## West Texas Counties Show \$150,000 Loss When Cole Earnest & Thomas Building Local Produce Dealers Paid Says Building Is Complete In Ten Counties Represented; John Pond Chosen Captain Gain; Mitchell Near 1925 Figures

est number of bales up to the date of here early Saturday. second with 102,215.

58,291, Bexar 27,221, Bowie 32172, ties. Lubbock 43,370, McLennan 82,492, Navarro 67,599, Tarrant 30,375,

us ronows:		2000 CO.	å
	1926	1925	
Mitchell	33,163	32,843	
	32,457	20,856	
Nolan	22,339	22,594	
Howard -	21,819	14,500	
Taylor	50,104	49,573	
Fisher		27,746	
Dawcon	28,394	19,384	
Martin	7,637	5,293	
Midland	4,388	3,129	
SERVICE STATE OF THE PROPERTY		CHARLEST AND THE PROPERTY.	

## Gain Of More Than \$80 This Week; Other Money Is Badly Needed

The Record cemetery fund, with which it is proposed to build a new entrance and road through the entrance to the Colorado cemetery, is getting additional support every day, and the fund is rapidly assuming a proportion that makes it look like a success.

Yet there is need for considerable other funds and we request all those who desire to do so, to please send their contribution to the Record office at the earliest convenient date. It will take at least \$150.00 more, we are told to fix up the gate and build the road and make it of a lates permanent nature, so we offer opportunity to all who will to I'm recontribute to the fund. Do it Tow.

A letter from J. Steve Anderson vice president of the Col-Tex Refin-'19 ing company, in which he encloses check for \$25, and which he boosts the movement is highly appreciated. people, Mr. Anderson says: "We note that you are raising funds in connection cemetery, and we herewith send our dows from third-story rooms.

this character, we are, yours very accepted the situation with astonish- church, and numbers of others. truly, J. Steve Anderson vice presi- ing calm. They climbed over windent.

the compress and oil mill here as volunteer firemen. well as other property, sends his A majority of the second flood the Guitar interests and will say that this is proof that they are for Colorade and are helping to build the city and community.

D. N. Arnett gives a check for down fifteen years ago. 32.00 and says he thinks this a very fine move, and urges us to keep the movement going until the required

funds are secured.

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# FIRE BY HEROISM BOY

## Hotel Burns; Guests Taken Thru Windows To Safety

rere accounted for.

Arouses Hotel Guests. t 1 a. m. to increase the furnace heat. An explosion resulted when ing oil he ran upstairs shouting the 3 A second floor guest threw a blanket around Bush and smothered flames in his clothing. Gathering the blanket closely about him, Bush

traversed all the corridors and routed the sleepers. Jess Heffernan, truckman, roused twenty members of the Big Spring

in the hotel building. Care for Homeless.

families which included women and sive cities of West Texas.

Taken Through Windows.

Jim H. Guitar, manager of the Con- the third floor, smoke was coming found in any city. chose window exits.

## LORAINE COUPLE MARRIED

their home in Loraine.

## Fitted Up For Parcel Post Delivery

Brown 12,052, Cameron 49,938, Dal- J. C. Douglass, properietor of the this building. Parcels must be mail- hundred dollars for eggs. las 47,168, Grayson 40,971, Gregg hotel, said he saved the hotel registed at the post office. Those having MRS. MATT ALLEN DIED 21,105, Hafris 8,749, Hidalgo 89,626, ter and a check showed all guests es- slips for packages can get same at the Earnest and Thomas building.

Travis 34,997, Webb 2,544. Witchita any degree of dispatch, owning to the fire any degree of dispatch, owning t Bush had gone to the basement pared for delivery. The arrange- told.

## Average \$150.00 Per Day For Past Week

TUESDAY AT CHINA GROVE Mrs. Lucinda E. Allen, wife of Colorado, Texas. Bush was severly burned when It is impossible to handle the par- Matt Allen, died at her home at My dear Mr. Norman: Taylor 50,104, Tom Green 9,239, the furnace exploded in the base-cel post mail at the local office with China Grove Tuesday and was ment and started the fire. Un- any degree of dispatch, owning to the buried at the China Grove cemetery

ment until learning that all guests away because the packages were in- ment for use of the Earnest and reference. sured and the clerks claimed they Thomas building will relieve the did not have the registered book pre- situation to a great extent, we are

# he applied a match to the oil-burn Review Of Growth And Development Of Enormous Expenditure; Future Very Bright State Department of Education, the backing of the teaches. The Colorado Parent-Teaches.

only in preventing spread of the velopment of Colorado and Mitchell constitutes a remarkable trade terflames to adjacent buildings. In- county for the year 1926 reveals ac- ritory. cluded in the loss were Frank Mer- complishments far in excess of the In reviewing the agricultural prorick's barber shop. Dr. Guy Longbo- hopes of the most optimistic citizens gram of this year, it must be said tham's beauty shop and Miss Othero at the beginning of the year. Colo- that every merchant and citizen Lloyd's millinery store, all operated rado may well be proud of her keenly appreciates the wonderful progress during the year and should farm lands that make up Mitchell cherish the fact that it was the co- county, and they do everything pos-More than fifty Big Spring house- operative work of the entire citizen- sible to help the farmer get the most wives got together after the fire and ship in every enterprise that is so out of it. The Colorado banks by the colleges. This committee deworked out a plan to care for those keenly defined in that phrase, "For- have been very active in trying to rendered homeless and for vsistors ward Colorado," which was instru- help the Mitchell county farmer prodependent on hotel accomdations. In mental in setting one of the greatest duce better crops, by encouraging the mantime, Sam W. Weaver, presi-records of progress ever established planting of better seed and raising dent of the Chamber of Commerce, in this city in the mammoth build- of better livestock, and follow announced that plans already are ing program, civic improvement, plan of living at home and selling a under way for a new hotel "bigger agricultural diversification and as surplus of food products from the and better" than the town ever has sistance, and the development of the farm, fast growing oil fields-all of which The properietor of the hotel, his has given the needed impetus to the wife and four children, occupied a growth that has placed Colorado Fewer Acres' contest in Mitchell suite of three rooms. Several other among the important and progress county this year and gave \$500 in

children lived at the hotel. Many The building program of 1926 of the most feed on a 10-acre tract. of them lost all of their clothing. this city will equal that of many This contest and the excellent cli-They were given succor by towns- cities several times the size of Colo- matic conditions were responsible rado in that it has totaled over \$1,- for this county producing 1,250,000 More than half the number of dences and 28 mercantile buildings. 600 tons of hay and forage-probwith an entrance to the Colorado guests were taken through win Of these, the new \$160,000 high ably breaking a record in yield per check in the amount of \$25 and wish Dense smoke arising from the base- Colorado, five-story structure, new addition this county produced 40,you all success in the undertaking. ment choked off stairway exits for theatre, additions to the Col-Tex Re- 000 bales of cotton, and produced "Assuring you of our desire at persons on the top floor. The guests, finery costing \$500,000, the Earnest about \$2,000,000 in other crops. all times to help out on matters of several women with drowsy children, & Thomas building, new Christian which include fruits, vegetables.

John Guitar of Abilene, owner of up against the walls by Big Spring's are all of the newer styles of archi- est government reports, valued at tecture, plans for scores of which \$1,240,000." were prepared by W. W. Whipkey

to the fund for him, and Stoneroad o'clock, Rev. Charles T. Whaley of- perature for the summer of 78 de- line next year. hands in a check for \$10.00 to apply ficiating. They were accompanied grees and for winter of 51 degrees. The first annual Mitchell County by a few friends. They will make make this a delightful place in which to vile. The vast and rich agricul-

fire department. They succeeded, Review of the growth and de- tural territory surrounding the city

The Colorado Chamber of Com merce conducted a "More Feed on prizes to the five farmers making 500,000 which includes 102 resi- bushels of grain sorghum and 40,school building, the \$400,000 Hotel acre and quantity production. In poultry and dairy products. This is The residences that have exceed- in addition to beef cattle which todow sills and down ladders thrown ed the hundred mark for the year taled 31,174 head, according to lat-

The program of the Chamber of check for \$25 to apply on the fund. guests ran down the stairs to safe- and L. H. Gaskins, local architects. Commerce is now to get more poul-The contribution was given through ty. But by the time Bush reached and all are as modern as will be try, hogs, and dairy cattle in this section, and to that end it has worktinental Oil-Cotton company. We in such volumes that practically This record is more easily appre- ed with the county agent and the appreciate this contribution from everyone on the uppermost floor clated-when it is realized that Colo- home demonstration agent in getrado had only 1,766 people in 1920, ting more cows, chickens and pigs high school and additional maps, The Cole was built of native stone while today it has 5,853. The in- for the farmers, and in organizing taken from the original Howard crease of three and a half times the boys and girls clubs, in which the grades. County courthouse, which was tora population of six years ago has been banks in the county are co-operatsteady and with permanence. The ing and offering to finance these new-comers are here to stay; the boys and girls on their own note city offers all advantages of cli- without security. This is the real mate, business, and education as fundamental that of a live at home 28, still another will be needed. Raymond Wheeler and Miss May will be found in any city, and the program that goes with diversifica-Jake S. McCall of Fort Worth Hollman of Loraine, were married growth has naturally been steady tion, and the merchants and farm-Jake S. McCall of Fort Worth rollman of Lorance, were marked growth has naturally been steady tion, and the merchants and farm authorizes T. W. Stoneroad of the City at Sweetwater at the First Baptist and upwards, The altitude of 2,067 ers are adopting plans to carry out at 4. That the shutters on the pri-National Bank to contribute some parsonage Saturday night at 9:00 feet, and the average mean tem- an elaborate program along this mary building be removed and re-

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## STATE SUPERVISOR COMMENDS COLORADO FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL

## Every Particular; Music In School Praised

Texas had ginned 4,649,205 bales BIG SPRING, Dec. 18.—The heroof cotton up to Dec. 1, the United ism of Douglass Bush, 25, night clerk, condition at the local post office, ers, an average of about \$150,00 per son, supervison of public schools for in attendance and ten counties were States Department of Commerce an probably averted death and injury the Chamber, of Commerce arranged day has been paid out the past week the state department of councillated In- Colorado Wolves, high school footnounced in a report released here for many of the sixty-three guests to secure the Earnest & Thomas for chickens and turkeys for ship.

Friday.

Fr fixed it up to take care of parcel here for home use. The Colorado highly commended the school au- G. D. Foster. The sessions were held Members of the school board a the report with 106,788. Nueces was Bush and Phillip St. G. Cocke, post mail and turned the same over Produce company has paid out \$800 .. the report with 106,788. Nueces was Bush and Phillip St. G. Cocke, post mail and turned the same over Produce company has paid out \$800 .. Dallas cotton man, who leaped from to the post office authorities that 00 cash for thickens and turkeys for the erection and equipping the Foster says the three days and two as were several other Colorado citi-Reports on ginning from other a top story window and suffered a they might be able to handle the since last Thursday and W. M. fine new high school building that nights were replete with interesting zens who have been active in support counties showed the followin: Bell broken arm, were the only casual- Christmas rush of parcel post mail. Brewin has paid out a considerable was recently dedicated. Special men- and instructive lectures and study, of the football team. Delivery only will be handled at sum for fowls, as well as several tion is given several features of the Registration shows 386 actual count President T. W. Stoneroad preen the spacious auditorium.

The Report follows:

The Department & Education is very anxious to render real, constructive service to the high schools, and any requests or suggestions from teachers or school officials will re-

ceive careful consideration; in the improvement of the schools of

Very truly yours, MARY J. POPPLEWELL, Chief Supervisor of High Schools,

H. L. Hutchinson.

visor Katherine Henderson, is under the direction of the State Committee composed of six members chosen by the public schools and six high schools are classified and necredited for the purpose of establishing educational standards, encouraging schools to attain these standards, and certifying those that have atschool or college.

The regulations as prescribed by this Committee are administered by the State Department of Education through high school supervisors. In the visits of the supervisors and in their reports to school authorities, recommendations are offered in the spirit of cooperation and helpful suggestion, with the earnest desire that all school authorities will join toin in their efforts to maintain the necessary standards of meondary education in Texas.

In order that the schools may be properly certified it is essential that minimum requirements be met. To that end the supervisor who recently visited your school makes the following recommendations:

1. That source books in sufficient duplication and recent fiction be purchased for the high school library, and stories, nature books and Local Citizen Siricken At the like be added to the grade libra-

series now in use be provided for the 3. That the school authorities go forward with their plan to employ

2. That supplements to the map

an additional teacher for the grades this term. Was the session of 1927-Five grades pass the maximum of

placed with shades.

# DAY INSTITUTE HERE

## Dr. Morelock Conductor; Noted Speakers Here

building and especial mention is giv- in attendance coming principally sided at the banquet and gave the from five different counties, Nolan, welcome address following invocation Mitchell, Scurry, Howard and Bor- by Rev. M. M. Beavers, pastor of the Kent, Knox, Taylor and Dawson. | captain of the Wolves for 1926 gave

at Denton. Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of white and gold to the last line. the Texas Technological college at | Coach Jim Cantrill spoke in his Lubbock delivered a very able ad- tones of praise for the members of dress on Monday evening.

Murry college of Abilene, spoke excellent work. Every men tendent S. M. N. Marrs discussed and the coach expressed the be changes needeed in Texas educational that the boys would contile to fig system before the general assembly for the best and the winning Tuesday morning. His address was in any avocation they may follow

The Colorado Parent-Teacher as- and will not be with the team next Report of School Supervisor on sociation gave a delightful reception year. Colorado High School. Superintend- for the visiting teachers Monday ent, R. B. Norman; Pres. of Board, evening, serving coffee, sandwiches from every speaker and was cheere and cake, and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey immensely when he arose to speak Date, December 7, 1926. Super- and Mrs. R. B. Terrell, and the mem- It was said that coach has not on hers of their committee who had devoted time to making a good for The work of classifying and ac- charge of the affair received thanks ball team but has endeavored to male crediting the public schools of Texas from the teachers for the success of real men out of the members.

the evening. intendent of the Colorado schools, ways tried to get the members of ermines the conditions upon which cess and even though the weather oughly as well as their game. was unfavorable, the attendance was greater than was expected.

