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Lawyer E. O. Harrell was shot and killed on Thursday in Dallas by lawyer Frank M. Ethridge. Claims to have done so in self-defense; gave bond of \$2,000.

A brave endorsement (?) is that of a correspondent in the Clarendon Agitator, a half column long. He says Rev. Henson is admired for his "courage" adding "You have felt it to be your duty, as a man of God to unmask and expose the evils that exist in our town."

But the writer while urging up the battle himself jumps behind a fictitious signature—Observer. That looks like standing at a man's back and seeing his belly beat blue.

"Don't take your best girl sleigh riding behind a team of colts that are only half broken to harness. A nine mile walk through the snow would yank all the romance out of the affair."

Lamar Caldwell and the News's "Eli"—Eri Thompson, left this morning, for Greer county, to spend the holidays.

If you have to get drunk, pull it off before or after Christmas day—as long after as is possible. It is scandalous that the papers always report more casualties on Christmas than in any other week in the year.

The wise men on that memorable first Christmas morn brought gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh to Him who had not the where to lay His head—the poor—the "least of these" are yet with us—keep up the gifts.

If N. W. Eakle is as jovial as when he was a citizen of Amarillo, the Evening News shall hope to pull some of the devilment out of him for the public good.

The Roswell Military Institute.

The first term, session of '99-1900, of the Roswell Military Institute closed last week, and the usual examinations were written by the cadets. The passing mark is 60, ranging upward for excellence to 100. In the collegiate department 34 passed. The highest attained was 92 by L. Buell; our Homer Vivian at 71. In the preparatory department 25 passed; the highest at 82 by R. B. Seay; and our Harry Wetsel, the next highest at 81.

Of this institution the Roswell Record says.

The term just ended is highly creditable. The school is doing very solid work, and before many years the training of the cadets will begin to exhibit a pronounced influence in New Mexico.

If reports are true, it is practically impossible for a boy to escape work at the N M M I; he must either do it or spend the solid day—and a portion of the night—in the school room. While it is possible, of course, to be too exacting, in this respect, nothing of the kind is very likely to occur in this country for some years to come. The average boy will never injure his father's son by over-study, even under the strongest compulsion and most enticing allurments. The school room at the N M M I seems to be getting excellent practical results. That is what makes actual schol-

ars and potential citizens, and we wish the school a continuance of the great prosperity and usefulness it has thus far enjoyed, and thoroughly deserved.

ORDINANCE 36.

An ordinance providing for the issuance of City Hall Bonds of the City of Amarillo, Texas, and providing for their payment principal and interest.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Amarillo, Texas, as follows:

Section 1. That there shall be and is hereby ordered to be issued ten thousand dollars in interest bearing coupon bonds of the City of Amarillo, Texas, the same to be issued in denominations of \$500 each, and to be numbered from 1 to 10,000, both inclusive.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be issued for the purpose of erecting a City Hall in and for said City of Amarillo, and shall be known and styled "Amarillo City Hall Bonds".

Section 3. Said Bonds shall be dated the first day of January A. D. 1900, and shall become due and payable twenty years after date. They shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of July and January of each year both principal and interest payable in lawful money of the United States upon presentation and surrender of bonds or proper coupons at the office of the National Park Bank in the City and State of New York.

Section 4. Said Bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, and countersigned by the City Secretary and shall bear impress of the Seal of the City of Amarillo, Texas, on each of them. The Coupons attached to have the signature of the Mayor and City Secretary of said City.

Section 5. It is further ordained by the said City Council that for the purpose of paying the annual interest and creating a sinking fund for the said bonds for the current year there is hereby levied and appropriated twenty-five cents or a sufficient amount of this certain levy of 25 cents upon each one hundred dollars valuation of all taxable property in said City of Amarillo, Texas, for interest and sinking fund. It is further ordained by said City Council of said City that for each succeeding year while said Bonds are outstanding, sufficient Tax shall be annually levied, assessed and collected, and applied to the purpose named.

Section 6. That all ordinances, parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed and this ordinance shall take effect and be in operation from the date of its passage.

Passed Dec, 13 '99. Approved Dec. 13 '99.

R. L. Stringfellow, Mayor,

Attest: M. W. Cunningham, Sec'y.

Business Locals.

City Hotel for Rent—Apply at the Hotel.
Mrs. I. M. Cann.

Remember, when you buy a dollars worth of goods from Mrs. Street, you get a ticket, and when you get ten tickets, you are entitled to have your picture enlarged to nearly life size.

Sherman the photographer, can furnish you the most rational Christmas present that you can get. Remember that when you are wondering what to send your friends,

The best for family use and medicinal purposes, is Crown beer, at Taylor, Peale & Britton.

Taken up—One cow and calf, unbranded, at ranch six miles from city. Calf has leather halter on. Owner to prove property and pay for this notice. This Office.

For fresh fish and oysters see Potter's market.

"Invincible Rye" just received at Temple's.

