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## SMALL CROWD ATTENDS ARMISTICE PROGRAM

It was a small crowd that greeted the ex-service men at the Baptist church Friday morning at 10:15 o'clock for the annual Armistice Day service, conducted each year by the American Legion.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin, post chaplain, presided.

H. C. Lyon, superintendent of the city schools, delivered the principal address and while he does not claim to be an orator, delivered one of the finest Armistice Day addresses ever heard here those attending declared.

Mr. Lyon told of many interesting and amusing incidents, his talk as well dealing with the patriotic nature of the occasion.

"Taps" were sounded by H. H. Carsey, bandmaster, from the steps of the church at 11 o'clock, while just before that the fire alarm was sounded as a signal for Ballinger citizens to remember the boys who gave their all in the great conflict which ended nine years ago.

The water fight held at 2 o'clock proved exciting and amusing. Neither Winters nor Miles fire companies were able to come here to meet the Ballinger company in this event.

The parade held immediately following attracted much attention. There was a large number of former service men in this procession.

The football game started at 3:30 o'clock, immediately after the parade which ended at Fair Park.

The affair at the American Legion hall for ex-service men and their families drew a considerable number Friday night.

## MAN CHARGED WITH ARSON

(By International News Service)

CORPUS CHRISTI, Nov. 12.—Rudolph Rubin, Orange Grove merchant, was released under \$15,000 bond today, charged with arson in connection with the burning of six stores there last Thursday.

Rubin's arrest followed that of Arthur Stollers, a painter, whom police say confessed to burning the buildings when he was promised half of the \$7,000 insurance by Rubin.

## MAN IS FOUND DEAD IN FIELD

(By International News Service)

NACOGDOCHES, Nov. 12.—After a 24-hour search by his children, R. S. Sumblin, 68, was found dead in a cotton field this morning presumably from natural causes.

## PINCHOT IS BEFORE JURY

(By International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Gifford Pinchot, crusading ex-governor of Pennsylvania, today was produced by the Government as a surprise witness in the grand jury investigation of jury tampering in the Fall-Sinclair conspiracy trial.

Pinchot was before the jury for more than 15 minutes.

The nature of his testimony was closely guarded by Government officials who consider it very sensational it was said.

Humming birds pass the winter in Central America.

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## STEEPLEJACK DIES OF BURNS

(By International News Service)

HOUSTON, Nov. 12.—J. F. McClosky, steeplejack, is dead here today from burns received when a can of paint became ignited while painting a smokestack here yesterday.

H. A. Sullivan is in a hospital seriously burned. His injuries were sustained while attempting to aid McClosky.

HOUSTON, Nov. 11.—J. F. McClosky, steeplejack, is near death, and H. A. Sullivan is suffering from severe burns as the result of an unusual accident today.

The men were painting the inside of a giant smokestack on the 26-story Second National Bank building when a short circuit in an electric light wire which they were using set fire to a can of paint on McClosky's boson seat. His clothes became ignited and he fell 35 feet. Sullivan lowered himself and succeeded in tearing off his companion's clothing but severely burned himself.

## MINE BLAST ENTOMBS 27

(By International News Service)

TOKYO, Nov. 12.—Four miners were killed, 35 were injured and 27 entombed in a gas explosion at the Mitsu Bishi Company's coal mine at Bibal today.

Little hope is held for the entombed men.

J. P. Rhuman, J. L. McWhirter and Owen Powell, Texas Tech students, are here visiting relatives during the Armistice holidays.

Mrs. Emma Nash and son, Joe Nash, wife and son, of San Antonio, are here visiting relatives and looking after business.

## 3 Fatally Burned in Boat Fire

(By International News Service)

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Three of a crew is dead and a fourth sailor is dying from burns received in a fire in the forward hold of the tanker Beta, which is sinking by the head and is slowly making its way to port this morning. It is escorted by tugs off Stapleton, S. C.

The tanker sailed yesterday for Baytown, Texas.

## MORROW SEEKS TO AID FARMERS

(By International News Service)

MEXICO, D. F., Nov. 12.—Ambassador Dwight Morrow's first conversations with the Mexican government will involve an effort to secure compensation for small American farmers whose holdings were taken for agrarian purposes.

It is understood that the ambassador will ask for a settlement on a cash basis rather than Mexican bonds as provided by law and which are unmarketable.

## IS NAMED FOR TRADE BOARD

(By International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—President Coolidge today appointed Garland S. Ferguson, Jr., of Greensboro, N. C., to membership of the Federal Trade Commission, succeeding ex-Senator John F. Nugent, Democrat, of Idaho.

