

Entire Auto Industry Is Goal Of Union Drive

FD Wants To Keep Control Of The Dollar

Govt. Must Guard Against Capital Inflow And Potential Inflation

EDITOR'S NOTE: The president's control over the dollar and its relation to foreign currencies comes before the new congress in January for a decision on whether these powers should be extended in the third of a series of five stories by staff writers who have made special studies of forthcoming congressional issues, the Washington bureau of the Associated Press outlines the monetary problems involved.

By WILLIAM S. ARDERY WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—Administration monetary policies, charted originally to stem a swift outflow of capital and pry open shrinking price and credit structures, now are facing the contrary problems of heavy capital inflows and potential inflation.

Soon after congress convenes, President Roosevelt is expected to ask continuance of powers to devalue the dollar further and to maintain the \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund.

Scheduled to expire Jan. 30 these powers gave the government powerful new reins over the dollar.

Trend Evershed Evaluation designed to offset trade advantages enjoyed by other countries and raise domestic prices, was accompanied by operation of the big stabilization fund. This was used to keep the dollar on an even keel in relation to foreign currencies.

At present, however, the international financial winds are blowing in the opposite direction, sending millions of dollars here for investment or speculation.

This movement tends to expand credit and raise prices artificially, and, to prevent such inflation, the treasury drafted a new program this week designed to nullify the effects of gold imports on domestic economy.

Fund Manipulation Seeking to re-examine financial machinery within the bounds of present statutory authority, the program calls for the removal of funds from the money market when gold flows into the country. This will be accomplished through the sale of treasury bills, receipts from which will be used to pay for the gold imports.

Conversely, when gold flows out, the bills will be redeemed and funds will be put back in the money market and thereby tend to keep the reservoir of credit on an even level.

This "balance wheel" scheme will link the treasury with the federal reserve board as an agency for credit control.

The other proposal being considered involves use of the government's taxing power to discourage foreign speculators from sending funds to this country.

Under it, the present nominal taxes on foreign security holders might be sharply increased, reducing the profits "alien funds" could earn in America.

Gomez Would Defend Self Move Seen As A 'Forlorn Hope' Against Impachment

HAVANA, Dec. 23 (AP)—President Miguel Mariano Gomez, brilliant orator and lawyer, pleaded he be permitted to defend himself against impeachment charges in the national senate today.

The appeal, outside the law of Cuba in the unprecedented case of impeachment, was regarded as a "forlorn hope" in his fight against judicial action to oust him from the presidency.

The law provides that the president must submit his defense in writing, giving oral arguments to attorneys. Gomez declared that, as an attorney in good standing at the Cuban bar, he should be permitted to appoint himself his own counsel.

FIVE DEAD AS PLANE FALLS NEAR DALLAS

DALLAS, Dec. 23. (AP)—Five persons were killed when a transport airplane crashed near a lake adjacent to Love Field, municipal airport, here today.

It was reported Don Walbridge, general manager of Braniff Airways, was among the dead.

Witnesses said the ship had left the field and was flying low over the water. It crashed on the north shore of Bachman's Lake and exploded, bursting into flames.

A. Arnett, employed at the pumphouse at Bachman's Lake, Dallas city water reservoir, said the plane fell about half a mile across the body of water from the pumphouse. He was unable to identify it because it was burning and obscured by smoke. He thought it was not submerged.

Christmas Pageant Is Slated Tonight

Elaborate Program To Be Presented On Courthouse Lawn, Beginning At 7:45

"The Christmas Story," possibly the most elaborate pageant ever undertaken here, will be presented at 7:45 p. m. on the courthouse lawn with a cast of more than three score persons.

In event of bad weather, the program will be shifted to the municipal auditorium at the same time. The pageant, a unique offering, will feature a chorus of 55 voices under the direction of Mrs. Lula Mae Carlton, and a group of actors under the direction of Mrs. Anne Houser. Dr. D. F. McConnell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will serve as narrator of the program.

Actors, clad in native costumes of inhabitants of the holy land nearly 2,000 years ago, will reenact the events surrounding the birth of Christ. All the while, the chorus will sing many of the favorite Christmas hymns.

Brazos Issue To Roosevelt

Sheppard Says President Will Be Asked To Settle Cost Problem

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas said today President Roosevelt probably would be asked to break the impasse which has delayed start of construction of a \$3,500,000 flood control dam on the Brazos river in Texas.

He disclosed Harry Hopkins Works Progress administrator, had declined to decide whether the government should accept a cost estimate of \$3,500,000 submitted by private engineers or a \$7,000,000 estimate of army engineers who have charge of preliminary work.

"Hopkins has asked the engineers to get together as soon as possible to seek a compromise," Sheppard said. "After they meet and reach some kind of a decision, then Hopkins and I will go to the president.

"It looks now as though we would ask the president for another allocation so the work can go on the basis of either estimate. If we get more money than the dam will cost, it will be returned to the treasury or be used for a start on another dam."

The WPA allocated slightly more than \$3,000,000 about a year ago for a reservoir and dam on the Pecos Kingdom site in Palo Pinto county but little other than preliminary work has been done.

The Ozarks comprise about 80,000 square miles in Missouri, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Weather

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday.

WEST TEXAS—Fair in north, mostly cloudy in south, portion to night and Thursday.

EAST TEXAS—Fairly cloudy to night and Thursday; slightly warmer in northwest and north-central portions tonight.

TEMPERATURES table with columns for location, time, and temperature.

Sunset today 5:47 p. m.; sunrise Thursday 7:44 a. m.

Bodies Of 37 Taken From Mexico Mine

35 Treated For Injuries After Shaft Wrecked By Explosion

EAGLE PASS, Dec. 23 (AP)—The bodies of 37 dead miners had been recovered today from the explosion wrecked shaft No. Six at the Rosita Coal Mine company in Nuevo Rosita, Coahuila.

Rosita mine headquarters reported by telephone this afternoon that all bodies had been recovered from the mine and that the 35 miners injured were being treated in hospitals. All the injured, the company said, were expected to recover.

No Americans were killed or injured. Mass funeral services were held at noon under direction of labor organizations for the explosion victims, many of whom lost their lives in trying to escape through an air shaft where carbon monoxide gas had concentrated. Most of the dead were buried at Salinas, eight miles from Rosita.

It was believed "black damp" (methane) gas was responsible for the explosion but just what ignited the gas had not been determined.

The explosion occurred shortly before noon yesterday. Residents of the Coahuila mining town took the disaster quietly and all except rescue squads and doctors were kept away from the property.

J. M. Rojas, Sr., Eagle Pass resident who formerly worked in the Rosita mines, said there had been other disasters at the number six shaft, all caused by gas explosions.

He recalled in 1919 there was an explosion there in which more than 110 men died. President Porfirio Diaz came to Rosita to personally investigate the disaster.

COFFIN MAKERS BUSY

China To Execute Unreared Narcotic Addicts

PEIPING, Dec. 23 (AP)—Coffin makers worked overtime today to finish preparations for executions of unreared narcotic addicts, condemned officially to die January 1.

The execution order was issued by the government in a move to stamp out the use of narcotics and to "encourage" addicts to take advantage of free treatments.

The treatments will cease January 1, officials said, "as there will not be any addicts after the execution orders are finished."

EXTRADITION IS ORDERED BY COURT

AUSTIN, Dec. 23 (AP)—The Texas court of criminal appeals today ordered the extradition of A. C. Taylor, charged in Tennessee with conspiracy to evade the gasoline tax.

Taylor's appeal from a Tarrant county district court's ruling that he be extradited had been before the court for many weeks. George Christian, member of the court's commission of appeals, wrote the opinion.

Taylor was one of 22 persons charged under an investigation by Tennessee officials of alleged gasoline tax evasions.

CITY ORDINANCE ON SIGNS IS APPROVED

City commissioners passed to the third and final reading Tuesday evening of an ordinance regulating the hanging of signs.

SEARCH FOR PLANE ON MOUNTAINS AND FROM SKY



Thousands of miles of Utah mountain country were covered by air and ground searching parties to learn the fate of a Western Air Express plane, missing with seven persons on a Los Angeles-Salt Lake City flight. At the top is a group of...

Southwestern Utah Is Scene Of Plane Hunt

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 23 (AP)—Search for the transport plane that vanished nine days ago with seven aboard was concentrated today in the extreme southwestern tip of Utah.

Six planes, one an army bomber, flew over the volcanic rock-strewn mountains and valleys around semi-tropical St. George, near the Arizona-Nevada-Utah border.

One promising clue, a Los Angeles-turkey buyer's report he saw a plane attempting to make a forced landing, proved unfounded.

Western Air express, transport owner, said a low-flying ship M. D. Talley, a turkey buyer, saw northwest of St. George was a searching craft.

Wary ground parties hunting for the two men who were aboard the Northwest plane called for aerial help before resuming their arduous trek over deep, fresh-fallen snow in the north Idaho mountains.

In the first short wave radio message from any of the searching parties which plunged into the rugged wilderness Monday and yesterday, an expedition from Herrick and Calder, Idaho, reported last night that it had reached a ranger station about five miles from where the Northwest Airlines transport crashed last Friday. Pilots Joe Livermore and Arthur A. Hald were aboard.

Dream Of Western Peace In Part Is Realized At Parley

(By The Associated Press) President Roosevelt's dream of a western hemisphere of nations moving toward permanent peace, standing "shoulder to shoulder" against foreign aggression and pledged against a war of conquest, found realization, at least in part, in the Inter-American peace conference which ended today.

The Buenos Aires parley, through 69 projects, laid the foundation for strengthening the American peace structure, providing for joint consultation if general American peace is threatened from within or without, non-intervention by one American country in another's affairs and removal of some of the horrors of warfare.

First Federal Savings and Loan Association today approved its third loan of the week. Directors gave approval to a \$1,200 loan for purchase.

APPLY FOR BENEFITS

Farmers File For Participation In Program

Farmers continued their steady parade into the office of County Agent O. P. Griffin today, to make application for benefit payments for participation in the federal soil conservation and building program.

At noon today the agent estimated that about 20 per cent of those due to apply had completed the procedure by calling at the office and signing the proper forms.

He said that necessary data had been filled in on all forms with the exception of those on which information concerning the division of the crop had not been furnished.

The office will be open through Thursday but will close that evening and will not reopen until Dec. 26.

Collective Bargaining Demanded

Labor Chief Speaks As Industry Worried With Many Strikes

DETROIT, Dec. 23 (AP)—The United Automobile Workers of America announced as its goal today the signing of collective bargaining agreements with every unit in the motor industry from the smallest manufacturer of parts to the "big three"—Chrysler, Ford and General Motors.

"We are going to have collective bargaining in all of the auto industry," said Homer Martin, international president of the union, "and we won't give up until we have it. By federal legislation collective bargaining is the law of the land, and it is substantiated by public opinion."

"Right now we are trying to arrange negotiations with the General Motors Corporation. We are going to organize Ford, too, to General Motors and Ford do not have collective bargaining.

"Our relations with the Chrysler corporation have been very satisfactory," Martin said. "There has not been a single case of union discrimination or discharge there. Chrysler, along with many others, evidently is seeking to abide by the law and play fairly."

This announcement came as executives of automobile factories and related industries watched apprehensively the effect of strikes in several parts plants on car and truck production.

