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ger companies appeared in the years a peace officer in Bexar coun-Houston Post of last Sunday, show- ty and has done splendid service as ing the different companies and cap- captain in the Ranger force. His the service under Capt. Wright's ily, friends and old neighbors of the tains and their men. There are six first sergeant is Frank A. Hamer, companies along the border and one who has been in the service for at Austin, held in reserve for emer- many years and done valuable work all evil doers fear him. gency calls as may come from the in the lower Rio Grande country. different sections of the state.

It affords us great pleasure to a peace officer. their friend and render them every the Mexicans along the border. assistance when opportunity offers. | Company D.-Commanded by Capt.

made an enviable record as an of- Wilson county and has grown into

Company B.—Commanded by Capt A full report of the different Ran- Chas. Stevens, who was for many

make mention and give a report on Company C .- Commanded by as a detective and is an all round who formerly lived in Marfa. We all these Ranger captains and their Capt. W. M. Ryan, is stationed at good officer, with J. P. Honeycut are proud to say she left many dear records. Only for the lack of space Laredo. While he is not a veteran in as his sergeant. we would publish the games of the service, he has shown himselfity. Dave in combant, who has not re- won wher again, all of be clearly seen. Blue, green, red orials placed in St. Paul's later in panies. It has been our pleasure to His sergeant, Claud Franklin, has cruited his company to full strength such a noble, good personally know all these Ranger been long in the service and has but will do so under the new order We left daughter Blanche with her captains in person and we consider cendered Capt. Ryan much val- given by the governor. them a fine set of officers, always vable assistance. He is considered ready to do their duty when called one of the best posted men in Texas on. Every good citizen should be on the habits and peculiarities of

Company A-Commanded by Capt. W. L. Wright stationed at Brown Jerry Gray. Capt. Gray, who is sta- ville. He is a peace officer in deed tioned at Presidio, and was and in truth. He is a veteran in the formerly marshal at Temple and service and one of the most famous has made a fine record as Ranger Texas sheriffs, having served as captain in the Big Bend country and sheriff of Wilson county for many is esteemed highly in the service as pears. Capt. Wright is a man who a man of coolness and executive is faithful to duty under all cirability. H. A. King is his first ser- cumstances and has done his coungeant, a man who has lived long in try a wonderful service in the exthe Big Bend country and who ecution of the law. His sergenat, knews its trails perfectly and has L. J. Eads, who was also raised in

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leadership. He is known from one Johnsons, where we received a end of the border to the other and hearty welcome and many valuable

He has made a state reputation as J. L. Andrews, stationed at Mara- meant so much to us in seeing Calithon. He has seen much service as fornia. We also visited Mrs. Tait,

Pleasant California Trip

After an absence of three weeks hands as Mrs. Tait. n California, we are back on the We visited a short time in Los Texas, although California is a de- busiest and most modern and up-toand place to live.

never get a bite, we bade them good the magic isle of the blue Pacific.

In Pasadena, with the Grimes fam-

courtesies. Their fine Limozine car Company E .- Commanded by Capt. was at our disposal at all times and friends behind her here who are

soon regain her health, as she is much better. We feel exceedingly fortunate to have her in such good

b again and glad to get back to Angeles, which is considered the ightful country, and a great climate date city on the western coast. It is the home of several popular and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson of leading stars in the moving picture Snyder, daughter Blanche and my- world, such as Mary Pickford, Charelf left here on December 1st, ar- lie Chaplin and others. We attendived at Long Beach, Cal., which is ed the opera at the Mason opera a fine town on the Pacific coast and house with Alexander Bushman and delightful climate, which was Beverly Bain, his wife, in the "Masrowded with tourists from all ter Thief," which was extra good; parts of the United States. After last, but not least, we visited the pending a week there, taking in Santa Catalina Islands, 26 miles the sights, watching the boats come across the bay, which are owned and and go and see the old fellows sit controlled by Mr. Wrigley, the on the wharf and fish all day and chewing gum millionaire. This is

ye and good luck, and moved head- We had a splendid day out on the quarters up to Pasadena, which is a water; we saw the aeroplanes alight beautiful and ideal residence town in the water and move on as if they where a great many wealthy people were on land, but the beautiful sunlive. It is also a great church set on the ocean on our return in town and the population is an ex- the evening was a beautiful sight. cellent class of people who are ever Frost is unknown on these islands. ready to make the stranger welcome | Tourists come from all over the Uninto their midst and extend all cour- ited States and Canada to enjoy its tesies possible an one soon feels at mild winter climate. Avalon, the home among them. We visited our center of the lislands' life and old time friends, Rev. C. E. Morgan gaiety, is on the landward side, proand family and was extended a tceted from the ocean's winds by the hearty welcome. They were island mountain range. Nestling in well, prosperous and happy; they this sunny cove are its hotels, stores, live at Cardena, a short distance bath houses, its tennis courts and out of Los Angeles; they sent their golf links; its island villa and its friendly and best wishes to all their canvass cottage city and the cozy homes of the Catalina residents.

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ip-to-date hotel, which is just fin- Another Memorial for Saint Paul's shed. Practically all of Santa Cataina Islands' attractions have no losed season and are open the year that Mr. Adolph Schneider is to pre-

these wonderful gardens where the Intimation has been given that he searple fishes playing through a to spend the winter, hoping she will to be forgotten. Taking it altogeth-

er, California is a wonderful country and any Californian is a booster, keep as becomes Christians the closand in passing will say that Cali- ing hours of the old year and the fornia's good roads is one of her opening of the new year by a solgreatest assets, but after all we are emn church service of Holy Comglad to get back home in old Texa,s munion beginning at 11:30. All are which looks better to us than any invited to attend. ountry in the world.