## ROWENA MAN WILL DEVELOP NEW OIL TOWN

SAN ANGELO, Nov. 12.—The Yates oil field in Pecos county, which ranks as one of the greatest production areas in the country, soon will have a full-grown town in the middle of the field. Ira G. Yates, of San Angelo, owner of the land on which the gushers have been brought in, has leased the Red Barn townsite to Paul C. Halameek of Big Lake, and his brother, W. A. Halameek, of Rowena. They paid \$20,000.

This payment gives them a lease for ten years, not including oil and mineral lease. There are six buildings on the site at the present time and others are to be built within a short time. Some are under construction now.

There is a small store on the site being run by Mr. Halameek. There are a number of oil camps near which lend support to the small town. The Marland Oil Company and Illinois Pipe Line Company each has a camp there. The Humble and Mid-Kansas oil companies have camps about a mile away.

Mrs. Grace Weems and daughter, Miss Grace, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Parr visited in Del Rio on Armistice Day.

## FOOTBALL SCORES

Ballinger, 12; Brady, 6  
Winters, 6; Roseco, 0  
San Angelo, 21; Eastland, 13  
Ablene, 32; Breckenridge, 7  
Comanche, 24; Brownwood, 7  
Colorado, 9; Big Spring, 0

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## Asks Permit for Unsurveyed State Land

(By International News Service)

AUSTIN, Nov. 12.—Attacking the validity of the "relinquishment act," mandamus proceedings were instituted today in the Supreme Court by Bryan Sparks, of Houston, to compel John T. Robison, state land commissioner, to issue a prospecting permit on 1,400 acres of land in Moore county.

Sparks alleges the land is unsurveyed and scrap land which has never been sold by the state.

## ANGELO YOUTH KILLED BY CAR

(By International News Service)

SAN ANGELO, Nov. 12.—Arrangements are being completed here today for the funeral of Edward Akin, 6, who was killed last night when knocked down by a speeding automobile.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger

H. A. McLean, one of the owners of the Sillix et al McMillan No. 1, announced Saturday morning that the half interest in the well and 1,860 acres of the 3,120-acre drilling block had been sold to the Vacuum Oil Company for \$135,000 cash and for a contract to drill two wells immediately on the 1,860 acres.

This deal was reported to have been made last Thursday but confirmation was not had until Saturday.

Various rumors stated the well had been sold for \$375,000 cash, for \$500,000, half cash and half oil, and for the contract of two wells.

At present the Sillix is the only producer in Rannels county. It is making about 100 barrels of 45 gravity oil daily from a depth of 2,545 feet. It has averaged more than 100 barrels a day since August 27th, when it came in.

Rannels county, with this sale, will get plenty of play during the next few weeks and by January 1, 1928, it is expected that about twenty-five wells will be drilling in this county with locations for as many more made.

There are six wells now drilling and ten or more locations have been made. Rigs are being moved to these locations and it is expected that drilling will be commenced soon on recent locations.

Alla Bell, of Brownwood, was in Ballinger transacting business Saturday.

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**THE WEATHER**  
(By International News Service)  
East Texas—North portion mostly cloudy. South portion occasional showers. Coast colder in the south portion and extreme east. Frost in the north tonight. Warmer Sunday in the northwest.  
West Texas—Partly cloudy, warmer in the Panhandle tonight, colder in the extreme southwest portion. Warmer tomorrow.

**TARIFF MATTER IS CONCLUDED**

(By International News Service)  
PARIS, Nov. 12.—It was officially announced this afternoon that the temporary tariff agreement had been satisfactorily concluded with the United States. The government will soon issue a decree containing new tariffs on American imports.

**3 DEAD IN OHIO FIRE**

(By International News Service)  
BATAVIA, O., Nov. 12.—Three persons were fatally burned today when fire destroyed the home of Jesse Darlington.  
The victims were Darlington, his mother, Mrs. Nancy Darlington, and his son, Joseph.

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**FALL TO COME TO NEW MEXICO**

(By International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—A physical examination of Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior department, and co-defendant with Harry F. Sinclair in the Teapot Dome oil leasing case, will be made today to determine whether Fall is able to stand the journey to his New Mexico home.  
Fall planned to start home tonight.

**U. S. WILL AID FLOOD SECTION**

(By International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—President Coolidge today directed Secretary Herbert Hoover and Attorney General Sargent to confer with Vermont authorities on the rehabilitation of the New England flooded areas.

