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Christmas Greetings

We wish to thank our friends for their patronage during the year, and to solicit your future business. Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy Prosperous New Year.

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Texas Governor on Record in Favor Farm Loans

Governor Ferguson Gives Views of Preparedness to Insurance Men

New York, Dec 15 — Governor James E. Ferguson of Texas, addressing the Association of Life Insurance Presidents today, said one kind of preparedness this country needed was that which could be wrought about by the plowshare.

"The war loans we have made abroad," he said, "if placed at home on rural land, would have given every tenant farmer in the United States capital that would have put him well on the road to home ownership. This is the kind of preparedness we use to further peace and prosperity within whatever external clouds may threaten from without." The governor said that in his opinion there was no denying the growth of socialistic sentiment in this country. That sentiment, he added, favored the kind of preparedness he had named.

W. H. Hughes, one of the community's progressive farmers living near Hauk, was among farmers in town Monday.

Sells His Farm

J. M. Reynolds, one of the well known farmers of the Plain View locality last week disposed of his farm in that neighborhood to Bob Swim of near Tolbert and informs us that it is his intention to move his family to Colorado next spring.

Mr. Reynolds at present is employed at the Sutton gin and will retain his position there until the ginning season is over. He has been making inquiry for a residence house in Odell this week, as he wants to move his family here and put his children in school.

The many friends of the Reynolds family regret to learn of their intention of moving away from us, but trust that fortune will favor them wherever they may locate.

No Paper Next Week

The Reporter will not appear the 30th., of this month, as the printing force desires to take a week's rest. We have worked hard this fall in order to entertain our readers with an interesting paper, and trust that our efforts along that line have not proven fruitless.

A number of the exchange papers that come to our office have also make known their intention of not issuing a paper during the holidays.

All Who Leave Odell, in Due Time Return

Dr. Daniel to Return--Trades With Dr. Looney and C. H. Shaw Last Week

Dr. A. C. Daniel and family who moved from here to Eolian, in Stevens county last spring, are making preparations to move back to Odell. The Doctor was here last week, looking after business matters, and did considerable trading while in the vicinity. Among the trades he made was to buy out Dr. O. E. Looney's interest in town, and another was to close a deal with C. H. Shaw in the Red River community, for his farm in that neighborhood. It is the Doctor's intention we understand to resume his practice in the country with headquarters at Belcher's Drug Store.

Dr. Looney since selling his interest here, is contemplating moving to Elliott, near Harrold, where he will follow his profession in that locality. His stay has been a short one in Odell, but he has made many friends who regrets that there is not enough room for him and Dr. Daniel both here.

In the Shaw and Daniel trade, Mr. Shaw traded his farm for one the Dr. owned in Stevens county, but we learn it is not his intention to move to that country before another year.

That is not Mr. Shaw's intention to move away from us any ways soon, should be good news to his many friends in the county as he is classed as one of our most progressive farmers and those kind we do not like to lose.

Notice to Taxpayers

I will be at, Oklaunion Jan. 4th and 5th. 1916. Harrold, Jan. 6 and 7th. Odell, at the Bank of Odell, January, 11th. and 12th. 1916. For the purpose of collecting State and County taxes for the year 1915.

R. V. Parr, Tax Collector, Wilbarger County.

J. G. Ayers and J. A. Jones R. N. Coffey
President Vice Presidents Cashier

Stockholders Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers State Bank of Odell, Texas, is hereby called for the first Tuesday in January 1916, same being the 4th day of the month.

Said meeting is called for the purpose of electing directors for the year 1916, and to such other business as may properly come before them.

R. N. COFFEY, Cashier.

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President

L. G. HAWKINS,
Vice President



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SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 A YEAR.

