LIVINGSTON, Tex., Dec. 27.

Joe Zimmerman, 49, tenant

day on a charge of murder in

connection with a dynamite ex-

plosion a week ago Friday which

started a fire in his kitchen

stove. Officers express the be-

lief that dynamite was placed

Zimmerman would make no

Nettles is survived by his widow

Zimmerman's wife, daughter,

nd son-in-law live in Nettles'

ide in Port Arthur.

either in the stove or in the

Mother Poisons Self And Two Sick Sons

(By Associated Press) TAYLOR, Tex., Dec. 27.—De- Announce Revised spondent over the illness of her two sons, Mrs. Fritz Heise, 61, a widow, administered fatal poison to Fritz, 26, and Rudolph, 23, then ended her own life with a similar dose today.

deed was a note the mother bodying all changes and new in less than a year 20,000 busisigned, saying, "I'm tired of this rules since 1913, were an- ness men, stenographers and life of pain."

Adolph Heise, surviving son, clerk of the court. found the three bodies upon re- Connelly said the rules, together turning to the Heise farm home with practice for all Texas civil equivalent of 4,000 horses to put near here early this morning.

FORM NEW UNION

(By Associated Press) WHARTON, Texas, Dec. 27. The White Man's Union Association, political organization of Wharton county, has passed a resolution excluding from its primaries all Mexican voters save those of full Spanish blood.

MEXICAN ARMY IS BUILDING RESERVATION

can army is constructing in City, February 1, 1931. Nuevo Laredo one of the largest military reservation in the Mexi- DEPRESSION NOT FELT can republic. It practically fronts on the Rio Grande. The Mexican military camp and garrison can be plainly seen from Fort Mc-Intosh, the United States army

military camp just west of Nuevo pendent circumstances, according Laredo was constructed. Work is now in progress on 14 barracks buildings, six of which are almost ready for occupancy. The new into practice, a large per cent of barracks cost 275,000 pesos.

Harvest Before Jail

BELFAST, Dec. 27 .- (AP)-Harvesting the homely "spud" comes before all else in Ireland. In sentencing Charles Grant to prison for possession of "moonshine," Louis Walsh, magistrate at Burngo home and dig his potato crop before beginning his term.

Be wise and advertise.

Lions' New Year Banquet Arranged

pleted Friday afternoon for the Egg shipments totaled approxistaging of the annual Lions' ban- mately 75 car loads. quet here on New Year's eve. tainment by the club where the than any one of the other 92 old year is watched out and the elements. new year in has been one of the outstanding social meetings Winters Women

This year the annual banquet and party will be held at the Ballinger Country club on Wednesday evening starting at 8 o- Miss Rachel Barnett, of Winturkey banquet will be the first sister were struck by an automo- army, for twenty-five years one had been made of all sales by uncle and stepthing on the program. Later in bile. The women were crossing of the most colorful members of schools and local workers. the night coffee will be served a street on their way to attend the film colony, died today. til after midnight when the real in front of the church when hit of Texas. celebration will be staged.

after arranging the tables and women to the hospital.

ing stated that they would expect treatment. outside the club will please no- at night.

ment of the guests and members, ago.

Rules for Court

(By Associated Press) The only reason given for the for the Texas supreme court, em- two acres of Manhattan rock and

during the ensuing year.

American-Mexican **Commission to Meet**

(By Associated Press) MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—The foreign office here today an vides enough power, water and nounced that the American- light to supply a small city. Mexican special claims commission, formed to adjudicate damage American nationals suffered in the Mexican revolutions of 1910 LAREDO, Dec. 27.-The Mexi- to 1920, would meet in Mexico

BY LAMPASAS FARMERS

AUSTIN, Dec. 27.—Depression and the low price of farm propost on the American side of ducts may weight A year or more ago a modern who are in comparatively indeto a recent survey. The farmers of the county believe in diversification and have put the belief the farms being devoted to the raising of sheep, goats, horses, cattle, mules and hogs in addition to the more standard pro-

A large portion of the grain production is fed to livestock, vey showed 100,000 i.ead of final height of 1,248 feet. farms of the county. Approximately 2,000,000 pounds of wool were shipped this year.

The poultry industry also has ward. shown remarkable increases dur- tons of steel, 204,000 cubic feet of All arrangements were com- being estimated at 35 carloads.

The car was driven by Jack

for the evening and will look power, and conveyed the injured tives and friends at dinner Christ- schools and a local woman sold decorating the hall. They will Miss Barnett suffered two frac- present: J. R. Huffman and This city bought approximately also arrange a program of fun tures in her left leg and fractured three daughters, Louise, Viola and \$48 worth and leads in the purch- chett, British industrial financier, and entertainment for the en- collar bone in addition to a Katherine, and Mr. and Mrs. ase of the seals in the county.

tire evening and plan for the severe shock. Her sister sustained Claude Huffman, of Abilene; Mr. Money derived from these seals with phlebitis for several weeks. biggest gathering of Lions since only minor bruises and small cuts and Mrs. T. J. Gardner, of New- is divided, forty per cent being the organization of the club. and was taken to the Barnett castle; Mrs. C. C. Gannaway and sent to the National Tuberculosis The committee Saturday morn- home after received emergency Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gentry, of Association, and sixty per cent is here from Fort Worth to spend Ballinger.