A shortage of parts, resulting from walkouts called by the federation of flat glass workers and the U. A. W., curtailed the operation of assembly lines in several motor plants and threatened further inroads on motor car production unless the disputes are settled soon.

Officials at headquarters of the United Automobile Workers of America said "sit-down" strikers inside the McGraw Avenue plant of the Kelsey-Hayes company have barricaded the gates with logs of bolts.

The strike has kept the plant, which manufactures wheels, idle for ten days.

Union leaders said the barricade was built after the Ford Motor company announced it planned replevia action to regain possession of its dies which Kelsey-Hayes has been using in manufacture of Ford brake parts. The strike has curtailed production in some Ford plants.

Charges General Motors 'Evasive Responsibility'

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—John L. Lewis, chairman of the committee for industrial organization, asserted today that General Motors Corporation had so far "evaded its responsibility" to bargain collectively with the United Automobile Workers.

Of a conference yesterday between Homer Martin, president of the automobile workers, and William S. Knudsen, General Motors vice-president, Lewis said:

"That not collective bargaining. That's just evasion of its responsibility on the part of General Motors. It will be entirely unsatisfactory to the union."

Knudsen, it was reported, told Martin to take up grievances with individual plant managers.

Lewis said neither he nor the union considered Knudsen's action an answer to the union's formal request for a collective bargaining conference.

INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. C. F. Duvall, injured in a fall Wednesday morning, was taken to a local hospital this afternoon for an X-ray examination. Extent of her injuries were not determined immediately.

IN CRANE

W. T. Strange, Jr., manager of the chamber of commerce, was in Crane today. He left here early this morning and was due to address a school assembly at a Christmas program.

By the Way... 2 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT... WHAT HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN?... BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

Around And About The Sports Circuit

By Tom Beasley

A NUMBER of University of Texas exes are reported to be behind a move to get Benny Friedman in the race for the university coaching job.

HERE'S SOME interesting comparison on the Rose Bowl teams—probable line-ups, weights, etc.—

Table with columns for Player, Pos., and Weight (WL). Lists players like Dick Johnson, Vic Markov, Max Starcevic, etc.

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ANTLERS CRIPPLED FOR STATE FINAL

AMARILLO SANDIES IN GOOD TRIM

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT DALLAS, Dec. 23 (AP)—Travel companions of dame fortune through 12 straight victories, Kerrville's weary "iron men" were on their own today.

Six of the eleven Tivy High stalwarts were on the injured list as the little band of grid warriors prepared to leave for the Panhandle and Saturday's state schoolboy championship clash with Amarillo's Golden Sandstorm.

Shy on substitutes, Tivy's Antlers carried through to last week's semifinal game against Port Arthur before finally losing their rabbit's foot. A regular guard is definitely out of the Amarillo game and five others, including Roy Holbrook, brilliant little halfback, are ailing.

Walter Lee will make the trip on crutches and see his guard post filled by Willis Carlisle; Kyle Holloman, 223-pound tackle fighting after effects of influenza, is an indefinite starter; Holbrook has a badly bruised right—and passing—hand Cole-

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Devils Win From Elbow Cagers, 32 To 16

Buivid Flips Many Passes In Practice

Forward And Lateral Tosses Occupy Attention Of Golden Avalanche

DURANT, Okla., Dec. 23 (AP)—Forward and lateral passes occupied the attention of the Marquette gridmen as the Golden Avalanche prepared for its Cotton Bowl joust New Year's Day against Texas Christian University.

Coach Frank Murray watched his quarterbacks run the first string line with alternate sets of backfield men through dummy formations yesterday.

The Northerners showed adeptness in handling the ball and Capt. Ray (Buz) Buivid, Marquette All-America halfback, was only one of the many ball flippers expert in sailing the pigskin.

Cotton Bowl Gridders To Be Given Watches

DALLAS, Dec. 23 (AP)—Gold "Cotton Bowl" watches will be presented to members of the Texas Christian and Marquette football squads after their New Year's Day clash here.

J. Curtis Sanford, president of the Cotton Bowl association, said presentation of trophies would follow the inaugural Cotton Bowl classic.

The winning team will be given a gold trophy, three feet high, for its trophy chest.

Perry To Make Debut As Pro Netter January 6

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (UP)—Frederick J. Perry, the world's outstanding amateur tennis player until he turned professional last October, will make his first appearance January 6 in his new role.

At Madison Square Garden, Perry will play against Ellsworth Vines, for the professional championship of the world, according to the promoters, although there is no such official title.

Louis Accused Of Drawing Color Line

Jimmy Johnston Says Joe Turned Down Fights With Trammel, Lewis

By SCOTTY RESTON (Pinch Hitting for Eddie Briets) NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—Jimmy Johnston, a tranquil citizen who wouldn't start a civil war unless he thought it would stir up a little publicity for his fighters, is accusing Joe Louis of drawing the color line.

He says Joe won't fight another negro. Jimmy claims he offered Joe fights with John Henry Lewis and Jack Trammel, but Joe said no. Jimmy would like to make something of it. Even at Christmas-time.

Maybe you've never heard of the Jamaica Kid. In the old days he was the happiest man in the fight racket, a gigantic, jolly, laughing negro. He never got very far and finally got to renting himself out as a punching bag at the fight camps.

JUNIORS WINDUP IN DEADLOCK

After the Big Spring Devils had defeated the Elbow seniors in the opener, 32-16, in a Tuesday night doubleheader, the juniors came back to tie Ben Daniels Calves, 23-23. An extra period was played without breaking the tie.

The Calves played without the services of Marvin House and Bobby Savage.

Jack Oliver, with 14 points, was tops in the scoring in the senior game while LaBef stood out for the losers with three field goals and a free toss.

Jack Rice, who is coming out for the Big Spring team for the first time, played a fine game for the Devils, scoring 10 points.

Box score for senior game: Devils vs Elbow. Columns for player, fg, ft, pf, tp.

Box score for junior game: Devils vs Calves. Columns for player, fg, ft, pf, tp.

BASKETBALL 'DOUBLEHEADER' IDEA SWEEPING THE EAST

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—The basketball "doubleheader" idea which has caught on tremendously in the east during the past couple of years, has been a fine thing financially for the teams that participate, but it's causing a lot of headaches for the eastern coaches.

Until promoted Irish thought of the idea of leasing Madison Square Garden, and looking strong local teams against good outside opposition, inter-sectional games were a rarity so far as eastern quietude were concerned. Occasionally one would take a brief jaunt into the mid-west, where the field houses could hold paying crowds, but they seldom took their lickings seriously.

Now with mid-western, southern and even teams from the Pacific coast invading the Garden and the Hippodrome to play before large crowds, the local coaches and players are finding it hard to maintain their prestige.

Last week Coach Neil Cohalan of Manhattan was wondering how to stop Indiana and he found he couldn't. Now Clair Bee, who tutors Long Island university's unbeaten five, is trying to figure out whether the Blackbirds can maintain their three-year victory streak Saturday against Illinois Wesleyan, which has won something over 25 straight.

CRUVER MAY BE KEPT OUT OF THE ROSE BOWL TILT

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 23 (AP)—The injury jinx entered the Rose Bowl scene today, threatening to keep Washington's hard-hitting sophomore fullback, Al Cruver, out of the New Year's Day game with Pittsburgh.

The first casualty since the two grid squads started hard training this week dampened the enthusiasm at the training camp of the Washington Huskies in the seaside city of Santa Barbara. But inland, at San Bernardino, the Pitt Panthers were cheered by the return to duty of Bobby LaRue, halfback recovered from a leg injury.

Cruver braced a rib in blocking practice against two opponents yesterday.

Co-coach Dick Hanley said the halfback will lose two or three days practice.

The western squad was given 10 plays yesterday by Co-Coaches Babe Hollingbery and Percy Lacey at their workout at Stanford university. Hollingbery admitted he had so much good material he was undecided who would kick and pass.

BYRAN INJURED SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23 (AP)—"Bucky" Bryan, Tulane university's contribution to the east football team here for the annual East-West Shrine game New Year's Day, became the first casualty today of either squad, and was under doctor's care in Berkeley for tonsillitis.

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Ticket Sales Booming For Cotton Bowl

Golden Avalanche Of Marquette To Move Into Dallas Tomorrow

DALLAS, Dec. 23 (AP)—Football fans streamed past ticket booths and boosted sales to around 18,000. Cotton Bowl association officials promoting the Texas Christian-Marquette New Year's Day classic announced today.

First day of sales, mixed with mail and telephone reservations, sent available tickets down to the 25-yard lines of the vast, 45,500 capacity stadium, association heads said.

J. Curtis Sanford, president of the association, said he "expected a sell-out by the middle of next week."

The Golden Avalanche of Milwaukee, boasting All-America Ray (Buz) Buivid and loser of only one game—to Duquesne—this year, will move into Dallas tomorrow from Durant, Okla., and complete training here at Southern Methodist's stadium.

"Slingin' Sam" Baugh, Texas Christian's passing man, and his mates will not don grid togs again until Saturday. Coach Leo Meyer decided to give them a rest after the long train ride home from San Francisco, where they watched Santa Clara's Broncs, Sugar Bowl selection, 9-0.

First Championship Gets Lyn Long Contract

CHICAGO, Dec. 23 (AP)—The first undisputed Western conference football championship ever won by Northwestern university paid dividends to Head Coach Lyn Waldorf today in the form of a new five-year contract.

Waldorf's re-engagement as chief of the Wildcat grid staff was announced yesterday by Kenneth L. Wilson, Northwestern director of athletics. Coach Waldorf came to Northwestern two years ago from Kansas State university under a two-year agreement.

This past season, the Wildcats gained a 6-0 upset victory over the mighty Minnesota Gophers, their only defeat of the season.

KINGSHORNS BEAT AAI KINGSVILLE, Dec. 23 (AP)—The Texas Longhorn quintet took an early lead and held it last night in defeating the Texas A. & I. Javelinas 37 to 29. Baxter topped the scorers.



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HE CAN SIT ON EITHER SIDE

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 23 (AP)—There is at least one person at the University of Washington who might be pardoned for rooting against his team in the Washington-Pittsburgh Rose Bowl event at Pasadena.

He is Dr. Lee Paul Selig, president of Washington university. Dr. Selig was a member of the faculty at the University of Pittsburgh for 10 years—from 1924 to 1934. He was dean of the college at Pitt at the time of his resignation.

Connie Mack Hopes For One More Pennant

Philadelphia Manager Has Seventy-Fourth Birthday Today

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23 (AP)—Connie Mack passed his 74th birthday today with the expectation that before many have come and gone he would have won his tenth American league baseball pennant.

Before he quits, he said—and he didn't think he'd quit for some time to come—"I believe I'll be able to deliver at least another pennant winner to Philadelphia."

The lean spare frame of the Philadelphia Athletics leader radiated energy as he made the prediction.

"Damn it, I think I have some of my best years left."

Yet he added he hoped he'd be the "first to know it" when people became convinced that he's not able to manage the team "successfully" any longer.

The first rodeo, colorful cowboy sport, was held at Pecos, Texas, 50 years ago.

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Ten Thousand Apply For Packy McFarland's Job

CHICAGO, Dec. 23 (AP)—Ten thousand applicants are seeking, indirectly, one job in Illinois—membership on the Illinois State Athletic commission to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Packy McFarland.