The Colorado Chamber of Com- core on the piane. merce and individual citizens provided automobiles for free trans- captain for the 1927 team, and tained them so as to facilitate the portation of the teachers and this Coach Cantrill said the choice was a ransfer of students to any other city made every affort to care for wise one. John has demonstrated the visitors in a royal fashion. Committee Thanks Citizens

On behalf of the teachers of Nolan, Scurry, Howard, Borden and Mitchell Counties and the other visiting teachers we wish to take this method of extending our thanks and appreciation to the people of Colorado, to the Parent-Teacher association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Lions Club, the Chairman of the Board and the Board of Trustees of the Colorado School District and all other who have helped to make our stay in Colorado pleasant and profitable. Signed, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

## Lubbock; Brought Home Saturday

was stricken with an attack of ap- from others. The adress was indee poplexy on Thursday of last week at well delivered and well received. Lubbock where he had been for some | Supt R. B. Norman made a ver time on business. The right side of fine talk in which he praised th Mr. Kirkpatrick's body was paralized football boys for their work, the from the stroke and, according to coach and the citizens for the co-op Dr. T. J, Ratliff, his condition re- eration given the school mains very serious.

and is now at his home here. As soon as the news of his illness present as very slightly came, members of the family and The scores of friend

The shutters are awkward and pro- Dr. T. J. Ratliff went to Lubbock patrick family will be (Continued on page 5) to attend him, and the doctor reports of his illness, but h

## of Team For Next Year; Coach Praised

den, with a few teachers from Fisher, Methodist church. Mike Smith Dr. H. W. Morelock, president of the response. The president of the doing their best and fighting for the

the 1926 team, and made indivi-Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of Mc. mention of several members for well received and seemed to have after leaving school. Thirteen members of the squad graduate this yes

Coach Cantrill came in for pre in this he has succeeded even beyon According to R. B. Norman, super- the fondest hopes. Cantrill has

> Roy W. Fletcher, high school Math teacher, gave a selection and an en-

John Pond, junior, was chosen as his fighting qualities and even though he is light, he is a hard hitter and will make good in the capacity of captain next year. He was elected by unanimous vote. John has never been late for practice or has never missed a practice, according to Coach Cantrill and he showed up continuously for two seasons before he got in a game, but when he did get in a game he made good.

Hon. Geo. H. Mahon, county attorney-elect, delivered the main address of the evening, which was indeed a masterful one. The address was based on the subject, "The Age of Football" and the speaker said this is indeed an age of football, which extended from the cradle to the grave. He said every person was directly or indirectly interested in football. The speaker handed out some very good advice to the football boys and urged them to hit the line hard in any vocation they may follow. He told them to strive to win in any undertaking and they should fight for their success, and above all to have respect for them-J. W. Kirkpatrick, cotton buyer, selves and they would get respect

Music for the occasion was f He was brought home Saturday ished by a Mexican string band



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EL PASO TO ENTERTAIN MANY CATTLE RAISERS hold such a celebration.

In connection with the convention of El Paso business districts. of the Texas and Southwestern Cat- Not only are the producers of cattle Raisers' Association, which con- tle being invited to the "Back to venes in El Paso in March, 1927, the Range" festival, but the packers the El Paso Chamber of Commerce and all others interested in the catis planning to stage a "Back to the tle industry, will be invited to take Range," festival. This festival will part in the program. In this way the be in the form of a celebration com- "Back to the Range" festival will be memorating the improved condition of national interest. Plans are alof the range and the revival of the so being made to invite President

# MISS MARY BROADDUS

wishes to announce the opening her studio at the residence of Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

Any one interested in Expression, Public Speaking or Physical Training Classes are invited to see her there or call range section, it the logical place to

One of the features of the "Back El Paso is planning to put on the to the Range" festival will be "Fat big pot and the little one on the Stak Show." Contracts have alsecasion of the fifty-first annual ready been established with the convention of the Texas and South- Hereford Breeder's Association, and western Cattle Raisers Association, arrangements are being made to of-March 15, 16 and 17, 1927. This fer large purses, and premiums. announcement has been sent out by This "Fat Stock Show" in all prob-D. A. Bandeen, general manager of ability, will be held in the famous the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, Liberty Hall, situated in the heart

Coolidge of the United States, and here. It is felt that El Paso, situated President Calles, of Mexico, to this as it is, in the heart of the great festival—Live Stock Reporter.

Chase: "Gee, judging from your description she sure must be a wonderful girl. What's her name?" Dugger: "Don't know yet. Goin't



# Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

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## Merchants Enjoy Good Trade And Farmers Generally Resorting To "Live At Home" Slogan Of Leaders

While wails galore have been going ties of demands of Santa Clause, a cial condition of people of this see- den prosperity."

And this same condition is reflect- them. el in reports reaching here from all

Deposits In Banks.

year. In short, farmers have been abundant of home raised pork. ising their money for liquidation

lose of business November 30 showed the total in three banks of the 000 decrease over the same period last, but since this statement, de- here. posits have shown a slight gain as farmers generally are rounding out the odds and ends of harvesting their

Christmas Shoppers.

Buyers of Christmas goods have cide, but suffice it to say that it is versifaction program can be seen.

s not confined to the bare necessi- by it in the years ahead.

up from "Knights of the Kloudy condition that again in a measure Kountenance" concerning the finan- reflects what might be termed "hid-

tion, following the tumble of price Many reasons might be assigned of cotton, and howl after howl has for such a condition, one of which, gone up that the country "ain't" and the most important probably, is what she used to be," and never will the fact that farmers have seen the be again, the fact remains that busi- light of a diversification program on ness men of this city are now enjoy- the farm, and are now taking ading business beyond their anticipal vantage of a situation that leaders long have sought to impress upon

Feed Crop Abundant.

Statements of total deposits in the expected mark. Hogs, for a time alhree banks in Mitchell county show most an unknown quntity, are being slight decrease in individual de- raised in ever increasing number, posits, but this is explained by the and through efforts of County Farm fact that liquidations of deots on the Agent W. S. Poster and other indipart of farmers has been carried on viduals and organizations, it is planto a much greater extent than last ned that next year will bring an

Bankers also are joining in the rather than placing it on deposit, and urge for raising of more marketable in many instances, debts brought livestock an produce. Turkeys, over from last year have been paid around which centers the Christmas dinner, has also played a major part A statement of deposits at the in putting ready cash into farmers have been raised on farms over this county to be a little less than \$200, county, and thousands of dollars

Turkeys Profitable.

At the present price of 30 cents per pound on foot, an average size received naturally would go to pay- cally no expense. Many instances of will be large next year.

Over-production of produce in the been crowding the streets of this city state is pratically impossible, acordfor several weeks, and these shop ing to statistic, and with each indipers, contrary to opinions expressed vidual farmer raising his pro rata by some are spending money freely. part of the products, at least enough Where the money is coming from for home consumption, no end to the will be left to the philosopher to de- good that can be derived in the di-

Anyway, farmers have learned And a great deal of this shopping their lesson, and will no doubt profit

# Taylor Co. Representative

Teachers' College from Alpine to Abilene, readjustment of the state highway affairs so that counties may etain the entire automobiles regof one cent on each gallon of gasoline mings, representative from Taylor egislature when it converes in Janu- soaked one more time in Mitchell

Removal Favored

two years and the State Board of like for her to do.

The per capita expense of operatto the cost of other schools, due to tute, but will begin on Monday af- County, to be holden at Westbrook, the small attendance according to ter Christmas. the board's report.

mings said. "I believe the legislatwill get it. Abilene with the other

FORMER COLORADO MAN

have written T. W. Stoneroad. Jr., pleasant afternoon, active vice preident of the City National Bank, that they are on a tour of the world, having written from New York that they were about tourist ship put in service in co-operation with the American Express company. The tour is to last 132 days and will cover 29,000 miles visiting 60 cities in 14 different countries. The trip leaving New York is via Cuba, Panama Canal, Indies, Malay States, India, Ceylon, starts, and save costly freeze-ups. Riviera, Spain and back to New York. SHOP. The Belenland is said to be largest ship to girdle the globe and is "Mother, have you got a nickel ing for me." one of the finest for round-the-world for a poor old man?" travel. Colorado friends of Mr. and "Where's the poor man, my son?" Mrs. O'Keefe will be glad to know "Down at the corner selling ice they are enjoying this wonderful trip. cream cones."

## SEVEN WELLS NOTES

with all its joys and sorrows, happinew year to bring better times.

are included in bills which E. S. Cum- lot of cotton in the fields in our fect of the returns they will bring." community and the rain still concounty, plans to submit to the state tinues to fall. The ground is sure

Health in our community is just Removal of the Alpine school eith- fine at present. Except Mrs. Chas. to Abilene or San Angelo has been I. Parker, who has been sick so long. uggested frequently during the last She isn't doing as well as we would

Control is quoted as having made a Mrs. C. A. Wallace and baby have recommendation that is be moved gone to Bonham to spend a few days with her parents.

Our school has turned out for the ing the college is out of proportion holidays and also for teachers' insti-

The 1923 Club met with Mrs. U. "I intend to make every effort to D. Wulfjen on Wednesday, Dec. 17, bring the college here," Mr. Cum- and had their Christmas program and also made Christmas candies. ors realize it must be moved and There were eight members present, that either Abilene or San Angelo also Mrs. A. A. Andrews and Mrs. A. S. Hutchins as visitors. Mrs. colleges here, naturally is the logical Wulfjen had the house beautifully arranged and also a nice Christmas tree all ready.

AND WIFE TOUR WORLD Everyone present received a nice gift of some kind and all went away Mr. and Mrs. C. A. O'Keefe of Ft. feeling refreshed by the Christmas Worth, former residents of Colorado, spirit and also glad to spend a very

We were all greatly excited recently when we heard a great rushing, mighty noise coming our way, and we hastened to see what it could land, the Red Star liner, new modern all mean. But it was just Bill

P. M. Bassham and children will leave Thursday for Mt. Pleasant to spend the holidays.

GET WATER CUT OFFS

I have a full supply of water cut California, Hawaiian Islands, Japan, offs. Get yours and have it put in China, The Phillipines, Dutch East now before the real cold weather Egypt and Palestine, \*Italy, The C. C. BURGEON PLUMBING

### DODGE CARS BREAK RECORDS IN WEEK'S DELIVERIES MADE

Retail deliveries of 4419 new motor ears and trucks by Dodge Broth-

ness men generally are enjoying one harvested over this entire section of November 1 this year Dodge Broth- including the reception by the local of the best Christmas trades since the state and the cow, sow, and hen ers, Inc., in it's plants in United Parents-Teachers Association Monthis is recoginzed as one of the most slogan has played a big part. Eggs States and Canada has produced day Evening, the play by the Big important parts of the Lone Star and chickens have been abundant in and sold 308,641 motor vehicles comparison with the production last against 226,848 during the same and the lyceum number Tuesday year, but they are still short of the period last year, a gain of 36.1 per evening.

## OTHERS ARE DOING IT

The Abilene Chamber of Com-Jersey cows and in five days had cattle has taken hold so strongly that more are to be ordered

The same thing has been done at Farmersville, and the carload of brought in, in 1922. Then there are pockets. Hundreds of these fowls Jerseys is now at work for their new

At Midland a dozen or more regisworth of them have been marketed tered bulls have been purchased and distributed for the improvement of

Lubbock estimates that in the last three years the number of pure bred erop, with some surplus money after turkey will bring from \$3.50 to \$5.00 poultry in that community has payment of debts. The first money each and they can be raised at prati- grown three times; lambs are common on the farms; surplus grain is ment of debts and with these taken big profits from turkeys might be fed to beef cattle; the dairy herds care of deposits will assume the dif- cited, but many have been mentioned. have grown and are there to stay, and it is evident that the turkey crop and the number of hogs on the farms has increased materially.

> It is almost certain that the dairy expert who is to be brought here af- get a glimpse of the hundreds of ferter the holidays will recommend lile and well-cultivated farms of the that dairy cattle can be profitably surrounding territory which in the handled in Nolan county, and he, no year 1926 produced, to quote governdoubt, will be able to give some ment statistics, 40,000 bales of the sound advice as to methods to be fleecy staple, 1,250,000 bushels, of

as possible, so that they can begin of cattles valued at \$1,500,000. returns regularly. This county could one will be benefitted to the The New Year will find quite a them the sooner we will feel the ef- journ in Colorado. -Sweetwater Reporter.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To The Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting-Oath having been made, as required by law, you are hereby commanded to summon Joe Gabler, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four succesive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice's Court of Precint No. 2, Mitchell in said Mitchell County on the 27th. day of December A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 7th, day of August A. D. 1926, in a suit number ed on the docket of said Court No. 32, wherein H. H. Armstrong is Plaintiff, and Joe Gabler is defendants, and said petition alleging that the defendant, Joe Gabler is indebted to the plaintiff H. H. Armstrong in the sum of forty and 15 one hundred (\$40,15) dollars for labor and material furnished defendant by plaintiff at defendant's special instance and request, that this debt is pass due and unpaid, plaintiff ask for judgement and cost

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand this 21 day of December A. D. 1926, H. A Lasseter, Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 2, Mitchell County. H. A. LASSETER,

Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 2, Mitchell County, Texas.

Frank Pidgeon: "I have always contended the world had an open-Irvin Plaster: "Ah, then you've

found it?" Frank: "Good gracious, yes. I'n in the hole now!"

### HIGH SCHOOL WELCOMES TEACHERS

(From The Howl) The Colorado High School exers dealers in United States and hundred or more teachers of Howard. Canada during the week ended No- Nolan, Borden, Glasscock, and Mitvember 27 have exceeded all prev- chell Counties who come to Colora ious weekly records established dur- do on Monday, Dec. 20, to attend ing the last quarter of any year. the three day Institute. Our beauti-Compared with the previous week ful new school building is at their this year the gain is 37.9 per cent disposal. When they meet in their and compared with the correspond- various sections they will be the ing week of 1925 when 2595 cars first to use our splendid class-rooms were sold the gain is 70.3 per cent. When they gather for assembly they Total production of motor cars will be among the first to make use and trucks in the United States and of our spacious auditorium. Perhaps Canada during the first ten months they will even find time for recreaof '26, was 4,026,879, compared tion in our well-appointed gymnasiwith 3,638,159 during the corre- um. We hope they will enjoy the sponding month of 1925, a gain of various entertainments which are to over 10 per cent. From January 1 to be provided during their brief stay, Spring High School Dramatic Club,

If they were going to be in our midst for a greater length of time, & we would invite the teachers to visit the various points of interest in and around Colorado. Across the River merce last week bought a carload of is the Col-Tex Oil Refinery. Twelve miles beyond is the Mitchell county farmers Oil Field, with its 103 wells produc throughout Taylor county. The idea ing 6,000 barrels of oil per day, of increasing the number of dairy bringing a revenue of some \$200,000 per month, and with one well alone, redited with a production of oil valued at \$2,500,000 since it was the new and commodious public buildings of our little city, which are well worth inspection. These structures include the Mitchell County Court House, recently built at a cost of \$140,000, the beautiful new Country Club N. E. of town, the splendid Palace Theatre with its pipe orran of the first class, and the \$250,-300 Hotel Colorado which is nearing 2 completion. As for picturesque scenery in our locality, we might direct our visitors to the hills west of town, and to that remarkable freak of nature known as The Seven Wells, a few miles to the southeast. And, 3 above all, we should like for them to grains, 40,000 tons of forage, and The next logical step will be to \$2,000,000 worth of other farm prodget the cattle on the farms as soon sets, exclusive of some 32,000 head

to work for this county. The big We realize, however, that the time feature about dairying is that it is if the teachers will necessarily be Christmas, the most hoped for an all year round business, does not aken up with indoor activities. We Seeks Removal Sul Ross time in the year, will soon be here depend on seasons, brings in cash an only hope, therefore, that each ness and grief, but we are truly hop- have a great many more dairy cat- by the lectures and round-table dising and earnestly praying for the tle than it now has even though no cussions of the Institute, and that creamery were established and the verything will move with a smooth-More love, more sincerity, more cows would still make money for ness that will cause each teacher to istration fee, and an additional tax law-abiding and God-fearing people. their owners. The sooner we have remember with pleasure his brief so-

ATTA BOY EDDIE



To Eddie's endurance enthralls

His ceaseless persistence appalla us: Whene'er we detain him

Or strive to restrain him, We dare not repeat what he calls us!