every Lion and his wife or sweet- This is the second traffic acciheart to be present on this New dent to occur at this spot within Year's party. It is for the ladies a short time. Recently a man son, Floyd, are spending the holiespecially and many of them will was struck and killed by a car days here visiting relatives and have a part in the success of the at the same place, and other friends. program. Each Lion will be ex- smash-ups have occurred there. perted to pay for his plate and The street on which the Baptist hose for his grests and the com- church fronts is part of highway mittee will want to know how No. 4 and when cars are parked many guests to arrange for and along its length makes it a narthose expecting to invite people row, dangerous crossing, especially

tify the attendance committee as. Physicians have hope for the soon as the invitations have been recovery of Miss Barnett as she is reported to be resting better. T. King, 70, today was charged Rogers, Texas, are here visiting boat, DO-X, may fly to Japan No business will be attended to A third dister died recently. The with the fatal shooting of his in the home of Mr. and Mrs. and Hawaii next year if the proon this program and President C. young women have been making wife, Mrs. Ella King, 58, last SunK. Jacob. Mr. Jacob is superinin January is a success. Com-R. Stone stated that the entire home in Winters since the death day. evening would be for the enjoy- of their parents several years

"World's Tallest" Shames Myth-Makers Tenant is Charged With

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.-Mythological marvels are kid stuff com-

dragon's teeth and saw a battle

But American mechanics AUSTIN, Dec. 27.—Revised rules planted steel columns on a scant nounced today by Fred Connelly, office boys will swarm in layers

around these pillars. It is taking 3.500 men and the courts, probably will be published together the Empire State building, which is to be the world's

builders but human ants crawling through the 85 floors.

Twenty elevators, 10 for passengers, the others material hoists, carry them to their jobs.

The temporary equipment pro-And the building, after it is

THE WORLD'S TALLEST BUILDING IN CAPSULE

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ing) \$55,000,000

Total cost (land and build-

farmers believing it is more prof- have been placed and only the room table. Louis Walsh, magistrate at Burnitable than dumping it on an alfoot, Donegal, permitted Grant to
The Statue of Liberty sticks up
They will find a gross floor area
table than dumping it on an alland famed trans-Pacific aviator the west and north portions Sunready depressed market. The sur- raised to bring the building to its like a man's arm.

sheep, 30,000 goats and 20,000 There will be 62 elevators, in- spring over the East River. miscellaneous cattle on the cluding one in the mooring mast. Now the visitors is lifted in a is like a packed forest of jagged several individual columns will temporary elevator to the 34th floor, thence in another to the 64th, from which he climbs up. and 750,000 pounds of mohair 64th, from which he climbs up-

which is just being riveted to the walls.

Man is Charged

In Wife's Death

CORSICANA, Tex., Dec. 27.-

The holding of such an enter- Carbon forms more compounds ing the outer shell.

Indian War Veteran Red Cross Seals Indiana Farmer Hurt; 1 Seriously Dies at Age of 103 Have Scant Sales Hammers 3 to Death

The sale of Red Cross Christmas HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Dec. 27 .- seals in Runnels county this year tween the committee and Mrs. a semi-conscious condition, the William Taylor, known as Billy brought in less than \$100. This Shirley McNeely, 35, farmer, who W. L. Brown Friday afternoon result of an injury received the Scout, 103-year-old veteran of announcement was made Saturto serve the menu and a full Christmas eve when she and her the Indian wars and Confederate day by R. E. White, after a check bammered to death his mother,

and a special New Year's pro. a Christmas program at the Bapgram rendered that will last un- tist church and were immediately

Taylor was born in that part furnish funds to carry on the mother-in-law and half-brother, The losing team in the at- Pearce, of Winters, who stopped, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huffman mail. This year the committee tendance contest will be hosts rendered every assistance in his were hosts to a number of rela-staged its campaign through the mas day. The following were the little stickers in Ballinger.

> ciation. The funds retined are tives and friends. used to aid in health work in the Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Malone and county but the lack of money from this source will not halt the is provided 100,000 country chilwork done here under supervision dren in Louisiana of the state department in any

> > year by the committee, notwithstanding that every rural school in the county pushed the sales of the little cheer stamps until Christmas eve.

tendent of schools at Rogers.

New York shows the entire structure. It will be the world's tallest building when the observation mast is added.

opened next May, will house a view. He sees the downtown tember 20, 1929. workaday populace of 20,000 ten- financial section, cleaving the bay The first steel colum

As he stands on the 76th floor building supplants at Fifth Ave- super-landlord.

By overtime work, the steel ribs sembles a relief map on a school- the contractor's promise, the ten-

of approximately 64 acres over and now instructor at Kelly Field, day. Brooklyn bridge is like a watch the two-acre site. The weight on today declined to say when he the steel frame, itself weighing would marry Mrs. Kathleen Mc-Now the visitors is lifted in a The mass of buildings below 46,000 tons, will be so great that Dermott, of San Antonio. ing, impudently points a silver cess, the builders say, of "any place about January 1. At the top he stands over 58,000 spire like an inverted, glistening previously constructed similar

ing the last year, the turkey crop tons of steel, 204,000 cubic feet of limestone, 300 tons of chrome Below the 54th floor rooms have The whole thing will represent Ledger effice. steel trimming and 300 tons of taken shape, floors are being a cost of \$55,000,000 and the cast aluminum spandrels, some of finished and plaster is on the civilian occupation of Alfred E. outside of the building, complet- Wrecking of the old Waldorf- idential candidate, now is presi-Astoria, which the Empire State dent of Empire State, Inc., a

Murdering Land Owner

Nutt Demands an Apology of Nye farmer, was being held here to-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.- resulted in the death of M. T. J. R. Nutt, treasurer of the Re- Nettles, 55, Tuesday. Nettles publican national committee, to- owned the farm Zimmerman culday demanded that Senator tivated. Gerald P. Nye, chairman of the apology for asserting that the national committee's bank account here was a "slush fund."

