SCORE PARDUNS, TWO PAROLES, CHRISTMAS LIST OF CLEMENCY

AUSTIN, Dec. 23 .- (AP) -- Governor Miriam A. Ferguson granted 43 full pardons, one conditional pardon, two paroles and a remitted sentence and reduced a fine Thursday, all as Christmas clem-

full pardon Thursday by Governoz of the northwest corner of the Anette county on a charge of venue

mended by the surviving children ators have sought in Coleman of the deceased, one being now 25 county.

The well is located in the north-

v judge of Fayette county, the jury, and many prominent people recom-mended the pardon. Among the latter she named Wayne Davis, San Kleberg, and H. A. Wree of Aus-

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 23 .- (A)-23 pardons and two paroles were granted Thursday by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson as part of the Christmas list. The pardons include:

torgery, sentenced four years; served more than year. Recom-

J. Bailey, Runnels county, three years; convicted in Recommended by judge, jury, sheriff. The others were tly for liquor and law violators. ord for life was D. Erwin of Houston, es to pay him \$15 a ch for services. He had served

Two slayers convicted in Tarrant and Parker counties, respectively, were pardoned today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, the Star-Telegram says in a story printed today. One was William Wayne Todd, who with two other youths killed James McNeal, Fort Worth service car driver, and was sentenced to death in Parker county. The other was J. H. Graham, who slew D. L. Hayne, his neighbor, here, in a quarrel about chickens in a garden, accepting a ten year sentence only

Todd's sentence was commuted to life imprisonment by Governor

es, general manager of ne Southern railroad, to-rmed Washington advices Texas & Pacific railroad jating with the Morgan

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ALLEGED ROBBERS OF IN NEBRASKA CITY

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Dec. 23.

proved highway estimates due the company satisfied the remainder of the \$\frac{5}{12,000}\$ judgment, assessed as excessive profits on asphalt surfacing and maintenance.

"I wanted to go to the Mayo clinguals and get of the cotton acreage. For the past four or five days rains have occurred over practically the entire cotton region. In many sections these rains were heavy to excessive and there is no doubt but that they seriously delayed picking and ginning of the cotton yet to be gathered. had killed me when they were shooting at me, while I was trying to escape after the bank holdup."

WEAVER RANCH WELL

An important discovery in Coleman county was made on Monday several hours later.

In the James B Douglas well on the officers said the car bore During AUSTIN, Dec. 23.—(P)—Otto G. Nami, University of Texas student sentenced 15 years in the pentientiary for murder in connection with the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of John K. Ross, his of the Gwinnup Pool, It is approximate the slaying of midding certain and sections of Texas. Balance of many thousands of additional acreage will be planted to cotton. This report acreated that many thousands of additional acreage will be planted in other crops which has hitherto been planted to cotton. This report acreated the Lions, each of these lads register the Lions, each of these lads register the Lions, each of the service in For the visitors, Green, playing and sections of Texas, Balance of the Rochelle team, was high point and sections of Texas, and south to the running board as the many thousands of additional acreage will be planted to other eight points made by the Lions, each of these are service in the Lions, each of these and service in the Lions, each of the service in the Lions, each of the contains of the Cotton. This report acreated will be planted to cotton. The contains of the Cotton and acreated will be planted in the Lions, each of the cotton acreated will be planted to cotton. The cotton acreated will be planted in the Lions He was convicted in drew Gable Survey No. 271.

Casing was set last week at 1870

feet and shows a sandy lime to Little Symphony, radio orchestra. n the proclamation. Governor 1901 feet, and seven feet of sand to guson said Nami "has always ted his innocence and contended of the contended the was compelled to kill the Tuesday. The well will be drilled to a contract depth of 2000 feet Strange as it may seem the novel then plugged back and shot, as this fact is that his pardon is recomis, the sand horizon so many oper-

the state that Nami acted in his own self defense and in the defense of their mother. The wife of the deceased also joins in the request

tors in the last decade. None of the supreme court the major companies have any interest in the block outside of the Roxana Petroleum Company, which owns three 80-acre offsets to the owns three 80-acre offsets to the owns three 80-acre offsets to the attorney general declined to approve until the test was made on not known bere.

The action of the supreme court ing decision whether to deport them over a wide area were snattered about the middle of next week, and over the over a wide area were snattered about the middle of next week, and over the over a wide area were snattered about the middle of next week, and over the basket ball team.

The box are decision whether to deport them or try them on charges of improve and the countryside for several will then resume his duties with the basket ball team.

The box are offsets to the country-wide issues which the attorney general declined to carl Gilroy. Their home addresses money there are not known bere. ed in the block.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS

BORGER, Texas, Dec. 23.—(A)-

cepting a ten year sentence only tin of Pantex, was found in the dead man's coat pocket. Another letter was from his father, living

miles northwest of Denton, Texas. lano were wounded and 275 quarts. The proprietor of a roadhouse of liquor and five horses were capfive miles east of the place in which Martin was slain, insisted today that a drunken man had entered his place late Wednesday night and related a wild story in which the drunken man had seen a man shot between the eyes. The who made the capture were on the restall of other same and the capture were on the restall of other same and the capture were on the restall of other same and the capture were on the restall of other same and the capture were on the restall of other same and the capture were on the restall of other same and the capture were on the restall of other same and the capture were on the restall of other same and customs inspectors in Duval country. December 5th, reports which reached the customs of fice the capture were on the capture when the capture were on the capture were on the capture when the capture were on the capture were on the capture when the capture were captured in a fight between smugglers and captured in a fight between smugglers and customs inspectors in Duval captured in a fight between smugglers and captured in a fight between smugglers and captured in a fight between smugglers and customs inspectors in Duval captured in a fight between smugglers and customs inspectors in Duval captured in the capture when the capture were captured in the captured man told a similar story at a place trail of other smugglers in the across the road, saying he had seen same region, one of the wildest six men shot and lying near Pan-

AMARILLO, Dec. 23,-(AP)-A noon today in connection with the men were wounded. slaying of Ray Martin at Pantex, it was learned here. The suspect's

FT. WORTH OFFICER IS KILLED BY MOTORIST CRIMINAL DISAPPEARS

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company paid into the register of the 53rd district court here, \$73,\$73,\$73,\$73,\$73,\$74,\$75,\$7

Maco was a widely known musi-belt contains only remnants of un-quoted at 111/4 cents per pound. cian, being a baritone horn player in the police band and director of what is known as the Hired Hand's

ISSUE OF ROAD BONDS

approve until the test was made are not known here.

This is considered one of the most important decisions in the supreme court in years, the ruling automobile with Crocker and Gilroy burned to death. They lived in the familiary of dellars worth

of the due process of law clause of charges of bigamy and second marto a hospital.

the federal constitution and declarriage. When these charges were The buildings destroyed com-

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 23.-(AP)-Luciano Sanches was killed, Lean-dro Estrada and Ygnacio Castel-Mexican ranches. tured in a fight between smugglers points on the Texas-Mexican bor

The report said that the custom officers were ambushed after fol-lowing the smugglers several miles nan was arrested shortly before but that none of the government

DALLAS, Dec. 23,—(P)—Emmet Vestal, who for eight year been a fugitive from the

COTTON REACTS FROM DOWNWARD TREND, GAINS \$1 BALE WEDNESDAY

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Dec. 23.

(P)—Lyter Huffman of Newton, instituted Thursday by W. E. Pon-ropean political news the cotton marter of the control of Coin.

Texas, and Clyde Stratton of Coin.

der. real estate salesman, arrested ket showed consistent firmness Wed-laws who were arrested here on the control of the contro

on winter wheat acreage which indi-cated that the acreage in winter wheat in the southern states has been con-siderably increased. This increase is at the expense of the cotton acreage.

Police here are looking for a motorist who flung Bicycle Officer Frank Maco from the automobile and killed him early today. The driver of an automobile containing perforations believed to be bullet holes is being held.

Maco jumped on the running board of a car when the driver re-

in the Mexican capital came as a

Reliable information, however, in-

Have Specialist to

Wool Marketing to

general surprise.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 23.—(P)— After showing some weakness the picked cotton. There are strong indi-early part of the week on continued cations that the final out-turn of cot-

The market was sustained by un-favorable weather developments as have been excessive. Precipitation of outclassed the visitors, but the

ity of material reduction in the cotton areage next Spring there has been no definite tangible evidence as to the probable research of learning the spring of the country o these rains were heavy to excessive mous acreage that will be returned

moned. The fires were extinguished According to newspapers, John without further spread.

WILLAGE IN PANHANDE

preme court in years, the ruling affecting millions of dollars worth of bonds he'd throughout the United States by investors in Texas bonds.

The opinion held that the state statutes satisfied all requirements of the due process of law clause of the due process of law clause

TWO SLAYERS FREED

FORT WORTH. Dec. 23.—(P)—

While the dead man was identified by papers in his clothing as father. We slayers convicted in Pantex and has a father. Martin of Pantex and has a father. The buildings destroyed combination and detail riage. When these charges were dismissed by the Mexican courts, prised what was known as Pearsall bonds were subject to attack on the sons returned to the United States, and the revelation, with his section. arrest, that one of them was again

GREENWICH, Conn., Dec. 23.-

Young Howard's friends denounce P-Fire today burned the entire the arrest as a "frame-up" and say plant of Ely Court, an exclusive the kidnaping idea is ridiculous. school for girls, with a loss esti-The whereabouts of the elder mated at \$500,000. Five buildings Howard is unknown except to close friends, who refuse to reveal it, saying he is afraid of his sons. were destroyed. Nobody was in jured. The girls were away for the holidays.

dicates that he is honeymooning BALDWIN, N. Y., Dec. 23 -(A)plosion authorities believed might shreds by the explosion.

The remains were brown

wards of Nassau county learned of his parents at Hamburg, Ger-Secure Better Result Samuel Acarbi, a shoemaker with a many. WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(P)— ed a letter threatening to blow up F. Walker, secretary of the Ohio the hotel if the cobbler did Wool Growers' Co-operative Asso-ciation has been appointed con-trade.

ciation, has been appointed consulting specialist for special work on wool marketing by the department of agriculture. His appointment is the department's first step in undertaking the co-operative marketing of wool by the recently created division of co-operative marketing.

This morning the tavern was torn almost board from board by an explosion that rocked the town, killed the shoemaker's wife and infant and probably fatelly injured Acarbi himself.

VALUABLE CHRISTMAS GIFT

VALUABLE CHRISTMAS GIFT HAMILTON, Ont. Dec. 23.—(P)

Joe Barty, who was to have beer

NO SALT WATER WELLS

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.-(A)-WIL

Rochelle Loses Near End of Snappy Game

eers turned in their fourth con- Sorrow swept aside the spirit eers turned in their fourth con- Sorrow swept aside the spirit the Christmas season today. AUSTIN. Tex., Dec. 23.—(P)—The state's hard fought suit against the Hoffman Construction company of Ryder said today.

Texas, and Clyde Strated of County of the season for the horse of th Hoffman Construction company of Eastland closed Thursday when the company paid into the register of the 53rd district court here, \$73, after considering the confession of \$26.83 satisfying in full \$412,000 the favorable weather developments as after considering the confession of the southern states has been considered in the southern states has been considered with in the southern states has been considered to the probabilwas 17 to 10 in favor of the Lions, 15, but in the last quarter the lo- out they did not cals scored 14 points to none for Captain Harold G. Foster

But as an incident of the U.S. Government report on Winter wheat acreage in the south, which was issued Wednesday afternoon it was learned that thousands of acres formerly being planted in cotton have already been given over to wheat.

Beturns to Washington indicate. the visitors. board of a car when the driver refused to stop at a street intersection where some stop lines were being painted.

Returns to Washington indicate an average increase of acreage planted in Winter wheat of 11.5 per cent in the cotton states. The report stated in played heads up basket ball and the farmer and his family does the being painted.

Returns to Washington indicate an average increase of acreage planted in Winter wheat of 11.5 per cent in the cotton states. The report stated in part: "The low price caused the line to roll up so large a score, his mother as the play by the Lions was center. being painted.

Speeding in zig-zag fashion for several blocks the car went out of sight of Maco's brother officers who found him fatally injured. He died several hours later.

The officers said the car bore

Stanley's Agency, Meliphis, Icalis, is one of the most conservative and most reliable weather and crop but that of Winter wheat. Compared with valuable help of his mates he could bridge of a year ago, Texas shows an increase of 25 per cent, Georgia 30 per cent, and South Carolina 35 per cent.