Miss Nannie Hillary Harrison, who tending school in Austin, returned is engaged in newspaper work in Ft. Sunday. Worth, arrived Sunday to be the guest of her brother, Rev. C. S. Harrison and family. Miss Harrison Chavez of Shafter were visiting in has been connected with the El Paso | Marfa Saturday and Sunday. Times, San Antonio Express and Denver Post before entering the oil publicity department of the Ft. spend the holidays with her par-

Worth paper.

Anouncement was made yesterday sent to Saint Paul's Episcopal A visit to the submarine gardens, church in loving memory of his eal rocks, Moon Stone beach, the wife, Hattie Schneider, a handsome Isthmus and around the islands in pair of ecclesiastical candlesticks the glass bottom boat is one of the for Saint Paul's altar. These will great mysteries of nature. Glass be dedicated with fitting ceremony bottomed boats make daily trips to on St. Paul's day, January 25, 1920. colorful life of the ocean beds can there are to be several other mem-

St. Paul's Episcopal church will

Miss Mildred Childress, who is at-

Misses Stella Young and Rita

Miss Allie Brown left Monday to ents in Los Angeles.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We are authorized to announce V. I. Cargile as a candidate for the on ce of representative of the 117th District, subject to the action of the primaries, July, 1920.

Christmas Has Come and Gone

The return of the Christmas spirit is the essence of love. It happily draws us away from thought of self and prompts the thoughts of others.

The heart is hard indeed that doe. not imbibe enough of the spirit of the generous season to swell with affection for others and to yearn to give. It is a rare soul that is no exalted by the satisfaction found it the ancient truth that it is mor "Blessed Give Than to Receive." We all appreciate the gifts we receive and are graetful, but those who get the most out of Christma are those who give and especiall, those who give to the needy.

There never was a time when nie needed so much to apply the prin cipals in the Christmas message : now. Men, classes and nations hav wandered far away from them; bit terness and strife have ruled instea of happiness and peace which th angels decreed for all men and fo which the one whose birth we cele brate on Christmas day lived an died. Above everything else w need to get back to the proposition that human relations can be estab lished upon a peaceful bas's permanently, only when the principa of Love when interpreted for practical purposes is fair play, justic and generosity which underlies i

In extending the Christmas greet ings of the season, the New Era car wish for all no greater boon than the true spirit of Christmas floor the heart for everyone regardless of nationality of station in life for n happiness can surpass that whici 's from unselfis' Let every home and hearth radiate good cheer and warmth and may every wanderer that returns fine the home fires burning.

-0X0-Women Will be Active in Politics

It is already a foregone conclusion that the women will be active in politics in the 1920 campaign more than ever before in a national canvass. This will be more than a mere playing for women's votes, as it has already been abundantly demstrated in equal suffrage states that women are really very efficient in politics; that they can and do originate political methods that are fully as effective as the best methods of men. Oftentimes more effective. Hence women named to important committees will not be placed there merely as ornamen' or as vote catchers, but as coefficient with men in the brainy work of i campaign.

That this will contribute greatly to the public interest in political To gaze in your own, and it's care, issues and redound to the benefit of the country by quickening its A little one's hand in your own to good citizenship seems assured.

-0X0-Our Quota Still Short

In reporting the names of the children who contributed to the Sanitarium Fund to build a home for our soldier boys who have contracted tuberculosis, the names of three Mexican children was left off so we report them now:

Anadina Martinez Enriquetta Quintella Cruez Cordova

We would also like to say to the good people of Marfa, we are something over one hundred dollars short on this fund and we must not fall down on our quota to help take care fo our soldier boys. Anyone who would donate please see A. M. Avant as soon as convenient.

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After the ctime friend, R. A. Lackents, and eac- a pleasant call this ifts, interesting 84 the New Era sent o'clock refrest. Bob says he is d tea were servery country

hirty guests .

Poll Taxes Are Now Due

Any person who was in our army n 1918 and 1919 will not have to pay poll tax to be entitled to vote. He can vote in his home precinct by presenting his discharge to the election officials, or by making affidavit ! as to his army service.

The ladies should remember that next year is election year and that they have the right to participate n all primary elections, and the hances now look good that they will have the long deferred right o vote in the next general election; therefore it becomes your DUTY to ey the poll tax and secure the right o vote, that you may by your wislom help to guide our country hrough these perilous times.

Any young lady or man who has eached the age of twenty-one since he first day of last January, or who will be twenty-one before the elecion next year can vote in that elecion; ;provided they will apply to he tax collector's office and get an xemption certificate before the first of next February. This cerificate is FREE.

Anyone, man or woman, who cannot pay their poll tax in person, must send an order with the remitance to the tax collector authorzing some one else to make pay-

Order for Poll Tax Receipt ra W. Cline, Tax Assessor, Presidio

County, Texas: I hereby authorize Mr

pay my poll tax for the year ear 1919.years old. Have reded in Texas.....years, in Predio countyyears, and in r years. My race is white, colored. y occupation is ... y P. O. address is

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Child Who is more than the world and the crown and the day. With its love so perfect and un-

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Dancers are many on time's wide

But the child is the dancer of fairy

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of the coming of Santa across the

Of the toys and trinkets and good-

and so in the hour of the world's good will. The child with its visions at last

A little one's eyes with their far-

shall meet!

good night!

cling and away, and away to the holiday

To the sway and the swing, the dancing glee

Of the holiday spirit, the magi Cheer-For it's almost time for the Christmas tree.

