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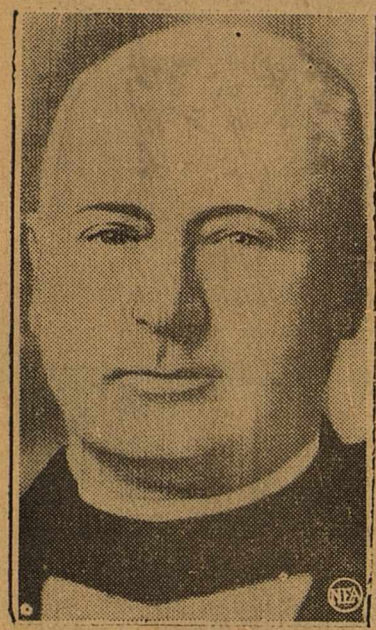
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Suggest Inter-American Peace Move

Oppose Match



The struggle between the Church, Cabinet and King Edward VIII over the British ruler's apparent intention to marry Mrs. Wallis Simpson...



SCHOOLS TO GIVE TWO FULL WEEKS OFF CHRISTMAS

Dismiss December 18 And Resume Work January 4

Two whole weeks of holiday will be given students of the Midland public schools...

Brother of Local Woman Auto Victim

News of the sudden death of Fritz Schroeder of Mart, brother of Mrs. C. H. Muller of Midland...

Soviets Adopt New Russian Constitution

CREATE 2 HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT, POPULAR VOTE

Military Industry Commissariat Formed

PROTECT RIGHTS Land Grants Be Made To Peasants At No Cost

MOSCOW, Dec. 5 (P)—The congress of Soviets today approved the new Russian constitution after an amendment to create a commissariat of military industry...

Midland to Meet Littlefield Here Next Friday at 2

The Midland Bulldogs, champions of district 7-B and 8-B, will meet the Littlefield Wildcats...

Officials of the two schools, meeting together following the Midland win over McCamey...

The Midland officials guaranteed the Littlefield team \$750 to play the game here...

Superintendent Sanders of the Littlefield school offered to flip a coin to see where the game would be played...

With the largest crowd of the season expected to be here Friday, barring inclement weather, reserve seat tickets will be put on sale here tomorrow...

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Pope Pius Suffers From Acute Paralysis Attack

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 5 (P)—Pope Pius, 79, today suffered a slight paralysis in both legs. Some high prelates said he might never walk again...

The Pope's left leg was discovered to be paralyzed when a personal attendant began to assist him to arise. Officials said the paralysis spread to the right leg later.

MRS. HODGE HURT WHEN CAR TURNS OVER ON HIGHWAY

Shoulder Dislocated And Scalp Cut In Road Mishap

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge of Midland was injured Saturday afternoon and her husband, manager of the Ritz and Yucca theatres here, was slightly bruised when their car overturned on a curve twenty miles south of Odessa.

Hospital attaches told Hodge that eight victims of wrecks had been brought there in the last 36 hours.

Sailor Confesses Extortion Plot Against Actress

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 5 (P)—J. H. Hanson, of the department of justice, announced today that James F. Hall, United States navy sailor, had confessed that he wrote threatening letters to Ginger Rogers, screen actress, in an attempt to extort \$5,000.

Hall was arrested about midnight Friday near a cafe at Long Beach where Miss Rogers was directed to bring the money, Hanson said.

Previously, the mother of Miss Rogers revealed that the actress had been threatened with death unless she paid the money.

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Is Stricken



Pope Pius XI

STATE OFFICIAL TOPRESENT DATA ON HEALTH WORK

Health Board Meets Monday Night At Court House

The possibility of additional health services for Midland county under the social security act will be discussed by Dr. H. N. Barnett at the regular meeting of the Midland County Public Health Board...

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FINE PAID IN DIMES

HAVERHILL, Mass. (U.P.)—All activity was halted when Harry G. Emmons of Methuen paid his \$10 fine on a driving charge. He paid the fine in dimes and it took the city marshal some time to count the 100 coins.

Fish cannot exist in the Dead Sea on account of its extreme salinity.

KING EDWARD IS DETERMINED TO MARRY AMERICAN

Cancels All Official Engagements For Week End

WON'T ABDICATE Wants Hands Free To Study Crisis Of Constitution

LONDON, Dec. 5 (P)—King Edward told a distressed cabinet today that he is determined to marry Wallis Simpson. He then formally cancelled all official engagements "for the present."

Supporters interpreted these words in his Buckingham Palace announcement, to mean that he merely wanted his hands free to deal with the present constitutional crisis.

Premier Baldwin's ultimatum was that the King and Mrs. Simpson must not wed.

It was learned from high sources that the king had decided not to abdicate, and that he had decided nothing except that he will marry Mrs. Simpson who was en route to southern France. However, it was conceded that cards will stack high against him.

Lord Rothermere said, in the Evening News, "You cannot smuggle the greatest living Englishman off the throne of England during a week end."

Mrs. Simpson left Blois, France, early and unexpectedly Saturday morning, accompanied by her entire party, continuing her journey southward.

King Edward, Friday night, had accepted the challenge of his government to choose between his throne and Mrs. Simpson.

SCHOOL GIRLS TO GIVE SEAL TALKS

Appears Today at Church Services, Sunday School Classes

Sunday morning at the churches in the city the Sale of Christmas Seals for 1936 will be brought to the attention of the people of Midland when an appeal to buy Christmas Seals this year is made by a selected group of high school girls.

La Moine Sinford will speak to the Men's Bible class, Anna Beth Bedford at the Christian Church, Velma Johnson at the Church of Christ, Lucille Guffey at the Methodist Church, Pady Sue Whitcomb at the Presbyterian Church, Vera Stevens at the Baptist Church, Christine Pate at the Naomi class, Father Edw. Harrison will make the appeal at the Catholic Church.

At the meeting of the Rotary club the talk will be made by Dorothy Lou Speed and at the Lions club by Freddie Lou Barber.

Beloved Old Gentleman to Make His Annual Visit to Children Of Midland Friday December 18

Santa Claus, from his far-off North Pole retreat, has advised the Midland chamber of commerce that he will arrive in Midland for a brief visit on Friday afternoon, December 18, at 4:30 o'clock, and has asked that all children of Midland and surrounding territory be notified so that they may be on hand to chat with him for a few minutes during his stop here.



Santa Claus

The beloved old gentleman is making a hurried tour of this section, prior to his annual visit on Christmas eve, checking up on the behavior of the children and assuring them that he will return on Christmas eve as usual. Due to its central location, Santa chose Midland as his stopping place, believing that he will be able to meet more children here than anywhere else.

Children from all over West Texas are urged to be on hand. A parade is being arranged in honor of the distinguished visitor by the chamber of commerce, the Santa Claus' visit.

high school band heading the parade. Santa Claus will ride in the parade atop the city firetruck. He has announced that he will bring plenty of candy which will be distributed to kiddies along the line of march. The parade will traverse the downtown section.

The stringing of colored lights across the downtown streets will be started next week, considerable new lighting equipment having been purchased with the intention of practically doubling the Christmas decorations of the downtown section. The city will be in gala holiday attire for the Santa Claus' visit.

Mrs. Pyron Badly Hurt In Auto Crash at Odessa

Pyron and Hogsett Also Injured Slightly

Mrs. Joe Pyron, formerly of Midland, was seriously injured in an automobile accident at Odessa Friday night and was reported late Saturday to be resting well at an Odessa hospital. Pyron, also Bill Hogsett, with her when the Pyron car was struck by a speeding automobile, sustained slight injuries and bruises but both were able to be up after receiving emergency treatment.

The party was driving to the Pyron home when a car, the driver of which Pyron did not identify, came in from a side street, striking the Pyron automobile from the side. The Pyron car was spun around, then overturning. Mrs. Pyron sustained a badly cut arm, leaders being severed and suffered greatly from loss of blood before she could be rushed to a hospital. Pyron had his side badly bruised, his ribs be-

"smashed" but not broken. Hogsett suffered from a wrenched back and neck. Pyron, for a brief period was knocked unconscious.

Leaders were tied back in Mrs. Pyron's arm and surgeons said Saturday she would not lose the member. She also received a cut on the side of her head but no concussion resulted. She was expected to be in the hospital for several days.

Pyron said the weather was misty. He was driving westward and did not see the approaching car until it was upon them, coming swiftly from a side street. The driver of the other car was not hurt. He is reported to be employed by a drilling company at Odessa. No charges were filed.

Mrs. Joe Hogsett, who went to Odessa Friday night upon news of the accident and again Saturday, reported Mrs. Pyron in a serious condition. Doctors said, however, that unless infection or complications set in, her condition should show steady improvement.

DOLLAR EASES CONSCIENCE

SANTA ROSA, Cal. (U.P.)—An anonymous letter, received by L. G. Deffner, grocer, read: "Please find enclosed \$1 for a few small groceries I have taken. Please forgive me. They were taken during the depression."

