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CHRISTMAS EXERCISES.

Tonight's program at the Churches-Salvation Army Branch for the Poor—Tomorrow.

Last night at the Presbyterian church a delightful evening was spent. The little ones were made happy with presents taken from a brilliantly lighted tree, and fruits, candies and nuts were distributed in abundance. Attorney J. F. McClurray and Dr. Hartshorn made interesting speeches to the little ones.

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock the Bowman M. E. the Baptist, the Christian, the Cumberland Presbyterian and the M. E. churches will all observe the Saviour's birth by having trees and music and literary exercises by the children.

Salvation Army Branch.

Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock the Salvation Army will throw open the doors of the U. S. Court room to the poor of South McAlester and vicinity, and place before the destitute an elaborate Christmas dinner, complete in all details. Capt. Maxey hopes to feed at least 100 poor. Toys, clothes, shoes, etc., will also be distributed. All who intend to assist the commendable work, either by contributing food or wearing apparel, are requested to send their names to the officers before 9 a. m. tomorrow.

At All Saints Church.

All Saints Church has been beautifully decorated with cedar and mistletoe for the Christmas season. Tonight the children of the Sunday school will have their Christmas tree at the residence of Mrs. John E. Stewart. Tomorrow the Christmas service will be held at 10 o'clock, at which time the holy communion will be celebrated and the rector will preach on the Birth of a Saviour. There will also be a Christmas service next Sunday night at 7 o'clock. The children of the Mission Sunday school will have their tree some night next week.

At The Hospital.

About twenty-five men, sick and injured, will spend Christmas at the hospital. Some of these will have a Christmas dinner of goulash and broth; but others, the majority, will feed on soup, turkey, celery, all kinds of vegetables, mince pie and fruits. Oranges, nuts and raisins will be furnished all who are well enough to eat them, and every effort will be made by the nurses to bring joy and happiness even into the sick room. While we are eating our own Christmas dinner with our friends and indulging in all the gaieties of the day, let us give one passing thought to the less fortunate, to those whose Christmas will be spent in trying to relieve the sick and injured. Religious services will be held in the hospital chapel at 9:30 and 9 a. m.

A. J. Cunningham and James Elliott of St. Louis are the guests of James Elliott, Sr., at Krebs.

Rev. J. N. Edwards, formerly pastor of the Baptist church at this place, but now district missionary with headquarters at Muskogee, will arrive tomorrow to spend a few days with friends.

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One trial nearly always makes a man our regular patron. Will you give us a trial?

TATMAN, The Tailor.

Judge Clayton Resigns.

At 11 o'clock this morning, just after Judge Clayton had announced that the U. S. Court was adjourned until January, Judge Stuart arose and made one of the best speeches heard in South McAlester for some time, and in concluding presented Judge Clayton with a beautiful oil glass punch-bowl and set of glasses, together with a silver ladle, with the compliments of the bar.

Judge Stuart's speech was original, logical and full of humor. Judge Clayton was taken by surprise, but recovered sufficiently to make a reply fully as good as the presentation speech. Both addresses were enjoyed by a large crowd.

Small purse containing two \$10 bills lost in Kali Inka building between the front door and my office. Finder please return to me and receive reward. Dr. W. B. Pigg. 4-243c

To Parents of Postumes.

The postoffice will be open tomorrow (Christmas) from 8:30 a. m. to 10:30 a. m. for dispatch of register and money order business, sale of stamps and general delivery of mail.

Wm. Norris, Postmaster.

Baptist Missionary Board.

The annual meeting of the Board of Missions of the Baptist Territory, will convene in South McAlester at the Baptist church Friday at 10 a. m.

Quite a number of distinguished visitors from abroad will be present and participate. The session will last two days.

W. W. Higgins is here from Ada.

Six street fakirs are operating on the street corners to day.

Oscar Colbert of Kiowa was here yesterday.

Miss Grace Stegall of Ft. Smith arrived to-day and is the guest of E. S. Stegall and family.

J. C. Stalcup of Neesho, Mo., formerly a resident of this city, will arrive tomorrow to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Tomorrow morning, Dr. and Mrs. Alton will entertain a number of friends at their home. A Christmas tree will be the feature of the entertainment.

Mayor Lewis is in receipt of a letter from a party who desires to operate a saloon in South McAlester and sought information regarding different kinds of booze that is allowed to be dispensed and the license required. He is doubtless one of the fellows who have been worshipping the Oklahoma golden calf and has allowed his enthusiasm to carry him so far that he believes that the mere drafting of the single statehood resolution has brought about the fondest hope of the brewers.

