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MERRY CHRISTMAS.

THE ROSWELL DAILY RECORD.

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Merry Xmas, Happy and Prosperous New Year ULLERY FURNITURE CO.

BIG

FIRE

SIoux CITY, IOWA, SUFFERS A TWO AND A HALF MILLION DOLLAR LOSS.

HELP FROM OUTSIDE

For a Time it Seemed That the Entire Business Section of the Town Was Doomed.—Omaha, Council Bluffs, and Other Cities Aided With Fire Apparatus.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 24.—Sioux City awoke this morning with two of its best business blocks in ashes causing a loss of two and a half millions, throwing hundreds of people out of employment and entailing the loss of at least one life. The fire originated in the basement of the Polletier Dry Goods Co. A strong wind was blowing and the fire soon spread to the adjoining buildings. For several hours it was believed that the whole business section of the city would be burned. Omaha, Council Bluffs and other nearby cities sent fire fighting apparatus, but the fire was under control when they arrived. The two blocks swept over by the flames are bounded by Pierce and Jackson and Third and Fourth sts. Within this territory the only buildings saved were the Northwestern National Bank on Fourth and Pierce streets, and the Tribune Building on Pierce, near Third.

CHANGE OF VENUE.

Cases Growing Out of Strike Troubles Transferred to Douglas County.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 24.—The Teller county cases against Chas. H. Moyer and other officers of the Western Federation of Miners growing out of the strike troubles in the Cripple Creek district have been transferred to Douglas county for trial by order of Judge Lewis W. Cunningham, before whom the motion for change of venue was argued in chambers here. The reason for the action of the Judge is that he believed a fair trial could not be had in Teller county. In passing judgment the court reviewed the labor troubles in the Cripple Creek district at considerable length.

UNION EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Splendid Crowds Attend and a Great Meeting Results.

The union revival services received a wonderful impetus last night by the conversion of a large number of men and women. There were fifteen adults at the altar for prayer and thirteen gave their names for church membership. Nearly all the churches in the city will receive additions through these services.

Evangelist Newsom preached a strong and stirring sermon, taking as his theme the "Judgment." "And the books were opened." He said that men should be judged not only for the sins they had committed in their own lives, but for the influence they had exerted over others. He gave a touching incident of his own early life, how he had led a young chum and companion into sin, and then when he himself was converted tried to take his chum with him, but he had led him too far, and the young man whom he helped to ruin died at last a ruined and unrepentant man. Mr. Newsom said that while he had made himself right with God and believed that God for Christ's

sake had forgiven his sins, he dreaded the judgment day when that young man should point his finger at him and say 'He helped to bring me here.'

Several of the most prominent men of Roswell went forward for prayer and gave their names for church membership.

The services will be continued through the coming week. Tomorrow the Evangelist will preach a sermon especially to young men and young women, taking as his theme, "Ideals." The division of his sermon will be: Education, Vocation, Marriage. The sermon will be given at the 8 o'clock in the Methodist church. Services will be held at both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches at the morning hour, and a union service at 7:00 at night in the Methodist church. The Evangelist will preach at the Methodist church both morning and night. Dr. Lukens will occupy his own pulpit at the Presbyterian church.

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ANOTHER BOX EXAMINED.

Handwriting Expert Submits Report to Colorado Supreme Court.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 23.—L. M. Hanna, the handwriting expert, submitted to the supreme court today his report on the ballots in the box from Precinct 12, Ward 3, this city, which was opened yesterday by order of the supreme court in the contempt proceedings against Clarence Dixon, one of the clerks at the November election. Hanna reported that of 311 ballots in the box 135 were written by five persons. The heading "Democratic" on 102 ballots, he said was written by one person, and sixteen Republican, ten Democratic and several Socialist ballots were written by four persons. At least 81 ballots were so folded that it was evident they could not have been placed in the box through the aperture in the top used by the voters. The expert also noted that while there were 99 Republican ballots in the box the poll book gave the number cast as 63. Warrants were issued against five men for contempt of court in this precinct.

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A SECOND PENTECOST.

The Greatest Meeting of the Revival Held Last Night.

At the Methodist church last evening Evangelist Newsom again preached to a full house. His subject was the "Judgment" as recorded in the latter part of the twentieth chapter of Revelation.

His sermon was a powerful one, and brought tears to the eyes of many. When the invitation to come to the altar for prayer was given about fifteen persons came. Among them was a very prominent man and his daughter, a business man of the town, and several young men and women. The sight was a grand one.

At the Book Store all the latest books. The Payton Drug Company.

Fine Office Building.

The new office building just east of the Payton Drug Store on East Third street is completed and ready for use. The building is of artificial stone and contains three large rooms. The west room is to be the office of the Clerk, the middle room is Judge Pope's private office and already contains the Judge's large library. The other room is for holding court in chambers when district court is not in session.

Wanted at Once.

Bids for cleaning the Pierce, Ballard and Cunningham ditch, by the mile. See Arthur J. Stevens. 4t

Nice crisp lettuce for sale at the Alameda Green House. 3t

HELP

WANTED

THE PHILIPPINES AGAIN DEMAND THE ATTENTION OF UNCLE SAM.

ANOTHER REVOLT

The Pulajones in Samar are Again on the War Path.—A Score or More Scouts Killed.—The Bodies are Badly Mutilated.—Lieut. Abbott Requests Military Aid.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—The war department was officially advised today by General Corbin, commanding the department of the Philippines, of an uprising in Samar, in which one lieutenant and a number of enlisted men of the Philippine scouts were killed. The cablegram is as follows: "The Pulajones are on the war path in Samar in considerable numbers, as may be judged from the following facts: On Nov. 10th, about 400 Pulajons and several hundred volunteers joined in an attack on a detachment of twenty Philippine scouts at Oris, Samar, and killed one hospital corps man, and wounded twelve Philippine scouts. Five are also missing and said to have been boated while in the river. All the bodies were badly mutilated. Again on Dec. 14, Second Lieut. Stephen K. Hayt and 37 enlisted men of the 39th company of Philippine scouts were killed by Pulajons at Dolores. First Lieut. Geo. F. Abbott requests help from the military authorities. The town is threatened by a thousand Pulajons. The situation is considered critical. I offered the Philippine government all the assistance desired. As yet none has been accepted."