Nutt said the accounts dis- stove pipe. bursed by check for the senatorial campaign and complete records statement. A hearing probably were available to Nye if he had will be held here next week. taken the trouble to request

Marshal Joffre Is Seriously III

PARIS. Dec. 27.—The news dispatch to the effect that Mar- Miss Irene Smith has been

nnouncement issued by five con- daughter of J. D. Smith, former sicians today said that county commissioner, and until

The great French leader's illness * WEATHER FORECAST

Lieut. Maitland to Wed Santone Girl

Scratch Pads, 20c per pound, at Floral Company,

West Texas-Generally fair tonight and Sunday preceded by local rains in the southeast portion today. Somewhat colder Sun-

East Texas-Unsettled and local rains today. Sunday fair in the marry had been filed at Boerne Warmer in the south and extreme Tuesday, Lieutenant Lester Mait- east portions tonight. Colder in

hank

ralace Sunday and Monday RAMON ()VARRO HARLEY THE WEST TEXAS

LONDON, Dec. 27.-Lord Mel-

Free transportation to schools

Poor returns were expected this DO-X May Fly to Hawaii, Japan

HAMBURG, Germany, Dec. 27.-Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jacob of The gigantic, 12-motored flying mander Friedrich Christians en declared here today

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Christmas accidents continue to be reported, nearly every new Jub-paper coming to this desk which fracture to exist with all the Emergency splints may be made lishing a list of tragedies happy event. Causes nearly every one knows de is death broken legs. haps the most horrib by fire. All during was fire insur-sensation which is felt, not heard, the best emergency splint. ion these causes is Christmas as the saddest Turnish and it tions sorrow substituted for joy.

Runnels county citizens soon cent who are reckless, irrespon- And the Little Black Clock adwill have four new officers in sible or incompetent. of the main ingredients in the terest in the problem is an enmaking of the best officials and couraging sign. every good official craves and is entitled to this help from the public. The county will soon have a new man in the sheriff's office and if he is able to enforce the law as it should be it is imperative that he get the backing of those who stand for the law. A new tax collector will take over that office when the work is the heaviest, and needs support in his work. A new commissioner will go into office in this precinct. succeeding a man who has been on the job for years and knows every crook and turn in this order to serve at his best. A new Little Black Clock commenced. don't come." justice of the peace here and it traffic rules for some time, but Sunday, Monday and Tuesday is Mathematical studies such as thoroughly familiar with every them. duty. This is no reflection on the abilities of the new officers, working order now and there are The Salt Lake City, Utah, po- Dr. Millikan, one of the world's public of its own duty. **Q**ED = CNG

MAKE 1931 A SAFETY YEAR

During 1931 a determined cam- Little Black Clock paign to outlaw the reckless and John and Peggy got inside the incompetent motorist from the plane, and up into the air they public highways will be made in went. many states. Authorities are "The different colored lights urging legislatures to adopt strin- show others in the air just where

In a majority of our states, said anyone, irrespective of his com- "One color means that that is petence or physical fitness, can the right of our plane and anobtain a driving license. Only other that it is the left. thirteen states and the District of, Then you see all the lights on Columbia require examination of towers and from the tops of city applicants. Those states report buildings - they're showing us favorable progress in automobile when we may go on and when accident prevention during a we must slow down. period when the casualty list. in "And there are rules non-licensing states, has steadily ing very high when we fly over

lated magazine editorially recom- another plane and go into anmends that automobile liability other airway. insurance rates, instead of being | On and on they sped on this the same for all motorists, as at night plane ride and John was



"I had a nice Christmas," says Bunny to Puff;

or once in my life I ate carrots

And cabbage and lettuce and turnips galore

mother, I guess, must have tht out the store.'

HOW'S your

case of a fall, it is wise to without stock before proceeding, moving a simed at t

34.50 may fracture a bone knowing it, and by fractured bone, one ake an effort to the injury.

dering motion bone may the use for republication of all ture of a so fact that the shorter dispatches credited to it or not other limb is mate. Sometimes, too, be used. In the case of a fraccredited in this paper, and also the limb its mate. Sometimes, too news published herein. All rights of than there is motion at a false point. The forearm for example, instead ture of the upper limb, a firm of bending at the elbow may bend s- slightly in front of it.

