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AT COTTON CONFERENCE



but zero temperatures cotton kings characterized this meeting at Mephis. Alexander Legge, from Canada to Dixie chairman of the Federal Farm Board, is shown seated in the center the rockies to New outlining the board's centralized marketing corporation plan to stabile broadcast was trag-lize the cotton industry. Others are: seater, Mayor Watkins Overton of * 6020n or more deaths Memphis, left, and Carl Williams,, cotton member of the Farm Board, is, ice and low temper- right; standing, James C. Stone, an other board members, left, and Abe Waldauer, attorney for the Tennessee Cotton Growers' Association,

boundary line at Laredo.

Warm Priendliness

to arrest Calles.

Mayor O. W. McDonald emphatically states that it is a violation of the law for anyone to set off any kind of fireworks in the fire district of Brownwood. He says also that he has personally instructed every oliceman to strictly enforce this law and to make arrests if necessary. Mr. McDonald says that he would be glad if the merchants of the city would not sell fireworks for they are a serious fire hazard and an alarming sourse of injury. The LAREDO, Tex., Dec. 18 .- (AP)case of Mrs. J. W. Jennings' injury Sunday caused by an exploding torpedo brings matter seriously before the people, the Mayor thinks and the people should take every precaution possible to prevent any further accidents during the

Wife State Labor Commissioner Dies

the State Labor Cimmission, died free class, not only seasonal merhind the 26-year-old man, he set to Denison for burial. Besides her husband, she is survived by one son, Carter, of Austin.

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Is any hereafter, I feel that I will be saved."

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Kesler, 207 barrels. Green Production Company's and 6 Davis, 110 barrels.

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., Dec. 19 .-Merchants of Laredo, in the midst (A)—Bennie Aldridge, convicted of for so young an animal. Mr. Grif-of their holiday shopping season, criminal attack upon three Dallas today learned that Mexicans living girls last winter, paid with his life ownership of the animal: south of the Rio Grande no longer for the crime in the electric chair would be permitted to carry small of the state prison here today.

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the Mexican side of the international

H. Jenkins, since yesterday after-noon, when they reported the plane The messages also assured the of-ficials of a warm friendliness be-

and Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, and Calles Returns asked that the two border cities not be held responsible for the acts of to Mexico City

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The Darby Petroleum Company's No. 5 Belvin in the George pool in the Grosvenor district came in December 15 at 1324 feet with an interpretation of the district came in December 15 at 1324 feet with an interpretation of the Water covers two and one half days of events.

A motion by defense attorneys for the district came. December 15 at 1,324 feet with an estimated production of 200 bar
Thompson, engineer, conferred with Judge Miller after almost an entire

on December 15, topping the sand at 1.293 feet and drilling to a depth wednesday's action was merely the A motion for continuance, also is estimated at a 10 barrel well.
One new location has been made in the field, being by the Darby Petroleum Company and located 300 feet south of their No. 5 Belvin. A locate

water rights is fully approved and "not guilty. Production in the field in the last all question as to the matter is

trict Directors continue their nego-tiations with land owners in an ef-E. L. Smith Oil Company's Nos. tiations with land owners in an effort to complete the purchase of cluded the following testimony. Darby Petroleum Company's 1 to lands required for the water reservoir, and the hope is still expressed 4. that this detail of preparation for the project may be completed by

A Brown county bull, a yearling Jersey, was sold this week for \$500, said by O. P. Griffin, county agricultural agent, to be a fine price

"Shelton Bros., three miles west for \$500.00. This animal is sired by ry of the robbery and Shelton Bros, herd bull, Benedictine Ruler No. 215113, out of Benedictine girls at the point of guns from their male companions on a highway near year from 14,971 lbs. milk at the Among the more Aldridge went calmly to his death.

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Duties at Paris

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This step follows closing of the Laredo consulate, the Mexican customs house at Nuevo Laredo, and the cancelling of Laredo's Chamber of Commerce privilege to issue tourder laredo business men were optimistic over prospects of a speedy settlement poundergue, began today a series of Reports that the consulate might.

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MEXICO CITY, Dec. 18.—(A)—
Former President Calles returned to Mexico City today after a five suffered some small cuts about the

M'NEIL TRIAL

A brief summary of the McNeil for the Brownwood water project trial now under way in district was secured at Austin Wednesday the following feet. This by F. S. Abney, president of the Roard of Discussion of the Roard of th

estimated production of 200 par-rels. The E. L. Smith Oil Com-pany's No. 14 Belvin also drilled in All details for the permit had nesses placed on the stand by the

of 1,313 feet or 20 feet in the sand. conclusion of the agreement, ac- filed by the defense, was overruled it swabbed 7 barrels yesterday and cording to Mr. Abney. The permit, by Judge Miller Tuesday afternoon

was made in the pool in the last twenty-four hours.

One well is drilling in the field.

In final negotiation of the permit arms in connection with the robotic arms in connec E. L. Smith Oil Company's No. states, but Brownwood's petition for dictment, the defendant pleaded,

> Testimony Began definitely settled.
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> Then began the examining of more than 100 witnesses called by

The First National Bank robbed of about \$8,000 on March 13. That C. A. McNeil was not in the That none of the bank's employ ees saw McNeil either before, dur-

ign or after the robbery.

That Dr. O. B. Love did see and talk with Mr. McNeil about 8:30 on the morning of the robbery. That while talking to Dr. Love. McNeil was calm and not excited. That the Love-McNeil conversation supposedly took place about 8:30 which, was after the actual robbery.

That Dr. Love and McNeil parted in front of the First National Bank with Dr. Love going to his office and McNeil on down the street.

That McNeil told Dr. Love he was going to his ranch in San Saba After two or three other witnesses

had testified Wednesday afternoon of Brownwood recently sold to Tom Bird Ervin took the stand and imports—household articles and Aldridge was the second man to similar goods—duty free from the die for the crime in such a way, Luling, Texas, a senior yearling bull. Jolly's Cleo Ruler Lad No. 299283 Ervin was on the stand over three hours, detailing the purported stoquent events in which the stolen disposition of the money stolen Maid, Register of Merit Class AA from the First National Bank was Among the more important wit-

The State rested its case at 3

and Nabors, were assisted by Frank Sweet. Attorneys Early, Johnson through the curtains at the

PROGRESS OF Ervin, Indicted on Same Charge, Testifies M'Neil Planned, Aided Holdup

The State rested in the trial of C. A. McNeil in the district court here this afternoon and the examination of defense witnesses was begun soon after-

> TOM BIRD ERVIN TESTIMONY

Tom Bird Ervin, one of three men held for the robbery of the First National Bank here March 13th, made a statement on the stand in the crowded court room Wednesday afternoon implicating Clyde A. MeNeil as the one who planned the robbery and the one who stood outside as

In his testimony Ervin said that the robbery was planned on the night preceeding the enof the bank while the three of them were in a car, having been to Putnam and Baird.

Ervin said that they first planned robbing the National Bank, but that one of the men had an acquaintance, there. He further said that two of them planned to enter the First National instead while MeNeil stayed outside as look-

When he was first brought to the stand to testify by the state, he said that he was born in Winchell, was twenty one years old, and had known Me-Neil since 1924 when he joined the National Guard, and that he did not form a close acquaintance with the defendant until several years later.

He was then asked by Walter U. Early to tell of various trips made with McNeil last year. Counsel for the defendant objected strenuously to this testimony as having nothing to do with the case in court at this time. Mr. Early told the court that the purpose was to show close association of the witness with the defendant, and the court permitted the testimony

to go on. Ervin told of having been made mess sergeant in his company in the guard and of Mc-Neil being made captain. He told of a trip to San Antonio to a convention last fall and said that on coming back stopped near Lampasas at the Cutvisits to this ranch with Me-Neil, also several trips with the defendant to Baird.

His story as told the jury in re-

the night before the robbery the First National Bank we eed to meet again at the Soldiers that I will be the last one to go down in this chair. I feel that the of the problem made by Valls activities.

Reports that the consulate might be removed to Brownsville or Eagle Pass were said at the consulate totady to be premature. The consulate total was said to be closed "pending developments."

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 18—(P)—
Instrumental in the dispatching of the robbers, and McNeil case was made in the heart, the straps were adjusted and the current turned on. After the necessary shocks he was pronounced dead by the prison physical manufacture and the defense only used ten and the defense only thirteen, the balance of the men examined being disqualities of Laredo today were hopeful the Mexican nation was a verred, business men and officials of Laredo today were hopeful the Mexican pronounced dead by the prison physical manufacture and the defense only thirteen, the balance of the men examined being disqualities of Laredo today were hopeful the Mexican pronounced dead by the prison physical manufacture and the defense only thirteen, the balance of the men examined the proposition of the robbers. Another man and I slept there that might he down the first worth. Another man and I slept there that might he down the first worth. Another man and I slept there that might he down the first worth. Another man and I slept there that might he down the first worth. Another man and I slept there that might on the first worth and McNeil country from the down.

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the sale of these turkeys to be made later.

Mrs. Bennett and
Baby Are Slightly
Injured in Wreck

Mrs. B. M. Bennett of 607 Melwood Avenue and her 17 months old son were both badly shaken up and the latter received a few minor cuts Saturday afternoon when her car skidded on the muddy road and went into the dich near Mullen on the Goldthwaite and Brownwood

the second man was not chosen for at least two hours, after which the said went employees arrived. I stepped up behind him as he started to open the alter few was about \$600 in silver in the covered him with my pistol and he opened the door. My companion and I followed him in. I turned this man, whom I later learned was Mr. House, over to the other and I took my stand near the front door. I pulled the shakes down so anyone from the street could not see inside the bank. And as other employees carrived. I stepped up behind him as he started to open it up. I to vered him with my pistol and he opened the door. My companion and I followed him in. I turned this man, whom I later learned was Mr. House, over to the other and I took my stand near the front door. I pulled the shakes down so anyone from the street could not see inside the bank. And as other went into the ditch near Mullen on the Goldthwaite and Brownwood road. Mrs. Bennett did not received.

Palmore of Blanket.

During the choosing of the jury all said they could not until Mr. Locks or someone else who could on Cross Examination.

I gave them. After getting the money we placed all seven of the employees in the vault and closed he door but did not lock it. They promised to give us five minutes to get away in if we would leave the door open.'

"When I left the bank I walked West Baker turned left toward he Memorial Hall and then turned eft down the alley back of the bank. I walked down this alley un-til back of the Graham Hotel. There saw McNeil's car and I opened the door and placed the money in-Neil standing in front of the Brown County Abstract Co. building. After putting the money in Mc-Neil's car, I walked on past the Graham Hotel, crossed Broadway and went on to Pecan Street and lown this street back of the Red Top Filling Station. At the interction of Malone and Pecan Streets McNeil and the other drove up in McNeil's car. I got in and we drove to the Memorial Hall. We went into the supply room and placed our loot in the iron chest from which our pistols had been taken. After locking up the money was going. He locked us up in the supply room promising to return

about noon with some lunch. "But McNeil did not return until between 6 and 7 o'clock that evenreturn earlier, McNeil said he was afraid to stay in town all day and had been driving about over the country. McNell told us of several alibis he had established morning, one being that he that gone to Mutt Menefee's garage to have some work done on the car McNeil told us that he had called Menefee's attention to the time of day. He also told us of picking up a Mr. Remington and giving him a

"When McNeil returned that night he had two suit cases, advising us that we were going that night as we had planned before the robbery. We left Brownwood shortly after this in McNeil's car for Houston. We went through Goldthwaite, Lampasas, Georgetown Austin and on to Houston stopped a quarter of a mile on the other side of Goldthwaite and Mc-Neil went back up town to get us seeing a Mr. Lee in Go robbery in Brownwood. We also stopped in Lometa and Georgetown.

"We arrived in Houston about 3 story as told the jury in re-questions by district attor- March 14. McNeil gave us \$200 a ney Walter U. Early and retold by piece and told us to go buy some the writer, follows: a hotel. This we did and then went to the Sam Houston Ho-I registered under the name William Lynch, of Dallas, d Sallors Memorial Hall at 7 the other registered under the clock the morning of the robbery. name of Roy Wilson of Fort Worth,

home of W. D. Brooks in south Austin early today. Six members of the roof of their home were little and passed through here Monday night encounter from the were at the breakfast table. They runshed outside in time to the American Legion. The work and the corner. While we to see the upper part of the chairmers by John A. Valis, district attorney of Webb country, who had charged the general with conspiracy to commit murder in the death of two Mexican army officers who had a same money was not the same that out of the family register and waiting for the same money was not the same in the devited mark. This was that the twelve men selected man, and the other party was not the same in the devited mark and the other party was not the same money was not the same money was not the same money was not t



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CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) blied that his proceedure was a test of memory, and the court over-ruled the objection. The defense attorneys then ask-the witness to tell the story

egain as told earlier, and in several ry of the witness. Mr. Nabors then asked him if he

knew he had been discharged from the National Guard and that the knowledge of it made him pretty mad at this captain meaning Mc Neil. Ervin said that he did not know he had been discharged. In answer to another question Er-

had especially ever be-, his statement to the state he

robbery had been on the night before the robbery. When questioned by Nabors he said it might—have een two nights previous to the obbery, but that he did not remember which it was exactly.

Scared During Robbery

"Of course, I was scared during the robbery, who wouldn't have been?" he answered when Nabors sked him if he were frightened in

Brownwood State Bank, said he was present being swern in. The state Brownwood State Bank, said he was present being sworn in. The state indicted for the robbery of the called for the rules excluding the questions, that the mane was the first registered only at 5 stated. The two discussed a picture proper in the called for the rules excluding the questions, that the mane was the first registered of the same man.

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The audience strained forward to eatch every word he said through-out the entire time.

THE examining of witnesses in the trial in District Court here of Clyde A. McNeil, charged with robbery with firearms in connection with the holdup of the First National Bank of Brownwood, March 13, started Wednesday morning w seven men who were

held up being interrogated. Up through and including the testimony of Millard Romines, cashier, there was no hint of a connection of the defendant with the robbery. Their testimony concerned only the actual robbery and what took place within the bank on the morning when they were all met at the door one or both of the robbers and ushered into the after \$8,000 and more had been

With the two motions of a change of venue and for continuance being overruled and the jury chosen, the first two days of the trial were over and the actual case itself was taken up. Assistant District Attorney J. Edward Johnson Wednesday

defense were read, those witnesses taken

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next one to come in was Norman A. him. Neither wore masks, he said.

whether or not be could open the was being committed.

In answer to questions by Mr. open it. Ervin marched Locks back to the vault, taking with him House.

House said that Locks told Ervin he did not bery, and again affirmed he did not bery, and again affirmed he did not first witness called in the afternoon as the defendant that morning. He first witness called in the afternoon as the defendant that morning. He manipulations. Inside the three men He then told of storing his car dieton News Stand on the morning of the robber, From this cocks took bundles of currency and umped it in a white sack which rvin had taken from his pocket and had morning in Dyke Ward's Gata and then crossing Baker Street to the Penney store and coming on straight to the bank, and of seeing the then emptied trays of siler into the sack, he said. A box of liver was then asked for, but Mr. Schermer Testifies

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ordered to bring the employees in the lobby to the yault and they were the door not to be locked, and Ervin asked the men to give them five minutes and they would not lock it, he testified. House explained that it was an airtight vault and if the door was locked they would expend to the robbers with a pistol. I asked him into any of the windows.

In the cross examination Mr. Salprobably last all week, and so extended his instructions. In the cross examination Mr. Salprobably last all week, and so expended his instructions. If the McNeil trial is not ended ing talked together on the street by Saturday night it will have to while the robbery was probably go be continued next week although

said all the employees entered with nyone in the vault, Mr. Early objected to the ques-

ion being asked, but Judge Miller

House further stated that he saw no one on the outside making any gesture toward the robbers inside, and that the robbers made no call

In answer to a question by Mr. Early, Mr. House said that he did

he did not know then, but identified later. He related the same events as told by Mr. House.

When questioned by Mr. Nabors

he said he met nobody on the out-side the bank on coming in, and did not see the defendant that day. He said that Ervin did most of the talking. Neither of the robbers threatened their lives by word of mouth, but just by their pistols.

In the cross examination he said
he did not know either of the
robbers at that time, and never had

identified McNeil with them, and again stated that he saw no one on the street that morning as he en-

Locks Testifies

He then told of being taken back to the vault, of opening it and of neld by Mr. House at the order of Ervin. When the robbers were locking them in the the vault after the money had been taken he said he would give them ten minutes if

they would not lock the door. In slamming the big coo,r he said,

all placed in there. Locks asked for the robbers with a pistol. I asked him into any of the windows. What the hell is going on here? and In the cross evamination

said when Mr. Romines entered the Ervin before, he said. He said that ject of incident himself bank, was covered with the guns and brought back and added to those in he struck a match, but that Mr.

The only time he ever remembers to the entrance to the bank, and about thirty-six feet from the door of the bank to the vault. He stated that he thought no one could render aid from the street to anyone in the vault.

Mr. Early objected to the questing the defendant was in court that he thought no one interfered with him on entercould render aid from the street to anyone in the vault.

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told of being greeted inside the was a deputy here before he left. made a day or two afterwards of bank by Ervin and his companion.

Lee stated that he knew McNeil \$2,900, the total of the three being Early, Mr. House said that he did not have occasion to look outside, that his mind was concerned on what was happening inside the stated that he did not see the depart of the stated that he did not see the depart of the stated that he saw McNeil about the stated that he saw McNeil about the stated that he saw McNeil about the stated that he did not see the depart of the stated that he saw McNeil about the the had been with the bank eight earner about the robbery and MeNeil respectively an important corner aparet inside by Ervin, he said, whom the did not know then but identified by the Same and the said had been with the bank eight ed down Center Avenue from the about the robbery and MeNeil replied that he had heard about it, by the Garner-Alvis corner, applied that he had heard about it, by the Garner-Alvis corner, applied that he had heard about it. Lee also testified that McNeil told him he was not living in Brown-be did not know then but identified.

> to the bank the morning it was robbed. Mr. Romines was the last of the several bank employees to A. H. Davis, who stated that he timony in its entirety as not have enter the bank and he too was had lived in Houston for about 15 ing anything to do with the robushered into the vault. Mr. Romines years and was a room clerk at the bery of the bank, which occurred stated that the bank was robbed of Sam Houston Hotel, was next wit- on March 13. The court overruled

New Line Questioning
Dr. O. B. Love, a dentist with leged to be the assumed name used brought by the state Thursday offices in the First National Bank by Tom Bird Ervin, was registered morning. building, was next called by the in his presence at about 4:40 p. m. Locks Testifies

Mr. Locks, who said he had been with the bank for about twelve years, was the next witness. He stated that he had to be told twice by Ervin to hold up his hands, and saw two other men being covered by a second man. Both of these robbers he later identified.