Lieut. Stephen K. Hayt of the Philippine scouts who was killed yesterday at Dolores, was born in New Mexico in 1880 Prior to his appointment as second lieutenant in the Philippine scouts, in August, 1903, he was sergeant in Company A Ninth Infantry.

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THREE MORE SENTENCED.

Cases From Eight Other Precincts Still to Be Tried.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 24.—Three more election officials were sent to jail by the supreme court today for contempt, making a total of thirty who have been sentenced for violation of the court's injunction order issued prior to the November election. Isaac Goldman and Edward Sweeney, judges in Precinct 2, Ward

4, Denver, were sentenced to serve four months in jail and pay a fine of \$100 and costs each. The court declared that they had knowingly and wilfully permitted repeating. C. P. Dixon, clerk in Precinct 13, Ward 3, was sentenced to jail for four months and fined \$250 and costs. There remains on the docket contempt cases from eight other precincts, but they will not be tried until after the holidays.

Finest line of Rockers and Dining Chairs ever shown in the city at Dilley & Son.

A HIGH COMPLIMENT.

Rev. C. C. Hill of This City Elected Grand Master of the Missouri I. O. O. F.

Rev. C. C. Hill, pastor of the Christian church of this city, has just received word that he has been elected Grand Master of the I. O. O. F. of the state of Missouri. For the past year Mr. Hill has been Deputy Grand Master of the state, but on account of ill health was compelled to come to New Mexico. Having left the state this recent promotion to the highest office in the gift of the Odd Fellows of his state comes to him as a most gratifying surprise.

The Odd Fellows' lodge is the strongest fraternal association in the state of Missouri, numbering more than 50,000 members. The office of Grand Master carries with it a salary of \$1,200, and a paid secretary to assist in the clerical work.

The Record sincerely congratulates Rev. Hill on this high honor.

A new mattress at Dilley & Son superior to any thing ever put on the market for the money. Call and see them.

LEAVING MOROCCO.

British Subjects Instructed to Depart.—Other Nations May Likewise Instruct Subjects.

Tangier, Morocco, Dec. 24.—The British minister has instructed the British consul and all British subjects to leave Fez. It is believed all other legations will similarly instruct the people of their nationalities.

SUIT FILED.

City Attorney Has Filed a Suit Against the Lea-Cunningham Ditch Company.

Yesterday City Attorney Patton in the name of the City of Roswell filed a suit in the district court against the Lea-Cunningham ditch owners, praying for an injunction against this Company from using their ditch through the city until it is tiled, cemented or otherwise put in a sanitary condition. The Company now has twenty days in which to answer. When answered the issue will be made and the court will probably appoint a referee to take testimony in the case.

This is a case which will be watched with much interest by all citizens.

Lowney's Fine Chocolates, from one-half to five pounds. The Payton Drug Co.

The district court adjourned today, and Judge Pope leaves on the evening train for Carlsbad where he will address the citizens tomorrow. The Judge then goes to Santa Fe where the Supreme Court opens January 4.

TOGO

REPORTS

TELLS OF THE PROGRESS THE JAPS HAVE MADE AT PORT ARTHUR.

THE DEADLY WORK

The Sevastopol Will Soon Be a Total Wreck.—The Torpedo Flotilla Has Accomplished a Gallant Task.—Russia Will Abolish the Passport System.

Tokio, Dec. 24.—Admiral Togo has announced the withdrawal of the majority of the vessels of the fleet from Port Arthur.

Admiral Togo, telegraphing under date of December 22, says: "After 203 Metre Hill was occupied as the result of a gallant and desperate attack by the besieging army, the bombardment of the enemy's squadron by siege and other heavy guns became effective. In consequence the battle ships Poltava and Retvizan were sunk, and subsequently the battle ships Pobieda and Peresviet, the protected cruiser Bayan were sunk."

"The battle ship Sevastopol escaped from the land bombardment, left the harbor Dec. 9 and anchored near Chentao mountain. She was attacked continuously by our torpedo boats and heavily damaged. The main strength of the enemy's fleet is completely crushed. Only one weak gunboat, the Otavshnyi and several torpedo boat destroyers remain afloat. Under the circumstances our combined fleet has been removed as unnecessary for the blockade of Port Arthur which has been maintained since May first. I have arranged for a closer watch of ships attempting to run the blockade and to watch the remnant of the enemy's squadron."

The Japanese forces besieging Port Arthur yesterday stormed and now hold the heights of Honyangshukou. Prisoners captured by the Japanese report that the Russian General Kondratenko and another general officer whose name is not known have been killed, and that General Fock is among the wounded.

An imperial rescript dispatched to Vice Admiral Togo says: "We hear with satisfaction that our torpedo flotillas engaged in the work required of them at Port Arthur have gallantly and successfully accomplished the duties required of them and in so doing had to brave the dangers of a storm of shells by day and night. Despite all difficulties confronting them they have succeeded in performing their duties without the least confusion, rendering one another mutual assistance. We especially note their brave and loyal performance of the duties required of them and express our approbation of their gallant behavior."

A dispatch from the headquarters of the Japanese army in Manchuria says: "On December 22nd the enemy's artillery bombarded Sanchutza Naingluntun and vicinity, and at about midnight his infantry attacked our positions south of Pinnulpaou on the northeastern heights, but were repulsed. At one o'clock in the afternoon of Dec. 23 the enemy's heavy guns in the neighborhood of Taku-thiazu occasionally bombarded our positions."

The Japanese navy department declines to discuss the formation, the movements or plans of the Japanese flying squadron reported to be in the vicinity of Singapore.