There is something about service-satisfactory servicethat brings a glow of gladness and a driving, compelling impulse to those who serve. At least, WE'VE found it so in selling GLAD GROCERIES.

Pritchett

Consistent and Steady: That's "Atta-Boy Eddie"!

# Theatre

A Merry Xmas and Happy New Year To All from the Palace. Ritz and Mission Theatres. Mr. and Mrs. Ross D. Dixon.

OUR CHRISTMAS PICTURE PROGRAMS

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY Dec. 23-24th

## "We're In The Navy Now

With Wallace Berry and Raymond Hatton. I have seen this picture and will guarantee it to be one of the best comedy's ever shown here. Mrs. Dixon. It's a scream from start to Also a good Pathe comedy.

SATURDAY, DEC. 25th Don't forget the free matinee for Children Xmas morning at 9:30. Santa Claus will be there with a present for every one.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND NIGHT

## Rocking Moon

picture. Most of the scenes were really made in Alaska. Ann Q. Nillson is one of thes stars and the story is one of the best. Also Alberta Vaughn in The Adventures

MONDAY AND TUESDAY Dec. 27-28th

## The Duchess Of Buffalo"

With Constance Talmadge and star cast. Here's a knockout, as all ber's are. I have also seen this picture and know it to be simply fine. Also a good Educational comedy.

> WED. AND THURS. Dec. 29-30th

## "Bardsley The Magnificent"

A big Metro Special, with John Gilbert and star cast. This is said to be one of the biggest and best Metro pictures made this year. Don't pass it up. Also Pathe News and Fables,

We will have a midnight Matinee Friday night, Dec. 31st, at 12:15 a. m. at the Palace.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Dec. 24-25th

'Out Of the Law'

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Dec. 27-28th A rip roaring Western. Title unknown. Also Fox News and Comedy.

WED. AND THURS. Dec. 29-30th Another good action picture

that will please all. We are changing all our programs this week trying to get pictures that will please our Christmas customers. Also a good come-

RITZ

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Bob Custer In "The Fighting Boob"

With a good two-reel comedy. 

I take this means to notify patron that I will be forced to refuse to carry accounts for more than 30 days, and ask all my patrons to please pay up accounts each month. It is necessary for me to collect, and I ask promt payment, so please be governd accordingly. Pipe is cash only.



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## PICKENS MARKET AND GROCERY



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rated tree occupied one end of the

living room and with its glistening

fecorations and glowing lights was the center of attraction. The guests

were seated at prettily appointed

tables and a supper of meat loaf,

peas in potato nests, sweet pickles,

Hesperian Club

wreaths, bells and cedar boughs. The

Mrs. Merritt told what Mrs. Les-

her as a new member. Mrs. Whip

Moody sang one verse of Holy Night

very sweetly. A contest on cakes

was next enjoyed. Mrs. Millwe

Miss Gaslins Entertains

throughout the evening. These con-

sisted of a banjo solo by Herman

Charleston number by Miss Geral-

Later in the evening the guests

were invited to go out of doors and

take part in a pretty display of fire-

Mrs. Looney Entertains In Honor

Of Her Sister

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. R. H.

salad, potato chips, crackers, jelly, son.

with plate favors of mistletoe sprags.

Mrs. Dixon Entertains

1921 Club

tied with red tuile bearing a merry

Christmas sticker.

planned.

day night. Dec. 16th.

dles lit up the town.

The Christmas meeting of the

MRS. J. G. MERRITT, Editor Phone 144

Rev. and Mrs. Beavers Entertain olives, hot rolls and coffee served. Thursday evening Rev. and Mrs. When this was finished score cards M. M. Benvers were at home to the were passed and 42 played until a "official" church family. The con- late four. Each of the nine tables ference officers, the stewards and was centered with a basket of cantheir wives or husband. The su- dy. At the conclusion of the 42 perintendents of the Sunday School, game, numbers were drawn and the lay leaders and president of the Mrs. Pidgeon and Mrs. Jones took Missionary Society. About therty the gifts from the tree matching the gathered and a very enjoyable eve- numbers so everybody received a ning was spent. The preacher told gift. These were both useful and some jokes to get all to smiling, pretty and great fun was had in Then Mrs. Looney told of the needs opening them. This was one of the of the primary department of the very first Christmas parties and will Sunday School. Mrs. McCleary no doubt stand out as one of the talked of her hopes and plans for most enjoyable, the young peoples work.

A contest of names of Bible women was conducted by the preacher. Of the twenty-two names, Mrs. Hesperian club was held with Mrs. Merrit answered twenty correctly James T. Johnson, The house and was given a book by Bishop looked very Christmassy with its

The preacher showed some plans meeting was conducted by Mrs. he had made for enlarging the Blanks in the absence of the presipresent church, and made a plea for dent. It was voted to give five dolunity of purpose in the year's work. hars on the Goodfellows fund, Mrs. His entheplasm could not fail to Leslie resigned from the club as inspire those who heard him and all she is moving to Eastland the first present no doubt pledged them of the year, selves to greater efforts.

Mrs. Beavers and the son and lie had meant to her as a club memdaughter served hot chocolate, black ber during the years. Mrs., Lee and white cake and snow pudding spoke of Mrs. Leslie's inspiration to topped with whipped cream and nut meats. After a song "Blest Be the key talked on the spirit of Christ Tie That Binds," goodnights were mas in a very beautiful way and at said with the hope that other meet. the close of her talk little Jimmi ings like this might be held.

Miss Mary Broaddus' Class Presents Dolls On Christmas Eve

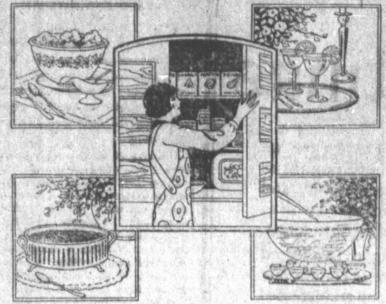
and Mrs. Whipkey each answered Friday evening Miss Mary Broad- the same number but in a draw dus' expression class gave a beauti- Mrs. Whipkey won the prize, a big ful recital at the American Legion stick of candy. The guests were now Hut, called Dolls on Christmas invited into another room where s prottily decorated Christmas tree

The high school orchestra gave held gifts for everyone, each mem some splendid numbers before the ber taking a gift which was numcurtain went up. The ushers were bered, then drawing a number. Mrs. Misses Margaret Sandusky, Ruth Shannon acted as Santa Claus and Boynton, Lena Smith Mann and all were delighted with their gifts. Katherine Price were good to look Mrs. Greene and Mrs. Shannon were at and most efficient. The Junior gneats. Refreshments were served ushers, Jimmie Moody and Nancy at Whipkey and Merritts. Pressec Price, who stood on either side of chicken, potato chips, olives, wafers the entrance with immense Christ- and coffee followed by ice crean mas wreaths were too cunning for and fruit cake. The plate favors anything. The stage was set with were Santa Claus. a beautifully trimmed and lighted Christmas tree, with Santa Claus and the dolls grouped about, Being Christmas eve the dolls come to life of the holiday season occurred in and each performs some stunt. Sue the form of a party given by Miss Roberts Stoneham as Santa Claus, Vera Gaskins at her home, Thursfrom the baby doll, Virginia Rose Whipkey to the oldest ones. The dancing of Aileen Carey, the Japan- rated room, lighted by candles, Intese doll, was especially enjoyed, as was that of the rubber dolls, Freida Merle Reed and Alice Hariman, The Spanish doll, Sybil Dobbs, gave her reading in Spanish. There were twenty-two members and each one did splendidly, reflecting great credit upon Miss Broaddus' teach-

Merry Wives Christmas Tree And works. Sparklers and Roman can-Party

Thursday evening Mesdames R. J. Jones were hostesses for the Merry potato chips were served by Mrs. Wallace home. The handsome home present. was lavishly decorated with Christmas bells, wreaths and ropes of red and green. The beautifully decc

## Fruits for Your Good Health



for a balanced diet. This is easy for the housewife to manage when she uses prepared truits. The crop just harvested and canned well as salad.

The importance of this buse crop of any of these fruits. Put finit and housewife will be able to buy these abundont fruits. A particular opportunity course during National Canned Foods Wack, celebrated this year from Any of these truly may be and wenter tenth to November two as filling for pies. to secure a winter's supply of these either hot or cold. The strop tuscious fruits at reduced prices. Have perfect sweeten'ns to re-your grocer prepare a case of all fruit makes it unusually tost

Ferguson one on the other plays. Mrs. Broaddus gave some readings The Bridgettes met Thursday sappy over their work,

fe. The fine arts meeting is with mentary. Mrs. Milburn Doss, Friday, Dec. 31.

Mrs. Tidwell and Miss Costin Entertain

Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Dewey Tidwell she and Miss Hazel Costin entertained the Bridgettes and their husbands and all who had ever entertained compilmentary. The house was gay with Christmas bells, poinsettias and other decorations pertaining to the One of the most delightful event oliday. There were ten tables of he ladies and was given a Mexican When the guesta arrived they were led into a beatifully decoan ash tray.

promptu numbers were enjoyed Crystal, a reading by Miss Lola Merle Johnston, and a reading and ven the husbands said so.

Ladies' Day At the Country Club Wednesday was ladies' day at the Country Club. Mrs. Hubbard and Delicious refreshments consisting Mrs. Bennett being hostesses. The Wallace, Jesse Pidgeon and Chester of apple sauce cake, chocolate and reception room was very attractive the sudden death of their brother, with its Christmas decorations and Movely Harrison in Wichita Falls, Wives and their husbands at the Gaskins to the thirty-two guests glowing fire. Mrs. Bennett presided They left that night for Pilot Point, at the register, and the following where the body was shipped for were present as entertainers and burial. guests: Mrs. C. R. Earnest, Miss Martha Earnest, Miss Hazel Costin, Alice Blanks returned Monday to Mrs. Don Sivalls , Mrs. James T. Colorado, but Mr. and Mrs. Blanks coney very delightfully entertain- Johnson, Mrs. S. H. Millwee, Mrs. ed the Harmony club and a number P. C. Coleman, Mrs. A. H. Dolman, after Mr. Harrison's property, comof other friends in honor of her sis- Mrs. J. M. Doss, Mrs. Moncure Carter, Mrs. Lulu Mae Charlton, who ter, Mrs. Bryan Byrne, Miss Nellie visiting her for the holidays. The Rierdan, Mrs. R. H. Looney, Mrs. house was most artistically deco- Lula Mae Carlton, Miss Mildred rated in ropes of red and green, Coleman, Mrs. Pearle Shannon, hanging baskets, bowls and vases of Mrs. R. O. Pearson, Mrs. J. G. Merflowers. There were twelve tables ritt, Mrs. H. C. Landers, Mrs. J. C. of 42 and bridge players. On each Ethridge, Mrs. C. C. Thompson, table were baskets of candies. At Miss Vauda True, Miss Ruby Mcthe refreshment hour dainty lunch- Gill, Miss Mary Holtrock, Mrs. eon cloths were spread and chicken Frank Lupton, Mrs. Corrine Fergu-

> fruit cake and coffee was served. Both 42 and bridge was played and tea and wafers was served.

Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr., Entertains Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr., entertained This was one of the many beautiful and enjoyable affairs of the Monday afternoon and Monday evening in a very delightful manner. Her pretty new home was gay with Christmas decorations and appeared Tuesday evening Mrs. Ross Dixon most interesting. In the afternoon pened her house to the young folks there were four tables of bridge she gathered for dancing. They players and when the game was had Victrola music and danced just finished refreshments of scalloped as long as they wanted to. This mushrooms in pastry cases, hot biswas the first of a series of holiday cuit, ralad, olives and coffee, foldances these young folks have lowed by date pudding and fruit cake was served.

In the evening she had both la-The 1921 club met Friday with dies and gentlemen and their were dead we are, perhaps we can prove Mrs. Ferguson at the home of her six tables of players. The luncheon to them that they have a mistaken sister, Mrz. Roy Dozier. The house was served before the game began was gay with Christmas decorations and then the time was spent with and a beautiful Christmas tree, up- the ever fascinating game. Mrs. on which the gifts each brought was Lee Jones, Jr., won ladies' highplaced. Mrs. Quinney was leader, score and received a pretty calen-Mrs. Smith had a paper upon Rachel dar. Harry Ragan wen the men's Crother's play, Nice People, Mrs. prize, a smoking tray.

is one of the largest ever handled. Quantizies of peacher, pears, aproots, pineapple, prures and cherries have been packed in one of the busiest seasons fruit packers have ever known.

The interactions of this busiest seasons fruit packers have ever known.

from the play. At the conclusion of with Miss Eleanor Thomas. Her the lesson numbers were passed and only invited guests were: Mrs. Ledthe Christmas gifts having similar ger Smith, Mrs. M. Carter and numbers were given each one. Much Mrs. Hyman. Mrs. Tidwell won xcitement prevailed, and all were high score. Mrs. Arlie Taylor low. Mince pie, whipped cream and cof-The hostess served cherry pie fee were served, Miss Mary Broadtopped wit hwhipped cream and cof- dus entertains this week compli-

> The following invitations have been received by friends:: "Mrs. Herman Lee Lockhart, Mrs. George Whipple Hubbard, honoring Miss Fay Hubbard, Monday afternoon, December the twenty-seventh, from three to five o'clock, Country Club.

The near young group had an enjoyable informal dance at the Country Club Tuesday evening.