The Katy dining service, which has custom of doing all things well, is perfectly making great strides towards perfection in the trimmings of its special holiday repasts. For tomorrow the bill of fare will be the cream of culinary art. The printed bill of fare is the most elaborate yet produced by this company. On the front of the folder is the gold embossed lettering, "Christmas Day" over a pretty Christmas card which opens and discloses an appropriate holiday sentiment in rhyme. The rear page is a picture of "Katy" the famous trade mark of a lady in traveling costume.

Caesar Conquered Britain.

Malaria was conquered by Simons' Liver Purifier (the box). Protected from moisture, dust and insects. Clears the complexion, cures constipation, aids and corrects action of the liver.

Shooting at Waunder.

Gonzales, Tex., Dec. 24.—A telephone message was received here from Waunder that Bud Holloway had been shot through the stomach and is in a critical condition. Sheriff Fly has been summoned to Waunder.

Captain Cook Hunter.

Washington, Dec. 24.—At the United States naval hospital it is stated Captain Francis A. Cook, whose condition was little better although he is confined to bed and kept very quiet. His sons are now with him.

Texas Postoffice Burned.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The postoffice at Ridgeway, Tex., was burned with all its contents Monday morning.

The postoffice at Bison, O. T., was robbed Saturday. No particulars are given.

HE WILL NOT RESIGN

Under the Civil Service and Must Be an Offender Before His Resignation is Asked.

He Claims That His Position is One Under the Civil Service and Must Be an Offender Before His Resignation is Asked.

New York, Dec. 21.—Edgar S. Macley, whose connection with the Schley case, led President Roosevelt to request his resignation as special laborer in the navy, has refused to resign and has made a formal demand for trial by usual naval procedure. He averred that his case came under the civil service law and that he could not be dismissed without formal charges, trial and conviction. The request for his resignation was sent to him by Rear Admiral Barker, commander of the navy yard at Brooklyn, and he replied at once by letter, formally setting forth his position. In discussing the case, Macley said:

"The president cannot have me dismissed under the law, as I see it. I do not see how he can force me out. I am protected by the civil service laws enacted by congress, whose enactments the president is bound to execute. I do not know positively, but I believe my position under civil service furnishes me complete protection, so long as I violate no rules of the service, and that I have not done and I have so stated in my letter to the commandant in answer to the request for my resignation. No, I did not say that the president is as bad as the czar of Russia.

"I have done nothing more than write the commandant and ask that charges be preferred against me, and I will do nothing more just now.

"I have not been suspended, and am working here, as I have been doing for fifteen months. I have tried to do my duty here, and have broken no rules and shall simply stand by my rights, more for the principle of the matter than anything else, for my position here pays me very little and is chiefly valuable because of the experience and information it affords me as material for my books."

Rear Admiral Barker has forwarded Macley's letter to Washington.

The request for Macley's resignation reads as follows:

Crane Declines Treasury Portfolio.

Washington, Dec. 21.—Governor Crane of Massachusetts has declined the treasury portfolio tendered him by President Roosevelt. It is officially announced that he had declined for business and domestic reasons.

The subject is attachable pending at the White House after it was known Governor Crane would not accept, was that

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- WATCHES: \$2.50 to \$175.00 each, and positively the largest stock to be found between Kansas City and Dallas.
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 - LINK BUTTONS: Silver and gold. Solid gold, ones from \$2 to \$15 per pair.
 - SOLID GOLD: Solid gold and silver.
 - COLLAR BUTTONS: 14k gold, silver.
 - STUDS: Everything from a diamond or pearl down to the dainty 14k gold ones in sets of three.
 - EMBLEMES: Finest grades of silk centers, light-rolls, etc. \$3 to \$15.
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South McAlester dropped all her former opinions regarding stathood to recognize the good qualities of the Moon bill.

It will be the "roughest house" Oklahoma ever saw if her little Irishman is successful with his absorption bill.

The Hon. Pliny Soper has been in Washington asking for permission to retain the recent Creek Nation attorneyship in connection with his position as United States Attorney. This is the same Mr. Soper who objects to any changes in territorial affairs.

Indian Territory wishes Uncle Sam's new concessions on Merry Christmas, and hopes they will be better satisfied with military rule while learning their self-government alphabet, than she is with the prospects of being married for her money, and against her will.