LATER.—The advanced Japanese batteries at Port Arthur have succeeded in reaching the Russian battle ship Sevastopol. One successful hit is reported. It is expected that the

Sevastopol will soon be completely destroyed.

May Abolish Passport System.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 24.—The Associated Press can announce that Russia is on the eve of abolishing the passport system. The matter has already been decided upon in principle by a commission which is investigating. This is one of the solid reforms resulting from the administration of the new Interior Minister Mirsky.

NO PAPER MONDAY.

As the business houses of Roswell will generally be closed Monday, and the Christmas holiday observed, The Record will likewise observe the day, and no paper will be issued from this office Monday.

Dilley & Son have the largest, finest and most complete stock of furniture ever shown in Roswell. The amount of goods handled during the last thirty days is proof of the statement.

To-Night.

At the Christian church tonight an appropriate literary program will be carried out by the children of the Sunday school, and a generous treat will be given to each pupil. The church will be tastefully decorated, but there will be no tree. The officers and teachers preferred to make their treat to the children larger by saving the expense of a tree, and at the same time have each pupil, rich or poor, receive the same treatment. Friends and patrons of the Sunday school invited.

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The Preacher is Happy.

We wish to express through the columns of The Record, our sincere thanks for the generous "pounding" given us by the members of the Christian church yesterday afternoon. Our parlor is filled to overflowing with good things, and all the Hills, little and big, are filled with happiness and good cheer. Again thanking you one and all and wishing you a merry Christmas, we are. Yours to serve.

MR. AND MRS. C. C. HILL.

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Miss Mary A. Williams of Denver has been in Roswell the past two days receiving contributions for the support of the "Home League" Organization of Denver, which she is representing. Roswell already has one representative in the orphanage, and in the future more children may be sent there from here.

See Clem, he has anything that you want in the electrical line. Phone 331. 3t

When you want Cement, either for plastering your house, or building that sidewalk, give us a call. KEMP LUMBER COMPANY, East Fourth street.

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Geese, ducks and chickens for sale at the Sacramento Meat Market, one-half block west of postoffice. 2t

Mr. Herbert Hagerman is a Roswell visitor today.



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H. F. M. BEAR, Editor.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Constable for Precinct No. 1 of Chaves county, New Mexico, subject to the decision of the voters at the election to be held Monday, January 9th, 1905.
 CAL MILLER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace in Precinct No. 7, Chaves county, New Mexico, subject to the decision of the voters at the regular election January 9th 1905.
 J. B. BAILEY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Constable for Precinct No. 1 of Chaves county, New Mexico, subject to the decision of the voters at the election to be held Monday, January 9th, 1905.
 J. H. TAYLOR.

A merry Christmas.
 The Compliments of the season.

"Peace on earth and good will to men."

A merchant's paradise is where every week is Christmas week.

These Christmas times bring out the best that there is in humanity.

Make the Commercial Club a present by sending in your initiation fee.

What a dull time children must have had before Santa Claus was born.

The Lord loves a cheerful giver, so does the man of whom you buy the gift.

"How different is Christmas weather in the Pecos Valley compared with that in many parts of our Union"

It is during such a week as this that the Salvation Army furnishes a most excellent raison d'etre as the French would say.

When the Globe-Democrat devotes about a half column of its valuable space to our Roswell Committee, it shows that the committee is doing business.

People who have been so interested in the Nan Patterson case, now that it is concluded, can fix their sensational attention on the mysterious Colorado Springs murder.

The senate will get busy with the joint statehood bill immediately after the Christmas issue, and then there will be something of interest transpiring in the two territories.

The Carlsbad Argus obedient as ever to the Santa Fe ring falls in line in opposition to the joint statehood bill even before the senate passes it. The New Mexican says, "Thumbs Up," and the Argus immediately proceeds to get its thick, stubby digit into a perpendicular position. If the New Mexican should ever take a big pinch of snuff there would be a tremendous sneeze down there in Carlsbad.

The coming year will be the most notable one in all the history of the Territory. Opportunity will give a long loud knock at the door of New

Mexico during the year of 1905. There should be a speedy response to the sound, so that we may not have to listen to the clatter of hoofs as it gallops away—but the figure need not be carried farther. New Mexico will be alive to its opportunities in 1905.

As far as can be learned from the tone of the Territorial press, the business interests of New Mexico are almost solidly in favor of accepting joint statehood with Arizona.

Roswell has come into the race for the National Fraternal Sanitarium and has appointed a committee headed by the redoubtable Jerry Simpson to go to St. Louis and capture the institution.

The New Mexico Journal of Education will make its appearance January 1. Such a publication has an important mission to fulfill in unifying the educational interests of the Territory. The editors and publishers will be Jas. G. McNary and Chas. W. G. Ward. It will number among its regular contributors the leading educators of New Mexico.—Las Vegas Optic.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

M. E. Church, South.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., S. R. Twitty, pastor.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. J. P. Riley, superintendent.

Senior League, 6:30 p. m. G. G. Gilmore, president.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. J. T. Newsom. Subject, "Broadway Christianity."

3:00 p. m.—Special sermon to young people. Subject, "Choice of Ideals."

- 1.—In Education.
- 2.—In Vocation.
- 3.—In Marriage.

7:00 p. m.—Subject "Belshazzar's Doom."

Baptist Church.

Pastor C. C. Young announces a Christmas service for his congregation Sunday morning. The program is as follows:

Voluntary.
 Doxology and Invocation.
 Song.
 Scripture reading, prayer.
 Quartet, Messrs. Powell, Totten, French, Gammel.
 Collection by deacons.
 Solo, "Birthday of the King," Mrs. Chas. Joyce.
 Sermon, "The Christ, Whose Son is He?"

Catholic Church Services.

Christmas day services in the Chapel, southeast corner Main and Deming streets, South Roswell.

Three holy masses will be celebrated, the first at 7:30 a. m.; the second at 9:30 a. m., and not as usual at 10 o'clock. Benediction will be given after the mass at 9:30. Third mass immediately after the Benediction.

