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Mertzon Defeats Eldorado Quintet

H. D. Council To Meet Tomorrow

The Home Demonstration Council will meet in the County Court House on January 5. At the meeting, Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. Palmer West will give reports on the Texas Agricultural Association Meet at Dallas last December 5, 6, and 7. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. West were delegates from this County to the meet. All Council members are urged to be present for the meeting and club members are also invited to attend.

Schools Open

Following Holidays

All teachers in the local schools were back on the job Wednesday morning and school opened with a new and more determined zeal. Superintendent Holt reports that practically all students were back in school on the opening day, Wednesday, following the enjoyable and well deserved holidays. The new building which was to have been occupied Wednesday morning was not occupied because of an unavoidable delay. It is thought, however, that the building can be occupied very soon. Actual construction of the building has been completed, and in all probability, the building will be occupied by the end of the first semester.

Negra Missionaries To Speak At Baptist Church

On Sunday evening, Jan. 6th at 7:30, Bro. and Sister C. T. George will speak in the First Baptist Church of Eldorado. These colored people have served as missionaries to Africa, and are at this time making their plans to return to their field in Nigeria. They have with them a native born African girl. It is with great difficulty that girls are secured in Africa, but Sister George, as she says "through prayer" secured this baby girl. A section of the church is being reserved for the colored people of Eldorado and surrounding territory. Much interest is being shown and a large crowd is expected. As far as we can tell now, every colored person in and around Eldorado will be at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

Others of the community have intimated that they are coming for the service. Everybody is invited to come, regardless of color or belief. You will find a welcome and hear a message worth while.

Sheep and Cattle Checks Arrive

Another batch of checks, 9 sheep checks and 10 cattle checks, have arrived at the county agent's office. With this batch of sheep checks, the government's payment for sheep purchased in Schleicher County has almost been completed, only three checks yet to come in. This batch of cattle checks are in payment of the last allotment of cattle sold to the government.

County Agent Snell states that the owners of these checks should call at the office and receive them after the affixing of the necessary papers.

Home Ec Girls In Style Show Wednesday

The home economic girls of the local high school have been working diligently on their various projects of making frocks and garments for the style show which they are to present in chapel at 10:30 next Wednesday morning. The style show is open to patrons of the school and Miss Marvel Ford, home economics teacher, not only invites but urges interested parents to be present.

All creations shown are to be the original work of girls in the home economic classes.

Eagles Enter San Angelo Meet

The Mertzon High School quintet came over to the local gym last Wednesday night and took a close 20 to 16 score game from the Eagles. R. Boyd of Mertzon was the high point man of the game with 20 points to his credit. Mather, Eldorado center, followed close to Boyd by making 6 points to top the Eagle scoring. John E. Rodgers and Crip Alexander, made 4 points each and Paul Davis 2 to complete Eldorado score.

Coach Cooper will enter his team in the San Angelo Tournament which is being held today and tomorrow. Cooper states that he will take a squad of about fifteen men to San Angelo.

Two or three games will be on next week card for the Eagles with Ozona, Barnhart and Christoval as the possible opponents.

A large number of teams have signified that they intend to enter the Eldorado High School Tournament which is scheduled for January 25 and 26.

Even though the Eagles have been on the little end of the score in most of the games to date, the team showed a good deal of improvement in the Mertzon game over their showing in previous games. Competition for berths on the starting lineup is looming up stronger with every practice session and prospects are that Coach Cooper will have a fair team despite the fact that he started out with mostly inexperienced material.

John E. Rodgers and Jack Shugart were at the forward positions in the starting lineup in the Mertzon game with Robert Mather at center and R. J. Alexander and Paul Davis at guards. Others who saw service in the game were Bill Smith, Ardrian McDaniel, Joe Turner Hext, Clayton Trotter and Milton Spurgers.

Old Bayonet Found Near Here

While burning pear 17 miles east of Sonora near what is known as the old Taylor Waterhole, John I. Smith of this city recently found a relic which may bespeak ancient and unsung tragedy. The relic is an old-style bayonet belonging to an old muzzle-loader army rifle. "U. S. Army" is still visible on the bayonet.

Old Timers recall the days of the Civil War when the muzzle loader with its formidable bayonet. Speculation becomes rife as one views the bayonet found by Mr. Smith. It may date as far as the war with Mexico. It may have been brought to this country during the Civil War or immediately following it. The relic shows to have borne the brunt of many years of erosion.

What became of the soldier whose gun bore the bayonet is a question asked by those who see the bayonet. Your guess is as good as ours. He may have been a victim of the Mexican war, the Civil war; or Indians may have destroyed his life. It may be that the man died of thirst, starvation, or became the victim of wild animals which were at one time common in this territory. Those are just guesses as the man's skeleton was not found. It may have been destroyed.

At any rate, the bayonet causes much interesting talk and you may as well try your hand at weaving your own yarn.

Jack Smith, son of the finder, found an old iron-handled, one-edged dirk near the same spot several months ago. The dirk adds to our conviction that some American soldier was the victim of an unchronicled tragedy near the Taylor Waterhole.

POST OFFICE BUSINESS SHOWS GAIN IN 1934

Holiday business at the local Post Office was unusually good this past Christmas, states Postmaster E. W. Brooks, as the month of December showed about 12 per cent more postage.

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4-H Club Achievements Delegation Of Boy Scouts To Attend National Jamboree

Reach New Peak

Chicago, Ill. Jan. 2. Achievements of rural boys and girls in 4-H clubs reached a new peak in 1934, announces G. L. Noble, managing director of the National Committee on boys and girls Club Work.

Livestock, crops and handwork of the approximately 920,000 club members in 1934 will total in value about \$20,240,000 according to careful estimates. Prizes won in local, state and national exhibitions and contests provided by hundreds of individuals, business firms and clubs, educational and agricultural groups reach nearly \$1,000,000. These include over 35,000 educational trips and scholarships valued at \$10 to \$400. All of these have been effective and wholesome incentives.

The new year, with assured higher price levels for farm products, a drought of record severity past, less exactions on 4-H leadership for crop control and relief, and a better complexion in the rural field, promises greater 4-H gains. Club leaders and members throughout the nation for some months have been hotly contesting for the largest single prize ever to be awarded, a \$10,000 completely furnished and landscaped community building, gift of Sears Roebuck to the county showing the most progress in 4-H work in 1934. Additional prizes of \$3,000 will be awarded three other sectional winning counties in the contest.

Farm groups are receiving the active cooperation of civic, fraternal, church and other groups in the counties in preparing entries in the contest which is conducted by the National 4-H Committee in cooperation with extension agents and the U. S. department of agriculture. A non-profit corporation is to be set up in the winning counties to administer the awards. The building presentation is to be a national 4-H event to take place early next summer.

Coach Announces Basketball Practice Tonight

City League basketball players will meet at the high school gymnasium tonight for a practice session. At this practice, Coach W. H. Hamson plans to build up some plays for the independent team, which will represent Eldorado in games with other towns. This team will be selected from the best material of the four teams in the City League with Williamson as coach and manager. Williamson plans to scrimmage this team tonight against a team made up of other City League players.

The independent team will probably go into action at the local gym next Wednesday night in a game with the Christoval Bats. Glenn Ratliff, secretary of the league, has received word that Christoval is anxious to come over for a game on that night.

General Motors Denies Importing Mohair

Detroit, Jan. 3.—Published reports in Texas that the General Motors Corporation had imported 3,000,000 pounds of mohair have been emphatically denied in Detroit.

Mr. W. A. Fisher, president of the Fisher Body division of General Motors Corporation, has issued a statement following a detailed investigation of the source and scope of these reports, pointing out the fallacy and danger of their continued circulation.

"The Fisher Body division of General Motors Corporation has never bought an ounce of either domestic or foreign mohair," said Mr. Fisher. "We are not in the textile business. We are merely customers of the textile people. We buy mohair upholstery cloth from several mills, none of which is connected in any way with General Motors or Fisher Body."

"These mills have purchased the great bulk of their domestic mohair in Texas and have informed us that they will continue to do so. The solution of the surplus problem is for everyone interested in the mo-

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Editor Accepts College Position

John Copeland, editor of the Eldorado Success, announced today that he had accepted a position as professor of English in Harding College at Searcy, Arkansas. In his statement, Mr. Copeland said that he was hesitant to leave the friends in Eldorado whom he had learned to love so well but that he felt that it was necessary for him to go.

The position at Harding College, a four year standard college in the foothills of the Ozark mountains, has been awaiting Mr. Copeland's acceptance for some time.

City Basket Ball Season Underway

The City Basket Ball League got underway Wednesday night with all four of the teams jumping into action in the first scheduled games. The Lumber Jacks and Teachers displayed fine form to roll up wins in the initial games; the Lumber Jacks defeating the Wheeler Grocery team 31 to 9 and the Teachers taking a 26 to 12 victory from the Printers.

Conn Isaacs and Glenn Ratliff led the Lumber Jacks in their victory over the Grocery Boys by rolling up 14 points each. Hollis McCormick scored 4 of the losers 9 points.

Coach Dave Williamson emerged as the individual star from the first night's play by scoring 21 of the Teachers 26 points over the Printers. He scored 9 field goals and three points on free tosses.

The next scheduled games in the City League will be played next Monday night with the Teachers meeting the Grocery Boys and the Lumber Jacks meeting the Printers' Devils. Two games will be played on each Monday and Wednesday night in this league.

Work Underway On Centennial Membership Club

A discussion of the means of procuring the names to the Schleicher County Centennial Club comprised the chief work of the Centennial Advisory Board and representatives at a meeting at the Hotel Eldo last Tuesday night, January 1.

Several names have already been procured and efforts will be made to complete the Club Membership within the next few days. Membership blanks are being sent out to the rural communities and plans are underway for members of the Boy Scouts to work Eldorado tomorrow.

As it has been stated before, there is no obligation attached to the signing of these blanks, financial or otherwise. It is merely a booster plan to play up the Centennial.

All people over fifteen years of age are eligible club members.

In view of the fact that Eldorado is located on a through highway, connecting Oklahoma and other states with such site seeing points as San Antonio, Del Rio, Laredo and Old Mexico, Schleicher County will no doubt have plenty of visitors during Centennial Year, 1936. And as Judge J. A. Whitten, chairman of the advisory board, has stated, every body in the county should join in the good work of boosting and placing our county at its best for that year.

Reports from those who have been assigned the task of giving a history, in story form, of the various organizations and industries in the county reveal that several are busy on their respective assignments. Mrs. Frank Spencer has completed her history of the Bailey Ranch Baptist Church with Mrs. W. F. Meadows and Mrs. Ed Hill having their assignments near completion.

No date was set for the next meeting but Judge Whitten stated that another one would be had just as soon as the membership Club is completed.

Conn Isaacs returned from Abilene Wednesday where he carried four young people who are in school there.

Demonstration Clubs Complete Year's Work

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An independent team will be selected from the four teams of the City League to play out of town teams. Glenn Ratliff, secretary of the City League, is now busy scheduling games with out of town teams. A number of San Angelo teams will be played on this schedule as well as other teams of the near by towns. Secretary Ratliff states he hopes to have a game at the local gymnasium this coming Friday night. Dave Williamson will manage and coach the independent team.