He then told of being taken back

Mr. Locks, who said he had been state an entirely different line of questioning followed and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and the later dentified and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and the later dentified and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and the later dentified and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and the later dentified and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and the later dentified and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and the later dentified and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and and angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of the case disclosed. In registered and a new angle of dust the the stant place of business, and walked across either McNeil. Ervin or the man duced to him by Mr. Paul and they place of business, and walked across Center Avenue to his office. Dr. Love remained in his office about 20 minutes, he testified, then went to the Central Drug Store. After remaining in the drug store about five minutes Dr. Love started back to his office.

But in front of the Arcadia News stand, stood Captain, C. A. McNeil, Hudson, McAdams, who stated by the state as an extend stood Captain, C. A. McNeil, Hudson, McAdams, who stated bert in handwriting. He compared his office.

the light wire was cut which plunged them in darkness and broke the hinges on the steel gate which fell and blocked the way. As soon as that obstruction, was glossed its.

Stand stood Captain C. A. McNeil, Hudson McAdams, who stated who at the time was in the act of that he had lived in Houston for purchasing a Dallas Morning News. About 14 years and that he is a cord with those of the checks and promounced them the same. He morning read to the defendant the charge, to which Mr. MeNeil answered, "not guilty.

The names of forty-one witnesses for the state and seventy-six for the state of the hotel and said the same twitness on the stant deter identified a signature of the later identified a sig

Dr. Love stated too that he had three men charged in this robbery

House said that Locks told Ervin he did not did not know whether he could open see the defendant that morning. He first witness called in the afternoon said that the fact that a man was a session. He stated that he had talked side most of the time as has been seen. He found it was time though and customer of the bank was no sign with McNeil, whom he had known her custom through this trial the vault door opened to his he assisted in the robbery.

The attorneys for the state, for some time, in front of the Midhe assisted in the robbery.

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The attorneys for the state, head

He then told of storing his car dieton News Stand on the morning led by Walter U. Early, and include the state of the state, head the state of the state of the state, head the state of the s

in Mr. Lock's cage and they started for it, but turned back.

He further testified that other employees entered while this was taking place, they being received by taking place, they being received by the second robber and held in the lobby. These included S. S. Schermer, building superintendent, Bud Coffee and Everett Lee, clerks.

Placed in Vault
When the money was secured, House stated, the second robber was ordered to bring the employees in the employees in the paper down and then saw one of the bank, nor could they look of the bank, nor could they look.

It and learned it had been robbed. He stated in answer to questions to questioned as to his the robbers. He said he entered the bank and learned it had been robbed. He stated in answer to questions do the trial, sitting with the masser in the trial, sitting with the seem to be nervous nor excited and bank with his hands talked with him the way he usually always characterizes him." He said their conversation was mainly about always characterizes him." He said their conversation was mainly about the was ranching, and where Salter again offered him the paper. He said that from where they were take it? Put it on the ledge.' I put the lobby to the yault and they were

the testilled. House explained that the same will be told in substance the same while the robbery was probably gobe continued next week, although the said Locks made this promise.

The door was just being shut, he is positive in his identification of the two robbers. He knew that he Saiter, brought up the sub-Miller. The trial of Champion that the said that the sa

J. M. Meddleton Testifies
J. M. Middleton, news stand owner, the vault, the door of which was Romines asked him to put it out as whose place of business is about two said. Shut. Those inside pushed it open it would take too much air from doors down the street from the bank, told of the conversation of the s hem.

Dank, teld of the conversation of the stand Thursday morning was McNeil and Salter in front of his Frank Paul, teller of the Houston When the state had finished, A. E.

Nabors began questioning for the defense. In answer Mr. House that he did not see anyone stated that he did not see anyone stated that he did not see anyone to the bank with Everett Lee. He stated that he did not see anyone stated that he did not see anyone to the bank with Everett Lee. He told practically the same story, and that the time they both entered the which he saw the crowds at the entermination of the bank with Everett Lee. He is the bank with Everett Lee. He is the control of the bank with Everett Lee. He is the bank and should remove the control of the bank with Everett Lee. He is the bank and should remove the control of the bank with Everett Lee. He is the bank and should remove the control of the bank with Everett Lee. He is the control of the bank and should remove the control of the bank and the control of the bank and should remove the control o said that he saw only two bank rob- trance to the bank and knew some- in the same division in Prance for

The only time he ever remembers in the court room in the morning, fr

fendant, C. A. McNeil at or near 13 or 14 on the sidewalks of Goldth- the checks which were cashed on the bank on the day of the rob- waite. He talked to McNeil awhile this account, were identified by William O. Kemp, who stated that bery. He stated also that he walk-had been with the bank eight ed down Center Avenue from the Lee said that he spoke to McNeil dence.

Honston Hotel Register

\$8,111.95. On cross examination Mr. ness.

Sam Houston Hotel, was next with the objection and said the defense Romines stated that he did not see The state asked him to examine could have a bill of exception on Captain McNeil either before, during a sheet of the register book of the is or after the robbery.

Locks, assistant cashier.

Locks Ordered to Open Vault

To this man, Mr. House said,
Ervin did not put the question to anything else while the robbery time.

Inm. Neither were masks, he said.

He further said that he does not known McNeil for several years and would have noticed it if McNeil had court room was again filled to cated differently from any other pacity at the opening of court this morning. Attorneys for the defendance of the court Immediately after Dr. Love had ant. A. E. Nabors and Arnold Kirk-

The attorneys for the state, head

standing they could not see the door Lloyd Champion was scheduled to of the bank, nor could they look start Thursday morning, the judge

might be held during the week of the special term, beginning Decem-

said he never saw McNeil on the said that he saw only two bank robday of the robbery and never heard the robbers mention his name. He recting the robbery.

trance to the bank and knew some in the same division in France for thing had happened.

While there was a fair sized crowd the defendant saw service on the court room in the morning.

out as his attention inside was occupled with what went on in there.

Testimony Everett Lee

R. Everett Lee, the next witness called to the stand by the State, told about the same story as told by Kemp. House and Locks. He told of being greeted inside the control of the robbery, as already related. Saw Mr. Manel for the first time w. H. Lee of Goldthwaite was the opened an account by depositing a small sum of money. He came to the bank the next day and depositant and had lived in Brownwood up and the bank the next day and depositing a signature card, the from Brownwood to Goldthwaite. He witness said. Another deposit was a deputy here before he left, made a day or two afterwards of

Mr. Paul, and were admitted in evh

especially from the state's evidence.

Robbery S8,111.95

Millard Romines, cashier of the First National Bank, was next called by the state and told of his entry to the bank the morning it was to the other man involved and that he did not know Ervin or the bank the morning it was to other man involved and that he did not know Ervin or and was dated March 14 and was cashed at Coloman.

cashed at Coleman.
The defense objected to this tes

This proceeding happened with every witness from Houston

Before Mr. Paul left the stand he was asked by Mr. Nabors if he

Wilson was registered. next called. He testiffed that on Davis stated that he did not know March 16 the defendant was intro-

He compared





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cross examination that he have sold the pullman tickets to pass holders, but did not on that

Lawrence D. Lee, exchange telle of the South Texas Commercia National Bank at Houston, ident fied two cashier's checks as having been issued by him April 15. The were made out to the name T. E. Holcomb, and he testified that th person who asked for them was th one who gave his name as T. Each of them were fo Holoomb. Each of them were for ed in Dallas, and the other one in Brownwood

Miss Elsie Johnson, cashier of the

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and Mrs. Clarence day nday a baby boy, Saturday, December 6, at 4:30 p. m. Sam Bartley and Miss Eulos reatherstone has been Doggett were united in marriage at

the residence of Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Moreland. Both young people live in Comanche but Mrs. Bartley in Comanche but Mrs. Bartley in Comanche but Mrs. Bartley formerly lived in this city having moved from here to Comanche a little more than a year ago. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ercement walk. She has med however, and is able bout her crutches.

Ledsoe made a business mwood last Saturday.

be a union Christmas

Baptist church next and Mrs. Ercommissioners Court for them a long life of happiness.

The Commissioners Court for this county met in regular session on Monday December 9. Among other business transacted they ordered in this city having moved from here to Comanche a little more than a year ago. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ercomet walk. She has med however, and is more land. Both young people live in Comanche but Mrs. Bartley formerly lived in this city having moved from here to Comanche a little more than a year ago. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ercomet walk. She has med however, and is able to commissioners court for the moved from here to Comanche a little more than a year ago. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ercomet walk. She has med however, and is able to commissioners court for the moved from here to Comanche a little more than a year ago. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ercomet walk. She has med however, and is a little more than a year ago. She is the daughter of Mr. Bartley is a stranger here but the friends of the Doggett family all join in wishing for them a long life of happiness. The Commissioners Court for this country met in regular session on Monday December 9.

Rev. S. D. Lambert, stor will preach.

D. Fuller was shopping Thursday of last week. Growers Association paid a like beer went to Live Oak at to hear Rev. W. E. ach. He reports having sermon.

Ford was called to business transacted they ordered they or

days ago on ac-le granddaughter, ng dyphtheria. The

be in town December 23. All par ents are requested to have their children lined up on the sidewalk as

SMALL FIRE DAMAGE

The fire department was called

Honor Roll Ist Grade
A Honor Roll
Nondys Evans, Marjorie Triplett,
John Renfro, Billy DeWees.
2nd Grade

Cross Cut

6th and 7th Grade Mildred Cole, Bernice Grey, Bil-e Renfro, Norris Chambers.

High School Geraldine Gaines, Elva Stockton, B Honor Roll

Ist Grade Junior Pickett, Mable Campbell, Ruth Dunlap, Louise Cole, Carl Chambers.

2nd Gade Richard Burge, Erlin Byrd, Anderson Taunshell, Lowell Newton, James Stephens Franklin Perrell, Alma Cowan, Hazel Eddington, Dor-Alma Cowan, Hazel Eddington, Dor-othy Griffin, Ona Mae McClellan, Linnie Marie Walker.

ugly range hopper has been be-stowed praise in a judicious measure.

lially among those who recei musical instruments, it is said.

The business meeting was cal 3rd Grade

Helen Burge, June Evans, Mau-rine Gaines, Lena Teague, Francis Walker, Ada Mae Sawyer. 6th and 7 Grades
Ovely Pittman, S. P. Arledge, Dorcas Pickett, Lee Melton, Glen Walk-

er, Guy Cole, Clifton Chambers. Billie Ruth Clark, Estill Looney, Fay Stockton, Mattie Mae Case, Gaston Harbour, Charles Walker, Claudine 14:多题 June McDonough, Willard

man, Johnnie Teague.

successful fixer, Herland Pittman;
Mr. McNutt, a defective detective,
Alton Clark; Elmer Flannel, awfully
shrinking, Eldon Gregg; Abou Ben
Mocha, a Turk from Turkey, Bernard Griffin; Mabel Montgomery,
leak': wife Cov Filipper Virginia Jack's wife. Coy Ellison: Virginia Bridger, her young sister, Nelda Gregg; Mrs. Barrington Bridger, heir mamma. Evely Griffin. Zuger heir mamma.

The Cross Cut "Tigers" and "Cardinals" journeyed to Bangs Friday. December 13, and engaged the "Dragons" and their female counterparts, respectively, in basketball. The "Cardinals" won 21-18 while the Tigers lost 11-8. The same teams meet again Friday. January 10, 1930.

The Cross Cut "Tigers' and "Cardinals" go to Grosvenor Wednesday night to invade the nest of the "Hornets" for two games of basketball. The "Tigers" are working hard and are counting on leaving the "Hornets" crushed and minus their stingers, while the "Cardinals" by fat and strong by devouring the "Gradinals" by fat and strong by devouring the "Gradinals" by fat and strong by devouring the "CHICAGO, Dec. 16— (AP)—Mary their stingers, while the "Cardinals" are planning to make a good meal of the "Hornets" who oppose them. The "Kittens" and "Cubs" played Williams School Friday, December 12. The "Kittens" heat 22.2 from the standpoint of the money of the m ed Williams School Friday, December 13. The "Kittens" beat 22-2 and the "Cubs" beat 14-0. S. A. Arledge was the high point man of Arledge was the high point man of Christmas time from its sale, but had been frequently mentioned with had some from the standard of pro-

Mr. D. J. Smally who was operated on at the Sealy Hospital last devastation by the locust pest. ation for tonsils and adenoids Saturday at the Central Texas Hospital, Brownwood. He is getting ing nicely and will soon be able o return to school.

Mr. S. M. Gregg returned from nting trip Thursday night. Mr. McCaslnd, the superinten-nt of school, presented the high prior with two pictures Monday orning. Hardy and Denny also ented the school with a picture, Dance of the Nynpths.'

The P. T. A. met in regular ses-on Monday night December 16, and a fine program was rendered by representatives of the elementary

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meeting was held, where it was ously decided to have a community Christmas tree, sponsored by P. T. A., to be held on Christ-

mas Eve. The P. T. A. now boasts 43 members and is growing all the time.

The vocational agriculture boys organized a club known as the "Future Farmers of Texas." The object of this is to make better farmers. The boys are going to work

Lowly Grasshopper Given Praise as Food for Turkeys

BRADY, Texas, Dec. 18.—(Sp.)— real Christmas plate dinner.

At last the lowly grasshopped, voracious destroyer of verdant fields, mas tree were gifts for everyone ful injury of the right foot and let the control of the local control of the

whether it would rather die from up the discussion of the Christmas internal convulsions of arsenic or lights and other decorations which be stifled in the gizzard of a gob- have been stolen off of trees

High School
Darwin Anderson, Lila Bright, Leta
Byrd, Walton Clark, Chloe Eddington, Lorene Eddington, Nelda Gregg,
of crooked bones in the Thanks-Ruel Gafford, Coy Ellison, Evelyn giving fowl. At least that is what lar meeting of the club and th Griffin, Vilma Moore, Herland Pitt- local turkey breeders claim to have next meeting will be held Januar observed.

High School will present a play at rich in protein which furnishes maauditorium Friday night. December terial to build muscle and tissue,

"Better Investments" and the mem-The play is entitled "Safety county agent Prewit states. It also First" and the cast is as follows: Jack Montgomery, a young husband, Ruel Gafford; Jerry Arnold, an un-successful fiver. Herland Pittman:

heir mamma, Evely Griffin; Zu- the number of crooked bone birds

tecting the other field crops from of the Prince and Miss Negri

vented by a Philadelphia minister very happy."

Marie Baucon.

3rd Grade

Clyde Chambers, James DeWess, for the community and do a large of the farmers of the community as possible. They have decided to as possible. They have decided to set out some seventy-five or hundred program and set out some seventy-five or hundred program and Mrs. J. W. Trapp told campus.

Coving Grade

Clyde Chambers, James DeWess, for the community and do a large of the form the farmers of the community and do a large of the program and Mrs. J. W. Trapp told some Christmas legends that have been some some some some christmas legends that have been some christmas lege ome Christmas legends that have ed up to the present customs and ideals of Christmas. She also ex-plained how the members could live up to their motto for 1930, "Better Business Women for a Bet-

ter Business World."
Miss Maysie Malone and Mrs. G.
C. Skinner had charge of the dinner and served the members with a

has been given a useful place in the conomic scheme of things.

The gifts were distributed this morning when his horse slippe conomic scheme of things.

The gifts were distributed this morning when his horse slippe conomic scheme of things. Instead of the usual poison, the ially among those who received and fell on him.

measure.

As far as this insect itself is concerned, it would, perhaps, just as well taken poison since praise and poison in this case are somewhat synonymous. It is all a "matter whether it would rather die from

Turkey raisers of this county have All members brought their pres-

found the grasshopper an excellent ents for the Brownwood boys who turkey feed. While the grasshopper are in the leper colony in Louisiana itself seems to have hardly a and the large package was mailed

The English Club of Cross Cut The carcass of a grasshopper is Miss Estelle Duren in charge. bers will answer roll call with

Reported Pola Negri and Husband Are Reconciled

PARIS, Dec. 16-(A)-The Paris leika, a tender Turkish maiden, flunctuates with the fat and lean edition of the Chicago Tribune to-Chloe Eddington; Mary Ann O'Finnerty, an Irish cook, Vilma Moore.
Time, 7:30—Admission 20c and 35c.

Sports

The Cross Cut "Tigers" and hopper years. Whenever there is a good grasshopper year, the average grade of turkeys is correspondingly higher than in lean would leave together in January for

ration contains the amount of pro- required under French divorce pro-tein and mineral mixture, which cedure. The unusual happened and The Cross Cut "Tigers' and nature has embodied in the carcass the move intended as a formality

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Policeman Hurt as Horse Falls

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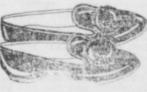
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Christmas tree out at 2:15 this morning to Lions Club on the home of J. H. Bunch, 1800 Houston the northeast cor-are has been lighted amounting to between \$50 and \$75 A large star is to the roof and ceiling of his when the fire department arriv-deserves much ed the flames were already coming he benefit of the are also furnish-ult for Santa to of the house, but from what cause

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Cornelius, lot 9, block 1 of Porter's addition. \$2750.00
U. R. Groom Realty Company to the committee had beard only those who approached the committee.

Shook was charged with Ed Pryor, ford, lot 4, block 4 of Grandview be heard.

W. L. Clayton of the Houston former Electra Constable, and Henry Shumate. Shumate was the princi-

Messages From Mc's Business College

Basketball

The fans of Brownwood and the surrounding communities witnessed an interesting basketball game between Bangs High School and Me's Business College on Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Daniel Baker Gymnasium. The players for Me's Earl Burns to W. N. Burns 642. Business College on Monday High.

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Coleman Sunday afternoon,

Miss Ruby Wilson, who is student of Mc's, spent the week-end with her parents at Richland

Miss Foy Williams spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Trick-

Delbert Duncan was a visitor in Mc's Business College Tuesday.

The Choral Club will meet Wednesday and plan for entertainment to be given soon.

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 19-(A)-Pope Pius today imposed the red hat on six newly created cardinals. inducting them into the sacred col-

lege of princes of the church. ceremony, held principally in the No. 41, \$1.00. parri, papal secretary of state. The cardinals were introduced singly to the pontiff, who endowed them with the episcopal gown, the Pectoral Oross, the cardinalate cord of red and gold, and the red berretta, or

The new cardinals were the Pat-Lisbon, Monsignor Emanuele Goncales Cerejeira; Arch-bishops Lavitrano of Palermo, Sicily.

Nuncio at Berlin.

They brought the total number of cardinals to 63. of whom 33 are of non-Italian nationality and 30 Italian. The United States has four representatives in the college, namely. Archbishops O'Connell of Boston, Dougherty of Philadelphia, Hayes of New York and Mundelein of Chicago. Germany has four cardinals, while France has seven.

After imposition of the berretta the Gardinal Patriarch of Lisbon read, in the name of his campanions,

read, in the name of his campanions, a speech of profound gratitude for the Poper the Pontiff's benevolence. The Pope replied he was grateful that the Lord had permitted him to raise to the college such worthy persons on the eve of the golden anniversity of the college such worthy persons on the eve of the golden anniversity of the college such worthy persons on the page and get busy; must be in by December 23rd.