The celebration of First Holy Communion will take place during the service at 9:30. Sermon by Rev. Herbert during the mass.

High mass at 9:30 will be sung by

the following ladies: Mrs. M. D. Burns, solo; "Qui Tollis", Mrs. E. A. Lewis, Mrs. Wm. Dooley, Mrs. J. A. Cain, Mrs. G. Mooney; violin accompaniment by Miss Eva Nelson and Mr. John A. Cain.

Solo by Miss Eva Nelson, selected. Mrs. J. M. Nelson will preside at the organ during the services. A hearty welcome.

REV. HERBERT.

First M. E. Church.

Services every Sunday in the Odd Fellows' Hall, the first stairway south of the Grand Central Hotel.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.

11:00 a. m.—Sermon

6:00 p. m.—Epworth League.

7:00 p. m.—Sermon.

The pastor will preach a Christmas sermon in the morning. Subject, "The Angelic Anthem."

Special music will be rendered and a good service is anticipated.

We wish also to say that Santa Claus will visit us at the Odd Fellows' Hall tonight and will bring with him a plum pie, and all the boys and girls can have a plum.

WM. REACE, Pastor.

At the Christian Church.

You are most cordially invited to worship with us tomorrow morning, and enjoy the Christmas service that we hope to make attractive and helpful to all.

Sunday school, 9:40 a. m.

Morning Program.

Doxology.
 Hymn, "Joy to the World."
 Communion. Offertory.

Song, "Ring Out Chiming Bells."
 Reading scripture lesson, Luke 2:1-20.

Hymn, "O Glad Whosoever."
 Prayer.

Solo, Mrs. J. E. McClane, "The Birthday of a King."

Closing hymn, "Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling."

Benediction.

Sunday Evening.

Christian Endeavor 6 p. m.

Preaching at 7. Theme, "A Bright Light. Remember you are welcome."

C. C. HILL, Minister.

Presbyterian Church

The regular services will be held tomorrow, Sunday, morning at the Presbyterian church. The services will begin at a quarter to eleven o'clock and close promptly at 12 o'clock.

Members will be received into the church by letter and on confession of faith, and baptism administered. This Sunday being Christmas day, the pastor considers it especially appropriate to observe the communion of the Lord's Supper, and to give ourselves as a Christmas present to the Master for his service. The Union Revival services will be held at the Methodist church Sunday night.

DR. C. E. LUKENS, Pastor.

FARMERS:—We have 1x6 rough fencing, stays, posts, pickets, and trough stuff. Now is the time to make improvements on the ranch.—**KEMP LUMBER COMPANY, East Fourth Street.**

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BOOMS NEW STAMPING GROUND.

Former "Sockless" Statesman Seeks Fraternal Sanitarium for New Mexico.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

At a meeting of the officers of the National Fraternal Sanitarium held at the central office, in the Chemical building, yesterday, a committee from Roswell, N. M., composed of Jerry Simpson, Dr. J. W. Kinsinger and H. R. Morrow, was heard. Roswell is competing for the proposed sanitarium. Others are Santa Fe, Raton, Pecos, Deming, Las Vegas, Hudson Hot Springs, Watrous, Albuquerque and Springer. The town of Deming offers a tract of 5,000 acres if the sanitarium is located there.

An organized movement to establish a home for lodge members who may contract consumption has been carried on in St. Louis for the past two years. The officers of the association are: President, W. R. Eldson; first vice president, Judge Noah M. Givan; second vice president, Dr. A. H. Warner; third vice president, Dr. W. H. Mayfield; secretary of the religious department, M. P. Moody; general secretary, Charles F. Hatfield; treasurer, August Schlafley. Among the board of managers are Mayor Rolla Wells and E. G. Lewis. The late R. M. Scruggs was also a member.

The board of managers of the sanitarium association were directors of the Temple of Fraternity at the World's Fair. They propose to give the building for a sanitarium as soon as a town is selected in which to locate it. It would be used as the administration building for the consumptive colony.

Plan to Enlarge Accommodations.

The present plan is to have accommodations for 1,000 or 1,500 people at first, and enlarge as fast as required. The sanitarium is to be supported by the National Fraternal Congress and the associated fraternities of America. These organizations include fifty-six separate fraternities, with a combined membership of 8,130,000. A tax of one cent a year from every member of the orders will be asked for the support of the institution. Any member of any of the fifty-six fraternal organizations who may contract tuberculosis will be kept there until cured.

The officers of the association were favorably impressed by the proposition made by the committee of Roswell, but no definite action will be taken until after the meeting of the board of managers, which will be held here January 5, when a committee will be appointed to go to New Mexico and investigate the claims of each town that has asked for the sanitarium.

Former Famous Congressman.

Jerry Simpson, former congressman from Kansas, famed as "Sockless Jerry," who arrived in the city yesterday as a member of the committee from the Commercial Club of Roswell, N. M., to persuade the directors of the proposed National Fraternal Sanitarium for Consumptives that Roswell was the best place in which to locate the sanitarium, has many strong arguments. Mr. Simpson is well past middle age. He acquired the title "Sockless Jerry" in the early days of Populism, while running for congress in the "short grass country," the 7th district of Kansas. He referred to his opponent as "a silk stocking politician," when the Hutchinson (Kan.) News started the story that Simpson wore no socks. The title stuck to him and he credits it with not only winning two elections for him, but also gaining the recognition for him in congress where he was a conspicuous figure during the two terms he held the office.

Mr. Simpson now devotes all the energy he formerly employed in denouncing the "great red dragon of Lombard street" and the "Wall Street octopus," in booming the Pecos Valley of New Mexico. Two years ago he toured the country with an exhibition car of products from the Valley. He brought a grip full of pictures and literature concerning the town of Roswell.