With this issue of the Reporter we'll complete our fourth year in the newspaper business in Odell and will start volume five with the new year. So while we are winding up our year's work and getting ready for a new one, when every heart is supposed to be tuned in reverence the birth of the "Lowly Nazerene," we know of no better opportunity than now, to thank each and every one who has helped to make the Reporter a newspaper during the year now ending. Most of the merchants have bought heavily of the advertising space along and to them we feel grateful, and trust the results have been satisfactory and they feel that they have gotten value received. To the other business men of the town who have been slow to realize the value of printer's ink, we have nothing but the kindest feelings toward them and assure them we are ready to join them in any movement that will help to make Odell and the Odell country a better place to live. Most of the Reporter's subscribers have been very thoughtful of us this fall and have come in and squared their newspaper accounts. And to them too, we are under obligation. For they have shown by their actions that they realize it takes money to put out a newspaper and wanted to bear their part of the expense. Those who are yet in the arrearage, we believe will call in due time, for in all of our experience in the newspaper business, we have found but few people who wanted to beat a newspaper debt. Our country correspondents have done much this past year to help make the Reporter an interesting paper, and to them we feel doubly obligated. We have often said that we believed there was not another small paper in the state that could boast of a more faithful set of contributing editors than the the Reporter has, and we still make that assertion, and trust it will be our good fortune to hold them another year. Now while we are ending up our year's work and are getting ready for another year's service, we desire to enlist the cooperation of the entire community in helping to make the Reporter a better paper during 1916. You can be of great service to us by making it a point to tell us about any happening you would consider news for the paper, as it is the Reporter's mission to try and give all the local news to all the people. The Reporter trusts that

HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES

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TO

all points in Texas; points in the southeast, to Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Denver, Colorado Springs, Baltimore, Washington, and other places too numerous to mention.

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A. R. MITCHELL, Local Agent,
E. J. NAYLOR, G. & P. A.,
San Angelo, Texas.

each and every one of its readers will enjoy a merry Christmas and that you will be ready to start the new year with a clear mind, and a strong determination to correct all your mistakes and adopt such resolutions as would tend to make the world a place to live in.

Gratitude as the Real Key to Christmas Joy

By "BILLY" SUNDAY

NINETEEN hundred years ago a star poised above a lowly manger in Bethlehem, and above the moonlit hills of Judea the angels heralded the beginning of the life of Jesus Christ upon this earth. And once more the birthday of the Saviour approaches. How fast these festal days follow one another! Only a few days ago I was penning a Thanksgiving day message. Now we are looking forward with happy hearts and bright anticipations to Christendom's great gift-giving day. Gratitude inspires in us the grace of giving. Gratitude is the great original source of noble living and service, just as sin is the original source and root of all selfishness. The great all-seeing eye of God, as it surveys this planet, with all its scenes of revelry and its riot of sin, beholds but one festering ulcer—selfishness—and gazes upon one thing of great beauty—gratitude—which recognizes in every need of man the voice of God. The immortal Frances E. Willard said: "I regard ingratitude as one of the basest of sins." The Psalmist said: "What shall I render unto the Lord for all his goodness to me?" Then answers his own question by saying: "I will take the cup of salvation and call upon the name of the Lord." Never before have we so seriously faced the question of our obligation to Almighty God. There are thousands of heavy-hearted, world-worried men and women who will never find life worth living until their lives are linked with Jesus Christ. There is no safety save in service. We must use or lose. The Dead sea gives nothing out, and that's why it is dead. Many lives are like the Dead sea. If you would have the joy of Christmas, you must find it in doing what Jesus did. He went about doing good. No one will ever find the Christian secret of a happy life save by trying to make it easier for others to do right and harder to do wrong. There is joy in lifting any burdens of others, as the little girl found it who was carrying her baby brother across the street. He was almost as big as she was. "Isn't he heavy?" asked a passer-by.

"Oh, no; he's my brother." You cannot be a Christian without being a good fellow in the sense of trying to help others to be good, or, as someone has put it, "Except you erect the cross in your own heart, Jesus will profit you nothing."

O Holy Child of Bethlehem,
Descend on us, we pray:
Cast out our sin and enter in;
Be born in us today.