The Hon. Pliny Soper bobs his head above the tide at Washington and registers a kick on the Moon bill. A meeting should be called in South McAlester and withdraw the recent approval of a measure that is in opposition to Mr. Soper's future happiness and prosperity, especially the latter.

The most ardent supporters of the notorious single stathood issue in Indian Territory are deserting their cause like rats fleeing from a sinking ship. There is one commendable feature about the boys who have worn out their pants at the knee worshipping Oklahoma's golden calf, and this is their recognition of the new "inevitable."

The Cherokee Nation has a strong delegation to go to Washington to urge the passage of the allotment bill. Chief Bullington has announced the personnel of the party as follows: Lucien Bullington, James M. Keys, Wolfe Coon, Redbird Smith. The selection of the two last named delegates was made in the interest of harmony, thus giving the full bloods equal representation with the progressive element.

It is very doubtful if any territorial matters will be taken up by congress until after the Christmas recess. In the meanwhile every loyal citizen of Indian Territory should write at least one letter to their friends in the states asking that they use their influence with their congressmen against attaching any part of Indian Territory to any commonwealth but to give us a change to equip ourselves for stathood through a territorial form of government.

Charlie Barrett, of Shawnee, one of the Washington lobbyists selected by the November Muskogee convention, is responsible for the following wail in his Herald regarding the desertion of the Guthrie Daily Capital, the big "ingun" in the single stathood cause up to a few weeks ago: "Frank Greer should brood up his editorial staff. It has begun to lean noticeably toward Dennis Flynn's 'stathood for Oklahoma alone' bill. Greer himself is too staunch a single stathood advocate to let the Capital wobble on so one-sided a proposition."

TERRITORIAL TOPICS.

Sixty new buildings are being erected at Okmulgee.

At Nowata recently a wagon load of pecans sold for \$102.69.

A \$10,000 bridge across the Canadian river at Eufaula is threatened.

Near Spiro a vein of coal seven feet thick has been discovered at a depth of about thirty-five feet.

It is said that the asphalt mine purchased near Colgate by Adolphus Busch and others of St. Louis, cost \$22,500.

Canadian has been visited by burglars. Over \$150 worth of clothing was stolen from the W. L. Belt Trading Co., Wednesday night.

A wealthy Chinese laundryman, at Pauls Valley, was murdered for his money Tuesday, and the people of that city have raised \$600 for the arrest and conviction of the assassin. There is no clew.

President Roosevelt has endorsed the judges of Oklahoma's supreme court by re-appointing Chief Justice Jno. H. Burford and Associate Judges Burwell and Haines. The terms of Judges McAtee and Irwin have not expired.

Pryor Creek is to have a \$10,000 cotton gin. It will have three stands. The country around Pryor Creek is well adapted to agriculture and cotton raising has been very profitable for several years. This year the farmers realized from \$20 to \$25 per acre.

The confirmation by the United States Senate of the federal appointments in Indian Territory, although expected, was received with approval, especially those in the Central district. Judge Clayton, Mayor Hackett and John H. Wilkins, of the central district, are now safe within the fold of Uncle Sam.

The republicans of Okmulgee concluded a bitter fight for the postmastership, by electing H. E. P. Stanford over seven competitors. Five ballots were taken at a mass meeting before the selection of Mr. Stanford was made as the man to be recommended for the appointment.

The hatred existing between Muskogee and Okmulgee is now at fever heat. The Muskogee Phoenix charge, the druggists of Okmulgee with getting the Creek council drunk on the day the order was passed which causes all records and offices of the Creek nation to be taken to the capital at Okmulgee.

A Sapulpa citizen remarked at the school house mass-meeting the other night: "A white child in the Indian Territory is a nuisance and burden. An Indian child in the territory will draw land and money, and a white child in the state will draw school money, but a white child in the territory just has to have its way paid and won't bring in a cent."

The outcome of the now celebrated Dorset Carter ejection case is being watched closely. In his ruling that the courts had no jurisdiction over the interior department Judge Townsend placed the case fairly in the hands of the officers who have the orders to eject Carter. "Gov. J. George" is held responsible for the trouble, having taken offense at Carter's advice to clients to refuse the payment of tribal taxes.