DAUGHTER OF OIL MAN CRASH VICTIM

Corinne Hanagan Killed Near Saint Louis Friday Night

News of the death of Miss Corinne Hanagan, 18, daughter of W. F. (Bill) Hanagan, oil man of Roswell, was reported here Friday night, she having lost her life in an automobile accident while en route to Saint Louis from a school she attended at Leavenworth, Kansas.

Hanagan, who had been here recently, had gone to Tulsa, and Mrs. Hanagan from Roswell telephoned friends here while trying to locate him. J. L. Crump, B. H. Blakeney and others called various points during the night until he was located at Tulsa.

Hanagan spends much time at Midland, looking after oil holdings and operations with Midland men.

Houston City Bus Driver Is Slain

HOUSTON, Dec. 5 (P)—J. H. Reich, 28, bus driver, was killed here today in an apparent holdup. Police found Reich's body sprawled on the floor of a municipal bus, at the end of the line, in the negro section.

The driver's money and change were missing. A negro whom police said was implicated in several street car holdups was sought.

CORDELL HULL IS SPEAKER ASKING ARMOUR OF PEACE

Points Necessity Of Joint Action By Americas TO SET EXAMPLE

'Will To Peace' Is Necessary For The World

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 5—Secretary Hull summoned twenty-one American nations today to a co-operative effort to help prevent war abroad, as well as to preserve peace at home.

Presenting to the Inter-American peace conference an eight point program for a comprehensive anti-war structure, the head of the United States delegation pleaded for creation of an "armor of peace", in the interest of the whole world.

Secretary Hull stressed the necessity for joint action by the American government to infuse a will to peace in their people and, by example, in the world at large.

He said to this end frequent consultations among their officials was necessary as well as free intercourse among their peoples.

HEART TROUBLE PROVES FATAL TO MIDLAND CITIZEN

Byron Bryant Dies Suddenly Here Last Night

Byron "Boogher" Bryant, 37, well-known Midland county rancher, succumbed suddenly Saturday night at eight o'clock in a local hospital of heart trouble.

Bryant had been ill for several days but was taken to the hospital only yesterday afternoon. His demise was unexpected.

Bryant had been a resident of Midland since 1906, owning extensive property about 10 miles south of Midland with his brothers, W. and W. L. Bryant. He was a student of Midland schools while still a youth. For the last several years he had devoted himself to the management of his ranch properties.

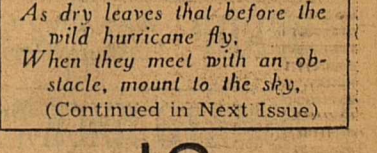
The deceased is survived by his two brothers and three sisters, Miss Georgia Bryant and Mrs. Frank Wilson of Cedar Hills, Texas, and Mrs. Mary E. Turner of Midland.

The body of Bryant was to be shipped to Cedar Hills this morning.

STRANGLER BY JACKET

MONTREAL (U.P.)—Austin McColl, 44-year-old insane inmate of the Montreal jail, strangled himself while attempting to escape from a straight-jacket.

A Visit From St. Nicholas



XII As dry leaves that before the wild hurricane fly, When they meet with an obstacle, mount to the sky. (Continued in Next Issue)

ONLY 16 MORE SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

SECRECY NEARS END IN ROBLES KIDNAPING CASE AS THE GRAND JURY PREPARES CONVENIENCE MONDAY

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 5 (U.P.)—The long delayed public solution of little June Robles' abduction in 1934 will be divulged after a federal grand jury meets here Dec. 7.

For more than two years the federal government's famous "G-men" have worked on the case; their chief, J. Edgar Hoover, has announced "the case is solved to our satisfaction" but the public never has read the details of their theories.

Only one man, Oscar Robson, former Tucson nightclub owner and onetime schoolmate of June's father, Fernando Robles, ever has been indicted in connection with the case. This indictment was dismissed Nov. 24. He was accused only of sending through the mails one of the notes which demanded payment of \$15,000 for June's safe return.

Case Stands Apart

The Robles case is the only one of the wave of kidnappings for ransom that terrorized the nation a few years ago, in which the guilty persons were not brought to justice. Since its inception, the case has been focal point from which dozens of rumors have flooded the southwest. Dozens of "solutions" have been offered by state officials and newspapermen who worked on the case. However, none was authentic enough to bear scrutiny in court, or sufficiently susceptible of proof to result in definite charges.

June, then 6, was kidnaped April 25, 1934, by "a tall dark man" as she walked home from school. Nineteen days later, May 14, she was found chained in a corrugated iron cage sunk into the desert floor nine miles from Tucson, after Gov. B. B. McMurtry received in Phoenix a letter airmailed from Chicago and giving definite directions for finding the cage.

No ransom ever was paid for her release. Her father, Fernando, and her uncle, Carlos, then a deputy county attorney, had the \$15,000 demanded for the child's return, driven down slowly over isolated desert roads, as directed in notes from the abductors, but failed to make contact with them.

G-Men Take Charge

The G-men, inactive during the 19 days, then took charge. Some of the best operatives in the department came here, worked for a while and disappeared only to be replaced by others. No official statements were made regarding the case until Robson was arrested at the postoffice in Phoenix in October, 1934. A federal grand jury meeting there refused to indict him, however, and ordered the case "held for further investigation."

On May 5, 1935, a grand jury here, after hearing testimony for several days, indicted Robson on a charge of "using the mails in an effort to extort money," in that he allegedly mailed from the Tucson postoffice four days after June's abduction, a demand for \$15,000 ransom.

Robson insisted he was innocent. Released on \$5,000 bond, he resumed his normal activities here. Before the indictment was dismissed his case appeared on trial calendars of the federal district court here three times, and each time it was passed by agreement of government and defense counsel.

Agent's Activities Secret. Meantime, fresh department of justice agents continued the investigation, working here and in Phoenix, but except for their admission that the case was not closed, nothing was heard from them.

Then, John Dougherty, assistant U. S. Attorney, announced the long investigation was concluded. He said the agents' findings would be presented to the next session of the grand jury, and that perhaps 70 witnesses would be called, including Fernando and Carlos Robles, June herself, and Bernabe Robles, aged and wealthy cattleman-grandfather of the girl.

Dougherty disclosed that for more than two years detectives had kept a day by day record of the case. This, he said, would be turned over and explained to the jurors. One of the principal points expected to be cleared up by the grand jury is whether June actually spent 19 days in the cage, as she said she did. Physical evidence found in the cage indicated she had been kept there that long or that she had not—depending upon interpretations.

The child's physical condition, the fact that she was only slightly sunburned and insect bitten, was cited by some investigators as proof that she had been in the cage only a comparatively short time. They could not say, however, where she had been held the remainder of the 19 day period, if their belief was correct.

Whether the department of justice men expected new indictments is not known. They insist, however, their investigation finally has been completed.

Oil News--

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Goldsmith Extension

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 7 Pure-Cowden, which extended the east side of the Goldsmith pool a half-mile northeast, flowed 1,106 barrels on the 24-hour Railroad Commission gauge through 2 1/2-inch tubing. Production is natural, as the well was neither shot nor acidized. Gas volume was between 500,000 and 750,000 cubic feet. The Phillip producer logged its main pay from 4,119-65. It had saturation from 4,072-87 but cemented the oil string of casing at 4,079. Location is 1,320 feet from the south and west lines of section 13, block 44, township 1 south, T. & P. survey.

In the Foster pool, York & Harper No. 2 Foster was scheduled to shoot with 460 quarts after halting drilling at 4,220. When swabbed down, it filled up 1,500 feet overnight.

York & Harper and Sloan & Zook No. 1-B Foster, a wildcat a mile northeast of the pool, is drilling at 2,465 feet. It is in the southwest corner of section 8, block 42, township 2 south, T. & P. survey.

Northwest of the Holt pool, Sinclair-Prairie No. 1 Emma Cowden, southern Andrews wildcat in section 13, block 44, township 2 north, T. & P. survey, is drilling below 2,730 feet in anhydrite.

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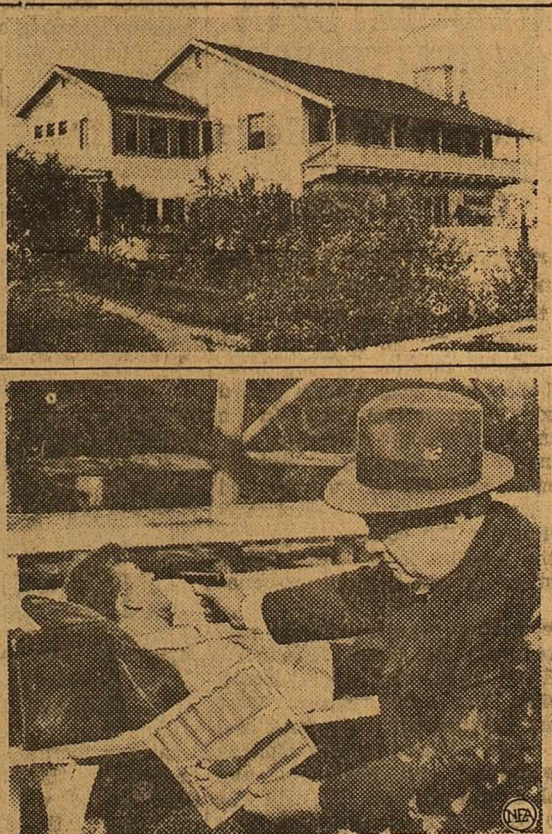
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Look Out—Here She Comes!