Thus it is known that this acreage at least will be converted and it is the converted and it is the converted and the past week there were at least will be converted and it is the converted and the past week there were at least will be converted and the past week there were at least will be converted and it is the converted and the past week there were at least will be converted and it is the converted and the past week there were at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week there were at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week. The past week there were at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past week at least will be converted and it is the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least will be converted and the past was at least wil

For the visitors, Green, playing a widow guard also serving as captain of the Rochelle team, was high point man for his team, making four goals from the field for eight points. Cates, high jumping center, and heady player, was responsible for five of the 15 scores registered by Rochelle. Price, left forward was successful in getting the through the basket one time. The Rochelle boys were good at passing the ball when in midfield, but the Lions broke up most of their plays before they were able to work under the goal for a crip shot.

Most of the Rochelle scores came from long and difficult shots.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohis (A)—Charles Hellerm his wife, 44, were king from home 12 miles a farm home 14 miles a farm home 12 miles a farm home 14 miles a farm home 12 miles a farm home 14 mile

Brownwood

Harvison R. G. Green L. G.

Total . Referee, Marvin Chambers; Timeteeper, Frank Butcher.

EXPLOSION KILLS MAN BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 23 .- (AP)-Arthur Sippig, German geologist with the Corona Oil company, was killed Wednesday afternoon several miles south of Matamoros by the with his third wife, formerly Senora Leonor Cordero, on one of her Mexican ranches.

Two persons were killed, about a premature explosion of a stick of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed today in an exhaust of dozen injured and twelve wooden buildings destroyed to a contract of the exhaust of the contra

The remains were brought to the Mrs. Rubel ter Last week District Attorney Edvards of Nassau county learned today and will be sent to the home colonists, esco

TEXAS BRIEFS

AUSTIN — Governor Ferguson granted nineteen full pardous, three

business houses Wednesday with an Coker lot 5 block 35 Bustimated loss of \$15,000.

DECISION POSTPONED

AUSTIN, Dec. 23.—(P)—At request of Oak Cliff officials the executive committee of the Texas University Interscholastic League Fhursday postponed until January decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibility chartes rought against four Oak Cliff formal decision on ineligibi

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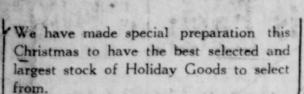
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L DRUG COMPANY

HOUSTON, Dec. 18 .- (A) -Two ish identity of a bandit who was shot and probably fatally injured by City Detective Percy Heard while he was holding up a drug store on Main Street her: Friday

bany, one of the largest and mos -xtensive producing and develop

ng concerns in the southwest, ha started the installation of a casing tead plant in the Fry oil field

that will be larger than anything o

he kind in the Mid-Texas oil area

While exact data was not available e general manager of the enter

rise those who are in position t east \$250,000, and will have vast

gasoline producing capacity, in fac-

field-Coleman road, cleaning off the ground, leveling up and diggin

This plant is to be a ten-unit affair The two-unit plant which the com-

This big enterprise is about hal

eing seventeen and one half miles

plant is being located is in goo andition, according to reports be

Brownyleod constantly from the

manufacture gasoline on

ervice for the Fry field locality A pipe line is now being laid from

plant is to be built to Bangs an Bangs will thus be made the load-

very cubic foot of gas in the field be turned to good account, and

f dollars annually to people who

is taken from oil producing wells The oil production of Brown county is holding close to 20,000

barrels per day and the outlook fo

a great development the com-

om either town. The road from

the ten-unit installation.

has had in operation north of the Jim Ned creek a short dis-ance from the Fry field is to be noved over and added to the plant

A woman, Chief of Detectives W. F. Kessler said, who was said to have been with the bandit earlier in the night, was being questioned. Meanwhile search was being coninued for the small coupe which he bandit used in moving from the scene of each of 3 robberies he LUBBOCK, Texas, Dec. 17.—(P)—
One engine was damaged and traffic disrupted for several hours on said they had a description of the

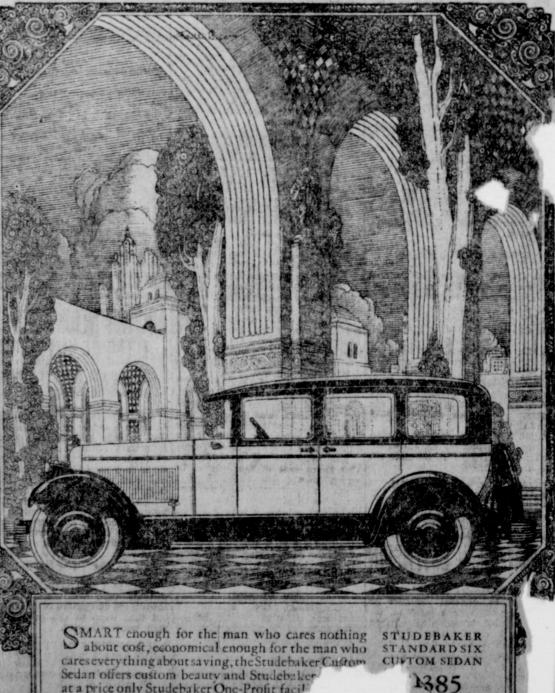
The numerals, they announced, indicate that the machine came

Fatally Wounded The Landit is in a hospital with a bullet through his head. Attend-MUSTIN, Dec. 17.—(P)--A com- Rumors that several persons a bullet through his head. Attend-

off duty for the night and was en route to his home when he saw a machine answering the description of the bandit's car. He followed it, saw the occupant park it, drove Shaking Hand of Friend around the block and back to the DALLAS, Dec. 17.—(P)—In the drug store which the bandit apparently had selected for the scene

war veteran, was found suspended from the ceiling of his cell by a lanket at the San Marcos jail unday night. frakins served in the World wat

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FULL PARDON

AUSTIN, Dec. 20 .- (AP)-G

nor Miriam A. Ferguson Mor announced 15 full pardons grad as additional clemency usual Christmas list. They George Murray, Jefferson cour

forgery, sentenced nine yes served nearly two years, reco-mended by prosecuting anorms

Freak of Radio Broadcasting in Bell Count

TEMPLE. Texas, Dec. 20.—(P) Buford Young of the Jo Lee community, who accidently picted conversations in the neighborho houses while constructing a rad

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MEASONS

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resignation, Mr. mer Governor James E. Ferguson, way men who stated that aside from interfering with service the son, was filed in Justice of the damage done was negligible. The Friday before the Peace F. A. Tannehill's court this northbound passenger was slightly

with the cormer governor.

The charge was filed in connection with the requested resignation of Labor Commissioner E. J. Crocknt Rate Cotton

John Jacobs, employe in the of-fice of the secretary of state, said girl employes objected today to states are unjust, statements of Mr. Crocker and that

were exonerated here
Dailas county grand
are Juanita Overly, 18.
Marie Redding, 23, who
off drink establishment
when Constable Simpson had a talk
with Crocker, who is locked in his
private office at the capitol, before
going to the executive offices to
see Perguson.

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see Perguson.

A warrant for the arrest of Crocker on a charge of affray also has been issued.

Constable Simpson said when he

came from the governor's office, hat Ferguson said: Go ahead and file charges. I ill appear at any time. However, ir. Crocker struck me first and I

Traffic Is Delayed When Engine Wrecks On Road Near Slaton

line of the Panhandle & machine and its number. Santa Fe railway when the Clovis-Dallas passenger train was de-

miles south of here last night. Santa Fe officials stated today. son, was filed in Justice of the Peace F. A. Tannehill's court this afternoon. Constable Ed Simpson filed the charge and went to the state house and is in conference with the rormer governor.

Heard stopped the bandit's career after he had robbed a grocery store and two cafes within three hours. Telephone calls to the police said the bandit used a coupe and gave around the wreck.

Corsicana Merchant Drops Dead While

states are unjust.

It is low standard of dividisproportionately high the affair was reported to Governor Ferguson. Send that as of the Interstate Commusion said here Crocker's office. There, according to R. E. Franklow, secretary in the governor had sent him to get Crocker's resignation.

Commissioner Crocker, Franklow said, asked the former governor to reconsider, but Mr. Ferguson to the commissioner's statements of Mr. Crocker's resignation.

Commissioner Crocker, Franklow said, asked the former governor to reconsider, but Mr. Ferguson took exception to the commissioner's statements of Mr. Crocker fell over a chair and into a corner of the office.

Constable Simpson had a talk of the statements of Mr. Crocker and that the affair was reported to Governor for ferguson.

DALLAS, Dec. 17.—(P)—In the act of shaking hands with a friend frank P. Wood, 60, leading hardware merchant of Corsicana, droped dead in an office in the Magnolia Bulletin liere Friday. Mr. Wood was a stockholder in the Magnolia office to talk over business, and had called at the Magnolia office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office in the Magnolia office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office in the Magnolia office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office in the Magnolia office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office in the Magnolia office to talk over business matters. He had, just stepped into the office and freached forth his hand to greet one of the Magnolia office in the Magnolia office to talk over business matters. He had, just stepped into the office wheeled and as he did so the detective's gun-barked. The bandit of the office wheeled and as he did so the detective's gun-barked. Body of Insane who had been arrest.

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AUSTIN, Dec. 20 .- (A) -- Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Monday unced 15 full pardons granted as additional clemency for the usual Christmas list. They in-

George Murray, Jefferson county; nearly two years, recommended by prosecuting anorney.

Freak of Radio Broadcasting

TEMPLE. Texas, Dec. 20.—(P)—Buford Young of the Jo Lee com-

when neighbors complained hat the conversations he was pick ig up were coming in over their ets, tuned in on other stations. oung said he could set up his set time and pick up conversa

fans that a cold room serves as a court today. sending out short waves that might casting house are open.

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munity, who accidently picted up According to a Swiss scientist conversations in the neighborhood the nerve centers which react to According to a Swiss scientist houses while constructing a radio music are in the feet.

Grange and Four Members of Team Fined in Dallas

Grange and four members of his haul the heavy trains that come to football team were Brownwood. professional thrown for a loss" in corporation

o'clock this morning. distant station so that every crystal forced entrance, tussled with the He stated that during the

though his team won. Child Lives Nine Days After Half of

of Pine Bluff, Ark., died today after having lived for nine days with but half his brain. The baby, aged 16 months, fell on a pencil when

on the previous Sunday. The only Sunday school showing an increase was the Edwards Street Presbyterian with an attendance of 75, 16 more than on the previous Sunday.
The attendance was as follows:

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ris resided for many e Rocky Creek locality a host of friends and for many years she had out Christian and faither of the Baptist church mother of Wiley Harris Brown county citizen.

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have begun the unloading of equipment and will soon be at work in-stalling this much needed improvenent, as the present turn-table is not large enough to handle the

station. \$10 each for an "off-side" play at road planned to double the capaci- people of this and other sections South Dallas rooming house at ty of the roundhouse and shops Police, called to the scene by a that nothing of the kind would be tances of this good man, just as the girl trying to block the house door- done, until the company was sure shadows of dusk were falling Sattast a program picked up from a way, she said, against an attempted that there would be plenty of water. nrday evening. It was known that may pick up a program gridsters and finally loaded them summer the railroad havled many from a station more than 1,000 in the patrol wagon.

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Shops Are Busy

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double or even triple the present pinned his future life and career on that hope, and lived it in his The Sunday schools of Brown- of vacant property in the city and work and daily contact with the



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wood showed a decided decrease in attendance on Sunday, the attendance being 2,629, 667 less than in the Eirst Methodist church here. and always took an active part in church affairs. For many years h was engaged in the real estate business and this was his occupation

when death looked in and bede him come away Funeral Sunday

The funeral was conducted at the family residence, 1505 Vincent

H. J. McMullen to J. M. Anderso; lives on beyond the vicissitudes of acres interest in 100 acres H. T. the earth, where immortality is the vestment and eternal years are the Oil and Gas Leases In the S. G. Drake and wife to Lydia H walks of men. J. L. Ellis will be nissed—his quiet way, his gentie Mac fullen, 7-8 interest 60 acres heart, his lovable character. his Kerr county school lands, Dec. 10, worth as a man, a citizen, a father,

D. A. Jones and wife to Lydia H. MacMullen, 7-8 interest 50 acres N. V. Reeves survey, Dec. 10, \$10.00. Bernay Sheffield et al to Lydia H Due Tomorrow Says MacMullen, 7-8 interest 50 Justavus Bunson survey, Dec. 10 Dallas Forecaster

ued rain and lower temperatures weather for West Texas Tuesday was promised in the federal wea-

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poration, all rights 40 acres C. B Bannister survey, Dec. 2, \$1.00, Inland Oil Co., to T. F. Patterson and E. J. Miller, all rights 40 acres William Viser survey, Dec. 14, \$1.00.