PAGE WELL AWAITING TEST EQUIPMENT

John M. Cooper's No. 1 Bert Page well has been closed down since Sunday afternoon awaiting equipment to make a test. Tubing has already been run into the well to shut off the 2,000 feet of water and a test is to be made as soon as the new equipment arrives.

No. 1 Bert Page is located in the northwest quarter of section 40, block L. GH & SA Ry. Co. survey.

Economist Approves Work Center Idea

College Station, Jan. 3.—The value of rural work center activities in which persons now on relief rolls are enabled to manufacture simple articles needed in farm homes and exchange them for raw materials and foodstuffs was stressed by Dr. Mordecai Ezekiel, chief economic advisor to the Agricultural Adjustment Act, who has been touring the Southwest talking to Extension and relief groups and visiting farm, homes and relief agencies during December.

Dr. Ezekiel addressed A and M College faculty members at College Station on present plans and future problems in agricultural adjustment, relating them to domestic unemployment as well as to the world trade situation. He reminded them that the rural work center idea is a distinctive Texas contribution to New Deal thought and emphasized the opportunity for the distribution of farm products with

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The women of Schleicher County undertook three major demonstrations during the year 1934: Farm Food Supply; Bedroom Improvement; Yard Improvement.

Although Home Gardening was not taken as a separate demonstration, a move toward sub-irrigated gardens was started in connection with Farm Food Supply. 10 demonstrations were given by the home agent on making concrete tiling. After the tiling ripened 9 demonstrations were given on laying the tiling in the garden. Approximately 2500 feet have been made. Every home that has this tiling says that it uses less water and produces a better product.

Bedrooms reported improved by club women for the year were 44. There were 40 rugs added to bedrooms, many of which were made of pelts tanned and dyed. 42 floors were reported refinished. 9 permanent clothes closets were added to homes. Some furniture was refinished; wood work improved; linens added; blankets and comforters added. The total bedroom improvement reported by club members is valued at \$968.35.

In Yard improvement demonstrations were given in all clubs on mowing flagstone walks, with a result of approximately 15 club members making the necessary walks about their homes. Several yard fences were improved and 4 new fences built. In spite of the drought, there are approximately 441 trees, shrubs and cuttings living which were planted this year.

The total amount of canned products reported from club members for the year was 14,157 containers valued at \$3,863.81. All dried vegetables, cured meats, salt pork, cheese, bacon, and lard reported amounted to 41,241 pounds valued at \$3,345.89. Total value of all pantry products reported was \$9,202.20.

The three major demonstrations to be carried through the year 1935 are Bedroom Improvement, Farm Food Supply and Wardrobe.

There are at present seven women's clubs with a total enrollment of 114 members.

New Officials Begin Work January 14

The new officials of Schleicher County will officially take office following Commissioner's Court meeting on January 14.

Officials who go into office this year are J. F. Isaacs, succeeding W. N. Ramsay as County Clerk; H. W. Finley, succeeding F. M. Bradley as County Judge and Mrs. Mabel Parker, succeeding Mrs. A. E. Kent as County Treasurer. The Commissioner's Court will see two changes: John Williams succeeding Ovid Wade in Precinct One and Pat Martin succeeding J. F. Ramey in Precinct three. T. C. Meador and R. C. Edmiston are hold over commissioners.

Rev. Spellmann To Preach At Methodist Church

Rev. L. U. Spellmann, presiding elder of the San Angelo District, will preach at the Methodist Church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. He will hold Quarterly Conference immediately after the preaching services.

Brother Spellmann is considered to be an excellent speaker and the public is urged to hear him.

Humble To Make Test Today

Humble No. 1 The Humble was drilled to a depth of 6,435 feet yesterday. Officials state that they expect to make another test today. Tests that were made last week failed to show anything.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Barber plan to go to Cherokee, Texas today for a week-end visit with Mr. Barber's mother, Mrs. H. S. Barber.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Representative Tinkham's Scathing Attack on Secretary Perkins—Senator Lewis Warns Against Any More Disarmament Treaties.

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GEORGE H. TINKHAM, the heard and sharp-tongued representative from Massachusetts, has revived the controversy over the League of Nations with an assertion that the United States is being slipped into the league through the back door. He says the joint resolution adopted in the last few days of the Seventy-third congress, making the United States a member of the international labor organization was the first of a contemplated series of moves designed to put the United States openly into the league, contrary to the wishes of the people and of congress, and Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins was the especial object of his attack. Using such harsh words as "fraud" and "intrigue," Mr. Tinkham accused Secretary Perkins of employing "contemptible trickery" in advocating the adoption of the resolution.



Secretary Perkins

Mr. Tinkham quoted the labor secretary as saying that the international labor organization, "is not even now an integral part of the League of Nations, and membership in the organization does not imply affiliation with the league." He continued:

"This statement is the grossest perversion of the truth. It is squarely contrary to the facts—facts established by an indelible record, the treaty of Versailles. The statement contained in the letter of the secretary of labor was intended to deceive. The secretary knew that the congress of the United States was opposed to entry into the League of Nations and would not vote for entry knowingly. Entry was therefore made surreptitiously and fraudulently.

"Article 392 of the treaty of Versailles states:

"The international labor office shall be established at the seat of the League of Nations as part of the organization of the league."

"This audacious intrigue to have the United States enter the League of Nations by way of one of the organs of the league is to be followed by an attempt to have the United States enter another of its organs, the Permanent Court of International Justice of the League of Nations, this subsequently to be followed by a proposal of full membership in the League of Nations. Thus, the independence of the United States will be destroyed, the will of the American people thwarted, and the United States inevitably involved in the next European conflict."

SENATOR JAMES HAMILTON LEWIS of Illinois, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations and a veteran in international conferences, has set forth a view concerning treaties for disarmament or reduction of armaments that will meet with the approval of many of his fellow citizens, though they are sharply at variance with those of the administration. He evidently is glad the Washington naval pact is dying, owing to the action of Japan, and he says that in future the United States must, for its own sake, remain aloof from all such agreements, because they are almost certain to embroil us in war.

Addressing the National Forum in Washington, Senator Lewis declared the recent naval conversations in London succeeded only in designing a "chart of death to men, destruction to nations," and he warned against the renewal of the Washington treaty.

"Plain it must be," Senator Lewis pointed out, "that should we enter the deal, and it is disobeyed by any of its parties, the United States must be called on by the nations involved to lead ourselves to the compact. This means war upon the United States by the nations we threaten to force to obedience, or war from the nations we refuse to aid in the enforcement."

"To the United States nothing but evil and danger awaits our entrance into any international contract with foreign nations preparing for war on each other."

America wants no war and wants armaments only for self-defense, the senator said, and America does not recognize the right of any international conference to tell her what arms she needs for that purpose.

"On this right of our own self-defense America stands sovereign in her guarded isolation," he informed other nations. "We deny the privilege of any nation to dictate to the United States the quantity or quality of protection our nation shall adopt."

War can come to the United States only through her foreign entanglements, Senator Lewis explained, and because of the present warlike attitude

of the world, America must stand isolated.

PEAKING of war, it is interesting to learn that the senate mission to the Philippines has discovered that those islands "possess the most important source of war material under the American flag." Senator Tydings of Maryland sent the word from Manila that there are in Zambales province deposits of chromite so large that they have attracted the attention of other nations. John W. Hausermann, dean of the islands' gold mining industry, told the senators these deposits may soon take their place as one of the most important ore bodies in the world, and he added significantly that chromium is the one war material which the United States does not have in ample quantities within its borders. These deposits in the Philippines were discovered after the Tydings-McDuffie independence act was drafted. It is easy to see that this news will be of immense interest to Japan, which, in its plans for territorial expansion, is ever on the lookout for war material sources.

POPE PIUS XI is not optimistic concerning world peace. In his Christmas eve address, delivered according to custom to the cardinals resident in Rome, the Holy Father said that "the clamor of war spreads ever farther" and he urged the world to pray and work for peace. "We see a constant increase in warlike arms," the pope continued.

"This is a distracting element in which the spirit seems to have no part. We are on the eve of a day when the heavens resound with the hymns of angels calling for peace on earth. Never has the chant had more reason for being than today."

King George, in a radio address to all parts of the British empire, was a little more cheerful. He adjured his "peoples beyond the seas" to remember that they all belonged to one great family.

"My desire and hope is that the same spirit of brotherhood may become ever stronger in its hold and wider in its range," the king said. "The world is still restless and troubled. The clouds are lifting, but we have still our own anxieties to meet. I am convinced that if we meet them in the spirit of one family we shall overcome them, for then private and party interests will be controlled by care for the whole community."

He made a special effort to reach the restless multitudes in India, whose fate now is in the hands of parliament, by assuring them of his "constant care of them."

President Roosevelt's brief Christmas talk was addressed especially to the citizens of America, calling for "courage and unity" for greater happiness and the improvement of human welfare.

PROSECUTION and defense attorneys completed their preparations for the trial of Bruno Hauptmann on the charge of murdering the Lindbergh baby, and the little town of Flemington, N. J., was a busy place. The names of 48 veniremen were drawn for examination as jurors, and the sensation over the mailing of a satire on the Lindbergh case to 150 prospective jurors died down. C. Lloyd Fisher, defense counsel, said he would not ask for a new panel.

Betty Gow, the nurse who put the Lindbergh baby to bed the night he was kidnaped and killed, arrived from Scotland on the liner Aquitania and went at once to the Morrow home in Englewood, N. J., to await her call as one of the state's star witnesses. She declined to talk to reporters, but posed for cameramen. There was a report that Miss Gow might remain in this country and take up her former job in the Lindbergh household. She had acted as nurse for Jon, second son born to the Lindberghs, until she returned to her home in Scotland several months ago.

Hauptmann seemed calm as the time for his ordeal approached, and he ate a hearty Christmas dinner. Mrs. Hauptmann, who moved from the Bronx to Flemington to be near her husband, made a radio appeal to the people of the country to wait until they hear every side of the story before they condemn him.

She reiterated her belief that Hauptmann had nothing to do with the kidnaping of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr. She repeated her story that Hauptmann had waited for her at a Bronx bakery where she worked the night of the kidnaping and that he had taken her home.

As for the ransom money found in the Hauptmann home and garage, she insisted on the truth of her husband's story that he got the money from Isidor Fish, who is dead. Mrs. Hauptmann told parts of her story amid sobs.

ONE of the worst American railway wrecks of the year occurred at Dundas, Ont., when a Christmas excursion train bound from London, Ont., to Toronto was telescoped by the Detroit-Toronto express on the Canadian National railway line as it stood on a siding. Apparently the express ran through the open switch. Two wooden coaches were demolished, and about fifteen persons were killed. More than a score of others were injured. A third coach was thrown on end close to the edge of a 150-foot cliff.

The alertness and quick thinking of Engineer B. Burrell of the speeding train from Detroit, was credited by railway officials with having averted an even greater tragedy. Seeing no hope of preventing the locomotive from piling into the rear of the special train, Burrell ordered it cut loose from the coaches behind and prevented them from telescoping.