HERBLOCK

Murder or Suicide Answer Sought in Coast Death



Aiding police in investigating the mystery death of Reid Russell, 28, salesman, found shot on the Manhattan Beach, Calif., estate of Gouverneur Morris, noted novelist, were Mrs. Morris, Jimmy Kirkwood, and Jimmy's mother, Lila Lee, film actress, seen at the left. The boy found the body on a lawn swing and also told of seeing an officer dig a bullet from the swing and then lose it. Mrs. Morris testified that she had received a suicide note from Russell and Miss Lee also testified. Russell often had been a guest at the Morris home, shown upper right. At lower right, Los Angeles officers are shown as they tried to re-enact the death circumstances, with both suicide and murder theories being weighed.

Social Security Credential Cards, Your's For Lifetime, Distributed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5. (U.P.)—The Social Security Board has started delivering credentials, which look something like old-fashioned speakeasy cards—in wholesale quantities.

These cards are done with a red, white and blue motif and frankly, the printing job is not so hot. Card number 577-03-4033, which belongs to yours truly, is a little smeared and the eagle's tail is missing.

The card itself is white. The number is stamped in red. The printing is blue. It shows Great Seal pillars on either edge of the ticket, with a vaulted arch connecting them. On the arch is printed in capital letters "SOCIAL SECURITY ACT."

Then comes our account number and our full name, first, middle and last. This bothers us a little because our middle name is something which has been our secret, and ours alone, these many years. Don't laugh, either because your middle name is

being printed on your card, too, so that all who look may laugh.

Over all this printing is stamped in a different shade of blue the seal of the security board, which includes the eagle without the tail. On the reverse side are instructions, printed closely in black. They say "keep this card."

Then they explain about how the red account number is necessary for bookkeeping purposes and suggest we jot it down somewhere because we may "lose the card."

"We'll try not to lose ours, but we're a little worried about wearing it out."

It is printed on a cheap grade of cardboard, thin, like a movie ticket. Bend it and it stays bent. Crease it and the crease is permanent. Rub it and the paper wears off in little rolls.

By the time we're 65 years old, we fear that this card is going to be dog-eared. We're afraid all the

printing will be worn off after 30-odd years of riding in our wallet, and that as a social security document it will look like something an archeologist dug up.

The treasury department, which looked at these cards but diplomatically refused comment, said it printed its dollar bills on the best quality paper obtainable—and that they wore out in nine months flat.

Of course, the treasury said its \$5,000 bills were printed on the same kind of paper and they lasted a life time. This would indicate big bills don't get much wallet mauling, and it may be that the security board wants us to keep our tickets at home under the mattress with the silverware and the baby shoes.

The board said furthermore if we lost ours it would fill us out a new one, and ditto if it wore out. So our worries, probably are groundless. We can't help wishing, though, for two things:

- 1. That our eagle had a tail.
- 2. That our middle name hadn't so casually and so flauntingly been committed to print.

LLANO UNDERGOES REMODELING WORK

Cafe, Drug Store To Be Opened in Former Cafe Space

Remodeling of the section of the lower floor of the Llano Hotel formerly occupied by Trammell's Restaurant is under way, the space to be divided into two business locations.

Fronting on Wall street, one section will be a new cafe, operated in connection with the hotel, according to A. W. Snyder, proprietor. Modern fixtures will be installed, to provide a first class eating house, he said.

The other space will be for a new drug store, announcement to be made shortly, Snyder said. That portion is being completed first, the remodeling for the cafe to follow.

C. E. Trammell, who formerly operated the cafe at the Llano, closed it simultaneously with his opening of the new Cactus Cafe at Loraine and Wall streets.

DR. HUNT STAYS OVER TO FILL APPOINTMENTS

Dr. Otis Hunt is at the Hotel Scharbauer, staying over to accommodate the many people who have tried to see him but could not get appointments the past week.

Dr. Hunt, the man with the beard, has interviewed many people in Midland during his stay here and has given them a lot to think about as well as amusement.

He will positively tell you what you came to find out about, and tell you what questions are on your mind or it will cast you nothing. He will prove telepathy true.

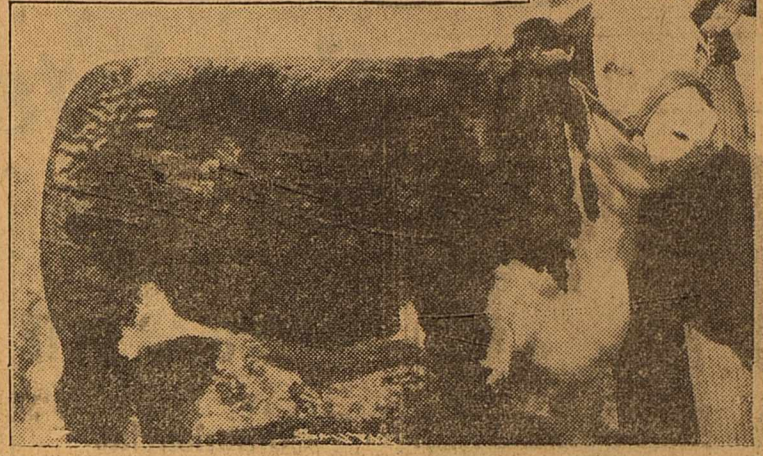
His hours for this are from 1:00 a. m. to 10:00 p. m. daily and Sunday. Dr. Hunt will tell you the truth. He is a master of life's mysteries. It will pay you to get his advice. He remains five days more.

CHAMPION BUCKSAWER 63

PETERBOROUGH, Ont. (U.P.)—Thomas Welling, 63, is the world's new champion bucksawer. The veteran woodsman cut through a hard maple log in 54 seconds during a competition here and defeated 85 younger rivals.

TEXAS 4-H'ER WINS \$200 SCHOLARSHIP

MEET the champion 4-H livestock boy of the southern states, J. D. Jordan, 15, of Mason, Texas. Each year since his 10th, he fed and showed baby beavers. His prizes on the 40 head handled total \$1,116.86, and his sales return \$5,420.15. For this record and his work as assistant leader and other activities he was awarded second national honors by club leaders in the seventh Thomas E. Wilson annual contest, and prizes including a \$200 cash college scholarship presented at the 15th National Club Congress in Chicago. The boy had won state honors in 1934 but was too young to qualify for higher awards. This year's state award fell to Carl Martin, 15, Menard County, who fed 21 baby beavers in five years, winning \$354.77 in prizes and returning proceeds of \$2,107.22.



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TOMATO JUICE Beech Nut Half gal.	27c	PECANS Shelled Halves Pound	48c	BELL PEPPERS	5c	TEXAS ORANGES 2 doz.	25c	STEAK Veal, seven Pound	18c
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SYRUP Ribbon Cane, gal 60¢, half gallon	33c	DATES Dromedary, half Lb. Pkg. 2 for	25c	GROCERY & MARKET		SQUASH Per pound	5c	SAUSAGE Pure Pork smoked, pound	25c
								OYSTERS Fresh, pint	35c

Society and Clubs

Wives of School Board Hostesses At Faculty Dinner

Approximately Seventy-Five Board Members and Teachers Dine and Dance At Elaborately Decorated Country Club

Mrs. J. B. Thomas, Mrs. W. A. Yeager, Mrs. R. V. Laurence, Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith, Mrs. Foy Proctor, and Mrs. Fred S. Wright, wives of the members of the local Board of Education, entertained the teachers of the Midland Public Schools with an elaborate three course dinner Friday night at the Midland Country Club at seven thirty o'clock.

Mrs. J. B. Thomas met the guests at the door and Mrs. Roy Parks presided over the cocktail table.

The Christmas motif was carried out in the decorations. The fireplace was flanked with two large fir trees covered with red globes and snow. The mantle was banked with snow and mistletoe. Other fir trees were placed at intervals around the spacious room, and mistletoe hung from the chandeliers.

The guests were seated at tables for four, which were centered with tall red tapers adorned at the base with flaring circles of green tulle. The place cards further carried out the Christmas idea with red poinsettias in the corners.

After the tomato juice cocktail, the dinner, which consisted of roast beef, peas and carrots, baked potatoes, pineapple and cheese salad, hearts of celery, olives, hot rolls, and coffee was served. The last course consisted of individual pecan pies.

Dancing furnished the diversion of the evening.

Seventy-five guests including the Board members and the teachers, were present.

Mrs. C. C. Duffey Honors 1928 Club At Saturday Bridge

Mrs. C. C. Duffey was hostess to the 1928 Club Saturday afternoon at her home, 1407 W. Holloway.