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Dr. A. S. Kerley
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In Odell every second and fourth Thursdays in each month.

STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting advice from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die. I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good. I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, and quit

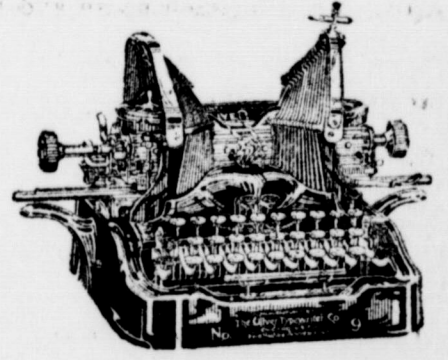
taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it. I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it. I am so thankful for what Black-Draught has done for me." Thedford's Black-Draught has been found a very valuable medicine for derangements of the stomach and liver. It is composed of pure, vegetable herbs, contains no dangerous ingredients, and acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely used by young and old, and should be kept in every family chest. Get a package today. Only a quarter.

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Ralph Peters
On Railway Mail Pay



A controversy has been raging in the columns of the press between the railroads and the Federal Post Office Department over the question of proper compensation for handling the United States mails. Mr. Ralph Peters, Chairman of the Railway Mail Committee, when asked to state the railroad side of the controversy to the American farmer, said in part:

"The railway mail pay question will be settled—and settled permanently and with justice to all concerned—as soon as the American people realize that the whole subject, while seemingly complicated and technical, boils down to a few simple points of fair business dealing which no one need be a rate expert to understand.

The first is that the Post Office Department weighs the mails, and adjusts the pay of the railroads, only once in four years. This compels the railroads to carry the increase in the mail tonnage during the intervening years without pay—manifestly an injustice in the case of a rapidly growing business. One consequence has been that last year the railroads carried fully half the parcel post for nothing.

A second point is this: In addition to carrying the mails, the railroads are required to operate many travelling post offices for sorting and distributing the mails while in transit. But the Post Office Department pays for such post offices only where they occupy whole cars, and pays nothing in the many cases in which it merely requires the use of post office apartments in combination cars, although such apartments differ from the full railway post office cars only in size. More than 4,200 apartments of this character have been fitted up, and are maintained for the exclusive use of the Post Office Department. Failure to pay for them has been an especial hardship to the smaller roads on which the Department does not find it necessary to utilize whole cars.

One last point: In thousands of instances (though not in all) the Post Office Department requires the railroads to carry the mails back and forth between railroad stations and post offices, but pays them nothing for this extra service beyond the rates covering the rail transportation. The railroads have no choice but to perform this additional service gratis, or refuse to carry the mails at all.

Now for the remedies the railroads ask: They do not ask to have the mails weighed daily, or to have each shipment weighed and paid for separately, as is done in the case of private shippers. They merely ask to have the mails weighed, and the pay of the railroads adjusted, at least once a year, instead of once in four years. They also ask that apartment post office cars be paid for, at reasonable rates, according to size. Lastly, they ask that the Post Office Department cease to require of them free messenger service between stations and post offices, and either relieve them of this service or pay fairly for it. These are the reforms the railroads ask of Congress. They gladly lay these reforms before the public, confident that they will appeal to the common sense and fairness of American voters."

Locals and Personals

W. A. Dye of near Fargo, was trading in Odell Monday.

W. S. Wyatt was noted among the farmers in town Monday.

Jim Jeffcoat, formerly of this place, was shaking hands with friends here Saturday.

S. H. Crossley, a prominent business man of Chillicothe, was here Tuesday on business.

J. W. Sears visited his parents at Crowell last week, returning home Saturday.

A number enjoyed a sing-along at the home of Rev. W. J. all and wife Sunday night.

V. Boyd, well known farmer of the Maple Hill neighborhood, was trading in town Monday.

Mrs. Ella Keys visited her daughter Mrs. Lawrence Hitt at Chillicothe the last of the month, returning home Monday.

