and mailed to the teachers of the two counties. The program is a new departure in that it provides for a week's intensive teacher training.

The work will be divided into four sections, namely, high school, intermediate, primary and rural school, and a competent teacher will be in charge of each section for the entire week. The teachers are Dr. B. F. Pittenger, University of Texas, High School; Prof. Lynton F. Garrett, San Marcos State Normal, Intermediate; Miss Garretson, Primary Supervisor Austin Public Schools, Primary; Mr. E. E. Davis, Rural School Extension Service of the University of Texas, Rural Schools section and Director of the Institute. These educators represent the best in their particular lines of work and every teacher will be given an opportunity to enjoy a week of valuable training.

At the request of the Institute faculty, program assignments have not been made to the various teachers of the counties, and instead they are expected to enroll for the class work in the section best suited to their needs. Proper text books for the work of each section will be used, and they may be obtained at the County Book Depository.

The Institute will not be lectured to death, but it will instead be a place for pleasant and useful work. The lecture periods will be from 11-12 each day. In addition to the above talent, the Institute will enjoy on Monday a visit from Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of Public Schools, and on Tuesday a visit from Dr. E. D. Shurter, Chairman of the Interscholastic League.

The superintendents and teachers of the two counties earnestly hope that the public will share with them this educational treat, and they extend a hearty invitation to every friend of public education to come and be with them at such times as their other duties will permit. The morning exercises will be made pleasant by the best musical talent of the town.

The County Superintendent is highly pleased and grateful for the hearty response on the part of the ladies of Graham who have volunteered their services in caring for the teachers during the week by opening their homes to them at the rates suggested by him recently. He desires to complete the housing arrangements at the earliest possible date, and those who desire to furnish any kind of accommodations to the teachers should communicate with him at once as the lists will soon be completed.

Come to the Short building Saturday, Dec. 17, and get your lunch from the Ladies of the Christian church.

Why worry about your Christmas dinner? Buy your cakes and pies from the Christian Ladies Bazaar at the Short building Saturday, Dec. 17.

## ED ARNOLD DIES AT HIS HOME IN FARMINGTON, MO.

Fred Arnold received a message Tuesday stating that his brother, Ed Arnold, Farmington, Missouri, had suffered a stroke of paralysis. He left immediately in his car for Henrietta where he joined Dr. Carl Arnold and they took the train for Farmington. Another message came at noon Wednesday stating that Ed was dead.

This sad news spread over Graham as he was born and reared here. His father, Judge R. F. Arnold, was one of the earliest settlers in Graham and lived here until a few years ago when he moved to Henrietta, Texas.

Ed Arnold had not lived here for several years but was known to all the old settlers. He was very popular here and his untimely death was a shock to the entire community.

He is survived by his wife, his father and mother, three brothers and one sister. His father suffered a stroke of paralysis about two years ago and at the present time is helpless. His condition is so critical that he does not seem to realize that his son is dead.

A telegram received today stated that he would be buried at Farmington tomorrow. He was in apparently perfect health until stricken. The entire body was paralyzed, according to the message received today.

## Brunk's Comedians Pleases Graham People

Brunk's Comedians have been showing here since Monday night to large crowds. This company came to Graham well recommended by the places where it has been showing this season and it has maintained its good reputation here.

There are thirty people in the company and they have furnished the Graham people with good wholesome entertainment. The music is excellent and the vaudeville acts furnish amusement to all.

The company will be here all the week and will give the following programs Friday and Saturday:

Friday night, "The Higher Law." Saturday matinee, "The Angel of the Bad Land."

Saturday night, "My Friend from Arkansas."

Large crowds have greeted the comedians each night and the good clean shows have appealed to Graham show lovers.

## New Machine Co. Opens In Graham

The North Texas Electric and Machine Company is moving from Breckenridge to Graham this week and is installing machinery in the Carlton building on North Elm street.

This new company is equipped and prepared to repair steam engines and do all classes of machine work. The proprietors, Messrs. Swain and Givens, are experienced mechanics and employ only skilled labor. They have had a wide experience in oil field work and are prepared to meet emergency needs of operators. They have many friends in the Young county fields who are glad to have them open their shops in Graham.

## GOOD FELLOWS TAKE NOTICE

All who are interested in founding a Goodfellow Fund to spread a bit of Christmas cheer where it is needed in our city will please meet at the Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This meeting will be in connection with the United Charities Association which meets at the same time but the Goodfellow fund will be separate from the United Charities Fund.

We have several in our city who have been connected with Goodfellow clubs and are familiar with the work. Some of these have started a fund and the purpose of the meeting is to get properly organized so some effective work can be done during the holidays.

## RAINS IMPROVE OIL FIELD ROADS; DRILLING ACTIVE

The recent rains have put the roads to our oil fields in better condition and material for rigs is going out at a rapid rate. Several locations have been made this week but as some have not yet been confirmed we are not able to give full details.

The Burton well which struck a good pay in the 1900-foot sand decided to drill deeper after the good wells came in at deeper depths. The well has three and one-half million feet of dry gas at 2040 feet. It is still making nearly 100 barrels around the casing from the 1900-foot sand.

The Rosell-Owen No. 1 came in for 390 barrels at 1864 feet. This company has several producers and are drilling other wells.

The Sims-Driver No. 1 is on top of the 1900-foot sand and a good well is expected.

Penn Cities have spudded their Heron No. 1.

The Ohio Fuel Company spudded in on the Grimshaw Monday.

Burton et al-Whittenburg spudded in their No. 2 this week.

The Texas Company has three derricks up and are planning an extensive drilling campaign.

The Bunker pool has forty-six drilling wells now. We are sorry that we could not get a complete report. In addition to these drilling wells several locations have been made and derricks will be erected at once.

The pool has eighteen producing wells.

It is reported that the T. & P. Company is planning an eight-inch gas line into this field. The Ranger Gas Company has a gas line into the field and is making extensions each week.

No field in Texas has been planned better than this one. Mr. McNamara says that all the operators have cooperated with him fully and that a better field can not be found. The water has been looked after and there are no regrets as everybody has worked for the interests of the pool.

Tests are going down every direction from this pool and an extensive field is expected.

## K. OF P. BANQUET MONDAY EVENING PLEASES KNIGHTS

The Knights of Pythias of Graham with their lady friends enjoyed the banquet given the new knights last Monday evening in the Morrison building on the north side of the square. Ray Bartholomew, proprietor of the Met Cafe No. 2, had charge of the banquet. He is experienced in this line of work and with his assistants had prepared a sumptuous feast for the knights and their friends.

The committee from the local order of Knights had done its work well and had everything in readiness for the Knights and their ladies at 8 o'clock. Plates were laid for about 160 and a happier crowd of Knights has never been seen in Graham.

The Knights of Pythias were organized in Graham in 1893. This is one of the oldest fraternal organizations in the city and has at all times been a very popular institution. Three of the charter members—R. E. Mabry, J. H. Rubenkoenig and James Porter—were present at the banquet.

The following program was enjoyed by the Knights and their friends:

Toastmaster—J. T. Rickman.

Invocation—Rev. B. A. Snoddy.

Address of Welcome—Dr. W. A. Morris.

Quartet—Russell, Hampton, Hutchison, Morrison.

"What is Pythianism"—Judge R. E. Erwin, P. C.

"Friendship as Exemplified by Our Order"—Hon. John B. Rhea.

Quartet—Russell, Hampton, Hutchison, Morrison.

"What Do We Think of the Order"—Judge W. P. Stinson, J. Wiley Moore.



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utation of any person, firm, or corpora-  
tion which may appear in the columns  
of the Leader will be gladly cor-  
rected upon its being brought to the  
attention of the publishers.

**HOW TO GET FIRST**

**CLASS TEACHERS**

Few men in Texas has studied this  
State's educational problems so hard  
and so intelligently as Col. T. N.  
Jones of Tyler. And all of those  
few, it is safe to say, are school men.  
Among men whose interest in the  
subject is civic rather than profes-  
sional, he is probably unrivaled, a  
distinction any citizen might be  
proud of. This circumstance gives a  
peculiar value to his conclusions, for  
they are those of a mind whose sole  
concern is to get out of our schools  
all of that incalculable social service  
that it is possible for them to render.

One will, therefore, if duly diffi-  
dent, hesitate before questioning the  
soundness of any suggestion Colonel  
Jones makes for the betterment of  
our schools. Nevertheless, The News  
is emboldened to express the opinion  
that Colonel Jones has gone a long  
distance to find a poorer means than  
lies at home to improve the teaching  
in our schools. Colonel Jones would  
offer 2,000 scholarships for men and  
women on condition that those who  
accepted them hold themselves ob-  
ligated to teach a prescribed number  
of years. Colonel Jones thinks, evi-  
dently, that this inducement would  
bring men and women of superior  
ability into the teaching profession,  
as well as keep them in it a longer  
time than teachers of that kind ordi-  
narily stay in it now.

