

Before-Stock-Taking Sale Closes Saturday



Because of the limited time which we can devote to our Before-Stock-Taking Sale, reductions are unusually great. Every garment in stock is now at a reduced price. To illustrate the values, we mention

- All Furs at 1-3 off
- \$22.50 Coats . . . \$13.45
- 34.50 Suits . . . 16.85
- 20.00 Dresses . . . 11.85
- 29.50 Capes . . . 19.50
- 6.75 Skirts . . . 3.95
- 5.75 Silk Petticoats 3.95
- 5.00 Silk Kimonos 2.95
- 2.25 Waists . . . 1.50

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EL PASO - TEXAS

Facts About El Paso, Texas

El Paso has 35 miles of street car lines.
El Paso has 20 miles of Bituliphic paved streets.
El Paso city has an assessed valuation of \$30,000,000.
El Paso has eight railroads and a \$500,000 union passenger terminal.
El Paso has 25 mail carriers, and the postoffice receipts last year were \$108,000.
El Paso has never had a sunstroke, a panic, or a strike that tied up any industry.
El Paso is one of the most important ports of entry and export in the United States.
El Paso has the best lighted business district of any city in Texas. See for yourself tonight.
El Paso railroads handled 600,000 cars in the local yards last year and their payrolls aggregate \$3,000,000.
El Paso will invest \$2,500,000 in new buildings this year and invest \$2,500,000 more in improvements and industries.
El Paso has seven banks, four national and three state, with a combined capital of over \$2,000,000 and deposits of \$10,000,000.
El Paso has \$600,000 invested in school buildings and grounds, and \$25,000 in manual training and domestic science.
El Paso is the center of a tract of 225,000 acres of land that will be irrigated by a \$10,000,000 dam which the government is now building.
El Paso has three steam fire engines, five combination hose and chemical wagons, one automobile combination wagon and extension ladder truck.

CASTILLO IS NOT GUILTY, SAYS JURY

P. Castillo, charged with theft from the person, was acquitted by a jury in the 34th district court Tuesday noon. Augustin Acosta, the prosecuting witness, alleged Castillo held him up and robbed him of a watch and chain. Castillo's bond was recently declared forfeited but the forfeiture was set aside when he was again arrested.
The trial of Charles Blair Lynch, charged with forgery, was scheduled for hearing in the 34th district court Tuesday afternoon. Rio Grande bank clerks are the prosecuting witnesses.

PHOENIX TO HAVE NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 27.—Phoenix is to have a new high school building. Within the next three or four weeks the board of trustees expect to be in possession of the plans. Bonds to the sum of \$150,000 have already been approved. The work of perfecting the plans is in the hands of architect Norman F. Marsh, of Los Angeles.

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Life's Hope

I KNOW that when the dawn creeps o'er the sky
And wings her tender shafts far out to sea,
Each silver streak becomes a bridge whereby
I cross to thee.
I know that when th' impassioned Sun pours down
His jeweled rays upon the quivering sea,
No gem too royal find I for the crown
I make for thee.
I know that when the twilight calls to rest,
And the Sun, dying, sinks upon the sea,
So shall I find, at last, on thy dear breast,
Eternity.

BREAKING IT GENTLY.

SIMPKINS always was soft-hearted, and when it devolved upon him to break gently the news of Jones' drowning to the bereaved Mrs. Jones it cost him much paper, ink and perspiration before he sent the following:
"Dear Mrs. Jones: Your husband cannot come home to-day, because his bathing suit was washed away."
"P. S.: Poor Jones was inside the suit."

GAMBLING MACHINE IN JUAREZ IS LOOTED

A gambling slot machine in the B. & L. saloon at Ciudad Juarez was looted Monday of about \$10 in nickies. The machine holdup man made well his escape before the robbery was discovered.

LEAVES PHOENIX CHURCH.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 27.—Rev. Orville Coats, who for a number of years has served the First Baptist church of Phoenix as pastor, will become pastor of the Tenth Avenue Baptist church of Oakland, Cal.

