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THE SWEETWATER DAILY REPORTER, SWEETWATER, TEXAS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1924.

Ttogether At Katy 10 Miles

North of Houston

Scalding-Engineer and Fire-

man Instantly Killed

SURVEY STREETS

LUBBOCK, Texas, Jan. 9 .- Engi-

neers are surveying the streets here

Power Company Bids.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 .- The Ala

DROP HERESY

No Charges Ever Filed Against Fort

Worth Pastor, Bishop Says

The whole matter has been dropped

as far as he is concerned, Bishop

Weather

West Texas-Tonight and Thurs-

portion, with temperatures of 10 to 16

ernment of about \$100,000,000.

By The United Pross.

Moore said.

Special to The Reporter.

THREE PERSONS ARE DEAD

NUMBER 291

COUNCIL

Charter Formally Granted At Meeting of Four County Representa-tives at Colorado Tuesday

SCOUTMASTER TELLS PLANS

Leader and Scout Rallies To Be Held In Various Portions of District Immediately ..

the Barcroft Hotel in Colorado Tues- estate to the nephew. day night when W. S. Barcus, the new Scout executive for this district, made his initial bow.

The charter was presented by E. not hold. E. Voss, regional executive who was also present and who outlined the aims of National Scouting and efforts Friday afternoon at the regular semi- Fowler and Assistant L. L. Porter are to improve its service reaffirmed.

W. M. Barcus said that a series of leadership conferences would be among the first items of activity in the district with scout rallies and other phases of the work to follow. It was made clear that the work of Mr. Barcus lay more with the training of leaders rather than with the scouts themselves.

The various phases of scouting were outlined including the tenderfoot stage, second class, first class and then the various vocational training merit badges leading to the degree of Eagle Scout. It was pointed out that the motto "Be Prepared," was emphasized throughout, in the first instances in ordinary rounds of living and later on in the vocational work, the Boy Scout learned enough of mation of the Federal authorities. each industry, such as carpentry, mathat he could find that occupation which interested him most and by concentrating thereon find the occupation by a gun running syndicate before the embargo.

his duties as Chairman of the Court of Honor wherein the work of the boys in scouting is recognized and as they can earn them, and merit badges awarded as earned.

Rev. W. M. Elliott of Colorado, president; presided. Others present in for a writ of certiorari for Ewell addition to Mr. Voss and Mr. Barcus Morris, under sentence to be electroincluded C. E. Johnson and W. B. cuted for the murder of Oliver Mar-King of Snyder, J. C. Beakley of shall in Victoria County was refused Special to The Reporter. Dunn, P. C. Coleman, W. S. Cooper, today by the Court of Criminal Ap-Jerold Riordan, Joe H. Smoot of Colo-peals. rado, J. W. Hale of Roby and Rev. Hestir and J. A. McCurdy, Sweet-

Use At Gypsum Plant Where Work Rapidly Proceeding

A small locomotive has been added to the equipment in use at the plant Total 9,807,138 Hales Ginned From of the United States Gypsum Co., which is progressing rapidly under the impetus given by large and con- By The United Press.

been completed and the walls to the compared with 9,597,330 bales up to power house are up.

A number of new houses to house laborers are being built in the vicinity United States Bureau of Census toof the plant as more workmen are day. added and the whole development is fairly seething with activity.

Bud Russell Here

Sheriff Jack Yarbrough received telegraphic advice from State Peni- By The United Press. tentiary Agent Bud Russell at noon MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 9 .- Phyly arrive here today and deliver the Tuesday. Hardening of the arteries prisoners to the State Penitentiary.

May Locate Here

A. G. Crosby of Lamese has gone past 20 years. to Hamlin to visit relatives after a visit to Sweetwater searching for a location for a ladie's and men's clothing store. He stated that he would American Vessel With All Hands Los return to Sweetwater shortly to open his new business here. He was formerly in business in Lamesa.

message from Quanah this morning mand of Captain Horace G. Wilde, special Senatorial Committee. stating that her nephew, O. B. Harbi- has been lost with all hands on board son passed the crisis last night and between Port Oauxbasques and Curhis physician thinks he will live. Mr. ling. Harbison is a well known cotton buy- The number of the crew was not er and lived here several seasons.