Perhaps it would; certainly it  
would have that effect in some de-  
gree. But The News believes the  
same important result would be ac-  
complished in much higher degree  
by paying first class teachers as  
much, or at least nearly as much, as  
the same intelligence and energy  
needed for first class teaching could  
earn in other pursuits. This is a  
simpler solution of the problem than  
the one suggested by Colonel Jones,  
and The News believes it would be  
a much more effectual one. Also it  
would probably not be more costly,  
since Colonel Jones is reported to  
have said that it would probably cost  
\$25,000,000 in ten years to do what  
he proposed. The way to get capable  
men and women to serve in our  
schools, the most direct and surest  
way—and, The News believes, the  
only way—is the way of an induc-  
ement and all other professions, which  
is to make a cash bid for the ser-  
vices of such men and women equal,  
or at least comparable, to that made  
by other institutions. This is the  
sovereign solution of this problem,  
and there is no substitute. We shall  
not get such teaching as Colonel  
Jones desires and as we need until  
we want it badly enough to pay for  
it what it is worth.—Dallas News.

**CHARACTER**

Character is the sum total of all  
a man has that is worth while when  
he has won all—and the sole thing  
he has left after he has lost all.  
Character is power, says George  
Matthews Adam, noted syndicate  
writer.

J. P. Morgan, one of the greatest  
powers in finance the world has ever  
known, once stated that "Character

is the only gauge of a man, the only  
rule by which he can be gauged in  
in business."

Character is power.  
The walls of character that a man  
builds well will withstand the most  
merciless assaults that any man can  
direct against them. A man's or a  
woman's good character is unassail-  
able. Reputation may be bespiced,  
but not character—for reputation is  
what people may say a man is, but  
character is what he really is.

Character is power.  
Character is power in business, in  
the home, on the street, everywhere.  
And it is free for the asking to the  
man who is willing to be kind,  
honest, square, generous, loyal, fear-  
less—big! Stamp your character  
deeper on people today, and make it  
rule you and your work and your  
life. Let it lead you on. Fight every  
hour to make it bigger and surer.  
John Stuart Mill once said that "a  
character completely fashioned will."  
So educate you will, strengthen your  
will, develop your character—  
For character is power.

**BABE RUTH'S SALARY**

Billy Evans told us in Wednesday's  
Times that Babe Ruth as asking  
\$85,000 from the New York Amer-  
icans and the other clubs in the  
American League next season.

This is \$10,000 a year more than  
the salary of the president of the  
United States. It is probably more  
than the American League will give  
up to the Bambino but they are cer-  
tain to have to pay him a salary that  
cannot be described otherwise than  
 princely.

The fans demand Ruth and the  
magnates must meet the demand. It  
is so with all our amusements. Those  
who excel and delight the public can  
almost set their own price. We pay  
them all out of proportion to what  
we pay those who perform the more  
serious work of life. We pay them  
so much that we often spoil them.  
The great majority of those who  
arise to fame and fortune through  
pleasing the public on the stage or  
on the field come from the lower  
ranks in life and not all of them are  
able to stand up under the tempta-  
tions which wealth brings them.  
But those who fall are the excep-  
tions rather than the rule.

On the stage there have been many  
who have enjoyed popularity through  
long periods of years. There are a  
number who have enjoyed long pe-  
riods of popularity on the baseball  
field, but that has been the excep-  
tion rather than the rule. The  
average professional employment of  
the baseball player is probably less  
than 10 years. Babe Ruth recognized  
this. "I am a big card right now," he  
said. "The moment I quit smacking  
those home runs, every one is going  
forget all about me. The time to  
get the dough is to get it while the  
getting's good."—Wichita Times.

**BITS OF WISDOM**

You are the real author of your  
troubles.

The man who shows up best is the  
one who shows off least.

The fellow who gets too big for  
his shoes is apt to finish up bare-  
footed.

It requires wisdom to speak, but to  
keep silence requires only self-con-  
trol.

When a man is in earnest and  
knows what he is about, his work  
is half done.

A pessimist is a man who, when  
given his choice between two evils,  
takes both of them.

Marriage is not for those who can-  
not push the perambulator without  
feeling self-conscious.

The ladder of life is full of splin-  
ters, but they always prick the hard-  
est when we're sliding down.

Some times we don't make the  
best of ourselves. If charity begins  
at home, be good to yourself.

Wisdom is gray hairs unto men,  
and an unspotted life to ripe old  
age.—Jesus the Son of Sirach.

**MAN WANTED**

Wanted—A man for hard work  
and rapid promotion; a man who  
can find things to be done without  
the help of a manager and three  
assistants.

A man who gets to work on time  
in the morning and does not imperil  
the lives of others in an attempt to  
be first out of the office at night.

A man who is neat in appearance  
and does not sulk for an hour's over-  
time.

A man who listens carefully when  
he is spoken to and asks only enough  
questions to insure the accurate car-  
rying out of instructions.

A man who moves quickly and  
always makes as little noise as pos-  
sible about it.

A man who looks you straight in  
the eye and tells the truth every  
time.

A man who does not pity himself  
for having to work.

A man who is cheerful, courteous  
to every one, and determined to  
"make good."

A man who when he does not  
know, says, "I don't know," and when  
he is asked to do anything says,  
"I'll try."

A man who does not make the  
same mistake twice, who is not a  
goody-goody, a prig or a cad, but  
who does the very best he knows  
how with every task entrusted to  
him.

This man is wanted everywhere.  
Age or lack of experience do not  
count. There isn't any limit, ex-  
cept his own ambition, to the number  
or size of the jobs he can get. He  
is wanted in every big business from  
Maine to California.—Ex.

**THE NEW TAX BILL**

The new revenue bill is not very  
highly praised by its sponsors, being  
a compromise in which nobody  
secured enough of what he wanted  
to make him satisfied.

Those who proposed the immediate  
repeal of the tax upon business  
profits are disappointed, and so are  
those who wished to reduce the in-  
come surtaxes to 32 per cent.

On the other hand those who op-  
posed any reduction in these taxes  
and wished to increase the estate  
taxes, were disappointed.

The new bill will produce less  
revenue than the old one, as ex-  
penditures are lessening, but it  
makes no change from the policy  
of very heavy levies upon large  
incomes.

The idea of putting the taxes  
upon the rich does not diminish  
in popularity.

Of course no one would argue  
that the rich should not pay ac-  
cording to their wealth, or even  
against made tely progressive rates  
but prevalent opinion plainly does  
not take into account all of the  
consequences to taking so large a  
proportion of the incomes off men  
who are accustomed to provide capital  
for industry.

There is a general slight ap-  
preciation of the fact that large in-  
comes for the most part are turned  
back into industrial development,  
enabling men of unusual business  
ability and enterprise to carry for-  
ward the plans which their active  
brains are always devising, and  
which promote the general prosperity.

At the very time when this  
measure of unrelenting severity be-  
come a law, Henry Ford is demon-  
strating the value of wealth to the  
common welfare by the proposal to  
utilize the Muscle Shoales power  
plant and put a million men at work  
there. His proposal differs only in  
degree from what all men of large  
interests are trying one way or an-  
other to do.

There will be no scientific system  
of taxation until the people realize  
the public value of capital accumu-  
lations.

Depreciation in industry is an  
enormous item in the country's an-  
nual bill for replacements and re-  
newals, to say nothing of the need  
for the extension of old enterprises  
and the inauguration of new ones.

It is necessary that there shall be  
a large fund of constantly accumu-  
lating capital, or the industrial ma-  
chine will gradually wear out and  
run down.

There is grave reason to fear that  
the worst of the difficulties of  
government finance has not yet been  
seen.—Ex.

It has always been a mystery why  
home people will persist in patron-  
izing peddlers and street fakers who  
visit us on busy days. Nine times  
out of ten, the purchasers get the  
bad end of the bargain, even though  
they do not admit it. These trans-  
ients with auction sales on the cor-  
ners with overalls and other goods  
are not doing the city any good,  
that's sure. Our merchants keep up  
the city with their taxes, they keep  
the city alive with hand concerts, ce-  
lebrations, picnics, etc., while these  
transients pay a few dollars for a

license and walk out of the town  
with their pockets bulging with  
money that should go into the coffers  
of the merchants to help keep the  
city alive. When you want to make  
purchases, go to a live merchant  
who is always on the job, and not  
ashamed to place his advertising be-  
fore the people.—Weatherford Herald

**Graham  
Insurance Agency**

- We Insure:
- Oil Rigs
  - Oil Tanks
  - Oil Refineries
  - Automobiles
  - Workmen's Com-  
pensation
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  - Indemnity
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Do you wish to sell  
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**PICTURE FRAMING**

Pictures Make Xmas Gifts That Last

We have a wonderful selection. Also  
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**Graham Paint & Paper Co.**

West Side Square

**Lightning Flash Pictures Body**

MOVIE SCENARIO BASED ON MYSTERIOUS MIRROR

One of the most unusual phenomena of the age will be on display  
at the Majestic Theatre December 13, when J. G. Kearby will  
present the much talked about "mysterious mirror."