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On December first O. W. McDonald, Brownwood's leading favorably known over this entire section, purchased an Looney Michelin Tire Company.

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We extend to our friends everywhere our best wishes for a Merry Christmas, and also hope that this store has contributed to your happiness and comfort in making your home a place of which to be proud. The spirit of the season is manifested in many homes in Brownwood and surrounding territory which have been furnished from this store. **AUSTIN-MORRIS CO.** Complete Home Furnishers

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AUSTIN Dec. 18 .- (AP)-Lee Satterwhite, chairman of the House investigating committee today expressed approval of the injunction suit brought Friday against the highway commission by Attorney

Judge George Calhoun granted a temporary restraining order enjoining the commission from advertising for bids, letting contracts for highway improvements, and enter-ing into any lease for equipment. Hearing was set for Jahuary 3.

Moody filed the suit after a conference with the investigating commitee, which for two months has made a close study of the highway which for two months has

"Something had to be done to prevent all the highway department funds of 1927 from being tied up," Satterwhite said. "Testimony before the committee showed that the department was far 'in the red,' with fully for estimates long overdue and yet the commission proposed to let within the next few weeks contracts that would involve more than a million dollars in state funds."

reference to the injunction.

Report Says Oil Has Been Found on Farm in Borden County

LUBBOCK, Dec. 17 .- (AP)-The ubbock Journal will say today that private advices from Gail; Borden county, 75 miles southwest of here, disclosed that a test well located on the Henry Smoot farm, five miles southeast of Gail, has blown in with a fine showing of gas, at out and the show is increasing as a special course in the University the work continues. the work continues.

Throughout the Brownwood ood according to the reports coming in to the various banks and enterprises here. only is business good in the Brownwood area, but business is good in the city of Brownwood. It was reported yesterday that a great corporation with a chain of houses all over the southwest had bought a block in Brownwood and would build a ten story building on it, but investigation failed to get the report in tangible shape for a news Something may develop in the near future.

Several big enterprises that give healthy investment to capital and on their way to actual achievement and announcement will be made, in all probability, in the near

the mail than was being sent at this time last year, and the express people report a much larger than the sound in the first and wife and the express daught. on good authority that 36,000 cars grain is doing especially fine.

Soc Martin, the sage of Inc. on through the Santa Fe yards in Brownwood as against 26,000 The highway commission has not tented. The Bulletin man has been decided what attitude to adopt with invited to help drink ten egg-nogs. eat turkey dinners, and dine at a dozen or so places where spare ribs and backbone is to be served a la Bug Tussle, in days of "old Lank Lion." This is very fine and yet there are good people in Brown county who have not even found out that the newspaper man even out that the newspaper man even the tax collector and the Christmar as a prerequisite for the issuance of a state license. for that matter. What a world, stores

what a world! Mrs. Gibbon Roberts and baby are spending the week-end in Fort

Worth and Dallas.

Oscar Swindle returned Friday

Saturday's throngs in Brownountry business is good-very wood were larger than on any day of the Christmas shopping season and in all probability were larger Not than on any Christmas day of re The streets and side walks and stores were crowded with people, many of whom had in from their rural homes. Unfailing optimism was noted in

the conversations of the rural risitors, all of whom are looking forward to a prosperous new year Crop conditions are good, many of the farmers have profited from the oil development, and all of them are looking forward confidently to

Perry Eads, banker, farmer and employment to labor are said to stockman from the Bangs com over the 10-cent cotton and things are looking good for his town. A

Soc Martin, the sage of Indian session here. section of the county.

J. A. Langtry of Bangs, former sioners. Brownwood druggist, did some The co

there has been very good. Will H. Dixon of Indian Creek on the committee.

ingsworth of Zephyr were among depth of 1.460 feet. A quantity of Oscar Swindle returned Friday the many visitors here attending water in the hole is being pumped night from Austin where he took to business and shopping. Mrs. G. W. Byrd of Rising Star ame to Brownwood Saturday to do her Christmas shopping.

Mrs. Irene Foster of May paid axes and bought Christmas goods with friends and looked over the Christmas displays in the stores. Jack Schulze of Bangs attended G. D. Pierce of Blanket came

over Saturday to look after busi-G. B. Smith of Rising Star re- be the "The Borger Telegraph." ported generally good conditions in

was here attending to the Christmas shopping.

Mark Linton of Anderson was

shopping and attending to busi-S. E. Stewart of Blanket made his regular weekly visit to Brown-

wood. He is still making mone; raising chickens. Miss Doris Bowden of Bangs vas shopping here Saturday.

D. C. Price of Clio was attending o business matters here Saturday

Joe Taylor of Chapel Hill came in to do some shopping.

A. G. Norton and family of Mo Daniel were shopping here Sat urday. Mr. Norton brought a good Worms and parasites in the in-report from his community. Mr and Mrs. C. A. Cavel were another health and so weaken their vital-McDaniel family here Saturday and T. F. Ray of the same community was also attending to business matters here during the day.

Miss Mime Guthrie has gone to Fort Worth and Dallas to spend the week-end.

nie Daniel of Austin Saturday The building to costere last ni was appointed labor commissioner be Miss Daniel succeeds E. J. owner of business proper crocker, who resigned Friday, fol- associates. owing an encounter with James E. A 25 year lease was assign.
Ferguson, former governor, sent to T. B. Baker, president of the Ba owing an encounter with James E.

er's secretary. Miss Daniel qualified immediate- months, it was announced. ly after her appointment, the oath building will have 600 rooms. of office being administered by Mrs. Announcement of the new hotel

Former Governor James E. Fer-uson, through his attorney, T. H. McGregor, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of affray in justice court today and paid a fine of \$1 and costs, totalling \$14.95.

The charge grew out of the dis issal of E. J. Crocker, state labor mmissioner, who resigned Friday the demand of Governor Miriau A. Ferguson. Crocker was reported to have struck Ferguson twice and Ferguson slapped him down,

Crocker pleaded guilty Friday to charge of being intoxicated and paid a fine of \$1 and costs. Ghent Sanderford, the governor's

corroborated the former governor's contained 130 sections. eccount of it, which was that Crock-er struck Ferguson twice, where-pon the latter floored him with a flat handed blow. The resignation was then forthcoming.

nent in which she declared that she had repeatedly admonished her appointee on the subject of sobriety with negligible results. Serious charges by stenographers in Crockoffice yesterday with regard to the labor commissioner's conduc moved Mrs. Ferguson to send the former governor with a demand for Crocker's resignation, she explain-The fine the former governor was to pe .. oday, as agreed on yesterday, was the same as that of Crocker, amounting to \$14.95 'in-

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 17 .- (A) Enactment of a three cent gaso-line tax law at the next session of Joe Burkett's Car J. H. Meichinger and wife and the state legislature is favored by daughter, of Anderson, were doing the executive committee of the their Christmas shopping, and said Southeast Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association in

Creek, gave a good report for his The committee favored a one quarter split for the schools, the J. Y. Daniels of Zephyr came in remaining three-fourths to be used

among the throngs of visitors in ties to contract with the state for bile 8, and according to the judge own Saturday. maintenance of all state highways
L. S. Cantrell of Byrds reports in their borders. All contracts with conditions fine in his neighbor- constructors would then be handled

by the county judges and commissome The committee approved a proposhopping and cailed on old friends sal to enact a law requiring the presentation of an ad valorem tax the tax collector and the Christman

J. L. Henson said Blanket is in Harris, Galveston, Brazoria, Fort good condition and that business Bend, Waller, Montgomery and Chambers counties are represented came in to register his car for

Phillip Locks and W. A. Hol- Borger's Future Now Guaranteed-Ernest Is There

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—(P)—Borger the new Panhandle oil town, is to R. E. Starkey of Bangs visited G. Allbright, twice candidate for have a morning newspaper. Ernest Congress against Representative Thomas G. Blanton, and formely of Tecumseh. Okla., has secured charter from the secretary of state for the Borger Publishing Company Inc., and the name of the paper will

is section. Mrs. Bill Bryant of Rising Star DENIES REPORT OF

EAGLE PASS. Dec. 21 .-- (AP)was raided by bandits, said to have driven off cattle and horses, was issued here today by F. C. Stockley, manager of the ranch, 90 miles from the border in Mexico.

Stockley said he had just left the Mrs. J. P. Rogers, Caddo, Okla.,

Vernon George of Blanket war attending to business matters here Saturday.

N. B. Graham of Jenkins Springs made his regular visit to town Saturday.

Joe Taylor of Characters and the had just left the ranch leaving his wife and babies there "unalarmed," and that the reports as quoted in a dispatch from Del Rio Monday, were absolutely unfounded.

The Del Rio store. deny the story.

> CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES headaches and kidney fr health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give them a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity the child. Price 35c. Sold by Correct Drug. Company.

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Mr. Crocker's office by Governor Hotel Company.

Ferguson to request his resigna- Construction will start by Miss Daniel was Mr. Crock- middle of January and the buildin

Nola C. Woods, notary public in came while the Herring, also of 600 the secretary of state's office. Miss rooms, was being opened to the Daniel worked for several years public. Completion of the Herring in the secretary of state's office. brought the number of new hotel rooms for the year 1926 to 2.000.

ALPINE, Dec. 17.—(P)—The wild orse ranch in Culberson county. orse ranch in Culberson county onsisting of about 100,000 acre has been sold to Dallas purchasers The construction was announced a \$198,363. Another large ranch Ghent Sanderford, the governor's the Big Bend country was sold a few days ago at \$2.50 an acre to a few days ago at \$2.50

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 17 .- (AP)-Plans for construction of 32 miles of highway in Brooks county on highway number 12, main artery into the Rio Grande valley, on which bids were to have been re-ceived by the state highway commission December 20, have been turned down by A. R. Losh, Fort Worth, federal engineer in charge of federal aid in Texas and Okla-

A. C. Love, state highway engieer, said the federal engineer de to approve the plans and new plans have been submitted for consideration. The project will cost mearly \$1,000,000. Mr. Love said Mr. Losh pointed out that compeifive bids were not submitted in

Stolen from Street Here Last Night

Judge Joe Burkett, a former member of the Texas Highway cars last season which is a gain of 10,000 cars. People are spending more money this Christmas than they spent last Christmas and they spent last Christmas No traces of the thief have been found, but officers all over it is expected that the car will be

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Mrs. J. H. Smith, Paris gall

Ben Landreth, Frogville, Okla.,

H. J. Marek, Alief, appendicitis and liver trouble.

Mrs. Wm. Frederick, Remember above date, than altation on this trip will be and that his treatment is differ arried women must be accided by their husbands.





Handsome 26-piece Chest of Wm. Rogers & Son Silverware will be given awa absolutely free New Year Eve, Friday, December 31, 1926, to the person he ing the greatest number of coupons issued by

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Well to Be Drilled on Moore Estate in Vicinity of Owens

Considerable interest in oil development is being shown in the Owens locality, 12 miles northeast of Brownwood. Plans have been de to drill a well, 1400 feet deep if necessary and machinery for that purpose is being placed in position. will be found at about 400 feet.

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The war left Jim Elwell a wreck-mentally and p have been better, you would have thought, if the little nearer to him that day in No-Man's Land; spared was of no use to him.

Yet Jim Elwell found the way back to sunshine ag hopeless-but those who loved him found that it time of unhappiness and despair-and then the cl was only a dim memory

The story of how Jim Elwell came on story that will put a catch in you understanding of the sacrifice ext men who took part in it. It is a s will make you feel better. ed it. It is



Before you decide to throw that dress away send it to us. And when it comes back to you you'll be grateful to us for having sent it. No matter how hopeless the garment may look we'll "bring it back to life"!

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S, some of them probably inof the United States, have been widely distributed. sympathetic and helpful rather than critical. All have been called into question.

Beck's book is an interesting brief for Messrs. th and Vare, although it disclaims any intention coming such. The whole history of Constitugovernment in the United States is reviewed.