Will Try To Prove He Is Insane For

By The United Press. CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 9 .- Richard C. Stafford went into court today to

prove that he is insane. If he is successful, he will inherit \$400,000, according to his attorney, Frank Jor-

Two wills of a brother, Frank Stafford, are in dispute. One will left the estate to a nephew. Another and lat-The Buffalo Trail Boy Scout Coun- er will left the estate to the brother, cil is formally organized. The charter who through his attorney declared from the National organization was the nephew had him declared insane of the Sheriff of Nolan County Wedformally presented to the Four Coun- by the courts and induced him to sign nesday when the ownership and sub- Katy trains No. 23 and 26 at Katy, 10 saying: ty District Council at its meeting at certain deeds bequeating most of the sequent sale of a stolen. Ford was miles north of here last night was

> Now the brother will seek to show that he was insane and that conse-

Mrs. A. S. Kendrick will be hostess

Plot To Ship Arms to Huerta Violating Embargo

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.-Federal agents announced today that they had broken up a conspiracy to evade the embargo on the sale of arms by pri- is entirely probable that this sum will has made a bid for a fifty-year lease

The plan was being financed by mation of the Federal authorities.

More than \$500,000 was involved in

Dr. P. C. Coleman learned all about Ewell Morris To Be First To Die

By The United Press.

AUSTIN, Jan. 9 .- The application

The Court held that it was without jurisdiction.

The only recourse now is intervention by Governor Neff and if the Governor refuses to intercede, Morris will be the first man to be electrocuted in the new electric chair, pro-Another Item of Equipment In Daily vided for by the last session of the State Legislature.

GINNING REPORT

1923 Crop Up To Jan. 1

stantly increasing force of men at WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Cotton ginned to Jan. 1 from the 1923 crop The large storage shed has now of cotton totaled 9,807,138 bales as

The figures were given out by the

BISHOP DYING

Noted Southern Methodist Bishop Can

Not Recover, Reported

Jan. 1, 1922.

today requesting local officers to sicians today hold out little hope for transfer certain prisoners from Roby the recovery of Bishop W. B. Murrah to Sweetwater. Russell will probab- who was stricken ill at his home here is the cause of the illness.

Bishop Murrah has been prominent in Southern Methodist circles for the

SCHOONER LOST

Off Newfoundland

By The United Press.

given in the missage.

MINISTER CLAIMS KATY TRAINS IN Share In Estate CAR OWNERSHIP HEAD ON WRECK

Rev. U. C. Broach, Pastor of Baptist Passenger Trains No. 23 and 26 Come Church Near Greenville Comes With Police For Ford

BOYS SOLD CAR IN BLAIR

J. H. Doan Is Looking For \$350 He Negro Porter Dies Today From Paid For Car Stolen From Minister-Youths Charged

Various principals, officials and By The United Press. victims faced each other in the office threshed out.

Ewell and P. B. Morris of Alba are charged with the theft of the Ford clerk who died from scalding. quently any deeds signed by him will car belonging to Rev. U. C. Broach, Baptist minister at Spring Creek, just Ed Sullivan of Train 23 were both inoutside Greenville.

He with Chief of Police W. T. monthly meeting of the Sorosis Club. preparing to return with the two youths as soon as certain preliminaries can be straightened out.

The car itself was in the possession of J. H. Doan of Blair, who states that he gave the Morris boys \$350 preliminary to the construction of they purchased the car from another bond issue. person. They will be given an opportunity to prove that in court, officers say. On the boys persons was \$289 in cash and some clothing and other By The United Press. incidentals. This is in the possession of Chief of Police Buck Johnson. It draws down \$25.00 reward offered by the insurance company for the return

here Saturday. Members of the Rev. Broach's congregation took up a collection in the church to help the minister buy the car for pastoral use. It was stolen the night of Sunday, Dec. 23, during church services. Members of the said congregation are understood to be DALLAS, Tem very anxious to get in touch with

of the car. The boys were arrested

The two youths charged with the theft have been in trouble before. Ewell was discharged from Huntsville August 7, and P. B. Morris is Worth pastor be vindicated. under suspended sentence at Eastland, officers say.