Death of Mrs. Thomas

Mrs. A. E. Thomas, mother of bridge players. The score cards Abner and Leslie Thomas, died were Christmas, boys and girls. quite suddenly at the home of her Miss Broaddus won high score for daughter, Mrs. Jones in Marble Falls water jar. I Jack Winnett was the been an invalid for many years, had winner among the men and received been living in Colorado since last September, and for the past month The luncheon sets carried out the was in the home of her son, Leslie Christmas idea and asparagus sand- Thomas. She seemed in her usual wiches, salad, olives, fruit cake and health when her daughter came for coffee was served. The favors her, but the shock of the trip was were tiny jars of Mexican pottery too much for her. She passed away filled with red and green candies, and was buried in Marble Falls. Her This was a very delightful affair, family have the sympathy of the town in their bereavement.

> Brother of Mrs. Blanks Dies In Wichita Falls

Mrs. A. B. Blanks and Val San Harrison received word Saturday of

Mr. V. S. Harrison and Miss went on to Wichita Falls to look ing home later in the week.

SENIOR REPORT

Three cheers for the Seniors! The past few days have shown amazing symtoms of the Seniors awakening from the stuper that has enveloped them the last four months. Although it took a withering speech from the sponsor to bring the desired effect, it is believed that at last they are sufficiently aroused to "put over" anything.

It is true that one can hear a report so often that he finally accepts it as a fact. So it has been with the Seniors. It has been said, a number of times, "The Senior class is dead!" This assertion has been heard so many times by the Seniors, that we have come to take it a matter of course and of little importance. The first few hundred times we heard it, we decided to "grin and hear it," but unfortunate ly it was soon being said too frequently, therefore the matter reach

ed a climax. We want to ask the High School to give us an even chance. If they will refrain from talking about how

Knock! Knock. "Who is it?" "It is I, Opportunity." "You can't fool me. Opportunity mocks but once."

## Asst. District Attorney Place For Breedlove Smith

Breedlove Smith, son of Judge W R. Smith of El Paso, has been appointed as assistant district attorney at El Paso and has been inducted into that office, which is a very important place for a district the size of that one, and especially the importance of the cases handled by that court. Young Smith is a cousin of Thos. R. Smith, and is well known here.

Mr. Norman: "Mrs. Guitar will now sing 'Sweet and Low'," Freshman: "He sure doesn't know Mrs. Guitar.

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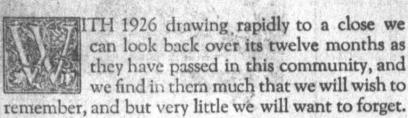
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To All Our Friends AND CUSTOMERS

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J.P. MAJORS

# erry Christmas



The Christmas season of 1926 brings to us a record of twelve months of community peace, of community good will, of community prosperity, and an increased community hope for the dawning year of 1927.

During 1926 we have enjoyed our neighbors, our friends: we have laughed with them in their hours of merriment, and we have grieved with them in their bereavements and consoled them as best we might. This is as it should be. It is such things that the spirit of Christmas teaches us. It is the lesson brought to us by the Man of Gallilee nineteen hundred and twenty-six years ago.

During 1926 we have grown better individually and collectively; we have evinced a greater degree of tolerance, of human kindness, of love and faith, than in any previous year, and this is but an evidence of the increasing betterment of the race.

With a backward glance over the records of 1926 we find every good reason for believing this Christmas season is to be the best we have ever enjoyed. We know that those blessings, faith, hope, love, peace, that were brought to the race with the dawn of the Christian era are with us today in greater degree than ever before. We know we will receive a greater number of hearty Christmas greetings, a greater number of friendly smiles, and what comes to us will come to each and every individual in our community, including our Merry Christmas to each and every one.

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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Letween now and January first we will revise our subscription list. All who have not paid up will absofixtely be cut off. It costs money to publish a paper and if you want it, pay up or get your head chopped off Look at the label on your paper; if it reads 1 Oct. 26. means your preer was out First of October, 1926. Fair warding -- come across.

The Record enswers the critics of the local rost office by taying that the portal authorities here are making every effect to care for the greatly increased mail receipts and as a whole it can be said that the clerks in the office are as accommodating as will be found anywhere. even though at times it may seem the contrary to be true. Of course there are times when the clerks are rushed and it seems to the layman that they are not as courteous as they might be but we believe you will always find those clerks and Postmaster Brennand willing to show every collectly possible, yet with the crowded condition and the lobby at the front of the buildout office is not able to give the serand the business here justifies. Yorado should have a federal postal e adequate quarters for the post time to rest on Sunday .- Tolede Blade,

office here. The fact that on busy days it is next t mpossible to get to the general delivery window and ton crop did not bring as much tamp window without lining up between a bunch of money as it should, the farmers negres and Mexicans and waiting for probably an hour, have raised the largest feed crop nd the fact that a white woman can not even enter the ir history as well as other crops, the doors of the post office on these busy days nor get to the lock boxes without brushing against a negro or Mexican makes it imperative that something be done to increase the banks in the county have over the size of the lobby to the present building or move into \$2,500,000 on deposit, and the pros Business and General Manager the size of the lobby to the present building or move into
Local Editor new and larger quarters. We can get a federal building if we go after it in the proper way and we will get owing to the fine season in the Press Assn., National Editorial Assn., Colorade this building some day, but some relief to the congestion ground and the condition of the at the local post office should be had before that federal ranges, therefore, Colorado and building can be secured and constructed. There is al- Mitchell county has no room to comways delay for federal projects and we could not expect plain of hard times or unfavorable any relief from that angle for some time.

> ings in this city that could be secured for the post office, ed in even better shape than at this according to argument of several local citizens and we see time last year. Farmers have more o reason why the post office could not be moved to one feed, more livestock, more domesite of these if the present building is not adequate or can fowls and more canned fruits and ot be made so at once.

the public on this matter.

A lot of people seem to have a misconception of the w prohibiting the manufacture of intexicating liquors. udge Leslie of Colorado took cognizance of this fact his charge to the Mitchel county grand jury a few lays ago and instructed that body to return bills of inictment against any and all persons found guilty of aking "home brew" containing more than one per cent alcohol. It makes no difference whether this home rew is made to sell or for home use, it is a penitentiary ffense to make it just the same if its alcoholic content more than one per cent. The statutes are plain and amistakeable and there is no excuse for any person to iolate this law through ignorance. It is possible, howver, that a good many people over this country are onstantly violating it and thus becoming liable to proseution for a felony. Better be careful about making ome brew .- Lynn County News.

Blessings often come in disguise. It may be that the w price of cotton this year will prove to be a blessng to the people of Lynn county. In the first place, it will make us call a halt and economize. In the second place, it may teach us to rely on other things than coton. It was said a long time ago that a man cannot ive by bread alone. We need to learn that neither can he live by cotton alone. This cotton calamity may ause us to develop along other lines. We need not quit raising cotton but if we will raise plenty of feed and dairy cows and hogs and poultry along with cotton, which we can easily do, we should be the most proserous and happy people on earth. Why not?

Many American homes' library consists of the tele phone book, check book and two others.-Little Rock Arkansas Democrat.

The only thing some Colorado men neglect more than they do their wives is their religion.

When they get a five-day week people may have

DEVELOPMENT OF COLO. RADO AND MITCHELL CO.

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) Poultry Show was held in Colorado in November and already the interest stimulated has resulted in the establishing of many commercial increasing the farm flocks all over the county.

and making efforts to prepare for at Record Office. more production at less expense next year. Farmers in Mitchell FOR RENT-By R. T. Manuel, a county are not going to quit raising cotton, for this is recognized as the best staple cotton producing section in West Texas, and Colorado maintains lead as a cotton market, but the farmers are going to adopt the plan of living at home and producing a large variety of crops, duction of cotton next year may not Berry. be cut much, but the production of feeds, livestock, domestic fowls and garden truck will be thribbled or FOR SALE-At wholesale cost, 1

the county have greatly extended Colorado Furniture Exchange. the newly discovered Itatan pool in \$18.00. Mrs. J. P. Jobb, Roscoc. Ruby Fing, 1 pair of cuff links were bers. I. W. Terry, Tax Collector. the western part of the county has been thoroughly proved. The result is that this county now has 103 producing wells, and many wildcats drilling in different parts of the county which may make 1927 the tanner year of development.

The new Chalk field, which city was brought in this year by Sam Sloan and Steve Owen of Colo- \$16.25 including 2 records.—COLOR- POSTED-Notice. rado, and has evidence of being a great field. To make it accessible, the Chamber of Commerce had a road built through the ranches of that section so it can be reached from Colorado with ease.

The Col-Tex Refining company has a large refinery located here with a daily output of 6,000 barrels a day, all of which comes from the Mitchell county field. This refinery employes a large number of people and runs day and night. It is a subsidiary of the Standard. There are several oil companies with headquarters in this city which have brought many new citizens to Col-

In analizing the progress of Colorado for this year it can be justly said that it has had a gigantic building program, though the large cotoil development and production has continued very satisfactory, so that pects for next year are excellent conditions. Taken as a whole, we There are several larger and more convenient build- believe this county can be considervegetables in the cellar than they The Record would be glad to have expressions from had last year, and even though they have a little less ready cash, the real assets are more apparent, conse quently 1926 can be classed as the best in the history of this county.

## 3lim Davis Gets Pardon: Ma Says Guilt Doubtful

Governor Ferguson Tuesday granted a full pardon to N. M. (Slim) Davis, convicted here last year on a liquor charge, and Sheriff I. W. Terry received a telegram from the governor reading: "I have this day granted a full pardon to N. M. Davis" and commanding the sheriff not to molest Davis. He was out on bond waiting an appeal and the appeals court recently affirmed the sentence, but the mandate had not been returned to the Mitchell county sheriff. The pardon from the governor will serve to stop action on the mandate when it arrives. In the announcement carried in the state papers relative to the pardons, the item reads: "N. M. Davis, Mitchell county, liquor, two years Grave DOUBTS of DEFENDANT'S guilt." This being the reason for the pardon, according to the gover-

Ten others were pardoned by the governor at the time Davis' pardor was announced.

Miss Way: "What are the national sports in Mexico?"

Mary: "Bull fight, and golf." Miss Way: "Golf! in Mexico?" Mary: "Why teacher, haven't you ever heard of the "Golf (Gulf) of friends and relatives gathered to

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

FOR RENT

to let. Phone 410M. Mrs. Oliver sell cheap.

county are doing terracing work, Colorado January 1st, good location putting their feilds on a water level, for any business, See W. E. Reid

> section of Terry county land about 300 acres in cultivation two sets of CHRISTMAS MONEY-boys make once, R. T. Manuel.

FARM FOR RENT

A well improved farm for rent- Hutchinson school house. Reward third and fourth. Must be honest return to J. G. Potter, T. & P. as well as lots of cotton. The pro- and a good worker. Phone C. C. Freight office.

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Texas or see T. E. Burris, Colora- valued as keep sakes. Please return 12-31-p. to this office and recive reward.

FOR SALE or will trade for rent house, nice new modern Brick Residence. Jas. R. Porter at Klassy Kleaner.

about 30 miles southwest of this SPECIAL SALE - Plao. Boy Partable Phonographs-\$20.00 value for ADO MUSIC CO.

> BRAND new Underwood typewriter for sale at wholesale cost, also one dandy used Woodstock cheap, both on terms if desired. See W. E. Reid, at Record office.

> FOR SALE-At a bargain, J. I. Case threshing machine. See B. W. Scott at Scott's Tire Shop.

## /ETS CAN MAKE TRIP

Save your shekels until you get 200 or more, if you want to go to Paris to the 1927 national convention of the American Legion.

That is the advice of officers of he legion who are in receipt of figwith the trip.

The round trip can be made for a minimum of \$200 from Fort Worth, it is estimated. Of this the biggest item is for steamship accommodations, the ship fare being a minimum of \$147.50, which includes all meais sea and breakfasts in Paris.

Railroads have granted a 50 pe cent cut in rates, so that the round trip to Galveston, the point of sailng for Texans, will cost \$12.75 with \$7.50 for Pullman fare, The lowest price for a room in Paris or seven days is \$10.

Additional Costs This brings the total to \$177.70 which must be added the price of neals other than breakfast. These neals and transportation from Havre to Paris will raise the total to around \$200.

Accommodations of any class board ship may be obtained, the tighest- quotation being \$280 per person. Cost of quarters in Paris also range to \$49 for the best. The jost to any person taking the highest price accommodations both on hip and in Paris will be \$449.20.

Tours of battlefields and other points of interest to the ex-service nan will be made. Nineteen sepaate tours have been arranged and he cost of these range from \$5 to

Although there will be various priced accommodations aboard ship here will be no class distinction, naional officers of the legion have an-

Sept. 19 to 24

Exact sailing dates have not been nnounced, but the entire trip from Fort Worth to the time of return here will require about a month, legion officials said. The convention will be in session from Sept. 19 to 24 and the American and French iners with which arrangements ave been made to carry the legionnaires will sail from 10 days to two weeks before the opening date. Three months are allowed in which

MEXICAN WOMAN BURIED HERE MONDAY AFTERNOON

Calarine de Alvarez, Mexican woman, was buried at the Mexican cemetery north of town Monday afternoon, with a large concourse of pay respects to the deceased.

## BATTLE CREEK BATHS **CROWLEY & MOYLETTE**

Iwo Blocks North of Burns Dry Goods Co. OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL NINE O'CLOCK

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improvements. Want to sell work some Christmas money by bringing stock, tools and feed. See me at clean cotton rags to the Record of-1tpd. fice. We buy them. LOST-Bunch of three keys near

> FOUND-Bunch of keys on ring, one Ford key and severaly others.

Owner can get same by paying for

this ad at this office. Development of the oil sections of fice chair. Never been unpacked. LOST-Ladies brown leather folding as early as possible to avoid any rush purse, lest in Legion Hut Friday around the first of the year. Be sure the producing areas during this FOR SALE-Four full blood Black night, December 17, Or between and bring new Headlight Certificate year, and the original. Westbrook Minorca Cockerels, Papes strain. there and court house. Contained and 1926 car receipt as both these pool has been greatly extended and Price \$5.00 each or the four for some money, Juncashed check, 1 will be necessary to get the new num-

> LOST-Casing and rim, 6-ply Dayton, 30x5,25. Rim 20x4. Lost on road between Colorado and Snyder. Notify O. Lambeth.

1tp.

W. M. (Pete) Cawthron.

### POSTED.

My pasture, known as the "White Elephant," two miles west of Spade, is posted according to law. Any trespassers will surely be prosecuted. H. C. Beal. tf

Posted: All my lands are posted by law and all hunters and tresspassers are warned to stay out. You must stay off my land. MRS. W. K. LEWIS.