A vivid Christmas theme blended in with floral decorations of pink snap dragons and baby's breath. The prize packages, wrapped in bright green and red, were presented to Mrs. Elliott Cowden for high score, to Mrs. Don Sivalls for second high, and to Mrs. James H. Chapple for guest prize.

Christmas colors were carried out in the salad course with its red, white, and green cake and red nuts, which was served to Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, Elliott Cowden, James Fitz Gerald, Roy Parks, Clarence Scharbauer, William Simpson, Don Sivalls, Harvey Sloan, J. B. Thomas, M. C. Ulmer, Ed M. Whitaker, and the hostess.

PERSISTENT GIRLS COLLECT

NEW PHILADELPHIA, O. (U.P.) — Police looked, but they couldn't find the two girls, 17 and 18 years old, who "caught" a ride with C. W. Pepper of East Cleveland and refused to leave the motor car until he gave them \$2. Pepper said he complied.

Atrill Smith, Emma Lois Campbell, Francis Helen Link, Bobby Wood, Beth Prothro, Lela Mae Craddock, Charlotte King, Mary Lee Snider, Thelma Tunnell, Doris Lynn Pemberton.

Miss Lydie Watson, Club Woman and Musician

Miss Lydie G. Watson, prominent among Midland women as a civic leader, came from a family of Methodist ministers. Her maternal grandfather was a charter member of the Little Rock Conference, and both grandparents, father, elder brother, and uncle, and several cousins spent their lives preaching in Arkansas.

Miss Watson's college life was spent at Galway College, Searcy, Arkansas, from which she was graduated and came to Midland in



1900 with her brother, Ned, to join their brother, C. C. Watson, who was manager of the local newspaper.

Miss Lydie has spent the most important years of her life in Midland associated with her brother in the Watson School of Music, and is credited with having tutored nearly every notable musician in Midland. This woman and her brother are noted for having done as much for culture in Midland as Professor Lackey.

Miss Watson received musical training at Landon's Conservatory in Dallas and at the American Conservatory in Chicago, where she studied under Sylvia Scionti and Spencer Allen. With a dominant interest in child training, she was tutored by Louise Robyn, patron saint of a great number of children's musical clubs, and attended courses on pedagogy from the president of the Conservatory. A proof of the influence she has had with children is the distinction her pupils have attained in the musical world, and she attributes her success to "cultivate the minds and hearts of the young people as well as the hands."

Miss Watson is also an outstanding Texas club woman. She began her career in Midland and has been an official member of some club every since she has been in residence here.

For three years she was vice president of the Texas Music Teachers' Association. She was chairman of Texas and American Music in the Sixth District for three years, and has been appointed to the same distinguished position in the recently organized Eighth District.

For the past two years she has been president of the Fine Arts Club and is now the second vice-

Ingenius Woman Wins First Place In Annual H. D. Contest

Mrs. S. L. Alexander, home food supply demonstrator of the North Midland Home Demonstration club, has been announced winner of the first place in the annual contest conducted by the Midland County demonstrators, Mrs. A. W. Wyatt and Mrs. M. R. Hill, the judging committee.

Mrs. Alexander's project was the remodeling of an old store room on her back porch which was not in use, for her storage space for canned foods. The only expense was one dollar for repair of broken window lights. Twenty two feet of shelving was added using old discarded lumber which was cleaned. The inside of the pantry was later white washed with carbide.

The pantry was then organized, labeling the shelves according to classifications, namely: fruits, leafy, starchy, and other vegetables, pickles and relishes, jellies, jams, and preserves, meats, dried products, and miscellaneous foods.

The jars were all polished and labeled and the tin cans were in wrappers, which added to attractiveness and prevented rusting.

Mrs. Alexander has for her family of three, 616 quarts of food, including 60 varieties, valued at a hundred and fifteen dollars and thirty seven cents. The actual cost was sixteen dollars and fifty seven cents however. The sale of produce from butter, milk, and eggs more than paid for the expense in canning, therefore there was no actual outlay of money. She also traded her surplus for a surplus some neighbor had.

Besides the pantry, Mrs. Alexander has three cows which produce six gallons of milk daily, the year round.

She has raised twenty-five fryers and has one hundred and fifteen laying hens with a four dozen egg production weekly.

She has six brood sows and has raised twenty seven pigs. A continuous garden furnishes a few fresh vegetables daily.

Mrs. Alexander exhibited her achievements on November 23 at which time twenty three people visited her exhibit.

Animal Stories Entertain Children At Story Hour Meet

Exceptionally interesting and colorful animal stories were told by the children at the Story Hour Saturday morning when they met for their weekly session in the Junior Library at the county court house.

Billy Payne informed the youthful group about "The Three Goats," and Jane Hardison opened their eyes wide with her story about "The Crocodile."

The children who attended were: Eloise Pickering, Brownie Stacy, Maratha L. Ware, Audie Merrell, Mary Martha Sivals, Ellana Eastham, Charlie Patterson, Jane Patterson, Otella Flynn, Norma Jean Hubbard, Edith Ray Collins, Patsy Collins, Marnelle Williamson, Charles Williamson, Jimmy Fickett, Patsy Traversie, Jeaneane Traversie, and Alberta Smith.

Miss Leona McCormick was in charge of the children.

Senior Endeavor Has Social Party

The Senior Endeavor held their quarterly Social Friday night in the Banquet Hall of the First Christian church. A brief inspirational program was presented in the beginning led by the president of the society, Mr. Rex Sackett. Miss Vivian Smeley gave a talk on the "Beginning of Christian Endeavor." Mr. Robert Howe brought a message on "What Our Christian Endeavor Is Doing." The program was then turned over to Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McCool who had charge of the social activities and games. Twenty-two members of the Senior

president of the Eighth District of the Texas Federation of Woman's Clubs. For the past eight years this Midland club women have chosen her to represent them numerous times, and recently she was sent as a delegate to the state convention of the Federation at San Antonio by the club women of Midland which is an unprecedented honor.

And yet, she says that "music is my profession and club work my diversion."

There has never been any worthwhile musical project in the city to which Miss Watson and her brother have not graciously contributed their talents. They have done valuable work in perfecting the church choir and cooperating with all musical organizations in the city.

This community-minded spirit has dedicated her life and talents to constructive purposes that have been equaled by few Midland women.

Rural Schools

Prairie Lee School

The school observed holidays on Thanksgiving and enjoyed them.

Regrets were expressed that the school had lost Raymond Wright from their ninth grade when he moved with his family to Sweetwater.

Charles and Doyle Lands, who recently moved from Stokes community, enrolled in the school during the week.

Mrs. Guss Meissner visited the school Friday, and also the County Health nurse, Miss Elizabeth Wilson, and Mrs. Cox.

Miss Wilson presented a picture show in the auditorium Thursday, showing the cause, effect, and the treatment of T. B.

A "hat" social was enjoyed by a large audience at Green Wood church Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. King won the prize for wearing the hat with the most interesting story attached to it.

The Christmas program will soon be underway, and the officials of the school are providing interesting entertainment for the public.

Margaret Mims Is Honored on Tenth Birthday Saturday

Mrs. Percy Mims honored her daughter, Margaret, on her tenth birthday at a theatre party at two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The guests returned to the Mims residence after the show where the large dining room table had been transformed into something particularly beautiful before their delighted eyes.

A beautiful white cake incrustated with candied cherry flowers, and flanked by two tall red tapers in green holders around which was arranged ivy, silver poinsettias, and gilded cotton balls. Across the center in large letters was written in icing "Happy Birthday" around which the red birthday candles in white holders were arranged.

Those who attended were Jimmie Katherine Kendrick, Jean Schottlander, Billy Wayne Wells, Otella Flynn, Nellie Elkin Brunson, Allen Crane, Charles Sherwood, Charles Barron, Dolores Barron, Alberta Smith, Glenna Jones, Marie Barber, Ted Wemple, Evelyn Wemple, Lucille Wemple, Ann Ulmer, Marjorie Barron, Dorothy Barron, Bobby Hyatt, and the honoree.

Mrs. Hazen Wood Honors Escondida Club With Bridge

The Escondida club was honored at a bridge party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Hazen Woods. Club guests for the afternoon were Mrs. W. L. Miller and Mrs. Harry Prickett.

High prize was won by Mrs. R. C. Crabb, and high cut went to Mrs. O. L. Wood.

A salad plate was served by the hostess to Mrs. Harry Adams, J. R. Norris, S. S. Stinson, O. L. Wood, E. C. Hitchcock, R. C. Crabb, W. L. Miller, and Harry Prickett.

The club members voted to have a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. R. C. Crabb.

'Mid-Summer Night's Dream' To Be Shown

The Business and Professional Woman's club of Midland is sponsoring the showing of the famous picture, "Mid-Summer Night's Dream," taken from the classic play by William Shakespeare, which will be presented at the Yucca Theatre December 8 and 9.

The proceeds from the picture will be used as a loan fund for defective children.

