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To Carry on Plans of Baptist New Building
OLD BUILDING GOES DOWN By J. M. Witcher
The Baptist people and other friends of Gatesville as a progressive town, were very sorry when they were told by two
competent authorities that the competent authorities that the
settling of the foandation of the Church had caused three walls to give outward until it wa unsafe to have anymore services in it. This building had been the church home of many people for the last thirty-two years. Many sacred memories must re-
main with this old building, but main with this old building, but they will be good foundation material for greater experiences in future Christian development.
They will serve as an anchor to those principles and that faith which will endure longer than time.
Thomas Edison said to his friends after a very disasterous fire, "well boys we are pretty
well burned out to night but tomorrow at sunrise we will begin to rebuild." The Baptist people of Gatesville in like manner began at once plans for the building of a plant that will take care of their Christian interests
without loss. The Church authwithout loss. The Church auth orized the appointment of committees for all needed lines of action.
The committee on taking down the old building, with N. E. 1) oster as chairman will soon
1.ve its work completed. This committee is doing its work very deliberately so as to save all materials in tact that can of any use in re-building.
The Committee on a tempo ary place of meeting, have so far made arrangements so satisfactory that the attendance at t church services and Sunday standard. It is sincerely hoped that fine spirit of loyalty so noticeably present in the greater part of the church membership Will increase in the emery member in a church has a place to fill. When this is filled well the church is doing well. Ira Glass is Chairman of the committee
The Committee on plans for


Bosque Couny Griders Out=Smart Gatesville to Win Xmas Game, 7=2 hocals outplay visitors A heroic stand but a losing ight now mars the record of the Gatesville All-Stars, following their game with the Bosque
county team here on Christmas Day before an anxious crowd of holiday fans, when the locals Despiteated. 7-2. as as accredited with gaining and more first downs scrimmage pponents, they were unable to stop the overhead attack that was responsible for their defeat in the second quarter when the Bosque club completed a 20 eard pass in mid-field, the re lone touchdown.
In the furth bracket with only seconds to play, after Gatesville had pushed the ball within a few inches of the goal, but lost it on downs, a smart Bosque signal caller elected to give the Coryell All-Stars a safety rathe than risk a punt out of danger, Receiving the ball from center, he fell on his knees behind his wn goal line to give Gatesville lonely two points. The game onded on the play that followed
the kick from placement on the the kick from placement
visitors 20 -yard stripe.

FORD MEN PLAN SHOWING

## OF NEW 1935 CAR

Officials and employees of the Coryell Motor Company left for Dallas Wednesday to be on hand t the Dallas distributing plan when the first 1935 model V-8 Fords are released. Amons hose who made the trip in be half of the local agency wer R. R. Anderson, Walter Stewart Claude Stewart and Kit Bridges. They were expected to
sometime this morning.
The Coryell Motor Company has announced a formal showing of the new 1935 model V-8 on Saturday,
morrow).

Frenchmen say the story of Paris is the history of France
scme submitted by competen architects and will likely be ready at the proper time to submit their choice to the church ence. Tdgar Franks is Chair man of building plans.
While those who can are busy inside the church encouraging reports and offers of assistance
come from without. Pete Bagley come from without. Pete Bagley
(colored) of Coryell Church has the honor of sending $\$ 5.00$ as the first cash offering since the
building was condemned. Other offerings are sald to be on their way and will be rcported later. good faith and congenial fellowbeginning of this great work $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { beginning of this great work } \\ & \text { may through God's grace con- }\end{aligned}\right.$

Interesting Program
Given When Building Is Officially Opened good crowp is present

A large and appreciative crowd attended the formal opening of the High School gym-auditorium in Gatesville on ThursEvening, Dec 20.
Before and after the patrons of the iocals program and friends were escorted about the premises of the building where they were shows the omics department and the many other features of the new buildother
ing.
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The Gatesville High School Band, under the capable directon of D. W. Disereas, furnished music for the evening and opened the program
selected numbers.
The Gatesville Little Theater
The Gatesville Little Theate presented a one-act play, "Spar kin" by E. P. Conkle, and fea-
turing Misses Penelope Hardin, Louis Walton, Mrs, Gracie Patillo Barber and Mr. Hazen Ament. The presentation was directed by C. E. Alvis, Jr., as sisted by Miss Elizabeth Wil lams and Mr. Henry Yongue The High School Choral Club irected by Miss Mamie Sue Halbrook, presented several vo-
cal selections in choruses and olos.
The Morris Federation Ensemble, a quartet of talented pianists, appeared next on the program with a special rendition.
Sup't Frank L. Williams pre sented three outstauding person who were instrumental in secur ing the new building, including Dan McClellan, president
the schoo1 board; Fred G. Prew cl , and C. E. Alvis, president the Chamber of Commerce.

