NEWS IN BRIEF.

An Elks Dance.

The Elks had a delightful informal dance at their rooms last night.

Able to Be Out.

Tom Nash is able to be out again after an illness of several days.

Christian Church Choir.

Choir rehearsal at Christian church tonight at 7 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Ill at Mt. Pleasant.

Walter Weaver is reported as being seriously ill at Mt. Pleasant. He formerly lived in Greenville.

Marraige Licenses.

William Watson and Bertha T. Langston.

G. W. Thomason and Lula Smith.

In County Court.

In county court yesterday Jack Wallace pleaded guilty to aggravated assault, and was fined $25.00 and

U. B. A. Meeting.

T. P. Faig, secretary, announces a meeting of the U. B. A. at 7:30 tonight and requests all members to take notice.

Will Soon eB Out.

J. L. Gilbert, a Katy switchman, who has been quite sick for several days, is improving and will be able to return to work soon.

Choir Practice.

There will be choir practice tonight at 7 o'clock at Wesley church. All members are requested to be on hand.

Returned From Cooper.

Mrs. Gus Pharr, Miss Irene Hardin and Mrs. Will Brooks returned yesterday from a pleasant visit with the Misses Pillman at Cooper.

Hobo Stew.

The L. A. of B. R. T. will serve Hobo Stew at the Booster club rooms Tuesday evening 5 to 10 o'clock—15 cents a bowl.

Bought a Home.

Mr. Foy, the druggist, has bought the B. J. Mitchell residence and has secured for himself and family a nice home.

Here From Longview.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barling, of Longview, have come to spend the holidays with their mother and other relatives.

Gone to Fort Worth.

Major Joseph F. Nichols, secretary of the Interurban Company, went to Fort Worth this morning on business connected with the We're City Interurban proposition.

Will Lay Double Track.

The Street Car Company has decided to lay double track on North Stonewall street so as to give a place to pass cars. All work on the lines are proceeding in splendid shape.

F. B. McKay in Town.

F. B. McKay, General Passenger Agent of the Texas Midland at Terrell, was in the city yesterday looking over the affairs of the road here, and meeting the merchants of the city. He went to Dallas last evening.

To Pave Wesley Street.

L. L. Bowman is circulating a paper for signatures of property owners on Wesley street, for the paving of that street. All the property owners whom Mr. Bowman has seen have signed the paper and prospects seem good for a success of the undertaking.

Visited by Her Nurse.

Miss Jennie Doyle, who has been visiting Miss Opal Lockett, returned to Dallas yesterday. Miss Doyle is the trained nurse who for six weeks attended Miss Lockett in her recent attack of typhoid fever, and the bonds of friendship were made very strong between the young ladies.

Weather Bureau.

Friday: Generally cloudy. Temperature yesterday, minimum 35 degrees; maximum 58 degrees. The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company report to midnight as cloudy, no rain, at Abilene, Austin, Beaumont, Cleburne, Corsicana, Dublin, Fort Worth, Gainesville, Houston, Paris. Rain at Hearne. Clear at all other Texas points.

At the Lyric.

Edward Selvin has scored another hit with his new magic act. His manipulations of the billiard balls, cards and other objects is mystifying and the patter he uses in itself a big laugh. Ted and Mable Shea are proving delightfully funny in their little comedy sketch. They sing well, dance cleverly and hand out a hilariously funny bunch of talk. The usual performances will be given today.

Booster Club Meeting.

The Booster club meets tonight. This is going to be a rousing meeting as the Secretary will deliver his first, last and only address. Those interested in oratorical flights are especially invited to attend this meeting. There will be something doing every minute. Don't forget the time and place—7:30 is the time and you will have no trouble in finding the place. Subject, "And he played on a harp of a thousand strings." R.

Married Last Evening.

At 5:30 o'clock last evening Mr. Ottie Ross and Miss Lerah P. Furlong were married by Rev. E. L. Compere at his residence. The couple are from the White Rock community and are from two of the best families in the county. The groom is a young farmer, and they will live on his farm near White Rock. Mr. and Mrs. Ross have the best wishes of their many friends for a happy and prosperous life.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Items of Interest of Those Who Come and Go.

Lee Wilson was in Dallas yesterday.

Will Moudy was in Dallas yesterday.