**GIVES FIGURES ON COTTONSEED**

(By International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Cotton seed received at mills for the three-month period ending on October 31, totaled 2,580,308 tons as compared with 2,616,590 tons during the similar period of last year, the Census Bureau announced today.

To shoot a projectile to the moon it would be necessary for it to have a velocity of seven miles a second. The average big gun can give a speed of only about one one-hundredth of that rate.

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**CHURCHES**

**Eight Street Presbyterian Church**

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. S. P. Hathaway, Superintendent. A growing Bible school and a place for both young and old. Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Subject, "The Anchor of the Soul."  
Intermediate C. E. at 5:30 p. m. Mrs. Collins, superintendent.  
Senior C. E. at 6:30. Subject, "The Good and the Bad in Newspapers and Magazines." Leader, Miss Cleo Russell.  
Evening worship at 7:00 o'clock. Subject, "Redeeming Love."  
Visitors and strangers will find a most cordial welcome. If you have not a spiritual home worship with us.  
ALVIN O. RUE, Pastor.

**First Presbyterian Church**

9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11:00 a. m., morning worship. 4:00 p. m., Junior Christian Endeavor. 6:15 p. m., Intermediate Christian Endeavor. 7:00 o'clock, evening worship. To those who do not worship elsewhere in our city, a cordial invitation is extended to join in the worship of this congregation. E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor.

**First Christian Church**

9:45 a. m., Bible School, O. P. Dorsey, assistant superintendent, in charge. 11:00 o'clock, morning worship. Subject, "An Unusual Gift; a Mountain." 2:30 p. m., Junior Endeavor. Mrs. H. S. Strain, supervisor. This organization is doing great work with programs and activities.

**Young Peoples societies**

6:45 p. m., Intermediate and Young Peoples societies. 7:30 o'clock, evening worship. Subject, "The Unchangeable Christ."  
"The Church with the Four-Fold program," Luke 2:52. Make First Christian your church.  
LESLIE G. SMYTH, Minister.

**Baptist Church**

9:45 a. m., Sunday school; E. E. King, superintendent. 11:00 a. m., preaching service by pastor. 6:30 p. m., meetings of the B. Y. P. U. R. E. White, director. District B. Y. P. U. at 3:00 p. m. at our church. 7:30 p. m., preaching service by pastor. 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting. Acts 17. J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

**Episcopal Church**

Sunday school at the regular hour. Evening services at 7:15 o'clock conducted by Rev. Hall Pierce. Rev. Pierce will be accompanied to Ballinger by Bishop E. Cecil Seaman, who will assist in the services.

**Church of the Nazarene**

(Corner of Ninth Street and Harris Avenue) 9:45 a. m., Sunday school 11:00 a. m., preaching 6:00 p. m., N. Y. P. S. 7:00 p. m., preaching. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:00 p. m. You are cordially invited to worship with us. NELLIE A. HILL, Pastor.

**Methodist Church**

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. by the pastor. Senior and Epworth High Leagues at 6:30 p. m. Junior League at 5:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:00 p. m. by the pastor. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. You are invited to all our services. We do our best to make every minute interesting and profitable. "The Church with a Message." R. B. HOOPER, Pastor.

**Eighth Street Church of Christ**

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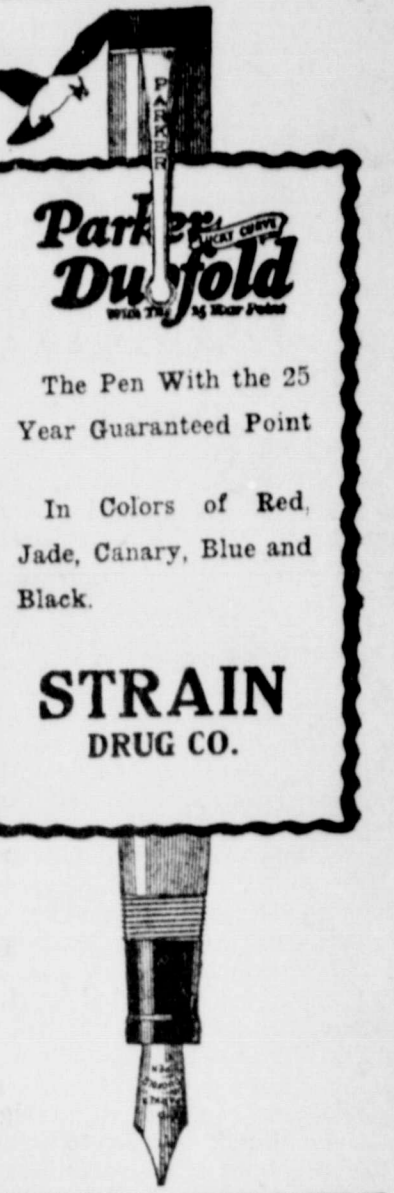
Preaching Saturday night, 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Earth's Last Day." Interesting song service. Everyone cordially invited. J. A. PYBAS, Pastor.