This mirror which bears the image of the shrouded body of a  
woman, formerly hung in a negro cabin near Marshall, Texas. It  
was in this cabin on the night of May 8, 1918, that the phenomenon  
occurred which has baffling the scientific world ever since. On  
that night a severe electrical storm took place and during the dis-  
turbance a flash of lightning caused the room in which the body of  
the dead woman lay to light up with a peculiar brilliancy. In the  
morning the image of the woman was visible in the glass.

That some peculiar electrical force in the atmosphere caused by  
the lightning caused the mirror to act as a photographic plate is the  
opinion which has been advanced by several leading scientists and  
by the present owner of the mirror. However other leading sci-  
entists and electrical authorities have hesitated in admitting that  
lightning could have affected the glass in such a manner, and their  
hesitancy is due to the fact that it refutes so many long accepted  
theories.

Those who visit the Majestic Theatre will have the opportunity  
of forming their own opinions, as the glass will be displayed in the  
lobby with the full rays of the theatre spotlight directed on its  
surface.

Among the noted men in the scientific and electrical world who  
have given opinions on the mysterious mirror are: J. A. Gray, the  
Grand Rapids, Mich., editor; H. D. Raymer, managing editor of  
the Electrical World; and Dr. C. E. K. Mees, consulting engineer  
for the Eastman Kodak Company, Rochester, N. Y.

Much comment similar to the above caused Thomas W. Jackson,  
the famous author, to write a story, "The Vision Message" which  
will be shown at the

**MAJESTIC THEATRE**

A ten minute lecture will be given from the stage at the time  
the mysterious mirror is shown.



We have only a few of our Choice Holiday Goods left. In fact  
we are out of several numbers of our best Toys. Have you pur-  
chased Toys for the Children? If not, purchase now!

- Automobiles
- Wagons
- Velocipedes
- Aeroplanes
- Auto Horses
- Kiddy Cars
- Doll Buggies
- Baby Chairs
- Steam Engines
- Magic Lanterns
- Dolls
- Stationery
- Bibles
- Shaving Sets
- Books
- Trains

- Dish Sets
- Fancy Lamps
- Vases
- Aluminum
- Perfumes
- Toilet Articles
- Handkerchiefs
- Purses
- Trunks
- Bicycles
- Pianos
- Doll Beds
- Fancy Towels
- Black Boards
- Doll Furniture
- Games

This is only a few of the many articles we have on display.

5 and 10c Store

**B. A. Snoddy & Son**  
**GRAHAM, TEXAS**

**FURNITURE!**

BOTH NEW AND SECOND HAND

We Have Some Bargains in Second Hand  
New Perfection Oil Stoves

**E. F. RILEY FURNITURE CO.**  
West Side Square  
GRAHAM, TEXAS





**DO YOU PAY BY CHECK?**

The advantages of a checking account are far too many to be enumerated in a single advertisement, but if you would handle your affairs in a business-like way, do not overlook the benefits to be gained from a checking account with this Bank. Let us talk this matter over with you.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
"Strong, Safe, Conservative, Courteous."

E. S. GRAHAM, Chairman Board Directors  
R. E. LYNCH, President  
P. K. DEATS, Vice President and Cashier  
C. C. BLOODWORTH, Assistant Cashier  
J. H. BUCHANAN, Assistant Cashier

**STUDENTS IN JOURNALISM WORK ON CITY PAPERS**

Waco, Dec. 6.—Students in journalism in Baylor University get actual experience in newspaper reporting by doing regular assignment work on the city papers. Both the Waco News-Tribune and the Waco Times Herald are co-operating with the department of Journalism to make the courses as practical as possible. Two students a day are assigned to each paper for regular staff work. The students are rotated in their regular turns so that they get experience on both the morning and evening papers.

During the past week all students in journalism courses were directed through the News-Tribune plant by heads of the different departments. The students got a good idea of how a newspaper is put through all the various processes before it goes into the reader's hands. Some time during the winter term the journalism students will get out an edition of one of the city papers, doing all of the work in which they have been trained.

**THEN AND NOW**

"Seems to me you ought to be out looking after your best girl on Sunday afternoon," the visitor addressed the young man.

The young man in question looked at his watch. "Plenty of time, yet," he answered, "it's only 2:00 o'clock now. I never go to see 'em until about 7:00."

"Pretty late, it seems to me," remarked the visitor.

"Well, you see, it used to be when you went to see a girl and take her riding Sunday afternoon, she used to say: 'Well, you come on up to our house to eat.' Now, when supper time rolls around, they say, 'Well, where are you going to take me to eat today?'" —Indianapolis News.

**CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY MAKES STATE-WIDE APPEAL**

Wichita Falls, Dec. 5.—In an effort to give citizens of all the counties of Texas an opportunity to contribute to the fund to provide for the homeless, neglected and dependent children of the state, the Executive Board of the Texas Children's Home and Aid Society has appointed a number of district chairmen. These district chairmen will appoint county chairmen who will appoint their own committees to conduct the canvass. The district chairman for the Wichita Falls district is J. C. Hunt of the J. C. Hunt Grain Company of this city. The district consists of the following twelve counties: Archer, Baylor, Clay, Foard, Hardeman, Haskell, Knox, Montague, Throckmorton, Wichita, Wilbarger and Young.

Mr. Hunt is endeavoring to find county chairmen in each of these counties who will undertake to raise comparatively small county quotas. The district quota is only \$8,000.

The society is doing a state-wide work which should in time be taken over by the state, when proper public machinery is created, but in the meantime, according to the officers of the society, private benevolence cannot disregard the cry of the homeless children of our own state.

**GOOD LAW**

"This movie actress refuses to pay me because she says her bathing suit doesn't fit."

"Better cancel the bill."

"Uh?"

"I don't think we could possibly win before a jury against a pretty movie actress in a bathing suit." —Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is a truth but too well known, from the first fruits they bear we learn what may be expected in future. —Demophilus.

**HARMON BROS. WILL HOLD AUCTION SALE**

Great interest is being shown in the coming sale at auction of Harmon Bros. jewelry stock. This is one of the oldest and best known jewelry firms in this section of the state and it is a safe prediction that their sale, which starts Monday, December 12th, right at gift buying season, will be well attended and most liberally patronized. Mr. Harmon stated that quiet business conditions make it necessary for him to sacrifice this stock in order to promptly liquidate his obligations. His entire stock is offered and he stated that his unqualified guarantee goes with every article sold.

Mr. L. S. Patterson, of the Patterson Sales System, Dallas, will personally conduct the sale. He is said to be the South's greatest auction salesman and those who attend may rest assured that their interest will be held and that the sale will be conducted along highest plane. The sale starts Monday, December 12, and continues all week.

The true wisdom is to be always reasonable, and to change with a good grace in changing circumstances; to have playthings as well as a child, to lead an adventurous and honorable youth, and to settle, when the time comes, into a green and smiling age, is to be a good artist in life and deserve well of yourself and your neighbors. —R. L. Stevenson.

Subscribe for The Leader.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon C. M. Tiffany 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, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Prec. No. One of Young County, to be holden at the Court House, thereof, in Graham, Texas on the fourth Monday in December, A. D. 1921, the same being the 26th day of December, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of November A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court, as No. 2374, wherein The Jno. E. Morrison Co. is Plaintiff, and C. M. Tiffany and R. J. Vaughan are Defendants, and said petition, alleging: Defendants are indebted to plaintiff on one certain note for \$69.60 dated June 23rd, 1921, due Oct. 1st, 1921, with interest from date at rate of 10 per cent per annum and 10 per cent attorney fees.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand, at office in Graham, Texas, this 26th day of Nov. A. D. 1921.

C. D. BREWTON, Justice Peace Prec. No. One, Young County, Texas.

A true copy, I certify:

J. D. DAWSON, Constable Precinct No. 1, Young Co.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Wichita Falls, Texas, Nov. 21, 1921 The State of Texas, County of Young To the Creditors of Peoples Co-operative Store. You are hereby notified that Peoples Co-operative Store at Graham, Texas, of the county of Young, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, executed a deed of assignment, conveying to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of such of his creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of his estate and discharge him from their respective claims, and that the undersigned accepted said trust, and has duly qualified as required by law.

All creditors consenting to said assignment must, within four months after publication of this notice, make known to the assignee their consent in writing, and within six months from date of this notice file their claim, as prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Wichita Falls, Texas, which is also his post-office address.

L. SHIELDS, Assignee for Peoples Co-operative Store at Graham, Texas. BROWN & GRAHAM, Attorneys for the assignee.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Beuna Fields 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

**D.W. GRIFFITH**

**"WAY DOWN IN EAST"**

**THE GREATEST PLAY OF ALL TIME**

Based on Wm A. Dreyfus' Famous Play by Lottie Dale Parker and Joe R. Grimes

Here you have something more than a motion picture—it is a story of Human Hearts, unfolded in a soul-reaching way, under the master guidance of Mr. Griffith—a production that will go thundering down the ages just because it is so human.