The People of Midland should be glad to cooperate with this admirable cause and attend the picture, which has received such magnificent praise from all who have seen it.

Tickets can be procured from any member of the club.

Earl Whately, associated with the Hotel Pharmacy, has returned to his home in Lamesa where he will recuperate from a recent operation.

Endeavor enjoyed the splendid games and program.

Those present were: Mr. Sackett, Robert Howe, Adalie Reizer, Vivian Smeley, Lucille McHargue, Billy Joe Hall, Billy Noble, Mrs. J. E. Pickering, Rev. J. E. Pickering, Mrs. B. W. Recer, Mr. M. G. McCool, Mrs. M. G. McCool, Ollie F. Sheppard, Mary Muri Howard, Don Griffin, Constance Smithie, Edward A. Bruber, Edith Wood, John Pickering, Frank Wade Arrington, Dorris Lynn Pemberton and Charlotte Kinsey, members of the Intermediate Society assisted with the serving of refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Recer are the sponsors of the society of the church.

'The Last Puritan' Offers A Peculiar Problem to Critic

Mr. R. I. (Bob) Dickey will review "The Last Puritan" by George Santayana on Friday, December 11, at 8 p. m. in the district court room county court house.

"This book, full of ironic wisdom and exact pictorial details, offers a peculiar problem to the critic. "The Last Puritan" is a first novel, and yet can scarcely be treated as such, for it is a first novel written in the still active fullness of years by a writer distinguished for nearly half a century as a poet, an essayist and as the most imaginative and humane of philosophers.

Mr. Santayana, in a prologue, expresses some diffidence of his own about turning from philosophy to fiction in his old age, and there is warning in his subtitle, "A Memoir in the Form of a Novel." Yet is clearly a story; there are love episodes in it, though a little pallid, two murders done and one suspected, and one suicide. There is the narrative of the growth of a boy into a youth, there are friendships, very real and moving, and a whole galaxy of characters, some almost Dickensian, and growing old, and death.

Yet as one reads, and marks carefully Mr. Santayana's own words in the prologue and epilogue, one is inclined to treat the book rather as a fable illustrating a theme, a myth in which his philosophy is argued "but presented as a picture." (N. Y. Times.) Ellen Glasgow said of it: "I should heartily recommend it to all those who prefer to think while they read, who relish a deep inward irony. For we have here, at the rare, right moment, an analysis of our civilization by the only modern philosopher... who has been able to make philosophy into an art."

Book reviews sponsored by Midland County Library together with Civic and Social Clubs.

'42' Club Entertained At Mexican Supper Friday Evening

Mrs. O. H. Jones was hostess to the Lucky 13 club Friday evening at a Mexican supper at her home.

The background of yellow and white chrysanthemums used in the room decoration made an effective setting for the supper tables with their gay center pieces of bird vases holding small red chrysanthemums.

"42" was played during the evening at which Mrs. J. A. McClurg won high score, and Mrs. B. M. Hays won low score.

Those who attended were Messrs. and Mrs. S. P. Hall, H. S. Collings, Ellis Conner, J. T. Walker, W. F. Hejl, J. A. McClurg, B. M. Hays, John Howe, J. C. Hudman, W. N. Cole, and the host and hostess.

GUERNSEY COW "ANGORA"

PUTNAM, Conn. (U.P.) — Jacob Gurqitz found an "angora" cow among a herd he purchased and had shipped here from Wisconsin. The animal, a full-blooded Guernsey, has the regulation coloring but the hair is three times longer than usual, giving the appearance of sheep wool.

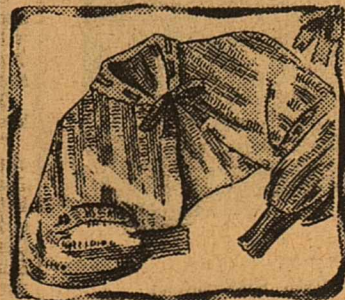
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crump have gone to McAllen and other Rio Grande valley points where they have citrus farms. They will return here after a few days of business.

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Mrs. W. L. Sutton was hostess to the Belmont Bible class of the First Baptist church Friday afternoon at her home, 307 W. Florida.

Mrs. W. L. Fickett taught the lesson from the Book of Ruth.

It was announced that the next meeting would be at the home of Mrs. T. O. Fredrigill and the lesson would be from the Book of Hebrews.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. T. O. Fredrigill, C. E. Strawn, James Adamson, T. O. Midkiff, W. L. Fick-

WOMAN, 102 BANS WORRY

SOUTHINGTON, Conn. (U.P.) — Mrs. Betsy Haviland, who celebrated her 102nd birthday anniversary the other day, is not superstitious and believes most people would live longer if they worried less. "I never let myself worry. Besides, what is there to worry about anyway?" she asks.

S. A. Denham returned from Ft. Worth Saturday.

ett, J. M. King, A. W. Lester, J. B. Burk, Herbert King and the hostess.

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BADGERS UNABLE TO MATCH POWER ATTACK OF TEAM

Club scores in Each Period for Easy Victory

The Midland Bulldogs turned on full steam Saturday afternoon for a parade of touchdowns that left the McCamey Badgers suffering from the worst defeat in history, 56-2.

The Bulldogs started scoring the first time they got the ball and never let up. The first quarter ended 7-2 in favor of Midland, the half 23-2, the third quarter 36-2.

The lone McCamey score came early in the first period when a Badger lineman broke through and blocked one of Wafford's punts while he was trying to kick out from behind the goal. Wafford managed to fall on the ball.

The only serious threat made by the Badgers all day came late in the initial period. Reynolds completed one pass to Reeves for 15 yards and one to Polk for 8 to put the ball on the Midland 24 yard stripe and that was just about as close as they ever came.

Midland won the toss and chose to receive. Polk kicked over the goal and the ball was brought out to Midland 20. From that point the team started a drive with Wafford, Barber and Rettig carrying the ball that ended only when they had crashed over for a touchdown. Wafford made the last two yards with a dash through center.

The second Bulldog score came early in the second period when Barber broke through the line and raced 20 yards through a befuddled Badger club that was expecting Wafford to be carrying the ball.

The third and final score during the first half came when Wafford passed 27 yards to Bryant who took the ball on the McCamey 15 and raced on across.

The Bulldogs delayed scoring for only a few minutes of the third quarter. Wafford made the first one when he broke through the center of the McCamey line on his own 21 and raced 79 yards to pay territory. He had perfect blocking all the way, only one man touching him.

The next Bulldog tally came within a couple of minutes. After Alexander kicked to Rettig who was downed on the Midland 9, Wafford plowed his way through the line, shook off a couple of would-be tacklers, stiff-armed the safety man and headed north, not to stop un-

til he had crossed the last stripe. The Bulldogs scored three times in the last quarter as follows: Taylor went through the middle of the Badger line for 16 yards, Barber went around end for 16, Barber went around left end for 21.

Adams scored points after four of the touchdowns by the place kick route and Wafford plunged across a couple.

The Midland team played by far their best game of the season presenting a varied offense that kept the McCamey boys completely puzzled all during the game. They started the game expecting Wafford to carry the ball almost every time as he has in past games but he fooled them completely by feeding it to his team mates as often as he carried it himself.

On defense the team presented a line that was air tight to the McCamey boys. They made only four first downs during the game, one of them coming on a pass and the other being set up by an 8-yard pass.

The Bulldogs gained a grand total of 469 yards while the Badgers could gain only 85 for the day. The Midland boys attempted 10 passes, completed five and had three intercepted. McCamey tried 16 passes, completed 4 and had one intercepted.

The Midland coaches used all men on the roster but failed to lessen the scoring ability of the club by sending in substitutes. To cite an individual star for the club would not be fair to other members. Each man on the team came through with his best playing of the year. The Midland blocking was the best of the season while the tackling was of the "rock and sock" kind that had the light Badgers completely out on their feet.

For McCamey, Reynolds at half-back and Reeves at end were outstanding. Reynolds was forced to leave the game because of an injury but while in the game showed a passing arm that sped the ball to mates with rifle accuracy.

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One-fifth of the population of the United States attends the movies daily.

DISTRESS SIGNALS DISTRESS

BUTTE, Mont. (U.P.) — Albert Westrich fired a distress signal that was really distressing. Lost, while deer hunting, he fired a shot as a distress signal. The rifle exploded, lacerating his hand, but the original purpose of the signal attained its ends.

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LITTLEFIELD IS STRONG IN 25-12 WIN OVER SNYDER

Littlefield high school Wildcats proved that they will give heavy distinguished position in the recently when they used the air over a boggy field Friday afternoon and won the district 5 and 6 laurels over Snyder 25 to 12.

Playing at Littlefield, the weather was misty and the field heavy, but the aggressive, warlike Wildcats proved that they deserved the choice to represent their district.

Bud Taylor, of the Midland high school coaching staff, Clinton Lackey and Jess Rodgers attended the game. The crowd was comparatively small, due to wet and cold weather, they reported.