## IED ON LIST OF A. HONOR STUDENTS

Three hundred twenty-one stu dents in Abilene Christian Col lege are listed in the second six weeks reports with honor grades in one or more subjects, according to records in the office of Mrs. Clara Bishop, registrar. show nearly ten per cent more honor grades than were made in the first six weeks. Six of the 594 college students earned honor grades in six subjects and 0 venteen made the requirer ix subjects is the full Five or courses allowed. The honor roll was postod last week in the bulwas postod last week in the bul-
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One student from Coryel county, who is on of the list honor students for this pe riod is T. H. Adams, Gatesville Four dust coated paintings, Four dust coated paintings being carried to a rubbish heap values of $\$ 800$, found to hav

Golfers Will Meet to Discuss Possibilities Of Building Lake Here

## meeting called tonight

## A special call meetig of the

 Gatesville Golf Club has been announced for this evening at 7:00 o'clock (Dec. 28) in the district courtroom, according to Howard Compton, president the club.Several matters of special interest to all members will be discussed among which will be the subject of a proposed lake for the club. No definite plans have been made to date, yet some very pertinent information has been obtained relative to the possibility of building The.
The meeting tonight will terminate the yearss activities and a program for the forthcoming season will be discussed. It is the club be present tonight.

FATHER AND SON OPEN AUTO AGENCY

A new automobile agency wned and operated by E. W Jones \& Son, was opened in Gatesville in the Johnson Building next door to the Texas-La. Power Co., Wednesday.
Mr. Jones and his son will deal in new and second hand cars, besides being exclusive agents for Buick and Pontiac cars.
The senior momber of the hirm is a native of this county, having had 15 yoars of exper-
fence in the automobile business. E. W. Jones, Jr., finished school here in 1930. He later attended A \& M College for two years and one year at Texas Tech. For the past two years
he has been an employee of the he has been an empioyee of
State Training School here.

GATESVILLE MAN INJURED

## IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Accordig to the Waco TimesHerald of Dec. 26, J. E. Woodson of Gatesville was injured, Wednesday when at $12: 15 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Wednesday when his coupe and
a taxi were in collision at Second and Washington avenue. ond and Washington avenue.
Charley Walker, 408 Hatton street, was driving the taxi, and treet, was driving the taxi, and negro drove out of a filling tation, police said. Both cars aken to Baptist sanitarium for reatment.
WIEE OF FORMER LOCAL ${ }^{-}$ PASTOR SUCCUMBS

News was received yesterda of the death of Mrs. S. J. McMurry at Barstow, Texas. Mrs McMurry was the wife of Dr. tor of the Presbyterin was pashere for many years. No particulars were received of the
cause of her death. She is surived by her husband and two sons, Jan McMurry Jr. of Waxahachie a

Summary of Work in Coryell Women's Clubs Shows Marked Progress

## to continte work in 1935

Home Demonstration club
ork was organized in Coryell ounty in June 1934.
There are thirty Womens Home Demonstration clubs in Coryell county, with an enrollment of 611, and one girls' club with an enrollment of 14. The Coryell county Home Demonstration Council with an enrollment of sixty has been organized. The council sponsored a county wide exhibit in Gatesville in October, and the Gatesvlle Chamber of Commerce very kindly donated prizes for the exhibit.
Club work this year consisted mainly of pantry and clothng work. Reports from clothing and pantry work show that 6,582 articles of clothing valued at $\$ 8,400.40$ have been made by club women and that 124 foundation patterns have been made Seventy one thousand, eight. hundred and thirty-three quarts of canned products valued at $\$ 18,871.45$ have been reported, together with dried vegetables, cured meats, etc. The value is brought up to $\$ 33$,492,55 .
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The Britishers were the most numerous and daring of the successful ivory poachers of Africa

## 'round the square <br> By The Snooper

Well, it's history now, Christ mas I mean That is, Christmas of 1934 is a thing of the past never to come again, except in memories and recollections. Gatesville and the many were privileged to havo days. Saw Norris Hanimack here; he is staying over for few days with his mother and sister Miss Ruby Turpio is helping the younger set whil some of here younger set while visiting here. Elmo Strickland has discarded his soda-apron for a typewriter. He's leaving soon told. Whs college, so we are and Elbert Slenmett Stewart after the hone got together revealed holidays they probably of them. Mrs, thoughtfulness has moved from Pideoke Street want to miss her sape doesn't lope Hardin has what we might call "Christmas time." If you her about it.