It played two weeks in Dallas this season and the last day of showing the house couldn't hold the people.

It is Griffith's greatest Picture. Wherever it has been shown pandemonium breaks loose—audiences cheer, whistle and yell with delight their unfeigned approval.

The showing of a picture of this class is nothing short of an event in the history of Graham. We are showing it three days so that everybody will have a chance to see it. We are advertising it in three counties as a picture of its magnitude deserves.

IT IS GRAHAM'S FIRST REALLY BIG PICTURE

It's a simple story of plain folks—the greatest of all Griffith plays—uncommonly well-told and with breath-taking scenes.

Every audience has been spellbound through the unfolding of this great production.

With its humaneness and its story of unusual love, its thrills and its pathos, it stands alone in the field of spectacular pictures.

The all star cast which carries out the story quite eclipses any cast that ever appeared in this piece on the speaking stage.



**SHOWING AT THE NATIONAL THEATRE**

MONDAY--TUESDAY--WEDNESDAY--DEC.--12-13-14

Total Admission: Adults, 66c; Children under 12, 33c

Two Performances Daily Matinee, 3 p. m., Night 7:30 p. m.

in the Thirtieth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in any newspaper published in the nearest District to said Thirtieth Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Young County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Graham, Texas, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1922, the same being the sixth day of March A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 15th day of August A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 6559, wherein H. C. Fields, Jr. is Plaintiff, and Beuna Fields is Defendant, and said petition alleging: That on or about October 19, 1917, defendant without any provocation from Plaintiff what-ever deserted Plaintiff and has not since said time resided with him as his wife. That such abandonment has continued for more than three years.

That the community estate existing between Plaintiff and Defendant consists of two lots in the Town of Newcastle.

Wherefore Plaintiff prays that De-

fendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and that on a final trial he have judgment annulling the bonds of matrimony existing between them, for division of the community estate, cost of suit and such other and further relief as the court may deem him entitled to and in duty bound will ever pray. Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in

(L. S.) Graham this the 29th day of day of November A. D. 1921. 14-17c WILLIE RIGGS, Clerk District Court, Young County, Texas.

**A WARM PAPER**

Gets K. Lamity's 75c Harpoon 1 year or 2 years \$1.00.

The Hottest Paper Printed THE HARPOON San Antonio, Texas

**TOYS!**

YOU are invited to come in and look over our new line of Toys and Gifts.

**HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY** NEXT DOOR TO LEADER OFFICE

**Announcement**

We take pleasure in announcing to the public that we have been fortunate enough to secure the Nyal Agency for our store and the people of Graham.

We feel we have secured one of the best line of drugs that is to be had for the public and if they will give them a trial they will at all times be pleased with the Nyal Products.

The Nyal people stand behind each and every preparation that is made in their laboratories and we in turn stand behind them when you purchase them from us.

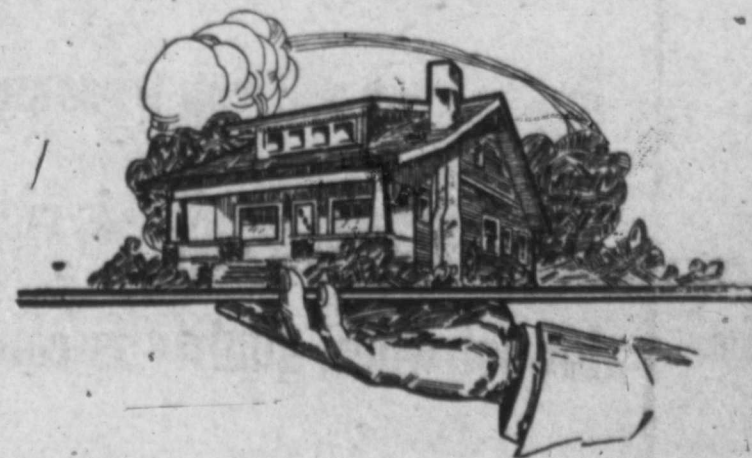
ONCE A TRIAL ALWAYS NYAL

**Young County Drug Store THE NYAL STORE**

Ladies Rest Room. Next Door to Graham Nat'l Bank Both Phones, Ind. 274; S. W. 148

**The Happy, Healthful Life—**

Build a Home of Your Own



See Us For Free Building Helps, Plans and Cost Estimates

**Employes Lumber Co.**

Exclusive Representative of the National Builders Bureau of this Section





We have just received the largest and most complete line of Ladies' and Children's Leather Purses at **SNODDY & SON.** 14tc

All work guaranteed at **CHAMPION SHOE SHOP**, west side of square. 15c

**MILLER'S STUDIO**—You will be enjoying our Photographs long after you have forgotten the cost.

We can do any job and remember we use the best leather—for less money.—**CHAMPION SHOE SHOP**, west side square. 15c

Every little movement has a meaning all its own when one of those 24 all its own when one of those 24 movable segments of the spine slip out of normal position. Chiropractic adjustments correct such abnormalities.—**J. R. & RUBY O'CONNELL**, Chiropractors, Suite 3-4-5, Over Graham Nat'l Bank. 15c

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**STRAYED or STOLEN**

**STRAYED OR STOLEN**  
1 light bay horse, yellow eyes, white hind foot, 15 hands high.  
1 dark brown mare mule, weight about 800 pounds. Notify R. C. BAGLEY, Sidney, Texas. 15p

**WANTED**

**WANTED**—Big contract for grubbing or wood cutting. No contract too large.—**P. P. ACOSTA**, Ind. Phone 279, P. O. Box 671. 12-15p

**LOST**

**LOST-REWARD**—White Spitz dog, will sit up.—**R. W. McFARLANE**. 15p

**FOR RENT**

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms furnished for housekeeping. Nice location.—801 East First St. 15p

**FOR RENT**—One five room unfurnished apartment, two three-room furnished apartments. One half block west of square.—**HENLY APARTMENTS**. 15p

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms near square.—705 E. 2nd Street. 15c

**FOR RENT**—Furnished rooms for housekeeping.—700 Grove St. 14-15c

**FOR SALE**

**FOR SALE**—at a bargain by owner seven-room bungalow. Fine location. Will take part cash, part in good royalty, and part on time. Apply to **W. P. STINSON**, 731 Cherry Street. 14-15p

**FOR SALE**—White enameled baby basket with handles, can be carried in automobile.—**MRS. COLEMAN**, 814 Elm St. Graham. 15p

**12-inch 80-foot Belt** for sale cheap. New.—**YOUNG COUNTY HDW. & FUR. CO.** 15c

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—1 span black horse mules, 6 years old, about 15 3-4 hands high, no blemish.—**P. P. ACOSTA**, 803 Tennessee St., Ind. Phone 279, P. O. Box 671. 14-17p

**REMINGTON PORTABLE TYPEWRITER**, the oil man's friend. If you need one write **HODSON**, Box 93, Graham, or phone Oil City collect. 15tc

Registered Poland China Hogs for sale.—**V. W. WILLIS**, Route A, Graham. 15tc

**FOR SALE**—Cheaper than you can build, a 5-room bungalow near school building.—815 TENNESSEE. 13-15p

**FOR SALE**—5-room modern bungalow. Inquire at 705 Brazos. 13-15p

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**MILLER'S STUDIO**. Have a sitting for Photos now and they will be ready for Christmas remembrances. We do the work. 15

For first class house and yard cleaning or any other kind of job work, see **HILLIARD TAYLOR**, Ind. 4-la, 705 Peca nSt. 8-18c

**MISCELLANEOUS**

Owners of Oil Leases south and southeast of Graham: If you want to sell them; list with me and make price as low as possible with full details first letter.—**FELIX URY**, Elk's Club, Corsicana, Texas. For genuine Mexican Chili and Hot Tamales see the Wichita Cafe. Everything cooked clean. 12-15p

**BIBLES, BIBLES, BIBLES**  
The best line of Bible ever seen in Graham. Excellent Christmas presents. For sale in the banquet hall on north side of square. 15-17nc **R. LINDSEY**.

We have just received a large and complete line of Toys at **SNODDY & SON.** 14tc

Fresh barbecue, cooked pork, chili and hot tamales at **DAD'S STAND**, South Side Square. 9tc

**MILLER'S STUDIO**—A Photograph is a gift without obligation.

If you have Vendor's Lien notes to sell or want to borrow money on your land, see **MARSHALL, KING & HINSON**, over Graham National Bank. 48tc

A box of Mavis Talcum Powder given with every purchase of Peroxide Face Cream at **SNODDY & SON.** 4tc

**HOT TAMALES**

For the best Tamales phone or leave order at Short's Market. For special delivery phone order 24 hrs. in advance. No order taken for less than 4 dozen. None too large 11tc. **S. B. HARGRAVES**.