The Littlefield team, winner in district 5 when Interscholastic league officials ruled it triumphant over Slaton, the defending champion, after a scoreless tie on Thanks giving day, scored once in the second period, once in the third and twice in the fourth. Snyder's fighting Tigers, who outgained Littlefield on running plays but who could not stop the Wildcat overhead bombardment tallied twice in a hectic fourth quarter.

A 32-yard sprint by Moore put Littlefield in position to score in the third period. A pass, Neely to Morgan, previously had brought the Wildcats within striking distance in the second. Moore went over from the 2-yard line. Neely passed to Morgan for 15 yards and again for touchdown in the third period.

Snyder drove 80 yards for its first score. Rogers, Head, Autrey and Boren featuring in the drive. Passes from Boren to Autrey, runs by Rogers and a final 20-yard pass from Boren to Autrey brought the touchdown.

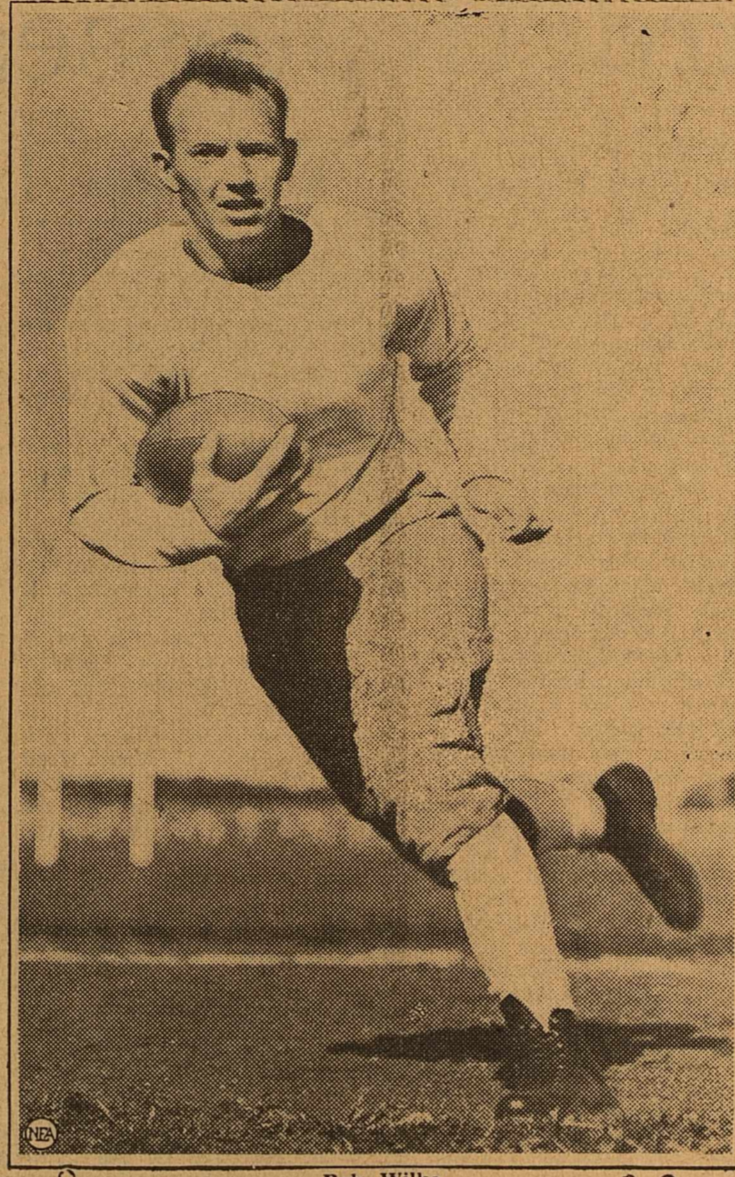
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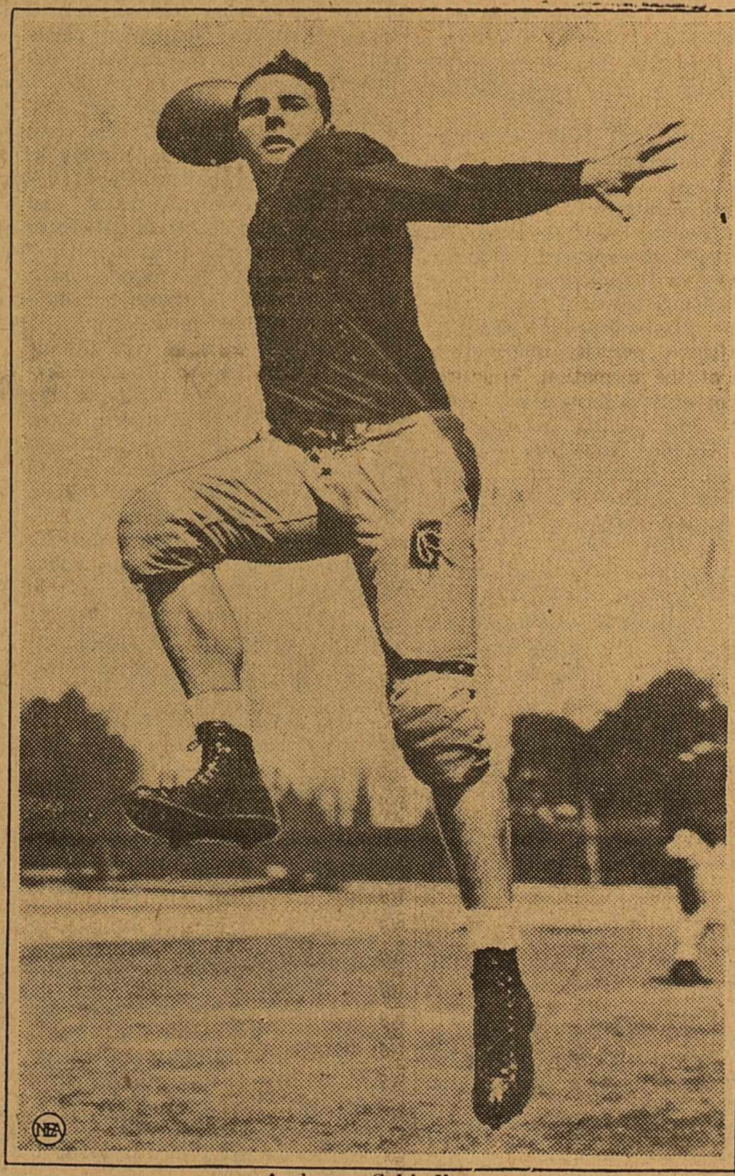
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Stars of USC-Notre Dame Battle



Bob Wilke



Ambrose Schindler

Bob Wilke (top) and Ambrose Schindler, USC quarterback, both of whom were bright lights in the Saturday battle between the two clubs.

Sun Carnival Gets National Publicity

The southwest and the Southwestern Sun Carnival received national publicity this week when the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company issued a two page circular to all its agents and representatives concerning the Sun Carnival and the southwest.

The circular was issued by W. J. Leahy, passenger traffic manager, with the request that each agent mention the Sun Carnival to passengers traveling via El Paso.

The contents of the circular follow: "Early in 1935, the several service clubs and civic organizations in El Paso, Texas, decided to publicize better the climatic advantages of that region. With much enthusiasm they organized 'The Southwestern Sun Carnival Association,' a non-profit organization.

"The association's first show, 'The Pageant of History,' was held December 29, 30, 31, 1935 and January 1, 1936, and was witnessed by 150,000 or more persons, including the governors of Texas and New Mexico. So successful was the event that it will be made an annual affair.

"From the broad plains of West Texas, from the picturesque mountains of New Mexico, from spectacular Arizona, from romantic Old Mexico, soon will come thousands of eager spectators to the second Southwestern Sun Carnival.

"To this metropolitan border city of El Paso, the Sunshine Playground of the Border, will come thousands

of southwesterners for their great annual jamboree and show.

"Joining the thousands of residents of this sunshiny region will be hundreds of persons from the wintry northern and eastern states. "Although in its infancy, the Southwestern Sun Carnival already is crowding nationally-known pageants in other sections of the nation."

"As spectacular, colorful and historically accurate as was last year's Southwestern Sun Carnival, this year's show will be more eye-filling, more thrilling than its predecessor.

"Beginning December 28 with the first bouts in the Southwestern Amateur Boxing Tournament, a five day program of spectacular events has been arranged. On December 29, the El Paso Symphony Orchestra will give one of the mid-winter concerts.

"Social events of the Southwestern Sun Carnival season will reach a zenith at the glittering coronation ball for the sun queen on December 30. The queen, a beautiful young woman, surrounded by her court of sun princesses, petite young women from southwestern cities, will be crowned by Governor James V. Alford. Governor Alford was one of the most enthusiastic guests at the first Sun Carnival and has already notified officials that he will be in El Paso again for the glamorous pageant.