SOLDIERS from Great Britain, Italy, Sweden and Holland, to the number of 3,300, under the command of Maj. J. E. S. Brind, a British veteran of several wars, marched into the Saar from north and south with flying colors, and were stationed at strategic points throughout the area, prepared to maintain order until after the plebiscite of January 13 which will determine whether the Saar shall again become a part of Germany or remain under control of the League of Nations. The arrival of the troops was watched by the league authorities with considerable anxiety for there had been fears that Nazi enthusiasts there might cause trouble. But the inhabitants of the basin remained quiet, none of them showing either enmity or enthusiasm for the league's armed forces.

Under the terms of the treaty of Versailles any person living in the Saar at the time of the signing of the treaty is eligible to vote in the plebiscite, and the Nazis of Germany made great efforts to gather as many of their adherents as possible from other lands to which they had migrated. From the United States 352 Saar Germans traveled back to their old home aboard the liner Bremen, and were welcomed with feasts, as was another large contingent from South America. The German government denied that it was paying the expenses of these voters from abroad, asserting they were financed by private donations.

PEACE in central Europe was promoted by two events. The Yugoslavian cabinet resigned and a new cabinet was formed with Bogoljub Yevitch as premier. As foreign minister he had conducted the case of his country against Hungary before the League of Nations and accepted the compromise decision, and he is a close friend of Prince Paul, head of the regency, who is inclined to a moderate course.

"The Austrian government refused the extradition to France of Colonel Perchevich, Croat exile, who was accused, along with Dr. Ante Pavelich, of instigating the assassination of King Alexander in Marseilles. Italy had previously refused the extradition of Pavelich. It is said in informed quarters that further examination of these two men would have revealed facts that would have endangered peace in Europe."

COL. CHARLES A. LINDBERGH, by his flights across Arctic regions in 1933, has enabled the Department of Agriculture to demonstrate conclusively that the spores of plant disease can be borne on remote air currents.

With a spore trap of his own devising, which he called "the skyhook," Colonel Lindbergh obtained specimens which confirmed the previous theories of government experts that plant diseases may be carried even across continents by air currents.

That was announced by Fred C. Meier, the department expert who interviewed Colonel Lindbergh in the work.

Colonel Lindbergh devised his "the skyhook," a light, strong contrivance, easy to operate and well adapted to protecting sterile glass slides from contamination except for the time they were exposed. Mr. Meier prepared the slides and has examined and photographed them. He credits Colonel Lindbergh with careful work.

AFTER winning the handicap prize in the England-to-Melbourne air race, the giant American-built plane Ulver, pride of the Royal Dutch Air Lines, started on a speed flight from Amsterdam to Batavia, Java, with seven persons aboard. During a thunderstorm it crashed in the desert ten miles from Rutha Wells, Iraq, and burned to cinders, all its occupants perishing.

MARTIN J. INSULL, brother of Samuel, was given a Christmas present by a Chicago jury in the form of a verdict of not guilty of embezzlement from the Middle West Utilities company. The money, \$344,720, was used, according to the prosecution, in a desperate effort to recoup Insull's personal losses in the stock market.

FOR the first time the RFC has undertaken the management of a railroad. John W. Barriger, chief examiner for the interstate commerce commission, announced that nominees of the RFC would be placed in charge of operation of the Denver & Salt Lake railway, which has received large loans from the government agency.

The railway is a short road which has leased for 50 years the railroad bore of the Moffat tunnel from the Moffat Tunnel Improvement district.

Present plans of the Republican leadership, if there are enough Republicans left to make their presence felt, indicate that the Democratic commanders need not expect any help from that quarter in pulling hot chestnuts out of the fire. For example, I understand that the soldiers' bonus question will be used by the Republicans as a sort of prod with which to disturb the majority party. It seems definite that the house and senate will pass legislation

for immediate payment of the bonus. It may not be a program for full payment of the sum that is not due until 1945, but the pressure is so strong that some action will be forthcoming.

If Mr. Roosevelt sticks to his guns and vetoes any bonus legislation excepting that proposing to care for the destitute ex-soldiers, sailors and marines, there is enough strength in congress to pass the legislation over his veto. The soldiers' lobby is strong; of that there can be no doubt. The members will be thinking of their political future, not Mr. Roosevelt's, when the question is put before them. Then is when the Republican minority could be of distinct help to the administration but, apparently, that is just the thing the Republican minority is not going to do.

The administration is now examining various avenues of a possible compromise on the bonus payments and it is through this course that a hope exists on the part of administration leaders to avoid the showdown mentioned above. Knowing that it cannot count on the Republican minority for any help to carry through its plans, the administration may make some concessions to the bonus advocates. These most certainly will be made unless a count of noses by the leadership shows a little later that the supporters of a full bonus payment can be whipped—and right now that is generally considered by observers as being impossible.

Here again the views of radicals and conservatives clash. There will be some radicals supporting the bonus payment in order to force the President into a position where he must inflate the currency further. That group thinks inflation of the currency will boost prices and provide the necessary hypodermic injection to get us out of the depression. Opposed to these are a considerable number of house and senate members who fear inflation and its results like they fear the poison fangs of a rattlesnake. So, when the bonus question is joined as an issue it seems to me we will see an interesting exposition of how politics makes strange bedfellows.

President Roosevelt is about to open up the federal treasury for loans to provide funds for construction of municipal light and power plants. He has announced definitely that he favors this procedure and, therefore, in effect has invited cities to join the march on Washington for more federal loans.

The newest development in the administration program of loaning money here and there seems to have resulted in repercussions of a more important nature than objections voiced to other types of federal loans. Here in Washington considerable discussion has developed as to the wisdom of this policy and this has been followed by speculation as to the ultimate end of a program of this kind. Opinion throughout the country apparently has not been definitely crystallized yet but from all indications it appears we are due to hear much debate on the newest New Deal idea.

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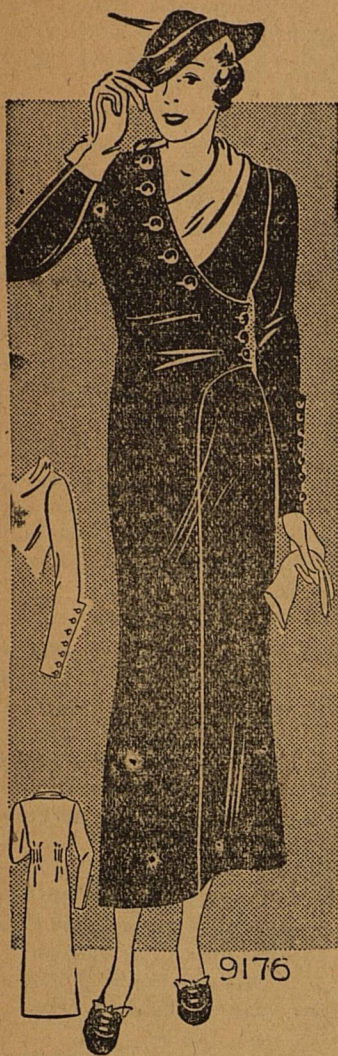
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When Worlds Collide

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CHAPTER VIII—Continued

"We observed a few areas which, like our own, were relatively undisturbed. This district, as you know, is sparsely settled. I will complete my wholly inadequate report to you by satisfying what must be your major curiosity: we saw in the course of our flying a number of human beings. Some of them wandered over this nude, tumultuous country alone and obviously without resources for their sustenance. Others were gathered together in small communities in the sheltered places. They had fires going, and they were apparently secure at least for the time being. All of them attempted to attract our attention to themselves, and it is with regret that I must say that not only is their rescue inadvisable from the sheer necessity of our own self-preservation, but that in most cases it would be difficult if not impossible, as we found no place in which we might have landed a plane. If the surface of the water that remains in Lake Superior be excepted, and a few other ponds and lakes."

After the speech, people crowded around James. Peter Vanderbilt, moving through the crowd, glimpsed Ransdell as he was walking through the front doors of the hall. The New Yorker stepped out on the porch beside the pilot; the sophisticated Manhattan dilettante with his smooth, graying hair, his worldly-wise and weary eyes, his svelte accent, beside the rugged, tan-faced, blue-eyed, powerful adventurer.

"I wanted to ask you something," Vanderbilt said. Ransdell turned, and as usual he did not speak but simply waited. "Do you think it would be possible to hop around the country during the next few months?"

"With a good ship—an amphibian." Vanderbilt tapped his cigarette holder against one of the posts on the porch. "You and I are both super-numeraries around here, in a sense. I was wondering if it might not be a good idea to make an expedition around the country and see for ourselves just what has happened."

Ransdell thought inarticulately of Eve. He was drawn to her as never to any girl before; but, he reckoned, she must remain here. Not only that, but under the discipline which was clamped upon the settlement no rival could claim her while he would be gone. And the adventure that Vanderbilt offered tremendously allured him.

"I'd like to try it," Ransdell replied simply.

"Then I'll see Hendron." Ransdell was struck by a thought. "Shall we take James, too? He'll join, I think."

"Excellent," Vanderbilt accepted. "He could write up the trip. It would be ignominious, if any of us got to Bronson Beta with no record of the real history of this old earth's last days."

Together they broached the subject to Hendron. He considered for several minutes without replying, and then said: "You realize, of course, that such an expedition will be extremely hazardous? You could carry fuel and provisions for a long flight, but nothing like what you'd need. You'd have to take pot-luck everywhere you went; and whenever you set the ship down, you would be a target for any and every person lurking in the vicinity. The conditions prevailing, physically, socially and morally, must be wholly without precedent."

"That," replied Vanderbilt calmly, "is precisely why we cannot be men and fear to study them."

"Exactly," jerked Hendron; and he gazed at Ransdell. The gray-blue eyes fixed steadily on Hendron's, and the scientist abruptly decided: "Very well, I'll sanction it."

Ransdell and Vanderbilt knocked on the door of Elliot James' room, from which issued the sound of typewriting. The poet swung wide the door. They told him their plans.

"Go?" James repeated, his face alight with excitement. "Of course I'll go. What a record to write—whether or not anyone lives to read it!"

Tony realized that his position as vice to Hendron in command of the cantonment did not leave him free for adventure, yet it was almost with

shame that he assisted in the take-off of the big plane two days later. Eve emerged from the crowd at the edge of the landing field and walked to Ransdell; and Tony saw the light in her eyes which comes to a woman watching a man embark on high adventure. Tony walked around to the other side of the plane and stayed there until Eve had said good-by to the pilot.

Many of the more prominent members of the colony were shaking hands with Vanderbilt and Elliot James. Vanderbilt's farewells were debonair and light. "We'll send you postcards picturing latest developments," Elliot James was receiving last-minute advice from the scientists, who had burdened him with questions, the answers of which they wished him to discover by observation. Ransdell came around the fuselage of the plane, Eve behind him.

He cast one look at the sky, and one at the available half of the landing field.

"Let's go," he said. The plane made a long bumpy run across the field, rose slowly, circled once over the heads of the waving throng, and gradually disappeared toward the south.

Eve signaled Tony. "Aren't they fine, those three men? Going off into nowhere like that. I like Dave Ransdell."

"No one could help liking him," Tony agreed.

"He's so interested in everything, and yet so aloof," went on Eve, still watching. "In spite of all he's been through with us, he's still absolutely terrified of me."