BOY ON A BICYCLE COLLIDES WITH CAR

Urmel Holeman Sustains a Fractured Skull in Collision With Car.

As a result of a collision with a street car, Urmel Holeman, 8 years old, is in Hotel Dieu with the back of his skull slightly fractured. It was caused, it is thought, by his being struck on the head by the step of one of the new repayment cars, No. 42, running on the Arizona street line.

The accident occurred Monday when young Holeman, who was riding south on Kansas street, attempted to turn west on Mills street. The Arizona street car was almost across the street and Holeman is said to have struck the car about five feet from the front end. He was taken immediately to Hotel Dieu, where Dr. W. L. Brown removed the fractured piece of skull and dressed the scalp wound. The car was in charge of conductor Hill and motor-man Lyons.

Holeman is a son of J. T. Holeman, a G. H. machinist residing at 314 East Missouri street. He was accompanied by Will Hoover, son of a R. M. Hoover, assistant superintendent of the G. H. Young Hoover, turned east on Mills street, rather than attempting to follow Holeman.

GAMBLING FIESTA IN JUAREZ ENDED

Mayor Portillo Refuses to Grant Extension of Gambling Concession.

The festival of gambling in Juarez has closed. Negotiations for an extension of the general concession were pending, Sunday being the end of the allotted time. But mayor Portillo has refused to grant any more time for the games. Reports vary as to the proceeds of the month's gambling, but it is supposed that the gamblers have lost heavily owing to the large amount paid for the rights.
An apparent result of the scare in Ciudad Juarez Monday was the rushing of \$40,000 in United States currency from the gambling tables at the fiesta to the First National bank of El Paso. The money was carted over in great haste when it was learned that troops had set out to meet a supposed band of insurgents.

CORRAL REPORTED DYING OF CANCER

Rumor Revived That Reyes Will Come Home to Succeed Him.

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 27.—P. O. Saunders, here from Guadalajara, Mex., today said that Ramon Corral, vice president of the republic, is dying from cancer of the stomach, and that his death is a matter of but a short time. He says Gen. Bernardo Reyes will succeed Corral. Corral would be the next president of Mexico in case Diaz died before him.

In the event of the succession of Reyes to Corral's position, Reyes would be the next president. It is believed that the election of Reyes as vice president and the prospects of his accession to the presidency at the end of the Diaz rule, would pacify in a larger measure, the insurgents of the republic.

SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR LEE CHAPTER

Special entertainment is promised at the Thursday afternoon meeting of R. E. Lee chapter, U. D. C., to be held at Trinity Methodist church. The program includes a number of musical selections, addresses and readings, tending to make the afternoon a Hood's brigade entertainment.
R. F. Burges is scheduled to deliver an address. Mrs. Alice Thompson, 614 North Oregon street is on the program for a reading, and Robin Gould will also give a reading. The musical program is under the direction of Mrs. W. L. Brown. Mrs. Alice Barlow has charge of the literary feature of the meeting.

WITH The Exchanges

THE EL PASO HOLDUP.
From San Antonio (Tex.) Express. That train robber who held up the Sunset Limited in the heart of El Paso obtained only \$120. We feel constrained to explain that there were probably no Texans on the train. All must have been through passengers from the Atlantic seaboard.

WILLING TO RECEIVE.

From Alpine (Texas) Guide. "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Guide letter hopes all his readers will remember that Christmas. He is so unselfish that he would be perfectly willing for the other fellow to do all the giving.

THAT MEXICAN AFFAIR.

From San Antonio (Texas) Express. While the paragrappers' union has carefully refrained from taking sides in this Mexican affair, the union nevertheless observes with interest that the revolutionists have had about the first good luck that has come to a revolutionist in Mexico in a generation, and the union doesn't begrudge them that, seeing that they've lots of trouble ahead.