"New Year's Day will see the startlingly beautiful 'Pageant of Beauty' winding its five mile length through the city streets. This event, the major attraction of the southwestern Sun Carnival, will be view by more

From The Bunker



The Cowden Handicap Golf Tournament in progress at the Midland Country Club, is in the process of playing off the first round matches, when the players are quiet long enough from yelping about this or that handicap.

The first round matches must be all played before night, this coming Saturday, and that is the dead line. Either or both of the entrants will forfeit their chances if the matches are not played off by that date. The board is on the wall out at the club, and was published in last Sunday's paper, so this method of notifying the delinquent is the last notice. Find your opponent or else.

Unusual interest has been aroused, and some of the golfers who have not been seen on the course in the past year are out missing putts and hooking and slicing their shots. A

than 100,000 persons. "Football enthusiasts will shout themselves hoarse at the Sun Bowl game following the 'Pageant of Beauty.' Seats for more than 10,000 persons have been provided. High class gridiron entertainment is assured as the champion of the stronger Border Conference has been invited to be the 'home' team at the Sun Bowl. The Border Conference champions may invite any other team that they desire to be their foes in the Sun Bowl. Last year the south-hearted New Mexico Aggies and the powerful Hardin-Simmons Cowboys played a 'story-book' tie."

big time is being had by all, especially those who are in the minority, but those who are not yelping about their own handicap.

Those entrants who are ready able and willing to play but who are unable to get the opponent to come out will be given the match in a forfeiture. But such cases are not the friendly thing to do, so pack up your handicap and your golf bag and get out there and play off your match take your licking like a little man and alibi that if you had sunk such and such putt on such and such green you would have won in a walk. Handicap tournaments are like that.

Next Sunday will be the start of another round, and those ready to play by virtue of having won the first round will get started on that date, Sunday December 13th, 1936. After that, each Saturday night will shell off another round and since there are 128 entrants, 64 will be left still playing this next Sunday, 32 the following week and 16 and so on until the final round. These first round matches are all 18 holes and the final round will be a 36 hole match.

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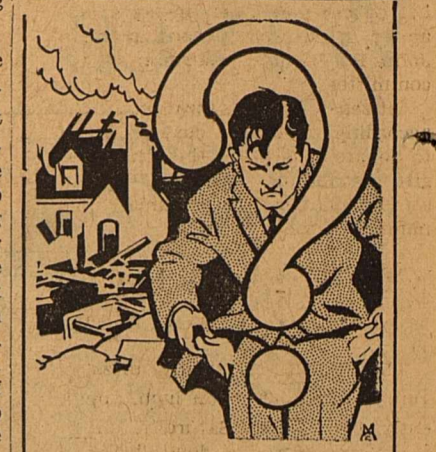
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COAL POURED IN FIERY HOUSE

CLEVELAND, (U.P.) — While the top of the north side of the Sigma Chi fraternity house at Western Reserve University was burning and fire apparatus cluttered the street, a truck driver shoveled five tons of coal into a basement window on the south side. Then he asked: "What fire?"

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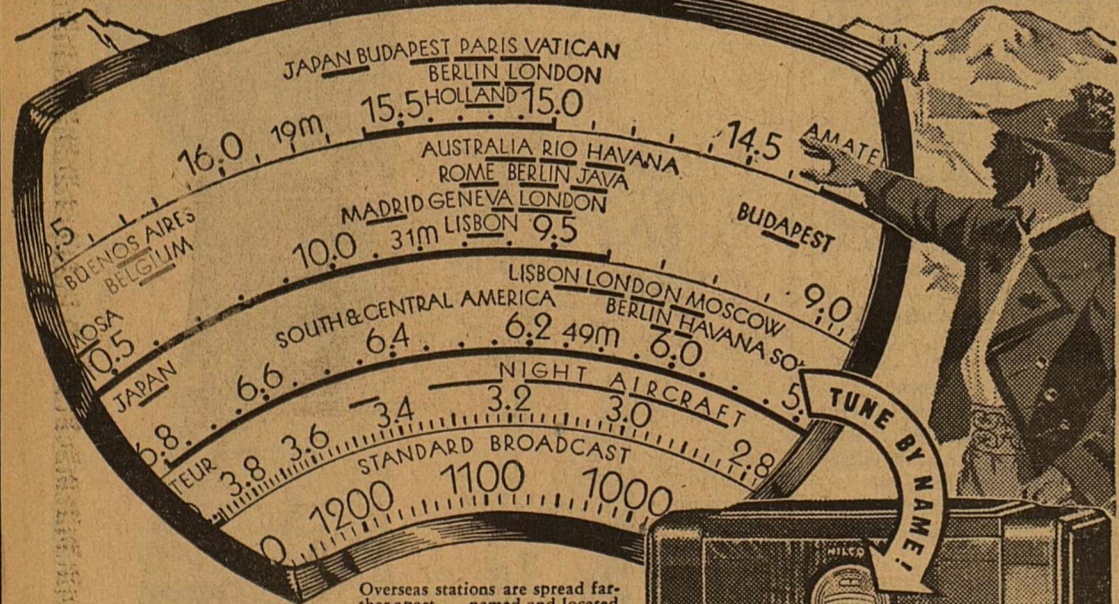
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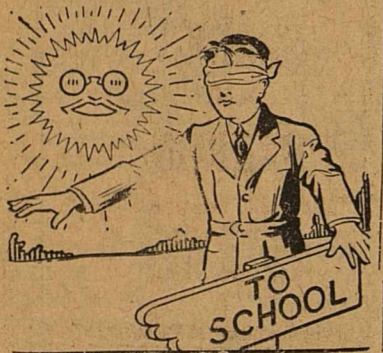
Lists of needy families are being compiled by the welfare committee of the chamber of commerce to be used in distribution of Christmas baskets of groceries and useful articles during the holiday season. Relief offices and other agencies are aiding in the work, according to Dr. John B. Thomas, chairman of the committee.

Citizens, or organizations, who according to annual custom, desire to donate baskets for this Christmas gift distribution are asked to call at the chamber of commerce for names of needy families.

Clouds Break Up After Three Days

Three days of steady drizzling rain, totaling .52 of an inch, apparently had ceased Saturday, shortly before noon, the clouds breaking up after being solidly overcast for 72 hours. Maximum temperature Saturday was 49 degrees, with minimum registration 40 degrees, according to the government weather at Southern Ice & Utilities Co.

Fewer than 1 per cent of the children in London's elementary schools are poorly fed.

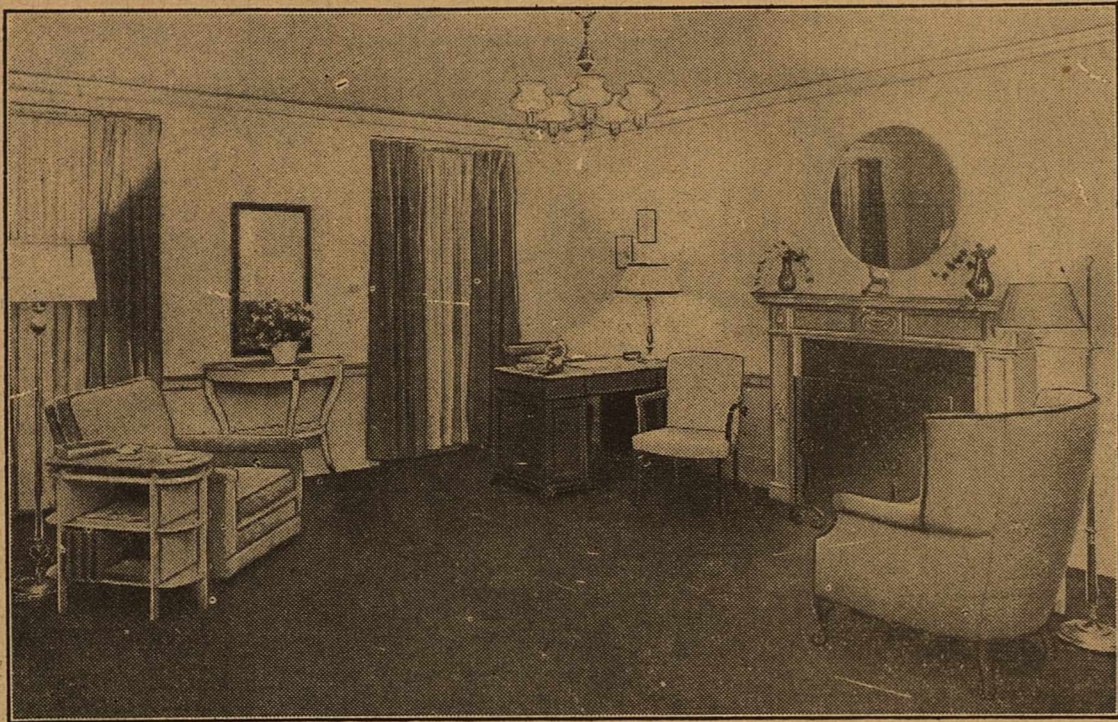


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By Jean Prentice
NEW styles have come to living room lighting. They come from the lighting laboratories all wrapped up in such terms as footcandles of light . . . diffusing bowls . . . and eyesight protection.