"I can understand that," said Tony grimly.

"But you've never been that way about me."

"I didn't show it that way; no. But I know—and you know—what it means."

"Yes, I know," Eve replied simply. The sun, which had been shielded by a cloud, suddenly shone on them, and both glanced toward it. Off there to the side of the sun, and hidden by its glare, moved the Bronson Bodies on their paths which would cause them to circle the sun and return—one to pass close to the earth and the other to shatter the world—in little more than seven months more.

"If they are away only thirty days, we're not to count them missing," Eve was saying—of the crew of the airplane, of course. "If they're not back in thirty—we're to forget them. Especially we're not to send anyone to search for them."

"Who said so?"

"David. It's the last thing he said."

The thirty days raced by. Under the circumstances, time could not drag. Nine-tenths of the people at Hendron's encampment spent their waking and sleeping hours under a death-sentence. No one could be sure of a place on the Space Ship. No one, in fact, was positive that the colossal rocket would be able to leave the earth.

Hendron spent most of his time in the rocket's vast hangar, the laboratories and the machine shop. Under the pressure of impending doom, the group laboring under him had "liberated" the amazing energy in the atom



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—under laboratory conditions. They had possessed, therefore, a potential power enormously in excess of that ever made available before. They could "break up" the atom at will, and set its almost endless energies to work; but what material could harness that energy and direct it into a driving force for the Space Ship?

Hendron and his group experimented for hour after desperate hour through their days, with one metal, another alloy and another after another. The Space Ship still lacked its engine.

Tony perceived an evidence of the increasing tension in Eve when they walked, late one afternoon, through the nearby woods.

She saw on the pine-needle carpet of the forest a white flower. She plucked it, looked at it, smelled it and car-

ried it away. After they had proceeded silently for some distance, she said: "It's strange to think about matters like this flower. To think that there will never be any more flowers like this again in the universe—unless we take seeds with us! Did David ever tell you that, in his first conference at Capetown with Lord Rhondin and Professor Bronson, they were excited over realizing there would be no more lions?"

"No," said Tony, very quietly. "He never mentioned it to me."

"Tell me, Tony," she asked quickly, "you aren't jealous?"

"How, under the conditions laid down by your father," retorted Tony, "could anybody be 'jealous'? You're not going to be free to pick or choose your own husband—or mate—or what ever he'll be called, on Bronson Beta. And if we never get there, certainly I'll have nothing to be jealous about."

The strain was telling, too, on Tony. "He may not even return to us here," Eve reminded. "And we would never know what happened to the three of them."

"It would have to be a good deal, to stop them. Each one's a d—n resourceful in his own way; and Ransdell is sure a flyer," Tony granted ungrudgingly. "Yet if the plane cracked, they'd never get back. This certainly has become a mess of a world; and I suppose the best we can expect is some such state awaiting us," Tony smiled grimly. "If we get across to Bronson Beta."

"No. If we get across to Bronson Beta, we'll find far less damage there."

"Why?" Tony had not happened to be with the scientists when this had been discussed.

"Because Bronson Beta seems certain to be a world a lot like this. It wasn't the passing of Bronson that tore us up so badly; it was the passing of the big one, Bronson Alpha. Now, Bronson Beta has never been nearly so close to Bronson Alpha as we have been. Beta circles Alpha, but never gets within half a million miles of it. So if we ever step upon that world, we'll find it about as it has been."

"As it has been—for how many years?" Tony asked.

"The ages and epochs of travel through space. . . . You ought to talk more with Professor Bronson, Tony. He just lives there. He's so sure we'll get there! Exactly how, he doesn't bother about; he's passed that on to Father. He starts with the landing; what may we reasonably expect to find there, beyond water and air—and soil? Which of us, who make up the possible crew of the ship, will have most chances to survive under the probable conditions? What immediate supplies and implements—food and so on—must we have with us? What ultimate supplies—seeds and seedlings to furnish us with food later? What animals, what birds and insects and crustacea, should we take along?"

"You see, that world must be dead, Tony. It must have been dead, preserved in the frightful, complete cold of absolute zero for millions of years. . . . You'd be surprised at some of the assumptions Professor Bronson makes."

"He assumes, among other things, that we can find some edible food—some sort of grain, probably, which absolute zero would have preserved. He assumes that some vegetable life—the vegetation that springs from spores, which mere cold cannot destroy—will spring to life automatically."

"Tony, you must see his lists of most essential things to take with us. What animals, do you suppose, he's figured we must take with us to help us to survive?"

The three explorers had agreed on September 14 as the first possible day for their return; but so great was the longing to learn the state of the outside world that on the twelfth even those who felt no particular concern for the men who ventured in the airplane began to watch the sky.

No one went to bed that night until long after the usual hour. Tony was in charge of the landing arrangements. At three a. m. he was sitting on the edge of the field with Eve.

At four, nothing had changed. It began to grow light. Eve stood up stiffly and stretched. "Maybe I'd better leave. I have some work laid out for morning."

But she had not walked more than ten steps when she halted.

"I thought I heard motors," she said. Tony nodded, unwilling to break the stillness.

Then the sound came unmistakably. For a full minute they heard the rise and fall of a churning motor—remote, soft, yet unmistakable.

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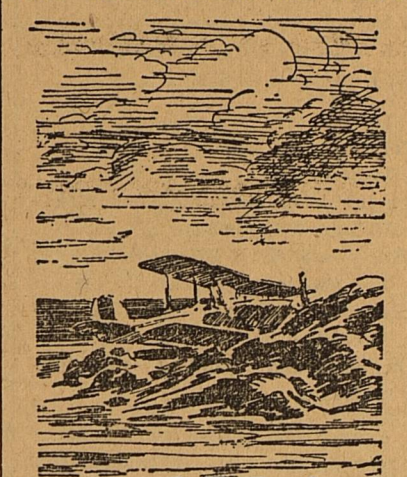
Tony, Dodson and Jack Taylor were already in a light truck. Fire apparatus and stretchers were in the space

behind them. The truck's engine raged.

The plane touched the ground heavily, bounced, touched again, ran forward and slowed. It nosed over. The propeller on the forward engine bent.

Tony threw in the clutch of the car and shot to it. With the doctor and Jack at his heels, he flung open the cabin door and looked into the canted chamber.

Everything that the comfortable cabin had once contained was gone. Two men lay on the floor at the forward end—Vanderbilt and James.



"He Made a Landing and Secured Specimens. He Carefully Carried Back a Sample—Protecting it, in Fact, With His Life."

Ransdell was unconscious over the instrument panel. Vanderbilt looked up at Tony. His face was paper-white; his shirt was blood-soaked. And yet there showed momentarily in the fading light in his eyes a spark of unquenchable, deathless, reckless and almost diabolical glee. His voice was quite distinct. He said: "In the words of the immortal Lindbergh, 'Here we are.'" Then he fainted. James was unconscious.

The truck came back toward the throng very slowly and carefully. In its bed Dodson looked up from his three charges. He announced briefly as way was made for them: "They've been through hell. They're shot, bruised, half-starved. But so far, I've found nothing surely fatal."

An hour later, with every member of the community who could leave his post assembled, Hendron stepped to the rostrum in the dining hall.

"All three will live," he said simply. Cheering made it impossible for him to continue. He waited for silence.

"James has a broken arm and concussion. Vanderbilt has been shot through the shoulder. Ransdell brought in the ship with a compound fracture of the left arm, and five machine-gun bullets in his right thigh. They undoubtedly have traveled for some time in that state. Ransdell's feat is one of distinguished heroism."

Again cheering broke tumultuously through the hall. Again Hendron stood quietly until it subsided. "This evening we will meet again. At that time I shall read to you from the diary which James kept during the past thirty days. I have skimmed some of its pages. It is a remarkable document. I must prepare you by saying, my friends, that those of our fellow human beings who have not perished have reverted to savagery, almost without notable exception."

When Hendron stepped from the platform, he went over to his daughter. He seemed excited. "Eve," he said, "I want you and Drake to come to the office right away."

Bronson and Dodson were already there when they arrived. A dozen other men joined them; and last to appear was Hendron himself. It was easy to perceive his excitement now. He commenced to speak immediately.

"My friends, the word I have to add to my announcement in the hall is of stupendous importance!

"When we took off Ransdell's clothes, we found belted to his body, and heavily wrapped, a note, a map, and a chunk of metal. You will remember, doubtless, that Ransdell was once a miner and a prospector. His main interest had always been diamonds. And his knowledge of geology and metallurgy is self-taught and of the practical sort."

Bronson, unable to control himself, burst into speech. "Good G—d, Hendron! He found it!"

The scientist continued impassively: "The eruptions caused by the passage of the Bodies were of so intense a nature that they brought to earth not only modern rock, but cast quantities of the internal substance of the earth—which, as you know, is presumably of metal, as the earth's total density is slightly greater than that of iron. Ransdell noticed on the edge of such a flow a quantity of solid unmelted material. Realizing that the heat surrounding it had been enormous, he made a landing and secured specimens. He found the substance to be a metal or natural alloy, hard but machinable. Remembering our dilemma here in the matter of lining for the power tubes for the Space Ship, he carefully carried back a sample—protecting it, in fact, with his life."

"My friends,"—Hendron's voice began to tremble—"for the past seventy-five minutes this metal has withstood not only the heat of an atomic blast, but the immeasurably greater heat of Professor Kane's recently developed atomic furnace. We are at the end of the quest!"

Suddenly, to the astonishment of his hearers, Hendron bowed his head in his arms and cried like a woman.

Hendron stood before an audience of nearly a thousand persons. It was a feverish audience. He bowed to the applause.

TO BE CONTINUED.

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SOCIETY AND CLUB ACTIVITIES

MRS. THOMPSON HOSTESS

Mrs. Luke Thompson was hostess to the members of the Thursday's Bridge Club and their husbands, on Thursday evening, December 27.

Mrs. J. C. Crosby won high score honors among the ladies and Aubrey Baugh took similar honors among the men.

After several games of contract refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hext, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Finley, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Whitten, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawhon, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Van McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Crain, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Buie, Mrs. Lewis Ballew, Mrs. Elizabeth Heffley and Mrs. J. C. Crosby; Aubrey Baugh, L. T. Barber and Luke Thompson.

RECENT BRIDE IS HONORED WITH SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Doyle, newly married couple, were recently given a shower by Mrs. Leslie Baker and Mrs. V. G. Tisdale. The affair was had at the Presbyterian Church with a large number being present.

The guests registered upon entering the building with Mrs. Lewis Ballew presiding over the register table. Following the playing of several enjoyable games, curtains were drawn and a Christmas tree loaded with gifts were presented to the honoree.

Refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle will make their home on the V. G. Tisdale ranch.

YOUNGSTERS ENJOY ENTERTAINING PARTY

Miss Mary Heffley and Miss Nell Edmiston entertained their young friends Monday night at the Heffley home with a number of interesting games and contests. The feature of the evening's play was saying good-bye to the old year and greeting the new year.