And old man Santa will soon be

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The State of Texas o the Sheriff or Any Constable of Presidio County, Greeting:-You are hereby commanded to o the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your coun-

if there be a newspaper pubshed therein, but if not, then in he nearest county where a newsaper is published to apear at the ext regular term of the district ourt of Presidio county, to be holen at the court house thereof, in larfa, Texas, on the fourth Monday a January, A. D. 1920, the same beng the 26th day of January, A. D. 920, then and there to answer a econd amended petition filed in said lien. ourt on the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1919 in a suit numbered on the locket of said court No. 2510, wheren Alphonse Kloh and David Rumsey are plaintiffs, and Charles Peterson. A. M. Avant, Arthur L. Shelley, ad-ministrator of the estate of Joe C. Cearby, deceased, Mrs. Cora Ava ty. Reister, executrix and sole legatee inder the will of J. C. Reister, deeased, DavidGottlieb and the Cedar Rapids Savings Bank, are defendants ber. A. D. 1919. nd said petition alleging in subtance that on April 29, 1915, the laintiffs, together with Emil Baerwald, conveyed to Charles Peterson idio county. Texas, containing 640 ******* * ************** eres of land surveyed in the name . of the T. & P. Ry. Co., by virtue of ertificate number 1-430; that as a a part of the consideration the said Peterson gave nine vendor's lien otes for \$320.00 each of date April & c. 1915, and due in one, two, three, . our, five, six, seven, eight and nine | Del Rio ears from date, respectively, said otes drawing interest at 6 per cent er annum and containing the usual & Mounting Deer Heads \$10 to \$15 10 per cent attorney's fees clause or collection. The deed of coneyance retained a vendor's lien & Taning Coyotes and Cats \$2 to

gainst the land to secure said otes, that the notes contained clause to the effect that the older of any note might delare all of the series due & Puts lots of salt on all furs and & any one of the notes was not paid 🕏 heads and send to N. G. Nuter at 🗢 t maturity, that the first four ma- once. uring notes are long past due, and &

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C. Kearby, deceased, which est ammon Charles Peterson and the owns a judgment, an abstract of ledar Rapids Savings Bank a cor- which is on file in Presidio county poration, by making publication of Texas; that M.s. Cora Ava il iste his Citation once each week for the executrix and sole legates un our consecutive weeks previous the will of J. C. Reicter, deceased and that the said J. C. Reister onained a judgment and caused an abtract to be filed in Presidio cou. Texas; that the defendants, David Gottlieb and the Cedar Rapids Savings Bank hold judgments and have placed abstracts thereof of record in Presidio county, Texas, but that all of said judgments are inferior t the vendor's lien sued upon.

Plaintiff's pray judgment for the notes, interest, and attorney's fees with a foreclosure of the vendor's

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

Witness, J. H. Fortner, clerk of the district court of Presidio coun-Given under my hand and the seal

of said court, at office, in Marfa Texas, this the 23rd day of Decem-J. H. Fortner, Clerk District Court, Presidio Cour

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aid land to secure the payment o notes: that the first four of rotes are long past due ar My unpaid, that said notes contain a provision authorizing the hol der of any one of them to declare a of said notes due in case there was failure to pay any one of said note at maturity; that the plaintiffs ar the legal holders of said notes, a! of which are unpaid, and have de clared all of said notes due, the the defendant, Peterson, conveye said land to A. S. Smith and A. Smith conveyed the same to the defendant Sidney Larsford in whom the title now stands, that the defendant, Gustav Raetzsch purchased said land at sheriff's sal under a judgment against the sai A. S. Smith and he claims some in terest in said land by virtue of saisherin's deed; that th cother de fendants in this suit hold judgmen eas by reason of abstracts of judg ment which have been filed and re corded in Presidio county. Texas: but all of said judgment liens ar inferior to the vendor's lien assert ed in this suit. The plaintiffs pra-judgment for the amount of sai-notes, together with the interes' thereon and 10 per cent attorney fees and a foreclosure of the ven dor's lien against the land above de scribed, to satisfy said judgment. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid nex

regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witnese, J. H. Fortner, clerk o the district court of Presidio coun-

Given under my hand and the sea: of said court, at office, in Maria Texas, this the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1919.

J. H. Portner, Clerk District Court, Presidio Coun-

St. Paul's Episcopal church brated the birthday of Christ wir three very beautiful services of Christmas Eve. The first of these began at four o'clock and was well attended. The familiar Christmas carols of old England and the hymns of the church were sung. Dr. Mc Clellan told the story of the "Walled Country." After the religious service Santa-appeared and from a Christmas tree, distributed gifts to the children of the church school. The rector presented each child with a Medaeval Christmas card and a Bible. The altar was lighted with candles for this service. At five the "Candle Light" service was held. Again the church was well filled. Only candles were burned at this service and the ohurch with the Christmas tree and greens, presented a lovely appearance. The rector told the ghildren the story of "Why ols by the vested choir under the direction of Mr. Chester Bonner.

ols Mrs. Herold M. Pennell of the in the nearest county is there be a abandoned plaintiff with no intennet, then in the nearest county tion of ever returning, since which J. H. Fortner, with Mrs. Harold M. Pennell at the organ and Mrs. Graves Bogel, violinist, there was a procession throthe church, headed by the crucifer, Master Lawrence Ressor. Promptly at midnight the Holy Comunion began. Dr. McClellan spoke on the spepherds of Bethlehem and dediscrete the memorials.