Lands of all kinds in the Pecos Valley from Roswell to Lakewood.—**J. T. Carlton, Room 12 Oklahoma bldg.**

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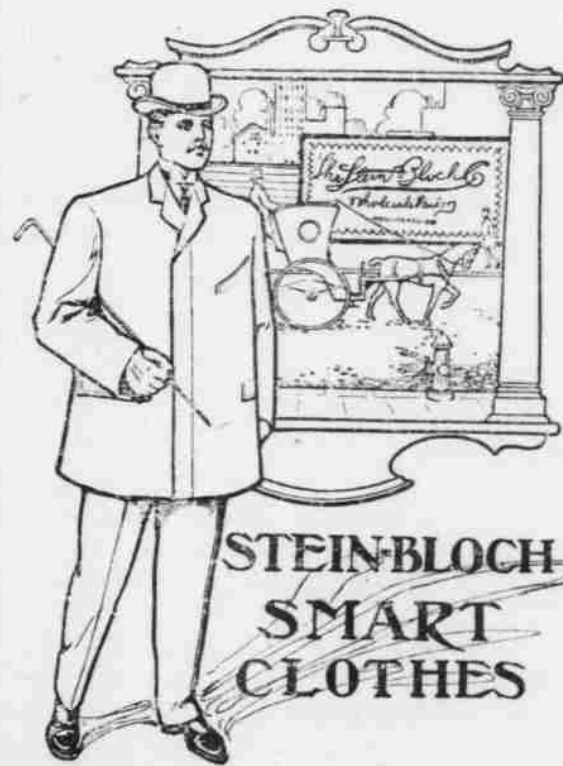
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Genl. Pass. Agt.,
Fort Worth, Texas.

The World's Record

Less than a year old, The Southwest Limited has become the preferred train for first-class travelers between Kansas City and Chicago. Every car on this train is owned and operated by the

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Compartment-observation sleepers, standard sleepers, dining cars, chair cars and coaches were all built expressly for The Southwest Limited, and are without equal in beauty and comfort.

Leave Kansas City, Union Station, 5:55 p. m.; Grand Avenue, 6:07 p. m. Arrive Chicago, Union Station, 8:55 a. m. in time for trains to the north and east, or for the day's business.

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Do You Take Quinine?

It's 10 to 1 you do if you are a victim of malaria.

Don't Do It. It's Dangerous.

We'll admit it will cure malaria, but it leaves almost deadly after effects.

HERBINE

is purely vegetable and absolutely guaranteed to cure malaria, sick headache, biliousness, and all stomach, kidney and liver complaints.

TRY IT TO-DAY.

50 Cents a Bottle. All Druggists.

For Sale by Pecos Valley Drug Co.

We often refer to the doctors. Why?

Because we make medicines for them. We give them the formula for Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and they prescribe it for coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption. We trust them; they trust us. Ask your own doctor about taking this medicine.

Record Want Ads. Quick Results. Try One.

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On 200 acres of land near Artesia for sale.

Price \$600.

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Come Down to the Artesia Country

Government Lands, Assignments and Relinquishments, \$2 to \$100 per Acre

Deeded Lands, with or without water, Alfalfa Land, Orchard Land, Town Lots.

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Office Hours: 9 to 12 a. m. Office: Oklahoma Block.
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Office Over Roswell National Bank
Special attention paid Pyorrhea (loose teeth) and Orthodontia (irregular teeth) cases. Phone 146. Residence Phone 353.

Pecos Valley Employment Agency

101 N. Main St. Phone 4.
Work Found for Those Who Want Work. Help Found for Those Who Want Help.

L. E. STEIN, Agt.

Railroad Time Table.

(Railroad Time.)

SOUTH BOUND.

Arrive, daily..... 4:50 P. M.

Depart, daily..... 5:10 P. M.

NORTH BOUND.

Arrive, daily..... 11:00 A. M.

Depart, daily..... 11:20 A. M.

M. D. BURNS,
Agent.

MAILS CLOSE.

(Local Time.)

Mails for the North Bound

Train Close at..... 9:50 A. M.

Mails for the South Bound

Train Close at..... 2:50 P. M.

Correct Clothes for Men

I have done with fine clothes; but I will have my plain clothes fit me, and made like other people's.

—Lord Chesterfield to his son.

Your clothes must fit you perfectly, and be in perfect taste, if they bear this label

Alfred Benjamin & Co MAKERS * NEW YORK

Equal to fine custom-made in all but price. The makers' guarantee, and ours, with every garment. We are Exclusive Agents in this city.

Morrison Bros. Roswell, New Mexico

We Lead Others Follow.

Having the best equipped printing establishment in the Pecos Valley we turn out the best work. No job is too big for us to handle. Using typesetting machines we are enabled to handle orders involving much type setting in shorter time than any other office in the Pecos Valley. The best work at the fairest prices.

The Record Job Office, For Sale

Pure Jersey Milk, Butter-milk, Butter and Cream.

I also have for Sale Jersey Cows.

F. L. HILL

North End of Washington Ave.

Look Here!

When all our manufactured oldest roofing is sold for delivery in the beginning of the New Year, we beg all honored consumers of our roof shingles to give orders at least sixty days before delivery. This is necessary to receive the hardest and driest shingles.

Roswell Cement Roof Factory

Sidewalks!

When you need them get the best. Clair has 14 years experience Chicago, Philadelphia and towns of like size. All work guaranteed. Best material.

Clair & Pettey,

Postoffice Box 531.

Weak Hearts

Are due to indigestion. Ninety-nine of every one hundred people who have heart trouble can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of heart disease, not organic, are not only traceable to, but are the direct result of indigestion. All food taken into the stomach which fails of perfect digestion ferments and swells the stomach, puffing it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that delicate but vital organ becomes diseased.

Mr. D. Kauble, of Nevada, O., says: "I had stomach trouble and was in a bad state as I had heart trouble with it. I took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for about four months and it cured me."

Kodol Digests What You Eat and relieves the stomach of all nervous strain and the heart of all pressure.

Bottles only. \$1.00 Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which sells for 50c.