> enerally signs except pain, absent. In- out of boards, canes, umbrellas, include stances have been known where corrugated pasteboard, or any n but per- individuals have walked on material that is sufficiently rigid

issued warnings when the ends of a broken bone fires, but with are moved against each other,

The movement of the ends of With winter comes the slipper and a broken bone against each other, season when falls, sprains the fully or else a simple fracture fractures are common. In One may be converted into a com-

> First aid in a simple fracture is may increase aimed at the avoidance of complications. The patient should not be moved or handled unnecessarily. In fact, all move-Nature does no ured bone by ren-protect the interpolation painful. The frac-dering motion one may be recognized dering motion one may be recognized tial to move the patient for some any case, an emergency splint is

to hold a broken limb fixed. he month of Crepitation, a peculiar rasping A pillow properly fastened is

mitted that he felt the same way

Monday-'The Garden")

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raffic was expected to present, be raised for drivers the Little Black Clock any for the grim reaper with accident records and low- "It's just like going along the as exceeded the expecta- ered for safe drivers. Casualty ground in an automobile," said even the most pessi- insurance companies are already John, "with all the lights and Many of these crashes doing this to some exten. This traffic rules and signals." been due to recklessness, has a tendency to encourage care- "Except," said the Little Black ing while intoxicated, and a fulness and more equitably dis- Clock, "we are up in the air!" w have been unavoidable. When tributes the premium burden. It "Yes," agreed John, "doesn't it the celebration was at its height is estimated that ninety per cent really, after all, seem very, very many lives were snuffed out and of motorists are careful and re- queer? sponsible but they pay the bills "I feel just like saying, 'What for damage done by the ten per Next, myself," Peggy commented.

charge of their affairs and these We have a long way to go be- too. men enter the positions without fore we settle all the factors of the experience of their prede- the accident problem. Prevention, cessors and will need every pos- cure, indemnity for the injuredsible cooperation. The help and each requires careful study. The "Runnels Delight Butter"-35c a support of loyal citizens is one growing public and official in- pound in quarters.



TRAFFIC RULES By Mary Graham Bonner

"They are in such excellent really must see them without de- stolen bicycles last year.

He had hardly finished speak ing before a plane arrived with "Come! Get inside!" said the

gent licensing laws for drivers. | we are," the Little Black Clock

A prominent nationally circu- when we want to pass up over

fascinated by the signal lights' and all the rules that must be known in driving a plane. "I guess they never dreamed of this years ago when they drove oxen teams," John said.

"Or even when they drove automobiles at first," said Peggy. "Or even later than that," said

U. S. Scientists May Aid Einstein's Study



of Technology, whose president, Dr. Robert . Milikan (left) is one of the world's leading physicists

By Howard W. Blakeslee (Associated Press Science Editor)

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.-Albert the smallest bit of matter. tivity does not explain fully.

Foremost is evidence that somewhere out in the immensely cold bearing upon relativity. and seemingly empty depths of Another great mystery, one of time being created.

most advocate for the affirmative is Dr. Robert A. Millikan, presi-23-tfd dent of the California Institute of Technology, where it has been announced Einstein expects to do 2-tfd quiet research.

Dr. Millikan holds that a powerful form of radiation, cosmic rays, which both he and his PALACE SUNDAY-MONDAY opponents have identified as falling ceaselessly upon earth day and night, come from tremendous alle act. "The West Texas Enter- energies used somewhere in space tainers," the four singing boys to create matter.

of radio and recording fame, is to be seen and heard at the from creation of hydrogen and He has identified these rays Palace Theatre tomorrow and helium and possibly iron.

These popular artists will pre- His opponents hold the radiasent their complete program of tion comes from the annihilation music, pep and plenty of comedy. of matter in the hot centers of Twe only turned the time ahead To quote from their publicity stars and that nowhere is there county's road. He needs help in a little bit this evening." the matter, "if it hurts you to laugh, evidence of creation—in short, that the universe is running down creen at the Palace to its death

may be some time before he is we haven't had a chance to see "In Gay Madrid," featuring Ra- Einstein has mastered are used to support deductions of both

it is merely a reminder to the so many improvements that you lice department recovered 3,600 foremost physicists, is the first man to measure by experiment

"HAPPY NEW YEAR" is more

... if you resolve to make consistent

savings deposits, To-day is the day to open an account.

You'll never regret

an electron, at present considered

Einstein's worthcoming American | The institution of which he is research will be among men who president will operate the new have uncovered practical mys- 200-inch telescope, an instrument teries of space which even rela- that will "see" four times as well as the present largest and perhaps bring to light more facts

space solid substance is all the the newest, is the "red shift" of distant light. This has been The proof of this new creation measured recently by Dr. Edwin is disputed, and the world's fore- Hubble, astronomer of Mt. Wil-

ENGINEER GAVE UP

Says He Could Not Stand Indigestion Any Longer .- Relieved By Black-Draught.

Pulaski, Va.-How a railroad engineer was relieved of indigestion was described by Mr. C. K. Nelson, a Fourth Street resident of this city. Mr. Nelson said:

"I was suffering from stomach trouble in 1917, and had been suf-fering for some time. I had a tightness in my chest, a shortness of breath. There seemed to be a heavy weight in the pit of my stomach, and quite a bit of nausea, yet I couldn't vomit. I tried different remedies, yet suffered on just the same. When in West Virginia, on a work train, I was in such a condition that I just gave up and came I couldn't stand to work, in my condition

"Some one told me about Black-Draught, I started taking it in small doses after meals. It helped me, and I went back to work.

"One morning while on my engine I felt like I would smother. stopped in a little town, bought a package of Black-Draught, took a dose and later in the day took an-other dose. It relieved me and I have not had a bad spell like that in more than two and a half years. Thedford's Black-Draught



son, California, observatory of the 25 ALIENS ARE GIVEN FINAL CITIZENSHIP Carnegie Institution, where Ein-

stein also is expected to work.

with immense velocities.

at Mt. Wilson.

tion of creation.

aided eye.

