

PLAINVIEW SPENDS LIVELY HOLIDAYS

Special to Daily News.
Plainview, Tex., Dec. 27.—Plainview has merrily passed another Christmas and she awoke without a headache. The season has been marked with sobriety—whether caused by the numerous prohibition speeches of the past year, the watchfulness of her officials, or the distance to an irrigation center (alcoholically speaking) it is hard to determine.

Perhaps the excellent quality and taste of her water has caused so many of her citizens to pass the Yuletide without indulging in "joy juice"; at any rate only two arrests for inability to tread her sidewalks have been made to date. Where erstwhile the celebrating cowboy would make the town ring with his pistol-shots, the peaceful pop, pop of the fire-cracker now maintains.

The shopping season was lively and the trade brisk. Many citizens of nearby towns came to Plainview to take advantage of the complete stocks handled by her merchants. On Sunday the Knight Templars, in regalia, marched to the Christian church to hear a special address by Dr. L. L. Gladney, former president of Seth Ward college. Christmas trees were in most of the churches of the town. However there was quite a lot of nature faking for many of the supposed trees were but shrewdly arranged scantlings, in some churches trees from the orchard, and in no structure was seen the customary and legendary cedar. The Chamber of Commerce of Plainview is thinking of taking up the matter of setting out an orchard planted to cedars and thus supply a long felt want on the plains. However, there was a bona fide "Santy" at each church, and Plainview proudly boasts that the tragedy of the "empty stockings" was not witnessed in a single home.

The vacancy made by several hundred local college students leaving to visit the "old folks at home" has been partially filled by the few boys and girls that are attending various colleges throughout the state and are back with their parents for the holidays. The social calendar for the week is filled with a number of hops, receptions and parties and a joyous season is anticipated.

Ends Winter's Troubles.

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Chick's Curious Upbringing.

A little Andalusian chicken owned by a Kelso farmer has had a curious upbringing so far. A pigeon recently built its nest about fourteen feet from the ground at Floors Home farm, and on the nest being examined the bird was found to have hatched the Andalusian chicken, the chick's mother having apparently deposited the egg in the pigeon's nest. Then the chicken was given to the bantam hen, which has taken to the young bird as if it had been its own.

New Heroines.

The novelists of the day are taking the "new" women for their heroines; women whom life has struck blow after blow until they have learned the art of laughter; women who know how to jest in the face of disappointment; women who have a comforting sense of humor.

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NEW GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND



For the second time since the Civil war, Maryland has elected a Republican governor, in the person of Phillips Lee Goldsborough. His victory came with the defeat of a powerful Democratic machine.

FUN ON A BATTLESHIP

Captain Albert Gleaves in the Scientific American.

A battleship comprises a community of approximately one thousand men, in which a centralized and autocratic government prevails. The division of labor, exercise and drills, the rules that govern the hours of eating, sleeping and recreation, are the last words in routine and organization. Every man has his place and number, and there is not an article on board, from a torpedo to a water breaker, that has not its allotted space. Order and system are paramount and the very atmosphere breathes of discipline.

The heart of this community of sea people is, of course, the captain. In battle his station is in the conning tower, and under his hand are all the latent Titanic forces of powder, gunnison and steam, which may be released only at his bidding. In matters of administration he is judge and jury, and daily at the mast the delinquents are brought before him; he listens to the evidence, and there is no law's delay in his judgments. He messes alone, and his life for the most part is a solitary one.

The wardroom mess is presided over by the commander or executive officer, and is composed of the staff officers and the lieutenants. And warty times they have when the rigid discipline of the day's work gives place to post-prandial relaxation of the evening. Then there are the junior officers' mess, composed of midshipmen, and also the mess composed of warrant officers, those men of the rank and file who by faithful service have become gunners, boat-swains and machinists. The service today is unconsciously working out new traditions that will be handed down to the coming generation of sea folk.