The Banner-Bulletin MRS, LEROY WISE AND Published Every Thursday by MAYES PRINTING CO. Brownwood, Texas WINNERS IN CONTEST

Mrs. LeRoy Wise, of the Brooke community, won first prize in the Brownwood News Opportunclose at 9 o'clock Wednesday night December 18. Mrs. Wise will be test.
Mrs. Mable Kiser of Brownwood

won first prize in District No. 1, this district including the city of Brownwood. Mrs. Kiser wins a Pontiac sedan purchased from McKean Heflin, who sponsored the resolu-

Mrs. Horace White, of May, won seend place in District 2, her prize being a radio and Mrs. G. G. Hepin-stall, of Blanket, won third place, ring a diamond ring.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

mounced he would next call the former police chief on charges of murder in the slaying of Oscar Daughtery in Electra in August, 1928.

Three other felony indictments are pending against Shook in Wichita county.

M. E. Williams to Ira Van Order, 1-8 interest in 100 acres of H. T. & B. Railroad survey, \$30.00.

M. E. Williams to Ira Van Order, 1-8 interest in E 1-2, N 1-2 and N 1-4 of section 4 of S. A. & M. G. Railroad Company's survey, \$10.00.

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Heflin read a telegram from A.

B. McCollum of Corpus Christi, Texas, which asked why the subcommittee should not call a representative of cotton exporters and reversed the indictments did not in the first the first than the first than the first the first than t M. G. Railroad Company's survey, firm.

The final score was 27 to 13 in school lands, 180 acres of Subdivision of Comanche drawal would have upset routine Mr. J. T. Cone, who has been an acres of Subdivision 87 of Comanche excellent student in Mc's, has gone to Port Arthur, where he will ac- 98 of Comanche school lands, 300 to Port Arthur, where he will accept a position with the First National Bank as bookkeeper and stenographer.

8 of Comanche school lands, 300 Reiterating what he said yesterday. Clayton replied: "That supsched posed power has never since 1904 And And Survey, 80 acres of T. J. Reeves survey, 101 acres of G. C. Baker Survey, 102 acres of G. C. Baker Survey, 103 acres of G. C. Baker Survey, 104 acres (section 7) of E. T. Railroad Company survey, 149 Short."

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Miss Elizabeth Metz is a new No. 7, 160 acres of E. T. Railroad ed. Company survey in section 11, 160 acres of B. W. Harrison survey, 320 Miss Marie Miller has returned from Ft. Worth, Dallas and Decatur, where she spent the week-end.

Miss Lorraine Crockett wided Elliott survey and Block of W. F.

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addition: \$3325. J. B. Nelms et ux to V. R. Blake, part of lot 6, block 7 of Grand View see certain parts of the bank build-

110 acres of W. J. Carter he was not sure

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Oil and Gas Lease Hal Scarborough visited in Bangs
Herring, 20 acres of J. J. Martin survey No. 44; \$1.

We pistols which he said came from the store room at the armory. The numbers on the pistols had been filed off.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moore announce the arrival of a daughter, born filed off.

Oil and Gas Assignments Jim Barron to L. C. Riordan an divided 1-2 interest in 80 acres of William Armstrong survey and 20 res of J. H. Grimes survey, \$1.00. S. B. Roberts to Elsie Soinney, undivided 1-8 interest of the mes Grant survey No. 54, \$1.00. L. C. Riordan to E. E. Reynolds, undivided interest in 80 acres of William S. Armstrong survey No. 41 and in 20 acres of J. H.

Orimes survey No. 35545, \$1.00. L. C. Riordan to E. E. Reynolds, an undivided 3-4 interest in the S. jury was excused from the room un-The pontiff was assisted in the W. 1-4 of W. S. Armstrong survey

Former Brownwood Woman Killed by Auto in Ft. Worth

The Dallas News this morning car-ried the notice of the death of Miss only today. Elizabeth Cassidy, who was killed Tuesday when she was hit by an Minoretti of Genoa, Mac Rory of Armagh, Ireland, and Verdier of Paris; and Monsignor Pacelli, Papal Nuncio at Berlin.

They brought the total number of but made her home in Dallas. It

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 .- (AP) given a 1930 Dodge standard se-dan that has been purchased from in control of the New York cotton Abney and Bahannon. Mrs. Wise a panic was expressed today by Senator Heflin, Democrat, Alabama. at a Senate agricultural sub-com mittee hearing on speculative activities on the New York, Chicago and

> ion under which the inquiry was ordered, said he had "no doubt whatever that a large speculative force in New York has deliberately tried to produce a panic right in the midst of the Hoover administration." He added that had it not been for deral Reserve Banking 150 ACRES land for rent or "the attempt would have Federal Reserve System.

> succeeded." "The question is," he said, "whether turkey ranch, six miles east er this country can let this go on. Something has got to happen, and its coming out of this committee." ation write 206 First St. N.

uny. He was charged with robbery U. R. Groom Realty Company to U. R. Groom Realty Company to Conton exchanges, but that after the cotton exchanges, but that after the Christmas recess, "witnesses on the Christmas recess, "witnesses on the Christmas recess,"

W. L. Clayton of the Houston horses. Will give terms. cotton firm of Anderson, Clayton & See Clarence Allen Hard-Shumate. Shumate was the principal state witness. He testified he committed the actual crime with the aid and encouragement of Shook and Pryor.

Shook's attorneys announced a motion for new trial would be made. It will be heard in Wichita Falls.

Shook was taken back to Wichita Falls.

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Mineral Deeds

C. T. Comurn et ux to W. L. Sikes.

Company, who was on the stand again today, answered a suggestion by Heffin that legislation be enacted against bearish selling of hedges by saying he thought it unwise to say that those who speculate should do so only on one side of the market.

The witness, after predicting more active buying of cotton by spinners active Company. Phone 1672.

Mrs. Mary E. Gray to J. C. Plumer et al. part of east 1-2 of H. T. & B. Railroad Company's section 6, \$863.

Off and Gas Assignments

"Who is he referring to?" the Alabaman asked.
"I compliment myself he is referring to me," Clayton answered, as the committee room broke into "Who is he referring to?" the

It doesn't change the fact, however, that your influence gives an ac-

Reiterating what he said yesterday. Clayton replied: "That supposed power has never since 1904 been used with intent or effect of depressing the market. In all that time we have never sold a bale short."

"But you've sold hedges," Heflin interrupted.

"Yes we have followed a proper solution of the murder of Samuel Cole, street interrupted.

"Yes we have followed a suppose for the murder of Samuel Cole, street car motormap, and Depend was many interesting things such as, the elevators in which the grain from the first story is carried to have killed Joe Piccola. Crippled the higher stories, how the flour is sifted, and many other interesting facts.

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"Yes, we have," Clayton answer-

Miss Lorraine Crockett visited Elliott survey and block 9 in town deputy sheriff, who reported some of Owens; \$10.

B. F. Adams et ux to W. M. the door to the First National Bank Potter, part of lot 4, block 4 of to the Arcadia News Stand, from the Coggin addition; \$2036.50. Coggin addition: \$2036.50.

E. P. Kilgore et ux to C. J. and from the door to the Cutbirth Domm, lot 3, block 4 of Grand View and Cutbirth building and a num-

ing from various points from which S. P. Burns et ux to George P. he took measurements, and he said

The state called Rex Gaither, in command of the National Guard once captain. He was shown the two pistols which he said came from

who used the pistols since the date of the robbery and who had been charge of them. The witness re-lied that they had been in charge McNeil as captain, of himself as commanding officer for the past three or four months, and of R. A. Williford, supply sergeant, and that they had probably been taken with

e rest of the equipment to the imp at Palacious this fall. bonnet Beauty Shop, has gone to Dallas where she will study finger The defense objected to the use famous finger waver of Chicago Judge Miller said that more latti-tude is allowed in corroborating an Anderson returned Sunday night accomplice and would admit the

The state, however, took back the stols and said they would use nem in rebuttal. In bringing Rex Gaither to the tand, the state said that they had ound new evidence only this morn-

Be sure to get a pair of

and neatest pages. Read instruc-tions on the page and get busy; must be in by December 23rd.

WHAT I SAW IN BROWNWOOD

sented the second prize winning es- wood High School and Sweetwater say, written by a rural school pupil High School. This was very interafter visiting Brownwood on Rural esting, especially when the

BY GLADYS DORSETT Blanket High School seat of that county. Brownwood, When we left the jail we return-for a day's educational tour. ed to Blanket a tired but happy

people of Brownwood very thought-ful, and I wish to thank them for their kind effort to help us. Automobiles were provided for all f the rural school children.

We left the Memorial Hall about hine o'clock. Our first place to visit was the Brownwood Cotton Dil Mill. There we were shown many things which was very interesting. We saw how the cotton seed is graded,

the kernel of cotton seed is re-

lease - Good chicken or

next to Looney Mercantile

Cases Reversed

AUSTIN, Dec. 18- (A) -Three

action in reversing and remanding

indictment embraced two counts,

the killing was "unlawful and volun-

Little Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Locks an-

Mr. and Mrs. William Lynch an-

Mrs. Evelyn Howell, of the Blue-

Dr. W. B. Anderson and Mrs

from Dallas where Dr. Anderson

attended the fourth annual meeting

of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Society which was in session there

Official Headlight

Test Station

On Adams Street-half a block North of Postoffice-

Brownwood, Texas

LON WILLIS, Owner

ter member of the society.

nounce the arrival of a son, born Thursday, December 12th. He has

been named Kenneth Lee.

nounce the arrival of a daughter, born Sunday, December 15th.

The jury found the defen-

E., Ardmore, Okla.

noved from the hull and then how We next visited Walker-Smith & Company. As we entered we were Company. As we entered we were in 1922. The charge was dishissed served peanut butter sandwiches. on motion of District Attorney John Walker-Smith is noted for its good peanut butter. We were also given dence." FOR SALE CHEAP—Fiveyear-old span of work horses. Will give terms. See Clarence Allen Hardware and Implement Company, 516 E. Broadway, peanut butter. We were also given a sack of parched peanuts. We carver was indicted with Allen were shown how peanut butter is made, packed, sealed and labeled. You all I'm sure, have used either some of Walker-Smith's Pecan Valley Peanut Butter or Pecan Valley Coffee. I am sure you all think ley Coffee. I am

t is the best made.

After we left Walker-Smith's we While "insufficiency of evidence The syrup room was very clean and real reason. that is the way it must stay. We Valls attit that is the way it must stay.

then went downstairs and observed sulted in the Mexican government's closing the consulate here shortly how the drinks are bottled and test-less are hardly touch-less are hardly touch-less

The cases reversed and remanded were Ardell Landers and Dewey R. Hunt, both convicted in Dallas

The three cases were submitted only last Wednesday, the same day the court held in a life imprisonment murder case that the indictment must allege "malice aforethought" if a penalty greater than five years is inflicted.

The Alamo Manufacturing Company which had been suggested in some quarters as one way to clarify the situation resulting from the closing of the consulate.

Several meetings of business is inflicted. The case of William Pruett, Jr., wheat is graded and washed until

Dallas county, under sentence of 99 the flour is sacked, weighed and the years for robbery by firearms, was affirmed. He was accused of holding Grain Company mill showed us up O. L. Buck and robbing him of many interesting things such as,

car motorman, and Depena was charged with the death of Alfred there. We were shown how advertisements are made, and the comic the Danish government.

The last place we visited before courses in Copenhagen University, the court granted a motion for a lunch was the Southwest Telephone At twelve o'clock we returned to

In the Landers death case the the Memorial Hall for lunch. program was rendered before and after lunch. Very interesting talks one alleging "with malice aforeand the other charging were given by various men. After this the Brownwood High Schoo tary." The jury found the defen-dant guilty under the second count. was enjoyed by every one. After lunch we visited Shaw's

Model Laundry. Many interesting things were observed. We noticed how the clothes were washed, iron-ed and then mended. Also we saw now they wash rugs. Your clothes are not scorched or injured here, so never be afraid to send your clothes to Shaw's Model Laundry.

At three o'clock we went to see are not scorched or injured here, so never be afraid to send your clothes to Shaw's Model Laundry.

Editor's Note: Herewith is pre-the football game between Brown

was over and Brownwood leading!
Our last place to visit was the
jail. We saw some of the notorious
bank robbers. We benefited much Saturday, November 16, 1929, all by this visit because we saw what of the rural school children of the criminals must live in. We have Brown county met at the county no desire to be in jail.

The Chamber of Commerce of group.

Brownwood and the people of Once again, I wish to express my Brownwood take education serious thanks to the Chamber of Comenough that they offer this to rumerce and the people of Brownwood take the chamber of Comenough that they offer this to rumerce and the people of Brownwood takes the chamber of Comenough that they order to the chamber of th al students, that make good grades, wood for the effort spent in trying I wish to say here that I think the to make this Third Rural School Chamber of Commerce and the Day a success.

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 19-(AP) Duke Carver, San Antonio consta ble, today stood freed of a charg of murder in the slaying of Luck Blanco, Mexican army officer, here in 1922. The charge was dismissed

went to Coca Cola Manufacturing was the technical reason for the dis-Company. There we were given missal of the charge, Valls made it small souvenirs. We then went up clear the action of the United States to the syrup room. We were ex- government in extending diplomatic drinks are made. We were shown that the Coca Cola drinks are not rest on a conspiracy charge in contouched by hand while being made.

AUSTIN. Dec. 18— (P)—Three ed. The bottles are hardly touch—death penalty murder cases were ed by hand through the complete route to Mexico City from New York reversed and remanded by the Court process. Each bottle is tested: "If my government." Valls said. of Criminal Appeals today because the indictments did not allege the defendants killed with "malloe aforethought." The indictments merely set out they "voluntarily" we then visited Nehi Bottling citizens jointly charged with Calles willed.

nment has greatly interferred with the exportation of goods and tourist travel through Laredo.

Danes Think Schools Can't Make Reporters

GENEVA— (A)—Journalism is a profession which demands certain personal qqualities which cannot be acquired, in the opinion of Danish newspapermen, says a communica-tion to the League of Nations from

Case Affirmed

The case of Elwell Satterwhite. under sentence of 35 years for criminal assault, appealed from Brazos county, was affirmed after.

The case of Elwell Satterwhite we observed was the Associated source of knowledge of newspaper routine, the note adds in explaining Danish journalisms' indifference toward institution of journalistic section. A most interesting fact we observed was the Associated source of knowledge of newspaper routine, the note adds in explaining Danish journalisms' indifference toward institution of journalistic section. A note from Czechoslovakia on

Company. This was a very interesting thing and we appreciated the way they explained this to us. A necessary for their profession.

SUITS FILED

District Court

T. Ray Garrett vs A. S. Mimms Seth Low, et al, vs The St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Com-pany, debt and damages by fire.

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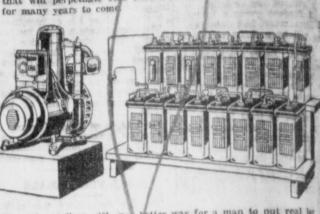
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pretty good girl. I want you to please bring me a doll, doll hed, a sewing machine, fruits, nuts and candy. Your little friend. Hazel Loraine

Dear Santa Claus-I am a little for my doll. Don't forget my little friend, Madalene Manley, oy three years old. I am writing brother, Charles Lee. Your little to fell you what I want you to bring friend, Mary Pettis. bring me an airplane, a truck, fruits, muts, candy and don't forget the little orphan children. Your lit-tle friend, Billie Wood Johnson.

Dear Santa Claus-Will you please Dilley Ed. Jackson. bring my things to Brownwood, I forgot to remind you in my asking letter, didn't I? I'll be at the Central

girl nearly five years old. Please with plenty of fire works. Your bring me a doll, doll buggy, sewing loving friend, Junior Geisendon. apples, orange candy and nuts. Please don't forget old. Please remember all the other

ber Mother and Daddy and don't

me to see me this Christmas will you please bring me a cowboy suit, a football, a fire truck, a train, a and nuts and a tricycle. Your little friend, James Harrison, P. S. Do and a little teddy bear and please

Dear Santa Claus-I want a doll little friend, A. L. Lockhart, Jr. and a handbag and I want a doll bed for Christmas. You can bring Dear Santa Claus—I want a footme anything you want. Goodbye ball suit, and a slip over sweater and a little circus set and train

Dear Santa Claus-I don't want fireworks, nuts and candy.

too. Hope I see you there. Lots of nice red coaster wagon full of who haven't any Mother or Daddy. love from Bob Nevans, San Autonio. candy, nuts and fireworks. You Nancy Verlin. Harvey House. Will find me at 1300 First Street. Dear Santa—I am a little boy five P. S. Santa, L. A. Grooms, Jr. P. S. Santa, please come by Austin and bring Daddy's Barber license.

boy all this year, so I hope you will bring me the following list of things: Dear Santa—I'm a little boy five A cowboy suit, a toy train, a policeman suit, a football, some neckties, ten about two months. I want for Christmas a blackboard, a horn, drum and aeroplane, tricycle. I sure clieb that you see fit to send me, think you are a fine fellow and I Santa. I am sick in bed and have the following list of things:

Dear Old Santa—I am going to promise to be a better little girl and forget Mother and Daddy are few toys. I want you to please bring me a few toys. I would like to have a doll, your friend, E. F. Smith, Jr. drum and aeroplane, tricycle. I sure clieb that you see fit to send me, the big one you brought last Christ—Dear Santa—I am a little Dear Old Santa-I am going to promise to be a better little girl and forget Mother and Daddy and all Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl six years old and I've been a mest and please don't forget crayolas. I want you to please bring me a doll, doll hed, a sewing love, Billie Jack Dickson. Mother and Daddy. With lots of love sewing machine, too and any-love, Billie Jack Dickson.

Dear Santa—I am a little girl seven years old. I have been a very good girl, Please bring me a Baby Dimple doil, a brush wool sweater and cap outfit, and rubber pants for my doil. Den't forget my little friend, Madalene Manley.

To and fireworks Don't forget Mother and fireworks. Don't forget Mother and Daddy. Your friend, Leona Smith.

Dear Santa—I am a little girl stocking at grandmothers' too. I Smith.

Dear Santa—I'm so glad it's about Dimple with a little pink sweater and cap outfit, and rubber pants for my doil. Den't forget my little friend, Madalene Manley.

To and fireworks. Don't forget Mother and fireworks Don't forget Mother and Daddy. Your friend, Leona Dear Santa Claus—I am a girl eight years old. I want a baby Dimple with a little pink sweater and cap outfit, and rubber pants to make a noise. Lovingly your and you to please bring me a love paint is all off of her less I.

> Dear Old Santa-Will you please Dear Santa-I am a little boy one year old, I want a kiddle car, a gun, lots of fireworks, With love from children everywhere. I have tried to friend until the end, Virginia L. a doll and a picture book. Remem-

forget Jackins. Your little friend, Dear Santa Claus-I want an air gun and a tool chest and a coaster Dear Santa Claus—I am a little lots of candy and fruits and nuts

Wendell Casey.