DEPOSITS INCREASE

LUBBOCK, Texas, Jan. 9.-An increase of more than three-quarter of ly snow in the north portion, rain in a million dollars in bank deposits in southeast; cold wave in the north year. Total deposits are \$3,232,672.82.

Owners Mitchell County Rural Lines Have Conference In Colorado For Betterment of Service

Owners of rural telephone lines out f Colorado are holding a conference there today with reference to improvthe various patrons in the country ernoon, charged with forgery. outside Colorado.

Many rural lines have not beer adequately replaced since the Mitchell County cyclone last spring and in other instances improvements are tional Bank. planned along the same lines as the improvements on the Ater line from

this city. A similar conference is planned for

Sweetwater in the near future. Among those inattendance at the meeting in Colorado are J. B. Patter-

son from Sweetwater, manager of this district, C. L. Stewart of Abilene, chief of a larger strip of West Texas Osborne of Fort Worth of the South- here. western Bell Telephone Co. Mr. Os- No loss of life was reported but

Young Man Held When Unsuccessful Imitation Emmet Glass Signature Fails To Get Money

Failure in an attempt to successfuling the rural line telephone service to illo, to be arrested here Tuesday aft-

It was alleged an attempt was made to cash a check at the Sweetwater Dry Goods Company for \$35.85. The check was drawn on the City Na-

Wallar was arrested by Nightwatchman Hudson at the Orient de-

TIDAL WAVE.

By The United Press. PARIS, Jan. 9 .- A terrific tidal

wave inudated the French coast line territory and General Manager J. E. today, according to reports reaching

borne spent the night in Sweetwater. there was a large property damage.

Senator Mayfield Files Formal Ans- British Premier To Be Says Recogniwer To Charges Illegal Election Brought In Senate

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 9. Senator HALIFAX, Jan. 9.—The American answer to the charges of illegal elec- of the labor program when it assumes old. Mrs. Joe Olive had a telephone schooner, T. M. Nicholson, in com- tion now under investigation of the the reins of power in Great Britain.

brought by Peddy.

Washington for recounting.

tion Russia, Understanding With France Are Labor Aims

By The United Press. LONDON, Jan. 9 .- Ramsey Mc-

In a speech celebrating the labor understanding with France, recogni- fellow. All election ballots used in the fall tion of Russia and support of the items to be taken up.

Censures District Judge For Grant-

By The United Press. HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 9 .- A split developed today in the Harris County Judicial system over the caseof Rob-

versity student, charged with the murder of Mrs. Mollie R. Dudley. The split arose over the granting late yesterday of bail to Epbinson in the sum of \$10,000, by Judge J. D.

ert J. Robinson, former Texas Uni-

Harvey of the District Court. HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 9 .- The District Attorney J. Dixie Smith death toll in the head-on crash of launched a bitter attack on the Judge, Railroad Company has taken an op-

raised to three today with the death is an outrage and a travesty on jus- for a period of 90 years. of Arthur Summers, negro postal tice. If there ever was a cold blood The Santa Fe Company is estabmurder in Harris County the killing lishing a big crusher, with an estimat-Engineer Ed Rousett and Fireman of Mollie Steadley was one. The ac- ed daily capacity of 1,200 cubic yands tion of the District Judge constitutes of crushed rock, and will use its outstantly killed. Both lived at Smith- a lack of co-operation and tying the put of two years for the purpose of hands of justice."

Robinson was free on bond today.

for it. The Morris boys claim that pavements as provided by a recent McAdoo Says Secretary Treasurer's Tax Reduction Plan Covered Sugar Coated Mites

By The United Press.

taxes in the Mellon Tax Reduction per day the larger part of which will plan as typical consoling the for labor. be returned to Doan, assuming that of the Muscle Shoals project. The bid plan as typical concessions to privhe can legally prove it is his. Buck offers to lease the project for 50 ilege, sugar coated with mites for the making preparations to ballast the small tax payer, W. G. McAdoo has road bed in order that new 90-pound years with a net return to the Gov-

He is pledged to fight the greatest enemy of the Nation-privilege -ne operation in ninety days. said in his address to the annual Jackson Day dinner.

no specific charges were ever filed against Rev. W. L. Heaton of heresy, Many Prized Old **Books Are Owned**

By The United Press. DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 9 .- This is ditional heavy cost. the age of antiques-furniture and the like, being considered extremely good taste, and for some, clothes, unpaid bills, etc., which are held "de trop" by more fortunate persons.