Prepared by E. C. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO.

Sale by Pecos Valley Drug Co

Heart Fluttering. Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart, presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right. 50c. Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Nice room for two gentlemen or man and wife with board. Phone 133. Mrs. Cravens, Corner First and Richardson.

Notice of Sale by Mortgagee.

Whereas Mary J. Brown and Samuel H. Brown, her husband, of Chaves county and Territory of New Mexico, by mortgage deed dated the 7th day of December, A. D. 1901, and duly recorded in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder of Deeds of Chaves county and Territory of New Mexico in book P. of the Records of Mortgages of said county on page 107, did grant, bargain, sell and convey unto me, the undersigned, I. B. Rose, as mortgagee the land and premises hereinafter described, to secure the payment of one certain promissory note of even date therewith, and particularly described in said mortgage deed, said note being for the sum of \$300.00, upon which there has been paid the sum of \$133.00 leaving a balance due and unpaid of \$167.00 and interest.

Now, therefore, default having been made in the payment on balance still due on said promissory note and interest thereon, public notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of the provisions of said mortgage deed, and by virtue of the power and authority granted to me in and by the same, I shall, on Thursday, the 29th day of December, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Roswell, county of Chaves and Territory of New Mexico, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the premises described in said mortgage deed as Lots number two (2), four (4), and six (6), in Block number nineteen (19), South Roswell, New Mexico, as the same appears upon the official plat thereof, and will execute to the purchaser or purchasers thereof a good and sufficient deed of conveyance.

I. B. ROSE, Mortgagee.
This 26th day of November, 1904.

Notice.

Pancha S. Ernander, Plaintiff, vs. Torildolliedo Ernander, Defendant. Suit No. 620 for Divorce.

The Defendant, Torildolliedo Ernander, in the above entitled cause take notice that Pancha S. Ernander, Plaintiff in said cause has brought suit against you, the said Defendant in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico, in and for Chaves county for an absolute divorce, dissolving the bonds of matrimony between her and you. The said Defendant charges you with abandonment and failure to support Plaintiff.

Unless you, the said Defendant make your appearance on or before the 9th day of January, 1905, judgment will be entered against you by default.

Plaintiff's attorney, J. T. Evans, Roswell, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 19th day of November, 1904.

C. M. BIRD,

(SEAL) Clerk.

"I was much afflicted with sciatica" writes Ed C. Nud, Iowaville, Sedgwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50 cent bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons; all express themselves as being benefited by it, I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c, 50c and \$1.00.—Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Holiday Excursions.

On Dec. 20, 21, 22 and 26, 1904, the Pecos System will sell tickets to a great many points in Arkansas, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska and points in the southeast at the rate of one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip with limit of 30 days for return. Round trip tickets will be sold to local points on Dec. 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1 at greatly reduced rates.

Rate of one and one-tenth fare for the round trip will be in effect on sale Dec. 23, 24, 25, 26 and 31, limited to January 4.

M. D. BURNS, Agent.

RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S.

Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Ashburnham, Ont., April 18, 1903.—I think it is only right that I should tell you what a wonderful effect Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has produced. The day before Easter I was so distressed with a cold and cough that I did not think to be able to take any duties the next day, as my voice was almost choked by the cough. The same day I received an order from you for a bottle of your cough remedy. I at once procured a sample bottle, and took about three doses of the medicine. To my great relief the cough and cold had completely disappeared and I was able to preach three times on Easter day. I know that this rapid and effective cure was due to your Cough Remedy. I make this testimonial without solicitation, being thankful to have found such a God-sent remedy. Respectfully yours,

E. A. LANGFELDT, M. A.

Rector of St. Luke's Church.

To Chamberlain Medicine Co. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Notice.

We have on hand copies of the "Woman's Edition" of the Roswell Daily Record. We will mail a copy to any address on receipt of ten cents. The paper contains the history of Roswell and surrounding country, what Roswell is now commercially and socially and the prospects for Roswell. Any person desiring information in regard to Roswell can secure same by purchasing a copy of the "Woman's Edition."

Head About to Burst From Severe Bilious Attack.

"I had a severe bilious attack and felt like my head was about to burst when I got hold of a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I took a dose of them after supper and the next day felt like a new man, and have been feeling happy ever since," says Mr. J. W. Smith of Jullif, Texas. For biliousness, stomach troubles and constipation these Tablets have no equal. Price 25 cts. For sale by all druggists.

Excursion.

National Live Stock Association and National Wool Growers' Association, Denver, Colo., January 10th. Rate from Roswell \$25.10 for the round trip. Tickets on sale Jan. 7, 8 and 9. Final limit for return January 31.

M. D. BURNS, Agent.

Be Quick!

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given us soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

HOLIDAY RATES VIA ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM.

Rate of one fare plus two dollars for round trip, limited thirty days, will be in effect December 20, 21, 22 and 26, to points in Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois, Tennessee, Kentucky, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Florida, North and South Carolina.

To Oklahoma and Indian Territory the rate will be one fare plus fifty cents, selling December 24, 25 and 31 and January 1st, limit January 4.

I trust that this photograph, now locally in Texas, rate will be on convention basis, one and one-third fare for short distances and one fare plus ten per cent to points beyond one hundred miles, selling December 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, January 1, limit January 4th. See local agent or write General Passenger Agent Phil A. Auer, Fort Worth, Texas, who will advise regarding train service, changes, schedules, etc.

Bilious Colic Prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by all druggists.

To Every Home in Roswell and Vicinity

We wish to be remembered to you and yours, and to have you accept our very best wishes for a

Merry Christmas.

Morrison Bros.

P. S.—For the convenience of our friends and patrons our store will be open tonight till 11 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS.

Col. Elliott of Dexter is in town today.

Grape Champagne, the best drink in town. 3t

Remember Phone 532. Big Second Hand Store.

See the new Crescent bicycles at Echols' shop.

Bring Gamble & Kirby's Grape Champagne.