CHEAP NATURAL GAS FOR WICHITA FALLS IN TEXAS

Wichita Falls, Texas, Dec. 27.—The city council today granted J. W. Culbertson and associates a 25 year franchise to supply natural gas. The franchise provides a cost of six cents per 1000 feet be charged manufacturers and 15 cents per 1000 feet for domestic uses. This is the lowest price ever asked in the southwest.

SIX INCENDIARY FIRES IN DALLAS SAME NIGHT

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 27.—Fire early this morning drove J. T. Patterson and family from their home just before the roof fell in, causing Patterson a loss of \$1500, and damaging several adjoining residences. It is believed it was the first of incendiary origin, as there were six other fires last night.

High Grade Bed Davenport Priced Unusually Low—Tomorrow!

SPECIAL FURNITURE SALE

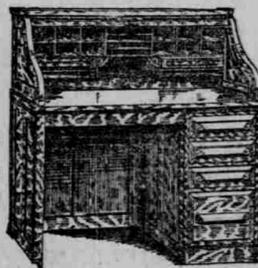
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Toys Selling at COST

We must clean out our remaining stock of toys and for the balance of this week we offer all of our toys at the above liberal offer. We would rather have what they cost than carry them over another year.



\$28.00 Golden Oak Finished Buffet . . \$19.50

The above illustration gives a true picture of this attractive Buffet of generous proportions, thoroughly constructed and prettily carved with shelves and bevel French Plate Mirror. The silver drawer is lined and the handles are of polished brass.

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- \$40.00 Suits and Overcoats at \$30.75
- 35.00 Suits and Overcoats at \$26.75
- 32.50 Suits and Overcoats at \$24.75
- 30.00 Suits and Overcoats at \$22.75
- 28.50 Suits and Overcoats at \$21.75
- 27.50 Suits and Overcoats at \$20.75
- 25.00 Suits and Overcoats at \$18.75
- 22.50 Suits and Overcoats at \$16.75
- 20.00 Suits and Overcoats at \$15.75
- 18.50 Suits and Overcoats at \$14.75
- 16.50 and \$15.00 Suits and Overcoats at \$11.75



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ENTHUSIASM RESTRAINED UNTIL BRIDGE IS CROSSED

An amusing feature of the supposed attack of Ciudad Juarez Monday, was what occurred at the Santa Fe bridge. Mexicans on the street cars arriving from Juarez shouted many "vivas" for Madero as they saw the crowds gazing westward. It was many times remarked that the passengers did no "viva-ing" until they crossed the bridge into the United States.

NEGRO ARRESTED.

Charles Crawford, a negro charged with assault on his wife, Eva Crawford, was arrested Tuesday morning by the police.
F. E. Browder, a flour manufacturer of Markate, Minn., left for the east Monday afternoon after a day's visit with his brother, H. W. Browder, of the Lesinsky company.

AUTO RACE FROM PHOENIX TO TUCSON ON NEW YEAR'S

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 27.—An automobile race from Phoenix to Tucson is to be run on New Year's day. The distance is 128 miles, and it is expected to be covered by the racers in about four hours. There are eight machines already entered. The Citizen Cup is offered as the prize.

THE CHILDREN'S MESSIAH.

A Christmas entertainment entitled "The Children's Messiah" will be presented with stereopticon views of the life of Christ at the First Christian church tonight, under the direction of Mrs. H. M. Northrup. Two solos, which were sung Sunday evening, "The Virgin's Lullaby," by Mrs. W. R. Judson, and "The Birthday of a King," by Mr. Ilfrey, will be repeated tonight by special request. The entertainment is free.

El Paso Theatre

Special New Year's Engagement Sunday & Monday Night Jan. 1-2, Matinee Monday, Wm. A. Brady Announces "A Gentleman from Mississippi" THE GREATEST HIT IN YEARS Night, 50c to \$2.00; Matinee 50c to \$1.50

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