POSTED-My pasture 25 miles outhwest of Colorado on Beal's TO PARIS FOR \$200 Creek also Robert Lee road known as Gaye pasture are posted according to law and I positively will not low any kind of hunting .- F. L. POSTED-All my lands are post-

ed according to law. No hunting, wood hauling or trespassing allowed. ares detailing expenses connected Please stay out and save yourself rouble.-Mrs. Sam Smartt. 1Febp POSTED-All lands owned and

ontrolled by Landers Brothers are posted according to law and no hunting, wood hauling or other trespassing will be allowed. Please stay out and save yourself serious trouble. Landers Bros. POSTED-Hunters Take Notice, All

of the Wulfgen lands are posted and part is in the State Game Reserve of Mitchell county. Keep out or you will have both the Game Warden and myself to contend with. J. D. All my lands are posted according

o law. If any of my tenants turn you in you surely will have to pay a fine. Not knowing whose land you tre on will not excuse you. U. D. WULFJEN. 1-1-27p

POSTED: All the W. L. Foster pastures at latan are posted by law and this notice is published to keep ill hunters and trespassers out and if you do not sty out you will be prosesuted and ignorance of the land being posted will not excuse you. E. B. GREGSON, Mgr. tfc

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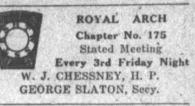
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Motion was carried Friday night Farmers in many sections of the FOR RENT-Business building in WANTED-A place for a girl at- that the regular luncheons for the at the banquet of the Lions club tending high school to stay and work rest of this year would be postponed for her board. Apply at Pritchetts's because of the Christmas holidays, 1tp. Friday being Christmas eve. The next Lions luncheon will be held Friday, January 7th, the club having voted to skip the two meetings during the holidays season.



NOTICE TO AUTOMOBILE OWN-ERS-We now have the 1927 automobile numbers and will urge all car owners to get their new numbers

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their own statement, then we

believe they will be willing to

turn the cemetery property loose

if paid a reesonable sum for the

rame. If, as the lodge says,

the cometery is not paying

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of unkeep, then they should be

very glad to turn the property

over to some organization that

can keep it up, and we would

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them of enough to justify them

in doing so, but something must

be done about the shamful neg-

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boltes than the lodge, we want

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and let the association do it.

There is this much to be con-

sidered. The association could

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lodge can not, so we believe the

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## Host Of Star Grid Performers Lost To Southwestern Conference At Close Of Season But Teams' Hopes Bright Joel

will have at least a fairno nucleus ference guard; Toler and Thompson about which to build pexterseason's young backs of promise. combinations, and every conference

fit, with twelve first stringless com- "Rosy" Stallter, halfback, pleting their term, of quigibility. The Longhorn eleven of '27 vals of the Prancing Ponies.

and tackle of the Texas - Aggles; tenio Brackenridge high school. Sam Coates, giant end of the Baylor Prospects are brighter in the Washam, broken field runner of fighting center of the Rica Ovis, a of merit, bulwark of strength for three seanons; Scott, all-conference guard of

the Arkansas Razorbacks. In addition to Clark, the Froga, lost among others, Washam, a con ter of much ability and led goal booter extraordinary; Bewster and Scarborough, big tackles; Taylor and Carson, halfbacks. Among the men who should be

AALAS A host of star grid- the buik of hie burden in 1927 for rs passed out of the MOThwest the 3rogs are: Bernard (Blackie Conference football picture with the Williams, slashing fullback, and next year while Sikes will be a closing of the 1926 seasons captain-elect of next season's Fortunately, however, each of the eleven; "Rags" Matthews, all-conseven conference schools win 1927 forence end; "Bear" Wolf, all-con-

Seven Longhorns Out coach will receive a number of re- Among the Longhorns who fincruits of merit from the '26' Fish" ished with Mack Saxon are: "Tiny" Gooch and Murray Moore, stalwart Coach Matty Bell's T. C. U. Frogs tackles; Clint Slover and Ed Olle, were hit harder than any other out-fends; "Rocky" Rundell, center;

Numerically, at least, the Southern should be one of the outstanding Methodist University Mastangs, contenders for championship laurels 1926 champions, suffered the least In the line the Steers will have Mc--a fact that bodies ill for 1927 ri- Cullough, center; Wray and Cowley, big guards; "Ox" Higgins, one of Morley Jennings lost among others, the two captains, who if he recov. in addition to Coates, Captain Among the outstanding spectform- ers from a knee injury should be ers who will flash no more on South- an all-conference performer at west Conference gridiron wo are, tackle or end. Too, the Longhorns Mack Saxon, quarterback and cap- will receive several promising fortain of the 1926 Longhorns, one of wards from this season's freshman Fall, quarterback. the most capable performent over tonm, notably Gordy Brown, a hard to place foot on a gridirancia this fighting tackle from Dallas Bryan rection; Clark, splendid quasterback High School, and W. F. Nonal spised, building his machine around of T.C. U.; "Ox" Districtly captain Ross, brilliant end from San Anwho should be one of the outstand-

Bruins, one of the greatest players backfield than in the line, as far as much ability and a heady quarterin history of the conference; Chris the Longhorns are concerned. Cortemeglia, smashing halback and "Ramming Rufus" King, fullbask, the conference during the season end of the S. M. U. Mustangs, whose who will alternate with Higgins as sterling defensive work was a big captain, should have his greatest and forward passer of merit; and factor in the grabbing of the title season, while Ford, Joe King, "Ox" Keyes, big fullback who by Morrison's men; Underwood, Hughes and Boyles are all players should improve much next season

> Two Promising Bacha bound fullback from Dallas High- place. and Park, and Perkins from Bas-

halfback were among Texas Aggies, line performer destined to star for who finished with the mighty Die- the Owls,

Goach Dana Bible likely will build standing gridsters in Boozeman, his 1927 team offensively, around eaptain and center and "Ox" Smith Hunt, captain-elect, and a fullback; but the Razorsbacks will great halfback, who furnished most place on the gridiron their usual of the power and drive of the '20 hard fighting outfit. combination. Burgess and Simmons should come through at halfback prominent contender for all-conference honors at end.

Aggies supportres are expecting much from the recruits the red and white will receive from the '26 freshman team, coached by Johnny Call for this contribution. Bender and other mentors well versed in the pigskin game. Probably the two outstanding members. of the freshman team were, Alsabrook, an all-state performer for Cisco high, and Frankie Ish, allstate high school quarterback when he starred for Coach Paul Tyson's

Waco Tigers. Jenning's Loss In addition to Coates, Coach

George Morris, halfback, and one of the best field goal kickers the conference has developed; Porter Jennings, however, should turn

out a 1927 eleven not to be dejust closed, a splendid ball carrie as a line smasher.

The past season was Jennings Two of the most promising back first as football coach of the Bayof the line recruits from the "Fish" lor Bears, but he acquitted himself crew should be "Big Un" Rose, 200 well, the Bruins finishing in second

The Mustangs will miss in 1927, Logan Ford, all-conference center, "Babe" Watts, center Woodman. and Wade, hard working fullback, fullbacks, Sprott, tackle and Arnold just as they will miss Cortemeglia, the "Wonderful Wop," Morrison has such a large number of backs from which to choose that he likely will find it easier to replace Cortemeglia and Wade than Ford, who certainly bolstered the Mustang for-

Mustang Formidable Barring injuries, the 1927 Mus- L. L. Franks tang team should be even more for- Lula B. Reid, E! Paso midable than the '26 eleven. In R. P. Price the backfield, Morrison will have Tom Goss Gerald Mann, quarterback and the J. A. Holt and Co. outstanding player of the confer- F. M. Burns ence in '26 who is captain-elect; A. E. Maddin Ross Love who is headed toward J. B. Fermer and Co. .... stardom; Redman Hume, one of the J. A. Picting. best punters of '26, and the best Colorado Bargain House man around the wings the confer- Thes. R. Smith ... ence has seen in several years; Thos J. Coffee Lynch, who would have been a regu- Burt Smith lar in 1926 on any other conference G. A. Bloodworth team; and Knieff who developed Stort Cash Greecry rapidly during the season just Tom Hughes .....

The 1927 forward wall should be W. M. Gordon ... a wonder with "Dog" Dawson, all- Frank Herrington conference performer and Hooks on Huron Dorn the wings; Roach and Brown at 1, H. Gago ... tackle; Daniel and Tatum, line cap- A. Petty, Westbrook tain-elect, at guard. The problem Man. Alice Hunter of the Pony coaches will be to de- T. velop a pivot man worthy of work- C. it. Lasky...

halfbacks who will be missed in Loren and Sona 1927 by Coach John Heisman of the Frank M. Smith Owls. Heisman's eleven had a most dryant Powell .... disappointing season in 1926, but Mr. O. F. Hammond the Owls may be the surprise of the Mrs. II. P. Allmond conference next season. Bill I. S. McCall, Ft. Worth Schroeder is a young back of the John Guitar, Abilene

# Coach Francis Schmidt lost out-

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

This will be a great time for all of us. Every one should be happy, It is the greatest season of the year. We should gelebrate Christmas with GIVEN CEMETERY FUND Fraise and Thanksgiving for a Christ and Savior.

Sunday is the day we should get logether for this. Don't fail to be here for all the

Sunday School at 9:45 and preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 5 p. m.

Prayer Band at 6:45. Special attention given to visi-

W. M. ELLIOTT, Pastor.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45, Classes for

Preaching 10:50. Morning, Xmas Service. Evening hour 7:15, continuing series on marriage tie, "Choosing

CHURCH OF CHRIST

A great day with us last, Lords day, two splendid crowds for preaching. One fine young man made his confession at the evening service and expressed his desires to be baptised at the Topic meeting Wednesday evening.

All the meetings of the church go forward on regular schedule. One more Sunday this year. Let us make it the best. Morning subject: "What Think Ye of Christ," and for the evening, "The Christ of Calvary." We invite your presence. J. D. HARVEY, Minister.

BAPTIST T. E. L. CLASS

The T. E. L. Class had their nenthly business and social meeting in the hospitable home of our new pastor and his wife.

The meeting was opened with a the election of their new officers for the approaching new year. The pass within that period. The West \$10.00 result was; Mrs. James T. Johnson, Texas Chamber of Commerce was 5.00 teacher; Mrs. Clyde Hines, assist-5.00 ant teacher; Mrs. C. E. Way, presi- ment; indeed it was not even the 5.00 dent; Mrs D. W. Morgan, first vice- principal factor. That principal fac- Colorado 1.00 president; Mrs. B. F. Wilson, second tor was the existence in West Texas 5.00 vice-president; Mrs. Minnie Mannet of resources of soil and climate for 5.60 ing, third vice-president; Mrs. J. B. the making of a great agricultural 2.00 Colson, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. and industrial empire. By the same 1.00 Green Delaney, assistant secretary- token, the West Texas Chamber of

2,50 licity chairman. 10.00 Minutes were read and approved tor in the future development of 1.00 Each member was given a check for duce an even greater change than has 5.00 one dollar to invest for one month come to pass in the past nine years. 1.00 and see who could return the most terially great may be the gain taken 1.00 profit from said investment.

A plan to finance the carpeting from them already, have been barely .50 of our T, E. L. class room in the touched. An unlimited reserve store 1.00 new church we hope to build in waits the awakening which human 1.00 1927, was suggested by our very energy and intelligence will call 1.00 efficient president and a number of forth. .50 "squares" were bought throughout 1.00 the afternoon.

1.00 attneded to we were dismissed with Chamber of Commerce has wrough 1.00 grayer by Mrs. Robert Terrell be- tremendously for West Texas. 5.00 fore the social hour.

10.00 which she served sandwiches, fruit There have been other regional chom 1.00 away happy and glad to have had such an ideal host and hostess.

25.00 PREACHER TO SPEAK ON "CHOOSING A HUSBAND"

> Rev. M. M. Beavers, pastor of the Methodist church, announces that he will speak next Sunday evening on too high. That enthusiasm has perthe marriage tie-"Chossing a Hus- sisted throughout the nine years of band" and invites the public to hear the West Texas Chamber of Comthis sermon. At morning hour he merce's existence, being fed regularwill deliver a Christmas sermon.

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

collindid high school building. This as quilt and equipped at an ex-So far this year our commercial ponse of \$160,000. It is complete in department is progressing nicely, every particular and provides ample class room and for the extension of and we expect to do much better surriculum in such subject as home work when we get to the new building. Accuracy and rhythm has been commics manual training and comstressed this year, especially with pericial. Special mention should be made of the comraodious and artis- the beginning classes, and the second-year students are working on in view of the high spirit of the rigis auditorium and the large gymspeed altogether now. We think we roviding in such a way for the edu- will have at least two to enter the to command the whole-hearted suption, entertainment and physical tyepwriting contest in the spring. 6. That further commendation be ing, Mildred Cook, making an avereven for the splendid spirit of coop- age of 53 1-3 words a minute for a since it was forthcoming before a deeration on the part of the teachers period of fifteen minutes of the mand could be made, and students, for the introduction of Standard Underwood tests,

ing of a splendid health program, cration. and for an investment of at least

mentary libraries and \$200 for the apparintendent and other members of but a natural result. the fature. The rainy day spent in That material submitted for Colorado indeed pleasant.



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It is in the summening and in the inspiring of this human energy and 2.50 After the regular business was intelligence that the West Texas

Special conditions made the Wes 1.00 At this time the hostess had an Texas Chamber of Commerce from 10.00 interesting written contest after its incipiency, a unique organilation, 25.00 cake, hot coffee and whipped cream bers of commerce, and other such 2.50 to twenty-two guests. Each went which have served well the ordinary purposes of a business and trade pro 1.00 the honor of benig the first ones motion bureau. But here has been 1.00 to be entertained in their new pass none which was able to look for 1.00 tors home and found them to be ward to a so nearly complete expriment in empire building.

The vital force of enthusiasm was readily forthcoming from those earliest organizers. West Texans are naturally enthusiastic. Knowing the possibilities of their homeland, they correctly estimate that no goal is ly with results. That enthusiasm persists today, and will continue so long as there is work to be done for the promotion of West Texas.

This public co-operation inevitably produced an efficient organization. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been fortunate in finding at its head always efficient administrators, and, this, too, is but nautral ion whihe the organization serves. Another record as made this morn- port of West Texas-indeed has not needed to command the support,

Such a formula could not fail to build a great organization. The public school music, for the launch-, accrediting be given careful consid- West Texas Chamber of Commerce membership of more than 10,000 The supervisor appreciated the making it the largest regional cham-\$500 fo rthe high schoo land ele- many courtesies extended her by the ber of commerce in the country, i

## REA'S RED BALL STAGE LINE

operation with a record of regional 10:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. knew West Texas nine years ago and Direct connections to Lubbock, is acquainted with it today needs Amarillo, Sweetwater, Abilene and nothing more than the evidence of Fort Worth; San Angelo, Stamford, prayer asking God to direct them in his own senses to estimate the enor- Vernon, Wichita Falls-direct to all

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# COUNTIES IN WEST T

Many Wildcats Going Down least of Sweetwater. After First Of Year; Fields Enlarged

STERLING OIL NEWS

western Howard county was extend- Fisher county, 20 miles northeast of ed from a quarter to a half miles late | Sweetwater. in the week when Humble drilled in its No. 1 Douthi fro around 65 is struck at around 1,630 feet. harrels daily. The pay in that area

The well is in section 123, block A 29, Waco & Northwestern Ry Co., survey, not far from the corner of counties .- San Angelo Standeard.