Gov. Henry Horner estimated the number himself today. He gave no hint when the appointment will be made, or who the lucky applicant will be. The position pays \$4,400 a year.

Probably the best known of the candidates, in boxing circles at least, is the "Old Bald Eagle of Bowl, Mich." Nate Lewis, sometimes also called the "Night Mayor of the Rialto." Lewis has been connected with boxing for 40 years as manager, promoter, and matchmaker.

Bruising Scrimmage Leaves One Injury

SANTA CLARA, Calif., Dec. 23 (AP)—A bruising two-hour scrimmage left one member of Santa Clara university's varsity with a battered nose and bruised mouth and the first-stringers with a one-touchdown deficiency.

Driving his men hard for the new year's game in New Orleans with Louisiana State University, Coach Leonard "Buck" Shaw threw the second and third teams at the regulars. During the battle, Halfback Don DeRosa, Shaw's star passer, was injured. The substitutes scored four touchdowns to the regulars three.

DeRosa's injuries will not keep him out of the Sugar Bowl game but may hamper his Christmas eating.

BASKETBALL SCORES LAST NIGHT

By the Associated Press Nebraska 32, Ohio State 23. Purdue 35, Xavier 23. Baylor 37, David Baker 15. Southern California 67, Rice 39. St. Louis University 38, Washington University 42. Oklahoma Baptist University 23, Oklahoma Argies 36. Marshall College 33, Long Island University 41.

BROWNWOOD, Dec. 23 (AP)—The Baylor Bears won an easy 37 to 15 basketball victory over Daniel Baker's Hill Billies last night. Kirkpatrick, Baylor center, scored 16 points for individual honors.

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Bat Honors Divided By Medwick, Ott

In Blanket Finish For Slugging, Timely Hitting In National

By SID FEDER NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—You couldn't have squeezed an eye-lash between Mel Ott and Ducky Medwick last baseball season so far as slugging and timely hitting honors went in the National League.

The official averages in those miscellaneous departments, released today, showed the two wound up in a blanket finish.

As a team, however, the gas house gang from St. Louis, paced by Medwick's big bat, swept the boards, outslugging even the heavy-hitting Pittsburgh Pirates and the surprisingly slugging Phillies.

Ott took the individual slugging championship, finishing with a .588 average for the season by hitting for 314 total bases in 534 trips to the plate. Medwick, however, topped everyone in sight by belting the ball for a total of 367 bases and by driving 133 runs across the plate.

The Cards' outfielder won up fourth in the slugging section, with a percentage of .577. He trailed Ott, Dolph Camilli of the Phillies and Johnny Mize, the Cards' prize rookie, but was not far behind any of them. Ott, on the other hand, was a poor second in total bases, with his aggregate 314, and a surprisingly chispy runner-up in runs batted in, with 135.

The various other divisions, coming under the league's "miscellaneous" heading, saw the Pirates doing most of the "champion" producing. Lloyd Waner struck out the fewest times, chalking up a near-record minimum of five whiffs in 106 games.

His teammate, Bill Brubaker, was the "strikeout king," fanning 96 times in 145 games. Arky Vaughan led the league for the third year in getting bases on balls working pitchers for 118.

Babe Herman of the Reds and the Pirates' Brubaker contributed a record. Each hit into three double plays in one game to tie the loop mark for that "feat."

The Cards' slugging championship percentage was .410, nine points better than the second-place Phillies compiled.

The Cubs registered 18 shutout wins, the Giants, next, took a dozen.

Trojans HEADING HOME HOUSTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—Southern California's sharpshooting Trojans headed homeward today, their record unblemished by basketball opposition in Texas.

The Trojans swamped the Rice Owls 67 to 39 last night. Oram and Garrison found the range from all parts of the court to lead the west-coasters attack.

### Progressive Dinner Is Pleasant Way Of Calling On Many Of Your Friends During Holiday Season

By MARTHA LOGAN  
Haven't you often wished there were more days between Christmas and New Year's so you could entertain and visit all your friends during the holidays? I know I have, and I've heard others remark about it too. An idea that might solve the problem of seeing all your close friends on one day between Christmas and New Year's is the Progressive Dinner. Why not plan one? If you don't know what a

Progressive Dinner is, it simply means that you eat a different course at each person's house. It works as well with a large crowd as with a small one. With a large group it is usually possible to serve more courses than for a small crowd.

Let's start with the menu. Suppose all of your friends meet at your house first and you serve them the first course—appetizers and cocktails, for instance. After you have finished with the first course and have greeted everyone, you are ready to go to the next house for the next course. For the second course, let's serve Chicken Consomme. If you don't care to buy a chicken to make the consomme, delicious Chicken Soup can be obtained in cans which only takes a few minutes to prepare. Or suit your own states in soup if chicken doesn't appeal. For tasty accompaniments, thin toast or cheese crackers or both.

Two hostesses should be present for the next course. My suggestion for the main course is Baked Ham, Candied Sweet Potatoes, Brussels Sprouts, Spiced Crab Apples, and Cloverleaf Rolls. To prepare a 12 to 15-pound ham, place it with two cups of water in a covered roaster. Bake in a 325 degree F. oven for 21 minutes per pound (25 minutes for small or half hams). Skin, score, dot with cloves. Rub surface with a paste of equal parts of brown sugar, bread crumbs and currant jelly. Brown uncovered in hot oven for 20 minutes.

After you have eaten all you want of the third course and are ready for the salad course, let's amble over to the next house for the salad. Prepare a gelatin salad the day before. Make a jellied gingerale salad or a lemon gelatin salad with crushed pineapple and blanched almonds. With it serve pastry sticks either plain or sprinkled with cheese or cinnamon, or serve toast in fancy shapes, either plain or sprinkled with cheese or cinnamon and sugar.

For the last course, serve this Date Roll which can also be made the day before. Mix together one-half pound of graham cracker crumbs, one-half pound marsh-

### Around

Dante Dalle Tezza	RG	193
Averell Daniel	RT	197
Fabian Hoffman	RE	177
John Michelosen	QB	185
Marshall Goldberg	LH	177
Robert LaRue	RH	165
Frank Patrick	FB	180

CARMEN BRANDON starts high school basketball practice this week.

ALTHOUGH THE Oil Belt football district produced any number of fine backfield stars this season the possibility of any of them being selected all-state is very remote. Hays of San Angelo and Odell Herman are good enough for anybody's team, but they played on losing clubs. Abilene was snowed under by Amarillo but Herman's fine performance against the Sandies will bring in a few votes. The Eagles won the district by defeating the Angelo Bobcats by a decisive margin.

ORIE BRISTOW and Sen. Joe B. Thompson from Oklahoma went quail hunting near here yesterday without having any luck, but on the way back they stopped off at Foran to take part in a turkey shoot and each won a turkey.

GENE GARDNER'S Junior high school Bronco basketball team edged out

mallows, cut fine, 1 cup dates, cut 1 cup broken nuts, 1 teaspoon vanilla, salt, and one-half cup cream (more or less for moistening). Make into a roll and cover the surface with the crumbs of three graham crackers. Let stand in a cold place or refrigerator overnight. Slice and serve with whipped cream. If you do not care to serve this dessert, another suggestion is fruit cake and coffee.

Having a Progressive Dinner during the Christmas holidays will occupy most of the afternoon and evening for, as you know, each home will have gifts to show and much holiday news and chatter will be exchanged. It might be best to plan your Progressive Dinner for Sunday. Start about one o'clock in the afternoon and perhaps by supper time you will have finished and at the last house you can spend a diverting evening.

I do hope that the idea of a Progressive Dinner will help you in entertaining and I hope that you all will have a very Merry Christmas.

### Amarillo

MIDLAND FOOTBALL fans are giving the Bulldog squad a trip to the Rose Bowl. The Bulldogs won the regional championship this season.

man, left guard, has a badly injured shoulder. Rust, left end, is favoring a lacerated leg and Fausser, center, has a bruised and torn hand.

In contrast, Head Coach Blair Cherry reported his Amarillo Sandstorm ready for action and announced that Bill Kilman, regular guard out of the North Side game last week, would play with his broken hand in a cast. The Antlers will travel by bus to San Antonio and enroute from there tonight for Amarillo.

Ticket sales boomed at Amarillo, where fans poured into the box office to get tickets early for the first championship game ever played in far West Texas or the Panhandle.

Five thousand reserved seats went two hours after sales opened and officials predicted all the 16,000 available seats would be gone long before Saturday.

### Neutrality Means Giving Up Profits, Sen. Borah Asserts

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23. (AP)—In the wake of President Roosevelt's announced intention to seek new neutrality legislation, Senator Borah (R-Ida) said today the nation must "curtail, if not surrender" profits and trade to make any neutrality policy effective.

"That requires something more than a law; it requires the will and purpose of the people," said the veteran member of the senate foreign relations committee. "If the people want their profits and trade, and we undertake to give it to them under any policy of neutrality, then the policy becomes a fraud."

Borah declared he would favor a mandatory embargo on the shipment of arms or loaning of money to warring nations, and travel by American citizens on ships of warring nations.

Dr. L. F. Smith, of the state department of health, says tuberculosis is "Public Enemy No. 1" in Kentucky.

### Brooding Over His Expulsion From Germany Cause Of Man's Suicide

BEAUMONT, Dec. 23. (AP)—The suicide of Larry Lothar Glass, German-born nephew of a New York capitalist, appeared today, the Beaumont Journal said, to have been motivated by his expulsion from Germany as a Jew.

The newspaper said it learned the 26-year-old foreman of a Corinth, Miss., pants factory, whose body was found hanging last Sunday night at the Fort Arthur pleasure pavilion, had taken his trip to the Tyrell public library here, only a few hours before he died.

The story he told her, according to the Journal, revealed the hitherto obscure motive for what a coroner said was his suicidal act. "I am not what you call broke, but I must find work to do."

Friends in Corinth said Glass, apparently in normal spirits, left a party Dec. 13 without saying a word to anyone about what was on his mind. Detective agencies and friends searched for him but his fate was not learned until the body at the pleasure pavilion was identified yesterday as his.

According to Miss Burr, Glass told her he was driven out of his homeland by the Hitler government. He left Germany 20 months ago after spending his youth there and being educated as a lawyer in German universities.

He said he went to France "but you have to live there ten years and become naturalized before you can practice law."

Then his uncle sent for him and made him foreman of the Corinth, Miss., plant.

"They didn't like me there," he said wearily to the librarian, according to the Journal. "They thought I took another man's job. I was a foreigner."

Lonely and uncertain what to do, Glass decided to move on again. "I couldn't bear the idea of taking bread from another man's mouth, although I do not think I was—I worked hard but they did not like me to begin with—I was an intruder."

Charles Vincent, a fellow worker at the Corinth plant, last night brought out the fact that Glass "occasionally had been depressed because of homesickness for Germany."

Vincent went to Port Arthur with Jack Frank, another worker.

### Is Charged In Bank Holdup

Suspect Arrested At Bank Door As Robbery Is Reported

COMMERCE, Dec. 23. (AP)—A robbery with firearms charge was on file today against Carl D. West, 24, of Cooper, in connection with the holdup of the First National bank of Commerce yesterday.

West was arrested at the bank door after an employe, locked with three other persons in a vault, used a telephone secreted there to sound an alarm.