Antiquity in books seems to be the A canvass of the bibeliophiles of the lahoma, Texas and Arkansas. city reveals the existence of many

16th century—beautiful old first editions, treasured by book lovers. These ancient books will be the second by book lovers. ancient books, yellowed with age, are tion, and illustrated with wood cuts of that early time.

John Hackler, Dallas attorney, has a copy of John Foxe's "Book of the Martyrs," printed in 1596, less than Judge Victor B. Gilbert stated today ly imitate the signature of Emmett 200 years after the art of printing that efforts are being pushed for-Glass caused Alton Waller, of Amar- had been invented. The back and ward to have the first section of the front of the book are made of oak, Bankhead from the Eastland County ners are protected with heavy brass. the first of March.

earliest history until a few years be- Creek bridge, a distance of 9.7 miles, pot. The examining trial is set for following the expulsion of the Cath- tion of this section of the road. The olic church from England.

One wood cut, apparently a fore- road is \$182,750.

but that of America is badly distort- will likely be the type used. imagination.

lection contains more than 100 old the testing department of the Univerancient French and Spanish works, the opinion that sufficient rock of an and books of engraving and color acceptible quality will be available Earl B. Mayfield today filed his first Donald has given the main outline prints, some more than two centuries without a railroad haul.

Included in this collection in a first Mayfield denied all allegations victory, McDonald said that a better Standish and Other Poems," by Long- from Whitesboro, Dallas and Fort

printed in early American history.

SANTA FE PLANS ing Bail to Dudley BETTER ROADBED

Installing Huge Rock Crusher at Brownwood To Ballast Line From Sweetwater to Lometa

TO LAY HEAVIER RAIL ON LINE

Enormous Sum Money To Be Spent On Sweetwater-Lometo Line Ac-Cording to Superintendent

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Jan. 9 .--The Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe tion on 200 acres of the famous Hall "The granting of bail in this case Mountain, just west of Brownwood,

balasting the trackage from Lometa to Sweetwater, and after this is done it is contemplated to ballast the track from Coleman to San Angelo, and then the track from Temple to Cleburne on the main line. It is estimated that the plant to be put in by the company will cost about \$130,-000, by the time it is rea y to begin operations and that the plant whee in full operation will give employment to probably 150 men and that the expenses of operating the cruster LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 .- Likening and loading the material in the cars the redemption of the small income will cost the company about \$1,000

The Santa Fe railroad company is sounded the battle cry of his cam- steel rails may be laid in the near paign for the Democratic presidential future. The railroad company expects to begin work within the next ten days and to have the plant in

The establishment of the big rock crusher here is only a part of the Santa Fe's plans for improving its roadbed on the Brownwood branch. Supt. K. S. Hull said that an ever mous sum of money will be spent dur-ing the next two years in track improvement covering the 141-mile di-By Dallas People vision from Lometa to Sweetwater, lasted with the rock crushed here and the heavy steel is to be laid at ad-

Advance Crude

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 9 .- Midcontinent crude was advanced 10c a barrel today by the Prairie Oil and Gas prevailent hobby of Dallas collectors Co. All other companies promptly met the advance, which is good in Ok-

in many instances in perfect condi- Callahan County Plans To Have Section Bankhead Highway Ready For Contractor By March 1

BAIRD, Texas, Jan. 9 .- County covered with dark leather. The cor- line, ready for the contractor's bid by

The volume, highly prized by Hack- The first section extends from the ler, deals with religious martyrs from Eastland County line to the Mexia fore the English restoration and is and it is estimated that at least 90 said to have had a great deal of in- per cent of the concrete of the whole fluence over the restoration period, system will be used in the construcestimated cost of this section of the

runner to modern cartooning, shows It is planned to eliminate all grade Henry VIII with his foot resting on crossings, under or over passes being the neck of the prostrate Pope Cle-constructed where intersections with the railroad is necessary.