R. B. Haulton, Commander in Chief of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, has announced the membership of the standing committees of that order and accords: Wm. M. Franklin, of Ardmore, a position on the historical committee; J. T. Chancellor, of Marietta, relief committee; G. H. Collins, of Davis, finance committee; W. H. Rader, of Lone Grove, monumental committee and N. R. Tisdal, Ardmore, woman's memorial committee. At the last reunion of the Indian Territory division, J. C. Graham, of Ardmore, was elected division commander.

At Vinita Tuesday "Dr. J. Z. Crossley was found guilty in the U. S. court of being responsible for the death of a patient, Mrs. Higgins, of Welch, I. T. The as-

trological editor of the Vinita Chieflain suffers his readers to the following description of the art used by the healer:

"The defendant is a dealer in the occult sciences; an astrologer who communes with the flaming planets, and in their confidant—a magnetic healer, whose touch dissipates pain and relieves his dupes of their material possessions. His 'treatments' are marvelous in their simplicity, even though his prescription counter is located a few million miles beyond the milky way." Crossley attended Mrs. Higgins during childbirth and the woman died under his treatment.

An interesting term of the Choctaw district court, at Alikohi, has just closed. Three defendants, two men and a woman, convicted of different offenses, were publicly whipped. One defendant, charged with murder, pleaded guilty of manslaughter and was sentenced to receive 100 lashes. Two deputy sheriffs held him by the wrists and pulled him against a tree while the sheriff plied the whip. After administering fifty lashes the sheriff's arm gave out and he took the place of one of the deputies, holding the defendant up to the tree while the deputy administered the remaining lashes. The other men were given fifty lashes for stealing a watch. The woman was given twenty-five lashes under a conviction for slander. The alleged slander consisted of calling another woman a dog. —Wagoner Sayings.

KIOWA RESOLUTIONS.

We, the committee appointed at a mass meeting of the people of Kiowa, Indian Territory, and vicinity, held Friday evening, December 20th, 1901, for the purpose of ascertaining the views of said people upon the question of stathood for the Indian Territory, and adopting resolutions in accordance therewith, do respectfully report as follows:

Be it resolved, by the people of Kiowa, I. T., and vicinity in mass meeting assembled, that we are unalterably opposed to union with Oklahoma territory and single state, as proposed in the Flynn bill, or any other bill or measure which contemplates the union of the two said territories as a single state, and further

Be it resolved, that we heartily endorse and concur in the action of the convention held in Muskogee on the 10th day of December, 1901, and among the three hundred qualified voters of Kiowa and vicinity, the sentiment endorsing the action of said convention is a unit, not a dissenting voice among them all.

Dr. L. W. McMorries.
J. R. Fortson.
B. B. Davis.

Committee.

This is to certify that the above resolutions were unanimously adopted at a mass-meeting held at Kiowa, Indian Territory, on the 20th day of December, 1901.

J. G. Railey, Chairman.
E. E. Davis, Secretary.

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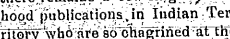
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One day a keeper accidentally broke a bottle of Scott's Emulsion near the monkey cage and the monkeys eagerly lapped it up from the floor. This suggested the idea that it might do them good. Since then the monkeys have received regular doses and the keepers report very few deaths from consumption. Of course it's cheaper to buy Scott's Emulsion than new monkeys—and that suits the circus men.

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Mrs. Ella Brown, daughter of Attorney W. E. Brown, is home from Hardin College, Mexico, Mo., to spend the holidays.

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H. H. Keller, the brick plant producer, is spending the week at his home in St. Louis.

Mrs. Georgia Treat, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. Guerrier, for the past two months, returned yesterday to her home in Chicago.

Prof. Jas. N. Wilson and Supt. W. B. Butts, of Jones Academy, were here yesterday.

M. W. Wilson, of the Minnetonka Lumber Co., will leave tonight for Stroud, Oklahoma, to arrange for moving his family and household goods to this city.

The Telephone Exchange, which has been using the Central office since the October fire, has succeeded in getting the system again under one roof.

Miss Fora Dawson, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Bradley, for some time, has returned to her home at Ash Grove, Mo.

Mr. O. A. Looney, a well-known newspaper writer of Missouri, has accepted the editorship of the Muskogee Times.

Geo. F. Rozell, of Little Rock, a prominent real estate man, is here with a view to locating.

The recent statements published by the two banks of South McAlester show their conditions to be not only in a healthy, growing state, but the deposits have attained such a figure as to warrant the assertion that South McAlester has the strongest financial institutions in the Territory.