Assistant Cashier C. C. Apperson and Bookkeepers D. E. Bickler and A. W. Gist were preparing to close the bank when an armed man forced them and C. C. Apperson, Jr., into the vault and scooped up \$1,100. He overlooked a larger sum.

Former Deputy Sheriff George Thurman, notified by a telephone operator who relayed the alarm, made the arrest and recovered the loot.

West was taken to the Hunt county jail at Greenville.

Step-ladder 24 Feet High OREGON CITY, Ore. (UP)—Residents here believe a specially built step-ladder constructed for Oregon city high school is the largest ever built in the west. It is 24 feet high, built of spruce and weighs 119 pounds.

and Harry Gruber, plant superintendent, to identify the body. Gruber accompanied the body to New York last night.

### FOOTBALL PLAYER FATALLY INJURED

CORSICANA, Dec. 23. (AP)—Tom Sawyer, 15, Corsicana high school football player, died in a local hospital early today from injuries sustained December 13 when the car in which he was riding was struck by a train here.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sawyer.

This is the twenty-sixth auto accident fatality in Navarro county this year.

Lucile Smith set a turkey-picking record at a cooperative association plant in Ainsworth, Neb., by picking 44 in one day.

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<b>Marble Game</b> 69c Non-warp board. New double action. Fun for entire family! Size 13" x 24 1/2".	<b>Movie Projector</b> 3 45 Motor Driven Real movies at home! Everybody enjoys them! 2-100' empty reels included.	<b>Children's GIFT BOOKS</b> 10c to 48c ea. Latest paint, cut-out, and story books for children are in Wards large selection!	<b>COWBOY OUTFIT</b> 2.49 7 Pieces! Looks like the real kind! Genuine fur chaps! Pistol, holster, lariat included.
<b>Chemistry Set</b> 4.49 This is Wards largest. Educational! 363 experiments can be made with this set!	<b>SKILL BALL GAME</b> 50c Fun for all! Balls are rolled into numbered holes. Highest score wins! Steel.	<b>Erector Set</b> 98c No. 1 1/2 set. Make 50 models with this set—battleship, lift crane, mill and others!	<b>Auto Dump Truck</b> 8 95 47 inches long Green and Ivory. Dump body. Dummy headlights. Taper. Rubber tires.

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In line with its policy of adding outstanding features for 1937, The Herald is introducing, on January 3, 1937 a NEW EIGHT - PAGE COMIC SECTION, including the world's best "funnies," bright and entertaining. And every page is in full color—something never before offered readers of The Herald. The section will include:

- "Our Boarding House" —Major Hoople
- "Out Our Way"—The Willets
- "The Comic Zoo"
- "Tarzan"
- "Tailspin Tommy"
- "Four Aces"
- "The Captain and The Kids"
- "Hawkshaw The Detective"
- "Don Winslow of the Navy"
- "Bos'n Hal"
- "Boots And Her Buddies"
- "Ossie Tittle"

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# Fashions WOMAN'S PAGE Society

## Cupid's Dart Hits Bulls-Eye In '36 Striking Front Page Hearts

(By the Associated Press) CHICAGO, Dec. 23 (AP)—Twelve of Cupid's bulls-eye shots splashed ink all over the world's front pages in 1936.

With masterly showmanship he saved his climax effort for the last month of the year—and sent King Edward VIII tumbling from the British throne into voluntary exile for love of Mrs. Wallis Simpson, an American divorcee.

Another shot pinned together President Franklin D. Roosevelt's third son and namesake and Ethel du Pont. Her family, the Delaware munitions du Ponts, had done their best in the last election to change her future father-in-law's address from "White House" back to "Hyde Park."

Third—Crown Princess Juliana of the Netherlands became engaged to Prince Bernhard von Lippe-Biesterfeld.

Fourth—England's No. 2 bachelor, the 28-year-old Duke of Norfolk—whose family has the hereditary duty of arranging the coronations of England's rulers—became the

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fiancee of the Hon. Lavinia Mary Strutt, 21.

Fifth—"America's Sweetheart," film actress Mary Pickford, divorced wife of Douglas Fairbanks, said "yes" to "America's boy friend," Buddy Rogers, actor and orchestra leader.

Sixth—Here was a moving target: John Barrymore, 54, of the stage and screen, led Cupid and 21-year-old Elaine Barrie of New York a merry 20-month chase—once clear across the continent, Barrymore leading, Miss Barrie in close pursuit. They were married in November.

Seventh—Cupid rode in the cockpit of a trans-Atlantic flight by Juan Ignacio Pombo from Spain to Natal, Brazil. The 21-year-old aviator was flying to see his sweetheart—later his bride—Maria Elena de Rivero.

Eighth—Cupid matched wits with the diplomatic corps. The result: The marriage of Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, first woman to be U. S. minister to a foreign country—Denmark—and Capt. George Rohde, a Dane.

Ninth—Cupid got one man to say "I do" for the sixth time. He was Guy Waggoner, 58, millionaire Texas race track owner. In July he took his sixth wife, Virginia Joan Green, 20, Dallas department store girl.

Tenth and eleventh shots hit two

## Celebration of High Mass Is Scheduled Thursday Midnight

Rev. Joseph Dwan O.M.I. will celebrate high mass beginning at midnight Thursday at the St. Thomas Catholic Church.

Special music will begin at 11:50 o'clock with the choir presenting special arrangements of Christmas carols.

Miss Jane Lee Hannah, soloist, will sing "O Holy Night." Soloists for "Mass in G" are Miss Jane Lee Hannah and Mrs. Anna Mae Luehring, sopranos; Miss Kathleen Elizabeth Williams, Miss Clarice Berger and Mrs. Glenn Golden, altos.

The public is invited to attend this service.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Burke, Jr. left today for Memphis, Tennessee, where they will spend Christmas with relatives.

of the "marrying Midvanis."

Prince Serge Midvan, divorced husband of Pola Negri, actress, and Mary McCormic, opera singer, married his ex-sister-in-law, Princess Louise Astor Van Aln Midvan.

Prince Serge's sister, Mrs. Nina Midvan Huberich, was married to Denis Percy Stewart Conan Doyle, son of the late Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, spiritualist and creator of "Sherlock Holmes."

Twelfth—The four-times married Peggy Hopkins Joyce, 42, became engaged to Vivian Jackson, 30, a gentleman jockey and professor of astrophysics at London university.

## Marriage Of Truman Smith to Miss Doris Houglund Announced

Marriage of Miss Doris Houglund to Truman Smith that took place Monday evening at the home of the bridegroom's parents, was announced today.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. A. Bickley.

Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mrs. J. A. Boon of San Diego, Calif., but has made her home in this city for the past eight years coming here from Tucson, Ariz. She has been employed at the Masters Cafe during her residence here.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Loy Smith and has made his home here a number of years having attended the local schools. He is now employed in Kermit where the couple will make their home.

Wedding guests were relatives and close friends of the contracting couple including Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Myland Smith and Carolyn Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bruce Kermit, J. E. Diester of Kermit, John Christian of Kermit, Buster and Jack Glenn of this city.

## OLD INDUSTRY REVIVED

TUPELO, Miss. (AP)—Revival of an industry that flourished in this section during the latter part of the 19th century—the manufacture of household items from cork trees, or Tupelo gum—is in progress. Soles for shoes, bottle stoppers, cigarette tips, handles for golf clubs are articles which may be made from the wood.

## Reading And Writing

By John Selby

After Christmas, when comparative quiet descends and the annual case of indigestion has subsided, you might do worse than to read a copy of Edgar Calmer's "When Night Descends." Mr. Calmer's second novel is a definite advance on his first. It is an honest and sometimes exciting effort to picture the lower strata of New York's west side people as they actually are.

He does this in a sort of movie manner. He sets up his camera in the neighborhood of 10th avenue, and for the most part confines his shots to one block of tenements. The unifying agent is a family—Grace, the mother lying in bed with tuberculosis of the spine; Tom, the carpenter long out of work and dully acquiescent in a sterner lot; Ray, one of the most charming and most fully realized girls in recent fiction; Bud, her brother, a serious boy with enough brains and an unexpected willingness to think.

These are the Dogans. We meet them as the heat of a day subsides slightly, and we know them only until the next morning, but we know them well. Tom has won a raffle. For the first time in months, there is a prospect of food in the house. There is even beer, which is of no importance to anybody but Tom, and is of great importance to him.

Before taking the money and the food home, Tom has had a whiskey or two. Before he leaves the flat to go on to his sordid night, he has given each of his family some of the 50-cent dollars he won. And each spends the night and himself as he chooses. Mr. Calmer follows them; he also sweeps up most of the people in "the block" and photographs them. Murder, love, lust, flirtation, quarrels, happiness, foolishness, all of it.

Only two of the Dogans come out of the night with much worth saving. Ray finds a young internecine and love; Bud meets a communist or so and finds a purpose. There is something strangely appealing in these two, and the creator would have justified his effort if he had done nothing more than make them live. He has done a great deal more, however. If read before New Year's, the book might suggest a resolution or two.

"When Night Descends," by Edgar Calmer (Farrar & Rinehart), a selection of The Discoverers.

## Future Homemakers Present Food and Clothing to Needy

The Future Homemakers Club, sponsored by the Home Economics Department of high school continued their work of aiding the needy by presenting a family with a basket of food, clothing and toys recently.

This is an annual custom and donations are made by the club members as well as other home economics students who are interested in the project. A delegation of ten girls, the club sponsor and two mothers made the presentation.

In addition to the charity work the club members are working enthusiastically toward the entertainment of the clubs from other schools in this district at a district convention to be held on January 18th. Clubs from the following towns will be represented: Pecos, Wink, Monahans, Crane, Odessa, Midland, Stanton, Big Spring, Garden City, Colorado, Seminole, Lamesa, Sparenberg, O'Donnell, Snyder, Sweetwater and Forsan.

## FRATERNITY MEETING

Members of the Kappa Phi Omega Fraternity are urged to attend the meeting at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Settles Hotel when final arrangements for the Christmas entertainment will be made.

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## Reviewing

## JUNE 1936

By COLTA TORREY (AP Feature Service Writer) (Sixth in a Series)



REPUBLICANS GO FOR LANDON

Jubilantly the Grand Old Party trumpeted against the alphabet agencies in June, 1936. "For more than three long years," boomed Keynote Stelwer, "we have had a government without political morality."

"Three Blind Mice," the band chanted in, "See How They Run." Overnight the chant rang "cross the nation: 'Three long years!'" "There are multitudes of people who have listened to the song of sirens," Herbert Hoover cautioned. "I have determined to enter into a holy crusade for liberty!" He was cheered 37 minutes.

It's Landon And Knox "America is in peril," the Cleveland platform began. Budget-balancing Alfred M. Landon read it in Kansas and made three notations: Merit system, gold, constitutional amendment if necessary. (A week previous, five supreme court justices had held New York's minimum wage law for women unconstitutional.)

Up shot the sunflower: away went Senator Borah, only man besides Landon to get votes (19 against 984) before the republican presidential nomination was made unanimous.

Pausing in Michigan City on his way home after a week of "Oh, Susanna," Frank Knox heard he was to run for vice-president.

June Days Seldom had there been a June so rare. The creator of the postman, hardly ever having to ring twice, left \$1,650,000 in bonus bonds for 3,000,000 war veterans.