The red shift means that ex-

bearing upon the laws of evolu-

Relativity is one means of

working upon this riddle, and, in

fact, relativity predicted the red-

dening of light, although not the

LDV Associated Press) GALVESTON, Dec. 27.-Twentytremely distance universes of stars on all sides of the earth ap- five aliens; seven of them wo pear to be traveling away from us men, were granted final citizenship papers after naturalization The greater their distances the accrings before Judge J. C. Canty faster they go. About 10,000 miles here. Twelve were admitted to a second is the highest reces- citizenship in the 10th district sion velocity recently measured court and 13 in the 56th district

court. Six of the newly-pledged cit-Astronomers doubt whether these velocities are real. If they izens were subjects of Great are the whole material universe Britain, seven came from Czechoseems to be expanding, and out Slovakia, two from Mexico, and one each from Spain, Turkey, in the direction of its edges the expansion is of explosive speed. Russia, Argentnia, Sweden, Po-If they are not real velocities, land, Norway, Finland, Italy and some scientists believe they will Holland. be found to have an important

AIR MAIL PIONEERS WILL PUBLISH EARLY HISTORY

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 27astonishing speeds now observed. Air mail pioneers are to chronicle At Mt. Wilson also are Doctors the early days of their efforts in Edison Pettit and Seth Nicholson, starting modern air transport.

who have measured the heat of a Banding in a permanent organstar that is 600 times fainter than ization, the United States air the faintest visible to the un- mail ploneers' association, they will publish a history of the in-These are a few of the men ception and growth of the service doing outstanding research at now nearing its thirteenth birththe Pacific Coast institutions- day.

things which may furnish added The newly formed association is fuel for Einstein's calculations. headed by James C. Edgerton.

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By Charles McManus

Zeppelin Makes 104 Flights for Record in 1930

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Germany Dec. 27.-Resting in its big shed for the winter, Germany's globe-

encircling Graf Zeppelin can look back on 1930 as its best and most profitable passenger year to Four thousand and sixty-three

passengers were carried during the season's 104 flights, and almost a million pieces of mail, distributed over an average distance flown of 71,250 miles.

The income from these flights was sufficient to pay the officers and crew, the motor-fuel bill, insurance and depreciation.

Had the Graf confined itself to comparative short cruises of 1,000 miles or so, the showing would have been even better, for the extra costs for refueling and mooring preparations on the South American flight do not enter into the less spectacular Europe n trips.

Mooring Masts Expensive

Even the transatlantic flights of the Zeppelin could be put on a commercial paying basis, estimates Capt. Ernest Lehmann of the Zeppelin company, if proper mooring facilities and refueling stations were regularly established.

Equipping a transatlantic Zeppelin line with four or five ships cost, he calculated, not more either.

than \$20,000,000. or Portugal to Brazil would average, everything included, about real car. \$750 each would bring in \$30,000 fore, is driving the American faster. and freight and mail could be expected to make up the other \$8,000 and add a reasonable

To Be Overhauled

Since its maiden flight in September, 1928, the Graf has journeyed an assregate of of nearly 150,600 miles and carried 6,278 passengers and 2,200,000 pieces of mail and freight.

How many more miles may be expected of it will be revealed to you want? some extent during the exten- ployment Department of Draugh- tunate of the city. sive overhauling of the ship this on's Colleges at Dallas, Wichita

The Graf's 1913 flying program planning to do for you during Rubber Stamps and the prices are still is undetermined. A flight to 1931. These Employment Depart-right. Ballinger Printing Co. the North Pole is considered to ments have the names and adbe probable, provided the new dresses of every bank and busiyear brings a reasonable improve- ness firm in the Southwest, and ment in general business condi- already have 24,000 convincing tions.

NOTICE

meeting of the stockholders of they will be written by experts, Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Rail- who know from broad experience way Company has been called by in placing thousands of other the Directors of said corporation, young people in good positions, to be held at the principal office just what business men demand of the corporation in the City of of applicants for the kind of Galveston, Texas, on the 23rd day starting position you would want. of February, 1931, at eleven o'- so the only question for you clock a. m., for the purpose of to make sure of one of the hunsubmitting to the stockholders the dreds of positions this campaign question of increasing the author- will develop during 1931 is to be ized capital stock of the corpora- ready. The demand is going to tion from Ten Million Dollars be created for you, and you want (\$10,000,000), consisting of One to qualify in an institution that par value of One Hundred Dollars less alert institutions. (\$100) each, and to do all things If you'd like to have a copy of and give all proper authorizations these 24,000 messages from our increase

pound in quarters. 23-tfd

GIRL PAYS FINE FOR

(By Associated Press) FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Dec. 27 .-"Singing in the bathtub" at mid- Name night proved costly for Miss Ves- P. O. tal Guinn, of Hartford, Ark. sophomore co-ed in the University of Arkansas.

"Miss Guinn do you remember taking a bath Saturday night?" "Why yes, I believe I do," she

answered.

And for the first time on record, more than \$2,000,000. so far as is known here, a citizen

The defendant did not plead guilty before her student peers. She still insists that she was feet long and representing an exonly humming."

paid off.

wise and advertise.

Michael Drives Real Auto; He's Outgrown Old Toy Car



Prince Michael of Rumania, who is growing up, has discarded his to car (below). King Carol and Michael, berets and all, are shown inspecting the prince's new automobile that came from America.