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dent's opinions were justified,
but who can put his ideas on
Mr. Brisbane's remarks on the the subject into prose so simple, $\begin{aligned} & \text { nature of the newspaper will }\end{aligned}$ accurate, and graphic that every- show. one can understand it
Well, Arthur Brisbane can, for one. A newspaper, he says, "is
a second hand." "On the face of your watch there are three hands. There is the slow hour-hand-you can not see it move. That is history written a long time after. Then, there is the rapidly moving minute-hand. You can see the change of its position, and that is the making of law and the other minor things that make it up. Then there is the second-hand. The part that the second-hand plays is time the newspaper plays in history of events.
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## Mrs. Laura Rayford and daughter, Raye

 the wee, Raye Virginia, spent the week end and several daysthis week with friends in Fort Worth.

Mrs. James Moss and son, Mears, returned to her home in Port Arthur this week. Mrs. Mears and Bob will remain for a short visit before returning to Gatesville. $\qquad$
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sadler had as their Christmas guests this wan Mr. Ma Mrs. Mcville; Mr. and Mrs Van Sader ville; Mr. and Mrs. Van Sadler
of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Frank of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Sadler of Houston and Misses Sadler of Houston and Misses
Loulse, Estelle and Vera Sadler. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jacksinn and children, Jack and Hallie Joe of Seymour; Miss Catherino Chambers of Marshall; Mrs. L.
B. Chambers of Waco and Mrs.
H. Y. Gilder of Temple spent Christmas in the O. G. Gilder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie True
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hristmas day.
Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Prewitt
and Linda are visiting friends and Linda are visiting friends Waco this week.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gray and mall son of Hamilton were guests here Christmas of Dr and Mrs. Reb. J. Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Parr and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright of Waco were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.
Miss Dorothy Ayres of Austin was a Christmas guest here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres.
Miss Evelyn Hensler of Bayor, Belton spent Christmas here with her father and grandparents.
Miss Elaine Cross and Miss Margaret Gandy are home from Baylor to enjoy the holidays with their parents.
Brooks Sasse of Baylor Uniersity spent Christmas holidays here with his parents and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Loraine Burt and family of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Theo Copeland and family of Dallas were Christmas guests Mrs. home of Mrs. D. H. Burt Mrs. Ethel Goodall and aughters, Nelle and France with friends and relatives.
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Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Foster and pretty daughter, Lou Ann, of Waco, have been visiting their parents here this week.

Misses Tressie Meharg and Zelma Scott, who are teaching in Evant, spent Christmas in this city with their parents and friends.
Miss Mimi Wilson of Taylor and Joe Wyatt of Dallas spent Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson and family.
Mr. P. M. Post and daughter Helon, are in Dallas visiting their daughters and sisters, Mrs W. F. Johnson and Mrs. David nderton, and families.
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Mrs. Frank Poole and son, Frank Jr. of Dallas are here as guests of her mother and sisters.
Dr. Otis Ray and father, K. W. Ray, have been in Llano his week deer hunting.
Jap Arnold of Austin was greeting relatives and friends in Gatesville this week.
Hugh Morrison of Austin was guest this week of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Morrison,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brock of Corsicana spent Christmas with relatives in Gatesville,
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson and Charles Edgar are spending and Charles Edgar are spending in Denton.

## See the latest

 See the latest Battery Radio operate on one Battery. No "B"or "C" Batteries required Mayes Studio "C Batteries required. Maye Studio \& Radio Shop. 2-1te
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## SNETMRAR

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5 Joe Satterfeld is a guest here of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Satterfield. Joc is attending high school in Comanche this $*^{y}$

Mrs. Laura Rayford and daughter, Raye Virginia, spent the week end and several days this week with friends in Fort Worth.

Mrs. James Moss and son, Bob, accompanied by Mrs. F. R. Mears, returned to her home in
Port Arthur this week. Mrs. Mears and Bob will remain for a short visit before returning a short visit
to Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sadler had as their Christmas guests this week Mr. and Mrs. McElhanan and Joe Carl of Huntsville; Mr. and Mrs. Van Sadler
of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Frank of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Sadler of Houston and Misses Sadler of Houston and Misses
Louise, Estelle and Vera Sadler.
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jacks $\vec{n}$ and children, Jack and Hallie Joe of Seymour; Miss Catherino Chambers of Marshall; Mrs. L.