Refreshments of sandwiches, hot chocolate, and cookies were served to Genevieve Ramsey, Kathleen Crosby, Hazel Doyle, Beatrice Wright, Norma Lynn Hodges, Billie Louise Spurgers, Johnnie Fern Isaacs, Elizabeth Stanford, Robert Jordan, Lyndon Isaacs, Patton Enochs, Billie Calbreath, Joe Reynolds, Ed Reynolds, Earl Bryant, Jim Tisdale, Bob Bradley and Jim Edgar Samples.

The boys and girls reported a very lovely evening.

Rudd Community

Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Huff of Marfa and Mrs. J. W. Yett and daughter of Marble Falls spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCutcheon who has been visiting Mrs. McCutcheon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Isaacs, returned to their home in Briggs Sunday.

Misses Bina Sue and Betty Martin returned to their school in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Thornburg of Santa Fe, N. M., visited Mrs. Thornburg's sister, Mrs. W. F. Wilson and brother Pat Martin, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sitas Burk and family spent the holidays with Mrs. Burk's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Perry of San Saba.

The W. H. D. Club of Adams entertained their husbands with a social at the school house Thursday night.

Sam Williams and Clem Holstien made a business trip to San Angelo Monday.

Mrs. Floyd Williams accompanied by her sister Mrs. Jack Whitely visited relatives in Mertzon Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Reynolds and daughter Lottie made a business trip to San Angelo Monday.

Reporter.

Junior Isaacs, who spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Isaacs, has returned to Abilene where he is a student in Hardin-Simmons University.

You will be more prosperous during the New Year, with keen eyes. See Baker and see better, Hotel Eldo.

THE LAND OF LOVELINESS

"The Owl"

A night hawk is calling;
The soft shadows falling;
A new moon shines on high;
A guitar's softly strumming;
A wind's gently humming;
This tropical lullaby.

Tell me, tell me, tropic moon;
Tell me why you set so soon?
Why so quietly in the west,
Tropic moon you take your rest?
In purple mountains far away,
Where new dawn lengthens into day,
The lone deer satisfies his wants
The wild cat lingers in his haunts?
Moonlight on the waters gleam.
On lake, and winding mountain stream

Against the purple moonlit sky;
The palm tree rears his head on high
From darkness until dewy morn,
You seem so quiet and all forlorn—
Tell me why you are distressed
Beautiful land of Loveliness?

Stork Visits Pharis'

Dr. H. Z. Pennington reports that a baby girl has been born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pharis. The new arrival has been christened Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Pharis have resided in Eldorado for the past several months. Mr. Pharis is operating the Humble Filling Station near the high school.

COPELAND—HENRICK WEDDING IS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Henrick of Rogers, Texas, announce the marriage of their daughter, Ernestine, to John Copeland of this city. The ceremony was performed at Marlin, Texas on Christmas eve.

The bride is a graduate of Rogers High school and is now finishing her junior work at Texas Technological College.

The groom is a graduate of Brownwood High School. He later attended Daniel Baker College, Rice Institute, New Mexico Normal University, and Texas Technological College. He received his A. B. degree from Daniel Baker, in 1928 and his M. A. degree from Texas Tech in 1933. Mr. Copeland taught school in Texas and New Mexico for five years and for the past several months has been editor of the Eldorado Success. Recently he accepted a position as English professor at Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas where the young couple will make their home.

Alexander News

Christmas was very quiet in our community. W. J. Steward and family spent the holidays in Coleman county. T. E. Parson and family and J. G. Rushing and family visited in Brown County over Christmas.

Fred Baker returned to his home in El Paso Sunday after spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker.

Lillian and Geraldine Sprout returned to Eldorado Tuesday after spending a few days with their grandmother Mrs. F. Ramesl.

Miss Annie Herbert spent the holidays with home folks in Killeen. Amigo.

John I. Jones, Jack Meador and David DeLong have resumed their college work in A and M College at College Station after spending the Christmas holidays here in Eldorado.

Bell Sample returned to Austin the latter part of last week from a holiday visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sample. Bell is attending the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant McCutcheon have returned to their home in Briggs, Texas after spending the holidays with Mrs. McCutcheon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Isaacs. Mr. McCutcheon is principle of the Briggs High School.

Kenneth Green has resumed his school work in Howard Payne College of Brownwood after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. T. F. Green.

Dr. Fred R. Baker, San Angelo's well known optical specialist, who fits those wonderful glasses, will be at the Hotel Eldo, Monday, P. M. Jan. 7th.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attend Sunday School Next Sunday

Sunday, December 30, 1934

269 people attended the various Sunday Schools in Eldorado last Sunday. This number represents approximately 22.5 percent of Eldorado's population and is an increase of 8 over the attendance of Sunday, December 23.

By churches the report is
Baptist 97
Methodist 71
Presbyterian 67
Church of Christ 34

49 attended B. Y. P. U. services Sunday night.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
Young People's Meeting 7:00 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

With the beginning of the New Year, the First Baptist Church is planning to better care for the spiritual needs of the people. Sunday will mark the beginning of Departmental openings in both Sunday School and B. T. U. There is a department for you and a class for you. Come next Sunday and you will want to come again.

9:45 A. M. Sunday School; W. T. Whitten Superintendent.
11:00 A. M. Sermon by Pastor.
Subject: "Let's Start Right"
6:30 P. M. B. T. U. Glenn Ratliff, General Director.
7:30 P. M. Services by Bro. and Sister C. T. George, Missionaries to Africa.

A. J. Quinn, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Afternoon Service: 2:30
Preaching every second and fourth Sundays. A cordial invitation is extended to you to attend each service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Communion Service 10:45 a. m.
Preaching Every First and Third Sundays.
Midweek services each Wednesday night at 7:30.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:00
Morning Worship at 11:00
Evening Worship at 7:15
Following the sermon of the morning service there will be Communion of the Lord's Supper. All members of the church are urged to make a special effort to be present and partake of this first communion of the New Year.

At Sunday School we begin a new study for the new quarter. Simon Peter, his conversion, his life, and his writings will be studied this quarter. It is a good opportunity for growth in knowledge, and for inspiration in Christian living.

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No evening service will be held this Sunday in order that our congregation may have the opportunity to hear the addresses of the missionaries from Africa at the Baptist Church on this next Sunday night.

This church extends to all a sincere wish for advancement in all good things this year, and a cordial invitation to all services.

A cordial welcome awaits all at the services of this church.

N. P. Wilkinson, Minister.

W. M. S. IN BUSINESS MEETING

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met Wednesday in a business meeting, this being the initial meeting of 1935. It was voted to change the regular meeting dates from Wednesdays to Mondays. Mrs. P. S. Connell, the new president, presided over the meeting.

The next meeting of the society will be held at the Church at 2:30 p. m. Monday, January 7.

Mrs. O. E. Conner will lead the program on that date with Mrs. Bertha Shugart and Mrs. Dolly Edmiston assisting. The program that has been arranged is as follows: Hymn, "Call To Worship", by leader, "Business Plans For New Year," by president, "World Outlook", Mrs. W. E. Cloud, "Presentation of World 'sOutlook," Mrs. Barrie Currie. Hymn.

The third Monday of January has been designated as guests, day and committees were appointed to carry out this meeting. Mrs. A. T. Wright heads the Refreshment and

Decoration Committee with Mrs. Ben Isaacs, Mrs. Shugart and Mrs. D. E. DeLong assisting. Mrs. Barrie Currie is chairman of the program committee with Mrs. L. Wheeler assisting. The invitation committee is composed of Mrs. Wright, and Mrs. J. F. Isaacs.

Standing committees on program and finance were also appointed at Wednesday's meeting. Mrs. Barrie Currie is chairman of the program committee with Mrs. J. E. Tisdale and W. E. Cloud assisting. Mrs. L. Wheeler is chairman of the Finance Committee for the First quarter; Mrs. Ben Isaacs the second quarter, Mrs. Connell the third quarter and Mrs. Robert Milligan the fourth quarter.

Jack and Grace Ratliff have returned to Abilene to resume their studies in Hardin-Simmons University after spending the holidays with their home folks here.

Cadet Alvin Luedcke who has been spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Luedcke, is returning to California today. He has been stationed at March Field in Riverside, California but will now be located at Hamilton Field at San Rafael.

John Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Alexander, has returned to Brownwood to resume his work in Howard Payne College after spending the holidays here.

Adrian McDaniels visited in San Angelo during the Christmas holidays.

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J. N. DAVIS

Standing like a lighthouse beacon, guiding the destiny of this little city over smooth and troubled seas, keeping her course ever away from the rocky shoals of financial failure and smoothing discord among our citizenship—that was our late mayor, J. N. Davis, whose useful life became a victim of pneumonia on last December 24.

We search in vain for words which to describe the full and well spent life of one who was so well beloved by our citizenship—there are no words for it. To his family he was a loving father, the type of which there is none better than was the late J. N. Davis. To his friends, he was honest, sincere and warm-hearted. To this city, he was a mayor of the most desirable and deserving type, always working toward the realization of progress, never weighting its citizens with undue burden.

As a man, J. N. Davis was all that a man could be. He was a friend to his fellowmen—a friendly friend.

Not only was our late mayor a man among men, a giant of his kind, a loyal civic worker, the kindest of fathers, and a friend indeed, but also Mr. Davis was a devoted Christian and since it is appointed unto all once to die, it is befitting that such a true subject of the Lord's kingdom should go to his final earthly abode on the day of our Savior's birth.

Because words are inexpressive, because space and time limit us as do our human shackles, let us conclude our eulogy with the one phrase which is most appropriate in speaking of our late beloved mayor: J. N. Davis was the kind of a man who makes this world a better place in which to live.

GAS IN ELDORADO?

Judge Bradley and your editor were recently discussing the possibilities of natural gas for Eldorado and both of us are of the opinion that Eldorado could have gas.

Of course there are several serious drawbacks to the matter but nothing worthwhile was ever handed to us on a silver platter—we don't even enjoy Eldorado's healthful air without going to the trouble to expand our lungs. Some of our citizens have given up the idea of enjoying natural gas here because they feel that it would come too high because Eldorado is not a closely compact city. All of that is true but we should expect to pay a little more for our gas. Anyway, gas is mighty nice at any price (barring prohibitive prices.)

As we see it, our greatest handicap is finance for the project; but we CAN MANAGE THAT, TOO, if we have enough stamina to undertake the job. When people don't accomplish the things they desire, it is always for one of two reasons; either they do not attempt the task or else they give up after starting.

Now, a gas supply for Eldorado might be financed either privately or publicly. If we could influence some honest individual or company who would be willing to collect as revenue from the gas sold a moderate rate of interest on his investment (that's what a utility should do); then we should persuade him or her to bring gas into Eldorado. Personally, we prefer the privately operated companies if they are operated from the service viewpoint by honest men.

Should private capital fail to appear in our behalf, a publicly owned company financed by a PWA loan would not be bad. Smaller and less fortunate cities than our own have financed sewers, waterworks, and the like through PWA and Eldorado could finance GAS the same way.

The success of the project of course would depend upon the progressiveness of our city council and the wholehearted support of our citizenship.

Honorable City Councilmen, if you want to leave an everlasting name as a civic workmen you must DO SOMETHING! No civic worker has ever been remembered for his non-progressiveness.

Just another thought: To a great extent we create our own prosperity.