Another volume in Hackler's col- Judge Gilbert further stated that lection is a geography printed in 15:0 it is impossible at the moment to deat Basel, Switzerland. The text is scribe in detail how the road will be printed in Latin and is illustrated built, however, he said that a six-inch with maps. The maps of Europe, sledge-stone base, eighteen feet wide, shown in the illustrations, are prac- with four water-bound macadam and tically the same as those of today, one-half inch bituminous toppings,

ed and evidently based largely upon | Engineer Webb has made a careful examination of the rock along the William Schmalzried's private col- way, and has forwarded specimens to volumes, first editions, translations of sity of Texas for analysis and is of

Mrs. F. M. Poffenbach and son, edition of "The Courtship of Miles Frederick, returned Monday night Worth where they have been visiting Mrs. Sam Fowlkes has in her col- relatives during the holiday season. election of Texas will be brought to League of Nations would be the first lection several volumes of rare works At Fort Worth she visited her daughter, Miss Catherine, at T. C. U.

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SPORT VS. CRIME "By HUMP

An Eastern Newspaper Syndicate recently undertook to determine what particular page of the American newspapers, taken as a whole, was most widely read and appreciated. After a careful investigation, extending over a period of several monthit developed, without occasioning lake. And therein lies a tale.

In hotel lobbies, club room, on friends. street cars, in the home, an observing majority of newspaper readers will hearty. casually and hastily glance over the The children presente! Mrs. Ban- freight train. front page of his or her daily sheet, ner with a beautiful we bling ring or society news-depending upon gave an Odd Fellows ring. which sex is doing the pursuing-and A turkey dinner was served to 33, his home. then turn hungrily to the sport page, with the table centered with a big

Why? Simply because, in the vernacular 50 wax candles. of English slang, the American reading public is "fed up" on crime in all its countless branches. "Heil in Hollywood," with all its sickening de- Eastland Plans to Beautify Bankhead tails, has ceased to thrill even the younger set; triple murders and sensational excapades by the most daring bank robberies causes county in attendance. but a ripple of surprise.

refreshing sport page tends to relieve ing was the beautification of the the crime cluttered brain of the rog- Bankhead Highway by planting trees ular subscriber. There he reals of as other states traversed by the faclean young Americans striving for mous road are doing. One woman, in supremacy in the athletic world; Indiana, she said, gave 27 miles of splendid specimen of young manhood trees for planting along the highcompeting in tennis, golf, bareball way. and other clean, body and brainbuilding sports that make Samuel the proudest of Uncles. Moral: Buy Mah Jongg.

NEW INTERTYPE.

After the usual amount of grief incident to such matters, there has been installed in The Reporter office a news Song: "The Morning Light Is Model C Intertype—the latest and most modern piece of typesetting machinery that the industry knows. This is in addition to another Model C and the other equipment in The Reporter Lelia Poe.

Discerning readers have already 7:14. noticed the new type faces permitted The Missionary as the Golden by the new machine, which carries Eagle-Miss Ima Lee Thomas, three magazines with a different size of type in each. This permits a much Mable Spann. greater variety of type faces.

The cost of this new machine is \$4,450, f. o. b. the factory, with lean fields. freight and erection charges in addi-

It is among the items planned by The Reporter to better its service to Postal Receipts Dallas Office Exceed its patrons.

Six O'clock Dinner

Dr. and Mrs. K. M. Hodges enter- receipts for the Dallas postaffice tained a party of friends Monday eve-during 1923 will exceed the \$3,000. ning at a six o'clock dinner party. 300 mark, according to Postmaster

The table appointments and floral John W. Philp. The past year was contations were beautiful and artist the biggest in the history of the loand plates were laid for Misses Mable handled. Philp said