Dear Santa Claus-I am a little

country 2 1-2 miles out on the May

town road. I hope you come to see

me this Christmas and bring nuts,

when you visited Brownwood, I was

electric train. I want a new wagon,

Claude H. Williams, Route 4.

Your friend, Donald Vaughn.

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BOYS RINGS

BABY RINGS

DINNER RINGS

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FANCY SET RINGS

Vaughn.

Dear Santa Claus-I am a little lots of little dresses for my dolly, my little brother, he is two months boy, I will be seven years old Declittle boys and girls. Your little rain coat and apples and oranges fruits. Don't forget Mother, Daddy friend, Elizabeth Glover. and nuts. Be sure and do not forget Daddy and Mother, I go to Ford friend, Mary Sue Casey Dear Old Santa Claus-When you school. I live at 701 Melwood Avenue. Tommie Terrell, Jr.

> Dear Santa Claus-I am a little boy eleven months old. I can't walk don't forget my Granddad, who has been sick a long time, and remem-ber my Mother and Daddy. Your

that runs on a track. And lots of Drennan. such this Christmas. I do want a friend. Raymond Willhelm.

> Dear Santa Claus-We are three ttle sisters, three, six and ten. We vant an electric stove, a large doll buggy, a set of dishes, a large cabinet, a table and chairs. Don't forget to bring some fireworks and sparklers, candy, fruits and nuts. We are lers, candy, fruits and nuts. We are your loving friend. Iris Nell, Betty like one anyway, and any toys you o and Mary Francis Leach.

Dear Santa Claus—I want a ped-dling car for Christmas, story books, e, lots of candy and be sure and bring me a truck, and also lots of fruits and nuts. With lots of love to you, from Arel Van Zandt.

Dear Santa Claus—I am wanting o let you know what I want for Christmas. I want a tool chest, a I want a little bicycle, I want a truck, a tractor, some story books gun. Bye Bye Santa Claus, Billy and puzzles and all the candy fruits and nuts that my stockings will hold. With lots of love. From Dear Santa (girl five years of girl five years of the stocking)

bring me. Also fireworks, nuts and candy. Clyde Wilhelm, Jr.

Dear Santa Claus-I am eight years old and have tried to be good this year. Will you please bring me a croquet set, a train that runs on a cross track and a pair of boots and some fireworks. Love. Bobble

but I want you to bring me a lot of toys, a Kiddle car, wagon, mule rocking chair and I'll be a me a tricycle, an airplane, a horn mule rocking chair and I'll be a and some fruit, nuts and candy. Brother, Grandmother and Grand-

Dear Santa Claus-I am a little girl two years old. I want you to

Dear Santa Claus-I am a little urly headed girl five years old Please bring me a dell and bed and commonocommonocommon everything else you have for girls. Nelda Jo Gifford.

Dear Santa Claus-I am a little Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy eight year old. Please bring me a football and wrist watch and everything else you have for boys. Mylon Gifford. Mylon Gifford

Dear Old Santa Claus-We saw Dear Old Santa Claus—We saw you on that truck the other day and wanted to tell you what we wanted. But we will just get mother to write you. We think you will see our letter if we put it in the Brownwood Bulletin. We just want a doll wanted to be a support of the sand wanted to be a support of the sand wanted to be supported to the sand wanted to be supported to the sand wanted to be supported to the same wanted to be supported to be supported to the same wanted to be supported to be supported to the same wanted to the sam and doll buggy for each of us and a dump truck and toy elephant for brother. Be sure and go to see all the other little girls and boys. We would like to have some fruit and candy, too. Hope you have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Love, Shirley Lois and Mary Alice

Dear Santa Claus Please bring me a Tom Mix cowboy suit, and a football, some fire works, fruit and candy. Don't forget the poor children of our towns. Don't forget Daddy and Mother. With love, Carl

Dear Santa Claus-I am a little boy six years of age. Please bring me a cowboy suit, an airplane, some fruit and candy Your friend, Marvin

Dear Santa Please bring me a Patsy doll like that one at Dublin and Canon. Yours truly, Jean

Dear Santa Claus-Please bring e some fireworks, a set of tools, a Benger pump, B. B's, candy, fruit and nuts. 1 am a little boy 7 years

Dear Santa—I will be eight years old the nineteenth of this month. Please Santa, all I want for Christmas is a wrist watch like mothers.

Dear Santa Claus-Please bring me a gun, a bicycle, a pair of skates a watch, a fire truck, airplane and Dear Ganta-I am a little boy an electric train. Please bring little seven years old. I go to school and brothers something nice too. Rich-

in the first grade. I want a pair ard Vaughn.

of gloves, a cap gun and caps, fruit, candy, mits and fireworks. Don't Dear Sonta Claus-I am a little the other girls and boys. I love you, boy four years old. I want a big red train, I want a car and a tractor that runs when you wind it, girl and a fire truck and grader. I'm eleven years old. I go to school and going to Brownwood and will be at in the fifth grade. I want two story Mama and Papa Nevans' house. I books, "Honeybunch, Her First Days want one tractor that don't in Camp" and "Little Women", a up. I'm your friend, Billie Ed. Proc-

coaster wagon, a three propeller will let my little brother have her candy. Please den't fruits and if you will bring records. bring me a basketball, wagon, U. S. candy. Please don't forget Mother I plan on being in Brownwood army truck, drum and a pair of and Daddy, also my little sister, and Christmas at my Grandmother and bootees. Say, don't forget to bring Santa Claus be good to all the poor Grand Daddy Nevans' house. Your

think I'm asking too much. Will be looking for you soon. With much Dear Santa Claus—I am a little love. Your little friend, Robert boy four years old. I have been a good little boy all the year. I want you to bring me a tool chest, Main Dear Santa-Please bring me a doll, a doll buggy, doll high chair, string, horn, story book, drum, ball, a set of dishes, a little stove and gloves, nuts, candy, fruits and some also a suitcase to put them in. I'd thing to all other little girls and ember 24. I want an airgun and a like to have some candy, nuts and boys who are good. Your little friend, Eldred Bowden, Jr.

> Dear Santa Claus-I am a little boy five years old. Please Santa I want a wagon, a scooter and Dear Santa Claus-I want a baby fruits, nuts and candy. My Dear Santa Claus—I want a baby trute, hate and doll and doll buggy dog that would play music, pink sister wants a doll and doll buggy and fruits, nuts and candy. My and a green raincoat and a good and fruits, nuts and candy. red coat, and a pair of house shoes little brother wants a little car and and powder puff, and a great big a little scott you. Your little doll that has a mouth and will candy. We love you. Your little walk Martha Drenner. powder puff, and a great big a little scooter and nuts, fruits and Grady Morgan.

> Dear Santa Claus—Please bring Dear Santa—Please bring me a me a real toy fire truck, cannon bicycle, and a little Ford car, a litgun and a scooter. I would like to the track with an electric train to go have some fruit and nuts too. I am with it. I want a little wagon with a nearly five years old. Your pal, Roy strap on it, some firecrackers and torpedoes. That is all I want, I live on Second Street near Woodland Heights. Goodbye. John Eugene boy eight years old. I live in the Clardy.

> > Dear Santa Claus—For Christmas want a baby doll, a doll bed, a machine, apples, oranges, nuts, candy, bananas. Don't forget little Terrell. Your friend, Dula Zelle.

says that the season is over but I'd like one anyway, and any toys you Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me an air gun and an airplane. Your friend, Fred Jackson, Route 6. think a good little boy would like. I will try to be a better boy all of the time. I didn't get to see you

so sorry about it so don't forget Dear Santa Claus-I want an air-me. Yours for a White Christmas, plane, I want a bugle, I want some apples, oranges and nuts. Don't for-get little Terrell. Your little friend. Dear old Santa Claus-I want an Coyle Horton.

Dear Santa Claus-Give me a bi round ball a doll buggy and a big doll with long curly hair to ride in it. Also a set of China dishes, cooking vessels, and knives, forks and girl five years old. But I do not go spoons, and some doll clothes, some to school. I take dancing from Mrs. little chairs, table cloth and napkins, smith and Saturday we are going a toy plano and story book of Jack Dear Sants Claus—I want an Indian suit and anything you want to
bring me. Also fireworks, nuts and
candy. Clyde Willhelm, Jr.

To school I sant and Saturday we are going a toy piano and story book of sact anything me. Last Friday I and Little Bo Peep also day I saw you in the parade. For Baby Roy and Dill Dingle Books, Christmas I want a baby doll, a pair of skates, fire crackers and a stocking caps, apples, oranges and a stocking ball, a book and anything else you caps, apples, oranges and a stocking would like to bring me, also lots of full of candy. Your little friend. candy, nuts, fireworks and fruits. I Ruth Todd.

have a little Persian kitty named Rusty and he wants something to Dear Santa-I am a little gir play with, some candy and a pretty eight years old. I go to school. Please Snider.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little children. Your loving friend, Ann at boy and don't well to sense and some candy and a pretty bring me a wrist watch and a three piece toilet set. Don't forget Daddy and Mother. Ella Mae McCuistian.

Dear Santa Claus-Please bring Dear Santa Claus: bring me a big doll, bed, broom and lots of pretty things. Lots of love and a fire truck, some fruits and to bring me an aeroplane, a little Neva Nell O'Neal.

Lam three years old. I want you lots of pretty things. Lots of love and a fire truck, some fruits and to bring me an aeroplane, a little candy too. Your friend, Ronald bus and a choo-choo train. Bring all my brothers some things, too.

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robe, also a little sewing machine that sews and a big baby doll with blue eyes. Please don't forget Baby

Brother. Dorothy Jean Gill.

a watch and some sparklers. Some fruits, nuts and candy. Don't forget baby and girls. Lots of love Ira Scott,

Route 3, Brownwood, Texas.

Dear Santa Claus: bring me a pair of leggons and some | don't forget my little sister, Virginia corduroy pants and some new she wants a doll and tricycle. With shoes, a game of some kind and lots of love to you. I am still your to play with and fire works and please don't forget the other little Franklin Drake

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old. I want you to bring me some gloves, scooter, skates, fireworks, candy and nuts. Don't forget my mother, daddy and my two broth-R. 3, Brownwood, Tex.

Dec. 17, 1929. Dear Santa: I ah a little girl 6
years old. I have been a good girl
so please bring me a pair of blue house shoes, size 10, a blue bathmore shoes, size 10, a blue shoes, siz Dear Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little to be good. Please bring me a boy six years old. Please bring me a scooter, a bucking horse, a cap gun me a little cash drawer that I saw a football, a little car, lots of fire- and caps, fireworks, nuts, fruits at Montgomery Ward, a little train. I am a little boy, eight years old. works and some apples, oranges, and candy. Please don't forget all and a watch that keeps time, and I have tried to be a good boy, please candy and nuts and by the way the other little boys and girls. Your a little horn, some house shoes and little friend. Truett Bailey Smith.

orks. I am a little boy nine years

Dear Santa Claus-I am ten years

Bangs, Texas.

old and in the third grade. friend. Hamilton Caldwell.

Dear Santa Claus-I am ten years old and in the low fifth grade. am sure I have been nice enough or you to bring me what I want, want a Baby Dimples doll. Don't Dear Santa Claus-I am a little ! boy six years old. I live at Bangs; orget mother, father, sisters and prother. Please send all of the kin-Please bring me a football, bicycle, brother. Please send all of the kin-a rubber horse shoe set, a gun, and folks something. Your little friend. lots of fireworks, candy, fruits and nuts. Your little friend. Aaron Billie McGregor.

Dear Santa Claus-I have been a good little girl all year. Please bring me a Patsy Ann doll, a real moving picture machine, some story books, and lots of fruits, nuts and

and forks and spoons and a cradle mattress, some rompers for my doll and lots of candy and things for all of the other little boys of our family. I have been good all year and I expect them all, but I don't know whether I can get them all or not. Your little girl. MayBelle Murphy.

S. Bring Mr. White something for putting this in the paper and sending it to you. I did not think Dear Santa Claus: to tell you I wanted a big doll too.

Dear Santa Claus-I want an airplane and a B. B. gun and a coas-ter wagon. And please fill my stock-Dear Santa Claus: ter wagon. And please fill my stockings full and don't forget plenty of fireworks, and don't forget other little children and don't forget my little children and don't forget my little ball and a cannon on a truck. I try to be good all the time. Henry Lowe (Goo Goo) Francis.

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10. Extension of the Frisco Railroad from Brady to Del Rio
11. Increase of diversified farming throughout the Brownwood area.

12. Co-operation with West Texas

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy seven years old. I go to school every day. Please bring me a nice train, and don't forget my big brother and grandmother and granded mother daddy and little little car, building blocks and anything you think. I would grand-dad, mother, daddy and Uncle like. I'll take good care of every-Nick. I am your loving little thing you bring.

Bill Bruce (Buck) Francis.

Dear Santa Claus How are you and Claus, Santa, I want you t bring me a doll and a doll bed and dresser. I want some candy. I guess that is all I want. My sister wants a doll, doll bed and a dresser and some candy. My brothers want two tractors and all of us want some fireworks to play with. I guess that will be all we want for Christers. Your loving friend. John Cald-well, Jr. By, your friend. Cloelia Black.

> Dear Santa Claus-Please bring me a football, a cowboy suit, coaster wagon, a bath robe, and fireworks and fruits candy. Please bring all the of the children something. Billy Harrison.

> Dear Santa Claus-Please bring a bath robe, some candy, nuts and fruit. Please bring mother and daddy something and my two little brother, Bobby Harrison

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy seven years old. Please bring me a Dutch mill, football, set of boxing gloves, a Bilt-F-Z, a story book, "Mamma's Boy", a crane, and a dump truck. Bring me some Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, candy, nuts and fruit also. Be good and Hilton Burks, its secretary: to all the poor boys and girls. Yours truly. Tom Epley, Jr.

candy. Your little friend. Elizabeth tell you what I would like for you bonser. Dear Santa Claus-I am trying to Dear Santa Claus—I want a and a doll buggy and a tricycle. Lovingly, Clydine Seward. P. S. Please don't forget my brother.

Dear Santa Claus—I have tried be a good boy all year. I want to be a good boy all year. I want to be a good boy all year. I want to be a good boy all year. I want a bicycle for Christmas and a football and pool table. Your friend fireworks, too. I'm going to try and airport. be good all next year

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Brownwood Plans 12 Big Projects for 1930

BY BYRON C. UTFCHT.

pearies, and unlike political piatforms this one will be carried out.
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Burks said, "but there is need for improved and is all-weather Some of them are adaptable to platforms of Texas gubernatorial candidates, for they are of big public benefit, but whether aspirants for the Governor's chair indorse them or not, Brownwood is going ahead just the same and isn't much. ahead just the same and isn't much interested in who will be elected Governor, anyway, most Governors, so citizens here say, being more interested in their political future than the interests of the people of

program already are under way, with success in sight for the entire scheme, citizens pulling together for Brownwood and West Texas.

Platforms Outlined

1. Completion of a county high-way project, involving an expendi-ture of \$1,650,000 by the county and an equal amount by the State or more than \$3,000,000 for roads in this county.

2. Putting under way the \$2,500,-000 water conservation project, and Eastern, it already has become bonds for which have been voted and known that Abilene citizens and sold, and much of the land already Frank Kell, its president, intend to 3. Construction of a \$500,000 hotel build from Abilene to Cross Plains

plant that is expected to be 12 is now pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission, a decision 4. Retaining and making big im- on which is expected within a few provements in Daniel Baker College weeks.

5. Extension of the Abilene and Eastern Railroad from Cross Plains

6. Expansion of the sewer, water main and paving systems of Brown-7. Establishment of an adequate

8. Obtaining designation of an improvement of a new highway from here to Hamilton. 9. Making Highway No. 10 from Fort Worth through Brownwood to

for more appropriations for state colleges in this section, and for just land and water rights.

Irrigation Provided All that is required for the water conservation project is the construcon, for the engineering data, ands, lands and other plans are already determined, so full discus-sion is not needed at this time. But this project is the biggest thing Brownwood ever put over and required an extraordinary amount of time and work. When completed will irrigate 20,000 acres of good farming country and will be four times as large as Lake Worth, capable of supplying the wants of a city of 200,000 for many years.

Brownwood citizens and the cham ber are deeply interested in high-The movement is of direct effect pon Fort Worth, for it will make the Rio Grande only 350 miles away, and with an all-weather road the trip can be made in seven or eight ours, Burks asserts.

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commission will award this work to every city and town where fire early next year. Half of the amount prevention is taught regularly in the

Brown county voted will go on lat-eral roads."

Start Hotel in January

in January. The company owning the plant consists of Joe F. Renfro,

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they are definite and if constructed will mean much to this section."

we had good crops of grain, and our

believe we have met and overcome all obstacles and all of us expect

to see Brownwood go forward at such pace as to make other West

some railroad extension plans that

Work on the new hotel is to begin

W. DeWeese, state fire insurance must be in by December 230 nissioner, sald today that 561 | south to Brownwood, then through | comr In the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Brady, Junction, Rocksprings and cities and towns in Texas has adopt-

Many Towns Teach

the county. Two contracts already have been let for constructing No. 10 north to the Comanche county line and two crews are busy. Another contract has been let for Highway No. 129 going toward Rising Star and work will be south the county line and two crews are busy. Another contract has been let for City, Seminole, Trinidad and Tulia. ing Star and work will begin by DeWeese urged all schools not Plans for carrying out the 1930 been drawn up for improving High- it in their course of study for the way No. 7 to the Coleman county second semester. A reduction of 3 line, and I understand the state per cent in the key rate is allowed

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Mr. Bland was displaying the rep-

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Washington, De. 14—(P)—

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followed the dinner. Prominent among the speakers were President The cast was brought here on a dictional transfer of the cast was brought here on a dictional transfer of the cast was brought here on a slump in values.

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county and Judge J. H. Baker, chairman of the county board, also spoke. After these speeches a general discussion and question hour was conducted by Superintendent N. W. Prantice of Richland Springs, who also was chairman of the

districts and then consolidation will be atempted by vote of the people has been in the office of J. R. Lewis

Peace in Self-Surrender

Only the soul that with an overwhelming impulse and a perfect trust gives itself up forever to the life of other men finds the delight and peace which such complete elf-surrender has to give.-Phil-

of the world were carrying as of December 1 through the purchase of future contracts from 4,000,000 to 5,000,000 bales of American cot-

More Fundamental Cause

Today's appearance was the second time Clayton had been before

senate sub-committee inquiring

into cotton slumps within two years Charges, similar to Heflin's asser-tion, against his firm caused him to come to Washington in March

1928. He denied at that time his firm engaged in speculation or was a bearish influence in the market. Defends Exchanges

Clayton in his testimony today defended the exchanges. Without

them, he said, the speculators could

Rainfall totaling 1.12 inches fell

This is quite a heavy

n a very short time in Brownwood

rainfall average for the length of time the rain lasted. Farmers say he rain was badly needed.