**Society**

**San Angelo A. & M. Mothers Club Entertained**

The A. & M. Mothers Club of San Angelo was entertained on Friday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. R. A. Dickinson with Mes. R. T. Trail and Fred Atwell joint hostesses, who are all members of the club. Into rooms beautifully decorated with red roses, guests were welcomed by the hostesses and other Ballinger women who are members of the San Angelo club. The A. & M. Club movement holds special interest to the mothers of this section of the country from which so many boys go to A. & M. College. All boys going from surrounding towns are members of the San Angelo club and Buck Kornegay of Winters is president. Among the major activities of the organization of mothers will be a student loan fund, and the mothers are rapidly becoming members. Mes. Dickinson, Trail and Atwell passed a refreshment plate of tea, fruit cake and sandwiches with red rosebuds as plate favors to the following: Mes. I. J. Kelly, H. D. Leffell, James Weddell, Joe Haddon, H. E. Harris, Geo. Allen, James Landon, W. E. Albert, Gentrude Witherspoon, A. A. Guntor, L. W. Ainsworth; and Miss Hadden, all of San Angelo; Mrs. John A

Triplet of Johnstone, Ohio, Mrs. C. Kornegay and Miss Lloyle Kornegay of Winters; Mes. Alma Alexander, J. A. Reese, W. A. Schuhmann, Max Russell, W. L. Brown, Malcolm Wardlaw, Misses Olga Zappe and Frances Trail.



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\*Complete text of Governor Ritchie's address will be furnished upon request.

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## win From Brady Armistice Day Game

declared at out of bounds on the Bearcats' than the 22-yard line. The quarter ended with the ball on the Bearcats' 30-yard line, fourth down and one foot to go.

**Second Period**  
Arthur kicked to McKinney, who returned the ball 20 yards. Brady's ball on the Ballinger 31-yard line. Brady was held for downs and on the fourth kicked over the goal line. Ballinger's ball on her 20-yard line. Three downs failed to gain and Arthur kicked 70 yards with the wind taking the ball over the Bulldog goal line. Brady kicked 22 yards to Beck, who returned three yards.

**Second Half**  
Willbanks kicked off for Brady out of bounds. The ball was kicked again and this time Arthur received the ball and returned it 40 yards to the Brady 45-yard line. The Bearcat backs made a first down and then two more plays took the ball to the Brady 22-yard line. Arthur took the ball on an end-run for a touchdown. His interference was good. Middleton missed the extra point from placement.

Willbanks again kicked off for Brady. James Parrish took the ball and returned it 20 yards. The Bearcats made a first down and then kicked 52 yards to the Brady 8 yard line where Coker grounded it. Brady kicked 18 yards to Beck who returned four yards. The quarter ended with the ball on the Brady 24-yard line. First down.

**Fourth Quarter**  
Coker and James Parrish were bucking the line for good gains, and Parrish took the ball over. Middleton missed the extra point from placement. Score: Ballinger, 12; Brady, 0.

Middleton kicked off for the Bearcats to Wood, who returned 10 yards. Brady made two first downs on forward passes. Another on a line buck and then Wood took the ball over. Holland missed the extra point. Score: Ballinger, 12; Brady, 6.  
Willbanks kicked off for the Bulldogs to Alagood, who had replaced Arthur. Alagood ran 40 yards toward his own goal before he was stopped. Coker made two first downs in succession before the game ended.

The final score was 12 to 6 in favor of the Bearcats.

**Coker Starred**  
Frank Coker, playing left half for the Bearcats, played an unusually good game. Coker, who last year was a gawky lineman, was razed into a good football player. When he was called on to tote the ball yesterday he never failed and was always good for five yards or more. He brushed through the holes made by Echols and Daugherty for good advances while Captain Parrish made gains on holes opened by Reese and Lusk. Coker was down on the kicks like a young race horse despite the fact that he is not considered a fast man. His defensive game was also good and did not conflict with his offensive work. Both were about the same and very good.