The express companies have handled an immense amount of traffic from South McAlester in the last few days.

Mr. Fred T. Blackman, traveling passenger agent for the Choctaw line, with headquarters at Chattanooga, Tenn., was in the city this morning and received a royal greeting from his numerous friends.

South McAlester will be the media for the Choctaw-Nation physicians on January 7th and 8th.

"It often made my heart ache," writes L. O. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse."

Good doctors said she was so far gone with consumption that no medicine of earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery.

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An interesting joint meeting of the First Presbyterian and Bowman-McAlester church societies was held last night.

Mrs. M. M. Lindley presided at the organ. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Barlow Messer, W. H. Blythe, and B. A. Baker.

Clifford Weber, full-blood Cherokee of Canton, S. T., has been in the city this week.

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The depositors of the Hartshorne National Bank, of Hartshorne, have notified that the bank will be moved to Halleysville before January 1st.

The directory of the institution is composed of quite a number of South McAlester capitalists, and the removal to Halleysville, which is practically a portion of Hartshorne, was ordered that the new town, which is destined to become quite a large city, would not be handicapped for lack of banking facilities.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

St. Joseph's hospital at Marysville, Mo., was partly destroyed by fire. 30 lives lost, but no patients were killed from exposure.

The Nonpariel hotel at Helena, Ark., burned Friday. Loss \$100,000, with \$50,000 insurance.

In the eighth round George Gardner defeated Kid Carter at San Francisco.

There were 265 failures in the United States the past week.

Mr. Hensch, living near Grainger, Tex., was shot and seriously wounded by his son, who mistook him for a wolf.

Orange trees in the vicinity of Lake Charles, La., have been ruined by the recent cold.

There is not a negro in the Fifty-seventh congress. This is the first time in 32 years that this has happened.

Eight weavers have been killed by mill fires about Elgin, Tex., by the freeze.

Willis Swainford, a negro, was given a life sentence at South McAlester, I. T., for the murder of William Young.

Marconi claims messages can be sent across the Atlantic by his wireless apparatus at one cent a word.

The antiscaphic ordinance passed by the city council of Houston, Tex., has been declared illegal.

The Atterell, Tex., destruction of 1300 bales of cotton and a storage room of the Shippers' Commission company, loss \$75,000.

The first building erected by Dr. J. B. Williams in the United States, Tex., has been destroyed by fire.

The Royal Steam laundry at Smithville, Tex., burned Tuesday night.

E. J. Mays, a grocer at Mineral Wells, Tex., made an assignment.

County judges of Texas will meet at Fort Worth in February.

Miss Belle Winters, who was burned at Gateville, Tex., died of her injuries.

Dr. John O. Mayfield, quarantine officer at Galveston, died at San Antonio, Tex.

The citizens of Roscoe, Tex., are making war on howling alloys.

Several skeletons of Indians were unearthed from a gravel pit near Bellefontaine, O. Chief Blue Jacket had his village near this spot early in the last century.

The annual debate between the state universities of Indiana and Illinois will be held at Bloomington, January 1.

The heaviest fall of snow in France in December fell Wednesday.

Congress adjourned Thursday until Jan. 6.

In the gates that swept the coast of Portugal Thursday, 15, sailors were drowned.

United States Senator Sewell is seriously ill at Camden, N. J.

Colonel John P. Hull and wife were murdered at Parsons, Kas. No clues.

Hides, Furs, Wool & Junk WANTED.

The season is now open and I am paying higher prices than ever before for all kinds of Hides and Furs, also Wool and Junk. I am at the same old stand on Main street and am paying nothing but cash.

S. G. SMITH, Main St. South McAlester, I. T. ... P. O. BOX 338...

REPORT TO THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY (Condensed) of the condition of The State National Bank of Denison, At Denison, in the State of Texas, At the close of business, May 16, 1901.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and securities, Capital Stock, and Deposits.

I, Wm. G. McGinnis, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MERCHANTS BANK FORT SMITH, ARK. CAPITAL SURPLUS UNDIVIDED PROFITS \$100,000 \$100,000 \$100,000

Advertisement for Asthma, Catarrh, Deafness, and other ailments, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the benefits of the medicine.

Advertisement for Piles No Money Till Cured, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the effectiveness of the treatment.

Advertisement for Dr. Henderson, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing his medical services and location in Kansas City, Mo.