The California Davis No. 2 on section 255, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., five miles northeast of here is drilling in lime around 2750 feet.

Sorrell No. I seventeen miles southeast of here is drilling past 3170 feet,

The Marland Company has several crews of geologists working south of Garden City with a view of locting sites for several new test. These crews are working from 30

to 40 miles west of here in Reagan end Glasscock Counties .- Sterling Sweetwater. City News-Record.

Pipe Line To Well Near Pecos.

Due to the performance of the Allen Well, Lockhart Bros. will clean out and shoot the Wheat Well directly under the black lime, with a light charge as was done before with success in the Allen. The operators believe that they can get a better producer with this action.

W. & N. W. Survey, the Wheat Well Bureau of Economic Geology of the probably be shot next week, with a a small way with the early settle. After a yell was given by the team charge of around thirty or more ments of the state, this development for the Lions and everything had quarts. The well has sprayed an has proceeded slowly and for vac- quieted down, Mr. Cantrill arose average of seven barrels a day for jous resources unevenly. Mineral and gave one of his dignified and the last year, with a good gas pressure steady. It is expected that the production will be increased to a ous minerals as shown in the table He expressed his gratitude to the

Depot at Arno, a distance of about turns are estimated for mineral wa- came the main part of the meeting, four miles. This will soon be com- ter, petroleum, silver and sulphur. the election of captain for the '27 pleted and the oil will be shipped to the Lockhart refinery at El Paso, LOCKHART WELL AT Peccos Enterprise

Many Wildcats North Sweetwater. Creek and with five drilling or pre- north of the producing area in the little hesitation, he arose and, in a paring to drill north of Sweetwater. Chalk field, Howard county, was few words, pledged his services to oil activities in this area were on the given a shot of nitro Monday evening the team. Mike Smith then gave increase this week. Indications that and cleaned out Wednesday after another short talk on the possibilithis town may yet get the main play bridging over. The well was swab- ties of the position that Jahn was from oil developments in the section bing Wednesday afternoon from a elected to. He made apologies for are brighter than ever, when it is sand found at 2,810, the well having not doing his best during the last considered that if any one of the five been plugged back to this sand after season and urged John to fill the wells now rigged up north of here is having gone down to better than place as it should be done. a producer, a big drilling play will 3,200 feet without striking deeper doubtless result and this city will na- sand. No estimate of the production then they adjourned. The eats

expected to start rigging up shortly opment.

after the first of the year .- Nolar County News.

Fisher County

Anderson-Pritchard, on the R. J. Anderson land, now drilling on section 22, block 20, 12 miles north-

Fred Phillips, drilling on block K, section 2 of T.-P. survey, 15 miles north and a little east of Sweetwater.

California company drilling on The Chalk shallow field in south- the Maggenheimer land in block 15,

Marland company, a January contract in section 184, block 3, 18 miles north and a little west of Sweetwater. Marland company, expecting

early completion of a block and Howard, Glasscock and Sterling tion 3, 10 miles north of Sweetcontract in block 22, near or in sec-Hucony Gas company, drilling be-

low 300 feet on the Langford land, in the sw 1-4 of section 7, block 21, about 6 miles north of Sweetwater. Hucony Gas company to be spud-

ded in soon on section 12, block 23, abot 12 miles north of Sweetwater. Hueony Gas company, rigging up on the Hodge land about 20 miles north of Sweetwater.

Dansinger, soon to drill on section 15, block 23, 12 miles northwest of

Zoek, drilling on the R. M. Clay on land, section 2, block C, 12 miles northwest of Sweetwater.

been made on section 1, block 20. the Wolves had this year. After Mr. Cross survey, 15 miles northeast of Stoneroad had given his fine talke,

Texas Mineral Values

per annum, 'the mineral re- In this talk he expressed the thanks sources of Texas are as yet in an and appreciation that the Wolves Located in section 82, block 1, early stage of development, says the had for the Lions Club. now being cleaned out, and will University of Texas. Beginning in production in the state is distributed fiery orations. Mr. Cantrill made a at the present time among the vari- long and very interesting speech. herewith, made up, except where in- citizens of Colorado and his love The Lockhart Allen No. 1 in sec- dicated as estimates, from statistics and friendship for the members of tion 82, block 33, H. & T. C. survey collected in co-operation between the team. He took each one of the is still flowing a head of sixty--five the Bureau of Economic Geology of boys of the first team and expressed barrels every 48 hours, through a the University of Texas, the United the high merits of them. mix inch hole with a total depth of States Bureau of Mines, and the Census Bureau. It is based on the teresting oration on the age of footthe pipe line is now being laid returns for the year 1925 except ball. The boys all declared it to be from the Allen Well to the Santa Fe petroleum which is for 1926. Re- the best part of the program. Then

The Scott No. 1 of Lockhart and Pond for their leader. John was With a fourth well in at Noodle Company in section 86, two miles called on for a speech and after a

turally be the headquarters for any of the well has been made but it were about the best that could be is said it will be a small producer. In addition to the five wells from If this well prove to be a commercial nished music by the Mexican Strong five to 25 miles north, there are over well it will extend the Chalk field Orchestra. The boys all thought it a dezen more tentative lovations in some two miles north and will open was a great affair and all expressed Fisher county. Two other tests are considerabel new territory for devel their thanks to the Lions club.

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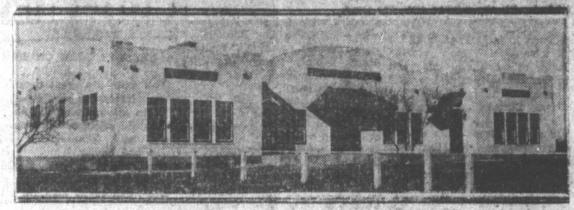
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HOME OF COLORADO COUNTRY CLUB

FOOTBALL BOYS HONORED BY COLLEGE STUDENTS HOME LIONS BANQUET

From The Howl The Wolves were honored Friday the Tech college at Lubbock have evening by the Lions Club at their heturned for the holidays and will the gold medal for excellence of the annual banquet. It was a very interesting program (especially the rado are: Emmett Grantland, Q. D. Philadelphia. Pride, almost as eats). The program began prompt- Sheppard, J. E. McCleary, Prentiss great, may be taken by any citizen, y at 7:30 o'clock. After the team Viles, J. T. Gist, Clippie Bennett, anywhere in the state, for the dishad paraded the streets and livened Samuel Womack, Grace Hunter, Kate tinction belong to all of Texas. up the town a bit the boys and the Bean, Alyne Fowler, Paul Hargrove, Lions filed in and were seated, at Clarence Grable. the tables. The program opened with invocation by Rev. Beavers. Mr. Stoneroad, president of the helidays, are: Lions club, gave the welcome speech. Mr. Stoneroad expressed the appreciation of the citizens of

It is reported that a location has Colorado for the wonderful team Mike Smith, captain of the Wolves of 1926, arose and made a short With an output of \$350,000,000 talk in response to Mr. Stoneroad Mr. Fletcher honored the banque

with two selections upon the piano.

Mr. Mahon gave a long and inteam. Mr. Cantrill passed blanks around to the letter men and after CHALK GIVEN SHOT they had voted he found that the boys had unanimously elected John

- A few more talks were made and prepared and the banquet was fur-

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	DRAMATIC CLUB

The Colorado High School Dramatic Club has the prospects of be-ing one of the best clubs in the mid-the owner of the ranches on which fornia, stories of a Texas civilized versation she remarked: "I hear we dle west, and cannot be otherwise the meeting are held shall at once and, of taking the lead of "back seen are to have the pleasure of if the members follow the plans of pay for same and in the event that home" in so many ways. The gold losing you." their sponsor, Miss Terrell. The he fails to do so, shall be expelled medal should be worth much to Joe Fraser says some European Samuel H. J. Womack, son of Mr. play which that club will put on from this association. some time in January or February, will be announced at a later date. by means of tryouts. The ones se- hospitality and all courtesies shown movie pictures and jokesmitha not- it that way. lected are very capable of making the association during the meeting, withstanding. the best success of the play. The pupils of this school expect to en-

FOR XMAS HOLIDAYS

All of the Colorado students at

Other students away at college,

College of Industrial Arts of Den-McKenney, freshman; Landry Smith, ophomore; Jewell Collier sophomore Smily Dulancy, sophomore; Maxine loot, freshman; Pauline Hargrave, reshman; Gladys Womack, freshnan; Elizabeth Root, freshman,

Simmons University at Abilene lobert Whipkey, junior; Felma Cook general - knowledge. In the great Bishop, freshman; Vernon Logan, reshman; Martin Hines, sophomore; Hara Shoemaker, senior.

Southern Methodist University at Dallas-William Leslie, freshman; 'owell, sophomore; Allie Merrill, gold medal, Ohio had to be content Elsie Lee Major, freshman; Virgie

Texas Christian University ort Worth-Marcelle Price, sophonore; Lois Price, freshman.

McMurry, College at Abilene Jese Stell, junior.

Southwestern University at Georgeown-Edna Mae Powell, freshman, ideas regarding Texas and of giv-

Thomas, senior in medicine. Prude, senior.

Worth-Mary Laylis, freshman.

ore; Beatrice Logan, freshman. o, Ill,-Lynton Gakens, senior, The Art Institute at Chicago-

Blanford Harness, senior. San Marcos Military Academy af an Marcos-Don Wallace.

### COTTON SUIT FOR HORN FROM TECH'S TEXTILE SCHOOL

LUBBOCK, Texas, Dec. 11- President Paul W. Horn of Texas Technological College plans to wear, when he goes to Austin to work for the ratification by the 40th Legislature of the \$1,700,000 appropriation, recommended for the college, a suite made f ocotton raised on the south plans and spun and woven in the Texas Technoligical Coffege textile plant. Ten yards of gray cloth have been already woven by the textile students from cotton grown at Abernathy, near here, and now wait only the scissors and acedles of the tailors to convert Dr. Horn into a walking advertisement,

WOLF HUNTERS PASS COMMENDABLE RESOLUTION

At the meeting of the West Texas Maryneal, resolutoins were passed as follows:

Albert Williams of Ballinger, untainment with this club, and I'm citis at the Colorado sanitarium in here." sure that they will not be disap- first of the week and is rapidly improving.

WEST TEXAS LEADS ALL

Especial pride comes to the West Texas boster in the awarding of be here until January 2nd or 3rd, pgricultural display at the recent Those attending the Tech from Colo- Sesqui-Sentennial exposition held in

The people of Texas have not Josephine Key, Robert Garner and been backward in asserting their claims to superiority in agriculture as well as in most every other prodnost of whom will be home for the uet of soil and including the wealth of yields of the under regions. Statistics have borne out the claims in ton-Laura Louis Pearson, fresh- so many matter to the jusso many instances that they have tice of what they boastingly would assert with regard to their state.

> Comparatively few of the citizenship of the country got to see the actual displays but the many mediums of news purveying carried the tidingss over the land.

Along the line of correcting false Abilene Christian College-Jack ing surprised shock to citizens from other sections of the union the Galveston Medical School-Max Bankhead highway bests the Philadelphia show buildings. Thousands Sewance in Tennessee - John of automobiles from north, east and central western part of the country Baylor Medical at Dallas-Vivian plan their summer or winter vaca-Austin College at Sherman-Bill California as final destination. They Texas A. & M. at College Station come with preconceived ideas of Richard Pearson, senior; Elmo moving picture heroes and expect to the first of the see "truly western" people, cattle

Texas Woman's College at Fort and other ideals of our state, such ideals as were in great exaggeration Oklahoma University at Norman, formed long ago when Texas really garage because her rear auto light Oklahoma-Raymond Jones, sopho- was a cow country and the scene of operations of pioneer characters. Northwestern University at Chica- The cars of tourists, with their occupants often rigged out in cos tumes deemed to be in harmony with those worn by the people of the torical rather than hysterical whencountry through which they expect ever he stayed at the club, probably to pass, are woefully disappointed when they do not see the six-shooter cowboys, the herds of cattle, primitive buildings and the many other mare last week in which he dreamedcharacteristics of the screened por- he was lost in the Saraha, dying of dark crimes and heroic deeds of the with mountains of peanut butter Texas frontier. They are disap-sandwiches. pointed when they drive day after Tom Goss, Jr., had been cutting day through communities which fur- up and his mother exclaimed wearinish them with paved roadways, and ly, "Why can't you be a good boy?" they can hardly believe that the and T. J. said: "Well mother, I'll well built cities and towns with their be good for a nickle. Mrs. Goss inhabitants dressed like the folks said: "For shame, you ought to be back home are real. The only touch like your father, good for nothing." of "roughing it" is when at first H. Ogiens, talking to his son Sam: they "cam," if that word may be "Why don't you get out and get a descriptive of the eastern copy of fine job? When I was your age I what they imagine the "out in the was working in a store for \$3 a open" means. Their outfits and week and at the end of five-years i their comforts and canned foods are owned the store." Sam replied: far removed from what they are "You can't do that now days," they trying to imitate, and most of the have cash registers." visitors soon get enough of putting John Tom Merritt rushed into the on all the show themselves. West house and said: "Mother, the ther-Texas hotels cannot accommodate mometer has dropped." Mrs. Mer-Wolf- Hunters association held last the hordes of travelers who started rita "Very much?" John Tom (with week at the Maddox ranch near in to "rough it" through to Califor- guilty look) "About five feet, it's

for school to be out."

Statistics are dry, reading, however, and are not impressive to the multitude and it has taken something more understandable to bring the true situation to anything like national exposition, with many states contending for superiority in their exhibits, there was actual eyesightsight view of Texas agricultural products, alongside the exhibits from other states. Texas won the in for third prize.

A resolution was passed as fol. The exposition in its way gave many on himself: Before he left Canyon a better understanding of what he called on a member of his church. Any member of this association in Texas is and the tourists carry back Little Mary had been taught polite-

Mrs. Cantrill: "Dimples you playing so rough." joy many pleasant hor of enter- derwent an operation for appendi- haven't worked a bit since I've been

Mr. Washtub he never

It doesn't do much good to work for Mr. Washtub. Everything you've done for him last week has to be done all over again. And he has never yet been known to pay his workers.

The best way to handle Mr. Washtub's work is to let our Rough Dry Service take care of it. Everything is washed, the flat work ironed and the wearing clothes ready to be ironed.

Then too, you can't afford to neglect your Christmas gifts to help Mr. Washtub. The cost is very low for a service that frees you from so much of your washday work.