Call at Mrs. Street's for up-to-date quilts.

Mrs. Street will receive in a few days a very large and nice lot of can-

The best is none too good, found only at Taylor, Peale & Britton's.

How to keep your health is to buy your whiskey from Taylor, Peale & Britton.

Ornamental queensware, just received at Mrs. Street—they are beauties.

Pure whiskey for the sick—never outdone—Elevation Rye, and Bourbon You have only to call for them, at the saloon of Edge & Fisher.

Mrs. Street will have a nice line of Christmas goods in a few days, in addition to her already large stock of good and pretty things.

Connally says he has a lot of goods that must be sold and if you want new winter goods, now is the time to buy as the price will be right.

Bargains! Bargains!—In queensware, glassware, and second-hand goods, at Clayton's store. See him and get prices.

If you want a fit in Tailor-made clothes go to Connally's where you will have a first class Tailor to take our measure.

Call at the New York Bargain house and see the fine line of samples for fall and winter Tailor Made Suits.

Wall Paper, new and attractive designs for the coming year, are being now received. You ought to examine them before placing orders.

O. M. Eakle.

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J. L. CALDWELL, EDITOR

DECEMBER 23, 1899

Washington, D. C. Dec. 23 —Fair tonight and tomorrow. Temperature at Amarillo 7 o'clock this morning, 27.

The whole News force is on a strike to rest up—if that is what you call it—on Monday Christmas. The chances are with them. The contest may not be settled until it is too late for results.

W. A. Blackburne will be on the streets with his meat wagon again on the 28th, and regularly thereafter. if

Wm. Harrell has returned home from K C to spend Christmas.

Judge Plemons is back from court at Ft Worth, and hopes he will be able to remain a while.

Read our Christmas "ads."

Boyles Riley came in this morning from a visit to relatives in O T on his way to his ranch in N. M.

Homer Vivian and Harry Wetsl are at home from Roswell Military Institute on a visit to parents. Homer has the honor of wearing the uniform of lieutenant in the Institute.

A carload of marble left the quaries on the 18th, consigned to G. B. Powell & Co, Amarillo, Texas.

Ladies will save trouble and worry by buying their fruit cakes from Smith, Walker & Co.

Oranges for everybody—Smith, Walker & Co. have a car direct from California.

The balls of the holidays opened at McGee's new rock building Thursday night, with a good attendance and enjoyable time.

Miss Nellie Baker has gone to Canadian. Miss Annie, whose place Miss Nellie has been filling in the public school, will resume her duties after Christmas.

Judge Browning is at court in Clarendon, today.

Col. George Denton was discovered with a big turkey gobbler under his arm. The reporter, reasonably thinking it was illicit, ordered him to turn it loose—but he didn't.

For or rent: The building known as the Will Knight saloon, opposite Nobles, Callaway & Co's. —W S Maddrey.

If you see a grizzly bear between Amarillo and the LX ranch, do not shoot, it's W. J. Clarke, making believe in a buffalo robe coat.

J. D. Weller has bought M J Whitfield's place, 18 miles south, one section \$400 with windmill, all fenced, 40 acres in cultivation.

Not how cheap, but how good. I am selling my bread, cakes and pies at a reasonable profit and no man who has more money than sense can run me out. I am here to stay, and to serve you like an honest man, doing honest work for an honest living.

JOHN KOLLAER.

New Years Receptions.

The following ladies will receive on New Year's day, from 3 to 6 o'clock in the evening:

MRS. HARRY BEVERLY will receive assisted by Mesdames Oliver, Leftwich, Henderson, Spencer, Randall, Miller, Currie, and the Misses Yates, Henricks, Katherine Tannehill, Whitcomb, Browne, Brookes, Browning and Sadler.

MISS GRIGGS and MRS. WETSEL assisted by Mesdames Wills, Mitchell, Kindred, Rix, and the Misses Boyce, Withey, Tannehill, Ross, Hughes, Martin, Walters, and Smith, will receive at the residence of Mr. A H. Wood.

MRS. W A. CROSSETT, assisted by Mrs. Dr. Pearson, and the Misses Maude Tannehill, Bessie Graham, Claire Smith, Lara Eakle, Ida Bethaue, Mary Burrow, and Maude Crossett.

MRS. W. LESLIE EVANS, assisted by Mesdames Crossett, Wills, Rix, Lowndes, Beverly, and Miller, and the Misses Tannehill, Brown, Graham, Hughes, Ross, Brooks and Smith will receive from 8 to 10:30 p. m.

Any others wishing to keep open house, will please make their announcements for publication. —Editor

CHRISTMAS RATES.

Christmas Holiday rates, one fare for round trip between all points on the Pecos and Northeastern Railway. Now visit and spend Christmas with your friends. Selling dates, Dec. 23 and 25th. Good to return on all trains including December 28th. For information and rates to other points apply to agent at your station D. H. Nicholls, Gen. Manager, E. W. Martindale, Actg. Gen. Frt. & Pass. Agt., Carlsbad, N. M.