If we hole up in a shell as the turtle does, we not only get the name of being slow—we not only are non-progressive—but we KILL business within our own community. If we progress with the speed of the rabbit—well, you can guess the rest. Some communities have snapped out of the depression more quickly than others for that very reason.

Optimism and progressivism. This? Yes! But not radical, not an impossible day dream—food for thought! And if we have the "get-up", "spunk" and "backbone"—well, you'll see—you'll see.

MY LAST ISSUE

(By the Editor)

With this issue I close my work in the official capacity of editor of this newspaper and I wish to use this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude to our friends who have supported us so loyally. It is my hope that you continue to support the Eldorado Success in order to make it a worthwhile publication. It deserves your support because it is "Schleicher's leading and most widely distributed newspaper."

It is with deepest regret that I close my career as editor of the Eldorado Success to accept a position as professor of English at Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas. I only wish I could handle both jobs, but that, of course, is impossible.

During my stay in Eldorado, I have seen some important progressive strides made and I hope that Eldorado continues to be the "coming little city" of West Texas. "It can be done if you want badly enough to do it." I have grown to love the city of Eldorado and its citizens. It is with deep regret that I go from here and my hopes are for a prosperous and happy New Year for all Eldorado.

Let me leave with you this one little thought: A good newspaper, well supported, is a community's greatest asset toward development and progress.

John Copeland.

STREETLIGHTS

The streetlights shining during the holidays looked awfully pretty—mighty impressive! More especially since Eldorado had no other decorations of holiday spirit. Our streetlights really "deck" our city out and it is a regrettable situation that keeps them from burning all the time.

Advertising pays—and pays well. There is more than one way of advertising and Eldorado's streetlights are a blaze of advertisement. This scribe heard a number of compliments on our city during the holidays—all of them referring to streetlights. Eldorado's streetlighting system is one of the prettiest in West Texas but it doesn't show up so well when the lights are not on. Eldorado, incidentally, looks better in the light than in the dark.

In addition to being an advertisement to our town, the streetlights are an investment toward protection in case of theft, fire, and accident. "Nuff Said."

The Success has already congratulated the council on their part in keeping the lights on during the holidays. The West Texas Utilities is to be thanked for their part; and it is an ungrateful citizen who wouldn't make his thanks known publicly; so, "We thank you, gentlemen."

We close by repeating that it is a regrettable situation which prevents the lights from burning all of the time. Why don't we make an effort to keep them burning?

Mr. S. L. Stanford left Tuesday for Liberty Hill, Texas for a visit with his mother of that town. He planned to go on to Austin for a visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Una Foyd has returned to Roby after spending the holidays here. Miss Ford is teaching in the Roby school system.

Miss John Alexander who has been visiting her brother in Canutillo, ear El Paso, has returned to her home here in Eldorado.

SPORT SLANTS

BY OTHO JONES

Sandies are Champs

After five years of setbacks in the state finals or Semifinals, Coach Blair Cherry and his Amarillo Golden Sandstorms now realize an ambition which has been a constant dream to that Pandhandle city for ever so long. They are high school champions of Class A football of the state. And there is no denying or begrudging them of this long coveted title by piling up the highest score in the history of the Interscholastic League playoff.

From reports, it was Amarillo's games from the opening whistle. Corpus Christi, with Haas as their spearhead, tried vainly to get scoring plays started in the first quarter but soon they were deluged under a fast mounting score and at the end they seemed to have the satisfaction that the score was only 48 to 0.

Football passed out of the picture for the 1934 season with several inter-sectional conflicts New Year's Day.

The Crimson Tide from the University of Alabama rolled relentlessly over Stanford in the annual Rose Bowl Game at Pasadena, California to take a 29 to 13 game. The game, which was played before 85,000 spectators, climaxed an impressive season for Alabama and gave them an unbeaten record in Rose Bowl play.

At San Francisco the West All-Stars again dominated over a mythical team of the East by taking a 19 to 13 game. In this game Bohn Hilliard of the University of Texas, Ray Fuqua and Carter of S.M.U. performed in stellar fashion to uphold the prestige of the Southwest Conference.

In another important game, the Green Wave of Tulane spread over Pop Warner's Temple University Owls to earn a 20 to 14 victory in the first annual Sugar Bowl game at New Orleans, Louisiana.

A New Year Of Sports

With the dawn of 1935, and as we go back hurriedly in memory over the sport parade of 1934, we are clothed with a speculative anticipation as to what the New Year holds for sports in comparison with the year just passed. Does it hold the many thrills, the many upsets, the many surprises that we saw through 1934? In practically all of the games that grace the sport calendar there were upsets and surprises. In the two major sports, baseball and football, was this particular of note.

Going back to waning days of last September the sporting world saw the St. Louis Cardinals rise up from third place in the National League, pass the Chicago Cubs and then beat out the New York Giants, who had led the league for the major portion of the season, by the slim margin of a single game for the National League Championship.

Constipation Symptoms Soon Go Away After Use of Black-Draught

Mrs. S. G. Ramey, of Henryetta, Okla., writes that she has taken Theodor's Black-Draught about twenty-five years, when needed, and has "found it very good." "When I have a sour stomach and my mouth tastes bitter, and I feel bilious, sluggish and tired, I will very soon have a severe headache if I don't take something. I have learned to keep off these spells by taking Theodor's Black-Draught. Very soon I am feeling fine. I feel that Black-Draught can't be beaten as a family medicine." Get a package of Black-Draught today. Sold in 25¢ packages.

In the most hectic and startling finish that baseball has known. These same Cardinals marched on through the World Series to win World Championship by defeating the Detroit Tigers, the American League entry.

In professional football, the Chicago Bears, generally conceded the greatest football machine yet assembled, marched through their season without a defeat only to be roughly shodded over by Ken Strong and the New York Giants for the National Professional Football Championship. The Bears had previously beaten the Giants on two different occasions, but when the date rolled around for the championship game between the winner of the eastern half and the winner of the western half of the League, the surprise was there awaiting for the Bears and their followers.

In collegiate and high school football there were upsets and surprises galore. From our view point, the most startling, yet pleasant surprise, came in the South and Southwest's supremacy over the strong teams of the Mid-West and East in inter-sectional games. Rice's victory over Purdue, Texas' win over Notre Dame, Southern Methodist University's victories over Fordham and Washington were among the major conflicts which brought some surprise to many.

In face of the many upsets and surprises that were prevalent in the sports of 1934, we are confronted with the question of what are the characteristics of a winner. Surely it must be strong physical qualities combined with the right mental attitude which precludes any thought of defeat.

Dallas Voters Approve Of Centennial Bonds

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 2. (Special) Individual tax-paying voters of Dallas again have demonstrated their belief in the certain value to the State to secure through suitable observance of the hundredth anniversary of Texas' independence in 1936, by indicating approval of immediate expenditure of \$3,000,000 in municipal park bonds, already voted, to assist in preparing for the central exposition of the Centennial. An overwhelming majority in favor of such action is indicated by an official tabulation of a unique post-card poll, just completed.

City Councilmen expected to be guided by the results of the poll, which was decided upon after plans for the Centennial had to be changed when the Legislature, at the recent called session, failed to make an appropriation for the exposition and the celebrations, it is proposed to hold throughout Texas at points associated with the early history of the State. The voters were asked whether they approved of a plan to issue the \$3,000,000 in bonds without waiting for State and Federal assistance.

As result of this post-card mandate, it is expected that speedy steps will be taken to place at the disposition of the Texas Centennial Central Exposition, a corporation, the sum of \$3,000,000, which is to be supplemented by \$2,000,000 in bonds, issued by the corporation, for the early inauguration of actual steps toward the building of the exposition and the perfection of its program.

Time, in the proper staging of the central exposition here, has become now as important an element as money. In this respect also it is to be hoped that the Legislature, at its January session, acts favorably on the general appropriation of \$3,000,000 to be asked of the State at the earliest possible moment. This request, it is argued, is one that these Legislators should have no difficulty in granting in view of the popular mandate expressed in the original Centennial constitution amendment.

The recent Legislature did not definitely reject an adequate appropriation, it is recalled, but killed proposal fully as effectively by de-

lay. Now it is almost imperative that further legislative delay be avoided and, to this end, the Texas Centennial Commission is paring its request to the lowest possible figures, despite full realization that, if the Centennial is to be made worthy of Texas, generous State financial participation will be required. Of the \$3,000,000, it is proposed the Commission should ask, only \$1,250,000 would be devoted to the central exposition and it is confidently believed that every Texan will be quick to realize that, if the efforts of Dallas are supplemented by that amount and further by Federal appropriation, the project would be in better shape than reasonably could be expected, if limited to purely local support.

J. M. Tuck, Jr. from Randolph Field, spent 10 days with his mother Mrs. J. M. Tuck during the holidays. He returned to Randolph Field Sunday.

MERRY MAKERS 42 CLUB MEET

Merry Makers 42 club met at the home of Mrs. W. B. Cobb, Tuesday afternoon with 12 members and guests present.

After several games were played, refreshments of pecan pie and coffee were served to the following members, Mesdames, Bertha Shugart, A. T. Wright, J. F. Isaacs, Ben Isaacs, Reuben Dickens, Jim Griffin, Frank Bradley, Dollie Edmiston, and Miss Chris Enoch. Guests were Mrs. L. L. Baker and Mrs. W. T. Whitten.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Reuben Dickens Tuesday January 8.

Charles Rice and son from Flagstaff, Arizona, visited A. K. Bailey and other friends here this week. At one time Mr. Rice was a ranchman in this county.

NOTICE To Tax Payers

Delinquent tax receipts cannot be issued without the 10 percent penalty and the 6 percent interest until after February 8, 1935. Between February 8 and March 15, all taxes delinquent up to August 1, 1934 can be paid without penalty and interest.

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Chronology of the Year 1934

DOMESTIC

Jan. 1—President Roosevelt accepted the resignation of Secretary of the Treasury H. H. Woodin and appointed Henry Morgenthau, Jr., to succeed him. Jan. 3—Congress opened regular session and heard President Roosevelt's message declaring the New Deal must be made permanent.

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new airplane altitude record of 47,660 feet. May 9—French air liner fell in English channel, six perishing. May 14—George R. Pond and Cecil Ross started from New York and New Orleans on nonstop flight to Rome. May 15—Pond and Sabelli landed in Ireland because of engine trouble.

Sept. 15—W. Lawson Little, San Francisco, won national amateur golf championship. First America's cup race "no contest" for lack of wind. June 7—James Keeley, vice president of Pullman company and former editor of Idaho. Jesse C. Grant, last remaining child of Gen. W. Grant. June 15—Hal Skelly, American actor. June 18—Tom Masson, author and editor.

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FOREIGN

Jan. 3—George Tatarscu, anti-Nazi became premier of Rumania. Jan. 3—Editor Lubbe, who burned the reichstag building, beheaded at Leipzig. Jan. 3—Ramon Grau San Martin resigned as president of Cuba and Carlos Hevia was selected to succeed him.

DISASTERS

Jan. 1—Floods in Los Angeles area resulted in about 75 deaths. Jan. 4—Explosion and fire in mine at La Graciosa, Cuba, killed 140 men. Jan. 8—Eighty perished in a panic at Kyoto, Japan.