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Colorado Laundry



The young lady who ask for a to be a million years old, was lost pint of red oil at the J. L. Pidgeon had gone out was quite peeved when the man at the service station laugh-

Millard Smith says the husband who insisted his wife become hishad heard considerable of his past history from his better half. .

John Pond says he had a nighttrayals of novels' scenic settings of thirst and completely surrounded

broken. All these things are to be desired. Rev. M. M. Beavers tells this one

Dr. Root says he wants a law Spanish club, "La Capa y Spada,"

Dimp: "I know it, I am waiting year with a champion football team. He is a freshman, having graduated

friends is to listen to their troubles and keep still about your own. J. W. Gross says maybe that tooth

they found in Montana and thought by some f low while he was sitting around waiting for farm relief. "Isn't it wonderful how a baby

brightens up a household," remarked fellow to J. A. Sadler the other day, "It sure is,," J. A. replied, "We keep the lights burning nearly all night now.

THE NEW YEAR January, January, The New Year is here, Of the old last year.

What are you going to do? It will not always be new; Will you not take it and use day? This glad New Year. Don't say nay

Will you let it pass idly away? 1927, our brand New Year. For it has only a year to stay, You must make use of it today. For its another year of sunshine, Its another of happiness Its another year for work and play, Another year of Thankfulness.

Sorrow is hiding around somewhere, But please don't try to find him, And I'm sure you neither do. I'll just look for happiness, Is that the way with you? (Composed by Travis Elizabeth Donald, 6th grade pupil in Colorado

LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD IN WORK AT TEXAS TOCH

The Record has received munication from the Texas nological college at Lubbock in which Texas in backing satisfical demon- papers declare that Americans act and Mrs. H. D. Womack of Colorado, A resolution was also passed ex- stration of what Texas is and leaven as though they had fought the war is highly praised for his work at pressing high appreciation to J. P. of personal touch with West Texas alone. He says no, but it begins to the school. Samuel is reporter and The cast has already been selected Maddox and other fanchme nfor their particularly is going to spread, look like we might have to pay for active chairman of the Colorado Club at the Tech, is a member of the passed to stop young mules from member of the staff of "La Ventana" and a contributor to "The Prairie Rube Morgan says the negro Fire" and is active in basketball and school is liable to break loose next track, Y. M. C. A. and DeMolay work. Rube ought to know, he's the "ne- from Colorado high school last year.

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HE peace of Christmas time is all over the land, the blessed, holy peace that the angels first sang over the far-off hills of Judea and which has echoed and re-echoed with added strength through each succeeding year.

EACE on earth to men of good will." This is the secret of the peace that comes at Christmas time, for true and abiding peace can come only to men of good will, it can dwell in the heart only when all that is opposed to it has been driven out. And so it is that at this season, when man is at his very best, when his heart is filled deep with the spirit of love and service, of giving and doing, when everything of doubt and fear, of hatred and mistrust, of envy and malice, is cast out of his heart, this blessed and holy peace enters in and he knows a happiness so deep and sincere that it floods all his being, like sunshine flooding a darkened landscape.

EACE—the word itself has a beautiful sound, a sweet cadence that delights the ear. It was a word that the Christ child used often when He grew to man's estate. Once He told His disciples: "Into whatsoever house you enter, say peace be to this house." What a wonderful salutation and how sweet it must have sounded falling from His lips!

ET us away with strife at this season. Now is the time to speak kindly words. Let us not carry into the new year the enmities of the old. Let not the harsh notes of contention come into the heavenly song of peace. Christ came to give peace, and from heaven's throne today He bends to give peace to all who trust Him.

O have peace within the heart and home is to enjoy sincere and genuine happiness. Without it no joy can be really satisfying, no pleasure or gain worth while. With peace lacking there is always unrest in the soul, always an unsatisfied yearning no matter what else one may possess.

ODAY, when the earth is wrap ped in this beautiful mantle of peace, When it is enfolding the world and binding men and women more closely in a brotherhood of love and service, when its influence is filling all hearts and leading them to ways of happiness, let each one of us pray and hope that this beautiful spirit of peace shall endure long after the Christmas time is past and gone.

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COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Dec

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Nov. 1 1925. The record made is

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National Egg Laying Contest this

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Prof. and Mrs. A. R. Jarrett of

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LOCAL SHOE SHOPS

The total of 1443 eggs repre-

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Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Colorado, Texas. My dear Monte:

your know, some "impossible" burial. stretches in this section after rains. These inquirers seem to be somewhat relieved when we assure them that Callahan, Taylor and Nolan counties are now paving. If you can get behind a paving program in Mitchell county and so organize it as to put it over you will serve well trice Teaff. your community and this section of West Texas, Unless this is done Porter, north and south parallel highways will be opened and we will loose much of the traffic that would otherwise proceed along the Bankhead. Cordially yours,

> ABILENE C. OF C. By T. N. Carswell.

COBBLESTONE FILLING STATION CHANGES HANDS

C. C. Prude, who opened the Cobblestone Filling station, corner f Third and Walnut streets, sevral months ago, under lease from Brown, the owner, has sold out Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett and her brother John Prude, and the purchasers announce they will continue to operate the station. John Prude has been in school at the University of the South at Sewance, Tennessee, and will probably return there for the spring term. but Mrs. Bennett will manage the station with com-

E. R. Smith left today for Andrews to spend Christmas with his z 1-2 lot 10 in block 4, Colorado,

of the public patronage.

## W. I. STEWART DIED

Communications from various died at a local sanitarium Wednes- plan since the inauguration of the production og eggs fro ma pen of five automobile clubs over the United day afternoon and was buried at idea in 1924, according to an an-States indicate an unusual interest Lone Wolf Thursday afternoon, nouncement today by the Chevrolet in the stretch of highway from the Mr. Stewart died of stranglation Motor Company. Wide-spread States which ended recently, the east line of Callahan county to the hernia. Jones, Russell & Co., un- popularity of the plan is accounted Texas National Egg Laying Contest, Howard county line. There is as dertakers, prepared the remains for for in the money saving features of conducted by the Poultry Husbandry

## COURT HOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses Hobart Smallwood and Miss Lona

Quintin Lara and Tosepuda Lu-

jan (Mex.) Mack Foster and Mrs. Beatrice

Lester Biggs and Miss Myrtle

Cecil Hall and Miss Mary Walker. T. W. Moore and Miss Emmie Hickman.

Transfers In Real Estate J. J. McLure and wife to Farmers

Colorado. Consideration \$100. Mrs. Laura T. Hileman and wife to M. L. Watson, 4 acres out of has made arrangements with nearly section 43, block 26, T. & P. Ry. Co. 4,000 dealers whereby the certifi-

Consideration \$1,500. Earl Morrison and wife to Santiago E. Lujan, lot 5, block 5, Early accessories, in addition to the six Morrison first addition to West per cent interest on the money, in-Colorado. Consideration \$65.00.

J. S. McKenney at ux to R. E. Each succeeding month is show-Basham, lots 10, 11 and 12, block ing a measureable increase in the 12, Westbrook, Consideration \$100, enrollment of certificate holders, R. E. Basham to Elizabeth Bash- the company reports, with every petent help and asks for a portion am, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 12, prospect indicating a record sale of Westbrook, Consideration \$1.00. [certificates in 1927. Helen Harris to G. W. Womack.

Consideration \$1,250.00

## 40 MOTORISTS TAKE ADVAN-

TAGE CHEVROLET PLAN More than 40,000 motorists have W. L. Stewart, age 73 years, taken advantage of the Chevrolet whose home was north of Loraine, six per cent Purchase Certificate the arrangement and that through Department of the A. & M. College this means it is easy for anyone to of Texas, has hung up another blue accumulate the down payment on a

The plan was developed and copyrighted by the Chevrolet Motor Company as a result of a survey which Everett Henderson and Miss La- showed that the average motorist drives his car three years and pays Omer Saunders and Miss Bessie for it in the first year. It was found that during the entire time the car is being operated the purchaser usually makes no provision whatever for buying his next car.

Through this plan, the Chevrolet company has made it possible for the purchaser to accumulate the down payment on a car without difficulty, to enjoy the advantages of buying for cash and to save six per cent on the money invested in certificates. It also enables the motor-Gin Company, Lot 7 in Block 30, before his old one is turned in, thereby reducing his later payments.

The Chevrolet Motor Company cate holder gains a credit of six per

## MAGNOLIA HAS SIX **NEW LOGATIONS IN** LOCAL DIL FIELDS

Production Chalk Field Is Increased; Foster No. 2 Looks Good

Development in the Westbrook nd Chalk oil fields continues to inrease and the production at Otisshalk has materially increased in

Lockhart & Company have rought in a new well at their Scott No. 1, in section 86, which looks good for fifty barrels.

Magnolia Petroleum ave six new locations at Chalk and New latan, and are carrying on considerable program of expansion. The locations are owen-Sloan Nos. 5 and 7, G. O. Chalk Nos. 5 and 6 and Mary Chalk No. 3. This company's G. O. Chalk No. 4 is drilling n for a good producer. Their Hyman-Chalk No. 1 is to be shot at 1164 to 1177 and is showing for a producer form that shallow sand. Drilling wells of Magnolia are as ollows: Owen-Sloan Chalk No. 6 drilling at 900 feet, Mary Chalk No. is drilling at 900 feet, Mary Foster No. 2 drilling at 2,900 feet, No. 3 at 1640 feet and No. 4 drilling at

Production report made by Magcolia Petroleum company is as fol-

G. O. Chalk No. 1, 55 barrels; No. 2, 50 barrels; No. 3, 74 barrels; No. drilling in; Owen-Sloan Chalk No. 1, 20 barrels; No. 2, 30 barrels; No. 3, 65 barrels; No. 4, 67 barrels; Mary Chalk No. 1, 42 barrels and Mary Foster, at New Iatan, 31

### COUNTRY CLUB THRIVING

The secretary of the Colorado Country Club reports that the treatury of the club should thrive on the ruest fees paid by members of the club. It is believed however that during the past few weeks the large number of guests at the club house each evening is partially due a general misunderstanding or lack of knowledge of the rules of the club both on the part of members and project with reservoir located, on

The informal intertainments or visits at the club house of evening calls for the payment of a \$1.00 fee tory here producing 70,000 bottles per person for each guest. The daily. cretary believes that some of the ALPINE—Central Power ocal citizens who have recently visited the club premises and registered on plant improvements. bers do not realize that the end of the month will call for the regular guest fee from the member for each

### TEXAS WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

HASKELL-Work started, on construction of sewage disposal plant. KERRVILLE-Insecticide factory established here by Furman Com-

JACKSBORO-Antelope Highway peing hard-surfaced.

LEVELLAND \$75,000 civic

provement bond issue to be voted on, LAREDO-Several residences beng built in Laredo.

MEADOW-Carload broom corn shipped fro mhere recently. LEREDO-Travelers Hotel, corner Result of the contest, announced Flores and Grant, being razed, to by D. H. Reid, head of the Poultry

make way for modern 12-story Aztee

Husbandry Department of the Col- Hotel. lege, shows a score of 1443 eggs for AMARILLO-New electric trans the five hens mring 365 days. The mission line of Southwestern Public hens making this record single comb Service Company, between Amarillo White Leghorns, are owned by L. C. and Pampa, nearly completed. Beall, Jr., of Vashon, Washington

LAREDO-31 carloads vegetables shipped from this district, via L.G. N. Railway, so far this season.

horn breeder. The contest began EL PASO-Erection of 12-story building to house teachers' offices, record ever made in the United

IRVING-Texas Power and Light Company to extend service to suburnan districts. CISCO-Construction started, on

new building for Mize and Sons' · ALVIN-M. G. Clymer Company

year, shows an average for each of to construct new fig preserving plant. the five hens of 288.6 eggs over the SAN ANTONIO-Seven additional locations made in vicinity of Alworth Bros., well which came in recently, 20,000,000-foot gusser, in Jim Hogg ARE CONSOLIDATED County pool. The City Shoe Shop which has

GAINESVILLE-6-inch casing be ing run in Abernathy well on Jim Jordan buildings on Second street, Dayton farm 8 miles south of here. NACOGDOCHOS-Warren D. Ambrose to establish 12,000-egg hatchery here.

PORT ARTHUR-Sixteenth Street, from Beaument Road to Temple, Okla., will arrive here Friday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Houston Avenue; being hard-surfac-

Mrs. Dick Gray. Mrs. Jarrett is a ed. sister of Mrs. Gray, and Prof. Jar- Brownsville and Mexico Railroad to Carbon paper all size sheets at rett is superintendent of the public build 18-mile new line from Raymondsville to points in Willacy coun-

ty. Project will cost \$441,578. PORT ARTHUR-Building permits issued during November, totaled

FARWELL-1600 head of calvey

several months, resumes operation. live stock shipped from here, in one first of January we will discontinue

ALPINE -Streets to be marked and houses numbered. Better light- country trade and want to continue ing facilities planned for residence selling you what you need, but we

campaign here. \* MT. PLEASANT-Erection

\$100,000 hotel planned. HENDERSON-Blackberry ficient acreage can be signed up,

for their grapefruit. MCALLEN-Louis Addition placed o nthe market.

on new Eastland High School athletic same time it will save us from seri-

system, and gas will soon be supplied prosperous and happy New Year,

ompany, Parkersburg, W. Va.

HEREFORD-New equipment be ng installed by telephone company.

ine through Wheeler County, CHILDRESS-100 new street

FABENS-Local onion growers NORHEIM-New fire-fighting ap-

paratus purchased by fire depart-WILSON-Rural Route No. 3 ex

toniled. ELETRA-Organization formed, to promote development of irrigation Peace River, 10 miles north of

Crowell. THREE RIVER-New glass fac-

Light Company will spend \$11,000

### MOTHER AND INFANT BURIED IN SAME GRAVE

Mrs. Mattie Haughton, age 20, and her infant were buried in the same grave at the Dunn cemetery Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Haughto died Wednesday morning follow-Tuesday, The deceased lived in Colorado on Oak street north of the

Joe Earnest, attorney, son of Judge and Mrs. C. H. Earnest who has been taking a post-graduate course at the University of the South, Sewance, Tennessee, arrived a truck! home Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays.

### OIL COMPANIES DISCONTINUES ALL COUNTRY DELIVERIES

To Country Oil and Gas Consu We, the undersigned, sales agents shipped from here, one recent day, representing the oil companies who SPEARMAN-Municipal light and have distributing agencies in Colo ower plant sold to Inland Utilities rado, announce to the general public that we are forced to discontinuo TYLER-Iron mines of enstern the practice of delivering oil prod-Texas may be developed by New ucts to country trade except tractor owners in five barrol lots only, ow-FARWELL-Texico Mill, idle for ing to the fact that these deliveries have been a constant drain of ex-SIERRA BLANCA-22 carloads pense to us, and beginning with the these deliveries altogether.