Where a newspaper is published to speed the next regular term of the district court of Presidio county, limit the support of the district court of Presidio county, plaintiff; that plaintiff through dilingent search has not since been able to ascertain the whereabouts of defendant.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Speeding—

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Speeding—

You are hereby commanded to summon Louis Jiminez, by making on the fourth Monday in January, A. D. 1919 in a suit number of the district court of Presidio county, and the same being the 26th day of January, A. D. 1920, then same being the 26th day of July, A. D. 1919, in suit number of the district court of Presidio county, and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th of the Sheriff or any Constable of Speeding—

The State of Texas:

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You are hereby commanded to summon Louis Jiminez, by making of Summon Louis Jiminez, by making on the fourth Monday in January, A. D. 1920, the same being the 26th day of July, A. D. 1919, in suit number of the court of Presidio county, and the support of the district court, Presidio Count, cated the memorials.



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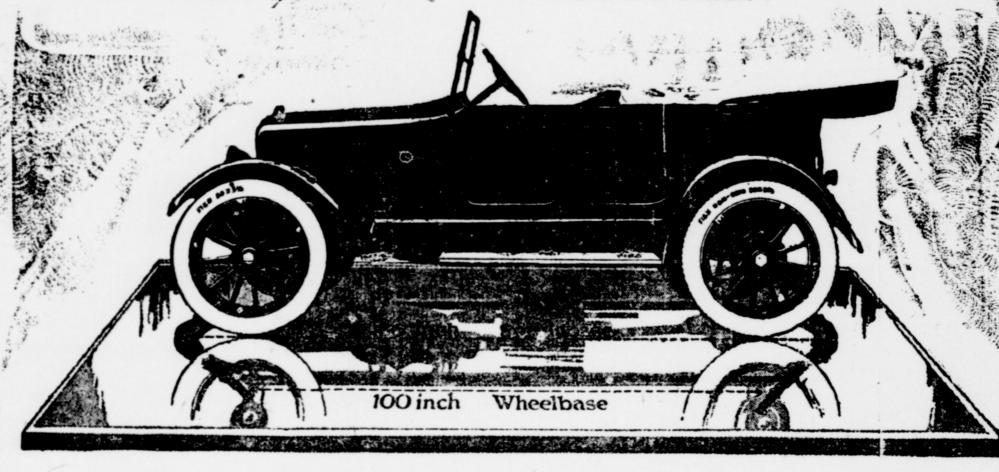
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The Overland Marfa Co.

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To the Sheriff of Presidio County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Rosendo Carrasco by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to apepar at the next regular term of the district court of Presidio county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Marfa, Texas, on the fourth Monday in January, A. D. 1920, the same being the 26th day of January, A. D. 1920, the 26th day of January, A. D. 1920, the 26th day of there to answer a petition the 46th day filed in said court on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1919, in a suit court No. 2554 wherein Simon L. de | Leon is plaintiff and Rosendo Car-1 rasco, Juliana C. Evaro and Pablo G. 1 Evaro, husband and wife, Modesto Carrasco, Teofilo Carrasco,, Francisca C. Lavario and Francisco Lavario, husband and wife, Victar C. Evaro and Pablo C. Evaro, husband and wife, Gaudalupe Carrasco and Elauterio Carrasco are are defendthis and said petetion alleging in

caughters and all the legal heirs at law of Matco Carrasco, deceased; that on or about the first day of January, 19f9, he, the plaintiff, was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Presidio county. Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

160 acres of land known as survey No. 8, Abstract No. 80, Patent Vol. A. page 103; on the east bank of the Rio Grande river about 17 miles south, 45 degress east from the town of Presidio, patented to Jose Bustillos, June 2, 1876, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a stake on the bank of the river set for the southeast corner of Survey No. 7, made for Toribio Ynojos (Ynojas); thence north 40 degrees east, 1900 vrs. along the east line of said Survey No. 7 to a rock mound; thence south 50 degrees east, 475 vrs. to a rock mound thence south 40 degrees west 1900 vrs. to a stake on the bank of the river; thence up the river 50 degrees west 475 vrs. to the place of

That he has had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse pos- Alpine, Texas; that said property session of the above described lands uppears in the name of defendant. of litle from and under the state of Texas for more than three years: that he, the plaintiff, and those whose estate he has claiming under deeds duly registered and recorded as the law requires has had peaceable, continuous and adverse por session of the above described land and premises, cultivating, using and and enjoying the same, and paying taxes thereon for such time, for the period of more than five years; that in has had and has peaceable and a verse and continuous possession of the above described land and premises and claiming to have good and neefect title and right to the same for more than a period of ten years, and cultivating, using and enjoying the same, all of which he is ready to verify.

That on the year and day aforesaid the defendants unlawfully entored upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withhold from him the pos session thereof to his damage in the sum of four thousand dollars.

That the reasonable rental value of said land and premises is one

thousand dollars per annum. Wherefore, the plaintiff prays the court that the defedants be cited to appear and answer this petition and that plaintiff have judgment for above described land and premises. and that writ of restitution issue. and for his rents, damages and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to.

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

Witness, J. H. Fortner, clerk of the district court of Presidio county Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Marfa, Texas, this, the 16th day of December, A.