- B. Chambers of Waco and Mrs. H. Y. Gilder of Temple spent
Christmas in the 0. G. Gilder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie True
were in Waco visiting relatives were in Waco
Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Prewitt nd Linda are visiting friends in Waco this week.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gray and small son of Hamilton were and Mrs. Reb. J. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Parr and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright of Mr.

Miss Dorothy Ayres of Aus tin was a Christmas guest here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres.
Miss Evelyn Hensler of Bay lor, Belton spent Christmas here with her father and grandparents.
Miss Elaine Cross and Miss Margaret Gandy are home from Baylor to enjoy the holidays with their parents.
Brooks Sasse oi Baylor University spent Christmas holidays here with his parents and

Mr. and Mrs. Loraine Burt and family of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Theo Copeland and family of Dallas were Christmas guests in the home of Mrs. D. H. Burt. Mrs. Ethel Goodall and daughters, Nelle and Frances, spent Christmas in Valley Mills with friends and relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Foster and Waco, daughter, Lou Ann, or Waco, have been visiting their parents here this week.
Misses Tressie Meharg and Zelma Scott, who are teaching in Evant, spent Christmas in his city with their parents and
friends. riends.
Miss Mimi wilson of Taylor and Joe Wyatt of Dallas spent Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson and Mr. and
family.
Mr. P. M. Post and daughter, Helon, are in Dallas visiting their daughters and sisters, Mrs. Anderton, and families.
Miss Ruth Raby Franks, attractive student of Baylor, Belton, is here for a Christmas visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Franks.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lengefeld and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lengefeld of Hamilton, spent Christmás in Gatesville with relatives and friends

Miss Virginia Bell Curry, Brooks Curry of Dallas, and Brooks Curry of Dallas, and
John Hall Curry of Tyler were guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Curry.
Misses Faye Hamilton, Erma Dovle, Dessie Lee Hair and Dolly Farmer, papular students of Christmas here with their parents and friends.
Misses Ethel Routh, Jimmle Doris Edwards and Merle Scott are in Gatesville spending a
delightful visit with relatives delightful visit with relatives
and friends. These young id. les are attendants of C I Denton.
$\underset{\text { Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chollar }}{\substack{\text { Asited friends in Waco Christ- }}}$ mas day.
Mrs. Frank Poole and son, Frank Jr. of Dallas are here as guests of her mother and sisters.
Dr. Otis Ray and father, K. W. Ray, have been in Llano this week deer hunting.
Jap Arnold of Austin was greeting relatives and friends in Gatesville this week.
Hugh Morrison of
a guest this week of Austin was Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Morrison.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brock of Corsicana spent Christmas with relatives in Gatesville.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson and Charles Edgar are spending the holidays with their parents in Denton.
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Miss Villa Holmes of the local school faculty is spending the holidays with relatives in Perry, Oklahoma.
Elworth Lowrey, student of Baylor Medical school at Dallas, is at home this week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Lowrey.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin and daughter, Flo Gene. Mrs. Pete Patterson and Miss Louise Mayes, were Evant visitors Sunday.
Jim Ward of Douglas, Arizona and Miss Lorena Ward of Houston, have been visiting their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.
Ward, during the holidays.
Mr . and Mrs. Jacob Saylors
nd son Mrs. Jacob Saylor and son, Lyman, of Goldthwaite, spent Christmas day in the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Stinnett of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Stinnett and family.
$\overline{\text { arson of John Tarie- }}$
Grady Carson of John Tarleton, and Al Carson of Amarilio, were Christmas guests of their
parents, Mr. and Mrs, Kit Carparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kit CarSchool. at the State Training mas with aheir parents, Mr and $\left|\begin{array}{l}\text { Mrs. H. H. Howell of this city. }\end{array}\right|$

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Twenty Grand, one of America's greatest thoroughbreds, is being fer the $\$ 100,000$ handicap at the new Santa Anita track near Los Angeles for the $\$ 100,000$ handicap at the new santa Anita track
on February 23. Mrs. Payne Whitney is his owner.


Miss Emma Lee Carlyle and Mrs. Louis Holloway of Dallas spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlyle.
Rev. M. M. Chunn left Wednesday for Munday, Texas to be at the bedside of a brothereath who is at the point of

Herschel Howell of Sin An -


For your kindly patronage and the pleasing dealings we have had with our friends during the past year, makes us pause at this time to extend to them our Sincere Season's Gireetings, and to wish that they have all Happiness and Pros= perity throughout the year 1935.