It is said that rain was needed

Winchell, which is in that

the county in the black land district because of the planting of small

district, reports only a light rain

However, other parts of the county are greatly benefited and it is said that the oats, barley and wheat

which have been planted, will be

Towns reporting heavy rains are: Bangs, Comanche, Dallas, Ft. Worth,

and San Angelo. May reported a big

Towns reporting heavy showers to ght sprinkles are: Ballinger, light sprinkles are: Ballinger, Burket, Dublin, Hamilton, Indian

Creek, Lampasas, Menard, Mercury, Rising Star, Santa Anna, Winters,

Zephyr, Stephenville and Winchell No rain was reported by Abilene Brady, Blanket, Bronte, Talpa Valera, Coleman, Eden, Grosvenor

Paint Rock Rochelle, Richard

subjects of major importance to Brownwood and Brown county oc-

cupied the attention of the direc-tors of the Chamber of Commerce

at their regular Monday noon luncheon at the Southern Hotel.

However, the subjects brought up, failed to pass the discussion stage and little or no action was taken.

The directors discussed more or

less briefly one or more railroad projects, especially the effect that

any of these projects might have on Brownwood or this trades terri-tory. Plans for financing the Chamber of Commerce in 1930 were

All members present indulged in a round table discussion of the five

charter amendments that are to be

made on various road work in con-nection with Brown county's better roads project was also held. The directors voted to invite Judge E. M.

Davis to meet with them next Mon-

day for a discussion on progress be-

Missouri has 13 more newspapers

ing made in road building.

and periodicals than in 1927.

helped very much.

rain and some hail.

Springs and San Caba.

A still more fundamental and "dangerous" cause, Clayton said

whether the peak has been reached."

The sheep and goat industry has felt the effects of the decline in prices of wool and mohair, and there has been great disappointment in the prices received this year.

Sheep and goat ranges are as good as they have been on the average during the past five years. likewise the condition of sheep and goats, the report said. Both the wool and mohair clips were of good quality Receipts of sheep at Fort Worth for hair clips were of good quality Receipts of sheep at Fort Worth for the 11 months exceed those of the period in 1928 by 75,000 head.

Clayton estimated the speculators of the world were carrying as of the world were carrying as of the world were carrying as of

MEETING State to Resist Effort for Delay in Shook Trial ton.

GRAHAM, Texas, Dec. 16-(AP)-

GRAHAM, Texas, Dec. 16—(P)—

RICHLAND SPRINGS, Texas, Dec. 16.—(Sp.)—The meeting held last Thursday evening at Richland Springs in the inteerst of consolidation of several schools at Richland Springs was a success from every viewpoint.

About thirty trustees and many interested patrons were in attendance. The Parent-Teachers Association served a chicken dinner and an hour of speeches and discussion followed the dinner. Prominent to eight years imprisonment and had said increased growth of Amer-

The cast was brought here on a ticularly India, had contributed to

Neck Walks Mile to Deliver License

R. B. (Bob) Thompson, who was All the patrons were impressed who is now, going about the streets with the discussion of this question with a broken neck supported by and the rural trustees were all of the a steel brace, Monday walked more opinion that consolidation was de-sirable. In the near future rallies Clark, on First Street his marriage will be held in each of the designated license. The license, dated Nov. 9,

county treasurer.
Mr. Thompson, though in a very critical state with regard to the condition of his back and neck, de-livered the license in person, desirious of the exercise.

Onion culture in the Pacific Northwest has increased 240 per cent in eight years.

Mrs. Jennings Is Injured by a 'Young Bomb'

ing what it was, rather careles brushed it aside with his foot. The report of the explosion wa something like a pistol shot and within a few seconds, Mrs. Jen-nings noticed blood streaming from the wound on her leg. In her excitement, Mrs. Jennings told Mr. Gully that she had been shot.

Mrs. Jennings was rushed to the

A. G. Beach of Coleman Is Dead COLEMAN, Texas, Dec. 16.—(Sp) -A. G. Beach, 46, who had lived in Coleman for 13 years and had

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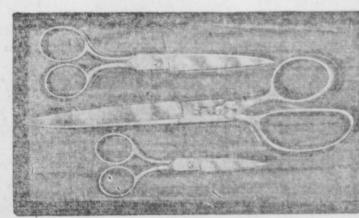
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business twenty-six years, and for quite a while wrote the syndicated cotton articles for the biggest news-

papers in Texas, and can say that last year and other years he has

seen the actual conditions as to cot-ton itself much less bullish and

Then the question is asked why

believed it presaged a big advance

pened? The market opened un-changed to slightly lower. There-

county may not catch on as quickly

as we should, but the big break in stocks meant that thousands of

factories had to cut down on ex enses. It meant that thousands of

roducers who usually earn good

money were out of jobs, that millions of dollars that ordinarily would

There is nothing the matter with

If you don't think this is true ask

Brownwood or any other place. It i probably that we are thr

worst of it and are on the way to be gradual, and every sound, sober minded individual in America hould lend his or her effort in naking it as speedy and as satisfacbry as possible by boosting.

The answer to the big question,-he main answer is that for some on or other America decided all

once that it was in a bad fix deral Reserve officials, big bank little bankers and every one he intelligence who has studied

he situation knows that whether

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That whats the matter with cot-on. Thats whats the matter with ou. Cotton is selling two and a alf cents under last year with ac-

utal conditions just as good— out

ought about by pronounced pessi-ism—You would sell yourself, in bu feel, like most of us at about 30

ents on the dollar. And there's ne whole blooming business in a

We have lost confidence in our-

ne things that we must have con-dence in—America, ourselves.

With every one believing that imes were going to be good, money yould loosen. Cotton would go up, business would get busy, and every-

money than it ever had. Business has earned and is earning tinheard of profits.—In fact the only thing that is the matter with cotton and

with America is us—So lets say who-ever started this talk about Ameri-ca going to the yaller dogs is either a pop-eyed prevarieator or fictious

l, and think right.

some one big enough could the message to America tomor-

ow and make them believe it—The nessage that we are bound to b lright—that we are intrinsicall il right, and that the wise hombr

nes want to sluff—then we would e alright over night. And we will

re having to produce more nore for the people across

onds, and if we don't realize own advantageous position, then its the fault of our own minds and not that of the country.

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to take the same notion. and that notion was that the country was going to the everlasting

"Uncle William," 87. Thinks Dan

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AUSTIN Texas, Dec. 17—(P)—

Gov. Dan Moody as the "smartest time, The Governor was an infant. man Texas ever produced among those who did not go out of the lives who those who did not go out of the State to study at some high-faluting "Uncle William," 87, black and for-mer soldier in the regular army, after he went with his "marster" to did fight for it and with his master was taken prisoner at Vicksburg.

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Uncle William was born on July of the sun

owed his master to the war and Auxiliary Sends after it was over he enlisted in the regular army and served for three

Chapel Hill P. T. A. Plans More School

Duration of Twilight

Twilight ends when the sun is "I sho want ta see that baby o' about 18 degrees below the hori-Dan's," he continued. "I've jus' got zon, consequently its duration o christen that baby 'To Christ- varies with the latitude and the sea-

Christmas Boxes to the Hospitals

The American Legion Auxiliary has already sent a large box of gifts to disabled ex-service men at the William Beaumont Hospital in El Paso and is making up other boxes day, December 9th with its final esto send soon. Mrs. W. D. Armstrong, timate of the 1929-30 cotton crop who is state chairman of the Auxili-ary states that anyone wishing to placed the crop at 15,009,000 bales. Ground Equipment send presents in these boxes should bring or send them to Armstrong's in the cotton crop estimate still it yewelry Store by this afternoon. She "That's my boy," Uncle William proclaimed as he sat in the Governor's reception room. "Nursed him when he was a baby right here on this arm." he continued, holding up his long, left arm.
"He didn't need to go out of Texas to get to be a smart man," he continued, still talking about Governor Moody, "He is as smart as any of those big men who went away from Texas to study at one of those

The Parent Teacher's Association of Chapel Hill met Thursday evening the Thursday evening the transport of Chapel Hill met Thursday evening the transport of Chapel Hill met Thursday evening the transport of Chapel Hill met Thursday evening the had believed that anything under should be interested in these packs to the ex-service boy's hospitals as there are some Brownwood boys in the hospitals now. Carl McIntosh is in the hospitals now. Carl McIntosh is in the hospital at El Paso and Leon Lipscomb left last night for Alexanderia, Louislana, to enter the auxiliary has many gifts but will need many more to fill out its allotment of hospitals.

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allotment of hospitals.

The four Brownwood boys in the leper colony at Carsville, La., are being taken care of by the Business and Professional Women's Club and a large box filled with all kinds of er of this letter has been in the left in being representations. gifts, is being prepared for them.

New Texas Record For Vegetable And Fruit Shipments

ments of fruits and vegetables last month set a new high record for November, Bernard Nichols of the

ped in November as against 94 in November. 1928, and spinach in-creased from 5 to 51." Nichols point-ed out. "A total of 734 cars of grapefruit went out compared with 237 in November, 1928 while sweet pota-November, 1928 while sweet potatoes went up from 63 to 123. Loadings of tomatoes gained from 53 to 269 and orange shipments aggregated 31 cars, a gain of more than 500 per cent. Mixed citrus also showed a large gain. Thirteen cars of egg plants were loaded whereas none was shipped in November last year."

Nichols said prices held rather stock, and securities market has just.

Large Crowd at

About a hundred and fifty people on the communities concerned ere at the session of the Commisporarily. with the question of the route, the cotton industry as an industry be Brownwood and Trickham there is nothing the matter with of the Brownwood and Trickham there is nothing the matter with road. They were about equally divided in the question of the road to intersect Highway 10 at Willis Creek and go by Chapel Hill so the old route went to the Coleman line. Others wanted the road to leave Highway 7 at Olear Creek larm and go by the Si Rodgers place and intersect the old Trickham and Brownwood road. The court voted for the road to go along the present route by Chapel Hill.

That figure was contracted to 696 ment Federal Farm Board gradually caused by the summer a pound. frouth has been fully overcome,

"One hundred and twenty-seven

Nichols said prices held rather stock, and securities market has just eady although string beans and gone through the most severe decline in years. We who live out here in Brown

Court Monday to Discuss Road

FORMAL COMPLAINTS FILED I

General Sentiment So Pessimistic Cetton Advance Even on DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 16.—(P)— Police reconstructed the crime, howFormal complaints charging murder were filed today against L. W.
Conway and L. J. Whatley in connection with the slaying of J. L.
Broome, deputy constable, found those arrested. Broome they said, besten and dying yesterday near a came cemetery storehouse he had been on the

be returned later today.

The two men and three women he turned the corner. companions were arrested twice yes-crank and the broken lock were terday—once on suspicion, because found, and Broome's pistol and the men were wounded, and again shotgun, both of which had been after they had been identified as discharged.
renters of a car connected with the The car was abandoned when

Why? Why? Farmers, merch- jury today Found Unconscious

open a man breaking a lock man to throw up his hands, and The information also was placed marched him around the corner of before the county grand jury, and the building. An accomplice, hidit was believed indictments would den behind a hedge, struck the of-

murder by the tire marks and its ran out of gas. After being picked blood-spattered interior. Late last up on suspicion the women were night one of the women was releas- released, and one of the men es-ed to be called before the grand caped from the hospital where he was taken for treatment. They were rearrested a short time after Broome was unconscious when the murder was discovered. Police found and died a few hours later, said they made statements.

is the market so low now? And since Wednesday the question is asked more pertinently for on that well received by a large congrega- Branom, orchestra accompanist day the Senators composing the tion was given Sunday night at the played the xylophone with the vio-First Presbyterian Church, when the Schubert Choral Club, directed committee in charge of that divisfon of investigation of the cotton Bureau of Business Research of the University of Texas said.

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Situation has wired the great Cot by Miss Clare Drey, and the Daniel bureau of Business Research of the University of Texas said.

That figure was contracted to 696 ment Federal Form Board Research Research of the University of Texas said. cars loaded in October and 529 in increase their loans on ootton and song numbers. The effective-November, 1928. "It appears that the through the co-operatives to 20 cents setback caused by the summer a pound. ing effects, and a Christmas spirit seemed to pervade the atmosphere When this news was flashed out shortly after the close of the cotton markets Tuesday many people

Mrs. Robert Hall, church organist and accompanist for the Choral in the cotton market with Wednes-day mornings opening. What hapobes and taking and in the orchestra. The chorus was the well known "Sing the Noel," a sixteenth century French Carol. Other choruses included "Adeste Fidelis," "Angels' Voices", "We Three Kings of Orlient Are," "Cantique de Noel," and lent Are, "Cantique de Noel," and l

"Crown of Love", "Angels Hosanna," and as an fertory following the prayer by Rev. W. B. Gray, D. D., the pastor, "O Lovely Night" Offenbach. violin orchestra ensemble of orchestra played three numbers, "Came Upon the Midnight Clear "While Shepherds Watcher Their Flocks by Night," and "Holy Night Peaceful Night!" Miss Doroth; linists in these three numbers

Ask Clemency for Bennie Aldridge

seemed to pervade the atmosphere of the large audience during the Bearing a petition signed by approximately 3,000 Dallas citizens, Eddie Roark, attorney for Bennie Aldridge, condemned to die after midnight next Thursday, was in musicians entering in their white Austin today to request Governor robes and taking places in the choir Dan Moody to commute the sen-

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some discussion as to another big

ate in 1930. The date of the show

The state Cornish club elected the

ing officers for the comin O. L. Aukerman of Eln

early part of September, it is said

of Fort Worth, secretary-treasure frist vice president, C. E. Bush, Hall Texas; William Hoppe of Winters

vell pleased with the way the poul-

T. Carlson Chosen

Head of Knights

Carlson was chosen as em

commander of the Brownwood Com-nandary, No. 22, Knights Templar

addition to electing officers for the ensuing year the commandry made

plans for a big year in the new temple, occupancy of which will probably be taken about February

Other officers elected follow: W A. Roussel, captain general; Good-ner Bedford, senior warden; Roy Duncan, junior warden; James

Ming, recorder; Harry McGhee

treasurer; George Berry, sentinel; B. W. Carter, warder; C. A. Stewart,

standard bearer; and Homer Clark

"Fair Play," Famous

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meeting held Thursday night to succeed Harvey Jones, who ha held this position the past year. In

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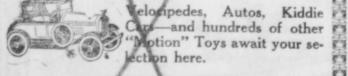
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OUR PENITENTIARY SYSTEM

By A. R. WATSON

is both unreasonable and inhuman. Condemnation of all right thinking No thinking person can expect a prisoner poorly clad and underfed building and maintaining of hospensive to the state as possible and to reduce his service to the minimum. In that state of mind, he has a poor chance to think or care about the state's interests or his one that provides ample facilities on the provides armple facilities. own reformation. But if he has for the proper care and treatment reason to believe that his confine- of the sick and wounded. ent is in the interest of, both the Chapel Sufficient for All Religious tate and himself, that the state and loved ones a better man, a man fitted for useful citizenship, there

good business and humane to pro-

Bathing Facilities

d prison system. This is so patent work can never be as effective as it every one, that further discussional work can never be as effective as it Provision for the Proper Care and Suport to which it is entitled. The prisoners will not be easily led to

Men and women in the peniten-believe that a matter of so little moment to the men in control is of ther people are, and when they be- very vital concern to them.

CONTINUING an analysis of the of the services of a surgeon, it would necessary elements of an ade- be barbarous and inhuman for the quate penitentiary system, I now state to fail to minister to them as call attention to the following:

Substantial Food and Comfortable wards of the state, and however For the state to deprive a man of the state can not allow them to sufis liberty and expect of him rea- fer and die of disease without giv

pable service without providing ing them the proper care and treat-or him suitable food and raiment, ment and escape the censure and o have any respect for the state or ry to render profitable service. to take care of the situation in a Under such conditions the prisoner worthy fashion. The prisoners are dependent upon the state for the gate from Texas, though there were several other Texans attending. Mr. Lucas states that there were over and revenge and plans to be as ex- needed care and treatment, and for Cattle Raisers' Association, and C. E. Moser of Dallas.

It is my decided conviction, based saying that not only does the on observation and experience as Bureau represent every farmi a probability that he will leave chaplain of the Huntsville, Wynne, section in the United States, but it and Goree prisons, that our Chris- also represents all different phase rom the standpoint of the state or attention and have the place in the section of the man or both, we can not especially attention and have the place in the section of the man or both, we can not especially attention and activities of our penal. program and activities of our penal institutions that it is entitled to, and must have, if these institutions states, was co-operative marketing vide substantial food and comforta-ble clothing for the prisoner. Comfortable and Sanitary Sleeping and must have, if these institutions states, was co-petitive are supposed to be that especially were the farm to maintained. If the "reformation market roads stressed.

Quarters

of the offender," as our Penal Code
Of course, we all know that the declares, is one of the main reasons the Farm Board and promised their machinery of the human body must have rest and relaxation. These are necessary to the health and jected to influences well calculated usefulness of every one. Then, if to lead him to see the evil of his the prisoner is to have good health offence and turn from it. In the and be in physical condition to render useful and efficient service, he must be provided with comfortable One reason why the religious activand sanitary sleeping quarters. No ities of our Texas prison system are man, after working all day, can lie not productive of more and better down on an excuse of a bed, too short, hard and uneven as a rock-pile, with surroundings as unsanioile, with surroundings as unsantary as a cesspool, and fight bed-bugs all night, and then be in physical condition next day for reason-able work. Rest and sleep are in-and vulgar, they know nothing and dispensable to health and fitness for care less about the reforming and elevating effects of the Christian there being representatives from all religion. I am not saying that all parts of the United States and Good sanitation calls for adequate bathing facilities, especially for men who are required to do all kinds of saying that the attitude of this I t is reported that the banquet By as much as cleanliness is class is the dominating attitude of and the business meeting were su ecessary to health and physical the management toward the religtness for the work incident to lous work of the institution. I care ison life, adequate bathing facili-es are necessary to a well regulat-for religious work may be, such

prisoners will not be easily led to

Famed Artist Stops for Breakfast in Brownwood; Discusses the Opera Artists' Careers and Other Things

arming and delightful person she This is Amelita Galli-Curci, in private life Mrs. Homer Samuels acclaimed as the world's greates day morning for breakfast at Harvey House while enroute from Houston to San Angelo.

Galli-Curci sang to a large, apreciative audience in Houston ursday night and will sing an Angelo Saturday night, her appearance there being sponsored by the Standard-Times newspaper. on tour and she will go directly back to New York where she sings Christmas, going into opera there

She is accompanied on this trip by her husband, who is her pianist; Henry Bove, flutist; Jack Salter, manager; and her maid, Ristel.