Mr. Cannon and family of near Odell, are visiting his parents at Caruon and wife near Odell.

Mr. Cannon has accepted a position with S. W. Gable, blacksmith, and will begin work after the new year.

Mr. Cannon and wife and Mr. William's most pleasant visitors at Odell Monday, while in town.

Miss Janette Farley who has been attending the Decatur Baptist College, arrived home Friday to spend the holidays with homefolks.

Dewitt and O. D. Thompson, students of the Decatur Baptist College, arrived Saturday to spend the holidays with their parents C. G. Thompson and wife.

Mrs. Susie Tinsley and children moved last week to a farm near Mangum. They will be joined later on by J. C. Tinsley and family, oldest son of Mrs. Tinsley.

Mrs. R. N. Coffey and son John, left Saturday evening for Omaha Texas, to spend the holidays. Mrs. Coffey will go from there to Texarkana to visit her people before her return home.

Mrs. T. A. Hamilton, accompanied by Mrs. J. P. Hamilton left Saturday night for Crowell, to be with the former's father, W. C. Sears who is seriously sick. Mrs. J. P. Hamilton returned Monday.

W. T. Gibbins and his younger son R. V. left Monday night for Ringgold, where they will be joined by the older son, W. T. and from there the three will go to Kansas City and Ocala Missouri to spend the holidays with relatives.

Subscribe for the Reporter

WHOLE WEEK'S CELEBRATION

Descendants of Old Spanish Settlers
Observed Christmas With Dinners and Parties.

Among the descendants of the old Spanish settlers we find that they observe a week in the celebration of Christmas. This begins one week before Christmas. In the daytime they have dinners at each other's homes, and in the evenings they give a series of parties at the different houses. In the evening the young folk go to the home of one of their number and knock, and then all begin to sing. Those within the house ask, "Who is there?" and the answer is, "The Virgin Mary and St. Joseph seek lodging in your house." To carry out the Bible story they are at first refused admittance, and then the door is opened wide and they are all given a hearty welcome.

On Christmas eve the old and young all join together and have a big celebration. In a large hall they fix up one side to represent the manger, and here they very solemnly give a little play in which many take part, the characters being Mary and Joseph, the wise men, the shepherds and the angels. This play is very real to them, and they all play their parts with a reverent spirit.

THE GIFTS FOR MOTHER

The gladdest hour of Christmas day,
The time the hearts are lightest
An' every care is chased away
An' all the smiles are brightest,
Is when the family, young an' old,
From dad to little brother,
With all the love that hearts can hold
Come bringing gifts to mother.

We keep her presents till the last
An' then when she sits rocking,
An' all the other gifts are passed,
We go an' get her stocking,
We gather round her easy chair,
First one an' then the other
Steps up an' says: "Well, I declare!
Here's something else for mother!"

An' with each present goes a kiss,
An' all is still an' quiet
When mother murmurs: "What is this?"
An' hastens to untie it.
Then everybody wildly cheers
An' shouts for perfect gladness,
An' mother's eyes are moist with tears,
But not the tears of sadness.

Oh, here's a scene that gold can't buy,
Or stoke in imitation,
The smiling face, the glistening eye
Of love's own celebration,
And with each jolly Christmas day
We pray to know another
When we shall meet the self-same way
And bring our gifts to mother.
—Detroit Free Press.



A Christmas Prayer.

Give me the eyes to see my brother's woe;
Grant me the vision that perceives his care
That I, amid my Christmas joys, may go
And take some touch of mitigation there.

God point the way that I may quickly find
His acre waiting for the glad relief,
And open my eyes that I may not be blind
To tasks of love that ease the sting of grief.
—John Kendrick Bangs.

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Happy and Prosperous New Year

Yours for business,

S. W. Gable

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Plenty of turkey, cranberry sauce and other good things in proportion.

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MEAL 25c

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Grover Morris, Mgr.

