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BILL NO. 34.

An Ordinance provided for the construction of sidewalks, in the City of Amarillo, Texas, with or without curbing, and the manner of paying for the same, and condemning the present sidewalks on Polk Street.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Amarillo, Texas.

Section 1. All sidewalks, including grading therefor, with or without curbing, shall be constructed at the expense of the owners of the lots and pieces of ground fronting or abutting thereon as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. All persons owning lots inside the City, and which lots front on either Polk Street, from the Fort Worth and Denver City Rail Road Track, to the South side of south 7th street; and on 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th street, beginning on the west at the east side of Harrison Street, and east to the west side of Lincoln Street, are hereby required to construct sidewalks, as hereinafter provided, on both sides of said streets.

Section 3. The sidewalks shall be uniform, and of proper grade, as is now established by the City, and on Polk street the sidewalks shall be of uniform height with the walk now in front of the First National Bank Building, and constructed of lumber of no less than two inches in thickness, and put down on timber of no smaller dimensions than 2 X 6, such sidewalks, shall be of uniform slope of not less than 1-6 inch nor more than 1-4 inch to the foot, and shall not be less than ten feet in width.

Section 4. The sidewalks hereby required to be built on 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th street, shall be constructed of wood of a thickness of not less than one inch, and set on timber of not less than 2 X 4 such sidewalks shall be built of uniform grade, and not less than three feet in width.

Section 5. It shall be and is hereby made the duty of the Committee on streets and alleys to see that all such sidewalks, as are herein provided, when constructed, are constructed in compliance with this ordinance, and if not so constructed, shall notify the person having the same built.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Mayor to cause this ordinance to be published in the official paper of the City in at least two issues, and such publication shall be deemed sufficient notice, to all persons owning any such lot or lots in said limit as above defined of the requirements of this ordinance, except non-residents, whose residence is unknown to the city assessor, or secretary.

Section 7. In case such lot or lots are owned by any non-resident whose place of residence is known to either the secretary or assessor, or collector, then it shall be the duty of the city secretary to immediately mail to such owner such printed ordinance, which shall be sent in a registered letter, and such notice when so sent shall be deemed sufficient notice to all such non-residents and the publication of this ordinance as provided for by article 6 shall be deemed sufficient notice to all other persons who own any such lot or lots.

Section 8. All persons owning any lot or lots inside the limits as defined in section 2 of this ordinance are required to construct such sidewalks on such lots in accordance herewith in at least 60 days from such notice and publication as herein provided. Provided nevertheless that the time may be extended for the construction of said sidewalks, upon application to the city council showing good cause for such extension, and provided that such time shall not be extended beyond 30 days, and provided it shall take a majority vote of the aldermen present to extend such time.

Section 9. Should any person fail or refuse to construct such sidewalk in the manner and time as herein provided, then, at the expiration of such time, it shall be the duty of the said street and alley committee to proceed at once to construct such sidewalk in accordance herewith, and when so constructed, they shall make out an itemized account of the expense of constructing

such sidewalks and swear to the correctness of the same and present the same to the owner, if known, of such lot or lots across which such sidewalk have been constructed, for payment, and said committee on collecting such cost of construction or any part thereof shall turn the same over to the treasurer, taking his receipt therefor. And if such owner is not known, such account shall be filed with the city secretary.

Section 10. If any person owning such lot or lots across or over which such sidewalk has been constructed as provided for in the preceding sections shall fail or refuse to pay the amount of the cost of such construction, it shall then be the duty of the city attorney to institute suit on such itemized account, in any court of competent jurisdiction in this county, to recover judgment for same. And after such judgment has been obtained, he shall procure execution as in other civil cases. Provided that such lot or lots may be seized and sold, or enough thereof to satisfy such judgment and costs, and the proceeds of such sale to be applied to the payment of such judgment and cost, and the balance, if any, turned over to the owner, if known; if not known, such excess shall be deposited with the city treasurer, subject to the order of such owner.

Section 11. That this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Approved Dec. 2 1899

R. L. Stringfellow, Mayor.

Attest: M. W. Cunningham, Secretary.

London, Dec. 18.—Forces under Generals Clery, Hart, Hildyard, Barton and Lyttelton moved out to force the passage of the Tugael river.

"They succeeded in intering Colenso but the Sixth battery encountered a murderous fire and was compelled to retire, leaving guns. Hildyard's troops therefore also had to fall back. Meantime Barton failed to seize Hlauguarie as intended and the entire force retired."

Austin, Dec. 18.—The governor this evening issued his proclamation calling the legislature together in extra session, for followidg purposes.