(By Associated Press) automobile that has spelled obliv-BUCHAREST, Dec. 27 .- Even a jon for the little electric car and proper mooring masts and boy prince must have his own which was an earlier delight. other landing facilities would automobile-and no toy car,

Always Prince Michael has dis- no trouble reaching the footboard. With such a line in operation played a liking for mechanical And his father, King Carol, the cost per flight from Spain toys, but now he has his first

\$38,000. Carrying 40 passengers at Michael's latest hobby, there- his new one of course is much

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That's exactly what the Em- clothing for the more unfor-Falls, Abilene, and Lubbock is messages prepared to go out to these firms during the next few months-messages that will be more effective than a personal Notice is hereby given that a application from you, because

Hundred Thousand (100,000) has the resources and the presshares of the par value of One tige to help you find just the Hundred Dollars (\$100) each, to kind of starting position you Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,- want; and these 24,000 messages 7000), consisting of Two Hundred Thousand (200,000) shares of the a big advantage over those of

to carry out and effectuate such Employment Department showing the intensive efforts we put forth Secretary of Gulf, Colorado and how they will make a good and Santa Fe Railway Com- place sure for you when you qualdec 8-60td ify, they'll be gladly mailed to

"Runnels Delight Butter"—35c a Draughon's College, Dept. BL, Dallas, Wichita Falls, Abilene, or Lubbock, and fill in the coupon below and let us tell you more "SINGING IN THE BATHTUB" about the opportunities in business and how we can help place

487 CARLOADS OF U. S. GOODS GO TO MEXICO

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(By Associated Press)

LAREDO, Dec. 27.-Headed by "Well, you disturbed the house 55 carloads of American-made by singing at that time. You will machinery, 48 carloads of lard. please pay a fine of 25 cents 42 carloads of lumber and 23 within the next week." So de- carloads of eggs, exporations of creed the co-ed student govern- American-made goods and mering board at the University girls' chandise to Mexico through Laredo during November aggregated

Imporations from Mexico thru of the United States was arrested, Laredo during November totaled found guilty and fined on a 228 carloads, headed by 153 carcharge of "singing in the bath- loads of lead and 41 carloads of bananas.

> A fireproof wharf section, 2,000 penditure of \$1,200,000 is under construction in New Orleans.

Be wise and advertise

Scottish Lassies Want Their Jobs **Near Amusement**

own about accepting jobs.

A crowd of them, wearing highheeled slippers and silk mose, attended the gathering of country maids when farmers met to engage servants for the martinmas

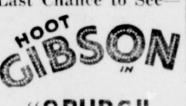
least ten girls to every farmer, they soon showed they knew their most cases got an advance pay-

if there was a dance hall in the services. places of employment.

Donate Land for Air Base ALAMEDA Calif. Dec. 27 -(A) formally turn over to the federal government 1,125 acres for the proposed army air base site. The land was donated by an overwhelming majority at the general elections.

Air mail flown from the United Kingdom in the third quarter of 1930 totaled 301/2 tons.

Last Chance to See-



TALKING COMEDY VOICE OF HOLLYWOOD

Experts Differ on Status Of Television Development all-time record in ca

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 .-

Reallocation of channels assigned "father of broadcasting," insist it Agriculture. GLASGOW, Dec. 27.—Scottish to television stations is to be has not yet reached a public lassies have decided ideas of their made soon by the federal radio entertainment value warranting vealed, has the heaviest ca

Changes in the assignments, bars, designed to reduce interference Other engineers associated with with commission engineers.

own value. Those who took jobs was the recommendation that manent assignments will speed its sought in 28 state legislatures at all bargained keenly, and in very high frequencies, such as development the band from 60,000 to 80,000 The commission so far has not kilocycles, be set aside for tele- indicated any intention to change One lass asked how far the farm vision experiments. Commission the present restricted status. on which she was offered work engineers favor use of these chanwas from a motion picture house, nels which are far removed from and others insisted on knowing wavelengths assigned for regular

vicinity of their prospective. There was some discussion regarding the proposed removal of The meeting closed with very the experimental restrictions few accepting a coin of the realm, placed on television but this a transaction necessary to seal a issue was held to be foreign to bargain between master and the purpose of the conference which was called to discuss only technical matters.

is a sharp divergence of opinion Alameda city officials have among the "radio movie" experts taken the first legal steps to as to whether television is ready for commercial exploitation along lines similar to that of sound broadcasting.

Engineers of some of the big





"Sporting Youth' Added Features "Queen of the

Roundup"

radio companies including Dr. Frank Conrad of Pittsburgh, the the lifting of the experimental acreage in the nation. The

mendations agreed upon by tele- done notable work in picture 3,900 acres. vision experts at a conference transmission, maintain that television now is of real public in-

the United States Depart.

Hidalgo, Cameron, Willacy as with picture transmission, are ex- the so-called "independent" Starr for 1930-31 was 18,300 acres pected to follow closely recom- smaller companies, who also have an increase over last year of Drivers' liscense laws such as Another important development terest and that granting per- are in effect in California will be

This section, the estima

acreage in the four counties

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(By Associated Press)

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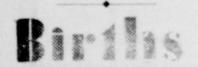
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FOR RENT-Practically new house, five rooms and bath. Has gas and electrical fixtures, city water. Reasonable rent. Phone

Cicero Smith Ranch. No fishing, hunting or wood hauling. Willeke Bros. d-24-27 4tw-* meeting, 7:30.



Lemburg, Jr., Saturday morning, christened Jamie Ruth. The little sizes. lady and her mother are doing nicely at the Halley & Love Sandaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wednesday Skinner of this city.