J. H. Fortner, Clerk District Court, Presidio Coun-

By L. Quick. Deputy. Citation by Publication

The State of Teras To the Sheriff or any Constable of Presidio County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Estella Leyva by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Presidio county. to be holden at the court house thereof, in Marfa. Texas, on" the fourth Monday in January, A. D. 1920, the same being the 26th day of January, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1919, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 2550, wherein Pedro Leyva is picintiff and Estella Levva is dethat he is a resident of the county of Presidio, state of Texas, and has dod in said county of Presidio

six months prior to the A-uit and is an actual ents, at of the state of ~ifts, intothe defendant o'clout the 27th d teatinued to od a time

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hat time lived in adultery with one ty. were born to them: Vizola Leyva, ber, A. D. 1919. girl now 14 years old, and Ynosnte Leyva, a boy now 12 years old; Clerk District Court, Presidio Counhat said children are now and have! een at all times since the depart- (d1-17) ire of their mother, in the care and ustody of the plaintiff; that during he time plaintiff and defendant lived together as husband and wife plaintiff bought Lot No. 1, Block No. 1 18, in Gillis addition to the town of is not her separate property, but Jane Smith, and the Cedar Rapids was bought by plaintiff with his earnings, and was used and occu- by making publication of this fied by plaintiff and family as a

Plantff prays for judgment dislving said marriage relation, for ustody of the children, and for title nd possession of the above deribed real estate.

i said court, at office in Marfa, 'exas this the 17th day of December

J. H. Fortner,

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The State of Texas

Presidio County, Greeting:n Jánuary, A. D. 1920, the same beng the 26th day of January, A. D. 920, then and there to answer a peoth day of November, A. D. 1918, in suit numbered on the docket of

lice is plaintiff, and Birdie I. Rice. ghn C. Dysart, Mattie L. Dysart W. King, Sr., H. G Medenry, . Orrill Peace McHenry, individnally and as executrix under the vill of the estate of H. G. McHenry. eccased, are defendants and said etition alleging plaintiff and deendants are the joint owners of he following described lands, described in plaintiff's petition, in

Presidio county, Texas, as follows: Section four (4), certificate 416. n block one (1), Denfson & Pacific ec. 16, in Vol. page 693. And prayng for a partition of the said decribed lands between the said joint estly due to J. C. Rice the sum of 194.62, same being the amount paid y him to the state of Texas on the

lice and her vendees. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next of said court, at office, in Marfa, regular term, this writ with your Texas, this the 23rd day of Decemeturn thereon, showing how you ber, A. D. 1919.

flomas Fierro; that during the Given under my hand and the seal ime plaintiff and defendant lived of said court, at office in Marfa, ogether the following children Texas, this the 19th day of Decem-

> J. H. Fortner, By L. Quick, Deputy Citation by Publication

The State of Texas To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Presidio County, Greeting:-You are hereby commanded to summon Charles Peterson, Laura

Savings Bank,

Citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your coun-'y, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to apear at the next regular term of the Herein fail not, but have before next regular term of the district id court, at its aforesaid next reg- court of Presidio county, to be hollar term, this writ with your re- den at the court house thereof, in an, showing how you have exe- Marfa, Texas, on the fourth Monday in January, A. D. 1920, the same be the 16th day of January, A. D. he district court of Presidio county. 1920, then and there to answer Given under my hand and the seal plaintiff's first amended original petition filed in said court on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1919 in suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 2551, wherein Al-Bork District Court, Presidio Coun- phonse Kloh and David Rumsey are plaintiffs, and Charles Peterson, Gustav Raetzsch, Laura Jane Smith. Arthur L. Shelley, administrator of the estate of Joe C. Kearby, deceasthe State of Texas trix and sole legatee under the will You are hereby commanded to of J. C. Reister, deceased, David emmon Birdie I. Rice and Mattie L. Gottlieb and the Cedar Rapids Sav-Dysart by making publication of ings Bank are defendants, and said his Citation once each week for petition alleging in substance our consecutive weeks previous that on the 29th day of March, 1915, oothe return day hereof, in some they with Emil Baerwald deeded by ewspaper published in your coun- separate deeds the east one-half and if there be a newspaper pub- the west one-half of survey 277 in shed therein, but if not, then in block 2, T. & P. Ry. Co. in Presidio he nearest county where a news- county. Texas, certificate number aper is published to apear at the 1-431; that as a part of the considext regular term of the district eration for said land the said ourt of Presidio county, to be hol- Charles Peterson executed nine venen at the court house thereof, in dor's lien notes for each half of said larfa, Texas, on the fourth Monday survey, said notes being of even date with the deeds and being for \$160.00 each, each series due in one two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight and nine years from date respectively,drawing interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum and said court No. 2484, wherein J. C. each providing for the payment of 10 per cent adidtional attorney's fees if sued upon, said notes conaining clauses providing that the holders of any one of the same had the option to declare all of said notes due if there was a failure to pay any one of them at maturity; that the first four in each series are due and unpaid and the plaintiffs, the holders of all of said notes, have declared all of same due: that a vendor's lien was retained in said deeds to secure the payment thirty-four (34), certificate 431, both of said notes, that Charles Peterson conveyed said land to A. S. Smith Railway Company; six (6), certifi- and A. S. Smith conveyed the same cate 4629, twelve (12), certificate to defendant Laura Jane Smith in 633; eight (8), certificate 4630, all whom the title now stands; that in block No. 351, originally granted Gustav Raetzsch purchased said o the G. C. & S. F. Railway Com- land under an execution sale as the pany; section two (2), certificate property of A. S. Smith, that the 94, originally granted to the T. & other defendants are judgment lien St. L. Ry. Co., and sixteen (16), cer- helders by virtue of abstracts of ificate 336, originally granted to M. judgment filed in Presidio county, McBride, all of said sections de- Texas, in favor of Joe C. Kearby decribed by field notes in the office ceased, J. C. Reister, deceased, f the surveyor of Presidio county: David Gottlieb and the Cedar Rapection 4, in Vol. D-3, page 288, Sec. ids Savings Bank, all of which judg-4. in Vol., D-1, page 34, Sec. 2 in ment liens are inferior to the vert-Vel. O., page 663, section 6 in Vol. dor's lien asserted by plaintiffs. page 69, Sec. 8, in Vol. R., page Faintiffs pray judgment for the Section 12 in Vol. R., page 75 amount due on said notes with in-'erest and attorney's fees and with a foreclosure of the vendor's liens. Herein fail not, but have before