Golden Wedding Celebrated

Mrs. T. H. Hampton and Mrs. M. Going Home To Die-Freight Block-B. Baulch of the city attented the great surprise to the investigators, Golden Wedding celebration Tuesday that the average American, both male at Merkel of Mr. and Mrs. Jake By The United Press. and female, turned to the sport page Banner. All of their six children WEATHERFORD, Texas, Jan. 9.with as much enthusiasm as a biber- were present, four of whom are mar- Death cheated Howard Bennett, 40, of Judge Joe H. Jones before them to nating mallard does to an inviting ried and all of their children were his last wish-to die at his home in tell them of alleged squandering in there, besides a number of old family Miami, Oklahoma.

linger momentarily on the stock page and bar pin and to their father they crawled across the passenger cross-

white wedding cake and toppe i with

PLANT TREES

Highway

EASTLAND, Texas, Jan. 9 .- A called meeting of the sixth district ofteryear; Gyp the Blood and his ink ficers of the Texas Federation of does not facinate young-or old- Women's Clubs in Eastland with the America as in the not distant past secretaries of the chambers of com-Even the bold, bad bootlegger and merce of Ranger, Eastland, Cisco, and his blind clientele can no longer fur- County Agent Bush, as well as presinish "scoops" in newspaperdom. And deats of the various clubs of the

Mrs. Reagan explained to the as-The great contrast furnished by the sembly that the object of the meet-

Y. M. A. To Meet

The Y. W. A. will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lige Cutbirth, 407 E. N. 2nd St., with Miss Lucy Cutbirth hostess. The following program will be en-

Topic: The Mexican Cactus. Breaking."

Introduction.

"The Thorns on the Cactus"-Miss Scripture, Jer. 8:19-22; II Chron.

"The Bloom on the Cactus"-Miss

Song: "White Harvest Fields." Prayer for more laborers for Mex-

MAIL BREAKS RECORDS

Three Million Dollars

By The United Press. DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 9 .- Postal 2

The dinner was served in courses cal office in every kind of mail Browning, Wilma Shivers, Mallie The volume of mail handled in Deie, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hickman, cember, 1923, was about 20 per cent

obert Calvin, Dr. A. Brunn and John more than in December 1922, figures atterion. A musical program for show. Receipts will show about a

DEATH WON

ed Passenger Too Long

Mr. Banner is 75 years old and his Mills was on the last lap of his jour- tify as to what he knows concerning person will readily note that a great wife is 69 and both are hale and ney to achieve his cherished desire alleged violation of the banking laws

While the long lumbering freight two years ago. ing, Mills died, almost in sight of

MADE MONEY. Flames Uncovered Fake Money Mill

HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 9.-Flames which razed a rooming house here last week also bared a counterfeit

In Houston

money mill. One hundred and forty half dollar pieces and two molds were found in the smoking ruins of the house.

Charges Peculation

EASTLAND, Texas, Jan. 9 .- In a charge to the grand jury, Judge George L. Davenport suggested to that body that they have County connection with the \$4,500,000 road Speeding from El Paso, Texas, funds of Eastland Count yand to teswhen his train was blocked by a in connection with the failure of numerous banks in Eastland County about

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"Weel," replied the old woman, 'the last I got frae ye, I could hae sold my buits wi' it."

"An' why din ranahththi haltham "An' why did ye noo dae it? asked the butcher sarcastically. "So I wid if I could hae got tacks tae gang through it," she replied.

Superintendent Johnson of the Marietta, Okla, schools was a guest Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kendrick. He is a brother-inlaw of Mrs. George Truitt, Mrs. Kendrick's daughter, who is visiting here

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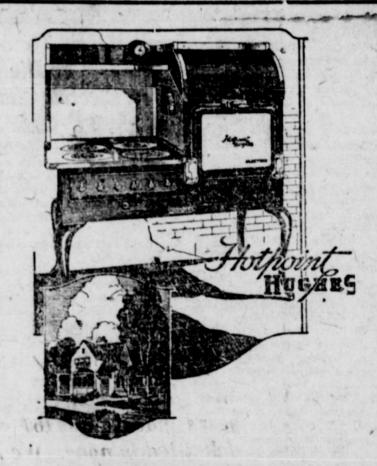
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Comeo Kirby