If you want anything in the Nursery line call me at my residence.—**W. D. SPIVEY**. 13-16c

**NOTICES**

**G. A. BRYANT** requests all personal creditors of accounts, notes, drafts, etc., to be sent to **H. T. McBrayer**, Attorney, Tidwell Building, Graham, Texas, and accounts of Graham Oil Syndicate to **Schenck & Triplett**, Attorneys, Graham, Texas, until further notice. 15-17p

**NOTICE OF SHAREHOLDERS MEETING**

The regular annual meeting of shareholders of the First National Bank, Graham, Texas, will be held at the offices of said bank, Tuesday, January 10th, 1922, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transacting of any other business proper to come before said meeting. 14-17c **P. K. DEATS**, Cashier.

**NOTICE AUTOMOBILE OWNERS**

Have received all necessary automobile registration supplies. According to the State Highway laws all automobiles must be registered by January 1st. Please have your engine number and big plate number ready, and save the collector time during the busy season. 15-17c **D. D. CUSENBARY**, Tax Collector.

**NOTICE**

**Dr. Ruby O'Connell**, Chiropractor, has resumed office practice and will assist her husband daily from 4 to 6 p. m. Special attention given ladies and children. Suite 4 and 5, over Graham Nat'l Bank. 13tc

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION**

The firm of **Bradfield and Ryan**, owners of the Owl Drug Co. at Oil City, Texas, has been dissolved and hereafter said business will be owned and conducted by **A. E. Ryan**, who has assumed the indebtedness of said concern. 14-16c

**ATTENTION FARMERS**

All farmers are requested to meet at the court house in Graham, Saturday December 17th, at 2:30 o'clock to consider matters of importance to Young county farmers. **J. G. CROW**.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the shareholders of The Graham National Bank will be held at the office of said bank in Graham, Texas, on Tuesday, January 10, 1922, at which time and place the annual election of directors will be held. **GRAHAM NATIONAL BANK**. 15-18c **By H. L. TIDWELL**, Cash.

**POSTED**

Any person caught trespassing or hunting on the Neuhaus Ranch will be prosecuted to the extent of the law. Hunters are warned to heed this notice and save themselves trouble. 15-22p **J. L. CLARK**.

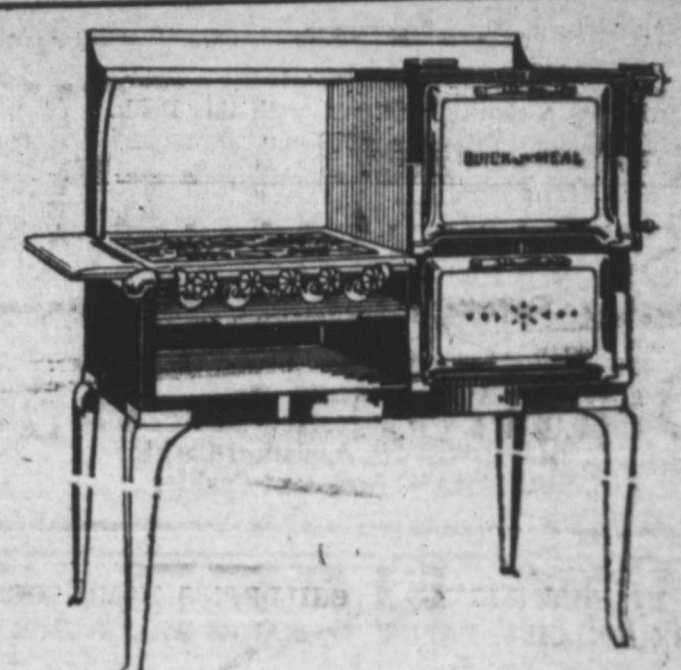
**Julian Hedrick**, of Fort Worth, is in the city this week looking after his oil interests here.

We have just received a large and complete line of Toys at **SNODDY & SON.** 14tc

The Ladies of the Christian Church will give a bazaar Saturday, December 17. 10-16c

**MILLER'S STUDIO**— suggests that One Dozen Photos makes twelve of the most appreciated gifts. 15

**QUICK MEAL STOVE DEMONSTRATION!**



All Next Week, December 12-17

**BY FACTORY DEMONSTRATOR**

Did you ever see a **WHOLE MEAL** of 8 dishes cooked **IN THE OVEN AT ONE TIME** with less gas than required to cook any one of those dishes on open burner? Did you ever see onions cooked in same oven with rice, potatoes, roast, apples, peaches and macaroni without the slightest mixture of odor or taste?

We will show you all these things and still the half has not been told about the **QUICK MEAL STOVE** with or without the **LORAIN OVEN HEAT REGULATOR**. Prices from \$22.50 up. Come and get a souvenir.

At the same time see our big stock of new goods for **CHRISTMAS PRESENTS** for Men or Women, Boys or Girls.

A big new stock of Knives, Razors, Guns, Aluminum, Pyrex Oven Ware, Carving Sets, Electric Irons, Silverware, Rugs, Large and Small Rockers and last but not least, why not give **MOTHER** a real Christmas Present in the shape of a **QUICK MEAL STOVE** Lorain equipped, and free that one from kitchen drudgery who has **GIVEN HER LIFE FOR YOU?**

---THE---  
**John E. Morrison Company**

**ALL KINDS OF SANTA CLAUS Goods** at our Store now ready for your inspection

**DOLLS, TOYS, FIREWORKS**

**SPECIAL**  
Genuine Cut Glass at **ONE-THIRD OFF**

**YOUNG COUNTY HDW. & FUR. CO.**  
North Side Square, Graham, Texas

It's a Cold world but a **BANK BOOK** is a Warm Friend and a Secure One.

Every man should realize that he is his own best friends. He will have other friends but they are busy looking out for themselves, and he must do the same. The way to be your own best friend is to open a **BANK ACCOUNT** and regularly deposit a part of what you earn. Then you can take life easy and be assured of a comfortable old age. Come in today. We will welcome you.

**GUARANTY STATE BANK**

**SPECIAL PRICES ON ONE LOT LADIES' COATS**

**NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10**

Not from a special line bought for "Sale" purposes, but a beautiful new line of regular stock goods at right prices.

Our Christmas Holiday stock is now arriving and we ask you to come in and be convinced that our merchandise is right and our prices the lowest when quality is considered.

**J. P. ALEXANDER CO.**



# HIGHEST BIDDER GETS IT?

**Harmon Brothers, Graham's Leading Jewelers**  
Offer Their Splendid Stock

**At Public Auction to the Highest Bidder**

**Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Cut Glass and Silverware**  
EVERYTHING GOES—NOTHING RESERVED

**WE NEED CASH NOW! Next Month Won't Do**  
Pay Day has Come and we want to meet our obligations, so, then, this is your OPPORTUNITY to make your CHRISTMAS MONEY GO TWICE AS FAR.

**SALE STARTS MONDAY, DEC., 12TH AT 10:30 A. M.**

and will continue until stock IS SOLD. 3 Sales Daily,—10:30 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7 p. m.

EVERY ARTICLE ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED.—We have been here for years—Ask your Neighbor. Ladies cordially invited—plenty of Seats. Nice Present Given Away after Each Sale.

**North Side Square HARMON BROTHERS GRAHAM, TEXAS**



**We Know our Meats will Gratify and Satisfy**  
We know our prices will neither horrify nor terrify. Our ads do not falsify, for our Meats justify all the claims to which we certify all of which you can easily verify.  
DON'T PASS BY, BUT COME BUY AND KNOW WHY  
**PHINNEY MEAT MARKET**  
At McLAUGHLIN'S, East Side Square, Next Door to Post Office.

Before you purchase seen our new line of Purses at **SNODDY & SON.** 14tf

C. W. DeFreest is in Fort Worth and Dallas this week in the interest of the Bunker oil pool.

We have a new shoe maker at our place who specializes on Ladies' Shoes.—**CHAMPION SHOE SHOP,** west side square. 15c

**Burkett's Sanitary Gro.**

**BULLETIN SOAP UP SATURDAY LOOK**

19 lbs. Van Camp's W. Naptha \$1.00  
18 lbs. Swift's W. Naptha \$1.00  
17 lbs. Peet Bros. W. Naptha \$1.00  
16 lbs. Walkes W. Naptha \$1.00  
15 lbs. P. & G. W. Naptha \$1.00

No Limit  
These are Bubble Busting Prices. Buy plenty Saturday and cut down your Laundry Bill for the New Year.

**HOW TO WASH**  
Fill your tub with water, throw in the garments and a cake of our Laundry Soap. Sing three verses of "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles," then hang the garments on a line and the breeze will do the rest.

**ONE PRICE TO ALL**  
Goods Marked in Plain Figures  
Phone S. W. 131

We guarantee our work to be as good or neat or cheaper than may be obtained anywhere.—**CHAMPION SHOE SHOP,** west side square 15c

A. B. Casburn, Marion Burkett and Howard Kline have been elected to membership in the Shrine Concert Band at Wichita Falls. The band is composed of sixty-first class musicians.