SPORTS

Jan. 1—Columbia defeated Stanford in Pasadena Rose Bowl game, 7 to 0. Jan. 21—Casper Matsumi won national title at New York. Jan. 23—Kinyre Matsuyama of New York set national three-throw club-bills title.

NECROLOGY

Jan. 1—Jacob Wasserman, German novelist. Jan. 1—Prof. H. C. Warren, Princeton university psychologist. Jan. 7—Robert Simpson, American novelist. Jan. 9—Miss Alice French (Octave Thomet), American novelist.

AERONAUTICS

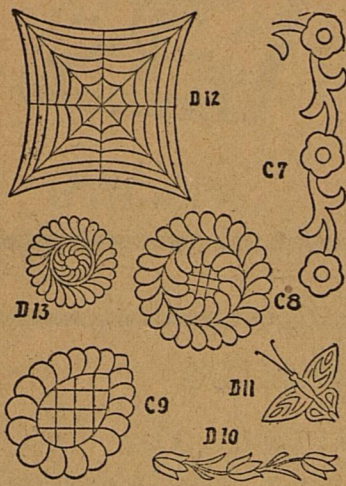
Jan. 4—French seaplane Southern Cross completed flight from Senegal, Africa, to Natal, Brazil. Jan. 11—Six American navy planes make nonstop flight from San Francisco to Honolulu. Jan. 12—Russian balloonists ascended to record height of 15,871 miles and they were killed by fall of their gondola.

INTERNATIONAL

Jan. 7—Paraguay and Bolivia resumed war in the Chaco Boreal, the truce having expired. Jan. 8—France usurped United States import quotas. France and Russia signed new commercial treaty. Jan. 23—Government of President Mendota of Cuba recognized by United States.

Get Perfect Quilt With This Design

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



The quilting on a patchwork quilt may make or ruin the entire work, if the design and work is not done neatly. Beauty in the design is necessary, but the needlework and evenness of the stitches bring out the design, and if done right the result will be perfect and always admired. Needleworkers know the best way to transfer a design to cloth is through a perforated pattern. The design is perfectly drawn and perforated so that each stamping is alike and requires very little time. The stamping powder can be brushed off when work is finished, leaving no lines or marks.

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Fur, Flowers and Velvet for Winter

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



TAKE velvet for the coat, top it with one of the swanky fur capes such as every woman listed in the blue book of fashion is wearing this winter, give it a glamorous touch via a cluster of hot-house orchids—for the answer see the costume centered in the group of high-style costumes here pictured. Which goes to show that fashion is indulging in habillment of the most luxurious type this season. Who said "depression"? Well, anyway, sumptuous furs and magnificent coats (rich cloaking velvet a favorite) with boutonniere or corsage of exotic flowers (preferably orchids) is the new deal which fashion's followers are having dealt to them.

By the way this vogue for flower adornment is increasingly apparent. For tailored daytime clothes, one lady-slipper orchid in gold and silver tube pin on the lapel of one's coat (see thumb-nail sketch in the left lower corner) is in excellent form. Jewels and orchids form a regal alliance for evening. With the new low-front necklines it is smart to wear a necklace, with orchids in the center instead of on the shoulder, as sketched in the right hand corner below. Recently at a debutante party a dress of white billowy tulle with nosegays of wax-white camellias smuggled here and there was the loveliest sight evening lights ere shone upon. The flower vogue also extends to dinner gowns, the flowers in this instance are usually hand made to match or contrast the color of the velvet or other material which fashions the dress.

Returning to a style analysis of the handsome models in the picture, it is plain to be seen, judging from the perfectly stunning outfit shown to the right, that fashion has recognized Russia in no uncertain manner. Cossack turban, high collar, belted waistline, deep cuffs and an abundance of fur, each speaks eloquently in terms of a Russe. It is a stunning ensemble. To our way of thinking you couldn't find

anything smarter in the way of a winter outfit. The fur is nutria, which is of outstanding favor this season. The cloth, which combines with the fur, is a diagonal ribbed beige wool. This model would be very effective in black suede cloth made up with seal or black caracul, or in gray or brown dyed kidskin with a color-matched velvety wool weave.

The black seal bolero to the left might easily be taken, for one of the new separate fur pieces which are so smartly in fashion this winter. In reality it is made as an actual part of the coat. The fur merely tops the cloth sleeves. It would, however, be a most practical idea and thoroughly in keeping with present style trends if this bolero had been one of the detachable sort.

This idea of separate fur capes and stole collars and gilets which look almost like sleeveless jackets with their two long stole ends belted in at the waistline, has much to commend it. With accessory fur novelties including perhaps a high-turban hat and a muff-bag to match, any cloth suit or coat takes on an air of distinction. Many women of a practical turn of mind are taking advantage of this new vogue in that they are having their out-of-style fur coats of past seasons remodeled into stylish boleros or capes or gilets which impart any amount of chic to their appearance without an extravagant outlay of money. However, unless the fur you have is of real value, it is almost as thrifty to invest in ready-mades, for the shops and departments are showing intriguing fur pieces of voguish peltry which are not at all beyond the average budget.

The vogue for big flat fur pockets on cloth coats is also worthy of note. Just to give their cloth coats a "new" look quite a few women are ordering their fur cuffs made into huge pockets which are ornamental as well as useful.

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SHINING BLOUSE

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



For restaurant or theater wear, this shining lame blouse in pale gold with a dropped shoulder treatment is ideal. The full sleeves are styled according to the latest. The tie-collar is new, too, and very flattering. It is worn with a floor-length skirt of black crepe. For evening with glittering blouse or tunic floor length, the slightly trailing black crepe skirts are latest.

FINE FURS USED AS LINING FOR COATS

Some of the finest furs this winter have taken to cover. Time was when the cheapest, ugliest furs were underneath cloth coats for linings. It made them cost less, of course, even though we were a bit ashamed to let the hems flap out so that the lining could be seen.

All that is past now and we are proud now if the fur lining of a coat displays itself to the most critical gaze. Instead of rabbit under a nice broadcloth coat, there is real ermine, mink, even sable. Some of these fur-lined coats are reversible.

Practically all lavish fur collars are detachable. This permits a change of effect that seems to meet with the approval of smart society, as well as of the thrifty minded.

Evening Gown Has Pockets Like Miniature Panniers

The evening gown with pockets! It was Mme. Elsa Schiaparelli who first concocted this idea. Now, however, Mme. Georgette Renal has elaborated on the pocket situation for evening and produced a most remarkable and practical result.

The Renal evening pocket is a delight to the woman's heart who always is wishing she had her hands free to wrap her coat closely about her without having to clutch a handbag. The evening pocket also routs the nightmare of a purse clattering to the floor amid a shower of lipstick, powder and small change.

Renal pockets are stitched and cut so they stand out like miniature panniers.

Many Ways of Winning Sought-For Popularity

A girl is popular for some one of many reasons, or by a combination of them. For example, a girl who is good at sports will find herself popular with those of similar tastes. She must be expert in some field. It may be tennis, golf, water sports, sailing a boat, skiing, etc., and she should be above the average in some of the other sports. It is worth while for a girl who enjoys out-of-door exercise to practice and perfect herself in her favorite sports so that she will be sought as a partner for games or a companion in sports. Her very ability at winning gives her prestige which makes her agreeably noticeable. If to this ability she adds a pleasant manner and is a good sport in losing, when she does, as every one must at times, she has gone a long way on the road to popularity.

Some girls are popular in their set because they have an accomplishment which makes them an addition to any gathering. Playing a musical instrument, singing, impersonating, being able to interest a group in an account of some event or in telling stories amusingly, in short, being a good raconteur—any of these things, when done in a way above the average, lends a certain enviable distinction to the person, and supplies them with popularity. It is assumed that there is also a polish of manner which gives a gracious and agreeable personality, without which few can expect to become favorites or be popular, whatever their field.

Being a good dancer is one of the drawing room accomplishments which makes a girl sought as a partner, and cut in for when already dancing. A help to this popularity is to have a happy expression. The one with whom the girl is dancing may get only brief glimpses of this, but those watching get full view and are apt to make mental note of expression. Another drawing room accomplishment is playing a good game of cards plus taking a beating without arguments. To haggle over cards played, to criticize your partner's leads or the way he failed to follow yours, is fatal to popularity.

Girls who are unpopular are apt to think harshly or even speak disparagingly of those who are popular. It is distressing to find one's self in the background, but one is wise to analyze the situation and find out

why one loses out, before being too downcast or derogatory.

Learn to be good at something which makes for attraction. To be good looking isn't everything. To be made up too much is no help. To have a winning expression is a great aid. To be a good listener is another. This does not mean merely being silent and letting the other person talk. It means listening so that whatever comments you do make are to the point, revealing an understanding of the conversation. Try to make yourself popular in some field and in some way. If you do this with sincerity and not superficially you are in a fair way to win success.

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Congenial Isolation

An Englishman and an American traveled in the same compartment on one of the Liverpool expresses. The former spoke not a word to his companion, who was the only other occupant of the compartment, and it was only when the train was crossing Rulcorn bridge that the American said: "Excuse me, sir, but your tie is riding up over the back of your collar."

"Well, what if it is?" was the curt reply. "Your coat pocket has been on fire this last five minutes, and I haven't bothered you."—Montreal Star.

Underslung Liners

Underslung ocean liners are predicted as the next advance in shipbuilding, the lowered center of gravity, thus obtained, being advantageous in stabilizing fast ships when turns are made.

Entomologists Tell Us Things About Mosquito

Fishermen have long known when fish bite best. Now the periods when mosquitoes bite best, or worst, have been revealed by entomologists of the United States Department of Agriculture.

There are mosquitoes that bite only at night, others that bite only during the day, some bite best at sunrise and some best at sundown.

There is one grain of comfort for the mosquito-ridden citizen. Only the female mosquito bites. The male feeds on nectar and similar substances.

Here are some mosquito "schedules":

The "rain barrel" or common mosquito bites only at night and can find her victims no matter how dark it is. When flying it makes that irritating singing noise which is familiar to every one.

The yellow fever mosquito usually bites close to the ground or attacks from behind, and often crawls under clothing to bite. It bites only in the daytime and is busiest early in the morning and late in the afternoon. It flies quietly. It will bite indoors all day.

The fresh-water marsh mosquito known under the scientific name Mansonia, a severe biter, is busiest just at dusk. It spends the day in the grass and will bite during the day if disturbed.

Malarial mosquitoes will bite all night long and sometimes, too, in the daytime, especially on dark days.

Reason for Winking

Pretty Young Lady (to gentleman sitting close to her at a party)—Will you please stop winking at me?

Gentleman—I beg your pardon, Miss. Your beauty dazzles my eyes, so I winked as though I were looking at the sun.

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JACK'S GOT ME SO WORRIED... HE HAS HEADACHES AND INDIGESTION... AND CAN'T SLEEP WELL!

MY JIM USED TO HAVE THOSE TROUBLES, BUT HE HAD COFFEE-NERVES!

HEY—I DON'T LIKE THE WAY THIS CONVERSATION'S GOING!