J. O. Boyle went to Dallas yesterday.

J. C. Thompson was in Celeste yesterday.

Ed Hagan was a visitor to Dallas yesterday.

J. T. Craddock returned last night from Dallas.

J. A. Tippett, of Celeste, was in the city yesterday.

Fire Chief John Rowsey was in Dallas yesterday.

Judge J. S. Sherrill returned from Dallas last night.

Roy Johnson went to Longview on business yesterday.

Dr. Ed Becton was called to Mt. Pleasant yesterday.

Walter Samuell is home from Sherman for a short visit.

Capt. Walter Harkness visited his mother in Paris yesterday.

Mrs. P. M. Conger, of Midland, is visiting Mrs. J. P. Germany.

R. S. Bass returned yesterday from a business trip to Whitewright.

Miss Anna Lou Hogan, of Muskogee, Okla., is the guest of the Misses Linehan.

Mrs. Will Moody, of Denison, arrived last evening to spend the holidays with Dr. W. C. Moody and family.

W. E. Graham, Jr., of Waco, is in the city visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Graham.

Is Improving.

Richard Meadows, the negro who was shot by an officer on Sunday is reported as improving and will probably be out in a few days.

The Colonial Today.

The famous Imp comedies are always good and today the Colonial offers one of their best as the feature of the program. "The Widow" is its name and it is chock full of comedy. "The Iron Foundry" is a strong dramatic story, the scenes of which are laid in Italy. With the new illustrated songs, "She's Anybody's Sweetheart Now" and "Boxey-Man," the program is exceptionally attractive.

Kendrick-Dye Dinner.

Chilli 10c, oyster stew 10c and nice home made candy served Saturday at the Booster club by the Kendrick-Dye girls.

What would make a more useful Xmas gift than a pair of those fine dress gloves—Men's and ladies'—at Murphy's.

Everybody likes the home made candy by the Kendrick-Dye girls sell. Visit the Booster club Saturday and see if you don't.

Lost.

Dark red Jersey cow, four years old, has one scarred horn. Notify Wilson Gore, at Compress. 12-11

Raike's for the best mattress made.

I agree with Will N. Harrison.
On Greenville being the best,
And the Booster club has helped a lot,
This I must confess.
Now there is one thing more
I would like to suggest
Phone the Model Pressing Parlor
To have your old clothes cleaned
and pressed.
"COTTON" PHILLIPS.
Both Phones. 12-16

What Have You to Exchange or Repair?

The very best workmen in town, at cheap as service and goods to exchange for your old at a fair deal.
B. S. CHANDLER,
The Furniture Man

Your friend will appreciate a nice Fountain Pen for Xmas. Get it from Ford & Pennington.

Notice.

To Customers.—I have located just south of Laundry, corner of Pickett and St. John streets, where I will be better prepared to serve you. Will give good terms and perfect fits in dress making. Also furnished rooms to rent.—Mrs. M. Sanders, old phone 136. 12-21

DRIFTED ON DERELICT.

Sailor Has a Harrowing Experience on High Sea.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 15.—After drifting six days without food on a derelict, Theo. Anderson, a Swede, swam to shore on the west coast of Australia. He told a thrilling story of the disaster that had brought death to every member of the crew. News of the tragedy was brought here last night by the steamer Mouna from Brisbane.

The derelict was a pearling lugger of 200 tons, the Hugh Norman. She was sailing down the coast from Broome to Freemantle when she struck a reef. The Dingey was launched and all members of the crew except Anderson and the captain boarded her. The little boat drifted away and was swamped. All her occupants were drowned. Then Captain Arnold ordered Anderson to jump after the Dinger, but seeing three sharks cruising in the vicinity, he refused.

Later the lugger drifted off the reef, and the captain leaped overboard and tried to swim ashore, but he was attacked and devoured by sharks.

Next day Anderson decided to risk all in an effort to reach land. It took him one hour to swim ashore and he was pursued by sharks, but escaped them.

Now is the time to select your ready-to-wear garments — one-fourth off our already low price.—Murphy-Miller Co.

Raike's for rings.

Let your Christmas gifts be something useful and serviceable. This is the kind you find at Murphy's.

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For the holidays you want to be sure that your eyes are right. We know we can give you a lens that will do as well as Monogram.

Glasses correctly fitted to the eye. Lenses ground and made while you wait.—Dr. M. Beckow, Optician.