A GREAT MANY visitors come to Brownwood each this sister, is on her way by airthe scenes of crimes. The delays plane from Houston, in a race with so easily obtained in trials in our death to reach his bedside while he courts through technicalities ent of the whole argument is that the inten- like strangers. Bailey could hold down a Senate seat again as follows about his visit here: cates his serious view of the present situation.

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in the cases of Messrs. Smith institutions, All of them make mistakes, none of th ant has gone so far as to write measures fully up to the requirements of the critical ok setting forth the many reasons citizen. Brownwood is extremely fortunate in have ag that state sovereignty be preserved in ing a citizenship that is unselfish and sympathetic election of Senators, and copies of this book, not expecting too much of the individuals and inst James M. Beck, a former solicitor-general tutions who are striving to serve the community, an Others, such as our old friend, the editor of the of us can point out faults and failures, and none of Times-Herald, are wishing that Joe Bailey us is entirely satisfied, else we would be a miles north of Austin.

Tomme is a University student and member of the Texas legislative law. So long as this feeling extra the law. So long as this feeling extra the law. Two causes of this contractions in the law is helpless in the law. So long as this feeling extra the law. So long as this feeling extra the law. Two causes of this contractions in the law is helpless in the law. So long as this feeling extra the law. Two causes of this contractions in the law is helpless in the law. So long as this feeling extra the law. es-Herald, are wishing that Joe Bailey us is entirely satisfied, else we would be and help seat the two Senators whose elections and must refrain from calling attentions and help seat the two Senators whose elections and must refrain from calling attentions. Bergen sustained a crushed ists crimes will become more common, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull, and there was no hope for mon, and property and life will be skull. tion to them as the strangers come and go.

THROUGH A VISITOR'S EYES

withe pights of the states and an encroach- time and so many new faces being seen on the streets is still alive. de Senate upon unsurrendered rights, and every day that we old-timers are beginning to feel bunched on the road in the dim more difficult and acquittal more bunched on the road in the dim more difficult and acquittal more light of the early morning fog. The

the Senate to sit in judgment upon the vaOccasionally a visitor comes who has access to car in which the men were riding are played upon in a way to set of the election of the two Senators-elect is the editorial columns of a newspaper somewhere, collided with a truck, and was alcount to the editorial columns of a newspaper somewhere. quivalent to overriding the expressed wishes of and it is always interesting to read the comments, people of Illinois and Pennsylvania and therethat are made after a brief stay in this city. Such scious, one of them apparently dead, he said.

gro farmer, found the men unconscious, one of them apparently dead, he said. e do not know what line of reasoning is fol- Edwards, who holds the two positions of District wed by our brother over at the head of naviga-Governor of Rotary International, and editor and MAN CHARGED WITH on the Brazos, but the fact that he is wishing publisher of the Denton-Record Chronicle. He wrote

"This section of Texas is further behind in the of the states have been violated by the Senate of the states have been violated by the Senate of the ways of really good roads than any other part of the western half of the state. In dry weather they tes have been violated by the Schate aren't so bad, just rough, but in wet weather, very ons, and that many precious rights wet weather, such as they are having here now. ocably surrendered by the states they are almost impassable. A very heavy rain fell do not see in the Senate's pro- yesterday all over this part of the state.

the Vare and Smith cases any the inherent rights of the states and Illinois or any other states.

"Without making a great deal of noise about it. Brownwood has come to be a very considerable oil town. Brown county production is now running and Illinois or any other states. a right, and should have a right, worth around \$2.50 a barrel. The consequent income hether its members have been elect- has done a lot to bring permanent prosperity to busiud, and in the election of both Vare ness institutions here, and the development is continuing with the hotels full of men obviously intere is at least a ground for suspecting ested in the oil game. The town is attractive. Its ted. The expenditure of millions of layout is distinctively different from that of any other on a Senatorial campaign does not city in the state with which one is familiar. The nd or corruption, but where triangular streets in the business section keep the visitor wondering at times whether he is going or coming, but the citizens themselves do not appar-

ly mind it.

"Brownwood is an educational center. Howard ed the trip to Massillon. He declar-feeling that they are heroes who Payne and Daniel Baker colleges are here, one a ed the trip to Massillon. He ded are being badly mistreated by the ionable, and also to defunds were spent in an an educational way and in the way of a magnet for lett several nights before the mur- at times forget the part that just enate not only has this attracting high-type citizens."

TO IMPROVE OUR JAIL

admitting that in their electronic wood and most of Brown county professed a great pride in the Brown county jail. It was a thing of him." He denied knowing Ben Rudlarge part in encouraging crime. it is by no means a violation beauty and a joy forever, the finest jail in Mid-Texas ner one of his co-defendants.

Many have known this for years, ner one of his co-defendants.

He said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the means a violation but they have never before been so the means a violation but they have never before been so the means a violation but they have never before been so the means a violation beauty and a joy forever, the finest jail in Mid-Texas ner one of his co-defendants. states to discharge a duty that which was then really West Texas and proud of it. Senate by the Constitution and But those days are gone. Some smart prisoners in Massillon on July 26, the alleged thoroughly aroused to the necessihave found that it is comparatively easy to saw the tre is a danger that the Senbars and get out of our jail, and civic pride has refuse to seat or declare slumped tremendously.

he said, he visited a pool room and many lawyers have been sustaining a hotel but saw no one whom he themselves on fees obtained knew.

he minority, although the apoloSo it is gratifying to note that the county comhave a gun at any time while he dependent upon petty criminal
was in Canton and that he was in practice for a living. This is all
was in Canton and that he was in practice for a living. Legislators now have mith and their great campaign missioners have decided to make whatever have bed shortly after 10:30 on the night changing. Legislators now have bed shortly after 10:30 on the night changing. Legislators now have higher ethical standards. Lawyers resent tendency to inquire into condition, and to merit the proud boast that it is so of the murder.

S. Surely it would not be a night be done if the Senate should new, saw-proof cells are to be installed, with "all cleveland, who is alleged by the criminals soon becomes unprofitaresent tendency to inquire into condition, and to merit the proud boast that it is of the murder. re and Smith, because in such modern conveniences," and the newest and most state to have hidden McDermott for ble, because the better class clients would be taking adverse action intricate locks are to be placed upon on all the two months following the murder, will not employ them. The Texas of its own number. A Repub- cell doors. We do not expect to entertain so very ed a seat to Earle Mayfield of many guests in our jail, of course, but we do want nority, even after it had been those who must stop with us to be comfortable, tiary.

ampaign fund far in excess of the There's no use having a jail unless it is a good out his cross examination by Prossition to know that many court ecutor C. B. McClintock and trials farcify justice, are pleading

A DUTY TO VIOLATE THE LAW

New Bedford Evening Standard: It is the duty he had hid for a while in Cleve-the less is the safety of good citialthy or how powerful they or their of the citizen, says Clarence M. Darrow, to violate he be held in contempt of court, from the very bad conditions under be. To seat Vare and Smith with- the Volstead act, not only because the Eighteenth but the ruling was deferred and which they find themselves. without considering the evidence Amendment was put over by a minority of the peo- McDermott repeatedly refused to or of their elections would be indeed ple, but because that minority was composed mostly divulge the name, declaring: rights of all states and of all the peo- of superstitious bigots, religious fanatics and pleasould place the seal of approval upon ure-hating lineal descendants of the Puritan witch-

If Mr. Darrow defended violation of the law on the ground that he wanted a drink-we do not know, for that matter, whether he drinks or not-his position would do him more credit than the one stated. somebody knocked Denison lost two Coolidge holds office by virtue of the vote of a mi-Most laws are enacted by a minority. President ctive citizens who visited it with the nority of the electorate, even if he had the support DEVOL. Okla. Dec. 23.—(A) Good country roads are awakening king investments and becoming iden- of more than half of those who voted. We dare say Dispute over a will that an 81-year- progressive towns to the needs and usiness interests of the city and that the people who voted for the members of Con. old Cotton county farmer intended the advantage of good streets. In on Herald reports. The paper gress supporting the measures were a minority of ing and a suicide near here yester
that the people who voted for the members of conto make, resulted in a double killing and a suicide near here yestergress being made in road building Jr.. offers the world's mightiest

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Too Much Sympathy

sympathy with criminals and no enough with their unfortunate vic

They are demanding relief

Improving City Streets

Tyler is spending \$800,000 on a

street paving program. Cuero is

completing 15 miles of graded and

asphalted streets. Other Texas

owns are taking the steps to make

their streets at least as good as the highways leading out of them. It

has been a common joke in Texas

for the automobilist to say, "We

must be getting into a town, the

or plausible reason.

eck on the Fiskville road, 11 this, but perhaps the chief one is

Bergen sustained a crushed ists crimes will become more comhis recovery, physicians said, Bergen has been with the H. C. automobile and the airplane lend

Bert Company of Austin and is well themselves to crime because they known here. Miss Lillian Bergen, afford quick means of escape from

Two trucks and two cars were uance of a case makes conviction most demolished. Tom Barnes, ne- should be sentenced. The pardongro farmer, found the men uncon- ing power is badly abused, and al-

KILLING OHIO EDITOR TAKES WITNESS STAND

Patrick Eugene McDermott, on tims. A sentiment, maudlin in trial charged with the murder of character, has been formed for the Don R. Mellett, took the witness stand in his own defense today.

McDermott said he knows Steve sease that should be treated and

Kascholk, state's chief in former not punished. The suspended senand went with him to Massillon tence and the parole originated in from Cleveland on July 8 as related the best of purposes, but are being Kascholk from the witness overworked to such an extent that stand. It is on this occasion that the beneficiaries often become more the state charges McDermott con- hardened criminals because of the ferred with Ben Rudner, his co- leniency shown. Jail prayer meetdefendant, about "slugging an edi- ings, Christmas trees in prison, hol-

McDermott maintained its was intentioned, but are at times so to "slug an editor." McDermott government. In our desire to obey claimed it was he who called Mel- the command to be merciful, we der to warn him of the plot against punishment has always played in He said the first time he at- making life, property, and governtempted to give this warning a wo- ment safe. man's voice answered and said Mr

"pay off" night. On that occasion, ty for better law enforcement. Too

He denied that he became acquaint, Bar Association is interesting it ed with Rudner and Nadel when all self actively in putting a stop to three were in the Atlanta peniten- so much crime in Texas by simplifying criminal court procedure.

McDermott was defiant through- The district judges, who are in poshouted that he had been "framed." for laws to make justice more cer-When he refused to divulge the tain. The people are learning that name of a man with whom he said the greater the safety of criminals.

DISPUTE OVER WILL CAUSED DEATH OF MAN EIGHTY ONE YEARS OLD

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ing in Texas. Texas is not AUSTIN, Description of Representative W. S. Tomme of Onalaska, was unconstituted at a local hopital Thursday are bolder than they have every as the result of an automobile wreck on the Fiskville road. 11 the law is helpless in the matter.

Two causes of this condition are patent. The first is the indiscriminate and unlicensed carrying of firearms. The Parson does not guarantee that the figures are absolutely correct, but Judge Kavanaugh said in one of the articles. guarantee that the figures are absolutely correct, but Judge Kavalo! An oil derrick was rising on one of the articles published in the Dallas News that four hundred thousand revolvers and another until the whole town was four hundred thousand revolvers four hundred thousand revolvers are manufactured in the United States in a year. The revolver has and then the people began to pour into Breckenridge. Most of the old only one use. It is designed, made sold and purchased for the purpose of killing men. Every man who carries a revolver does so with the express intention to kill somebody if the circumstances arise which he thinks justify him.

is not only blind—but incapacitated in the house of her supposed friends and guardians. The Parson holds no brief for the lawyers and he does not believe that the many so-called technicalities, which even the superficial student knows served in other times for the protection of the innocent , should be contained under present conditions. But the main fault is with the jury and the men who shirk their duty. Any attorney will tell us that, however his release. Failing in this, he is left the plea of sickness of himself or his family, good behavior in prison, or some other appealing intentions are showing too much

iday and Sunday feasts are all well

a future victory. God has wasted a defeat on us if it does not show us where our weakness lies.'

"Theology was made for God not God for theology."

"The religion of some of us is like the water-tight compartments of a ship—they are used only when a hurry there is much confusion. It "The religion of some of us is of a ship—they are used only when the ship is in danger, while some treat prayer as if it were a sort and new interests. But give those of communication cord on a trainto be used only in case of emergency."