Following her breakfast at the Harvey House Galli-Curci gracious-ly consented to an interview and frankly discussed all questions

Loves The Country state, 2,600 feet high in the Catskills, and also one in the hills about three-quarters of an hour's drive

from Los Angeles. "You see I am not a city wom-in," she said. "I love the country." When asked if she had children he said no. "Singing is one career do not believe they would go well gether. Any woman can have ildren, but all cannot be artists.

dection to be held January 21 was last night and they did not get that assed by the City Council meeting succulent dish as expected. the City Hall at a special session

The election was called for a decision on five charter amendments which will include: The separation fire before the stew was done. They of the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the mayor and aldermen to be elected from each of the four wards of Rain No Mo."

Brownwood since March, 1887, said today while discussing his business experiences here that he would like the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with today while discussing his business experiences here that he would like the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the school affairs from the city; came back to town singing with the city; came bac the city; to provide for a city per-

In revenge a man is but even with his enemies; but it is a princely thing to pardon, for Solomon saith, "It is the glovy of a man to pass over a transgression,"—Bacon,



over the air. She said that artists were opposed to singing and playing over radio at first, but that most of them have come to it. When asked about a new Metropolitan Op-She has a home in New York era in New York she shook her head sadly and stated that she thought the opera "was on the skids.

"I do not know what it is, whether 'The great son of Hastings-imported it is due to the talking movies or Fairy Gold, foaled in 1905, died the radio, but opera audiences are yesterday at the Elmendorf estate of not so large as before. The layman his master, Joseph E. Widener. can get his music elsewhere at a For years Fair Play flourished lower cost nowadays."

under the regime of the late Major She talked much of her travels, August Belmont, and at the death her success and we bade her good-bye with a feeling we had met a dispersal sale of the Belmont thor-Galli-Curci has sung a few times vivid, interesting person.

oughbreds in 1925 for \$100,000 to Mr Widener. The latter turned down huge offers for the horse. Boy Scouts Get Fair Play became famous when he sired Man O' War. He was the sire No Stew As Rain also of such great stars of the turf as Mad Play, Ladkin, Strombon, as Mad Play, Mad Hatter Baracade, My Play, Mad Hatter Baracade, My Play, Mad Hatter Dunlin, Chatterton, Sporting Blood Puts Out Fire

Rain does not seem to dampen the spirits of Boy Scouts, though it did put out the fire under their stew succulent dish as expected.
Cub Ragsdale, scoutmaster

called for this purpose Thursday Troop 1, took about twenty of his afternoon.

Rain No Mo."

The exhibition of Boy Scout handicraft held for the past ten days in the Brooke Smith bank building is being taken out Saturday and ling is being taken out Saturday and manent city planning commission; the mayor and council to appoint all city officials; and the city to pay as little as one-tenth the cost of any permanent paving.

An exhibit of Troop 1 work will probably be held some time this next week in the Methodist Church.

Brooke Smith bank building is being taken out Saturday and the room cleaned up by the boys.

An exhibit of Troop 1 work will probably be held some time this next week in the Methodist Church.

Brooke Smith bank building imere boy when he began business on his own responsibility after a period of apprenticeship in the office of H. M. Noel & Company, will probably be held some time this next week in the Methodist Church.

Hard Secret to Keep They say that the secret of health is in eating onlons, but what we want to know is how to keep it a secret,-Urbana Citizen.

Congressman Lee To Be In Race To Succeed Himself

the effect that Mr. Lee will be a candidate to succeed him-self at the next election.

H. G. Lucas, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, returned last night from Chicago where he had been attending the American Farm Bureau Federation to the seventy wist in Texas during the Christmas holidays, and at that time will have further annous the forthcoming race.

5000 farmers and their wives pres Attend School Meet ests from Maine to California Among those Texans present were

Taylor and Swindle

day night, attended by Thomas H Taylor, president of Howard Payne College and J. Oscar Swindle, super-

intendent of Brown county schools.
Following a turkey banquet gotten up for the occasion by women of the P. T. A., there was a series of talks on the general subject of consolidation, the two Brownwood men talking on the advantages of the system. ing on the advantages of the system found in consolidations effected

The plan in San Saba county i to have nine districts join the Richland Springs district for high school

Biggest Incubator Is 'at Big Spring

BIG SPRING, Texas, Dec. 17-(AP What is said to be the world's istalled by the Big Spring Feed and

Bettis And Gibbs Window Displ Gets Most

of the hundreds of votes in the city showing Christ and the Christmas spirit of Bettis and Gibbs n Other stores votes, and which were ncluded: Montgomers Youth, any, Adams Casl Texas Power and Light O

The saying, "Nothing is out death and taxes," is ab to Benjamin Franklin

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News of Brown County Communities

January the sixth, 1930.

who is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Matthews

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sheffield

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Allcorn

a three days hunt in Mason coun-

ty. Mr. Wilson killed his first deer,

enjoying very much. Malt Bull al-

prove his marksmanship.

T. Strange.

Monday and Tuesday.

week visiting relatives.

the funeral of a friend.

visited the latter's uncle, W. J.

lanket

and Mrs. Robert wood, 12 pound girl on homefolks

and and Mrs. J. C. Holder Sunday.

Bird and children and

is the youngest and Mrs. Bush, this community. cently married. ediate for Abilene They have a host of them a long and

el Vestal were visiting lrs. Howard Strickland

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Falls, came in the Christmas land.": "Trouble in land.": Warner Boler.

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E. ELLIS

Wednesday. Howard Payne College in BrownMrs. Robert wood, spent the week-end with meeting adjourned to meet again gone to Snyder to spend Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lappe and be, Evelyn Levi- children visited Orfrey Kenney at and daughter, Miss Yona Bell, and

Rev. J. D. Smoot of Comanche Rev. J. D. Smoot of Comanche Worth Saturday, returning Sunday. filled his regular appointment in the Kaiser Routh and Methodist Church Sunday morning Mr. May's wife, who has been with the sunday morning was sufficiently program was sufficiently been with the sunday many superstances. hent, Oklahoma, are here this week.

Sunday school in interest of the Sunday school in interest of the spending a few weeks there, and also his mother, Mrs. Florence May, who is visiting relatives here. Faulkner, who has Methodist Orphanage at Waco. Miss Allian Bettis spent Friday

ent, came home on night and Saturday in Brownwood. Were visitors to San Angelo Sun-Misses Ruby Lee Henderson, day. R. L. Eaton were Charlotte Switzer and Rev. A. Woods were visiting Comanche Sat-

while with a forty-two visiting in Brownwood Sunday.

The Mullin P. T. A. gave the play entitled, "My Dixie Rose," in be Blanket Tigers in a day evening. All who attended reischool boys came over the high school auditorium Thurs- day evening. All who attended reparts that ball Tuesday evening. All who attended reparts that ball Tuesday evening. All who attended reparts that ball Tuesday evening. All who attended reparts the high school auditorium Thurs- day evening. All who attended reparts the high school auditorium Thurs- and Mrs. Clarence Allcorn and children visited Mr. Allcorn's study of the Old Bible, starting with parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. All- the first chapter of Genesis. Come corn Sunday. mie Lightsey were shopping in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Hobson of Eaker were shopping in Comanche were visiting here on

Misses Joe and Maud Dabney were visiting in Brownwood Satur-Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Adair at Hico. day.

Matment for diphtheria. Rev. A. Woods and Rev. J. B.

but is Henderson were in Brownwood Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Cantrel and a visit with relatives little son visited Weedon Milner after several days illness.

te and Miss Oneta and family at Pioneer Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stewart and Miss Juanita McDonald of Mt. Zion, little son, Charles of Brownwood, were united in marriage Saturday youngest were visiting here Sunday. Word was received here last week at of town. The groom that Prentis Caraway of Amherst, set son of Mr. and Mrs. but formerly of this place had re-

Bangs

Bangs school folks have been de ighted with a number of very in-December 2 the High School Band sponsored by Principal Mitchell rendered a good program of band

two and three gave two little plays entitled, "Farmer Brown's Christ-West Texas where he mas" and "The Real Santa Claus." London and little to encourage the little folks.

December 16 Sixth grade offered er Dabney and fam- the following program: Merry Christmas cay by Johna

Lee Allison, Oleta Rucker, Gaynell Schulze, Prudy Watts, Helen Hardeld to be at the bed-little granddaughter, wick. Ina Hash, Frances Palmer, Lenora Phillips, Clara Jenkins. Piano Solo: Edyth Morgan. "Trouble in Santa Claus

Prudy Watts, Wilma Covey, David

enkins, Mancel Hering, Arlice Class Song-"Santa's Coming."

The Woman's Missionary society

home of Mrs. A. A. Seal, Monday make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Cantrel and afternoon. The program from Royal Ray Bain, night operator at the Service was rendered. A short busion the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Narron were shopping in Brownwood Monday. On the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Narron were shopping in Brownwood Monday. Frank Lappe and family one day and the doors leading into the near Brookesmith and Winchell.

appendicitis in Miss Stella Dabney spent the able to be moved able to be m wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lappe were After the distribution of gifts to who were permitted to attend this Mr. and M. of Brownwood, died shopping in Brownwood Monday. each one present, Santa left for service were inspired to do more laid to rest in the S. E. Lacy, Jr., who is attending his home. Each member made hap-

with relatives.

Aaron May, Mrs. W. J. Prince Rev and Mrs. J. G. Reagor are up after a siege of flu. Mrs. Marion Garms, went to Ft. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bennett have moved into the Russell Medcalf home to make Bangs their home.

Byrds

visited by a good rain Saturday aft-

grain and grass, but bad on our church next Sunday at 11 a.m. newly graded roads. Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin are Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Salton Well, we had 51 present for Sun Everyoody is decorating and leaving at an early date to spend day school at 10 a. m., last Sunday, ting ready to welcome old Santa in which is pretty good, but would like next week. to see 75 out next Sunday. The

out and help us, you are welcome. Let's learn human nature in the for the Christmas holidays in order Miss Iris Schultz Wednesday night made her home here, has again rebeginning, and see how much we that all, both young and old may have progressed. Rev. Renfro spend a few days in merry, in honor preached Sunday at 11 a. m. and of the greatest of all events, the day night at Daniel Baker gymn.

Mrs. Wess Phillips left Friday for preached Sunday at 11 a. m. and of the greatest of all events, the day night at Dirth of our Savior. This is one time in the year, when we should forday night on. "The Handwriting On get our work, and worries and dehigh school audi visit in the home of her daughter, to Stephenville Monday to conduct day hight on, The Hand to hear it, vote our time to being happy and Cor you missed something. Prayer meet-Miss Emma Frances Sikes was able to return to school Monday to meet every Friday night at the ing and Bible study was organized school house. Everybody is invited to take part in it.

Mrs. Ludkins was shopping in Brownwood Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young went

uncle of the bride performed the ceremony. These young people are to Cross Plains Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton were shopping in Brownwood Friday. J. S. Wilson, A. A. Seal and
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pierce spent
the week-end with Mr. Pierce's mother, at Clio.

Oscar Keller and family were which he and his friends have been shopping in Brownwood Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Narron went so brought in a four point deer to to Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton and Miss Esta Deel has returned to her home at Rockwood, after daughter, Tessie, went to Brownspending three months with Mrs. wood Saturday. Miss Wanda Copeland, the pri-

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Moore and mary teacher, spent the week-end children visited relatives at Zephyr, with homefolks in Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young were shopping in Brownwood Saturday. A. D. Byrd of Mullin is here this

Rev. L. V. Hanna, and wife, atto Brownwood Saturday. tended service here Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton and Rev. Hanna spoke on the growth of daughter, Tessie, visited Mr. and Christianity in Palestine. Mrs. Han- Mrs. Oscar Keller Sunday. na also gave a short talk. They left Mr. and Mrs. Cicel Byrd visited Tuesday for a visit to Rev. Han-Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long Sunday

na's brother, before leaving in Jan- afterno uary for Nazareth.

Mesdames Lon Tweedle, Maud
Williams, and J. S. Swenson, left

Rev. Renfro was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long Sunday afternoon. this week for the Rio Grande Valley

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pope Star, visited Mr. and Mrs Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre, who have R. W. Lawrence Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Howell and daugh-

Mr. and Mrs. H. A.

went to Brownwood Monday.

and everyone had a good time.

School will be closed next week

Wishing one and all a Merry

happy. Lets celebrate with the old

The Community Gossiper

May

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Narron were been sick for some time, died Mon-Mr. Lucian Ferguson went to at 3 o'clock.

Brownwood on business Monday. Dock Medcalf, who was operated Mr. Bill Newton went to Brown- on for appendex this week end, is Mary Bess Hopper and Bob Bet-Mr. Oscar Keller went to Brown-

Mr. and Mrs. White of Hassie, Mr. Bob Newton went to Brown-

visited in May Monday. wood with a load of wheat Tues-Rev. Barnes' little daughter ha been ill this week with the flu.

Miss Valda Stephens, Miss Ottie Suttles pasture ith sheep wire and palmore and Mr. Orbey Stepher is running about 700 head of sheep there this winter. The grass is fair-with friends.

Mr. Tom Smith, Bill Newton,
Charlie Thompson, Cicel Byrd,
Clyde Pierce, and R. W. Lawrence

attended Masonic lodge at Holder Wordie Burnett Saturday night. Refreshments were home for the holidays served by the good Masons of Holder | Carl Leemaster came in Tuesday

Lets not forget that Rev. Moore ernoon, which was fine on the of Brownwood, will preach at Byrds Sunday in Gorman.

grain and grass, but bad on our church next Sunday at 11 a m. Mrs. J. F. McGee has also been on Grandpa Miller is here to spend he holidays with his daughter,

There will be a Christmas tree at

Miss Billy Kate Ruth will enter

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G. Greenawalt, dark Cornish. Champion Hen—Oran Ferguson dark Cornish.

Champion Cockerel, Pullet and Pen—S. A. McHorse, S. C. Rhode

Zephyr Cotton

Growers Order

A very, very worderful salow and the best I have seen in this section of the state." was the opinion of Mrs. Elizabeth Temple of Springfield, Missouri, poultry specialist for the Frisco railroad, when she spoke the Frisco railroad, when she spoke as. concerning the poultry show in progress at the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall. Mrs. Temple ex-pressed herself as being especially pressed nersell as being pleased with the exhibits of Reds pleased with the exhibits of Reds and said they were the finest she second and third, C. E. Bush, Hall had ever seen, Although Mrs. Tem-ple is interested in all kinds of White poultry, she is especially interested in turkeys and has made an exten-

D. L. Aukerman, state secretary the American Cornish Club, also sed himself as being well ed with the whole poultry show and especially pleased with the secens. He stated that there were 317 second. G. G. Greenawalt, Rose-birds of all varieties of Cornish on wood, California; third, G. L. Wil-

dging of the different class- Hall, Texas. and breeds has been completed Dark Cornish Cocks: First, G. G. the judges say that it is seldom Greenawalt, Rosewood, California;

tting their entries ready to ship Greenawalt, Rosewood, California ck, but if the show is held open second and third. Oran Ferguson til tomorrow afternoon it will Stephenville. an opportunity to those who Grand champion for Dark Cor

have not been to the show, to see nish Hens was won by Oran Fer-these high grade birds. guson of Stephenville. The grand champion display for he entire show of Cornish breed was won by Oran Ferguson of was awarded to G. G. Greenawalt

was won by Oran Ferguson of was awarded to Cr. Stephenville, Texas, whose birds of Rosewood, California.

Grand champion for Cornish femiliates of entire show was also have been admired by all visitors to the show. Other prizes in the Cormale birds of entire show was also won by Oran Perguson of Stephen-

the show. Other prizes in the Cornish breed were judged as follows:
Dark Cornish, old pen: First, J.
L. Harris, Fort Worth; second, E.
W. Wicker, Hall, Texas; third, J. L.
Harris, Fort Worth.
Dark Cornish, young pen: First, Oran Ferguson, Stephenville; second, G. H. Wilson, Stephenville; third, Mrs. Walter Dover, Jacksonville Texas.

White Cornish, young pen: First and second, J. R. Sullivan, Hall; second; third, C. E. Bush, Hall.

White Cornish Cockerels: First, second and third, J. R. Sullivan,

California Winner

Dark Cornish Pullets: First and second. G. G. Greenawalt, Roseson. Stephenville.

second and third, J. R. Sullivan,

experinece to find such a second, Oran Ferguson, Stephen-grade of birds as a whole as ville; third, J. L. Harris, Fort Worth nes exhibited in this show Dark Cornish Hens: Pirst, Oran been. It has not been decided Ferguson, Stephenville; second. whether the show will con-thrugoh tomorrow or not. If Mrs. Walter Dover, Jacksonville

Dark Cockerels: First, G.

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for the Christmas season which Results in the awarding of prizes closed with some of the produce for this Cornish show, in which over men Thursday and with others Fri- 600 birds were entered, were recday night. The price paid growers for the has season ranged from 18c

to 20c, beginning the season two weeks ago at the lower figure and paying the higher at its close.

This is about five more cars than

as last year. The price paid is two cents lower than for the Thanks-giving season and slightly lower

4th O. H. Hall, Mercury; 5th R. A Forbes, Brownwood.

Yearling Tom: First, B. F. Butter than last year.

hipping for a few weeks, though little is expected, most of it in

Brookesmith W. M. U. Sends Crates to the Orphans' Home 2nd. Frank Hurd, Brady; 3rd O. H. Hall, Mercury.

December 16, in a social hour at the home of Mrs. J. N. Fielder. The Union sent two crates of fruit and 4 pounds of candy to Buckner's

Punch and cake were served by the hostess to the following: Mesdanes, E. V. Shields, Tom Page, J. E. Holland, Carl Sheffield, Orac. Holland, Carl Sheffield, Oran Bush, white Cornish Joe Shield, Clifton Wise, J. N.

Monday, December 23, at the home of Mrs. Sam Gentry. It is their plan to work there all day.

Best Bold Color Cockerel—C and Olander, white Leghorn.

Best Bold Color Cockerel—C and Olander, white Leghorn.

Onion culture in the Pacific orthwest has increased 240 per Greenawalt, dark Cornish Best Parti Color Cockerel-S. A

For Her-

the American Cornish Club, was Cornis

There were exhibits and people here from all sections of the United States and a number from Canada port a total of 27 cars of dressed with the majority of the fine birds turkeys shipped to eastern markets shown being of the Cornish breed.

orded in the Bulletin Friday. The turkey awards follow:

TURKEY AWARDS

This is about five more cars than were shipped out for the Thanks-giving trade, and about the same Saba; 2nd K. K. Taylor, San Saba; 3rd Lee Carruth, Winchell;

han last year.

A number of the seven houses andling turkeys here will continue

Denton; 2nd, O. H. Hall, Mercury:

3rd, K. K. Taylor, San Saba; 4th, Ples Williams, Santa Anna; 5th, Forty-five cotton farmers were resent Saturday night at the sec-K. K. Taylor, San Saba

nd lecture on cotton production in a series held at the Zephyr Garrett, Richland Springs: 2nd, K school house and given by J. T. K. Taylor, San Saba; Stovall, vocational agricultural in-Garrett, Richland Springs. Old Hen: 1, 2, 4, 5, Mrs. T. A. Gar-

three delgates and Mr. Stovall to Venus next Saturday to inspect the uth. Brownwood. seed there, an order for which they

gave a representative Saturday This order calls for a car of 1,800 bushels for delivery about March 1 Old Pen: 1st, Frank Hurd, Brady; The Brookesmith Women's Mis-onary Union met Monday evening Young Pen: Ist, J. R. Nichols Clear Creek Club

SWEEP STAKES

Has Tea Party Best Solid Color Pen in Show-The Clear Creek Demonstration Club had a tea party this afternoon t the home of Mrs. H. Z. Howlett. The Clear Creek Club won the

Tellier, white Cornish.