wners. And further alleging that said court, at its aforesaid next have executed the same. Witness, J. H. Fortner, clerk of ands herein claimed by Birdie I. the district court of Presidio coun-

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Altogether, it is promised that the occasion will be well worth attending. Marfa citizens and their families can illafford to miss it.

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notes: that the first four of rotes are long past due a My unpaid, that said notes contain a provision authorizing the hol der of any one of them to declare a of said notes due in case there was failure to pay any one of said note at maturity; that the plaintiffs ar the legal holders of said notes, a! of which are unpaid, and have de clared all of said notes due, the the defendant, Peterson, conveye said land to A. S. Smith and A. S Smith conveyed the same to the defendant Sidney Larsford in whom the title now stands, that the defendant, Gustav Raetzsch pur chased said land at sheriff's sal under a judgment against the sai A. S. Smith and he claims some in terest in said land by virtue of sai sherin's deed; that the cother de-fendants in this suit hold judgmen liens by reason of abstracts of judg ment which have been filed and re corded in Presidio county. Texas but all of said judgment liens ar inferior to the vendor's lien assert ed in this suit. The plaintiffs pra-judgment for the amount of said notes, together with the interest thereon and 10 per cent attorney fees and a foreclosure of the ven dor's lien against the land above de scribed, to satisfy said judgment.

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

Witness, J. H. Fortner, clerk of the district court of Presidio coun-

Given under my hand and the sea: of said court, at office, in Maria Texas, this the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1919. J. H. Portner,

Clerk District Court, Presidio Coun-

Beautiful Christmas at St Paul's

St. Paul's Episcopal church brated the birthday of Christ wir three very beautiful services Christmas Eve. The first of these began at four o'clock and was well attended. The familiar Christmas carols of old England and the hymns of the church were sung. Dr. Mc-Clellan told the story of the "Walled Country." After the religious service Santa-appeared and from a Christmas tree, distributed gifts to the children of the church school. The rector presented each child with a Medaeval Christmas eard and a Bible. The altar was lighted with candles for this service. At five the "Candle Light" service was held. Again the church was well filled. Only candles were burned at this service and the church with the Christmas tree and greens, presented a lovely appearance. The rector told the ghildren the story of "Why the Chines Rang." Old carols were to all present. The last service took place at eleven thirty and lasted until one fifteen Christmas morning. gan. Dr. McClellan spoke on the shepherds of Bethlehem and dedi-shepherds of Bethlehem and dedi-said court on the 17th day on the said court on the 17th day on the 18th day of the 18th day on the 18th day of the 18th day o cated the memorials.



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THE new Three-Point Cantilever Springs of Overland 4, by their special construction and design, protect car and passengers from ordinary road jolts. Bumping, twisting, swaying and vibrating are wonderfully lessened. The blows of the road seldom reach you. There is less tendency to bodily fatigue after long rides.

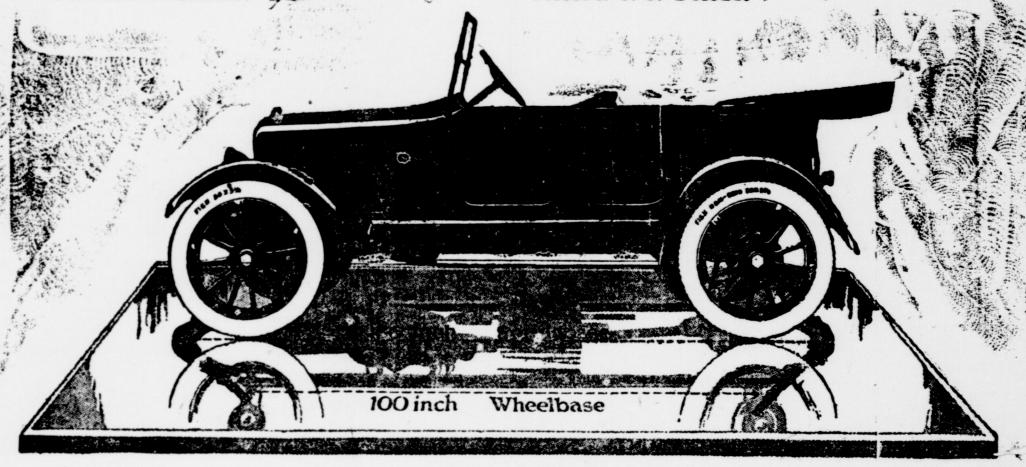
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each week for four weeks previous owners of eight and one-half acres

Tocals and Personals

Miss Hester Brite is home for the holidays.

from Austin.