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The City Drug Store is moving this week from the Lauck & Gallagher building to the Smith and Smiley building on the East side of the square.

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Be good to thy spine and in the twilight of life thou shalt suffer little.—**J. R. & RUBY O'CONNELL,** Chiropractors, Suite 3-4-5, over Graham Nat'l Bank. 15c

**NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE'S SALE STATE OF TEXAS**  
County of Young  
Know all men by these Presents: That whereas the People's Co-operative Store of Graham, Texas, operating under a declaration of trust, by and through its trustees on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, executed and delivered an assignment of all of its assets for the benefit of the creditors, such as will accept under the same, to L. Shields, assignee.

That said assignment was made as provided for by the statutes and laws of Texas.

That said assignment was duly filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Young County, Texas, on the 23rd day of November A. D. 1921, and publication of notice to creditors made as provided for by law.

Now therefore, know all men by these Presents, that I, L. Shields, as such assignee will on Monday, December 19th, A. D. 1921, proceed to sell the stock, merchandise and fixtures and all other assets of the People's Co-operative Store at Graham, Texas, said sale to be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, and will be sold in bulk or parcel at the option of said assignee.

The said assignee reserves the right to reject any and all bids made. Said sale to be made at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on the above named date, and said sale to take place in the Rubenkeing building, just north of the Graham National Bank, in the town of Graham, Texas, Young County. The proceeds of said sale to be applied on the indebtedness of said People's Co-operative Store accrued to date of said assignment, after

having first paid expenses incurred under said assignment. And in compliance with law, a notice of said sale is published in the Graham Leader, a newspaper of general circulation in Young County, published for more than one year preceding the date of said assignment and of said sale.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand this the 7th day of Dec. A. D. 1921.

L. SHIELDS, Assignee.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Young

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Tarrant County, on the 16th day of November, 1921, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of W. A. Frazier, Receiver, vs. Young County Oil Syndicate et al. No. 56377, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in January A. D. 1922, it being the 3rd day of said month at the rig in South Bend, Young County,

the following described property, to-wit:

A valid Contractor's Material Man's Lien on an Oil and Gas Lease on a part of the William Johnson survey, Abstract No. 159 including the O. A. McBrayer Subdivision of said survey, and especially including Blocks 1 and 2, in said subdivision, South Bend Townsite, Young County, Texas, Then and there owned by said Young County Oil Syndicate, including the oil well, rig and equipments on said lease, drilling tools, and all property of every kind and character on said lease, and also a valid Pledgee's Lien on 1000 units of the capital stock of The Young County Oil Syndicate, a joint stock association, of the par value of \$10.00, levied on as the property of The Young County Oil Syndicate to satisfy a

judgment amounting to \$5544.00 in favor of W. A. Frazier, Receiver, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1921.  
15-17c JOHN W. SAYE,  
Sheriff in and for Young County, Texas.



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**Black Silk Stove Polish**

Makes a brilliant, silky polish that does not rub off or dust off, and the shiniest in four times as long as ordinary stove polish. Used on sample stoves and sold by hardware and grocery dealers.

All we ask is a trial. Use it on your stove, your parlor stove or your gas range. If you don't find it the best stove polish you ever used, your dealer is authorized to refund your money. Insist on Black Silk Stove Polish. Made in liquid or paste—same quality.

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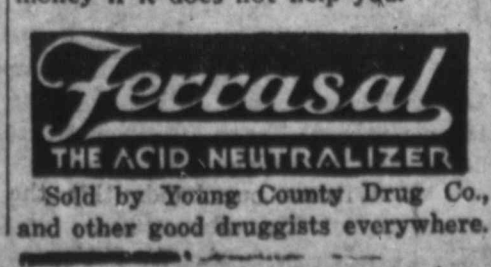
**CALOMEL, SALTS AND PURGATIVES HARMFUL**

IRRITATE MEMBRANES AND CONTRACT MUSCLES UNNECESSARILY

Many things in the medical profession that were considered all right in our grandfathers' time are not approved today. Among them are the purgatives and laxatives which cause griping pains and irritation when they act. Calomel, salts and cathartics irritate the membranes and contract the intestinal muscles, leaving the bowels in a disordered condition and hindering rather than helping nature in its work.

Ferrasol acts in nature's way, gently and smoothly. It heals and relaxes the intestines. It neutralizes the acids which cause 90 per cent of all digestion troubles, and it cleanses and purifies the whole digestive system.

Buy a box of Ferrasol from your druggist today—he will refund your money if it does not help you.



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TO SELL ALL OUR FURNITURE AND UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE WE WILL GIVE YOU

**1-3 OFF**

ON ANY PIECE OF FURNITURE IN OUR HOUSE, CANE CHAIRS EXCEPTED

Dressers, Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Chairs, Tables, Library Tables, Chiffonettes, Etc.

All Furniture Included in This Sale

**Young County Hardware & Furniture Company**

Sold by Young County Drug Co., and other good druggists everywhere.



### Church Girls Have New Code In Novel Crusade

Fort Worth, Dec. 5.—Regulation rather than take restraint of current modes of pleasure was decided on by young women of the First Presbyterian church here who have banded together into a club to preserve the ideals of womanhood. For instance, they do not bar dancing or automobile rides with young men, but declare that both shall be above reproach.

It is called the "new crusade movement," and at each meeting the girls repeat in unison the creed, which follows:

"Our dress should be sane, modish and simple;

"(a) Our minds shall be filled with only the best in literature. (b) Only the best picture shows, where the moral of the story is a wholesome one, shall be patronized by us; "All improper dancing to be most emphatically denounced and eliminated by us;

"Our automobiling shall be above reproach;

"Our music shall forever banish the vulgar songs;

"Our English shall be devoid of slang and our conversation shall be pure;

"Our attitude toward our elders shall be one of respect;

"Our attitude toward men shall be one of comradeship, but our policy will be 'hands off.'"

### MENACE OF PINK BOLL WORM BUY ONLY STERILIZED SEED

It seems that the pink boll worm is scattered over the State of Texas much more than we know about. It is a very serious cotton pest and is usually carried from place to place in planting seed.

Arrangements have been made for the sterilization of cotton seed shipped from place to place for planting. By sterilization is meant treating the seed in such manner as to kill all pink boll worm therein and not injure the seed.

Our advice to farmers is not to buy any cotton seed for planting unless each sack has a tag on it signed by the Commissioner of Agriculture and the Chief Entomologist and states that the seed have been sterilized.

R. E. McDONALD,  
Chief Entomologist, Texas Agricultural Department.

### Notice of Hearing to Appropriate Public Waters of the State of Texas No. 626

Notice is hereby given, to whom concerned, that W. A. Ribble, the postoffice address of whom is Graham, Texas, did on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1921, file his application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which he applies for a permit to appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State, from Rock Creek, a tributary of the Brazos River, in Jack county, Texas, sufficient water for mining purposes to be impounded in a reservoir created by the construction of a dam, and diverted by means of a pumping plant, said dam to be located at a point which bears N 88-32 E. 12,746 feet from the East corner of B. B. & C. R. R. Co. Survey No. 6, on the bank of Rock Creek, in Jack County, Texas, and is distant in a southwesterly direction from Jackboro eighteen miles.

You are hereby further notified that the said W. A. Ribble is to construct a dam of concrete, 4 feet in height, 54 feet in length, having a top width of 2 feet, and a bottom width of 3 feet, thus creating a reservoir having an average width of 50 feet, length of impounded water 1,851 feet, an average depth of stored water 4.5 feet, and having a storage capacity of 95.58 acre-feet, and to divert therefrom not to exceed 95.58 acre-feet of water per annum, for the purpose of mining.

A hearing on the application of the said W. A. Ribble will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on Monday, January 30th, A. D. 1922, beginning at ten o'clock a. m., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board, in (L.S.) Austin, Texas, this 30th day of November A. D. 1921

C. S. CLARK,  
JNO. A. NORRIS,  
Board of Water Engineers.  
Attest: A. W. McDONALD,  
Secretary.

### Truck Tax This Year Is Doubled

Owners of motor trucks are due for a shock when they call at the tax collector's office in Graham to pay their taxes this year.

They will find their taxes doubled and likewise they will find it more expensive to own a "hard-tailed" or solid tired truck than a pneumatic tired one.

Due to a law enacted by the last legislature, the taxation of trucks was doubled under the belief that they do more damage to improved roads than other vehicles. Truck dealers and owners bitterly fought the measure at the time and succeeded in having the original outline of taxation reduced to the present figure.

The tax on a ton truck last year was \$16. This year it is \$30 for pneumatics, and \$36 for solid tires. A 4-ton truck calls for a \$120 payment if it has solid tires, and \$100 if it is equipped with pneumatics.