We wish that this good fortune may start on the very first day and continue through the entire year.


## PERTSTNAI <br> PEHSUNAL

Bob Oldham spent Christmas with his family in this city.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vance Waco visited relatives here
Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Sadler of Dallas have been visiting rela tives and friends here.
Billy Culberson of Greenville is here visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. Dave Culberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Osear Gloff spent Christmas day with rela tives in Clifton.

Mrs. K. W. Ray of this eity is in Houston this week visiting her sister.

Pearl Brown, who teaches at Rio Hondo, Texas, is a Christmas guest here of her parents Dr. and Mrs. Reb. J. Brown.

Rusty Busby of Taylor is here for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Busby.

George witt and Bob Brown of Tarleton College are holiday guests here of their parents anc - friends.

Miss Laura Louise Pearson is enjoying the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Pearson of Colorado, Texas.
Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Sadler and daughter, Sallie of Waco, spen Christmas day with his father H. P. Sadler.

Mrs. Jacob Floyd and children of Alice, Texas, are guests here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Jones,

Mrs. Carrie Schley Harwood of Dallas is a guest this week of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wells o Dallas visited this week with his mother, Mrs. O. F. Wells.

Miss Robbie D. Simpson of Amarillo is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Miller Stinnett, and family.
-Turkeys! Turkeys! We are buying one more load, must be in by Saturday noon. From 5 lbs. up. A. L. Mayes Store.

Will Painter of Fort Worth spent Christmas day here with his mother, Mrs. G. L. Painter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blackard of Gilmer were Christmas guest here of her parents and friends marriage Miss Margurite Johnson.

Mrs. C. R. Jones and daugh ters of Texarkana are visitors in the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. T. W Turpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay McClellan and son of Waco have been visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Stover or Teague were guests here the first of the week in the home of Mrs. Stover's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Baldridge, and brother, Doyle.

## Miss Ila Fae Selby is in Den

 ton with her parents.Coach Maurice Ewing is vigit-
ing his parents in Gonzales dur-



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## Community News Letters

## CHURCHES

First Christian Church Bible study at 10 o'clock every Lord's Day morning. Come and worship" with us.

German Bethel Baptist Church W. H. Buenning Pastor

Sunday School at 10 a. $m$ with classes for old and young Americans.
Preaching service in German
$11 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.
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vening at $7: 00$.
7:00.
Preaching service $8: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ ing services are in The evenwe all understand. We lanuag all a very hearty welcome.

First Methodist Church Sunday School Sunday $: 45 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. 10.55 Sermon Church at 10:55. Sermonpastor. 6:15-Young Peoples Meetin 7:00-Preaching services. The pastor was called out town last Wednesday but
be back for Sunday services.

First Baptist Church

## invite you to our setvic

## Sunday of he old

 Seven Unions of the Baptis Training Union at 6:00 p. m. Sunday the pastor will preach at 11:00 a. m. and Sunday night John will be divided into two sections. The sermon Sunday
## sermons a Ling Jesus

closing of the old
Wednesday night 7 the pastor will conduct praye meeting, speaking from the Seventh Chapter of Hebrews. May the New Year bring you the best and may each of us
give our best to and for Him.The Savior and Father.

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Presbyterian Church
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We wish each and every sin
gle one of you a mest happy an
prosperous New Year.
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Jeuus Christ, who only throug
with God and His Own joy
your New Year will be pros perous if you make Christ firs his promise is unto all: Seak and His righteousness and all these things will be added unto you." There will be services at the Bresbyterian Church on next sunday, December 30. Let end the old Year with worship Father for His multiplied to us during the year just past and pray for His continued blessings during the year to come. The pastor will preach at $11 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. The pubific is cordially invited to worship with us.

Jas. M. McLean, pastor
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Clifford, of Bay City are here visiting relatives.
Mrs. Sam Whigham and son of Flat spent Monday here with relatives.

Oldest Twins in United States


These claimants to the title of the oldest twins in the United States, T. McCargar of Burbank, Calif., and A. L. McCargar of Whittier, eighty-four, were guests of honor at the Western division meeting of the ecine for longevity, A said. "Hard work and regular habits," L. W. Watson of Cordele in return this year of over $\$ 40$ per Jackson county states: "In 1932 bale on my cotton." According made 120 bales of cotton at a to the farm demonstration agent net profit of $\$ 120$ or only $\$ 1$ Mr. Watson keeps an accurate produced less costo of production uction I maws wherein his profit


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