The Morgan Bros. started up their candy factory, last Saturday, in full blast, and the product is pure sugar -no glucose fake-and is on sale at their store.

Christmas is Coming.

But I am here RIGHT NOW to offer you

Two Hundred

pieces of men's, boy's and children's clothing at prices not often seen. These goods MUST BE SOLD in the next 20 days and if prices count for anything.

YOU WANT A....

Child's Misses or Ladies JACKET or LADIES DRESS SKIRT, SUITS FUR COLLARETTE, now is the time to buy.

Style and workmanship O. K. Come at once and get your choice. Goods are marked at about wholesale prices.

White's Cash Store.

500

Customers

Wanted.

AT ONCE

At TURNER'S Drug store to purchase

\$500

Worth of

Christmas Goods



Don't miss a

bargain.

Business Locals

Fashionable Dressmaking.

We would solicit the patronage of the ladies of Amarillo for fashionable dressmaking, cutting and fitting

Mrs. D. J. Baker.
Mrs. S. E. Vansickle.

Christmas things, hats and lots and lots of them, for every household and every entertainment that may be given in Amarillo, at Mrs. Streets. New Goods are being opened daily. Note this: Mrs. Street has a present for every child in town—not to sell but to give to them. Now then, just call fast and a heap of it.

For Rent—50 or 75 acres of tillable land on the Wheatley place.

R. S. Finklea

Lost—an official size envelope, from Shannon & Lee, attorneys at Belton Tex., addressed to J. E. Hughes, Sheriff of Potter county. Said envelope contained 2 or 3 papers. Return to sheriff and claim reward.

Go and see Connally's new fall goods—the prices are right.

Try the Home Product cigar, made at Roswell. None better.
New York Bargain House.

If it is a doll you want, call at the New York Bargain House, and be pleased.

Run! Run!! Run!!!
to the New York Bargain House and get first choice of the nice line of Christmas goods just opened up.

If you want a tailor-made suit go to Connally's; they have a thousand samples to select from. Fit and workmanship guaranteed.

Go to Connally's for stamped linen for embroidery.

Connally is selling Ladies' wraps very cheap.

New line of ribbons and trimming silk just received at Connally's.

Now is the time to buy your fine dress while Connally is making price right.

Cost or no cost you can buy your goods at Connally's for less money than anywhere else.

\$100, Reward

The Colorado Dispensary will pay \$100 for any case of stricture, piles or cancer; it cannot cure. Located in Amarillo Hotel, Annex.

Liquors for medicinal purposes are sold only by the saloons in Amarillo. Understanding this we purpose to keep all that is needed—and the best that is made. Next door to Jack Floyd's.

TAYLOR, PEALE & BRITTONS.

Jake Bruner's restaurant is becoming a very popular resort for the hungry. Main reasons are he knows what to cook and how to cook it, and his neatness, and the pervading quiet civility maintained helps a lot.

For wool leggins for children, go to Connally's.

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Office in Board of Trade Building.

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and NOTARY PUBLIC.

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AMARILLO, TEXAS.

GEO. L. LAMAR,

Contractor & Builder

IN BRICK AND STONE.
Amarillo, Texas.

Lost—at Hereford, a lady's gold watch, on the day after Thanksgiving. Watch is of Elgin make. Reward. This office.

Wanted—Two furnished rooms for house keeping or room and board for man and wife.
Lock box 249.

See those nice Christmas goods
New York Bargain House.

California fruit of all kinds at Shaw's.

Connally has plenty Rubber Boots and Shoes at the right price.

Bring in my two ponies, gone 2 weeks. A gray, branded J—R on left hip; a white one branded rocking chair on left shoulder; and I will pay for the trouble and throw in thanks.
J. T. Parks.

HOLIDAY RATES

To all points on the Fort Worth & Denver, and Wichita Valley Rys, selling Dec. 23, 24 and 25, limited to December 26 for return; and selling December 31, 1899, and January 1; 1900, limited to January 3 for return, one fare for the round trip. Also selling to same points December 23, 24 and 25, with return limit of January 3rd, 1900, at one and one-third fares for round trip.
A. B. Spencer, Agent.

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for this, but come and see for
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ALBUMS, Leather and Celluloid
PERFUME ATOMIZERS,
BISQUE NOVELTIES, Toilet
Cases, Manicure sets, Traveling
Cases. Glove and handkerchief sets,
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INK STANDS, MEDALIONS,

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Holiday Perfumes, Photo Cases,
Collar and Cuff Boxes,
WAVE CREST WARE,
Work Boxes, Books, Toys,
GAMES, Etc., Etc.

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DON'T DO LIKE Others
and wait until the other fellow

has selected what he wants and you are compelled to take what
others do not want. If you wish us to keep your purchases until
called for, or sent to any place in town, so direct and we will comply
without charge. "EARLY PURCHASERS HAVE LEVEL HEADS!"

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