G. N. Amls returned home on the morning train.

New pianos from \$130.00 up.—Pecos Valley Music Co.

FOR SALE.—Tickets to a town near Chicago. Record office.

FOR SALE.—A ticket to Colorado Springs. 'B.' Record office.

S. R. Slocum of Pueblo, Colorado, arrived in the city last night.

FOR SALE.—Ticket to Colorado Springs. Address "S" Record.

FOR RENT.—A three room cottage. Inquire of Dr. E. H. Skipwith.

If you want to buy stock hogs, see the Diamond Ice and Packing Co.

FOR SALE.—Tickets to Chicago and Oklahoma City. "A" Record office.

Miss Maud Keller is recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Daniels came up from Lake Arthur this morning.

FOR SALE.—One 3 1/4 inch Shuttler wagon. Apply at Record office. 3t

P. K. Thayer and wife, of Chicago, are stopping at the Grand Central

W. L. Anderson, live stock agent of the Frisco railroad, is in the city.

FOR SALE.—Lady's ticket to a town near Kansas City. "A" Record of fice.

Pile driving and anything in the structural line done by Murray & Sanger.

Call at Zink's Jewelry Store and buy a High Grade Piano at one-third the usual price.

FOR SALE.—A gentle riding horse and buggy horse. Inquire of Dr. E. H. Skipwith.

FOR SALE.—Fine mountain hack. W. P. McClenney, 3 miles east on Second street. 48t6*

Treat your family to a case of Gamble & Kirby's Grape Champagne for Christmas dinner. 3t

Free Public Reading Room and Library, corner Second street and Pennsylvania avenue. 40tf

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Kenney left on the morning train for Childers, Texas to spend Christmas.

A fine line of piano stools and scarfs just received.—Pecos Valley Music Co., at Zink's Jewelry store.

The Diamond Ice and Packing Co. has a fine lot of stock hogs for sale. If you want some good hogs see them

Miss Dillard, who recently resigned her position in the public schools, left on the morning train for Brownwood, Texas.

Bud Wilson, who was thrown from his buggy on Wednesday evening and was unconscious for some time, is better to-day.

Mr. A. Drumm and B. F. Dotheridge, of the Drumm-Plato Commission Co. of Kansas City are stopping at the Grand Central.

Make your little boy or girl happy, healthy and strong by getting a Crescent bicycle for Christmas. See them at Echols' shop.

WANTED.—Nice girl for dining-room and housework. White girl preferred. Apply to Mrs. Bennett, Hobson-Lowe building.

FOR SALE.—A hand-made phaeton, steel frame, rubber tires, good as new. This is a high grade vehicle. Apply at Record office.

FOR RENT.—The fourteen room boarding house at the corner of Main and 7th. A snap for the right parties. Inquire at Record office.

The man who gives time, energy and money to the public good has all these returned to him many fold. So he who contributes nothing to the public weal, generally receives as little for his selfish gratification.

120 tons of alfalfa for sale at \$10 per ton in stack. 60 tons of stock beets for sale at \$5.00 per ton. Call at Leland farm, 2 1/2 miles east of Roswell. 48t6*

The equipment for Company B has arrived, and the uniforms, shirts and leggins were issued to the boys last night at the armory in the Oklahoma Block.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the exercises at the First Methodist Church, South, on Christmas eve, at 7 o'clock. Watch for the Star of Bethlehem.

M. F. Loveless came in yesterday from the sheep camp eighty miles north of Roswell. He reports high winds and cold weather. The sheep are fat and doing well.

There will be a meeting of the Ministers' Alliance at the Methodist pastor's study, Monday, at 9:30 p. m. An important meeting. All ministers of the city cordially invited.

Christmas exercises will be held in the Methodist church, South, this evening at 7 o'clock. An interesting program will be rendered. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Esther Elizabeth English and Miss Ruby Clements arrived on last evening's train from Weatherford, Texas, to spend the holidays in Roswell. Miss English is formerly of Boston.

60 acres of fine land near town, one-half in alfalfa; some orchard; good artesian well. Can sell this property so the investment will pay 25 per cent income.—J. T. Carlton, room 12, Oklahoma Block.

If you need a spark guard, grate, mantel, or a set of tiling for the hearth you will be pleased with our stock. No trouble to show you.—KEMP LUMBER COMPANY, East Fourth Street.

When you want a pleasant purgative try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no nausea, griping or other disagreeable effect. For sale by all druggists.

A. S. Merriett of the Metropolitan Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago left last evening for Carlsbad. Mr. Merriett has traveled extensively among the cannibals of the South Pacific and collected many curios. He is well pleased with his visit to the Pecos Valley.

Jeff Davis who was convicted of a misdemeanor at the last term of court and was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail and to pay a fine of fifty dollars and costs, has had his fine and costs remitted by the governor upon the recommendations of Judge Pope and District attorney Hervey.

The Presbyterian church will have its Christmas exercises for the Sunday School to-night at 7 o'clock. A fine program is arranged and Santa Claus will be there with gifts of candy and oranges for the children. The church will be appropriately decorated. A cordial invitation is given to attend. Children without a Sunday School home are welcome.

The following cadets from the Military Institute have gone home for Christmas: G. H. Hutchins, Carlsbad; J. M. Fall, El Paso; E. W. Bertner, Colorado City, Texas; L. Culbertson, and G. Wilson, Kansas; W. E. Talbert, Cleburne, Texas; L. F. Kuchinbecher, Gallup, N. M.; H. B. Blake, Hereford, Texas; Jack Stewart, Tucumcari, N. M.; E. D. Grimes, Chicago; Chas. Allen, Hagerman.

Remember the sermon to young men and women at the Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Evangelist Newsom will say things that will be worth hearing. The theme of his sermon will be "Ideals," and he will speak on Education, Vocation and Marriage. Every young man and woman in the city should hear this sermon.