Manhattan had more brides than in any other June since 1929. Nicaragua had a revolt, but the U. S. marines scarcely cared. Schmeling knocked out Joe Louis.

Congress and schools let out. Zioncheck escaped from a sanatorium. New York welcomed the Queen Mary.



DEMOCRATS RE-NAME F.D.R. & CO.

Between speeches there was little to talk about save the Liberty Bell's sound and the question "Could Lehman be drafted to strengthen the ticket?"

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Steel executives were notifying their employees they would protect them from intimidation and coercion. C. I. O.'s drive was starting. Farmers were fighting grasshoppers.

On June 30, Lehman said he'd run.

Tomorrow: July.



FRENCH STRIKERS PLAY RING AROUND THE ROSY

Honoree Spenser Eyras, Wheat-Trader Cullen and Russian-Novelist Gorky died.

The Democratic Show To Philadelphia, while radios peared out an interlude of "Is It True What They Say About Dixie?" the new machine for registering mass votes was tested.

There James A. Farley (postmaster dubbed jobmaster; author of the popular "Typical prairie state" phrase) presented a wordy show practically devoid of suspense despite "the thesis nailed to the door" by Al Smith, Bainbridge Colby, James A. Reed, Joseph E. Ely and Daniel F. Conahan.

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Narrator and Arranger: Dr. D. F. McConnell

## Radio City Christmas Tree Is Spectacular, According to Visitor

True to its reputation for presenting breath-taking spectacles, Radio City in New York dresses up in gorgeous holiday attire according to Mrs. J. B. Young, who was a visitor there during the past Christmas season.

Central attraction is the huge decorated tree that centers an alcove space creating a fairyland of brightly colored lights. The 60-year old tree that reaches a height of 50 feet and spreads a total of 40 feet, weighs six tons. Seventeen hundred lights are strung on the mile of wiring that furnishes the illumination. The cost of lighting this tree for one night would pay the average family's light bill for two and one-half years, according to an estimate. The lights are burned every night for two weeks.

On every December 23 the boys' choir from the Church of the Heavenly Rest present a musical program and on Christmas eve a community chorus offers Christmas music.

## Mrs. Larson Lloyd Entertains Cactus Members and Guest

Mrs. Larson Lloyd entertained the Cactus Club members and a great Wednesday afternoon with a Christmas party at the Settles hotel.

This motif was used in the bridge accessories and in the prizes which were poinsettias in beautifully decorated pots. These were won by Mrs. Charles Worley and Mrs. R. E. Lee.

Mrs. Marie Stebb of Pittsburgh, Penn., was a club guest. Members attending were Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Lindsey Marchbanks, Mrs. Harold Parks, Mrs. W. W. Pendleton, Mrs. Lester Short, Mrs. M. E. Tatum, Mrs. H. L. Ellis, Mrs. Charles Worley, Mrs. Herbert Whitney, Mrs. C. E. Hahn and the hostess.

## GAY EMBROIDERY BRIGHTENS BLACK GOWNS

PARIS, (AP)—Colored embroidery bands bloom on black dresses. Dull crepes are shown touched up with chain-stitch patterns in many colors. Bruyere uses three bands of chain-stitch embroidery around a black crepe frock, crossing the embroidery in front as though it were ribbons.

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## THE NEED OF A STRICTER LAW

Several changes in the Texas drivers' license law will be proposed when the legislature meets, for the purpose of making that law a more effective instrument for traffic safety; to put some teeth into it, in other words.

The law has accomplished one thing that is worth more, as a psychological factor, than many persons realize; it has established the fact that the operation of a motor vehicle is not something which does as a right, but that it is a privilege, to be enjoyed—in theory—only by those who are worthy of it. That fact has been established, but it has not been emphasized.

Among the changes proposed is one requiring some sort of examination of drivers as a prerequisite to licensing. That is being done in many states. Another proposal is the state, rather than the local authorities, pass upon suspensions and revocations of licenses. The number of suspensions and revocations has been negligible. There has been little disposition on the part of enforcement agencies to use the few dull teeth that the law has, in this respect. Recently a Texas judge held that when an autoist was convicted of law violation, but given a suspended sentence, the rule as to license suspension did not apply. If that is the law, it is a dangerous law, and a silly one. An accused person who is given a suspended sentence loses his citizenship, not the privilege of driving a car, under that ruling.

The average autoist does not realize what a strict license law, effectively enforced, means to him. It has been established by statistics that more than three-fourths of traffic accidents are caused by less than 15 per cent of autoists; that if the incompetent 15 per cent were weeded out, and denied the right to drive cars, traffic safety would be enormously increased. Because this is not done, automobile insurance rates are higher, street traffic rules are necessary. By showing so much consideration to the incompetent, the state penalizes the much more numerous competent drivers.

There is need of a stricter law.—(Wichita Times).

## Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

NEW YORK—Vignettes of the Irish:

Erin O'Brien-Moore—An effervescent, able actress with a flood of red hair and a Celtic humor which, appropriately ripples across a room like a Kilkenny breeze.

Is proud of her Irish heritage. . . . Regards Judith Anderson as tops in the theater. . . . Once went all the way to Japan to buy a dog.

I remember a morning three weeks ago when she solemnly told me that doctors make the best husbands. Then she up and married Mark Barron, drama critic.

"What caused you to decide on a newspaper man?" I asked.

"Because," she said, "they never come home!"

Sean O'Casey—Here is one Irishman who does not dote on Irish bacon: "I can't abide it," he admits, "but I have to be careful about other things. For instance, I can't seem to do with less than six lumps of sugar with my tea. My doctors tell me this is unwise."

He is a city man, this O'Casey, thin-faced and a poet. Once he spent a year observing social outcasts who drift together in Hyde park, and the fruits of his study was a thoughtful, moving drama, "Within the Gates."

Wandering Author

Liam O'Flaherty—A wandering Irishman whose travels have led him through Europe, Asia, Canada, South America, and, naturally, New York. . . . When he wears of traveling, he sums up his journeys in vastly exciting books, such as "Two Years," which is a rather remarkable record of an Irishman's impressions and experiences in many corners of the world.

Willard Keefe—He likes horses, cock fights, and books. . . . But, Irish music drives him wacky. . . . When he isn't on an island in the Atlantic he lives at a hotel frequented by authors, critics, and playwrights.

Has written under many nom de plumes, most imaginative of which was Morton Irish, inspired by his home town of Morton, Minn. Keefe is a bachelor, a gracious host. He has just completed a new play and is resting now from the effects of his labors.

Tough Detective

Johnny Broderick—This loquacious Mick is the toughest detective Broadway ever knew. The awe in which he is held by thugs is perhaps best illustrated by a prison break at the Tombs when two armed killers barricaded themselves behind a pile of coal. Broderick walked into the yard. "Come out," he bawled, "or I'll come back there and drag you out." But, he didn't have to. Rather than face Broderick, they turned their guns on themselves, preferring suicide to the prospect of one Irishman's wrath.

## NEWS

BEHIND THE NEWS



Copyright, 1936, By Paul Mallon

Gold control plans marks switch in Eccles' plans. Excess reserve boost held limited as boom control. Tie-up with British currency moves is denied. New scheme aims to preserve fiscal status quo.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Secretary Morgenthau's shiny new gold brake bands were not devised in the treasury at all. They really represented a fundamental change in the line of thought of President Roosevelt's economic thinkers in the federal reserve board. These idea men subtly switched their proposed method of handling the coming boom and selected the entirely innocent treasury secretary as their agent.

It came about this way: The FRB (meaning Chairman Marriner Eccles for the most part) had intended to increase reserve requirements in January. Their intention was so clearly hinted in their official announcements—as to be an accepted fact. Certain New York banks were so sure of it that they had been getting their cash tills ready to meet the order.

But the Eccles school suddenly decided that this was not the way to do it, at least not now. They wanted another method of putting on the brakes, and the weather-proof gold lining device was concocted for Mr. Morgenthau to announce.

Noise  
What upset the old plan was this inside reasoning: The Eccles boom-brakers have already used 50 per cent of their power to increase reserve requirements. That is, they have told the banks to keep \$1,500,000,000 more in reserve than was required formerly, thus preventing the banks from lending this money out in case someone wants to borrow it in the future boom. No one wants to now.

Under the law they can hike these reserve requirements \$1,500,000,000 more. But after that they are through. Eccles' excess reserve position was somewhat like that of the lad at the circus with one of those inflated crying balloons, which swell as the air is emitted. His wall against a boom was already half-deflated. If he used up the other half now, he would have to buy a whistle to control the credit traffic jam which is believed to be coming.

He wisely bought the whistle ahead of time, while he still had half the air left in his balloon, and thus he is sure not to run out of influence noise.

There was another equally important consideration. The pressure for further action against reserves seems to be coming mainly from the large banks. They are in a position to meet it, they have large cash reserves. The little fellows are not in such a good position. Another increase would pinch most of them. Of course, the big banks would not weep about that, and, furthermore, the big banks would like to have Governor Eccles exhaust his whistle now and get it over with. They do not like the idea of Eccles being able to slip up behind them any time he chooses to call them to a stop.

Note—This does not mean the prospect of another boost in reserve requirements is entirely out. It may come later, and in small doses, but much later than the banks have been expecting, and in much smaller doses.

Visions  
Some authorities are saying the American move is comparable to the one the British took last week. Hints of possible collusion toward stabilization or something like it have been published.

Those who know say there is nothing in such visions. The British move seems to have been purely technical. The government was trying to replenish its stabilization fund, and its gold negotiations with the Bank of England were solely for that purpose.

The only importance was that it indicated the British have suffered great pressure recently upon their stabilization fund.

Effect  
The very smart young men who though up the device say it will

## The Beginning Of A Beautiful Friendship



## TRAIN, PLANE BUS SCHEDULES

T&P Departing Times	
EASTBOUND	
No. 12	8 a. m.
No. 4	12:30 p. m.
No. 6	11:30 p. m.
WESTBOUND	
No. 11	9:15 p. m.
No. 7	7:40 a. m.
Bus Departing Times	
EASTBOUND	
6:20 a. m.	9:20 a. m., 11:05 a. m., 7:35 p. m., 11:40 p. m.
WESTBOUND	
12:25 a. m., 4:25 a. m., 11 a. m., 4:25 p. m., 8 p. m.	
NORTHBOUND	
7:15 a. m., 7:10 p. m.	
SOUTHBOUND	
7:15 a. m., 11:35 a. m., 8 p. m.	
Plane Departing Time	
EASTBOUND at 8 p. m.	

## DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Surface a street	11. Social unit
2. Title of a baronet	12. Near choice
3. Sort of mineral	13. Metric land measure
4. Courtway	14. Blasted contests
5. Feminine name	15. Recreational contests
6. South	16. Familiar salutation
7. Ancient Greek	17. Canine animal
8. Checked woolen cloth	18. Sin
9. Bread crumbs boiled in liquid and flavored	19. Light brown, choice
10. Sea eagle	20. Pika-like fish
21. English river	22. Fix firmly
23. Number	23. Young bird of prey
24. Symbol for silver	24. Displeasure
25. Urchin	25. Type of automobile
26. Pronoun	26. Pass swiftly or lightly over
27. Common informer	27. One of an indigenous race of Japan
28. Shrub fence	28. Blast
29. Conclusion	29. Type measure
30. Pertaining to war	30. Rank
31. Having tool	31. Bone
32. Verdant	32. Shelter
33. Baseless	33. Payable
34. While	34. Ourselves
35. Weaken	
36. About	

have no more economic effect than a preventative. They expect it to work like this: p. m. Whenever that foreign gold, which has been worrying Mr. Roosevelt, comes into the United States, Morgenthau will but it and salt it away in one of those remote vaults where the speculators and boom promoters cannot get it. He will also do that with newly mined gold. He will pay for all this gold with treasury notes, bearing a small rate of interest. Thus it will cost him a little or a lot of money in interest, depending on the amount he buys.