CHRISTIANS DEFEAT

The basketball team of the First Christian Church defeated the Baptist team here Friday night in a hot contest resulting in a score of 19 to 15 for the Christians, Atwell for the Chris- 8.00 p. m. tians led the scoring with a total of 16 points and Franks Jones of the Baptists came second with a total of 8 points.

follows: forwards, Atwell and Mid-week prayer meeting Klechle; guards, Strain and Sto- Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. baugh; center, Williams; and the | Conducted for the purpose of | following subs: Nicholson, Crab- preparing persons for future servtree and Thomas

The Baptists: forwards, Jones and McWilliams, guards, A. The Duke Endowment contribter, McKay.

SISTERS PRESERVE FIGS IN THEIR PORCH 'FACTORY'

MONROVIA, Calif., Dec. 27. Three backyard fig trees furnish the raw products for a home business here of two sisters, Mrs. Cora Patterson and Mrs. Nina Hirschorn.

Until last season's crop they sold what raw figs they could, but they decided to preserve a lot of them about the time of the county fair. They entered one jar and it won a blue ribbon.

Now the sisters have turned a porch of their home into a factory where they preserve, pickle and candy their product.

Storm swept islands of the Caribbean Sea now are guarded by automatic lighthouses that are visited only once in six months

Exports to Latin-America thru the customs district of New Orleans reached \$100,639,033 in 1929,

First Methodist Church

Joe Forman, superintendent. cents per word first inser- Dr J. W. Hunt of Abilene.

be accompanied by cash in the morning and at that time 18 cents a pound. garding the evening service Swiss to Film Africa 27-5td-* account of the weather then it interior of Africa will be held open until after the FOR RENT-Apartment, close services tomorrow. Anyone wish- Test Hill-Climbing Engine

> 26-3d are cordially invited. T. E. BOWMAN, Pastor.

> > Ballinger Baptist Church 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E.

26-tfd Shepperd, superintendent. 11:00 a. m., Preaching service, by pastor.

6:15 p. m., meeting of the B. Y. P. U.'s, F. D. McCoy, director.

7:15 p. m., Wednesday, prayer

close. As we look back over the Hoover, Cabinet, past viewing its successes and failures may both alike lead us to determine to follow more closely the way God would have us go for a new year. J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

Bible school at 9:45 a. m., Harwell Finous Collings, superintendent. It appears a pretty well defined

> First Presbyterian Church 43 a. m., Sunday school. 11:00 a. m., morning worship

6:00 p. m., Intermediate Y. P.

E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor.

First Christian Church (Broadway at Murrell) Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Alfred

Frager, superintendent. Communion service, 10:45 a Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

The church with a cordial wel-

FRANCIS M. CRABTREE. Minister.

Church of Christ (Eighth Street and Bonsal Ave.) Bible study at 9:45 a. m. Classes

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Prayer meeting and young erful economic forces."

BAPTIST QUINTET HERE any and all these services.

Church of the Nazarene Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Preaching at 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at

A welcome is extended to all. W. LAWSON, BROWN, Pastor.

The Christian lineup was as Sunday school at 10:00 a m.

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AROUND THE WORLD

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Food Prices Cra h

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. by -(A)-The economic depression use 1 has brought a crash in foodstuff Young people meet at 6:00 p. m. values here. With prices the low- Fight Insects With Planes Rev. Bowman is suffering with est since the start of the World MELBOURNE, Dec. 27 - (A)

Good music in all services. You climbing has been tested on the Brussels-Librament railroad. The Charges Slavery engine is 45 feet long and 15 feet DARWIN, Australia, Dec. 27.— can hold while in his elective tons of coal

Few U. S. Cars in Italy

Italy differs from France where is common.

American autos are popular but CANBERRA, Australia, Dec. 27. few American motorcycles are Saturday that he had accepted

quent in ertions ic per word a severe cold and will be unable War, butter is selling at 30 cents The case moth that is ravaging new duties on January 1 when he to take part in any of the serv- a pound; cheese 17 cents a pound; Australian forests faces a war retires as sheriff of Runnels All classified advertisements ices Sunday. Dr. Hunt will preach eggs 24 cents a dozen, and bacon from the air. The government county. No classified advertisment ac- Everybody is cordially invited to ZURICH, Switzerland, Dec. 27 .- over the forests to kill the in- time has become one of the best

FOR RENT—Apartment, furn—brought in a good sum. However, pounds of photographic equip- Portuguese apparently are long- criminals and his fearless perished or unfurnished. 705 Ninth as many were not present on ment for a tramp through the lived people. In this nation there formance of that duty branded ing to make a gift to the home BRUSSELS, Dec. 27.—(P)—A new and 100; 45,725 between 80 and West Texas Sheriffs' Association, locomotive designed for hill- 90, and 165,293 between 70 and 80, and the following year, president

high. The 30-foot long tender (A)-Aboriginals are being en- office. carries 40 tons of water and 10 slaved by Australian cattlemen. His six years of service in Run-ROME, Dec. 27. - (A) - Few in the aboriginals, says they are it in accordance with the laws. American motorcycles, however, during long hours. He says call, day or night. In retiring 7:15 p. m., preaching service by are favorites. In this respect rations are scanty and flogging as sheriff he leaves the office

Disapprove Props For Farm Markets

By Frank I. Weller (Associated Press Farm Editor)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. J. EDWIN KERR, Minister. policy of the administration to comes go no further than necessary in the artificial manipulation of

President Hoover, in his mes-71st congress, said:

wounds must be healed by the price of 1928. action of the cells of the eco- The grain stabilization corporconsumers themselves."