Forward of the mast there is a big household, which requires \$75,000 a month to care for, clothe and feed in their ten-million-dollar home. Nearly all trades are represented in this little kingdom of the sea: Tailors, shoemakers, photographers, jewelers, barbers and musicians; for the most part a man is allowed to ply his trade so long as there is no interference with his military duties. Regular prices are established by the captains, and as there is no competition, each has a large clientele.

The galleys have the best possible system of cooking, supplemented with electric potato peelers, electric meat choppers and electric dish washers. The bakery provides bread at all times instead of hard-tack, which was formerly supplied and furnishes seven hundred loaves daily; there is a laundry, which has a fine equipment of machines run by electricity; and is handled by sailors who are excused from all other work except battle and fire stations; a cold storage with a capacity for provisions for one month for the entire ship's company, and a hospital or sick bay, well lighted and well ventilated, which is in a comfortable part of the ship. The hospital contains a sick ward proper with bunks for a score of patients, the isolation ward and the operating room. The last is fitted with every convenience known to

modern practice, including an adjustable operating table and a sterilizing plant.

Every battleship has a branch postoffice in charge of sailors appointed by the captain, which is under the same postal regulations that govern the shore stations. A complete telephone system connects all parts of the ship, and is supplemented by voice pipe communication, which is used principally in action. There is also a wireless installation, and officers as well as the operators are encouraged to become proficient in its use.

It is not all work on board ships; there is some beer and skittles. Smokers are a feature of life on board and there is nothing like the quarter deck of a battleship for the mise en scene of a wrestling bout, a boxing match, a song and dance, juggling, slack wire performance or any other stunts for which there is ample talent in a crew of one thousand men. Then the tops of the turrets are crowded with the bleachers and officers and crew gathered together around the improvised ring.

In the evening after supper, when the band plays, the men dance and sing or gather around the turrets and "gam" until 9 o'clock, when it is pipe down and all hands must turn in. Sometimes there are moving picture shows on the quarter deck; the films are all carefully selected and as each ship passes its to the next, there is a great variety in the fleet. Those of dramatic and romantic character are the most popular and always draw applause. Recently on one ship, when thirty miles at sea, butterflies blown off by the land breeze had fluttered around the ridge ropes and ladders all day, but the finishing home touch was given at night during one of the moving picture shows by the chirping of a cricket hidden somewhere in the cork fenders.

Circus vs. Funeral.

Aunt Mary Barker, a prominent resident of a Virginia town, like many of her race, "jes' dotes on funerals."

On one occasion a circus had come to the next town, and Aunt Mary, who had never seen an elephant, had been telling for some weeks how she longed to go to the show. Her son agreed to drive her over on the eventful day.

"Well, now," exclaimed Aunt Mary, with unexpected hesitation, "I don't know much 'bout dat, I wants to see dat show awful bad, but, yo see, Deacon Botts' funeral comes off today, and I don't know jest which I'd enjoy de most. There'll be a lot o' folks dere, and besides I mought live till de circus comes again, but dis is de only funeral Deacon Botts will ever have! I guess I'll have a better time at de funeral!"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

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NEW BUILDINGS AND CITIZENS AT SLATON

Special to Daily News.
Slaton, Tex., Dec. 27.—John McRae of Twin Falls, Idaho, has just been in Slaton and has purchased eighty feet directly opposite the Paul bank on Texas avenue, and is to start the erection of a two-story brick building within the next ten days. Plans are out and the contract has been let and the work will be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible to account of the great demand for buildings in this location.

C. C. Compton is starting the erection of a two-story brick building to be located on Texas avenue. Mr. Compton built a two-story concrete hotel some time ago but on account of the great rush in his business it has been necessary for Mr. Compton to start the erection of the new building to be used as an annex to the hotel.

There is a great many new dwellings going up and the demand for such property far exceeds the supply. The town in general at this time is very active.

Many new railroad men are constantly coming to Slaton to make this their future home, as a result of the opening of the shops at this point and the making of this town an important division point of the line.

Saved His Wife's Life.

grave today," writes O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, she was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infalible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, laryngitis, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Amarillo Drug Store.

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