1. To provide a tax system for 1901 and succeeding years and which shall take the place of all tax laws now in force.

2. To reduce the rate of the advalorem tax under the present law for general revenue purposes of the year 1900, and to make certain appropriations.

3. To compensate the permanent school fund for any deficiency that may have accrued by reason of the alienation of any portion of lands belonging to the same under and by virtue of section 2, article 7, of the constitution and in connection therewith to amend or repeal chapter 173, approved June 5, 1899, and known as senate bill No. 344, acts of the Twenty-sixth legislature.

4. To better regulate the compensation of the superintendents of the state lunatic asylums.

5. To consider and act upon such other matters as may be presented by the executive pursuant to section 40, article 3, of the constitution.

The admiring public will be delighted to learn that Messrs Brown, Vivian, Siders and Hamlin will decline all invitations from abroad, and will spend their hoarded pittance in Amarillo festivities

Business Locals.

Our new bread wagon will be here in a few days, and will be a credit to any city. Our bread, pies, cakes, etc., will be found on the wagon at your door, cheap, yes, so cheap you can't believe it. You see it. But bread and everything in my line will be delivered, ordered, until the wagon arrives. Respectfully,
W. L. Thompson.

For Sale—My sewing machine, in good condition, at Christmas price.

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

Saloon
If you buy a dollar's worth of goods at Mrs. Street's, you get ten times as much value as you get elsewhere. It's nearly life insurance.

See my live photographer, can guarantee 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 & Barton.

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

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 prices low.

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

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. Eckle

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J. L. CALDWELL, EDITOR

DECEMBER 20, 1899

Washington, D. C. Dec. 20.—Fair tonight and tomorrow.

Temperature at Amarillo 7 o'clock this morning, 7.

Another dull day, considering it is Christmas tide. We are patiently waiting for McKinley's prosperity wave—yes, waiting.

Mrs. W. L. Thompson leaves next week for San Francisco, Cal., to be absent an indefinite time.

The sealed proposition for hauling last night, the next morning, was rejected by the mayor. It is best to have the gravel before the street commissioners as the weather permits, can't anybody go to work the roads. So let everybody go to eating beef and get strong, get the best tools and sharpen them up, so as to serve their country in the most efficient manner. No shirking will be tolerated.

Judge Browning went to Tascosa Monday, as counsel for the executor in the probate of the will of the late Chas. N. Whitman, owner of the L. S. ranch. The will named James C. Horton, of Kansas City, as the executor. The court admitted the will to probate. The estate in Texas shown by the sworn inventory and appraisement returned into court, is:

Real estate	\$276,474.00
Personal property	335,771.00
Claims due estate	31,144.00
	<u>\$643,389.00</u>

Perry Sims of the Miami country, a Falls county neighbor of the reporter up to '90 is in the city. He reports cattle doing well, the children at school—and Christmas a-coming.

It was the "fee" law instead of "fine" as erroneously given in the News that was sustained by the upper court.

THE SCHUBERT LADIES' QUARTETTE.

Those delightful vocalists, the Schubert Lady Quartette, of Chicago will appear at the Opera House on Dec. 20. Lovers of sweet singing should not miss this splendid entertainment.

J. C. Horton, executor of the Whitman estate, was in town yesterday, settling taxes and other claims against the estate. He left for his home in Kansas, last night, going over the Santa Fe.

Miss Maud Crossett, one of our charming belles, has gone for the holidays to her old home in Miss—taking along hearts other than her own.

Lee Green has bought 3 lots east of Capt. Kidd's, fronting east, one a corner, price \$175 for the three.

J. E. Rhea and wife, of Bove-na are at the Amarillo.

W. W. Bynum is off on excursion to his Miss, old home.

John Trollinger and Harry Britt left this morning for Tenn to spend the holidays.

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.

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 Years 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, Mitchel, Kindred, Rix, Alby, Vivian, 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 Bethune, Mary Burrow, and Maude Crossett.

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

AN ARTIST.

Lovers of the violin should not fail to hear Mr. Carl Hunter who assists the Schubert's on Dec. 20.

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 will, if prices count for anything.

IF 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

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.

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. 1a 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.

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 quills.

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

The best is none to good, found only at Taylor, Peele & Britton's.

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

The Schubert Mandolin and Guitar club will render some very bewitching selections at the Schubert's concert on Dec 20.

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, PEELE BRITTON.

\$100, Reward

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

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

Christmas things, lots 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.

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

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

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A. B. Spencer, Agent, Amarillo, Texas.

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

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

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

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.

For wool leggins for children, go to Connallys.

See those nice Christmas goods at New York Bargain House.

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING.

To the Ladies of Amarillo: Call at Mrs. Street's to see Miss Clair for dressmaking.

California fruit of all kinds at Shaw's.

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

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.

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.

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