Tom Campbell's Bad Luck. Tom Campbell had a streak of bad luck. He was just about to step into his new \$10,000 automobile the other night when the bed slats gave way and he awoke. Though he can only ride autos in his sleep, he is still the swiftest merchant tailor.

Pasture for Horses. Have fine alfalfa pasture for horses during the winter. Also 160 acres of salt and gramma grass in the same pasture. Apply at Record office. tf

For Sale Cheap. A four-room house, good as new. To be torn down for lumber. Inquire at 210 South Kentucky.

Home Seekers. 160 acres deeded land in artesian belt, 6-room house, 30 acres fenced, 300 growing apple trees. Fine windmill and tank.—Paul C. Wilson Box 552. 52t3

Cheap Hondo lands a specialty.—J. T. Carlton.

A Popular Favorite

is old Santa. Because he is always making people happy. You can be your own Santa Claus if you wish. Make yourself a present of



A Bank Account.

All that is necessary are a few dollars and a call at the Citizens National Bank, which is ready to start your account at any time. It will be a wise and very serviceable present, which you will appreciate more every day.

Citizens National Bank, Corner 4th & Main Streets.

Diamond Rings, Diamond Pins, Diamond Studs,

In fact if you want's Diamond of any kind see

Park & Morrison Jewelers.

K. K. SCOTT, Attorney at Law.

Bixby Block. Roswell, N. M.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT.

Effort to Blow Up Newport Foundry With Dynamite Fails.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 24.—Another attempt was made during the night to blow up the Newport foundry and Machine Company's plant at Newport Kentucky. The entire building was shaken by the terrific explosion of dynamite. The dynamite was dropped near the fence, and consequently little damage was done. The explosion was heard all over the city.

NO DEFINITE DECISION.

President Considering Reduction in Membership of the Panama Canal Commission.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—President Roosevelt has given consideration recently to suggestions looking to a reduction in the membership of the Panama Canal Commission, but thus far has reached no definite decision. It has been suggested by some members of congress that the Commission is so large as to be unwieldy.

If you have got a house you want wired see C. A. Clem. He will do the work for you. Prices right and work strictly first-class. Office 416 Main. 3t

AN OLD DEBT PAID.

Colorado Man Gets \$3.55 the Government Owed Him for Forty Years.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 24.—Genu. Linus E. Sherman of this city, Past Department Commander of the G. A. R. for Colorado and Wyoming, today received a warrant for \$3.55 for a debt which the government has owed him for forty years. It was a war settlement warrant for his servant's clothing allowance for the month of March, 1865, which is paid as the result of claims upon which he received \$75 several years ago.

Mrs. M. D. Burns made the lucky guess for the lamp which was presented to the Salvation Army by Bernard Gansul. Her guess was that the lamp weighed 7 1/4 pounds. The weight of the lamp was 6 3/4 pounds.

A patent medicine vender has been entertaining crowds on the street today.

ALL OUR

Holiday Goods

This Evening at

HALF PRICE.

Price & Co

Phone 32.

Here Is The Chance For The Next 4 Days Only!

25 per cent. Discount in all Ladies and Childrens Cloaks. Ladies and Misses Skirts. All Mens', Boys and Childrens Clothing will go at 25 per cent. Discount.

THE FAMOUS

Store open until 9 p. m.

Looking For John.

If You Are Looking For John the Second Hand Man

I will be found at the Jack Porter Building after today, where we will open a Department Store. We have orders out for the largest shipment of

Racket Hardware, Queensware, Glassware, Tinware, Rugs, Curtains, Shades,

and many other things too numerous to mention ever shipped to Roswell. We have the rem-



nant of Dry Goods now in the building, and I will continue to buy and sell anything of value commonly kept in a second hand store. I will rent you furniture, sell on the pay a little at a time plan or exchange. Thanking you for past favors,

I remain as ever, yours to please,

JOHN DUFF,

Better known as Honest John, the Second Hand Man For The Department Store, Porter Building.

Christmas for the Poor.

The tent of the Salvation Army this morning looked like the commissary department of an army. The following is a list of articles being boxed for distribution:

Wagon load of clothing, eight sheep one beef, one pig, sixty chickens and turkeys, one hundred loaves of bread, seventy pounds of crackers, many boxes and barrels of apples and potatoes, celery, coffee, tea, butter, sugar and even candy. With these provisions, the Salvation Army expect to feed sixty three families of white people besides the Mexicans of Ragtown and Chinuhuahua.

Christmas coming on Sunday, the Salvation Army will give their Christmas dinner on Monday. Charging fifty cents to those feeling able to pay and free to those who do not.

Room and board \$5.00 per week for gentlemen. Mrs. Hall No. 200 S. Kentucky. 53t3

Prof. L. W. Martin and wife came up this morning from Artesia to spend Christmas with Mrs. Martin's parents, Dr. and Mrs. McClane.

Dr. T. E. Presley.

Specialist Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Will make calls anywhere in the city in acute cases where the patient cannot come to his office. Office in the Oklahoma Block.

JUST ARRIVED.

A shipment of Crescent Bicycles all sizes and prices from \$6.00 up at Echols shop.

Kaffir Corn at Last.

Come and get some for your chickens.—Roswell Produce & Seed Co.

FOR RENT.—Two nice furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 411 North Mo. 53t3*

A Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Neatherlin celebrated their golden wedding this week. A full account of this happy event will appear in The Record of Tuesday next.

Lost or Stolen.—Gun from saddle on horse. \$5.00 reward. Record of fice. 52t3*

HOTEL SHELBY

DECEMBER 25TH, 1904

MENU

Celery	Radishes
Baked Stuffed Turkey—Cranberry Sauce	
Baked Pork Ham with Apple Sauce	
Mashed Potatoes	French Peas
Chicken Salad	Sliced Cucumbers
Olives	Mixed Pickles
Pumpkin Pie	Mince Pie
Cocoanut Ice Cream	Assorted Cakes
Raisins and Assorted Nuts	
Wafers and Cheese	
Coffee,	Tea
Milk	Chocolate