## WINS FISHING RIGHTS Japan To Use Siberian Waters Another Year

MOSCOW, Dec. 23. (AP)—Japan won the right today to continue fishing in Siberian waters for one year after lengthy negotiations which almost collapsed because of the Japanese-German accord against communism. Officials of the Soviet foreign office approved the one year extension of the expiring agreement but made no promises for future procedure. Details have still to be completed. Japanese Ambassador Mamoru Shigemitsu and Russian Foreign Commissar Maxim Litvinoff arranged for another conference to discuss the convention.

CHESTNUT BOUTONNIERE ACCENTS WHITE JACKET PARIS, (AP)—A brown chestnut boutonnieres with green leaves gives a colorful accent to a white wool jacket designed by Marcel Rochas. The jacket tops a dress of brown wool. Large chestnut leaves are also flattened out against the shoulders of the dress—three to each shoulder.

REVERS DOUBLE IN BRASS PARIS, (AP)—Revers lead double lives on many of the new coats and jackets which boast two revers to a side. On a black wool coat colored velvet ribbon borders the revers, with green velvet being used for the upper pair and red for the lower. A black tailored suit has two revers accented with a double fold of white pique.

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1. Lost and Found  
LOST—3 hounds—1 Red Spotted Jip; 1 Red Spotted dog; 1 Black and White Spotted dog. Last heard of on Sam Cox place at Lomax. Name on collar, I found notify me at Big Spring, Garden City Route, 5, Mrs. E. R. Gillion, W. P. Douglas.

2. Personal  
Madam Marvive  
Psychologist and Astrologer. Noted adviser on business, investments, talent, moves, love, marriage, and domestic affairs. If in doubt don't fail to consult this gifted lady at once. Located at Douglass Hotel, Room 266, Hours 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Phone 898.

## Suspect Is Held In Kidnaping, Robbery

FORT WORTH, Dec. 23. (AP)—Police arrested a man early today in the kidnaping of a Fort Worth man and the holding of a filling station last week at Buffalo. He said he was Delmar Chandler, 32, of Dallas. He was taken into custody at a downtown hotel and offered no resistance. Officers said he made a statement admitting the kidnaping and robbery. They quoted him as saying he came back to rob a bank "somewhere east of Dallas." The prisoner told police he was released from the state penitentiary last May 13. He had a minor flesh wound in his left arm. Sheriff J. R. Sessions of Fairfield fired at a man last Thursday night after the Buffalo robbery. One bullet struck the man's automobile, which later abandoned at Mexia and identified as one taken from Royce Walker of Fort Worth, who was forced to drive to a spot near Dallas by his abductor.

## PUBLIC RECORDS

Building Permits  
O. R. Bollinger to remodel store front at 300 N. W. 3rd street, cost \$2,000.

Ajax Drilling Company, 2200 Gregg street, erect a warehouse and offices, cost \$2,500.

Marrriage License  
Chester D. Matheny and Miss Eleanor Rix of Big Spring.

In the 70th District Court  
Howard County Refining Co. versus Fred Chaney, suit on note and account.

M. L. Phillips, individually and as executrix of estate of Hart Phillips, versus G. H. McNew, et al, debt, foreclosure.

Textie Cathey Bowers versus A. Houston Bowers, annulment of marriage.

New Cars  
Joe Browning, Spur, Dodge coupe.

W. D. Carnett, Ford sedan.

N. T. O'Brien, Chevrolet sedan.

Joe Gurley, Foran, Dodge coupe.

Charles E. Bussey, Chevrolet sedan.

T. H. Donnelly, Dodge tudor.

Log Cabin Of 1854 Stands  
THE DALLES, Ore. (UP)—Oldtimers here plan to reconstruct what they believe to be the oldest log cabin between the Rocky mountains and the Cascade range. The single-room cabin is on a donation land claim filed on by John Halligan May 1, 1854.

BASEBALL CHECKS  
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22 (AP)—Dividend checks amounting to \$12 for each share they own were in the mails today to stockholders of the St. Louis Cardinals. Last year the baseball club paid \$10 a share.

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to friends who were so kind and sympathizing when we suffered the loss of our son and brother, R. A. Words fall us when we express thanks for the beautiful flowers you sent. May God's richest blessings abide with each of you always in our prayer. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marshall, Ralph Marshall, Fred Wesson—adv

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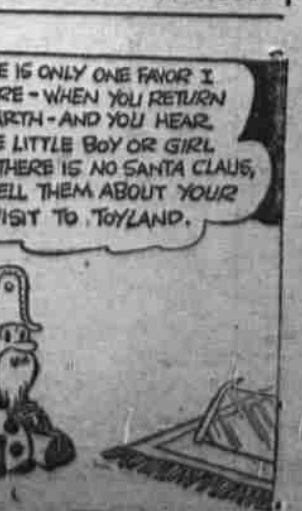
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# Wings For Sally

by SAILEY WOLFE

## Chapter 13 A TRIP TO MILLTOWN

Sally went in search of Tip and found her lying across her bed staring soberly out of the window. "What's the matter?" asked Sally. "Why did you run away a while ago?"

"I'm such," said Tip, without looking at her. "Ate too much candy."

Sally was immensely relieved. Tip was always eating too many sweets and having to be dosed for it, like a child.

"We're going on a picnic Sunday," Sally told her. "Terry's idea—and you're to invite anyone you choose."

clothes and feed their kids what they ought to have. Anything unreasonable about that?"

Lola brought the car to an abrupt standstill before a small house that differed from its neighbors only in having screens.

"May McDonald's the best dressmaker in town," said Lola. "Because she can make something on the side, they've been able to put in screens and take better care of their kids."

The hum of a sewing machine came from the front room as they climbed the steps of the cottage. When they knocked, the noise ceased and May McDonald came to the door.



"We're going on a picnic Sunday to Clinton's Mill."

Tip raised up from the bed. "Did he ask me?"

"Of course, goose. We're going to Clinton's Mill for a swim, and take supper with us. Who will you ask?"

Tip wrinkled her brow in a frown. "Philip Page," she decided. "You can't ask him," Sally protested. "He's not in your crowd. He's older, and you scarcely know him."

"Miss Hopkins! I'm that glad to see you. You all step right in here. It's a mess, but then it always is. May led the way to the room that served her as bedroom, parlor and fitting room. Besides the sewing machine, there were two rockers and a bed, covered with a pink spread May had crocheted herself.

"You've got plenty of work, as usual," said Lola.

"Yes, I reckon I ought not to complain, but seems like I'm going from morning till night—and me and this old machine." May put her hand on the machine almost affectionately. She was a sweet-faced woman, with blue eyes and fair hair. But to Sally her face seemed pale and strained.

"I know him well enough," said Tip coldly. "You needn't think I'm such a child. I know what I'm doing—and if I can't ask Philip Page I won't go."

"Ask him if you like," Sally said slowly.

"How the Other Half Lives" Saturday at the office was always a busy day, but on this particular day there was added excitement. Lola Hopkins first brought the news to the big office.

"What do you know?" Horton, the buildings inspector, has lost his job with the city," she announced. "I heard him say so."

"Mayor says the town's got to curtail expenses," Lola went on. "They're doing away with the job of buildings inspector." She turned to Sally. "We've got a call from McDonald, who's heading the workmen's delegation. Boss wants you to go with me to Milltown and take it down in shorthand."

"Present Position

At the beginning of the Christmas week an authoritative estimate 4. Lively demand for prime white

# Christmas Is Really Merry For Oil Men

## Industry In State Of Prosperity; Big Demand Has Been Factor

By ALFRED WALL  
TUSA, Okla., Dec. 23. (AP)—The promise of 1936 to the oil industry has been fulfilled.

Its Christmas is merry. In an analysis of the factors contributing to the present state of prosperity, one thing stood out—the sustained and increased demand for refined products.

Leading executives called it amazing.

That demand led to the greatest production of crude oil in the nation's history. Production was controlled, however, by the direct demand on the refineries by the consumer.

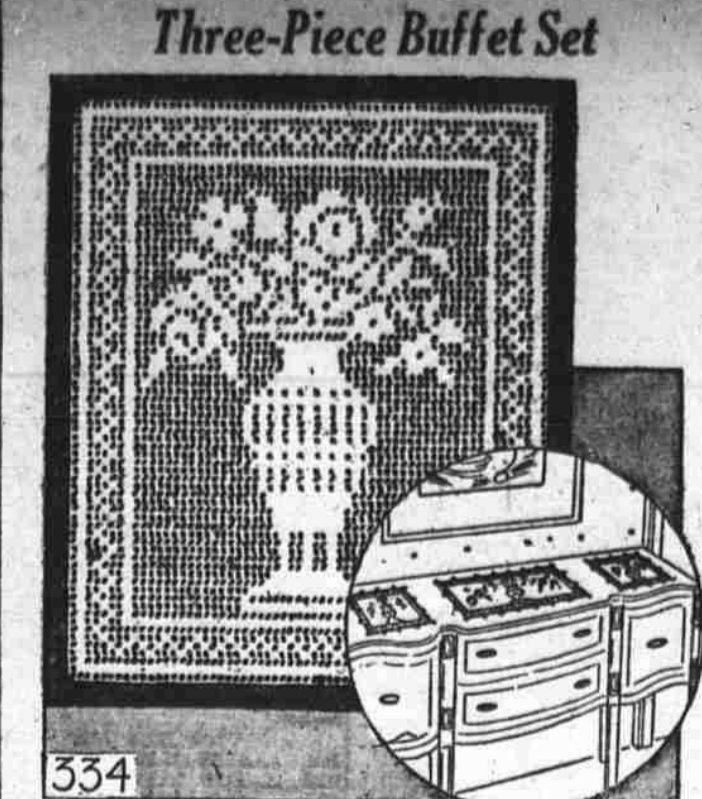
Thus a healthy balance brought the industry to gratifying increases in the price of oil company stocks, the granting of wage increases, declaration of dividends, even to the payment of Christmas bonuses.

This is the picture of the strong statistical position of the industry at the yuletide:

1. Estimated consumption of gasoline, based on actual figures for 10 months and estimates for two months was about 464,820,000 barrels compared to a consumption of 434,800,000 barrels in 1935.
2. Estimated production of crude oil for the year was 1,095,000,000 barrels, against 993,900,000 barrels last year.
3. Storage stocks of crude were about 285,000 barrels with about 58,000,000 barrels of gasoline on hand compared with 327,000,000 barrels of crude and 55,000,000 barrels of gasoline at the end of 1935.
4. The refiner was paying, generally speaking, about 10 cents a barrel more for crude this year than last and the motoring public about two cents a gallon more for its gasoline.

encouraging positions:

1. Crude market tight. Buyers seeking January supplies.
2. Gasoline, even in a season of ordinarily declining consumption, firm and in good demand.
3. Demand for kerosene and burning oils unusually strong.
4. Lively demand for prime white distillate and light fuels, with stocks increasingly scarce.