The two Brady ends, Willbanks and Holland played rough football throughout the entire game and there was lots of slugging on the part of the Bulldogs. This was shown by the shiners the Bearcats had at the close of the game.

Arthur's 40-yard return of a kickoff was made through excellent interference. He toted the ball down the west side of the field and for a time it looked like he was off for a touchdown.

Alagood's performance of the return kick was not expected as he had been out of the game for five weeks with an injured arm. With this arm tightly bandaged he went into the game and it was a beautiful run that he made in returning the last kick-off.

Cervenke, another Ballinger back, who was injured in the Eden game, did not get into the conflict. He is suffering an injured ankle.

Wood, McKinney and Strickland were the outstanding players on the Brady team. They made good gains and had Strickland not been relieved in the second quarter with an injured ankle he would probably have been a greater star. Cherry, who took his place, could not do so well against the locals. He was thrown for losses almost every time he tried for a gain.

Two bad fumbles cost the Bearcats some good gains early in the game.

This win gives the Bearcats only one loss at the hands of a Class B team, that to Brownwood,

and the Bulldogs defeated Brownwood a short time ago, 6 to 0.

**Summary**  
First downs: Ballinger, 10; Brady, 8.

Passes: Brady tried three, two completed for 30 yards. Ballinger tried one, incomplete.

Penalties: Brady, once for 5 yards offside; Ballinger, once for 15 yards, holding.

Arthur's kicks had an average edge over those of Windrow, Bulldog captain and quarter, of a little more than 5 yards.

Kick-offs: Willbanks kicked off four times for an average of 37 yards; Middleton kicked off once for 40 yards.

Kick-off returns: Arthur, one, for 40 yards; Alagood, one, for 40 yards; Parrish, one, for 20 yards; Smith, one, for three yards. McKinney, one, for 10 yards.

The starting line-ups: Ballinger—ends, Jones Parrish and Robinson; tackles, Daugherty and Smith; guards, Echols and Reese; center, Middleton; quarter, Beck; halves, Coker and James Parrish, (e); full, Arthur. Brady—ends, Willbanks and Holland; tackles, Bauer and Awalt; guards, Johnson and Slaughter; center, Halum; quarter, Windrow (e); halves, Strickland and McKinney; full, Wood. Substitutes: Ballinger—Lusk for Smith; Alagood for Arthur. Brady—Cherry for Strickland; Strickland for Cherry.

Officials: Referee, Woodward (H. P.); umpire, Moore (H. P.); head linesman, Bruce (S. M. U.); time keepers, Weaver (W. T. T. C.) and Pointer (D. B.).

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**STATE RECEIVES HEADLIGHT TESTING BLANKS**

(By International News Service)  
AUSTIN, Nov. 12.—More than 1,000,000 headlight testing blanks have been received by the headlight division of the State Highway Department and will be immediately distributed to the various counties of the state, it has been announced by W. B. Schultz, director of the headlight division.  
An adequate supply of these blanks will be sent to the county

commissioners in each of the 253 counties of the state and by them distributed to the 1,000 or more automobile testing stations, it was stated. The task of testing the headlights of the 1,000,000 automobiles and other motor vehicles in the state will commence on December 1 and continue to January 1. A fee of twenty-five cents is charged by the testing station for making an examination of each motor car.

When an automobile owner

appeals to the county tax collector for his 1928 license plate he must have in his possession and exhibit the certificate from a testing station showing he had his lights tested, according to a provision of the law. No new license number plate will be issued until the car owner shows he has had his headlights tested, it was pointed out.

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**Movies.**

**Alec B. Francis Talks About "The Return of Peter Grimm"**

Alec B. Francis entertained no illusions when he assumed the name role in "The Return of Peter Grimm," Fox Films version of David Belasco's internationally known stage play, announced for showing next Monday and Tuesday at the Palace Theatre. Janet Gaynor and Richard Walling have the leading romantic roles.

"I was quite conscious of the fact that there is but one David Warfield," said Mr. Francis, discussing the part with Director Victor Schertzinger, "and I had no intention of trying to duplicate the performance of the man who made this and other Belasco roles stand out above everything else in the theatrical world.

"I knew that it would be foolish to follow the David Warfield interpretation. I consider Dave one of the greatest actors the legitimate stage has produced. His artistry is peculiarly his own. That is why he is great. It would

be suicidal for any actor to strive to parallel his performance.