A CHRISTMAS

ON all who sit in sadness,

In woe and sin fast abound,

The coming of hundreds of young ment created an urgent need for clean where the control of the control o

By gloom of death girt round, Ariseth now the morning The Day spring from on high. TODAY is David's city Of Virgin undefiled-Pledge of God's endless pity-Is born the Wondrous Child:

Dead to all hope of gladness,

Him the prophetic sages In ancient days foretold. And all succeeding ages His glory shall behold. TILL all things serve Him, never His government shall cease; With His dominion ever

Shall peace and joy increase;

O'er realms by time unbounded His kingdom shall extend. Our God for Him have founded A kingdom without end. MIGHTY "BEN-HUR" IN PICTURES

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, in ar-rangement with A. L. Erlanger,

anvil with a wooden mall

WAS Dempsey poison get that way trying a cross-syllable puzzle

Morning Ten years ag

That's no reflect, the world was once just a little country town. Then all now, Breckenridge

thousand people in Breckenridge. They had a court house and a jail: a school house and some little

continued to pour into Brockenridge. New business was created. The The other cause is that justice streets began to stretch toward the is not only blind—but incapacitated in the house of her supposed friends and from near and far seeking their time, visiting 290 different farms and grandlens. The Parson holds

speedily, or we are on our way to a hideous catastrophe. That remedy will not be found so long as we pass these things by with an idle shrug, going about our business or pleasure gaily, without more than a passing censure of some particular instance of the miscarriage of justice.

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In addition, he has held 120 method and result demonstrations that were attended by 5,158 people, in and has conducted one junior club boys encampment with an attendance of fifty. He has presided over eight meetings where moving presults a modern city with more than fifteen thousand happy, prosperous people with the best of schools, churches, hotels, business houses and a most magnificent new court house just ready to move into.

did for Breckenridge in a commercial looking over his years' report it way. But there is another side to every oil town. And that is the social and spiritual side. The human

ment created an urgent need for clean cuvironment. Clean amusements, a pleasant place to spend their leisure time. To meet that need in a town of 15,000 population a 125,000 Y. M. C. A. building was built with every comfort and convenience for the boys and men away from home. Reading rooms, swimming pool, gymnasium, auditorium, banquet rooms and a well equipped kitchen. And today three paid social directors sutoday three paid social directors superintend all the activities of that fine institution. And so perfect is its management that when the different departments are not used by the men and boys—the girls of Breek.

Thomas Lilly et ux to T. A. Reed 7% interest 20 acres Thomas Pratt 8 survey, December 20, \$1.

I. B. Gaines et al to Simms Oil Company 7% interest 320 acres H. T. enridge have the benefit of that November 26, \$1.
equipment also. The Boy Scouts have F. B. Smiley and wife to J. W. their place in the social program of the town. And every boy and man in Breckenridge point with special November 1, \$10. pride to the work they are doing R. L. Fry et ux to E. H. Ramsey for the young manhood of their 1/2 interest 160 acres H. T. & B. town which is doing more to solve Railway Company survey, Decemtheir social and moral problems than ber 13 \$10.
all the laws in Texas. But perhaps J. H Green et ux to Roxana Pethe most outstanding piece of human troleum Corporation % interest 80 interest work that Breckenridge is acres John Barnecoat survey, June doing is carried on under the title 21, \$16. doing is carried on under the title 21, \$10.
of the "Morning Tower Bible Class." ASSIGNMENT OF OIL AND GAS
This is the name of a Sunday school
class that meets every Sunday mornBishop all rights 180 acres Jacob ing down town in the theatre at exactly 9:44 o'clock and dismisses at exactly 10:44 o'clock. It is sponsored by the Methodist Church and Judge Hickman is its director. It takes its name from the morning tower shift of oil drillers who work from midnight until noon. The class was organized two years ago with taken last night.

County Agent O. P. Griffin, has

had a very busy year the past 13 months, judging report made out by Mr. Griffin. In his report it is stated that there are twelve communities in Brown county where extension work is carried on, also two junior clubs that are carrying on extension work. The two junior boys clubs have a membership of 31, and 27 timers rejoiced to see the new day with its new interests and opportunities. But there were a few mourners who feared the evil effects of an oil boom for Breckenridge.

Nevertheless the oil and the people continued to your into Breckenridge. remarkable, as twenty former club The boys enrolled in various colleges.
the Mr. Griffin has made 537 farm

men who shirk their duty. Any and better churches for ourselves and attorney will tell us that, however clear the evidence, "there is no telling what a jury will do."

The Parson tells only what seem to him to be outstanding facts; he does not presume to point out the money they had to build great banks to take care of it. They paved 3 ir much fair, also helped in gathering the money they had to build great banks to take care of it. They paved 3 ir much grains during the year, six community fairs and the Brown county fair, also helped in gathering the material, arranging the exhibits, to take care of it. They paved 3 ir much grains assisted in making exhibits of extension work in seven fairs during the year, six community fairs and the Brown county fair, also helped in gathering the material, arranging the exhibits, to take care of it. They paved 3 ir much grains assisted in making exhibits of extension work in seven fairs during the year, six community fairs and the Brown county fair, also helped in gathering the material, arranging the exhibits, to take care of it. They paved 3 ir mount the hillsides and beautiful new hours he has assisted in making exhibits of extension work in seven fairs during the year, six community fairs and the Brown county fair, also helped in gathering the material, arranging the exhibits, to take care of it. They paved 3 ir mount the hillsides and beautiful new hibits of extension work in seven fairs during the year, six community fairs and the Brown county fair, also helped in gathering the water and there in the town.

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court house just ready to move into.

But this is only the material side of Breckenridge. This is what oil had an attendance of sixty. After

Real Estate Transfers Suelia C. Clark and Sarah W.

Clark to Harry Knox Jr. part of lot 1 block ? Clark's addition, Decem-

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We extend to our friends everywhere our best wishes for a Merry Christmas, and also hope that this store has contributed to your happiness and comfort in making your home a place of which to be proud. The spirit of the season is manifested in many homes in Brownwood and surrounding territory which have been furnished from this store.

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temporary restraining order enjoin-ing the commission from advertisfor bids, letting contracts for the near future. highway improvements, and enter-ing into any lease for equipment. Hearing was set for January 3.

Moody filed the suit after a conference with the investigating commitee, which for two months has made a close study of the highway department.

prevent all the highway department funds of 1927 from being tied up," Satterwhite said. "Testimony before the committee showed that the department was far 'in the red,' with fully for estimates long overdue:

reference to the injunction.

Report Says Oil Has Been Found on Farm in Borden County

LUBBOCK, Dec. 17.—(A)—The ubbock Journal will say today that what a world! private advices from Gail; Borden county, 75 miles southwest of here, disclosed that a test well, located on the Henry Smoot farm, five miles southeast of Gail, has blown in with a fine showing of gas, at depth of 1.460 feet. A quantity of Oscar Swindle returned Friday the many visitors here attending water in the hole is being pumped night from Austin where he took to business and shopping. out and the show is increasing as a special course in the University the work continues.

Throughout the Brownwood country business is good-very wood were larger than on any day good according to the reports com- of the Christmas shopping season. ng in to the various banks and business enterprises here. Not than on any Christmas day of re-AUSTIN Dec. 18.—(P)—Lee Sat- only is business good in the Brownpressed approval of the injunction ported yesterday that a great corporation with a chain of houses all over the southwest had bought a build a ten story building on it, but Judge George Calhoun granted a investigation failed to get the report in tangible shape for a news item. Something may develop in

> Several big enterprises that give healthy investment to capital and employment to labor are said to on their way to actual achievement and announcement will be made, in all probability, in the near

good times in 1927.

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lingsworth of Zephyr were among

Mrs. G. W. Byrd of Rising Star

time last year, and the express people report a much larger volon good authority that 36,000 cars grain is doing especially fine. of freight have been handled this season through the Santa Fe yards. Soc Martin, the sage of Indian session here.

Creek, gave a good report for his The committee favored a oneseason through the Santa Fe yards creek, gave a good re in Brownwood as against 26,000 J. Y. Daniels of Zep and yet the commission proposed to cars last season which is a gain of let within the next few weeks conlet within the next few weeks contracts that would involve more than a million dollars in state funds."

10,000 cars. People are spending that buying.

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The committee also favored legents and they spent last Christmas and everybody seems happy and converbed seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and they spent last Christmas and everybody seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and they spent last Christmas and everybody seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and they spent last Christmas and everybody seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and they spent last Christmas and everybody seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and they spent last christmas and everybody seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and they spent last christmas and everybody seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and they spent last christmas and everybody seems happy and contract with the state for among the throngs of visitors in the committee also favored legents and the c The highway commission has not decided what attitude to adopt with invited to help drink ten egg-nogs. It is Cantrol. eat turkey dinners, and dine at a dozen or so places where spare ribs and backbone is to be served a la Bug Tussle, in days of "old Lank Lion." This is very fine and yet there are good people in Brown ounty who have not even found out that the newspaper man even eats anything, or drinks anything for that matter. What a world,

> Mrs. Gibbon Roberts and baby are spending the week-end in Fort Worth and Dallas.

STIN, Dec. 18.—(A)—Miss Fan-nie Daniel of Austin Saturday The building to costere last ni by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Miss Daniel succeeds E. J. owner of business proper Crocker, who resigned Friday, fol- associates. lowing an encounter with James E.
Ferguson, former governor, sent to
Mr. Crocker's office by Governor
Ferguson to request his resigna
Construction will start by the Miss Daniel was Mr. Crock-middle of January and the building secretary.

be erected by Alex Da000,000, wil

Announcement of the new hote

rooms for the year 1926 to 2.000.

ALPINE, Dec. 17 .- (AP)-The wild

orse ranch in Culberson county

consisting of about 100,000 acres

has been sold to Dallas purchasers

The construction was announced a \$198,363. Another large ranch in

the Big Bend country was sold

few days ago at \$2.50 an acre to

St. Louis purchaser. The ranci

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 17 .- (A)-

Plans for construction of 32 miles

of highway in Brooks county on

highway number 12, main artery into the Rio Grande valley, on

which bids were to have been re-

ceived by the state highway com-

mission December 20, have been turned down by A. R. Losh, Fort

Worth, federal engineer in charge

of federal aid in Texas and Okla-

A. C. Love, state highway engineer, said the federal engineer de-

clined to approve the plans and

new plans have been abmitted for

consideration. The project will cost nearly \$1,000,000. Mr. Love said

ifive bids were not submitted in

Stolen from Street

Judge Joe Burkett, a former

member of the Texas Highway

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it is expected that the car will be

Here Last Night

Mr. Losh pointed out that compe

Joe Burkett's Car

er's secretary.
Miss Daniel qualified immediately after her appointment, the oath building will have 600 rooms.

of office being administered by Mrs.

Announcement of the new Nola C. Woods, notary public in came while the Herring, also of 600 the secretary of state's office. Miss rooms, was being opened to the Daniel worked for several years in the secretary of state's office. Completion of the Herring brought the number of new hotel

Ilm Pleads Guilty Former Governor James E. Fer-guson, through his attorney, T. H. McGregor, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of affray in justice court today and paid a fine of \$1 and costs, totalling \$14.95.

charge grew out of the dis missal of E. J. Crocker, state labor mmissioner, who resigned Frida the demand of Governor Mirian Ferguson. Crocker was report ed to have struck Ferguson twice

and Ferguson slapped him down, Crocker pleaded guilty Friday to charge of being intoxicated and

paid a fine of \$1 and costs. Ghent Sanderford, the governor's private secretary, apparently was the only witness to the affair. He corroborated the former governor's count of it, which was that Crock er struck Ferguson twice, wherepon the latter floored him with a flat handed blow. The resignation was then forthcoming.

Governor Ferguson made a state nent in which she declared that she had repeatedly admonished her ap pointee on the subject of sobriety Saturday's throngs in Brownwith negligible results. Serious charges by stenographers in Crock er's office yesterday with regard to and in all probability were larger the labor commissioner's conduct moved Mrs. Ferguson to send the former governor with a demand for walks and stores were crowded Crocker's resignation, she explainwith people, many of whom had ed. The fine the former governor was to per loday, as agreed on yes-Unfailing optimism was noted in the conversations of the rural terday, was the same as that of Crocker, amounting to \$14.95 'in-

forward to a prosperous new year Crop conditions are good, many of the farmers have profited from the oil development, and all of them are looking forward confidently to Perry Eads, banker, farmer and munity, said his section is getting over the 10-cent cotton and things

are looking good for his town. A loading rack for crude oil will HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 17 .- (A) are sending more packages through ing from the Fry and White fields. The tax law at the next session of Enactment of a three cent gaso-J. H. Meichinger and wife and the state legislature is favored by daughter, of Anderson, were doing the executive committee of their Christmas shopping, and said Southeast Texas County Judges

> quarter split for the schools, the J. Y. Daniels of Zephyr came in to pay his taxes and do some Sants Claus buying.
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> Grant of the county.
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> The county of the schools, and otherwise production to be used in the improvement and maintering to find that some one had stolen to state highways.