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By RUTH ORR  
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daily point for the first time in history. Some apprehension resulted, state regulatory bodies clamped down, but the consuming public demonstrated its ability to use up the gasoline and industry was producing in huge quantities.

After the middle of August the barrel figure became almost a regular thing.

In the first week of December in May, production of crude took a real climax to the bright jump over the 3,000,000 barrel picture of the industry, a horizon

# Personally Speaking

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Barber of Nacogdoches are visiting with J. Louis Hutto of Coahoma and Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Bristol here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Barcus are visiting relatives in Waco.

John Stripling and James Jones, students in Texas university, have arrived to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas have returned from a week's stay in Galveston where they were joined by Clyde, Jr., student in Texas Medical college. They were accompanied from Waco by another son, George, who is studying law in Baylor law school.

Miss Jean Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Strickland, has arrived from Brownwood where she is a student in Howard Payne college.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gentry left today for Calvert, to spend the Christmas holidays with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Gant and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Nead will leave Thursday for Nashville, Tennessee to spend the holidays with relatives.

Miss Mary Lee Anderson of Austin is a guest of Miss Alta Mac Gage and plans to spend the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Bristol have as their house guest Sen. Joe Thompson of Ardmore, Okla. The senator and Mr. Bristol were classmates at the University of Oklahoma.

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TUNE IN KBST 1500 KILOCYCLES	
DAILY LOG	
Wednesday Evening	
4:30	Pete Shaw, Confidentially Singing.
4:45	Serenade Espagnol. (NBC)
4:50	Rainbow Trio. (Standard)
4:55	Gilve M. Broughton, Accordion.
5:00	Concert Hall of the Air. (NBC)
5:15	Art Tatum, Pianist. (Standard)
5:30	Swing Session. (NBC)
5:45	The Three Brownies. (Standard)
6:00	Dinner Hour. (NBC)
6:30	Twilight Reveries: Poetry, Prose and Melody; Doug Doan.
6:45	Dale McCook, baritone.
7:00	Glenn Queen, Songs.
7:15	Rowland String Band.
7:30	Jimmie Wilson, Organ re mote.
7:45	News-Cast-Associated Press Sign-off and Program Resume.
8:00	Thursday Morning Musical Clock. (NBC)

# POSTMASTER SLAIN

## Robbery Motive Is Advanced By Officers

GAINESVILLE, Dec. 23 (AP)—Officers investigated today the fatal shooting last night of Earl G. Kerr, 60, postmaster and owner of a general mercantile store at Woodbine, eight miles east of here.

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# FA'S SON-IN-LAW

"It is that I miss now say adieu, Madame! I'm ah, how I long for th' time to arrive when I be weeth you for always!"

"I-I too, Count!"

"Well, thanks to spravin's sleeping draught we keep fa and the Count from meeting tonight!"

"Yes, but with the Count popping in at all times, we're bound to bump into fawthaw if the old chap is heah long!"

"What have you done with the kids?"

"You don't never forget, do you?" said May gratefully. "They be mighty pleasant. I sent the lot of them over to the neighbors to play. This here dress has got so many ruffles, an' its so pure white I'm scared one of 'em will get a spot on it." May showed them the cascade of white ruffles she was working on.

"We Can Starve"

"Mr. McDonald at home?" asked Lola casually.

A frightened look came into May's eyes. "Yes," she said nervously. "He's in the kitchen with some others. They're talking things over. You want I should call him?"

"He's expecting me," said Lola. "May opened a door and McDonald came in. He shook hands with Lola and Sally. He was a big man with sandy hair, a gentle voice and a firm mouth.

"There's no good news for you, Miss Hopkins," he said. "We seen them at the mill this morning. They offered to show us the books, how they ain't making enough money to fix up these here poor, pitiful little houses. We can go back to work and starve or we can stay out and starve. That's the answer."

"How many do you figure have gone back in the mill?" questioned Lola. Sally's fingers flew, writing in shorthand everything McDonald said.

"There's 500 of us in all—200 that ain't gone back to work," said McDonald.

"Give me a statement for the paper," said Lola, "from yourself."

McDonald's mouth shut tight. He clenched his hands. May looked at him anxiously.

"You can't tell the rest of the folks in this town," said McDonald. "We don't want nothin' but our rights. We're asking for work, and enough pay to feed us, and a place for us to live like decent folks. We aim to fight for them things."

Sally felt a deep stirring of emotion within her. She felt sympathy and admiration for this man and for his wife. In silence they shook hands again with McDonald, and left.

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Suspicious

"Gosh, it's mornin'! Who put me to bed? I wonder? An' how come I got so sleepy all of a sudden, last night? If I wasn't in Ma's house, I'd think they slipped me slumpp' in that coffee!"

# DIANA DANE

"Now, Jackie, you and Angelica try to get along somehow—"

"Do we hafta?"

"Ya sure got a sappy family! Ya mom an' pop an' Diana! Even mister Dooley all believe that Santa Claus exists!"

"Don't ya believe in Santa Claus?"

"Five To One"

"Course not! Why do you?"

"Sure I do."

"Huh!! Maybe I'm wrong!"

Surrounded

"Like wolves on the hunt!—look at 'em come!!"

"Maybe I can shake them in this jungle—"

"More!"

"We gotcha!"

# SCORCHY'S

FORCED TO LAND, SCORCHY IS PURSUED BY MASON'S MOBSTERS—

"A Rush Order"

"Look at that gang of human wolves going after their last-minute Christmas presents!"

"And it's all so unnecessary! Just a little intelligent shopping and early planning would eliminate all that!"

"Well, I've got nothing to worry about—our Christmas shopping is all done!"

"Don't take your things off! You've got to go back and get something for Mrs. Hall—she just sent us a box!"

by Noel Sickles

# HOMER HOOPEE

by Fred Locher

TRIMMINGS

NEW YORK. (AP)—Peach stones, nuts and acorns, and shells of all sizes and descriptions are among the newer notes in dress and coat buttons and trimmings. They also appear in earrings, buckles, brooches and clips.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ellis have as their guest Mr. Ellis' sister, Mrs. Marie Steplh of Pittsburgh, Penn.

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ON  
YOU"

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TODAY

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THE JUNGLE  
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IT SPRINGS!

## THE JUNGLE PRINCESS

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DOROTHY LAMOUR  
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LYNNE OVERMAN  
MOLLY LAMOND

PLUS:  
FOX NEWS  
VIOLETS IN SPRING

## Pageant

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son's Men's Store, Camille Koberg, vice-blue shop representative, was next with 1,378,000 votes. Don Hunt, representing the Hollywood, followed with 820,000 votes and Charles Fallon, a late entrant for the Elliott Ritz and Lyric Drugs, was next with 396,000. Entrants were presented with boxes of candy by Santa Claus.

During the campaign a total of 9,583 local daily and weekly newspapers were clipped for ballots carried in each issue.

While several gifts offered by merchants were claimed on the treasure hunt Tuesday evening, many more went unclaimed today.

Santa Claus arrived here by plane shortly before 8 p. m. and drove around the downtown section for several minutes before visiting with children on Main street opposite the courthouse. He distributed candy to the young-

# LYRIC

WEDNESDAY  
THURSDAY

Only Yesterday They Planned Their Little Home...  
TODAY THE DEATH CELL  
CLANGS BEHIND HIM!

Caught in a trap of "evidence," this boy tells his amazing story as he counts the precious minutes left of life!  
A stirring romance of Murderers' Row.



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Ann Dvorak  
John Beal

A heart-rending close-up of the condemned... from the actual experience of one of them.

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Wednesday Only

## "The Big Noise"

The Big Noise  
Is Big News

Guy Kibbee  
Hull Warren  
Alma Lloyd  
Dick Foran  
Marie Wilson

## Relief Funds Are Demanded

### Hopkins Threatens To Resign Unless Program Is Continued

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—A reported ultimatum from Harry L. Hopkins that he will resign as Works Progress administrator unless he gets \$750,000,000 to carry the relief program through next June threatened today to split the administration forces in the new congress.

One group was described as lining up behind Hopkins while another is counseling cuts in relief spending to pave the way for a balanced budget.

At his press conference late yesterday, the president said he had no idea whether he would raise his own \$500,000,000 maximum figure in his recommendation to congress early in January.

He did say, however, there was a possibility funds from other sources might be transferred for work relief to supplement a congressional appropriation.

Most authorities agree the key to the problem is the rate the unemployed are being absorbed into private industry but no definite figures on this point are available.

### PILOT SLIGHTLY HURT

Passengers Uninjured As Airplane Crashes

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 23 (AP)—Roy Hunt, crack Oklahoma pilot and former holder of the nation's outside loop record, was injured slightly today and three passengers escaped unhurt when a twin-motored plane struck an oil derrick and crashed as he attempted to land at the Wiley Post airport.

The passengers were Leslie Fain, Oklahoma City oil man, his wife, and W. E. Hightower, Oklahoma City banker.

Hunt suffered cuts about the head but remained at the crash scene, four miles north of Wiley Post airport, to supervise salvage operations.

### SENTENCE UPHELD

Court Affirms Life Term In Murder Case

AUSTIN, Dec. 23 (AP)—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the life sentence of Wilburn Samuels, convicted in Wood county of the murder of Edward Padgett March 11 this year.

It also affirmed the convictions of Will Watson, given 10 years in Montague county in the slaying of J. D. Sheen May 19, 1935, and C. E. Johnson, sentenced to 25 years for killing Azalee Johnson in Freestone county August 30, 1935.

The court reversed and remanded the case of Lewis Beverly, given 10 years in the slaying of James King in Terry county Dec. 29, 1935. It held an issue of accidental shooting should have been submitted to the jury.

It refused the state's motion for rehearing of the case of Bennie White, sentenced to 10 years imprisonment for the killing of Garfield (Legge) Scott June 1, 1935.

### SNOWLESS HOLIDAY

Few Areas Where White Christmas Likely

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—A cloudy but snowless Christmas was forecast today by the weather man for most of the eastern half of the United States.

The Ohio valley and the northern border were the only spots where a white Christmas was likely.

Temperatures have been rising over most of the United States and the weather bureau said probably

## W. B. Buchanan Is Some Better

McDonald, Dr. Hurt Unchanged; Quiet Asked In Illness Areas

Little change was noted in the condition of three pioneer residents critically ill at their homes here today.

W. B. Buchanan, veteran railroad shop employe, alone was considered somewhat better, physicians barred visitors from the family home at 507 Gregg street. He is suffering from a heart involvement.

From the police department came the plea to refrain from shooting fireworks in the vicinity where people are known to be ill. The request referred particularly to the three homes mentioned above. Police asked parents to cooperate by having their children shoot their fire works in area where the firing would not disturb sick persons.

There has been a noticeably large amount of disturbance in the Hurt vicinity. Fireworks stands are located less than a block away.

### SCOUT MEETING OPEN TO THOSE PLANNING TO ATTEND CAMP

Alfred J. Stiles, executive of the Buffalo Trail council, said today that the Boy Scout campers reunion to be held here Tuesday evening would be open to any boy scout who had been on camp last summer or who was interested in going in 1937.