Best Solid Color Cockerel—Carlson by the Business and Professional

and Olander, white Legnorn.

Best Solid Color Pullet—Carlson stunt at the recent Christmas ban-Best Parti Color Cock-Oran Fer- of the county. guson, dark Cornish. Best Parti Color Hen have had to use the new

> on Clothing we will leave it to you if they are not the best values offered in Chevrolet coupe, belonging to Wil- Utilities' polo teams.

Best Parti Color Pullet—G. G. RENFRO ELECTED PRESIDENT OF HOTEL BOARD, BUILDING BIDS TO BE OPENED JANUARY 15TH

Rhode Island Reds.

Best Five Hens—J. L. Harris, dark
Cornish.

INTERNATIONAL MEET OF
AMERICAN
Grand Champion Display and
Pen—J. L. Harris, dark Cornish.

Grand Champion Cock, Cockerel
G

Pen—J. L. Harris, dark Cornish.
Grand Champion Cock, Cockerel
and Pullet—G. G. Greenawalt, dark

It was also

Earnest Money Put Up

Improvements by the Elks Club A Car of Seed

cold water system is being installed, commodious dining room, space for

together with shower baths.

This will afford members cold drinking water throughout the year as well as affording hot water for the showers during the winter the showers during the winter omitted to make the building first constitution. months. The lavatory and shower class in every particular. room is being laid with tile

Contractors On Highway 129 Ready To Start Work

G. E. Huddleston of Crosbyton, of the firm of Huddleston & Work, which has the contract on the southern end of Highway 129, was in Brownwood Saturday getting ready for work on the road, working orders for which are now being breeders.

issued by the State Highway ComThe horses were purchased by Joe issued by the State Highway Com-mission. His son, C. M. Huddleston, Meyer, veteran buyer of Brady polo with C. A. Richey, has the sub con-tract for the concrete work on this. These two men also purchased thirty quet held by the demonstration clubs tract for the concrete work on this These two men also purchases of the county. The party this art- highway, and will also be here soon pole horses on spring delivery.

Stolen Car Found at Big Spring

Brownwood. Looney Merc. Ham Inglet of Bangs, was found in White and Strickland annual Big Spring by City Detective Charlie sell between 200 and 300 polo hors to all parts of the United States.

The three poultry shows held in Brownwood this week were early Saturday morning packing up and leaving. The final awards were early show the saturday mornish are going forward to completion is Was in Brownwood Thursday, bring-evidenced by a statement from the was in Brownwood Thursday, bring-evidenced by a statement from the was in Brownwood Thursday, bring-evidenced by a statement from the was in Brownwood Thursday, bring-evidenced by a statement from the approval of the stockholders detail once for fifty per cent of local sub-Saturday morning packing up and leaving. The final awards were given in each show, the sweepstakes were announced, the judges gone home, the prize money distributed, and the shows closed.

Possibly the best combined poultry exhibition ever staged in West Texas, composed of the Mid-Texas Poultry Show, the All-States Poultry Show, the All-States Poultry Show and the International Meet of the American Cornish Club, was

enough to carry twelve stories, with Grand Champion Cock, Cockerel and Pullet—G. G. Greenawalt, dark Cornish.

Grand Champion Hen—Oran Ferguson, dark Cornish.

Longest Distance, Entry — Dark Cornish by E. S. Ferris, Normandale, Cornish by E. S. Ferris, Normandale, Contario, Concerts Concerts Conditions warranted the adjustment of the Austin-Morris building would begin on Monday, January 6.

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> The plans as submitted and approved call for a fireproof structure with fans, bath, shower, hot and cold coms suitable for sample rooms, The Brownwood Elks Club is wonderful roof garden with kitchen, dining room, ball room, and auditorium. On the first floor a large and well equipped coffee shop, a

Among the other sales made White and Strickland during th past few weeks were the delivery of

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Below is published short but interesting lecture on the winning essay writing the second and to visit the room in which the ice oream is stored.

Our next stop was at Shaws Laundry, where we enjoyed watching the garments washed by large electric machines. Then we saw to visit the room in which the ice oream is stored.

Next we way the second and in the ice or which was done by machinery. exactly as written, ed first prize by a isinterested judges

Next we went to Walker-Smith Company, peanut butter factory. As we entered the building we were and put into containers for sale. We

The next place of interest that we visited was the Coca Cola Manufacturing company. We were We saw the bottles washed and filed by machinery, and then they carried them to where they were tested and placed in crates.

Our visit to the Brownwood Cotor time to We saw the cotton seed crushed things that we spent the The oil has many different uses, the city, and and the cotton seed hulls and meal are by-products of the cotton seed. Company. We were showed through

> We next went to the Texas Brick and Tile Company. There we enough great steam shovel, then carried by the small cars to the machines, where

A Joyous Christmas

everything runs smooth and the old anot missing on a few cylinders.

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s inspect your ignition system. We are fectrical repairing, generator and

will need a new battery soon why not let p your car with a new Prest-U-Lite.

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bricks molded and cut, then placed on cars to be carried to the fur-nace, where they were baked.

was enjoyed by every student in the group, as we saw many wonderful things there. We entered the build-ing and went into the chemistry coom, where our guide told us about he different gases. We watched

ers said that we must go. The last concern which we visited

Pep Squad. Invocation was given stealing light globes from dec audience was and help sing esting talks were given by Mayor O. W. McDonald, Superintendent guide gave interesting explanations of the different boards and how

nished by Brownwood Bakery, But-Company, Coca Cola Company, Nehi Bottling Company, Ideal Beverage Company and the Sunbeam Creamery. After lunch we returned to our bus and were given tickets to the football game. Then we continued our tour of the city until time to go to the football game. At a few minutes past three 'clock we went to Howard Payne park to the football game. The Brownwood High School Lions play-

the sun set and were all late reaching home. All of us were tired, but were that morning when we left. I want to thank the Chamber of ommerce for what they are doing the help the rural schools of this punty. And I hope that every under in the county will have the School Day and enjoy the things as I did. The day will be remembered by the students as the best and

McCulloch Jail To Be Improved 1885

BRADY, Texas, Dec. 17.-(Sp)sioners' Court has decided to act grand jury that the present county bastile be remodeled and improved. A contract is to be awarded January 13 for the complete January 13 for the complete re-modeling and improvement of the McCulloch county jail. The second and third story will be entirely over-hauled and equipped with new cells

and other modern equipment.

Among the new equipment will be new steel cage of latest design, new locking devices, new sanitary equipment, new cell deep and a second seco new cell doors and new window-gratings.

Tuesday night with Mayor O. W.

assistant city health officer Tues day night, this appointment being made at the request of Dr. T. B. Bailey, city health officer.

season and the game ended in their carpenter, which began Saturday favor, with the score twenty-three six.

We started home about the time Hotel and the manager, Austin Epperson stating that he was visit Dallas, Mr. Woodward states that no further reason for his hasty detime Wednesday

Friends of Mr. Epperson were be ginning to believe that foul play had been done as he had recently reof Abraham Lincoln. Mr. Epperson saw Lincoln shot at Ford's theatre in Washington, D. C., April 14th.

Johnny Epperson of Dallas had been notified as soon as his father had disappeared, but wired back that he had not seen him. thought that Mr. Epperson return wire had been sent and learning that his friends here were mystified by his absence, he let them hear from him by letter as soon as possible,

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has certainly don nore for me than any other medicine I have ever taken and has re-lieved me of 16 long years of SM fering and I am grateful to at, says Mrs. M. E. Smith, of 14 W econd St., San Angelo, wh and operates the Alamo Hot in her convention recently continued:

"I had a very dition seemed Everything I ate gas would form would have sm omach: I spells and palpitation of the to take strong

down condition thing to build p and put me less and nervou and hardly got a ertised so high hem so I decid disappeared and I now stion. I have a fine appethose terrible smothering e, and, in fact, my condi-is improved in every way. My are regulated, I sleep fine night nad wake up in the energy. I have persuaded my aughters to try Orgatone, too, and it is doing them good also. Orgaone has done more for me than nything I have ever tried or taken, am more than glad to give this Genuine Orgatone may be bought Brownwood at the Camp-Bell and Peerless Drug Stores. (adv.)

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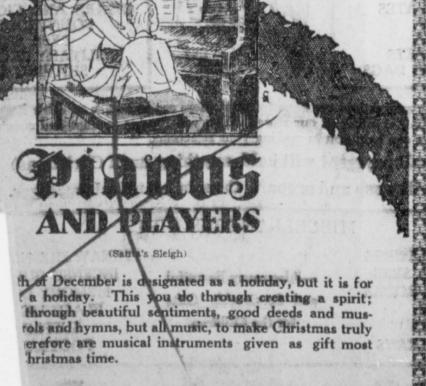
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way train, is in Brownwood today and will remain here until tonight, visiting various public buildings, business houses and schools of the business houses and schools of the business houses and schools of the business house and schools of the b city. The car is built on the lines of a locomotive and has a real bell, of a locomotive and has a real off, whistle, smoke-stack and all the contrivances of a railroad locomotive. The car is equipped with radio and sound apparatus as well as an electric public address system for the day. tem. On the program for the day are talks and music and other forms of entertainment. Louie Moller is the driver, or engineer, and states that he is well pleased with the reception given him by citizens of the driver, or engineer, and states Brownwood. Mr. Tunstill, manager of the local Publix theatres, the Lyric and Gem, is accompanying suffering from gun shot wounds in Mr. Moller on the tour of the city both arms, caused when her brother, today and making talks to the pub-

Little Girl Is

Hurt in Modern

given at the Medical Arts hospital this week, the participants being

sister's right arm and lodged in her

The girl is reported as doing nicely at the hospital this morning.

FOR DECEMBER 15

The Sunday school attendance for

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William Tell Act

The schedule for the special was sister in the arms, according to the started this morning at 10:30 at the version of the story received. city hall, where special music was played and talks by Mr. Tunstill and Mr. Moller were given. Mayor O. W. McDonald, in an address of welcome to the Publix Special, statward was then decided that Eddie would try his markesmanship on the rabed that Brownwood was glad to wel-come this form of entertainment bit and his sister held the target up and also stated that the city was glad to have them entertain at the Photographs were shot went completely through his

Visits The Bulletin

At 11 o'clock the Special moved on to the Brownwood Bulletin, where they were welcomed by H. F. SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE Mayes, publisher, who said that the Bulletin was always glad to welcome letin was glad to have the visit of 145 less than on the previous Sunday.

At 11:40 the Special accompanied First Baptist by cars from local automobile deal- Central Methodist ers started from the court house on Coggin Avenue Baptist a parade down Center Avenue to First Methodist the Post Office. Large crowds lined Church of Christ both sides of the street to see this First Presbyterian marvel of the modern automotive First Christian

Ford and Looney grade schools Melwood Avenue Baptist faculty. The car moved on from there to Howard Payne College, where Dean Taylor made them welcome. Other members of the fac-

ulty also made talks. From 1 until 2 o'clock the Spec ial was parked in front of the Lyric Theatre for the purpose of letting the general public inspect the car Also the people were entertained by

Following in order the car visited Daniel Baker college, where Dr. Chandler and other members of the faculty made talks: Coggin school the teachers were heard and South Ward school where there were also

In Residential Section

Beginning at 3:15 a tour of the On the way the people of the town were entertained by music from the special reproducing machines with which the car is

ne visitors welcome and Hemphill-Fain Company, Shaw's Walker-Smith Company nd J. C. Penny Company were vised in order and an inspection of ne car was made by the employees the different companies.

ere also entertained with music. The Gem Theatre was visited at H. G. Beaston of Minneapolis o'clock for another general in- who is in Brownwood as sales manpection by the people and then ager for the M. O. Curry Jewelry he speciad ended the day's pro- Store, 405 East Broadway, states that The "Publix Theatres Entertainment Special," an extraordinary automotive vehicle, a replica of a rail-tomotive vehicle, a replica of a rail-tomoti

Brownwood buyers are taking advantage of these values in doing lies' victory over Texas Tech in football Nov. 2 Not since that time their Christmas shopping, it was has a Daniel Baker athletic team

shooting at a rabbit she held in her hand, missed his target and hit his Election results for directors of the Greenleaf Cemetery Association for the election held in the City the 1929 grid campaign. One won-Hall Saturday give the following ders. Early Saturday morning the twins persons the highest votes, they being named directors of the association for the ensuing year: Mrs. D. S. Camp, Mrs. C. M. Ratliff, Mrs. R. L. McGaugh, Ben F. Stone and E. T. Perkinson

Mrs. McGaugh and Mr. Perkin-son were directors last year, Mr. Perkinson being secretary of the body. There were about 134 votes

Billy cagers over the basketeers of John Tarleton College of Stephen-ville. The Billy victory was easily annexed but lacked much of being very impressive, in fact the game.

Body of Doctor Dildy Is Removed to San Angelo

December 15th was 3088, which was The body of the late Dr. Joe E. The majority of the Sunday schools Dildy was removed from its rest-showed a decrease in attendance, the ing place in Greenleaf Cemetery was the office of the Brownwood News, where music was played and short talks were given by members of the staff.

News, where first Presbyterian and Austin Ave. Saturday and taken to San Angelo the Soring was done by Saturday and taken to San Angelo the veterans from the 1929 chambers talks were given by members of the staff.

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Carnahan, center and captain, lied in scoring with 10 points and

.532 pasas to San Angelo. Removal of the two bodies to San Harlow was in the game only 460 Angelo was made upon the request 198 of Dr. Dildy's daughter, Mrs. R. R. 185 Trimble, of San Angelo. Dr. Dildy's body was taken to San Angelo on the Santa Fe, the body of his first 59 pasas on the same train.

Hospital Bill Is Passed by House

A telegram received yesterday by the commander of the American Legion post in Brownwood from R. Q. Lee, congressman from this district, said: "Hospital bill just passed House. Now goes to Senate."

Married Sunday

Railway Express Agency, Inc., Announcement is made of the which boosts pecans as a food and marriage of Miss Özella Rae Bow-Announcement is made of the named Brownwood as one of the den to Mr. E. W. Jackson on Sunthree pecan growing centers. New Orleans, Louislana, and Al- Methodist parsonage. Rev. P. bany, Georgia, are the other two growing centers named. Stanford officiated. Miss Gertrude Fry and Mrs. Stanford were witnesses. Both Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are connected with the

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the bell. 1928-1929 school year when hardly a week passed that the old bell didn't send forth the glad tidings of another victory for some athletic team representing the college the hill. Yes a contrast and season is to be as disappointing as

registered a victory over an oppon-

Victory At Last But before rambling too far, might be well to advise that the cause of last night's bell ringing was a 22-10 victory for the Hil

was a ragged affair. And like all practice games, this tions, one gave the coaches of the two Mai teams, as evidenced by the fact that Coach Blair used 14 from his large the men saved, but of the entire squad of youngsters and these look-tribe. ed good, bad and indifferent. Practically all the scoring was done by Goodnight visited Taos less than

ond with a half dozen tallies, but short time. The Billies used their stalling game or delayed offense after taking an early lead and this apparently cut down the total score, as little effort was made to shoot at the basket in the second

half of the game The same two teams meet again tonight's tilt being scheduled to be played on the Ste-

Box score: Daniel Baker-22.

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| | Johnson, f0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
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| | William, f0 | 0: | 0 | 0 |
| | Burnett, f0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Hicks, f0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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John Tarleton—10 fg ft pf tp Cowan, Rogers, c

Referee-Cheaney (HPS).

W. E. Clark of the Clarke-Buffa-Oil Corporation, who has been n Brownwood for a couple of days. went out yesterday to make a location for drilling on the Weedon land on the Jim Ned.
The Clark-Buffalo Corporation

as to its credit the Clark-Buffalo pool north of Thrifty and other successful operations in this coun-, but has not been engaged in any evelopment work here in a little ver a year.

The company owns between 1,700 and 1,800 acres of leases on the Weedon lands on the Jim Ned, and about 300 acres of the Kesee, in the same section. Among its last operations here was the drilling of a well on the Kesee, which is still producing. One well was drilled on the Weedon. This well got a small stratum but appeared to be low on the ture and did make a pro-

During the last year Mr. Clark has been at his home in San Antonio and from his headquarters in that city has been looking after the Clark-Buffalo interests in the South and Southwest Texas fields.

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Coleman School Paper a Winner

COLEMAN, Tex), Dec. 18.—(Sp.— The Round-Up, Coleman High School publication, won second lace at the High School Press Asociation meeting held last Saturday t Baylor College, Belton, for the est all round school paper in Tex-

The Round-Up is a four page, five column paper and is issued twice a month by the students of he school. The paper receives liberal support from the merchants of game to be played in Austin, October

The staff consists of Peggy Jackson, editor-in-chief; Jack Horne, managing editor; Weldon Allen, asstant editor; Edmund McCurtain, advertising MacDougal, manager; Madelyn joke editor; Elwood Brewer, exchange editor; Sue Run-kle, art editor; and J. B. McCord. ent, hence the prolonged silence of sports editor. The staff is assisted by reporter from the various classes in the high school.

CANYON, Tex., Dec. 17 .-When the news of the death of Col. Goodnight reaches the Indian pueblos of the little mountain village of Taos, New Mexico, there will be deep grief in the hearts of the people for the Taos Pueblos like all early season practice tilts had looked upon him as their greatest white friend for three genera-

Many years ago, a group of Taos quintets a chance to experiment hunters strayed into the Panhandle. with different candidates for their Some men, who knew little of no fewer than 23 players participated in last night's argument. Colonel Goodnight intervened, thus earning the gratitude, not only of

> two years ago they were greeted as long-loved friends.

On that visit, Colonel Goodnight Attendance first wife, whose remains were led in scoring with 10 points and took the pueblos some buffalo heads, Kenneth (Carrots) Harlow was secwhich are highly valued by the Indians for use in their ceremonial in many ways, first by speeches made around the tribal council table in old pueblo, and later by all the gifts they could bestow upon the Colonel, Mrs. Goodnight and nembers of their party.

After the visit, Colonel Goodnight, with fine appreciation of their loes sent to the Taos pueblo to be-come the foundation of a herd for the Indians of another generation.

as University next autumn, this 1930. 11. A telegram from Dr. Ettlinger, Texas athletic driector, was received Jackets and Saints will clash Horne, Tuesday, advising that the game lilen, as and date had been approved by the Curtain. Texas athletic council.