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> L. S. Cantrell of Byrds reports in their borders. All contracts with conditions fine in his neighbor.
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> L. S. Cantrell of Byrds reports in their borders. All contracts with car. No traces of the thief have conditions fine in his neighbor. by the county judges and commis-

J. A. Langtry of Bangs, former sioners.

Brownwood druggist, did some The committee approved a proposhopping and called on old friends sal to enact a law requiring the aturday.

Hy Hart Jr., of Zephyr, visited receipt on an automobile or truck the tax collector and the Christma: as a prerequisite for the issuance

stores.

J. L. Henson said Blanket is in Harris, Galveston, Brazoria, Fort good condition and that business Bend, Waller, Montgomery and there has been very good.

Will H. Dixon of Indian Creek on the committee. Chambers counties are represented

came in to register his car for another year. Phillip Locks and W. A. Hol- Borger's Future Now Guaranteed-Ernest Is There

came to Brownwood Saturday to do her Christmas shopping. AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—(P)—Borger, the new Panhandle oil town, is to Mrs. Irene Foster of May paid taxes and bought Christmas goods R. E. Starkey of Bangs visited have a morning newspaper. Ernest G. Allbright, twice candidate for Congress against Representative with friends and looked over the Christmas displays in the stores.

Jack Schulze of Bangs attended Thomas G. Blanton, and formely of Tecumseh. Okla., has secured charter from the secretary of state G. D. Pierce of Blanket came for the Borger Publishing Company, Inc., and the name of the paper will over Saturday to look after ousibe the "The Borger Telegraph." G. B. Smith of Rising Star re-

ported generally good conditions in Mrs. Bill Bryant of Rising Star was here attending to the Christmas shopping mas shopping. Mark Linton of Anderson was shopping and attending to busi-S. E. Stewart of Blanket made his regular weekly visit to Brown-

was shopping here Saturday.

D. C. Price of Clio was attending to business matters here Saturday Mrs. J. L. Horton of the Salt Creek community was among the Saturday visitors.

Vernon George of Blanket was attending to business matters here Saturday.

N. B. Graham of Jenkins Springs made his regular visit to town Saturday.

Joe Taylor of Chapel Hill came of the story.

Was raided by bandits, said to have driven off cattle and horses, was issued here today by F. C. Stockley of his many satisfied patients in Texas:

Was raided by bandits, said to have driven off cattle and horses, was issued here today by F. C. Stockley, manager of the ranch, 90 miles from the border in Mexico.

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The Del Rio story said Mexican officials had refused to confirm or deny the story.

Joe Taylor of Chapel Hill came in to do some shopping.

A. G. Norton and family of Mc.

A. G. Norton and family of McDaniel were shopping here Saturday. Mr. Norton brought a good report from his community. Mr and Mrs. C. A. Cavel were another McDaniel family here Saturday and T. F. Ray of the same community was also attending to business matters here during the day.

Miss Mime Guthrie has gone to Fort Worth and Dallas to spent the week-end.

Mrs. Henry Wehring, headaches and kidney from the intestines of children undermine health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give them a few doses of White's Cream Vermingue. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity the child. Price 35c. Sold by Company.

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Vicinity of Owens Considerable interest in oil deelopment is being shown in the Owens locality, 12 miles northeast of Brownwood. Plans have been made to drill a well, 1400 feet deep. if necessary and machinery for that purpose is being placed in position. It is believed, however, that oil will be found at about 400 feet.

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Remember above date, that altation on this trip will be and that his treatment is differ Married women must be accomised by their husbands. Address: 211 Bradbury Bldg., Longeles, California.

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The war left Jim Elwell a wreck-mentally and p have been better, you would have thought, if the little nearer to him that day in No-Man's Land; spared was of no use to him.

Yet Jim Elwell found the way back to sunshine ag hopeless-but those who loved him found that it time of unhappiness and despair-and then the cl was only a dim memory.

The story of how Jim Elwell came on story that will put a catch in you understanding of the sacrifice ext men who took part in it. It is a s will make you feel better. ed it. It is



when it comes back to you you'll be grateful to us for having sent it. No matter how hopeless the garment may look we'll "bring it back to life"! BUCK TAILCOMOSCO.

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raising chickens.

EAGLE PASS, Dec. 21.—(P)— catarrh, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and rectal allwas raided by bandits, said to have vas shopping here Saturday.

D. C. Price of Clio was attending

S. some of them probably inthat its peor voluntary and sincere, are There is not a small town anywhere that can bo the contemplated action of the of faultless civic leaders or public enterprises in the cases of Messrs. Smith institutions, All of them make mistakes, none of the ag that state sovereignty be preserved in ing a citizenship that is unselfish and sympathetic election of Senators, and copies of this book, not expecting too much of the individuals and in Mr. James M. Beck, a former solicitor-general tutions who are striving to serve the community, at of the United States, have been widely distributed. sympathetic and helpful rather than critical. All Thers, such as our old friend, the editor of the of us can point out faults and failures, and none of aco Times-Herald, are wishing that Joe Bailey us is entirely satisfied, else we would

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or any other states. 18,000 barrels a day of unusually high grade oil, bt, and should have a right, embers have been elect- has done a lot to bring permanent prosperity to busiin the election of both Vare ast a ground for suspecting the expenditure of millions of layout is distinctively different from that of any other n a Senatorial campaign does not city in the state with which one is familiar. nd or corruption, but where triangular streets in the business section keep the visitor wondering at times whether he is going or ut in an election, fraud and coming, but the citizens themselves do not apparexist. In the Vare and ently mind it. is a right to determine ionable, and also to defunds were spent in an an educational way and in the way of a magnet for enate not only has this attracting high-type citizens." to discharge this duty erament. When we asenate will refuse to seat refusing to unseat them; and great pride in the Brown county jail. It was a thing of it is by no means a violation beauty and a joy forever, the finest jail in Mid-Texas states to discharge a duty that which was then really West Texas and proud of it. He said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so that the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the fine of the said he did not meet Rudner but they have never before been so the

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mpaign fund far in excess of th had been used in his behalf. The jail. tes must be safeguarded jealously, ans of the country need to know buy seats in the government, no althy or how powerful they or their of the citizen, says Clarence M. Darrow, to violate be. To seat Vare and Smith with- the Volstead act, not only because the Eighteenth but the ruling was deferred and which they find themselves. without considering the evidence Amendment was put over by a minority of the peo- McDermott repeatedly refused to or of their elections would be indeed ple, but because that minority was composed mostly divinge the name, declaring: rights of all states and of all the peo- of superstitious bigots, religious fanatics and pleasould place the seal of approval upon ure-hating lineal descendants of the Puritan witchthods that would be ruinous to the hunters.

asphalted streets. Other Texas fowns are taking the steepts of make for that matter, whether he drinks or not—his position would do him more credit than the one stated. Most laws are enacted by a minority. President college helds office by virtue of the vote of a minority of the electorate, even if he had the support of the electorate, even if he had the support of the electorate investments and becoming identification. The paper Denisoh is in no worse condition. The paper Denisoh is in no worse condition. The class of the measures were a minority of the entry body.

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Table cultural influences presuppose big cities mize and enjoy them. Hostility to hig cities inspired by dislike of congestion, din, dust. l ugliness. Science and public spirit should. rid big cities of all those obsolescent and

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estant has gone so far as to write measures fully up to the requirements of the critic ok setting forth the many reasons citizen. Brownwood is extremely fortunate in ha

"This section of Texas is further behind in the

ways of really good roads than any other part of

the western half of the state. In dry weather they aren't so bad, just rough, but in wet weather, very

wet weather, such as they are having here now

they are almost impassable. A very heavy rain fell

worth around \$2.50 a barrel. The consequent income

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TO IMPROVE OUR JAIL

A DUTY TO VIOLATE THE LAW

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Without making a great deal of noise about it

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Governor of Rotary International and editor and MAN CHARGED WITH

Brownwood has come to be a very considerable oil

der to warn him of the plot against punishment has always played in a future victory. God has wasted He said the first time he at- making life, property, and governtempted to give this warning a wo- ment safe. nan's voice answered and said Mr Mellett was not there, so he called admitting that in their elecements which would give the WE CAN REMEMBER the time when all Brownlater and told Mellett to stay away In Texas, the best lawyers are
from his garage because some realizing that the courts, or rather "enemies" were waiting to "get court procedures, are playing a him." He denied knowing Ben Rud- large part in encouraging crime. "enemies" were waiting to

"pay off" night. On that occasion, ty for better law enforcement. Too ere is a danger that the Sen-bars and get out of our jail, and civic pride has a hotel but saw no one whom he themselves on fees obtained knew. Too many lawnew. McDermott testified he did not vers in the legislatures have been

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shouted that he had been "framed." for laws to make justice more cer-When he refused to divulge the tain. The people are learning that name of a man with whom he said the greater the safety of criminals. New Bedford Evening Standard: It is the duty he had hid for a while in Cleve- the less is the safety of good citiland, the prosecution asked that zens. They are demanding relief

DISPUTE OVER WILL

RSON'S ds and Patches"

The LY crime is increasing in fexal. Texas is not a Lagran in the respect to other and exception in this respect to other parts of the county, for every where in the United States crimes are more common and criminals are more common and criminals are more common and criminals are bolder than they have every been. There are many reasons for this, but perhaps the chief one is that it is so easy to escape punishment that criminals no longer fear and member of the Texas legislation and university student and member of the Texas legislation.

Tomme is a University student and member of the Texas legislation are stored in this increasing in the American people going to endure the present going

and went with him to Massillon tence and the parole originated in from Cleveland on July 8 as related the best of purposes, but are being by Kaseholk from the witness overworked to such an extent that the beneficiaries often become more that the beneficiaries often become more that the beneficiaries often become more hardened criminals because of the ferred with Ben Rudner, his content of the suspended senting to him to be outstanding facts; he does not presume to point out the money they had to build great banks to take care of it. They paved their remedy, must be found, and that maddy streets, and built beautiful new homes all over the valley. Every hardened criminals because of the hideous catastrophe. That remedy year not only new people but new length of the state fair at Dallas.

a defeat on us if it does not show us where our weakness lies."

"Theology was made for God not God for theology."

Lawyers See the Danger

Improving City Streets

Tyler is spending \$800,000 on a street paving program. Cuero is

"The religion of some of us is like the water-tight compartments years, been so necession. Too of communication cord on a train—

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CHRISTWAS

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McDermott was defiant through- The district judges, who are in po-Is born the Wondrous Child: In ancient days foretold. His glory shall behold.

> TILL all things serve Him, never His government shall cease; With His dominion ever Shall peace and joy increase O'er realms by time unbounded His kingdom shall extend, Our God for Him have founded A kingdom without end.

asphalted streets. Other Texas towns are taking the steps to make

The arts.

THOM WAITH HINDERS

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tions from trial judges, prosecutors, jurors and other good citizens for his release. Failing in this, he is left the plea of sickness of himself or his family, good behavior in prison, or some other appealing or plausible reason.

The other cause is that justice is not only blind—but incapacitated in the house of her supposed friends and guardians. The Parson holds no brief for the lawyers and he does not believe that the many socalled technicalities, which even the superficial student knows served in other times for the protection of intentions are showing too much sympathy with criminals and not supposed friends and other times for the lawyers and he does not believe that the many socalled technicalities, which even the superficial student knows served in other times for the protection of the innocent should be contained to pour into BrockenFidge.