### WHERE OLD SHIP ROPE GOES

Rope from ships that have sailed the Seven Seas—that has been used to every port in the world—comes here by guarding the national telephone conversation.

From junk rope is made a grade of paper which insulates wire in a piece of telephone cable. Over 13,000,000 pounds of old rope were fed to the giant vats which tore, cooked, washed and beat into a pulp the makings of 7,000,000 pounds of cable paper used by the Bell Telephone system last year.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon C. M. Tiffany 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 published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Young County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1922, the same being the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 966, wherein The John E. Morrison Co., a corporation acting by and through J. P. McKinley, Gen. Manager, is Plaintiff, and C. M. Tiffany is Defendant, and said petition alleging: That on the 1st day of November, 1919, the defendant for a valuable consideration to him in hand paid by plaintiff made, executed and delivered to this plaintiff his certain promissory note of that date for the sum of \$20.00 due on or before Oct. 1, 1920, with int. from date at rate of 10 per cent per annum from date and providing for 10 per cent Atty. fees if sued on or placed in the hands of an atty. for collection. That said note is credited with a payment of \$10.00 on Nov. 2, 1920.

That on the 30 day of Sept. 1920, the deft. for a valuable consideration to him in hand paid by the Plif. made, executed and delivered to this plaintiff his certain promissory note of that date for the sum of \$335.98 due and payable at the rate of \$20.00 or more monthly beginning Oct. 15, 1920, with int. from date at rate of 10 per cent per annum and providing for 10 per cent additional on principal and int. due as attorneys fees if sued on or placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. That said note is credited with payment of \$20.00 on Nov. 30, 1920, and \$60.00 on Jan. 29, 1921. That said notes are now due and unpaid and deft. fails and refuses to pay the same or any part thereof.

That plaintiff does not know the whereabouts of defendant and prays that he be cited to appear and answer this petition by publication and that on a final trial that it have a judgment against deft. for its debt, interest, attorney fees, cost of suit, and relief both general and special.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham this 28th day of day of November A. D. 1921.

14-17c W. H. KENNEDY,  
Clerk, County Court Young County, Texas.  
A true copy, I certify:  
J. D. DAWSON,  
Constable Precinct No. 1, Young Co.

### Walker Sayle Cinches New Prison Position

Walker Sayle, former mayor of Breckenridge, has formally taken his seat as prison commissioner of Texas, following court action at Austin last week denying W. G. Pryor, the suspended commissioner, the right to file a writ of mandamus to retain the office.

Governor Neff appointed Sayle and handed Pryor his walking papers, but Pryor refused to quit.

### WHERE ARE YOUR LIPS WHEN YOU TALK OVER TELEPHONE?

Scientific tests show that every additional inch of distance between the lips of the speaker and the mouth-piece of the telephone is equivalent to adding 120 miles of wire to the line over which one is talking. The proper distance is about one inch; if farther than that, such sounds as "b, p, d, t, f, z," are transmitted poorly. If closer than one-half inch, nasal sounds like "m" and "n" do not enter the transmitter properly.

Youth is to all the glad season of life; but often only by what it hopes, not by what it attains, or what it escapes.—Carlyle.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon C. O. Pease 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 published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Young County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1922, the same being the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 954, wherein R. L. Smith is Plaintiff, and C. O. Pease is Defendant, and said petition alleging: That the Plaintiff performed certain work and labor for the Defendant, which labor amounted to the sum of \$353.00.

That said account is past due and unpaid, and Defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused, and still fails and refuses to pay the same or any part thereof, to the Plaintiff's damage in the sum of Three Hundred Fifty and no-100 Dollars.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays the Court that Defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that he have judgment for his debt in the sum of Three Hundred Fifty and no-100 Dollars, interest, cost of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general in law and in equity that he may be justly entitled to and in duty bound will ever pray.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, W. H. Kennedy, Clerk of the County Court of Young County. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham, this, the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921.

12-15c W. H. KENNEDY,  
Clerk, County Court, Young County. By WILLARD MATTHEWS, Deputy.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS STATE OF TEXAS

County of Young  
To the creditors of R. F. Willis  
You are hereby notified that R. F. Willis & Son of the County of Young and State of Texas, did on the 18th day of November A. D. 1921, execute a deed of assignment conveying to the undersigned all of the property for the benefit of such creditors as will consent to accept their proportional part of their estate and discharge them from their respective claims and that the undersigned have accepted such trust and have qualified as required by law.

All creditors consenting to such assignment must within four months after the publication of this notice make known to the assignees their consent in writing and within six months from this date file their claims as required by law with the undersigned A. D. Stewart and A. W. Kay, Post Office Box No. 114, Graham, Texas, at which place assignees reside.

Witness our hands this the 18th day of November, 1921.  
13-15c A. W. KAY,  
A. D. STEWART.

### CANDIDLY CONSIDERED

They're talking about a raise in telephone rates. "Well," commented Farmer Corn-tassel, judgin' from the entertainment our folks get from listenin' in on a party wire, I shouldn't be surprised if the service was worth it."—Washington Star.

### FOXY TALK

"Am I the only girl you have ever loved?" "Oh no. But my taste has been improving right along."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Stillman case is going into Canada. We hoped it would go to a hotter instead of colder place.

Freight rates on hay are reduced. Freight rate makers must eat hay.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Young

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable County Court of Young County, on the 17th day of October A. D. 1921, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of R. G. Taylor vs. W. A. Bradley No. 874, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the 17th day of December A. D. 1921, it being the 17th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Young County, in the City of Graham, the following described property, to-wit: One Wood Workers' Machine or Planing Mill, levied on as the property of W. A. Bradley to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$252.00 in favor of R. G. Taylor and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 3rd day of December A. D. 1921.  
15-17c JOHN W. SAYE,  
Sheriff in and for Young County, Texas.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon C. M. Tiffany 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 published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Young County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1922, the same being the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 967, wherein Norris-Johnson Hardware Co., a partnership composed of G. B. Johnson and Mrs. J. B. Norris, and Mrs. Paul Telcamp, are Plaintiffs, and C. M. Tiffany is Defendant, and said petition alleging: That heretofore to-wit, on the 12th day of April, 1921, the deft. executed and delivered to Plaintiff seven certain promissory notes due weekly from said date, six of which are for \$25, and the last one for \$30.80, providing for 10 per cent interest from the date until paid and 10 per cent attorney's fees. That said notes are past due and unpaid and though often requested defendant has failed and refused to pay same and still refuses and fails to pay same.

That plaintiff sold and delivered certain goods, wares and merchandise to defendant of the value of \$10.85, being a balance due on an account of \$20.85. That defendant has failed and refused to pay said notes and accounts to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$250.00. That said notes have been placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, and plaintiff has promised to pay 10 per cent provided in said notes for said services. Wherefore plaintiff prays that citation issue according to law and that on final hearing they have judgment for their debt, interest, attorney's fees, costs of suit, and such other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity, to which they may be entitled and for which they will ever pray.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham this the 28th day of day of November A. D. 1921.

14-17c W. H. KENNEDY,  
Clerk, County Court Young County, Texas.

### NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Young

Whereas, on July 18th, A. D. 1921 C. R. I. & P. Car 83226, containing 98 pieces of six inch pipe and 255 pieces of three-inch pipe, and W. & L. E. Car 51030 containing 41 pieces 6 inch pipe, 36 pieces of five inch pipe and 170 pieces three inch pipe, were shipped from Comanche, Oklahoma, to South Bend, Texas, consigned to shippers-order Notify Page Supply Company, which cars were received at South Bend, Texas, on or about August 1st, 1921, with total charges of \$4,852.59 against said shipments besides accrued demurrage on said cars, and

Whereas the consignee has failed and refused to claim said shipments and pay the charges and advances thereon, and said shipments above described have been on hand, unclaimed, at the South Bend station of the Wichita Falls & Southern

Railway Company, for a period of three months, although the said consignee has been duly notified of the arrival of said shipments.

Now, therefore, know all men by these presents, that I, J. F. Hollis, Agent of the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company, at South Bend, Texas, will offer for sale, on the first Tuesday in December, A. D. 1921, the same being the 8th day of December, A. D. 1921, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., the following described shipments:

98 pieces of 6 inch pipe.  
255 pieces of 3 inch pipe.  
41 pieces of 6 inch pipe.  
36 pieces of 5 inch pipe.  
170 pieces of 3 inch pipe.

and will sell the same to the highest bidder for cash on said date between the said hours.

Witness my hand this the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1921.

11-15c J. F. HOLLIS,  
Agent, Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company, South Bend, Tex.

## OUR CUSTOMERS

We strive to place our customers interests first—each and ever transaction handled in such a manner that merits his hearty approval.

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H. L. TIDWELL, Cashier  
MRS. H. D. CRISWELL, Asst. Cashier.  
R. B. WHITTENBURG  
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## FOR CHRISTMAS

We have a carefully selected line of Holiday Goods—that will surprise and delight you. Come in and look around.