No period of American history has bert is one of the most versatile act been more fruitful in adventure and ors in the silent drama. In "Monte romance than the neyday of steam- Cristo" he did one of the finest charboat traffic on the Mississippi. If the acterizations ever put on the screen Father of U. S. Waters could talk, he and won an assured position among could tell more interesting tales than the notables of the silent drama Mark Twain, Booth Tarkington or "Cameo Kirby" is a role that affords Will S. Hays ever dreamed of. Huck- this magnetic young actor opportunleberry Finn and Tom Sawyer would ity to display many-sided genius-a never have trailed their adventurous romantic, dare-devil, facinating gambcourse through American fiction if ler who beat the card-sharks at their the beloved Twain had not been a own game, and played a still better Mississippi River pilot. Booth Tark- hand in the game of hearts. ington and Harry Leon Wilson in The picture teems with color, sus creating the character of "Cameo pense and action, and is a page from Kirby" in the play of that name, real- the most interesting chapter of Amerized the lure of the old river days, ican life. and made a play of real American

well known names as Alan Hale, Rich "Cameo Kirby," produced by Fox as a photoplay, will be seen at the ard Tucker, Jean Arthur and Eugenie Ford. John Ford is responsible R and R Palace Theater today. for the production.

In his search for the really good things in drama and fiction to put into screen form, William Fox selected "Cameo Kirby" as a fitting vehicle for his brilliant young star, John Gil-

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Prosecutions for violation of this section of the motor vehicle act must be started in the county where the defendant resides or where he operates his automobile and all sums collected from fines are to be used for road maintenance work in the county where the prosecution was had.

In addition to liability for failing The Methodist choir met Sunday to secure a license within the proper mmediately after the preaching serv- time, the automobile owner may also ce and accepted the resignation of be prosecuted if he obtains his license Mrs. F. J. Neal as choir president and plate from any other source than the elected Mrs. F. G. Robertson to take State Highway Department or auher place. Mrs. Robertson had been thorized agents of the department. president five years or more but re- Also, any person who attempts to sell signed last symmer on account of ill license plates without authorization from the department violates the law. Mrs. M. C. Manroe is vice presi- For each of these offenses the fine dent; Mrs. J. S. Schooler, treasurer; is not less than \$25.

Mrs. Roy Scudday, pianist. The choir The work of checking up on motorwill meet every Thursday evening at ists to see that they have their proper 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Rob- plates is left entirely to the various | counties of the state, since the pros-They are already planning a sacred ecutions are brought and the fines concert for Sunday evening, Jan. 19, collected by the counties. This phase at the church. At next Sunday morn- of highway regulation is not handled ing service Miss Ruby Hemby will by the Highway Department. Some sing and at the evening service, the of the counties make a concerted efladies quartette, will sing, Mrs. Jim fort to bring in all violators of the Butler accompanist. The president license law, starting vigorous caminvites all to attend choir rehearsals. paigns.



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PLUM CREEK

The young people of Pium Creek were entertained Saturday night by Mrs. H. G. Scotts. They were all dressed like children and Miss Adrina Comer and George McReynolds won the prizes offered for the best costumes.

Melva Boyd, Henry Bennet and Eilene McReynolds are on the sick lis

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Boy i, thei daughters, Ellen and Zora, Juanita Lynch and Calvin Montgomecy, took dinner at the McReynolds' home Sun-

Some of the people of this comnunity attended the church services at Bitter Creek Sunday.

Repair of the Plum Creek school iouse was begun last Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Brown is visiting her ling. sister, Mrs. G. W. Boyd, who lives in the Bitter Creek community.

H. B. Harris and family are visit ng J. W. Land.

Christian Church of Snyder, preached gradually

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baskett of iting relatives in Oklahoma. Wastella spent the week-end in the

rnoon. They have recently moved ried last week. They are making rom this place to Wastella. Miss Annie Jowell has returned to

their home in Hermliegh.

Abilene to enter school again.

Miss Effie Soules and Fred Glass took supper with Lois Richardson Sunday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Glass who recently moved from here to Loraine were back in Sunday school, Sunday morn-

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hazzard have returned home after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richardson.