"Then, too, I consider myself fortunate, in that I have never seen Mr. Warfield in the role of Peter Grimm. Hence, I was not handicapped by his portrayal. I felt that I wanted to interpret the character in my own way, thus being true to my basic instincts, and giving a better performance than if I tried to work along lines prescribed by others."

Peter Grimm is the role Mr. Francis has wanted to play for the past six years and he was delighted when he was selected for the part by Mr. Schertzinger. In addition to Mr. Francis the cast includes John St. Polis, Bodil Rosing, John Roche, Elizabeth Patterson, Lionel Belmore, Micky McBan, Virginia Marshall, Florence Gilbert, Sammy Cohen and others.

The screen play is by Bradley King.

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**DEATHS**

**Mrs. J. W. Winans**

Mrs. J. W. Winans, 17, wife of J. W. Winans of this city, died Friday evening at 7 o'clock from typhoid fever. She had been ill for only a few days.

She is survived by her husband and her mother, Mrs. E. E. Vincent, of San Angelo.

King-Holt Co. undertakers prepared the body for burial and it was taken to San Angelo on the noon train Saturday. Burial will be made in a San Angelo cemetery. Rev. Richardson, Methodist preacher of San Angelo, will officiate.

**Mrs. Barbara Jost**

Mrs. Barbara Jost, 43, was found dead at her home near Rowena on the San Angelo highway Thursday afternoon after school by two of her children when they returned from school. She is alleged to have taken her own life some time during the day. Two small children at home, one aged four and the other aged

two, were unable to tell how the death occurred.

She is survived by her husband, John Jost, a prominent farmer, and four or five children.

Funeral services were held at Rowena Saturday afternoon with the Catholic priest of that parish officiating.

King-Holt Co. undertakers prepared the body for burial and were in charge at the grave.

**Mrs. Amanda Mathis**

Mrs. Amanda Mathis, wife of J. H. Mathis, of Crews, died at her home on November 10th, after a long illness. She had been in bad health for several months. Mrs. Mathis was born on October 7, 1862.

She is survived by her husband, three sons and two daughters, as follows: J. H. Mathis, Crews; Homer, of Arkansas; Ray, Winters; Tom, Crews; Mrs. E. E. Beck, Crews; and Mrs. Chester Bradley, of Fry.

Funeral services were at Crews Friday, November 11, with Rev. Nellie Hill, pastor of the Ballinger Nazarene church, officiating. Interment was made in the Crews cemetery.

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## SMYTH RESIGNS FOR NEW CHURCH

Rev. Leslie G. Smyth, pastor of the First Christian Church here for the past 18 months, will leave here on December 1st for Plainview where he goes to accept the pastorate of the First Christian Church of that city.

Rev. Smyth turned in his resignation here Thursday night at a meeting of the board of the local church. The board immediately accepted the resignation and gave him leave from his contract on December 1st. Rev. Smyth and his wife and their son, L. George Smyth, will move to Plainview immediately after December 1.

Coming here June 1, 1926, Rev. Smyth took charge of the local church and built up one of the strongest memberships in the and one of the best young men's Sunday school classes in all West Texas. He came here from Fort Worth where he was assistant pastor of the First Christian Church.

Members of the Plainview church made such a good offer that Rev. Smyth said he did not feel like he could afford to turn it down. He already will have a large church there but says the field is much larger than he had ever expected to find in West Texas. He intends to organize a young men's class there and build the church up to one of the largest in the state.

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## MISS NELLIE HILL RESIGNS CHURCH

Miss Nellie Hill, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene here has resigned her post and will take up evangelistic work, it was announced Saturday. Rev. Hill has been pastor here for several years and has done much for this congregation.

Sunday, November 13th will be

the pastor's last day here. She will leave next week for the district assembly of the church in Waco.

Rev. Lawson Brown, of Lytton Springs, will come here and take charge of this church.

This new airplane motor, designed to propel by its exhaust rather than by a propeller, must be modeled on certain men now in national politics. — Worcester Gazette.

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## ONE DEAD IN JUAREZ FIGHT

(By International News Service)

EL PASO, Nov. 12.—Raymundo Morales, Juarez sanitary inspector, is dead, and Felipe Hernandez is in a hospital as the

serious result of a gun fight in a Juarez dance hall last night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Tucker, of Germyn, are here visiting Mrs. Tucker's father, W. C. Penn, and other relatives.

Millard Cope, of San Angelo, was in Ballinger looking after business Saturday.

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