Previously it had been announced that attendance would be restricted to camp goers. The affair will be held in the high school auditorium. A program of entertainment will follow a turkey dinner. Approximately 200 are expected to take part in the affair which will draw from more than a score of towns.

Russian scientists claim discovery that water can carry tularaemia, commonly known as rabbit fever, would melt some of the snow already on the ground.

### Santa Claus The Whole Year

Residents In Town By That Name To Make St. Nick 'Big Business'

SANTA CLAUS, Ind., Dec. 23 (AP)—The town named after yuletide's Mr. Claus is going to capitalize on its name by going big business the year round.

Milton Harris, 38, general manager of Santa Claus, Inc., is going to commercialize the idea of a Santa Claus headquarters in Indiana all the time. He has defeated rival promoters in the courts.

Harris and others organized Santa Claus of Santa Claus, Inc., with 19,000 shares of no-par stock. They signed five-year contracts with seven toy manufacturers to show their products on 100 square feet of floor space at \$2,500 a year each.

Harris says the company intends to rebuild most of the town, with buildings modeled after those pictured in children's books, and run a year round exhibition where Santa Claus will bring pleasure to tourists and profit to the promoters every day of the year. He plans an inn where Christmas dinners will be served daily.

### Christmas A Work Day As Usual For Mother Of Sleeping Sickness Victim

OAK PARK, Ill., Dec. 23 (AP)—Christmas, like every other day since Patricia Maguire fell a victim of sleeping sickness almost five years ago, will be a working day for Mrs. Peter Miley.

Behind the often told story of Patricia's strange sleep—one of the longest of its kind in medical records—is a saga of solicitude that has few equals.

Jovial, gray-haired Mrs. Miley has kept up her courage in the face of this misfortune and others that have visited her modest home since that February day in 1932 when Pat, now 31, lapsed into slumber. Mrs. Miley's day begins at 4 a.

# The Markets

## ACTIVE STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the 15 most active stocks today:

Yell Trk, 43,800, 22 up 7-8.  
Barnes, 35,500, 25 1/4 up 1 7-8.  
Con Oil, 31,200, 15 1/4 up 5-8.  
Insp Cop, 25,700, 20 5/8 up 1.  
Puro Oil, 26,800, 19 1/2 up 1 1-8.  
Para Pict, 23,300, 22 1/4 up 7-8.  
Gen Mot, 21,400, 66 7-8 up 1 3-8.  
Unt Air, 20,000, 19 3/4 up 1 1-2.  
So NJ, 19,800, 67 1/2 up 1 3-8.  
Socony, 19,700, 15 5/8 off 1-8.  
Can Dry, 18,800, 28 up 3-8.  
Park Ut, 18,400, 4 3/4 up 1-4.  
Nash Mot, 18,000, 16 1/2 up 1-4.  
Repub Sil, 17,800, 28 3/4 up 1.  
Anacon, 17,600, 54 1/4 off 3-8.

## COTTON CLOSE

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—Cotton futures closed very steady 12-19 higher.

Open	High	Low	Close
Jan. ... 12.12	12.21	12.10	12.21
Feb. ... 12.18	12.24	12.11	12.23-24
Mar. ... 12.08	12.16	12.03	12.16
Apr. ... 11.96	12.10	11.94	12.08-10
May ... 11.84	11.77	11.61	11.74-77
June ... 11.65	11.77	11.60	11.76-77

Spot steady; middling 12.83.

## NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23 (AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advances of 12-15 points.

Open	High	Low	Last
Jan. ... 12.06	12.11	12.00	12.12B
Feb. ... 12.13	12.18	12.06	12.18
Mar. ... 12.03	12.13	12.00	12.12-13
Apr. ... 11.92	12.02	11.80	12.02
May ... 11.58	11.71	11.58	11.72B
June ... 11.62	11.62	11.62	11.75B

B-Bid.

## LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 23 (AP)—Hogs 22,000, including 8,000 direct; mostly 10-15 higher than Tuesday's average; weights under 230 lb. 25-40 higher in instances; sows 10-15 higher extreme top 10-40; bulk well finished 180-300 lb. 10-30; light weight sows on butcher order 10-30.

Cattle 5,500; calves 1,200; fed steers and yearlings 15-25 higher; heavy steers 25-40 up instances 50 higher; largely runaway market on all grades; all interests in trade; western shippers buying freely at 11.75-12.75, taking 1,100 lb. yearlings at 13.00 new high on crop; common and medium grades getting good action at 7.00-9.50.

Sheep 7,000; none direct; fat lambs uneven; opening sales 10-25 higher bulk showing full advance with some as much as 35 up; sheep steady; good to choice fed western lambs 9.00-35; outside to local packers; choice natives to small killers 9.25; native ewes 3.50-4.50 mostly.

## FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Dec. 23 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 1,800 including 100 direct; market steady with Tuesday's packer market, top 9.65 paid by packers, good to choice 180-225 lb. averages 9.55-65; better grades of 150-175 lb. underweights 8.65-9.50.

Cattle 1,800; calves 500; market active, steady to strong, trade in all classes cattle, calves strong to 25 higher; few sales medium to good short fed steers and yearlings 6.50-8.00; good fat cows 4.50-5.25; butcher sorts mainly 3.75-4.25; bulls 3.25-4.50; load 4.00; most slaughter calves 3.25-5.50.

Sheep 200; few sales of lambs steady; other classes scarce; good fat lambs 8.00; feeder lambs 7.00 down.

## SEAMEN ARRESTED

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23 (AP)—Under instructions from George Rorer, superintendent of police, more than 185 idle seamen were arrested here today in a police drive against robberies and sluggings in the strike in Pacific coast maritime trade.

## HE KNEW HOW

Knowledge Of Streetcar Makes Boy A Hero

DENVER, Dec. 23 (AP)—Robert Weir, 13, wanted to run a street car.

He even coaxed a friend to show him the rudiments of starting and stopping one.

Because of his hobby, he is a hero today.

He was one of eight passengers on a car when Leonard Gessling, the motorist, collapsed from a heart attack.

Robert jumped forward and stopped the car safely.

## CHINESE ARMISTICE

Chiang's Wife Aids In Halting Hostilities

NANKING, Dec. 23 (AP)—A three-day armistice halted China's civil war today at the urgent request of Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek and her brother, Dr. T. V. Soong, after their flight to Sianfu to rescue the national government's captive leader.

Shortly after Generalissimo Chiang's wife and her brother arrived at Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang's rebel stronghold, Dr. Soong telegraphed Nanking asking for a cessation of hostilities.

After a hasty conference with other nationalist leaders, Dr. H. H. Kung, acting civil head of the government, granted an armistice until December 25.

## SANTA REMEMBERS MEMBERS OF CLUB

Gifts for every member were distributed at the Lions club Wednesday in final meeting before Christmas.

The presents, sent by "Santa Claus," correspond in a large measure with the business of each recipient.

L. I. Stewart, tailor, was honored doubly, receiving a Christmas card from a group of the members.

O. R. Bolinger, chairman of the boys and girls work committee, told of plans for the annual club Christmas party for Mexican children today at 7:30 p. m. in the Blue Cross hall in the Mexican section. Plans for a club sponsored musical comedy Jan. 12 were discussed.

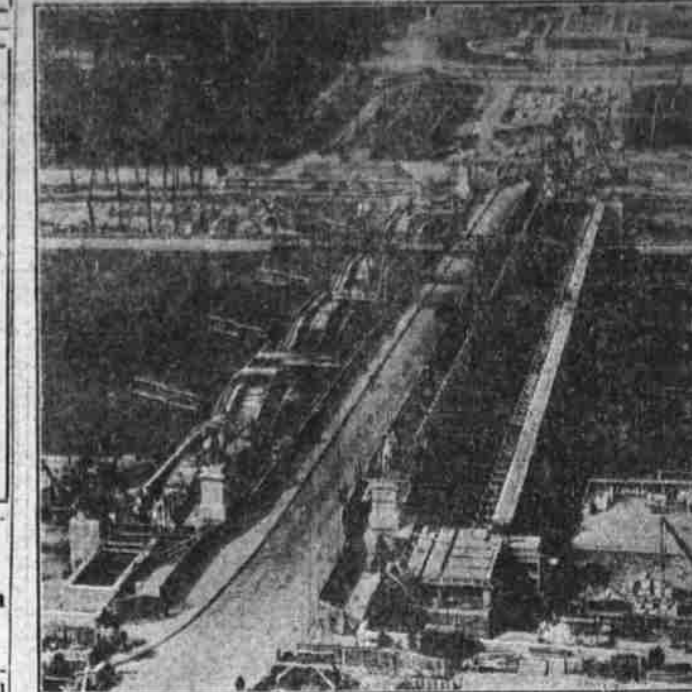
## AMERICANS SAFE

US Embassy Receives Word From Chinese City

NANKING, Dec. 23 (AP)—The United States embassy received tonight its first direct assurance that all foreigners in the walled city of Sianfu, prison place of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, are safe.

Herman Swenson, of Jersey City, N. J., representing the China Inland Mission with headquarters at

## New Bridges for Paris Fair



To accommodate the large crowds expected to attend the Paris 1937 International Exposition, many Paris bridges are undergoing extensive repairs. The Iena Bridge, shown above, spanning the Seine river and offering a direct approach to the new Trocadero Palace is being widened to three times its present size. Despite the construction work going on beyond the wooden barriers, pedestrian and vehicular traffic has been uninterrupted.

## TRIO RESCUED AFTER CLINGING ALL NIGHT TO AN UPSET BOAT; ONE LATER DIES, FOURTH LOST

SANTA MONICA, Calif., Dec. 23 (AP)—A Japanese fishing boat rescued two girls and a young man today after they had clung all night to an overturned sailing craft from which the fourth member of the party swam away to seek aid and disappeared.

One of the rescued girls, Helen Briggs, 18, of Brentwood Heights, a Los Angeles suburb, died soon after being taken aboard the fishing boat.

Presumably drowned in a brave effort to save his companions was Robert Briggs, owner of the 15-foot sailing boat, "Algonia," which capsized off Playa Del Rey, south of here, in a violent squall.

Betty Powell, 18, Los Angeles, and Stanley Bliss, 21, Brentwood Heights, were taken to the Santa Monica hospital. They are suffering from cold and exposure.

Capt. T. Murakami, master of the fishing boat "Success" of Tacoma, Wash., gave first aid and sped back to Santa Monica Bay but Miss Briggs died before life guards, summoned by his signal lights, could reach the fishing boat.

Miss Powell told the grim story.

Philadelphia, and George Fitch, Jr., young American employed by the Texas Company, sent the assurance. They also said the city was quiet.

"Soon we were on board. The crew began to work on Helen to rescue her. She was suffering from shock and exposure, but she died."

"Hours passed. He did not come back. We hung on to the boat the best that we could."

"Just before daylight we saw the Japanese fishing boat coming by at a distance. I screamed and screamed as loud as I could and after a while someone on board heard and put down a skiff."

"We all managed to swim around and get close to the boat and tried to right it but we could do nothing. It was too heavy."

"Darkness fell but we still hoped for a rescue."

"Robert Briggs wanted to swim ashore and get help. We tried to persuade him to stay with us but he said the shore looked so close that he was sure he could make it."

"He swam away from the boat to the shore and disappeared in the darkness."



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