JIM'S DOCTOR TOLD HIM TO CUT OUT COFFEE AND SWITCH TO POSTUM... AND THE CHANGE WORKED WONDERS IN HIM!

CURSES! JIM'S WIFE KNOWS THAT POSTUM ALWAYS DRIVES ME AWAY!

GOODNESS! THAT'S AN IDEA... I'LL SEE THAT HE STARTS ON POSTUM TONIGHT! JACK DOES DRINK A LOT OF COFFEE!

LATER

I'M COMING OVER TO PAY OFF THAT LOAN TODAY, MR. GARVEY. BUSINESS HAS BEEN GREAT!

MY, BUT JACK HAS CHANGED. I'D RATHER HAVE HIM WAIT ON ME NOW THAN ANY ONE IN TOWN!

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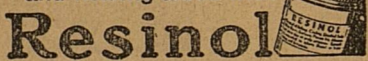
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Mrs. Sallie Catlin of Iowa Park, Texas, says: "I was down and out, had pains across the small of my back, my feet and hands were swollen, I was very nervous and slept and ate poorly. A few bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription soon relieved me of all my pains and aches. The swelling left my feet and hands and I enjoyed perfect health."

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Week's Program For
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Friday and Saturday
Tom Tyler in "Ridin' Thru". With Ruth Hiatt, and Ben Corbett. Also Chapter of thrilling serial "Young Eagles" and comedy.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday
"The Barretts Of Wimpole Street"
Starring Norma Shearer, Frederic March and Charles Laughton. Supporting cast of Maureen O' Sullivan, Ralph Forbes, Marion Clayton and Leo Carroll. Also comedy.

Wednesday & Thursday
Constance Bennett in "Outcast Lady". Supported by Herbert Marshall. Also comedy.

Wednesday is bargain nite. Admission 10 & 15 cents. Thursday nite, Money nite, admission 10 and 25 cents.

"Barretts" On
Palace Screen

In "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer feature starring Norma Shearer, playing a three day run at the Palace Theatre, beginning Sunday. Producer Irving Thalberg and director Sidney Franklin have worked hard in hand and achieved the finest filmization of a famous stage piece ever to be recorded in celluloid.

For "The Barretts of Wimpole Street" is a brilliant production—brilliantly conceived, written, acted, directed and framed. Norma Shearer and Frederic March do more than present a tender, poetic love story; they actually bring the rigid Elizabeth Barrett and the poet Robert Browning to life. And it is the grim, uncompromising father whose diabolical influence motivates the drama, Charles Laughton turns in a performance which compares well with his recent interpretation of Henry the Eighth.

The supporting cast of Ralph Forbes, Maureen O'Sullivan, Leo Carroll and Marion Clayton are equally as well cast.

On today and Saturday's bill at the Palace, the public will see Tom Tyler in another splendid story of western drama, "Ridin' Thru." The Seventh Chapter of the thrilling serial "Young Eagles" and a comedy will also run on this program.

Constance Bennett, your favorite screen star, comes to the Palace in the well-cast bill "Outcast Lady" next Wednesday and Thursday. This film was reproduced from "Green Hats".

Herbert Marshall teams with Constance Bennett in the "Outcast Lady" to make the production a very strong screen vehicle.

SLUMBER PARTY

Miss Nell Campbell met a group of her friends on the Court House lawn Monday, Dec. 31, to plan to meet the new year at midnight. After plans had been made they motored out close to the depot for a winter roast.

After the roast the party came back to the home of Miss Pauline Hanson to attend a party there. Many games were played and enjoyed by the group. 10:30 found them on their way to the Campbell Home for a slumber party. Mrs. Campbell had a store of cookies and homemade candy ready for them. Popcorn was the principal pastime, along with introductions to the Henderson family with Mr. Campbell serving as an eye witness to the initiation. At 11:30 the group felt that the New Year should be greeted on the main street of our fair city. So arming themselves with firecrackers, pistols, bells and tin cans, they made their way to Main Street.

Promptly at 12 o'clock the hilarious goodbyes and greetings began, lasting until 1:00 o'clock. Nell, being an expert at firing the guns, no arrests were made. Tired and sleepy, the group went back to the Campbell home to spend the rest of the night upstairs. A few jokes and pranks were played but at 3:00 o'clock the new year found them fast asleep only to be called for breakfast by Mrs. Campbell at 8. Oh, well, Pat was late for work. Those present were: Janette Wakefield, Cora Tisdale, Pat Kent, Paul Harris, Fay Belle Enochs, Maxine Wilson, Johnny Fern Isaacs, and Nell Campbell.

Mrs. M. E. Lindsay

Mason, Dec. 26. —Funeral services were held in Mason Sunday afternoon for Mrs. M. E. Lindsay, 92, who died Saturday afternoon, Dec. 22, 15 miles west of Fort McKavett, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gratton Crosby, where she has made her home for the past eight years.

Mrs. Lindsay was a pioneer of this section. Formerly Miss Matilda Ellen Milligan, she was born in Titus County, Texas, in 1842. At the age of 13 years she moved to Mason County with her parents. Her father, the late Thomas Milligan, was the first sheriff of Mason County. Later he was killed by the Indians. In 1858, Matilda Milligan was married to John A. Lindsay and the couple located on a ranch near Mason. Mr. Lindsay passed away in 1891.

The couple were parents of 12 children, six of whom are living. They are Mrs. G. C. Crosby of Eldorado, Mrs. C. M. Coulson, Pear Valley; Mrs. Charlie Turner, Eldorado; Mrs. J. M. Smart, Eden; Mrs. Frank Edmiston, Eldorado, and Mrs. John Jones of San Angelo. Besides the children, 57 grandchildren, 85 great grandchildren and 11 great great grandchildren survive.

Two sisters, Mrs. George Bird of Mason and Mrs. Lydia Elliot of Roswell, N. M., and one brother, Jim Milligan of Mason also survive.

Last rites were conducted by Rev. C. H. Garrett of Mason and interment was in the Gooch Cemetery, Mason. Six grandsons were active pallbearers. They were Jack and Lindsay Brown of Mason, J. C. Crosby, Gratton Edmiston of Eldorado, Alf Coulson of Pear Valley, John Lindsay of Mason. Other grandchildren were honorary pallbearers. They were: R. C. Edmiston, Eugene Edmiston, Eldorado; Arch Edmiston of Ballinger, Jack Edmiston, Houston, Walter Lindsay, Mason; Louis and C. Y. Jones of San Angelo, John Jones, Hext; and Ness Coulson, Pear Valley.

SCOUTS

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because we are anxious that the Scouts who attend it shall gain the utmost in citizenship values and experiences from their ten days at the national capital. It will be their first trip to Washington in many cases and the great event in their young lives.

"The idea is to have every tent of the encampment in sight of the capitol, the Washington Monument, the Lincoln Memorial and the Robert E. Lee mansion at Arlington to provide a constant reminder to these 30,000 boys of what it means to be an American. We want the Boy Scouts who attend to gain the utmost in citizenship values and experiences from their ten days encampment in Washington, and their visits to the national shrines around the capitol.

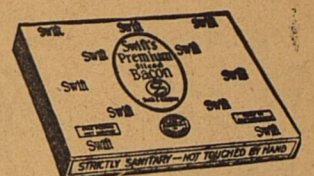
"The Scouts will live under canvas throughout the period of the Jamboree. They will be permitted to bring their own tentage and camp equipment and the great camp will be a revelation to the hundreds of thousands of expected visitors as to methods of camping in various parts of the United States and, incidentally, of the ability of boys adequately to take care of themselves in the open.

"An invitation will go to each of the forty-four foreign countries who are members of the Boy Scout International Bureau to send a representative group if they so desire. Several of the foreign nations have already indicated their intention to participate, which will insure that the Jamboree will have an international flavor.

"Arrangements are being made for the Jamboree scouts to see Washington, Arlington, Mt. Vernon and the great national points of interest.

in and out about the capital city. I should like to emphasize again that it is our earnest hope that the occasion will be of the greatest value to the attending Scouts as stimulating a better understanding of the value of citizenship."

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hoover and Forrest Alexander made a business and pleasure trip to Fredonia last week.



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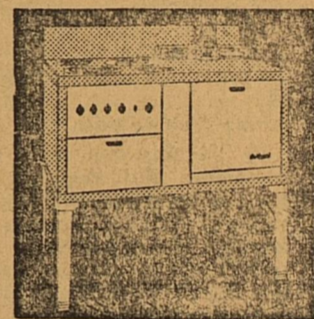


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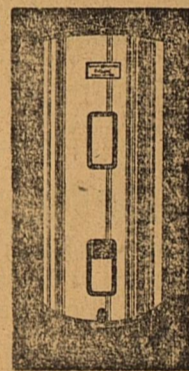
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POST OFFICE

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tal revenue that the same month in 1933.

The calendar year of 1934 showed about a 10 per cent in revenue gain over the year of 1933. Post Office business during the first half of the fiscal year, which runs from July 1 to July 1, has already reached the volume of business done during the fiscal year of 1933-34, further stated Mr. Brooks.

Mr. Brooks attributes the increase in revenue to the fact that people are learning more and more in the importance of insuring packages.

GENERAL MOTORS

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hair business to unite for the increased consumption of the product. It is up to all concerned to cooperate instead of hindering sales of cars with this type of upholstery.

We are, indirectly, important customers of the Texas mohair industry. Any attack upon us, therefore, is an attack upon the mohair raisers.

"A few General Motors dealers in Texas have been the target for unjust attacks in connection with vicious rumors circulated among goat raisers and business men regarding alleged mohair importation. Despite this, the Fisher Body division will continue to use as much mohair upholstery as possible in General Motors cars, the sales of which will help in reducing surplus stocks of hair throughout the Texas territory. Already thousands of 1935 models so equipped have been shipped to all parts of the United States and many foreign countries."

Mrs. Sam Holland was winner of the \$20.00 given at the Palace Theater last night.

ECONOMIST

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relief clients working in such centers.

"There has been an enormous increase of rural population during these bad years and that means an increased agricultural problem where the returned family goes into farming as an occupation. But the rural work center affords a solution of that difficulty and offers a good chance also for Texas to develop a program of home industries which will create much wealth with in the State.

"Relief clients manufacturing simple household furniture, from lumber made at the work center, or leather articles from hides tanned there, or bedding from home grown cotton and wool, or adobe bricks or other building materials from local materials and exchanging the finished articles for food stuffs and raw materials for more articles are not to be regarded as competing with established business. They are in fact helping to raise standards of rural living and thereby creating a market for more finished manufactured goods," Dr. Ezekiel said.

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Loans	\$276,155.67	Capital Stock	\$75,000.00
Acceptances, Cotton	447.92	Surplus	\$50,000.00
Overdrafts	956.82	Undivided Profits	16,294.39 66,294.39
United States Bonds	20,000.00	Circulation	20,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	3,750.00	Deposits	219,831.34
Banking House	\$3,000.00		
Furniture & Fixtures	1,000.00 4,000.00		
Other Real Estate	5,000.00		
Cash in Vault and Due From Banks	69,327.08		
Redemption Fund With U.S. Treasurer	1,000.00		
Federal Deposit Insurance Fund	488.24		
	\$381,125.73		\$381,125.73

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