New business was created. The streets began to stretch toward the foot hills of the oil district. Men came from near and far seeking their fortunes in the new oil fields. Some of the came to get rich quick and of the seek another field. But among the time. Calls made during the time of the came to get rich quick and of the seek another field. But among them were men of vision and high ambitions. Industrial leaders and city builders. But best of all men the protection of the innocent should be contained with high ideals for their homes and other times for the came to get rich quick and of the came to get rich quick and proving the time. Calls made to proving the time. State of the c intentions are showing too much sympathy with criminals and not enough with their unfortunate victure. And those men who shirk their duty. Any and better churches for our children the main fault is with the jury and the main better churches for our children our entire community. And almost like magic new schools began to mount the hillsides and beautiful new churches took the places of the little. In the past in the little, what the jury and the main fault is with the jury and the like. In the our children want better schools for our children want better schools for our children the main fault is with the jury and the main fault is with the jury and the like. In the main fault is with the jury and the like. In the main fault is with the jury and the like. In the main fault is with the jury and the like. In the main fault is with the jury and the like. In the main fault is with the

did for Breckenridge in a commercial looking over his years' report it way. But there is another side to can be seen that he has been a very busy man.

cial and spiritual side. The human side of the oil town.

and new interests. But give those people time to adjust themselves to their new life and watch what happens. This is what happened in Breckenridge in less than eight years:

The coming of hundreds of young men to the oil town seeking employment created an urgent need for clean environment. Clean amusements, a pleasant place to spend their leisure time. To meet that need in a town of 15,000 population a .125,000 Y. M. C. A. building was built with every confort and convenience for every comfort and convenience for survey, December 17, \$2200.

the boys and men away from home. Reading rooms, swimming pool, gymnasium, auditorium, banquet rooms and a well equipped kitchen. And today three paid social directors superintend all the activities of that fine institution. And so perfect is its management that when the different departments are not used by the men and boys—the girls of Breckenridge have the benefit of that November 26, \$1. their place in the social program of the town. And every boy and man in Breckenridge point with special pride to the work they are doing for the young manhood of their 7/8 interest 160 acres H. T. & B. town which is doing more to solve their social and moral problems than all the laws in Texas. But perhaps the most outstanding piece of human interest work that Breckenridge is acres John Barnecoat survey, June

Coclide holds office by virtue of the voice of a more than half of those win voted. We dare supports of the same becoming ideas is in no worse could burns, and that the few larges of the supports of the supports of the support of the voice of the support of the voice of the support of the voice of the support of the support of the voice of the voice of the support of the voice of the voi

city in the state with which one is familiar. The triangular streets in the business section keep the visitor wondering at times whether he is going or coming, but the citizens themselves do not apparently mind it.

"Brownwood is an educational center. Howard Easth and not he who suggests are here, one Baptist and the other a Presbyterian institution, and that they are here one Baptist and the other a Presbyterian institution, and that they are here one Baptist and they have done a lot for Brownwood, both in attracting high-type citizens."

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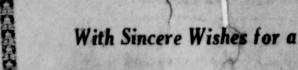
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WALL STREET STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Active bidding for the motor and accessory shares, including General 25 to 50c lower; mostly 10.75@ Motors, Hudson, Nash and Timker 11.50. Rumors of favorable dividend or merger developments were instrumental in pushing Nash to a new high level above 70. Renewed ac-

At 11:30 a. m. there was no indication of a break in the fog bank.

For the second time it appeared strength of such issues as Dodge.

The last Hogs 4,000; higher; bulk of sales alto automobile industry explained the strength of such issues as Dodge.

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10.75; stock pigs 11.00@11.60. For the second time it appeared that the element which so successfully defeated their departure from Duncan field last Monday, would again have its way before permitage of the appeared to a steady flow of buying orders. Buying of standard industrials also was resumed on a OKLA dustrials also was resumed on a velocity, however, was noted, and fairly large scale, indicating that the recent realizing movement had vealers 8.50@ 9.00.

distinction of being the first issue of Canadian prairie to sell on the stock exchange at \$2,000 a share after running up 200. wheat yie in Canadian prairie to sell on the stock excursion provinces confirmed, wheat prices averaged a little higher early to-changes were steady, with Its changes were steady, with Italian Work on

Livestock

Cattle 15,000; calves 800; steady; steers 8,25@9,60; heifers 6,00@8,00; cqws 5,00@5,75; cutters 3,50@3,75; bulls 5,25@6,00; choice veal-

Sheep 800, steady; native lambs 12.50; fat ewes upward to 6.00; aged wethers 6.50.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.-(A)-Hoge 31,000; slow; heavy hogs 11,35@ 11,75; medium 11,35@11,70; light 11.15@11.60; packing sows 10.10@ 0.85; slaughter pigs 11.00@11.50. Catile 6,000; fat steers 25c higher than last week; yearlings 25 to 50c higher; top yearlings 12.00; other

Sheep 10.000; steady; fat Jambs 12.00@12.75; fat ewes 5.00@6.00; feeding lambs 11.00@11.50.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23 .- (A)cumulation of the oil stocks carried Cattle 2700; calves 500; choice Mariand. Pan-American "B" and heavy steers 10@15c higher; good Mariand, Pan-American B and heavy steers 100 15c higher; good maintenance included the Belton-would not be towed to open water

When the for lifted best open water best open

Sheep 2,000; higher; lambs 12.50

-Cattle 150; slow; cutters 3.25; county roads by the House commit-Hogs 250; steady; top 11.50; bulk part advanced a point and United States 11.30 up; stockers 10.50@11.00.

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some good ideas as to what to

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Our 51st year in Brownwood.

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Experience gained in our

in Galveston

GALVE cotton storage storage warehous days according today by the EAST ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—(P)—
Hogs 10,000; steady; top 11.85; pigs dent. The plant will cost \$200,000 and will bring Galveston's total

AUSTIN, Dec. 21.—(AP)—In a let ter to Lee Satterwhite, chairman of the House investigating committee S. B. Moore, consulting engineer on research for the Texas Highway Commission, states that only \$224. 122.19 has been spent on the Tem-

ple-Belton "invisible road." The cost of paving cost less than 327,009 per mile, Mr. Moore's letgrading, fences, maintenance and other expenses made the project

Mr. Moore points out that the Hogs 4,000; higher; bulk of sales and that two years of maintenance facing and many miles of grave

The letter criticises the report made by Mr. Satterwhite to news-OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 23.-(A) papers following a visit to the Bell

MORTUARY

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gober of the city, died early this morning at heir home on Belle Plain avenue. The funeral services and buria will be held this afternoon at four 'clock in the Greenleaf cemetery

Henry Kirklen, died yate yesterday atternoon at the family residence, 300 Victoria street. The end came after a short illness and took from he walks of life a young man just ntering into his manhood. Wayne ad been an employe of a local oil

thad been an employe of a local oil mill for the past few months.

The funeral services were held this afternoon at two thirty in the Hefflin cemetery, about 12 miles northeast of Brownwood. Rev. C. A. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church, conducted the services, after which loving hands laid his body to rest, there to wait in peace for life to come.

in peace for life to come.

Deceased is survived by his fathprothers, the sister being Dora Kirklen, and the brothers are Otis, Elgin, Virgil and Alton Kirklen, all of whom are at home with their

WILLIAM L. BAGLEY

The funeral services for William ... Bagley were held just before avenue, followed by interment in Greenleaf cemetery. Mr. Bagley's death occurred unexpectedly at morning William L. Bagley was born at

Mablevale, near Little Rock, Ark. June 7, 1882. He was reared and educated in Little Rock, but re moved to El Paso in 1907 and ha made his home and business head church of El Paso. After going to El Paso Mr. Bagley spent considerable time in Mexico, where he had extensive interests, and he was in business and industrial conditions in El Paso to Miss Elizabeth Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Walker of this city, who at that time was a teacher in the El Little Rock, Mrs. D. G. Whit-Kansas City, and Miss May

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INFANT GOBER

FRANKLIN WAYNE KIRKLEN Franklin Wayne Kirklen, eigh-een year old son of Mr. and Mrs

parents.

noon today at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Walker, 1200 Fisk his home in El Paso on Monday evening, and the body, accompan-ied by his wife and her sister, reached Brownwood Wednesday

quarters in that city since that time. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American war, and a member of the First Presbyterian timately acquainted with general in the southern Republic. Fou. years ago today, at the hour of his funeral service, he was married Paso schools. Mrs. Bagley and two brothers and three sisters survive him. His brothers are E. O. Bagley of Little Rock and Henry Bagley of Osborne, Ohio; and the of Little Rock.

Mr. Bagley was a

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We hope you will read in our "Merry Christmas to you" something of our deep appreciation of your co-operation during the past months. It is ir wish that we may continue to be of service sincerely trust that this will be the happiest n of your experience.

FRONTIER LUMBER CO.

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two restorations of cui- Reid lot 2 Marti-and two furloughs. Three

led to life lot 9 Rogan's second addition, December 18, \$1750. N-Judgo George Calhoun Creenleaf Cemetery Association district court granted 2 to Mrs. Lula M. Martin lot 2 block porary injunction asked for by 4 first addition to Greenleaf Ceme-Miorney Dan Moody Friday, re- tery, October 26, \$10. training the state highway comfrom awarding any con Morris lot 2 block 7 Ford addition, sick with pneumonia last week is much home at Milam to spend the holidays racts or approving the awards of December 11, \$3500.

GALVESTON-Miss Mildred 328.1 acres James Grant and T. H. zabeth Galloway and C. J. Sim- Rogers surveys, October 28th, \$10. were married by long dis- Thomas Sayles to Seth Sayles 2- an offering for Missions will telephone. Simmons and the 128 interest 160 acres B. B. & C. Following is the program: ster were in Galveston while Railway Company survey, Decem-Galloway and two witnesses her 15, \$175. refin a San Antonio department re where she was employed. Henley Jr. lots 1, 2 and 3 block 6 MARCOS-The body of Hillcrest addition, October 7th, Schapiro, prominent Sar \$400. merchant, was found in Il grass in the San Marcos river Ben L. Shropshire et ux to C. G. Porter 14 interest 160 acres H. T. &

Fisheries Company Will Carry Appeal to Supreme Court

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THEATRE MATINEE AND NIGHT DAY, JANUARY 4

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA raction in America acle Thrills, Delicate

business here to be run, by the fam-ily while he goes to Best to work. Miss Ruthie Dabney was in Brown-Blanket wood last Friday shopping. Senior League program for Sunday, December 26, 1926, three o'clock p. m. Subject: The Book that's Never Off Bangs

Leader, Jewell Ramsey. Prayer, followed by the Lord's

Scripture lesson: Psalms 116:129 and Mrs. W. P. Eads and Mr. and money taken in was something over 136; Hebrews 4:12; James 1:21, by

John 3:16, quoted by all. What Famous Men have said About he Bible, Ian Moore. When the Bible was a Rich Man'

The people of this community are unknown. Citizens and friends of Bangs responded to Mr. here visiting her the lown will unite and have one. Stephens family by sending them both Mrs. A. B. Driskill. sig tree at the Methodist church. ine program will be rendered and all not present will miss somehing grand. The program committee ant to begin promptly at 7 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson were

Real Estate Transfers Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hicks were

ason Friday granted ten full Reid lot 2 Martin Heights addition, Methodist church here Sunday, Jan-Carl S. Salter Jr. to O. L. Wilson the Methodist church here next Sun-Creenleaf Cemetery Association day, December 26th.

Mr. C. I. Dabney is suffering with will soon be better. C. M. Drake and wife to Roy H.

better and able to sit up some H. J. Bynum et al to L. B. Young Next Sunday the Methodist Sunday school will render a short program Violet Sonendriker were united in before the regular lesson period and marriage at the Methodist parsonage an offering for Missions will be taken. Saturday night, by the Rev. Waddill.

Opening song, No. 10.

B. Railway Company survey, De-While the planist is playing No. 202, of friends.

While the planist is playing No. 202, Turner Waddill, son of Rev. and Clio will p the Missionary offering will be taken Mrs. Waddill will arrive home Christians. Every one ene.

Mary Bourn to William McGinly interest 160 acres H. T. & B.

OIL AND GAS LEASES

Tuesday night, December 14th, Mr.
T. T. Fariss and wife to William Melvin Edding and Miss Nona Allen aget in the home of Mrs. F. R. Early Captain Vynne McGinley % interest 65 acres H. T. drave over to the residence of Rev. last Thursday afternoon. The hom Medinley is interest 65 acres it. 1.

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B. Railway Company survey, Description of state taxes it is community had a short time. He came here from Liftile Rock, Are, that so in the state suprement has won a host of friends. Mes. Claus, Imagere Schulze. Lesson from the study book led by Mrs. Asheraft A short husiness session was held who wish for them a long life of happiness.