N. W. Reynolds is on the sick list

Montgomery Ellison is home for the holidays.

this week.

J. E. Gregg is spending a fe wday at the Tyler ranch.

H. M. Fennell has been on the sick list this week.

Ellison Share is spending the holiwith home folks.

Misses Avrtle and Willie Rawls are home from school.

Mr. J. T. Bristow was doing business in Alpine this week.

The best of meals and short orders at the Crown Cafe.

Judge W. Vansickle of Alpine was seen on our streets Monday. Ed Terry of Presidio is spending

the helidays in Marfa this week.

Sunday from the State University. -Instructions in classical and ballroom dancing. Information Phone

Casner Motor Co Sales Co. are moving into their new building this

week. A beautiful new line of coats and waists. Call and see us. Milady's Shoppe.

Talbert of Fort Davis were in Marfa Monday.

Len Mitchell left Wednesday for his home in Floresville to spend a

C. Reddeck are spending a few days between the hours of 5 and 10 p. m. in El Paso.

Mrs J. D. Bunton left Monday to spend the holidays with her parents in El Paso.

Visit the Crown Cafe for short ormers or regular meals, 'Service is the motto here.

There is ample compensation in the satisfaction to the person who · makes children happy.

Miss Fitzgerald, who is attending schol in Austin, is spending the holidays with home folks.

For Rent-A three-room apartment with bath, hot and cold water. detectives with a little practice. Apply at New Era office.

Messrs. Frank Russell, Antonio Navaro and Gus Bueler of Shafter were Marfa visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Booth of Allamore more are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tig-

Miss Elizabeth Fennell, who has been attending school at Eagle Pass. is spending the holidays with home

Tyrrell Smith and D. O. Medley were doing business in Marfa this week from their Davis Mountain ranch.

Willie Bunton, who has been attending business college in El Paso returned Sunday to spend the holi-

Clemie Davis is spending the holidays with home folks. He is attending the A. & M. college at Bryan

Mrs. W. C. Kemp is expected home tomorrow morning from a holiday visit with relatives and friends at San Angelo.

Santa Claus may have grizzled locks and silvery beard but his heart bubbles with the fountain of youth. He has the most delightful job on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Orgain left Tuesday night for their old home at Bastrop to spend the holidays with Mr. Orgain's mother.

S. T. Wood was a Marfa visitor this week from his ranch south of town and remembered the New Era in a substantial manner.

Misses Dorothy and Catherine Mitchell, who have been attending schol at Denton, returned Saturday to spend the holidays with home folks.

Marfa is being put on the map as ford cattle country. Mrs. T. M. Wil-John Meade returned Thursday son sold to H. W. Sshutze a turkey of her own raising weighing 35 pounds and bringing 40 cen's per pound, netting \$14.00 which is the best turkey record and best price we have any record of. We : sked Mr. Wilson, as he was in the turkey business, what it cost to raise a turkey like that. "About \$25,00," he said, "But Mrs. Wilson made good money out of them anyway." He said a turkey would run a pound of fat off put on him with corn and

> The Rev. Clarence S. McClelland, r., rector of St. Paul's church, has been presented by Mr. John McGib- hunting is allowed in my pastures. bon of Fifth avenue, New York Trespassers will be prosecuted. city, the material for a handsome surplice, which will be made and embroidered for the rector's use ants of Fifth avenue in New York and was with the rector for part of the summer at Larchmont, N. Y.

wheat, catching one grasshopper.

Miss Lucie Belle Snyder returned Marfa this week. We are glad to 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. on the second record as an officer.

> home this week to spend the holidays. Mrs. Cardwell has been in the hospital in San Antonio for some time having her eyes treated. We are proud to note that her eyesight is improving.

Rev Parrish is the proud possessor of a fine Hudson six car which was Mr. and Mrs. Carl Raht and Mrs. presented him by his congregation as a Christmas present. He sure is proud of it and greatly appreciates this valuable gift.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Fischer will keep open house New Year's evening and will be very pleased to have all Miss Agnes B. Smith and Mrs. E. their friends call on them any time

Stolen Car Recovered

The stolen car of Mrs. Cardwell's was recovered last week at Los Cruses, New Mexico. Mr. F. C. Melland saw the man who took the car from Marfa and recognized him and between himself and the Marfa school boys who were going to school there and the assistance of the sheriff they not only captured the man but recovered the car and brought the man and the car back to Marfa. Leo Howell and Rudolph Mellard played an important part in the capture. The boys would make good

ease don't ask permission. D. O. Medley.

For Sale-Overland Roadster, in good condition; too small for my purpose; a bargain for some one who needs it. Also, one Buick roadster in good condition. For prices a turkey country as well as a Here- and further information call at New

> For Rent-Two three-room houses, known as the Mack Camp houses. Phone Ben Avant, 18.

cording to law. C. E. Pruett.

Auto Painting

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The regular annual meeting of the part of town. Price \$3,500. Capt. W. W. Davis of the Ranger Stockholders of the Marfa State One Black of land in northern company and Johnny Crosson of the Bank, Marfa, Texas, is hereby called part of town. Ranger force stationed at Del Rio to meet at the office of said bank in One 3-room house close in; price were visiting the Crosson family in Marfa, Texas, between the hours of \$1,300. learn that Johnny is making a fine Monday in January, it being Monday, 12, 1920, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the windmill, and orchard; close in. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cardwell came ensuing year, and to transact any Price, \$4,000. other business which may legally One 4-room house with bath and come before it.