We appreciate the business of our have found that we lose money on ALPINE .- Shipment of trees re- every delivery we make to the counceived, to be used in tree planting try, and of course no sensible man could expect us to loop this up. We thank the public in general for the patronage accorded us during the past years, and hope to be of serving factory to be built provided suf- ice to you in future, but we ask that you drive in and get what all prod-SAN JUAN-Citrus growers of acts you need, inasmuelland Valley, receiving satisfactory price be unable to continue delivering the products to you. Since a majority of the rural residents are in town every week anyway, we believe this will EASTLAND-Work soon to start, work no hardship on you, and at the ous losses in delivering charges.

MEMPHIS-Construction under We take this opportunity to wish vay here, on natural was distribution you a very merry Christmas and a May 1927 be the best year in the history of Mitchell county especially onstruction for Acme Fishing Tool for the farmers of this county. If you have made no money this year WHITEFACE-New hotel being you have done your best and we are with you and believe you will make money in the years to come.

We will continue to deliver EL PASO-Annual convention of filling stations as usual and to Ascociated Advertising Clubs for tractor owners where they buy in Tenth District, will be held here in five-barrel lots, but smaller purchases cannot be delivered, WHEELER-Panhandle Power & though we would like so very much Light Company to erect high-power to accommodate our customers, but the loss on delivery is too great,

Again thanking the public for lights installed in residence district. their business, and assuring you we appreciate past patronage, and hope for a continuation of your good will

> GULF REFINING CO. J. A. Sadler, Agent. THE TEXAS CO., J. Brown, Agent. SIMMS OIL CO., J. H. Workman, Agent. PIERCE OIL CORPORA T. J. Smith, Agent. CONTINENTAL OIL CO. S. B. Vaught, Agent. MAGNOLIA PETRO. CO., R. E. Beal, Agent

### CITY INSTALLS LARGE SIRENE FOR FIRE DEPT

A large double action fire sireng has been installed on top of the city hall for use of the fire department for fire alarms. The machine is one of the latest and best sirenes made, weighs near 500 pounds and ing the birth of the still-born infant takes a 5-horse power motor to pull It was tried out Wednesday afternoon and found to be very satisfactory. It can be heard for long

> . So Inconsiderate Voice Over Wire-"Madame, your husband has bene run over by

"Good Heavens! On the afternoon of my bridge party!"-Collier's.

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**New Shipment of EVENING FROCKS** Come and Look Them Over

Clorado Bargain House

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# With Every Good Wish For Your Happiness This Christmas

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We wish to thank all our friends and customers

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All Ladies' Coats at actual cost

Be sure to see the "Queen Marie"

Jimmie Ferguson had his tonsils

Auto tops and side curtains made

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty

and repaired. Frank Herrington.

gallon lots or less .- J. A. Sadler.

Mrs. Donald Sivalls of Cisco,

\$1555 fully equipped-Delivered-

save money. A. J. Herrington.

was in Colorado Tuesday.

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oney on groceries.

sentence of 99 years.

Frank Herrington.

vases, consoles, bowls, etc.

to Ft. Worth last week.

\$1555 fully equipped Delivered -

See cur display at show room and

Gilbert Quinney, of Westbrook,

eave Friday for Gatesville where

ney will spend the Christmas holi-

More good office positions than we

visiting the home folks for Christ-

Hudson Four-Door

grip the first of the week.

nat at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Mrs. B. F. Mills.

R. H. Barber

# C. M. ADAMS



Root came in Saturday from C. I. A.

Newest in sheet music-Elste Lutzenheim, "What's the use of Crying'-Colorado Music Co.

PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO KEROSENE. Prompt Deliveries.

work and parts will be strictly each, saving, A. J. HERRINGTON.

from Dallas, where he wen't on visit to their son, Jess Pidgeon, and

If interested in a business career, write for Catalog C and Holiday, L. Does' Phermacy, Draughon's College, Abilene,

Coats, dresses, millinery, hosiery, underwear, and all sorts of ladien morning from C. l. A. goods at Mrs. B. F. Mile, and all reasoably priced too.

Mrs. Harry Hyman left the first Co. of the week for San Antonio, where she will spend the holidays with her

Winter is here. Get us to repair your auto top and side curtains, L. Desc' Pharmacy, Frank Herrington.

Always the newest things in Milliery at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Mrs. Lula Mag Charlton is here or the holidays with her sister. Mrs. R. H. Looney. She will return to Chicago after January 1st, and rado Music Co. resume her similes of plano and

1/o hard times for office help. Big demarkt. Write for Catalog C; and Holiday rates. Draughon's College, Abliene, Texas.

Changest merchandise in town a

All the new shades in Country Club Hoslery at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Fry the "M" System Grocery one On and after December 15th, all time. You will be surprised at the removed last Saturday and has been suffering greatly since.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon of Jack Carter returned Saturday Mancey, Ind., came this week on a tifeir daughter, Mrs. W. M. Bandy.

Beautiful artificial flowers. Jao

Bon't forgot Mrz. B. F. Mills when loing your Muan shopping. Miss Lillian Pond arrived Sunday

Get Irving Berlin's newest, "Just PRICE BROS.

Phone R. B. Terrell for your Plumbing troubles.

Resulted artificial flowers. Jno.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter left before buying. A. J. Herrington. Mes. Donald Sivalla of Cisco is fifty of the week ice Waco where here to spend the holidays with her they will spend the Christmas holiparents, Judge and Mrs., C. H. Eurn- days. Hunter is head saleman at the \*Micks Robber company store here.

# A NICE LINE OF NEEDLEWORK NOW ON DISPLAY AT

FRANK HERRINGTON'S SHOE SHOP

Come in and see this display before you do your Christmas Shopping

The Season of glad making wishes is

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year-

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Phone 251

Stop at the Riverside Station where service that you will appreciate can be had twenty-four hours daily handled by all leading garages. throughout the ginning season "Service that Smiles at Trials."-

Windmilis and Windmill repairs at R. B. Terrell.

Mrs. John Hurd and Miss Fran ces Payne of Post, came down Sunday for Mrs. S. T. Shropshire, who will spend Christmas up there.

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less .- J. A. Sadler.

Get your Xmas hat at Mrs. B. F.

Mrs. B. F. Mills has the original nodel presented to Queen Marie during her recent visit in St. Louis. Also many other exclusive models to see them.

Dudley Arnett of Lamesa, spent Friday in Colorado with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Ar-

We are asking that eveyone owing B. F. Mills. us come in at once and settle their NOTES or ACCOUNTS as we have Herrington.

Miss Norma Ferguson of Mission CHRISTMAS MONEY-boys make the guest of Miss Eleanor Thomsome Christmas money by bringing clean cotton rags to the Record of-A Gypsy Portable Phonograph will fice. We buy them. make a ideal Christmas gift.-Colo-

G. D. Heath, secretary of the Mitchell County Mutual Insurance as sociation, and his daughter, Miss tion and will save for you. Try us Mable Ruth, left Tuesday for San Saba where they will spend the holidays with Mr. Heath's sister, Mrs W. G. Kolb. Heath came to Colorado mie Ferguson were both sick with about six months ago and organized the local insurance association and since that time he has written about 500 policies, and the association has had only one loss which was for brok- Frank Herrington. en leg suffered by D. V. Nanney when he was held up recently and shot by a hi-jacker.

> New Wall Paper at W. L. Doss'. Phone R. B. Terrell for your lumbing troubies.

First class shoe repairing while ou wait. Frank Herrington.

Call me for good Coal Off in fift, alion lots or less .- J. A. Sadler,

According to Dr. T. J. Ratliff, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Henderson, living outhwest of town, are the proud \$1555 Brougham Reduced to parents of a bouncing boy, born Monday, Dec. 20th.

> Latest fiction-let us order your favorite book) Magazine subscrip tions taken for Xmas gifts. Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Auto tops and side curtains made and repaired. Frank Herrington.

We have some 25 and 26 mode. Miss Fay Hubbard of Dallas will ord used cars at a low price see us pend the Christmas holidays with early. her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Hub-Advertise in the Colorado Re-

New silk and metalic hats coming . Mrs. B. F. Mills. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Connell will Windmills and Windmill repairs

> at R. B. Terrell. First class shoe repairing while you wait. Frank Herrington.

can fill. Write for Catalog C and Holiday rates. Draughon's College, Miss Frances McMurray came nome Friday for the Christmas Dr. Maxwell Thomas of Galveston. on of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas PHONE 323 FOR TEXACO

is home for the Christmas holidays. KEROSENE. Prompt deliveries. Hard times are on us. Don't for-Big Shipment of all the latest and get the "M" System will save you newest designs in Wall Paper at W.

\$1245 HUDSON COACH Misses Elsie Lee Majors and Virgie Powell came home Wednesday ly equipped - Delivered - PRICE from S. M. U. for the holidays.

THE ESSEX COACH Sheriff I. W. Terry was in Pecos Reduced to \$820, fullast week as a witness in a case in ly equipped - Delivered - PRICE court in which a former resident of BROS.

Colorado was given a petitentiery See the beautiful tine of Christmas cards at the Record office.

Winter is here. Get us to repair your auto top and side curtains.

Go to Jno. L. Doss' for imported mas holidays. Latest fiction-let us order your Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sadler went favorite book. Magazine subscrip-

Doss' Pharmacy. Hudson Four-Door \$1555 Hudson Four-Door Brougham Reduced to First class Plumbing and Plumbng repair work at R. B. Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones, Jr., left PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO Thursday for Stephenville, where at Record office in beautiful Santa KEROSENE. Prompt Deliveries, they will spend the holidays with Claus boxes. Best Christmas gift Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. you can make. Sold on terms. Dr. G. W. Hubbard reports the ar- Little,

Dorn community, born on Saturday, you wait. Frank Herrington.

HUDSON COACH Big Shipment of all the latest and \$1245 Reduced to \$1245 fulnewest designs in Wall Paper at W. ly equipped - Delivered - PRICE

There is higher priced Auto Oil

Perfumizers, Perfumes-full line toiletries. Jao. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Big Shipment of all the latest and newest designs in Wall Paper at W

Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy have their holiday line now on display0 Buy

Mr. Douglas Ferguson of Dallas, here to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. MsCall Merritt.

Perfuizers, Perfumes-full line toiletriesQ Jno0 L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Thos. R. Smith and family will spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. in faille and metalic hats. Don't fail B. R. Russell at San Saba. Mrs. Smith and the baby are already there and Thomas R. will go down Friday.

> Perfumizers, Perfumes-full line toiletries. Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy. New Felts in pastel shades at Mrs.

Miss Mable Smith, who is a techobligations to meet and will thank er in Baylor College at Belton was you to attend to this at once. A. J. in Colorado Saturday enroute to El Paso to spend the holidays.

> First class Plumbing and Plumb ing repair work at R. B. Terrell. Mrs. Biggerstaff and daughter are here from Childress for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lee. WE have a few reconditioned Used

Mrs. John Arnett of Littlefield, is visiting her eister, Mrs. D. H

Cars at a low price. A. J. Herring-

Winter is here. Get us to repair rour auto top and side curtains.

Mrs. R. J. Wallace and Mrs. J. J. Pidgeon shopped in Ean Angelo

A. J. Herrington.

Miss Caroline Chambers of Abi lene, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. H. Looney.

New Wall Paper at W. L. Doss'. John McCleary is home from Tech for the Christmas season.

Beautiful artificial flowers. Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Auto tops and side curtains made our noble women are now bearing. and repaired. Frank Herrington. Miss Emily Dulaney is home from

C. I. A. for the holidays. Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy have their

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Earnest, Mrs. Boynton and Miss Ruth Boynton are spending Christmas in Mineral

Wells. New Wali Paper at W. L. Doss'.

Sol Robinson and family will move to their farm, the old George Root place five miles south of Colorado, about the first of January.

Remington Portable Typewriters holidays. She will attend institute, at Record office in beautiful Santa Claus boxes. Best Christmas gift you can make. Sold on terms.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr., will leave Friday for Lampassas, where they will spend Christmas with Mrs. Doss' family, the Martins.

Latest fiction-let us order your favorite books Magazine subscriptions taken for Xmas gifts. Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Ray Camp, publicity manager o the Texas State Teachers' association, was in Colorado Tuesday to attend the institute and on other busi-

Misses Evyln Reed and Clipple S820 THE ESSEX COACH Reduced to \$820, fulweek from Lubbock, for the Christ- ly equipped - Delivered - PRICE

Earl Hammond, shop foreman at the A. J. Herrington Ford agency, tions taken for Xmas gifts0 Jno. L. came in from Fort Worth first of the week. He had been in Ft. Worth on business and visiting and reports the "gateway to the west" on the boon now and growing rapidly.

rivals of a fine boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Daughtrey of the Dorn community, born on Saturday, you wait. Frank Herrington.

D. W. Stallworth, principal of the Big Spring junior high school, who was here this week to attend the teachers institute, visited with W. S.

Go to Jno. L. Doss' for imported vases, consoles, bowls, etc.

To Greet you at Christmastide and wish you Joy in the New Year

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Alcove Drug Co.

J. M. Doss

J. F. Merritt

Two couples from rural communi-

ried at the Baptist parsonage by the

pastor, Rev. D. W. Morgan, Wednes-

day evening. Cecil Hall and Miss

May Walker were united in mar-

fiage with the blessings of the pas-

tor, as was T. W. Moore and Miss

Emmie Hickman. Both young cou-

ples have the best wishes of many

For Sale Or Trade

Two excellent Fordson

Traciors, sell at real bear

gain, or trade for light

car. Give or take differ-

ence. Sell on terms.

Don't miss this bargain.

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Chrysler Distributors

Mrs. Monte E. Owen will spend TWO COUPLES MARRIED Chritsmas with relatives at Waco. HERE WEDNESDAY EVENING

R. W. Stephenson was a patient at the Colorado sanitarium this ties of Mitchell county, were marweek suffering from hernia.

U. D. C. DINNER Dear Mr. Editor:

columns to make mention of another grand occasion that's past into history, namely, the annual dinner served by the United Daughters of the Confederacy, to the soldiers of the South. To this occasion it was SEE our Used Cars before you buy. my pleasure to be honored with an invitation. I speak of this as a great occasion. Why, first because we get a good dinner served by precious ones filled with a spirit of patriotism and above all, they are representing as noble a cause as our veterans fought for and as I see i everyone living in the South ought to give aid. For it yet remains for the true history of the South to be written, which will come through the efforts of the sons and daugh-Miss Laura Louise Pearson is ters of the Confederacy. Wake up home from C. I. A. for the holidays. sons, grandsons and great grand-

E. M. McCRELESS. Bill Me .: "Sis, can I hang up on of your stockings Christmas?" Sis.: "Why what on earth do you holiday line now on display. Buy want to hang one of mine up for?" Bill Mc .: "So's I can see what

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