The Dyer girls have returned to school after having spent their vacations here with their mother and

Mrs. Joe Adams is improving

Mr. and Mrs. S. Adams are vis-

nome of his sister, Mrs. J. E. Rich Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ince are vis-

Misses Flora and Edna Belle Jowell Miss Willie Smith of this place, and were in the singing class Sunday aft- Clyde Mason of Hermlegh were mar-

BUILD HOMES

Organized 24 Years Paid 164 Calls Defaulted In None!

Such is the record of the Denton County Home Relief Association as evinced by the following statement from G. W. Saunders, secretary, Dec. 15, 1923:

"We have been organized 24 years, have paid 164 calls and defaulted in none. We now call for assessment No. 165 and 166 owing to the death of two members-amount due from each member \$2.00."

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Political Announcements

The following announce their candilacy for the various offices named below, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Tax Collector: JIM BUTLER

MISS WILLIE ELLIOTT Re-election For Tax Assessor

For Public Weigher LLOYD ROGERS, re-election

H. P. HARKINS re-election

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

A. S. Mauzey re-election

FOR COMMISSIONER-Precinct 1 W. H. Thompson, re-election.

FOR SHERIFF

COUNTY CLERK Gus Farrar, re-election.

Jack Yarbrough re-election.

SUPERINTENDENT Public Instruction. Miss Minnie Fowler, re-election.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY R. D. Cox, Jr., re-election.

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE. Precinct 1

I. W. Brashear, re-election.

For District Clerk DAN CHILDRESS, Re-Election

For County Treasurer T. HIGHTOWER, Re-Election

Missionary Society Install

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held their meeting Monday afternoon at the hurch,

ly elected officers was the main fea- Houston and was in the signal corps. ture of the meeting, which was in charge of Mrs. N. L. Hall, the retir-

An interesting program on "The

New Day in Brazil" was enjoyed, Mrs. R. A. Stewart using the subject daughter of Stamford are visiting her

led a series of five minute talks on R. A. Carter had charge of the

Mrs. J. T. Hughes, the newly in-

LIGAMENTS TORN.

Fred Slack, expressman injured strained and torn. Ted Hall, injured the following day at the Santa Fe, is also recovering and will be up in a few days, it is reported .

She was very beautiful and had called in answer to an advertisement for a typist, "Where were you employed last?" asked the head of the firm. "In a doll factory," replied the applicant. "And what were your duties there?" was the next question. "Making eyes," she replied, with a smile. "Very well, you are engaged," she was informed: "but please don't demonstrate your capabilities when my wife is around."

The meeting of the Priscilla Club with Mrs. M. B. Howard Thursday

for the opening talk.

uation Campaign. Mrs. T. C. Tatum Sweetwater. Brazil; Mrs. N. L. Hall talked of the pledged by the members present. Mrs. there soon.

some days ago at the Santa Fe depot, will be confined to his home for several days yet while ligaments in his leg heal. An X-Ray showed no broken bones but ligaments badly

afternoon has been postponed.

Mrs. A. J. Wimberly will be hostess Thursday afternoon at a meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club, at her home on E. N. 2d St.

Albert Mason has received an honorable discharge from the army, through the efforts of Representative Blanton and will remain in Sweetwater. He was stationed at Fort Sam

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HUBERT TOLER

Mrs. Wayne Bryant and little brother, Ford Hamilton and wife, on they have been visiting he rparents Mrs. Kinsey talked on the Superan- Ash Street. She formerly lived at and friends.

society's pledge for missions for 1924, been transferred from the local yards Worth and other eastern points. which is \$130, \$80 of which was to Abilene. His family will join him

Mrs. J. P. Galneau of Weatherford stalled president, talked of the aims left this morning for her home, foland plans of the society for the New lowing a visit here of several days Year and closed the meeting with a at the home of Mrs. O. F. Leerstang and family.

> Mrs. Lester Johnson and three children of Clovis, N. M., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pipkin, and sister, Mrs. E. L. Langley. Mr. Johnson accompanied her, but went on to Dallas Tuesday on business.

> > DON'T MISS THE

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eidson returned yesterday from Brownwood; where

Mrs. Zada Hubbard has returned C. C. Davis, T. & P. engineer has from a visit to her brother at Fort

> "I've come to fix that old tub in the kitchen.'

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