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Mrs. John Dabney left one day last week for Dallas where she will spend one time scolors. All members present an swered roll call with a saying of Christmas, colors. All members present an swered roll call with a saying of Christmas, colors. All the photons, was beautifully decorated in Christmas colors. All members present an swered roll call with a saying of Christmas, colors that the photon of Christ. Story, Mrs. Eddings is the deading of Christmas, read by Dorothy Nell Davis. Planta of Claus, Image Christmas, read by Dorothy Nell Davis. Planta of Christmas GALVESTON, Texas, Dec. 18. - & B. Railway Company survey, De- Z. L. Blanton and was married. Rev. was beautifully decorated in Christ-

moved from Henderson and wil: make this their future bome. We welcom James B. Douglas Jr. to John H. this good family to our community McMullen 1/2 interest 120 acres E.
T. Railway Company survey, December 15th, \$1. They will mlove to the Mallow day for a visit to her sister at Ballow ell move. Mr. and Mrs. Powell linger.

The will move to Comanche. We regret maked a box Monday for Buckner.

Mesdames J. R. Deen and W. D. Orphans' Home valued at more than iday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Connelly of Brownwood visited their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hicks last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Alice Rupe is real sick with measles, We hope she will soon recover.

Mrs. John Fleming died at her home in the Liberty community and was buried Monday in the Liberty cemetery. Mrs. Fleming was the niece of Will Jackson and he and Mrs. Jackson attended the funeral.

Mrs. Dorman Walker, who resides in the Salem community is severely

in the Salem community is severely

Miss Stelia Moore came home last Saturday from Cottonwood where she is teaching. She will spend the holidays here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Aubrey moved into their beautiful new home Monday.

Rev. Harrell filled his regular ap-ointment in the Methodist church ere Sunday and Sunday night. He ill preach at Lephyr next Sunday

A number of the High school stu-lents went to Clio last Priday and some fine showers which is good or vest two match games of basket the grain.

Ith the High school team of that The girls game resulted in a Sanday morning. to 5 in favor of Clio, and There are several cases of mea was 35 to 9 in favor of in the community.

ULLETIN, DECEMBER 2

Mrs. F. G. Tervooren and daughters, Misses Mae and Kate were the guests of C. L. Tervooren and family-

Zephyr

Mrs. Merle Brooks and son, Perry eynolds, came in Friday from Lub-byterian church Sunday. Reynolds, came in Friday from Lub-bock to spend the holidays with her The play which was given Friday parents and Mr. Brook's parents, Mr. night was very good. The amount of

Emmett Marlette of Cross Cut visited his wife and daughter Friday.

Jack Early and wife have recently Jack Early and wife have recently moved from Brookesmith near Bangs.

Mrs. Boler spent Friday in Temple.

Mackie Reasoner, who is attending school in Abilene is home for the holi-

Miss Billie Eads of Howard Payne
College will spend the holidays with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Eads
Saturday. Miss Ida Petty was in Brownwood and other relatives and friends.
Pat Howard and wife have moved Misses Edna Stinson and Mary

Laking the Bible the Book of An I. L. L. Moore.

Duet: "My Mother's Bible."

Announcements.

League benediction.

Rev. Hule went to Vernon the first of the week to visit his son, and to cook after business.

The farm home of M. L. Graves in the Salem community was destroyed by fire last Wednesday night. The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Matson and Russel Matson spent a few days last week vision spent

in their night clothes. The origin of ting in Best.

Miss Florence Driskill of Temple is unknown. Citizens and Miss Florence Driskill of Temple is unknown.

here visiting her parents, Mr. ney and clothes in this time of dis-Messes, Milliard and Charlie Jones

are here visiting relatives and friends. Aurila Petty spent Saturday ed Thursday for a visit to her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Stephens.

Miss Luella Pulliam of Baylor col-

pping in Brownwood one day last holidays. lege at Belton is at home for the ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shelton Mr. and Mrs. Marion Garms will play here Friday night.

Mrs. R. A. McAlister, who has been Mrs. R. A. McAlister, who has been Mr. and Mrs. Marion Garms with spend Christmas in the home of Mrs. Mrs. R. A. McAlister, who has been garms' parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. wisiting her mother returned to her home in Abernathy Tuesday.

of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened at a train and non-waste frightened of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened of the Concord locality, who was hauling lumber here, became frightened of the Concord locality who was hauling lumber here. at a train and ran away, ran into an a play here Saturday night which was automobile and slightly damaged the enjoyed by every one who allended. ame, and injuring one of the horses.

Fortunately no one was hurt.

Miss Bernice Whitely, teacher in Panna school is home for the holihaving their League again Sunday.

All of the smaller boys and girls are invited to come to this Lague each invited to come to this Lague each invited to come to the lague each invited to come e

Clio

Mr. Caldwell of Temple and Mis-

Miss Sonendriker is the daughter of

and has recently returned from Tem-

McDaniel

The school at McDaniel has clo

his regular until the 3rd of January, on according the measles.

Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Sonendriker of this ! er but is getting warmer n place, and has grown to womanhood and has recently returned from Tem-Mrs. W. B. Rogers
Mrs. W. F. Moore
Mr. W. F. Moore
Mr. Caldwell is an employee of the lan Moore
Lan Moore
Clara Smith

It is playing No. 202.

And has recently returned from Temple day Blanket. A large crowd attending the graduated as a nurse from the King's Daughters hospital. Mr. Caldwell is an employee of the lappy couple left at once for Temple to make their future home, and carried with them the good wishes of a host of friends.

The graduated as a nurse from Temple day Blanket. A large crowd attending the graduated as a nurse from the graduated as a nurse from the graduated as a nurse from the King's Daughters hospital. The boys score was 5 to 21 in favor of Clio girls. The boys score was 5 to 21 in favor of Blanket. Clio will have a Chistmas tree for the community Thurslay night, and every one is welcome.

Several of the Cliopeople are going to attend the Christmas tree at May friday night.

Clio will play Wichell at Clio Fri-

Physician, Dies

Mrs. Oran Sheffield left Wednesday Mexican lorder campaign, Captain for San Angelo to spend Christmas Wynne aided to his military reewith her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd ord in the World War. He was a Miss Ines Gibson of Cross Plains Bowie, fort Worth, until he went will spend Christmas in the home of to the nachine gun school at Leav-Mrs. G. W. Davis and son left Tues-day for a visit to her sister at Bal-oversecs and fought through major enworth, Kansas. Transferred to engagements of the Argonne and

> Slight Increase in Retail Foods During November

> WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 .- (AP) increase of one per cent in re November 15 over the previous month was recorded today in labor department statistics, but the level was still 3 1-2 per cent below that of November 1925.
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> Fresh eggs with an increase of 13 per cent showed the highest states rise for the month, while park

price rise for the month, while pork chops dropped 10 per cent, largest decrease.

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AUSTIN, Dec. 22. (P) Proceedings in the court of criminal appeals include:

Affirmed: Moses Grayson, alies

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The proxymorood and the pallas; (W. M. Berry, probable that there was never and dismissed: A Thing of business was as rold at this time of year as it is not. One of the Brownwood bankers in speaking jimmic Monse of the pessimist has long since disappearing for shipment.

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The development of the oil industry has mounted to high proportions and hundreds of the culation throughout Brown ounty as a result. This has helpe tevery bright for still further and of business. The cultobe is life along these lines told The Bulletin representative a day or so greater development.

On every hand the voice of optimism is heard. The song of the pessimist has long since disappearing for shipment.

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WARRANTY DEEDS

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WARRANTY DEEDS

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Business is good and getting bet- trict.

MOOD, OUTLOOK FINE and they are able to hold it.

The turkey crop brought thousands of dollars to people in the rural districts and also to a vast number of people in Brownwood beand they are able to hold it. cause it not only placed a vast

greater development.

The creation of the great improvement district has re of vast value to the industra be- of all the Brownwood cou the in fact beyond estimate, for well monetary standpoint. I mis

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ntly in the hands of a few people. tion of the water improvement dis

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Farmers still have some cotton all the Brownwood area rejoices As the New Year comes into sight in the prospect for a great future

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of lot 3 block 2 South Side addition.

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As the New Year comes into sight all the Brownwood area rejoices in the prospect for key crop brought thous-iollars to people in the ricts and also to a vast

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lot 2 block L4 Grandview addition.

September 6, \$600.

G. C. Leach et ux to L. L. Evans
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rvice,

The Secretary in a steady voice said he felt that he was unbiased and had a judicial mind but that he was willing "to refrain very carefully from participating in any decision or finding wherein the Insull properties are involved."

Senator Walsh of Montana, said some committee members were not satisfied with testimony Mr. West gave the Senate campaign funds committee in Chicago in 1926. He was quoted at that time as saying that he "always" consulted Mr. Insull about his investments.

West replied that his use of the word always, was wrong and that he consulted Insull only, in a general way.

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Medical authorities tell us that disease among school co-prevalent in the second half of the school ar as it; ren's clothes are not as new, clean and fall from when they started in September.

Since it is not practical of the school year with r garments after months s been designated

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oof saves Heating Costs.

HED ON REQUEST Brownwood

Lee Early and family of Gros-venor attneded the funeral of their

with tree and gifts. Those to see that the tree is gotten up are: Rev. Epperson, Bob Ferguson, Luke Reeves and L. F. Bird. Those to prepare candy and fruit for children are Mrs. Jack Knox, Mrs. Ernest Allen, Miss Bonnie Dabney and Mrs. T. M. McCulley and for the benefit of those who do not have a way to send gifts to the tree, we have apd gifts to the tree, we have ap-nted a committee to go and bring m. This is done in order that ant surprise. Fruit and candy

them. This is done in order that the tree might be completed before the program begins. The committee is Ernest Allen, Jr., J. A. Eoff, S. E. Lacy. Roy Bird and Jake McCulley. This committee will response when notified. Those to deliver gifts from tree are: Misses Mildred Bettis, Francis McCulley, Louise Baker, Ila Mae Hester and Bonnie Debney, and the decorative committee is Mesdames R. L. Fortune, John Strickland, V. B. Eoff, Jack Knox, T. M. McCulley, B. M. Robinson. Ernest Allen and Misses Mildred and Aline Bettis. Bonnie Dabney, Joe and Maud Dabney, Francis McCulley and Nina Dossey.

ant surprise. Fruit and candy were served to the following: Mesdames J. S. Wilson, C. C. Wilson, Levi Spaine, Tom Martin, S. P. Levi Spaine, Tom Martin, C. B. Palmer, Eula Price, C. A. Chestnutt, E. J. Ashcraft, Maud Williams, Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough and Jack Schulzt.

O. L. Pliler and wife of Brownwood were here Friday to attend the funeral of Bird Smith.

D. N. House, and Tom Williams. Of Levelland were visiting relatives and transacting business here this week.

Mrs. W. H. Fuller returned to her home at San Angelo Sunday.

a Brownwood Mrs. Syl Turner and small son of San Antonio is visiting her sis-Mrs. G. W. Faulkner and daugh- ter, Mrs. John Eads er, Miss Myrtle, were shopping in Mrs. S. P. Martin is reported on

Brownwood Friday.

Mr. Long has been on the sick list the sick list this week.

Mr. Long has been on the sick list the sick list this week.

There will be a community to the some better at this writing.

Christmas tree at the Baptisi Church Christmas eve night. The Blanket Tigers played Bangs church Christmas eve night. high school boys at the Daniel Bak- program will be rendered.

er gem Monday evening, but the a bur Tom Martin has returned from business visit to Houston. score was not learned.

M. F. Dossey and family received word Sunday morning, stating that word Sunday morning, stating that transacted business here Tuesday.

J. C. Alkorn visited in Santa W. W. Dossey was operated on in Dallas at Baylor Hospital, but was Anna Tuesday.

Miss Florence Reeves spent the week-end in Brownwood.

Mrs. Mattie Bell was shopping in Brownwood Thursday.

On Thursday morning, December the fifteenth the life of "Unclo" Bird Smith took its flight to another world. Uncle Bird as he was familiarly known, had not been was familiarly known was familiarly known. well for more than a year, but despite his ill failing health, would Mrs. T. V. Austin and daughter, Miss Audie Lee, were shopping in Brownwood Friday. and on Tuesday was seen in his office at work, but Wednesday was



Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown were hopping in Brownwood Monday.

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