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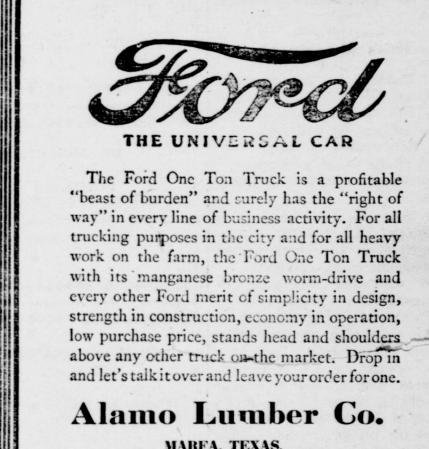
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OUR CHURCHES

The Christmas exercises at the Christian church proved a delightful success. As last year the beautiful service "White Gifts for the King."- was repeated. The interesting program of songs, recitations and legends was carried out without

It was a beautiful sight to see the little children laying their white offerings at the foot of the cross. The Willing Workers, Mrs. Secrest's class of teen age girls, carried a white ribbon on which was pinned fourteen one dollar bills. After an appropriate talk and song they en- for the Baptist Sunday school, was twined the ribbon around the cross.

The Young People's class, Mrs. delightful program had been a Brite, teacher and the Bible class, ranged by the ladies, which was en-L. C. Brite, teacher, united their joyed by a large audience. The proefforts and unfolded a sheet on gram consisted of which was pined 96 one dollar bills. splendid musical pieces, and s After a short prayer of dedication readings, all of which were render of the "White Gifts," Santa Claus ed by the little folks, excepting a appeared, much to the delight, joy number by Mrs. Yates and an oriand surprise of the little folks. ginal reading by Mrs. Harrison. Santa was in his happiest mood and generously distributed presents to every member of the Bible school.

The decorations were the most beautiful and most artistic in every detail. A color scheme of white and green was carried out with most harmonious effect. Around the white cross and in the neatly arranged latice work, California smilax was gracefully entwined. Each window was adorned with a wreath in white and green. From the walls and chandaliers were hung graceful festoons of white and green.

The Christmas tree was radian' with lights and hite and tinsel decorations. An illumed silver sta: which hung above the cross emphasized the sweet message which camto shepherds and wise men long ago

The service was beautiful and impressive in its entirety. The total offering was \$133,36.

White Gift Christmas Observed by Methodist Sunday School

One of the most unique and beautiful services ever held in the Methodist church was the White Gift service rendered on Christmas Eve Both the auditorium and balcony were filled by the members and friends of the church to witness the impressive program. The deco-green background, and the children taking part were dressed in white. Christmas carols were sung at intervals by the choir. The pastor ? made a brief talk on the gift of | > "Self, Service and Substance," fol- + lowing which Miss Hightower gave > several readings, including the + "Legend of Cathay." The songs and > ceremonies by the different classes 4 were very impressive. Then came ? the "Showering of Gifts," which were directed to the Orphan's home and the orphans overseas, and the superanuated ministers, and widows and children of deceased preachers A considerable amount was realized from the gifts of the different

Saint Paul's Episcopal Church

Next Sunday, the Sunday after Christmas, the rector will conduct his twelfth church instruction and for its subject he will take Great Reformation in Italy." Th subject of the Doctor's sermon wi be "Christmas Living and Christma Giving."

New Year's Eve will be observed + by a special "Watch Night" service | beginning at 11:30. There will be Holy Communion at midnight.

The memorials dedicated on Christmas Eve have greatly added to the beauty of the church and given it a more churchly appearance, as a churc' should be.

The personal canvass of the na- + tion wide campaign will be held in + St. Paul's parish next week. Every A Responsible Man With True member of the church will be visit- + ed and the pledge envelopes, "The . Duplex," will be inaugurated for > the coming year.

-0X0-Sunday School Class Entertained

Mrs. Joe Cooper entertained her large Sunday school class with a Christmas tree party Christmas Eve night at her home, the guests going . from the entertainment at the Baptist church in a body. The home was beautifully decorated to represent the event, and a well filled tree stood in one corner of the room.

At the proper moment Mrs. Cooper eppeared and called off the numerous presents, not one of the many guests having been forgotten. After the distribution of the presents, and each had enjoyed their

ifts, interesting games were played. o'clock refreshments of sandat mion tea were served. shepherds of mirty guests pres-

ested the memoria-

Sunday Services

Sunday school at9:45 a. m., Mr.

Ernest Mabry, Supt. Preaching at both morning and evening service by the pastor, Rev. L. Fletcher Parrish. Sermon subject for 11-a. m The sermonic "Life Value." thoughts will be pertinent to the casion, which is the last Sabbath the year. The choir will furnish special selections. Epworth League will meet at 6:15 p. m., Miss Ellison, president. All members of the church are urged to be present at the morning service; also visitors and strangers will be cordially wel-

An Interesting Affair

The Christmas exercises at the Baptist church Wednesday evening quite an interesting affair. A most

Baptist Church

The pastor is still sick in bed but happy and hopeful. Bro. Maurer will speak Sunday at 11 a. m. Services at the evening hour will be under the direction of the young

The paster hopes that all the embers of the church will help carry on the work during his enorced absence.

C. S. Harrison, Pastor.

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