### RAMSEY DRUG COPANY

West Side Square

### Christmas Goods

Now open for your selection, a wonderland of reasonable and seasonable goods.

*The Store of the Holiday Spirit*

Just a Few Suggestions  
Give him a fine pocket knife, razor, office basket, etc.  
Give her a handbag, French Morocco purse, cut glass etc.  
Give the Miss a manicure set, perfume, stationery, bureau set, etc.

Give the girl a chain purse, dolls, games, books, etc.  
Give the boy fireworks, tools, toys, kiddy kars, etc.  
Give the baby a high chair, baby plate, rattles, etc.

And many other things for your selection. Come early and spend the day (if you can). If it's cold the house will be warm, and comfortable.

**Graham Salvage and Racket Store**  
602 OAK STREET. W. S. McJIMSEY

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The discriminating housewife is always carefully selecting her bread material. As a result throughout this section of the country "Supreme" Flour is selected because it is dependable, and carries with it the guarantee, "Money back without argument if not satisfactory."

### The Graham Mill & Elevator Co.



## CHRISTMAS TIME

On one day in the year, all the world pauses in its pursuit of gain and dedicates itself to the idea that "Giving" is better than "Getting."

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# Pace Golden

JEWELER  
If it's from Golden It's Good  
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GRAHAM, TEXAS

### FOUR BABIES BORN TO SAME COUPLE IN YEAR

Ablene, Dec. 2.—Four babies in less than a year is the record of one Taylor county family. Early this year a baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Young of near Ablene. A few days ago three more boys arrived simultaneously. The mother is 30 years old and now has ten children. The triplets were the second ever born in this county.

### THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

Modesty is the finest garment ever invented for women.

Wasted time is like running water, it can never be called back.

Man was born to earn his living by the sweat of his brow, not by the sweat of another.

Set a goal to attain in this world, and reaching it won't ever seem so much like hard labor.

Without a fixed purpose in life, there is very little to ever be gained.

Good breeding puts us at ease with our superiors, our equals, and our inferiors.

It's only a fool who flatters himself by thinking he's something more than people give him credit for being.

The poorest little flower in the world is bright enough to make some little child smile.

Let us make the best of today, with all its resources and possibilities we cannot fail to get something out of it if we but try.

Have no aspiration but to do your duty as capably as you can; if you can not do it, be patient.—W. H. Wilson.

From the janitor's grin he must be thinking of Christmas.

### OUT-DOOR EXERCISE FOR ALL CLASSES

Austin, Dec. 5.—The Texas Public Health Association encourages everybody, children as well as grown-ups, to get out in the open air all seasons of the year. It is one of the best methods for preventing tuberculosis or curing it after it has been contracted.

The Modern Health Crusade in which six million children are enrolled requires its members to play out-doors and the tuberculosis societies and sanatoria are demonstrating in every state that no matter what the local climate may be, out-door exercise is necessary for health.

The general promotion of interest and belief that rest, fresh air and good food is the best treatment for tuberculosis is one of the tasks of the Texas Public Health Association and its affiliated local organizations.

During the last 15 years, the death rate from tuberculosis has fallen from 196 per 100,000 to 114 per 100,000 population. Progress has been made, but yet there were 132,000 deaths from this disease in the United States last year, and 1,000,000 active cases in existence; so, much more is to be accomplished. Texas has her full quota of tuberculosis patients and much work is yet to be done.

Funds to carry on this work are obtained from the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas Seals which will be offered to the public from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas. Response to this sale will determine the extent to which the fight against tuberculosis can be carried forward during 1922.

### BRALLEY INSPECTS EASTERN SCHOOLS

Washington, Dec. 3.—The inspection of vocational training schools for women in the east is being made by President F. M. Bralley of the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, who, accompanied by Mrs. Bralley, arrived in Washington today. The Texas educator has visited Smith College, Northampton, Mass., the largest institution of its kind in the world, as well as Simmons College, Boston; Vassar College, Russell Sage School at Troy, Cornell, Columbia and other eastern colleges and universities.

"The Denton institution," said Professor Bralley, "is the third largest in the world and we have been unable to accommodate all the students offered to us. I find, however, that other schools are in like circumstances and that some of these in the east are not accepting students for admission before 1925 and 1926. If we had the facilities I am sure we would have the largest school of its kind in the world."

### OPEN SEASON ON QUAIL

The wise farmer knows that there is great value to him in a covey of quail. They are insect eaters and weed seeds are a part of their diet.

A covey of birds is equal to the work of a "hired hand" for several months in the year. They contribute to the actual monetary returns; and they require neither food, water nor attention.

They hustle their own living; and all they ask is protection.

That any farmer may extend them and benefit by so doing.

With rabbits it is different; they are destroyers of the work of the farmer; they are good eating and they should be kept down in numbers or they will soon become a real pest.

Shoot the rabbits—but leave the quail to do their work on the farm.

Few people know how to be old.—La Rochefoucauld.

Do your Christmas buying at home.

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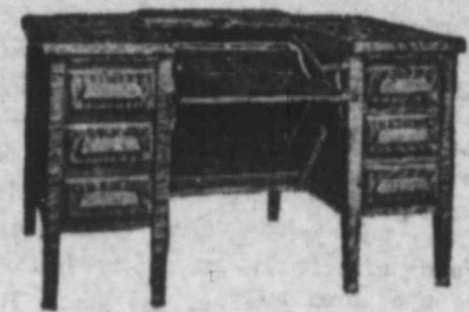
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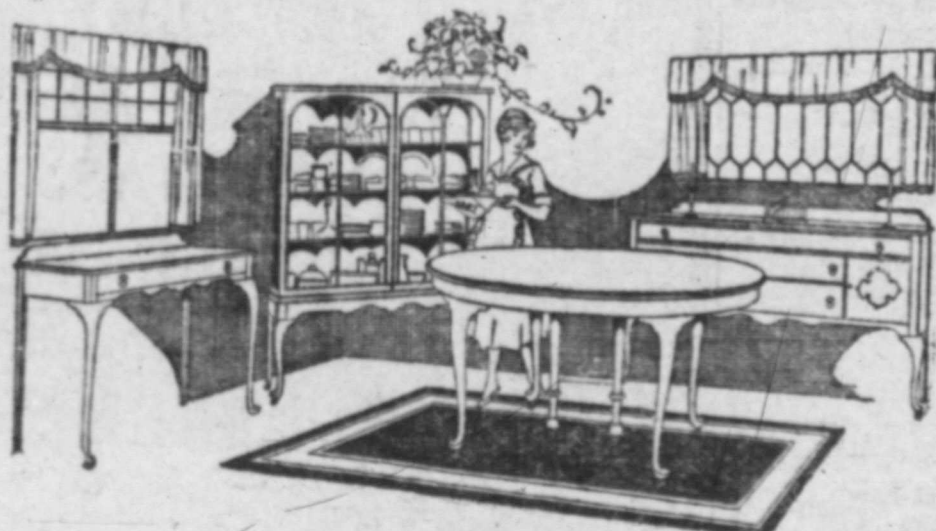
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All Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets are reduced during this Sale. Buy your Hoosier now, was \$65.00, now . . . . \$47.50 Other Kitchen Cabinets during this Sale as low as . . . . . \$23.95



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You can buy a bargain in a Desk. The Flat Top Desk as shown in Solid Oak was \$47.50, now . . . \$24.95 Mahogany Roll Top Desk was \$150.00, now . . . . . \$97.50



### Ten Piece Jacobean Suit

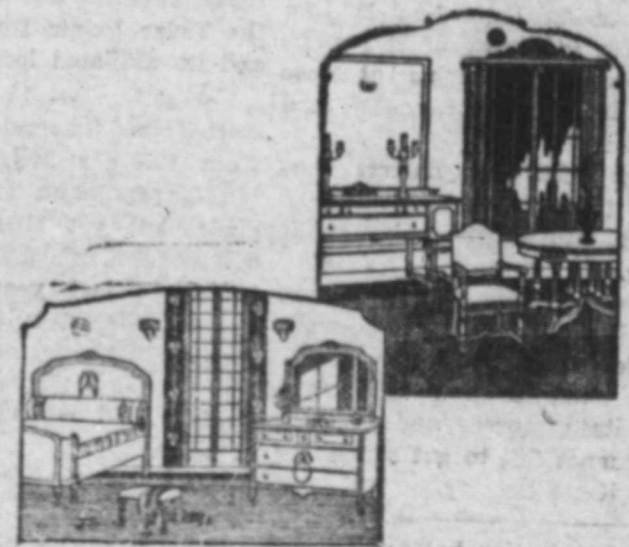
Was \$400.00, now \$249.50

This beautiful Suit as shown in Jacobean finish, consists of Buffet, Table, China Closet, Serving Table, and six Chairs to match, upholstered in genuine leather. You can't duplicate this Suit at this price. Come in during this Sale and see what you save.



### All Library Table Reduce 30 to 60 Per Cent

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