The first such note, interpreted to maintain prices. in farm circles to mean dissatistion of farm crops as a permanent WINTER LEGUMES VALUED tion of surplus, was struck by Secretary Hyde who said in his annual report for the department MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 27.aside by legislation

first annual report:

wheat and, to some extent, cot-other state, O'Neal said.

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said the answer to overproduction real reason for their hatred. was less production.

prevention of surpluses, through be nearer his work.

higher than those in other prin- position.

nomic body—the producers and ation is holding some 110,000,000 bushels of wheat off the market

winter.

an 8%-pound girl, who has been with competent teachers for all task with courage, but not in a bureau federation. The total anything that is not right.

there had been world wide over- Alabama farmers plant more in our magazine Ladies' Bible class meets at the production beyond even the de-winter legume seed for soil im- "I feel grateful to the good church building 3:30 p. m. Thurs- mand of prosperous times for provement than farmers of any people of Runnels county for the

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams said and state." lished by the Texas Sheriffs Association and will take over his

has bought a specially con- Mr McWilliams has been servstructed airplane from which ing this county as sheriff for the ley. polson powder will be sprayed past six years and during that 310 are women. There are 5,630 forcer. Honors which he has been

"Darkie" Rowe, workers' union nels county has been without organizer, charges. Rowe, called fear or favor to any man. He has

The McWilliams family will Then, as farm leaders see it, make Ballinger home until May he farm board report indicated when school closes here. At that the administration's policy in the time they probably will move to observation that measures for Austin where Mr. McWilliams can

control of excessive production, Mr. McWilliams made the folare absolutely essential to stabil- lowing statement Saturday: "The izing farm prices and farm in- Sheriffs' Association of Texas has decided to publish a monthly The president pointed out that magazine and have unanimously while the price levels of major insisted that I act as general agricultural commodities are manager, and I have accepted the 2:30 p. m., Junior Christian sage to the third session of the cipal producing countries due to magazine is to make enough the combined result of the tariff money through the sale of adver-"Economic depression cannot be and the operations of the farm tising to put sufficient funds in cured by legislative action or ex- board, wheat prices still are only our treasury to pay a nice insurecutive pronouncement. Economic about 60 per cent of the average ance to widows of all members who die or get killed by some thug; also to help prosecute any criminal who is charged with killing a member of the organ-

the poorest paid men on earth, taking their work and duties into AT MILLION IN ALABAMA consideration. The six years that ident of both the West Texas and of agriculture that supply and A million dollars' worth of nitro- put me in close contact with demand conditions cannot be set gen will enrich Alabama soil this almost every sheriff, Texas ranger and chief of police in the state. Reviewing its stabilization That amount will be derived and as a whole there is no better, efforts the farm board says in its from the planting of winter le- more loyal or oraver bunch of gumes, in the opinion of Edward men on earth. I am for anything The board has approached the A. O'Neal, of the state farm they want, for they do not want

mood of lightly experimenting legumes to be planted i in excess "We are going to do our best to with large public funds and pow- of 1,250,000 pounds, including give the public something en-233,900 pounds of hairy vetch and tirely different in the way of initarium. Mrs. Lemburg is a people's meeting at 7:30 p. m. The president pointed out that 1.022,300 pounds of Austrian peas. formation and reading material

many favors and their hearty co-

McWilliams to Head operation given me during the Y, and Grand Rapids, Mich. Sheriffs' Publication free to call upon me for anything been discussing for some time the

the position as general manager PLANES BRING LAND of the new magazine to be pub-

known peace officers in Texas. His sense of duty took him to all of the state association, the highest office a county sheriff

"Darkie" because of his interest realized his duty and performed American cars are used in Italy, being forced to watch cattle being always ready to answer a

after having made many friends and of course some enemies Most of these enemies were made because of his impartial way of Previously, Secretary Hyde had doing his duty and without any

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where I may be able to serve you possibility of using planes. for the betterment of our county

PURCHASERS TO VALLEY

(By Associated Press) HARLINGEN Texas, Dec. 27.

A Brownsville company an- Forest. sections of the state and into a tive purchasers to the Rio Grande They also said that the white and Sunday and a plate collection here with 3,000 films and 450 LISBON, Dec. 27.—(P)—The number of other states after Valley. The information was folare 418 centenarians, of whom him as an outstanding law engen development company that shadows and highlights. persons between the ages of 90 given include president of the from Tulsa, Okla., Rochester, N. Ledger office.

private life I want you to feel in the Valley are known to have

NEW TELEVISION TUBE SHOWS BLACK-WHITE

(By Associated Press) PASSAIC, N. J., Dec. 27,-The 'pink eye" has been removed from the television receiver.

Development of a television Airplanes are taking the place tube which will reproduce picof railways in bringing prospectures in black and white instead tive land purchasers to the Val- of the pink and black of the neon glow lamp is announced by De

nounced the other day that ef- The designers said that a diffective soon it would begin us- ferent type of gas produced the ing planes in bringing prospec- different colors in the pictures. lowed the next day by a Harlin-the greater contrast between

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ments of busy days of service to tell you how much we thank you for your friendship and loyalty and the business you have given us during the past year. But we wish to do so now.

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