Armistice Day, the place of this tilt to be arranged later. Texas Tech will come to Brownwood November

of Coaches Cheaney and Keaton two hard games in the Southwest Conference, the other clash being he annual tilt with Southern Me hodist University, Sept. 27. Coach

Six other games have been sched- home.

uled for next season with one date vet open. The Jackets will go to San Marcos, October 4 for a game with the Southwest Texas Teachers. The Texas game follows this tilt after which the Jackets go to Sherman for the opening game of the Texas Conference schedule, this

being with Austin College, October 18. The only open date follows this game, this date being October 25. It is likely that Simmons Univer-CAP Shelton, athletic director at sity will be played on that date in Howard Payne, announces that Brownwood. Otherwise the Jackets he has scheduled a game with Tex- and Cowboys may not meet in

Trinity will entertain the Jackets in Waxahachie, Nov. 1 and the Tapestries, rice \$3.41. 19 and the Southwestern University This will give the Yellow Jackets Pirates will invade the Jacket camp Coaches Cheaney and Keaton Thanksgiving for the closing game

Today only two games have been Coach scheduled for Brownwood soil and his unless Simmons comes to Brown-Cheaney seems pleased that his team will face both S. M. U. and Texas. However, he suggests that his boys are in for a pair of lickings.

unless Simmons comes to Brown-wood October 25, Howard Payne fans may have to do lots of travelling in 1930 to see the Jackets in low you \$1 for any of lings. eason will be played away from

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sleigh carried them rapidly p to the part of the world where ney had been before when the Lit-Black Clock had taken them to

und it, a red stocking cap on his lead and packs and packs of pres-nts, but one pack which was quite the most enormous of all.

The reindeer were waiting and "We mustn't delay him this eveng," said the Little Black Clock. Ye'll simply watch him as he

ack—the one she had wanted, and ohn was quite sure that he saw

thing into his. And then he was

could travel so quickly. Never had they believed reindeer could look gay and joyous and delighted at flakes were flying about, running

as he had. Presents were sticking out from all parts of the sleigh. They had never seen anything

indeer!" shouted Santa Claus.
"It's Christmas Eve. The chil-

There were the jolly times when nd painting splendid names sleds, and when he was down on the floor of his own workshop making certain that the electric

making was finished, and read he world. How he loved his let-ers! How carefully he kept track of How he kept adding to his great nd mighty lists-the longest lists other presents they would so love

his great red coat and tying the sash around his waist. And now he

of the bells from the reins of the 2118 Ave. C. Wichita Falls, Texas. reindeer and they heard that dear, "Before I took Orgatone," con-

The toys in the pack were talkng together, wondering where they

hang from trees, or see their owners for the first time as they peeped from the tops of stockings, or gantone, and at the time I starte it I really did not feel like doin now, I am getting as healthy as I ever was in my life. The headaches paper and placed under Christmas and stomach pains have all left me

ine little white lamb whispered.
"I'm sure of it," said the bear. "We're arriving somewhere!" the ephant shouted digestion. I am not the least bit

was crowded with them, for Santa

WATCH YOUR STEP, BOYS

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My son advised me to take Or-

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SANTA'S CHRISTMAS EVE By Mary Graham Bonner Author of "Sundown Stories" to see what was going on, and the A Regular Feature in The Builetin stars came out until the whole sky

Claus was celebrating Christmas THE toys were all ready They were sitting, waiting, How proud they were! No less a person than Santa Claus had made

toy proud. Outside it was snowing. Snow races with the wind.

derful old sleigh across the spar

Santa Claus was getting ready There was no moment quite

wonderful. But there was no mo-ment in all the moments in all the one that came just as he was get-ting ready to leave. Since Taking Orgatone Wichita Woman Is Now Able to Do Her Now Santa Claus was putting on Housework With Ease.

His voice sounded a little that digest anything. The solution led, too, for of course the toys stomach would cause intense pain were in the pack and they couldn't stomach would cause intense pain my side and often times such

palpitation of the heart I couldyl hardly stend it. I was extremely nervous, my breath was short, and I felt miserable all the time

"Do you think I will be loved?"

It was Santa's first stop. And, as he lifted some of the every night and as well as I every strom the pack, he said:

was. I can't find words to express And, as he lifted solid:

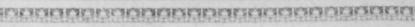
bys from the pack, he said:

"My, but I'm glad I'm Santa my thankfulness for what Orgatone has done, it is nothing short of the pack of the pack."

And the bells on the reindeer tinkled gaily, and the toys in the Pecrless Drug Stores. (Adv.)

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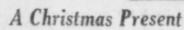
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THE END OF IT and the bedpost was his

eff will live in the Past, the Present, and the Future!" Scrooge repeated as he scrambled out of bed. "The Spirits of all Three shall tains in his arms. "They are not strive within me. O Jacob Marley! torn down, rings and all. They are Heaven and the Christmas Time be

knees, old Jacob; on my knees!" He was so fluttered and so glowown The bed was his own, ing with his good intentions, that his broken voice would scarcely anpiest of all, the Time before was his own, to make amends bing violently in his conflict with with tears.

"They are not torn down," cried Scrooge, folding one of his bed-cur-

every kind of extravagance.
"I know what to do!" cried Scrooge. "It's a pleasi Scrooge, laughing and crying in the him. Yes, my buck!" Scrooge, laughing and crying in the same breath, and making a perfect Laocoon of himself with his stock-the boy.

"Is it?" said Scrooge. am as happy as an angel, I am as merry as a schoolboy, I am as glddy as a drunken man. A happy New Year to all the world! Hallo here! earnest. Go and buy it, and tell Whoop! Hallo!"

ing off again, and going round the crown!' fireplace. "There's the door by The which the Ghost of Jacob Marley must have had a steady hand at a entered! There's the corner where trigger who could have got a shot

upside down, tearing them, mislaying them, making them parties to returned the boy.

'em to bring it here, that I may He had frisked into the sitting-give them the directions where to room and was now standing there. take it. Come back with the man. erfectly winded.

"There's the saucepan that the back with him in less than five

sat! There's the window where I "I'll send it to Bob Cratchit's, saw the wandering Spirits! It's all whispered Scrooge, rubbing his right, it's all true, it all happened. hands and splitting with a laugh Ha, ha, hai" "He shan't know who sends it. It's Really, for a man who had been twice the size of Tiny Tim. Joe out of practice for so many years, it was a splendid laugh, a most illus-sending it to Bob's will be!"

may be dispelled. They will be. I Scrooge. "A remarkable boy! Do them with the Ghost of Christmas "Nice gir!! Very." know they will!"

| Very. know they will!"

His hands were busy with his prize turkey that was hanging up hands behind him, Scrooge regard-garments all this time: turning there?—Not the little prize turkey:

them with the Chost of Christmas with his Present; and, walking with his "Yes, so "Where garments all this time: turning there?—Not the little prize turkey:

them with the Chost of Christmas with his Present; and, walking with his "Yes, so "Where garments all this time: turning there?—Not the little prize turkey:

them with the Chost of Christmas with his prize turke garments and the prize turkey that was hanging up hands behind him, Scrooge regard-garments all this time: turning there on the big one?"

"West so "Yes, so "Where garments all this time: turning there on the big one?" smile. He looked so irresistibly pleasant, in a word, that three or four good-humored fellows said, "Good-morning, sir! A merry Christmas to you!" And Serooge Scrooge.

Total-Abst terwards; I am about to raise your salary!"

Bob trembled and got a little nearer to the ruler. He had a mo-mentary idea of knocking Scrooge down with it, holding him and construction of the construction of

"What a delightful boy!" said "Good-morning, sir! A merry "Thankee. He knows me," said calling to the people in the crooge. "It's a pleasure to talk to Christmas to you!" And Scrooge Scrooge, with his hand already on for help and a strait-waistcoat. im. Yes, my buck!"

said often afterwards that, of all the dining-room lock. "T'll go in the blithe sounds he had ever here, my dear." heard, those were the blithest in He turned it gently, and sidled could not be mistaken, as he clap-

ng on towards him, he beheld the was spread out in great array); than I have given you for many a portly gentleman who had walked for these young housekeepers are year! I'll raise your salary and nto his counting house the day be- always nervous on such points, and fore, and said, "Scrooge and Mar-ley's, I believe?" It sent a pang "Fred!" said Scrooge. fairs this very afternoon, over cross his heart to think how this Come old gentleman would look upon by marriage started! Scrooge had Bob! Make up the fires and buy an five him when they met; but he knew forgotten, for the moment, about another coal-scuttle before you do ruel was in!" cried Scrooge, start- minutes, and I'll give you half-a- what path lay straight before him, her sitting in the corner with the another i, Bob Cratchit and he took it.

of you. A merry Christmas to you, me in, Fred?"

"Yes," said Scrooge. "That is my at home in five minutes ame, and I fear it may not be could be heartier. His ni oleasant to you. Allow me to ask your pardon. And will you have the goodness—" Here Scrooge whisered in his ear.

"Lord bless me!" cried the gen- imity, won-der-ful happiness! leman, as if his breath were taken ou serious?

Not a farthing less. A great many ing late! That was the thing he back-payments are included in it, had set his heart upon. assure you. Will you do me that

"My dear sir," said the other, haking hands with him, "I don't now what to say to such munifi-"Don't say anything, please," re-orted Scrooge. "Come and see me. him come into the tank.

And it was clear he meant to do it. was on his stool in a jiffy, driving "Thankee," said Scrooge. "I am away with his pen, as if he were much obliged to you. I thank you trying to overtake nine o'clock.

bout the streets, and watched the could feign it. "What do you mean beople hurrying to and fro, and by coming here at this time of day?" atted the children on the head, and questioned beggars and looked "I am behind my time."
down into the kitchens of houses, "You are!" repeate and up to the windows; and found that everything could yield him pleasure. He had never dreamed "It's only once a year, sir," pleadthat any walk—that anything— ed Bob, appearing from the tank. In the afternoon he turned his making rather merry yesterday, steps towards his nephew's house. sir." He passed the door a dozen times

his face in round the door. They ped him on the back. "A merrier were looking at the table (which Christmas, Bob, my good fellow,

footstool or he wouldn't have done said Scrooge, it on any account.

Let him in! It is a mercy he didn't shake his arm off. He was old world. could be heartier. His niece looked just the same. So did Topper when he came. So did the plump sister when she came. Wonderful party, wonderful games,

But he was early at the office "My dear Mr. Scrooge, are next morning. Oh, he was early there! If he could only be there "If you please," said Scrooge, first and catch Bob Cratchit comhad set his heart upon.

And he did; yes, he did! The clock struck nine. No Bob. A quarter past. No Bob. He was full eighteen minutes and a half be-

Will you come and see me?"

His hat was off before he opened "I will!" cried the old gentleman. the door; his comforter, too. He

ifty times. Bless you!"

"Hallo!" growled Scrooge in his
He went to church, and walked accustomed voice as near as he

repeated Scrooge

"Now, I'll tell you what, before he had the courage to go friend," said Scrooge. "I am not up and knock. But he made a dash going to stand this sort of thing longer. And therefore," "Is your master at home, my continued, leaping from his stool,

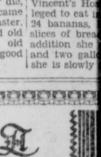
the things that would have been "An intelligent boy!" said time pouring forth, as he had seen dear?" said Scrooge to the girl. and giving Bob such a dig in the into the tank again-"and therefore Total-Abst

"A merry Christmas, Bob!" said Dear heart alive, how his niece Christmas bowl of smoking bishop.

He did it all, and infinitely more; quickening his pace, and taking the old gentleman by both his hands, "how do you do? I hope you succeeded yesterday. It was very kind of you. A merry Christmas to you. The country is the country of the

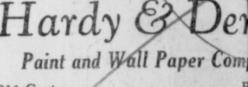
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long line of brilliant laughs! don't know what day of the downstairs to open the street-doo month it is," said Scrooge, "I don't ready for the coming of the pour know how long I have been among terer's man. As he stood I'm quite a baby. Never mind. Hallo! Whoop! Hallo here!

He was checked in his transports hand. "I scarcely ever looked at i Oh, glorious, glori- ry Christmas

ed it, and put out his head. heavenly sky; sweet fresh air; mer-ry bells. Oh, glorious! Glorious!

calling downward to a boy in Sun-

The Spirits have done it all in one night. They can do anything they like. Of course they can. Of course they can. Hallo, my fine fellow!"

"Hallo!" returned the boy.
"Do you know the poulterer's in the next street but one, at the cor-

know, wish you a

trious laugh. The father of a long, address was not a steady one; bu

he Spirits. I don't know anything waiting his arrival, the knocke caught his eye.

"I shall love it as long as I live

by the churches ringing out the lefore. What an honest expression it has in it face! It's a won Clash, clash, hammer; ding, dong. derful knocker!-Here's the turke Bell, dong, ding; hammer, Hallo! Whoop! How are you! Mer

It was a turkey! He never could Running to the window, he open- have stood upon his legs, that bird

he paid for the turkey, ered in to look about him.
"Eh?" returned the boy with all cab, and the chuckle with which he

dance while you are at it. But the had cut the end of his nose off

he next street but one, at the corer?" Scrooge inquired.
"I should hope I did," replied the streets. The people were by this

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Christmas means the same in the White House as it does in millions of other American homes—a happy grandfather down on his knees and playing around the Christmas tree with his little grandchildren. Here are Peggy Ann Hoover (above) and Herbert Hoover III (below), children of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover, Jr., whom President Hoover brought to the White House for the Christmas season just so he could be with them when





Peggy pressed firmly on the arrow -a door in the wall swung open! SYNOPSIS: In the enigmatic son were her uncle's nearest neigh-

phrases of Herbert Prescott's old bors and on friendly, if not in-Bible, Peggy seeks a clew to the timate, terms with the owner of missing million dollar fortune and Yew Lodge. finally makes another search of the basement, From an old An- 1y. find its human mark-someone else killed the nocturnal intruder. Julia returns from a visit to Echo Farm to find she is locked out of Yew

SIGN OF THE ARROW

TOTALLY unconscious of the himself behind her, Sheriff Beach's departure.

the U. S. navy upon it, and stag-gered and confused by her earlier be for deliberate, discovery that Jim was in fact Jameson Sinclair, a commander in the that was the electric chair!

Sheriff Beach's information made clear that she had not killed Stanton; therefore, there was no blood guilt upon her soul. But peace consciousness that she had been the innocent victim of another's rime. Was not that other Jim? Intense by nature, loyal in every liber of her being, the realization that her trust was misplaced, her ove bestowed upon a man unwor-hy, seared like a white-hot brand Peggy bowed her head and scalding tears trickled through her fingers. The storm passed and she

Gathering herself together, Peggy trove to reason out the situation. There was motive enough for the crime; a brother's hatred of the man who had ruthlessly wrecked his sister's home, the man who had first betrayed, them forsaken her He might have had access t Yew Lodge; perhaps her uncle had supplied him with a key or Obadiah Evans might have had one; what more likely when he and his step-

ly. How Jim had contrived an entrance into Yew Lodge was a de-Obadiah Evans' stepson whom she tail for further investigation. The loves, is Jamieson Sinclair. The fact remained that he had entered cloud that has hung over her since in time to shoot Edgar Stanton as Lieut. Edgar Stanton was killed the latter crept through the front at Yew Lodge is lifted when she learns the builet she fired did not ter with Obadiah Evans and Sheriff tol on the floor, Jim had pocketed it by mistake for his own. That he had found it some hours later in Lodge. She had left Peggy inside. his overcoat pocket was a curious trick of fate. By such narrow mar-

gins were criminals detected. But, oh, that Jim had sheltered passing time, Peggy Prescott remained in the living room after doubting that she had shot Edgar Stanton fatally, Peggy Stunned by the statement that claimed that fact in Jim's presence Obadiah Evans had assured her she would be charged only with excusable homicide.

Peggy pushed her hair off her throbbing, aching forehead. Was the closing day no darker than her churning thoughts.

Peggy pushed her hair off her throbbing, aching forehead. Was throbbing, aching forehead. Was the churning thoughts. Peggy pushed her hair off her safeguard his own life? He had sug-

they face the trial-man and wife. Was it not writte not testify against her

Peggy rose, to remain still any longer was impossible. Twice she paced up and down the living room and the third time, on reaching the door to the veranda, she paused

nd looked across the room. From that vantage point Jim must have crouched waiting for his victim. A switch, near that door controlled the electric lights both the living room and the floor

She recalled that the lights had died out just as she put out her hand to switch them off. In the she had forgotten the incident, Evi- guese colonial administration.

then, had the bullet from her re- sible for the unsavoury

She ran up the staircase and lowed to drift.

Keeping her eyes in the direction of her pointed finger, she went down the staircase and across to

the opposite wall. A bridge lamp stood near it, and she pulled it closer, turning on the light.

The living room was paneled in oak and the dark wall absorbed the light. Going over to her uncle's desk, she took up her torch and with its aid examined the panel. with its aid, examined the panel running her fingers up and down the carved woodwork. Ah, was the bullet, embedded in Ah, then of the scroll-like patterns, and invisible to the casual glance.

ing at the deeply absorbed girl. Not a movement on her part escaped the watcher's attention. Oblivious

carved and cleverly fashioned so that it blended perfectly into the

If the black arrow had been the have held a more deadly fascinaassociate with the mystery ounding her specified stay at Yew

dreaming? Peggy touched the arcw, pressed it hard, yet harder, f she felt pain in her finger from the compression of the sensitive

ran along level ground for a shor distance, then came a curve and she could detect nothing beyond it With interest at fever heat, she wavered for an instant, then cast ing discretion to the wind, she went down the passage. (Copyright, D. Appleton and Co.)

Adventure awaits Peggy down the darkened corridor of the secret passageway. Continue the story

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PORTUGAL WILL CLEAN UP "PLAGUE SPOT" IN CHINA

By GEORGE HALADJIAN

(Associated Press Correspondent)

city of Portuguese China, on the cao, where trading in this drug is Bay of Canton, where vice is ram-still permitted. But although the wide open, is to become respecta-

stamp out all forms of vice from he "plague spot" which brought disgrace and contempt on Portuguese colonial administration

It was in the middle of the sixaneously, for she had heard but teenth century that the Portuguese newly A thought occurred to her and there in return for assistance given to the center of the to the Chinese against pirates. Ever has secured a firm foothold in the room. Sheriff Beach had stated since, Macao has remained in Porthabits of the natives, will be slow that only one bullet had been tuguese possession but lack of infound in Stanton's body and that terest in the colony by former Por-the had no other wound. Where, tuguese administrations is respon-and limit its consumption. The which this island town has been al-

took up a position on the spot where she had stood that night, watching Stanton creep into the house, and imitated her action of pointing her pistol toward him, this time empty handed.

Macao is noneycombed with opidestroyed and the dealers punished. He will also reduce the number of gambling dens by raising taxation is thriving on opium traffic and tion on gambling. In time, he hopes, public gambling will cease because time empty handed. Its low grade music halls and cab-

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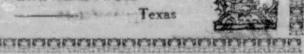
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