A Happy and Merry Christmas

We wish to express our appreciation of the nice and liberal patronage you have given us. We solicit a continuance of same, and assure you it will be appreciated. We hope the pleasant relations between us will continue to exist. We appreciate your friendship, and shall ever strive to please you by giving quality goods, prompt service and courteous treatment. We hope everybody will have a Happy and Merry Christmas. We can supply you with the nice and attractive Xmas goods that are kept in a grocery store. Come to see us. You are always welcome. Wishing you again a Merry and Joyous Christmas, we are,

Yours to serve,

J. R. HUIE

Odell, Texas. . .

"The House of Quality"

Additional Locals

Miss Julia Burns, who is attending school at Quanah will arrive Friday to spend the holidays with her parents Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Burns.

E. B. Mathis and two little daughters, Misses Lonnie and Ora were shopping in town Tuesday. Mr. Mathis was a pleasant caller at this office while here.

R. N. Coffey, cashier of the Farmers State Bank, will leave Thursday evening to spend the holidays with relatives at Omaha Texas.

W. H. Hughes, one of the community's progressive farmers living near Hauk, was among the farmers in town Monday.

Joe Hart and family and brother, Jeff Hart, and Mr. and Mrs. Holder all of Mt. Calm arrived in this community last week to make it their future home. The two Hart boys are brothers of G. W. and P. L. Hart. The Reporter in behalf of the citizens of this country welcomes the new families to a place in our neighborhood.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
 Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
 FRANK J. CHENEY.
 Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1916.
 (Seal) A. W. GLEASON,
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Maple Hill News

Miss Ada Johnson is some better this week.

Miss Minnie Hutchens is at home from school at Vernon, to spend Christmas.

Olen Cook of Wellington, is visiting John Flowers and other friends in the community.

Elmer Humphrys and wife took dinner with parents S. Humphrys and wife Sunday.

Quite a number from this community attended church at the Doans Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruby Dunson left Sunday afternoon for Vernon, where she attending the Teacher's Institute.

A singing was enjoyed by a crowd of young folks Sunday night at the home of J. T. Dunson.

Misses Ethel Smith and Lola Humphrys, Jodie Hughes and Manford Flowers, took supper with Miss Clara McDougal Sunday evening.

Mr. Atkins of Bugscuffle and Miss Levis Dunson were married Sunday morning at the home of Miss Dunson's parents J. T. Dunson and wife.

Roy Mercer and wife and Corbet Mercer will return to their home at Bonham Wednesday, their cousin Cordie Morgan and his little sister Rosa May, will accompany them and spend the holidays.

Notice!

To all persons indebted to me, make your arrangements to pay before Jan 1 1916.

Tom Simmons.

Reporter Early This Week

As the Reporter made its appearance a day earlier this week some few of the country correspondent letters which usually reach the office on Wednesday are omitted this week.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

has not affected our job printing prices. We're still doing commercial work of all kinds at prices satisfactory to you.

Christmas Program

The following program, prepared by the committee, will be carried out at the union Christmas Tree at the Baptist church

Christmas eve night:

Opening Song by audience—
 All Hail the Power of Jesus Name

Recitation—When Christmas Comes Round, by Miss Alma Fulcher.

Recitation by Julia Burns—The Yuletide.

Recitation by Ruth Tolbert—The Joyful Bells.

Song by Miss Janette Farley—How Sweet the Bells.

Song by Little Folks—I've Been Good.

NOTICE!

If you owe us a note or account and it is due, please call and settle same in the next few days, as we wish to close up our past due business before Jan. 1st.

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For a First Class Hair cut or Shave at all Times, let R. A. LANE do the work. Two chairs on Saturday. Hot and Cold Baths. Your patronage appreciated.

Merry Christmas

That All Its Readers May Enjoy a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

And A

Prosperous New Year

Is The Wish Of

The Reporter

LAST CALL SPECIAL NOTICE

Parties who know themselves to be indebted to us either by note or open account will please call and make satisfactory settlement at once. Otherwise we will proceed to collect by law.

M. A. SMITH