Unwrapped, however, and applied to our living rooms, they're what I call scrumptious!

Whatever the size of your living room may be, there are certain light styles or principles in the accompanying illustration that I suggest you use for a pattern. This lighting pattern has changed in the last few years as definitely as dress designs have. And for a much sounder reason, too . . . the conservation of our eyesight.

Today we pin and mark and cut out our lighting according to new scientific standards of balance, amount and quality. Just because our lamp shades harmonize with the colors of our living room is no sign at all that they add to the comfort of our family. We'll send that sort of reasoning packing, along with

skimpy shades that reflect little light, and sleazy shades that give glaring light.

Which chair in your living room is the most logical one for reading? Probably the one by the end table or close to the book case or radio. Then this deserves your first consideration. We'll start to snip the pattern here.

If you like to move the furniture around every so often, this may be a grand opportunity . . . so far as lamps go.

Sometimes living room lighting is greatly helped by re-arrangement of the lamps. If you are using an older type bridge lamp at this major location, try putting it somewhere else and substitute instead your larger floor lamp.

Your doctoring at this point will include a white lining for your shade if it doesn't have one. This reflects much more light. Also in the two-socket floor lamp two 75-watt bulbs, at the least, should be used for safe seeing. It's best to eliminate guess-work, however, on

whether or not you have enough light. A little measuring device, called a light meter, will help you here.

Of course all the right ingredients in the proper amount are already mixed for you in the new scientifically-approved lamps. One with the 100-200-300 watt bulb which gives three different amounts of light, would be ideal for this chair.

When have you ever considered balance in arranging your living room lighting? Our pattern shows above does. Adding to the symmetry of the lighting is a second good lamp placed opposite the major one. Your older bridge lamp might do in a pinch here, with a 75 or 100-watt bulb. Much better would be one of the approved bridge lamps with the diffusing bowl that gives soft illumination both up and down.

No chair is sighted in this lighting pattern. Like cups and saucers, easy chairs and easy lighting go together. The final result, with the ceiling fixtures smoothing out any unpleasant shadows, is decidedly "in the mode!"

'MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM' TO BE STAGED AT YUCCA DURING WEEK

Following its sensational success in many of the great cities of the world, where hundreds of thousands of delighted spectators paid from \$1 to \$10 for a ticket, Max Reinhardt's production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" has now, for the first time, been made available for continuous performance at popular prices, and will show at the Yucca Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, December 8-9.

Never has any motion picture received such acclaim as has this greatest of Warner Bros. pictures, according to J. Howard Hodge, manager of the Yucca Theatre.

"I am very glad to announce that this history making picture will be shown here, so that Midland may see the most discussed and highly praised picture ever produced," says Mr. Hodge.

Max Reinhardt, world famous theatrical genius, was prevailed upon to produce Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream" as a picture, only after repeated efforts to interest him in the screen as a medium for his art had failed. When he did undertake the work, however, the entire resources of Warner Bros. organization were placed at his command.

Once committed to the task, Reinhardt proceeded to surround himself with specialists who are the recog-

nized leaders of their profession. To stage the ballet he brought to this country Bronislava Nijinska, whom he considers the outstanding Maure de Ballet in Europe. She is the sister of the famous Nijinski, greatest of all dancers.

No attempts were made to change the original Shakespearian text, nor were any liberties taken with the recognized authentic text other than to shorten a few of the over-long speeches. The facilities of Warner Bros. studios made it possible for Reinhardt to actually show many of the scenes that Shakespeare left to the imagination and to his own powers of description.

Then Reinhardt turned to the casting and, in this too, he was given an absolutely free hand by Warner Bros. executives. Despite the fact that Warner Bros. roster of stars is the most complete in the history of motion pictures, Reinhardt was given carte blanche to employ any players available and it was only after repeated tests that he chose for the key roles James Cagney, Joe E. Brown, Dick Powell, Jean Muir, Victor Jory, Ver-teasdale, Hugh Terbert, Anita Louise, Frank McHugh, Ross Alexander, Ian Hunter, Mickey Rooney, Olivia de Havilland, Hobra Cavanaugh and Grant Mitchell.

Ready Sale Greets Oil Data Reports

Copies of the United States Bureau of Mines report of investigations, "Petroleum Engineering Report of the Big Spring Field and Other Fields of West Texas and Southeastern New Mexico," by Charles B. Carpenter and H. B. Hill, in cooperation with the Midland cham-

ber of commerce, are being disposed of at a rapid clip at the chamber of commerce office, oil men of the vicinity proclaiming the report as being of untold value to the oil industry. The report consists of 223 printed pages, with tables, maps and photographs, and supplemental cross-sections of the Howard-Glasscock field and structure maps of the Yates and Big Lake pools.

Valuable information is also given on the Hendricks field, the Church Fields-McElroy field, the Penn Pool, the Westbrook field and the Hobbs Field. 40 illustrations are contained in the report, which is obtainable at the chamber of commerce office in the Scharbauer hotel at one dollar per copy.

The following introduction appears in the report, R. I. 3, 316:

In general terminology the West Texas Permian Basin comprises the area south of the Texas Panhandle and west of the Bend Arch or Central Basin region. It is outlined more definitely by geologists, however, as that area underlain by the south half of the Permian Salt Basin and includes Scurry, Mitchell, Sterling, Howard, Glasscock, Reagan, Crockett, Upton, Midland, Martin, Gaines, Andrews, Ector, Crane, Pecos Ward, Winkler, and Loving counties in Texas, and Lea and Eddy counties in New Mexico. The oil fields of the area, of which more than 70 have been discovered, are shown in figure 1. Approximately 4,200 producing oil wells have been drilled in these fields.

Oil has been produced from limestones and dolomites of Permian age in most of the fields in the

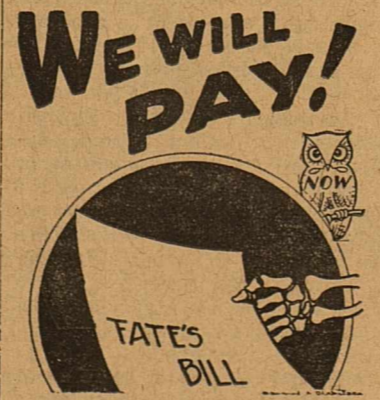
West Texas Permian Basin. Some of the fields produced oil from sandstone beds above the limestone, and in two fields production has been found below the limestone in formations of Ordovician age.

The accumulation of oil in limestone reservoirs depends largely on the effective porosity and permeability of the formation. Fractured zones, or even cavernous conditions of high permeability, allowing the unrestricted movement of gas and fluid mixtures within the formations were suspected at times in many of the large wells. Porosity in a limestone probably is due to solution or dolomitization. Porosity and permeability in limestone reservoirs vary widely from well to well and from one reservoir to another. Each limestone reservoir in the West Texas fields displayed individual characteristics that made direct comparisons between reservoirs of little value.

As it was impracticable to make detailed studies of all the fields in the West Texas Permian Basin, a group of eight, ranking among the highest in total production, was selected. Table 1 gives important data regarding the fields, which are Yates, Hendrick, Church-Fields-McElroy, Big Lake, Big Spring, Penn, and Westbrook, all in Texas, and Hobbs in southeastern New Mexico.

The Big Spring field, which ranked fifth in the total quantity of oil produced, was particularly noteworthy because it contained the greatest number of producing horizons, namely, two in sandstone formations, and three in the Big Lime. The results of a detailed study in the Big Spring field are given in part I of this report. The other seven fields of the group are discussed briefly in part II.

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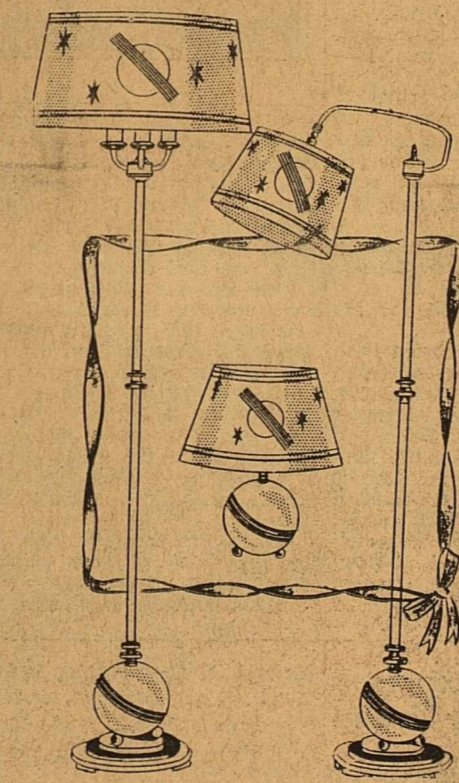
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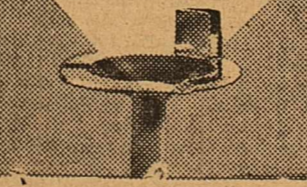
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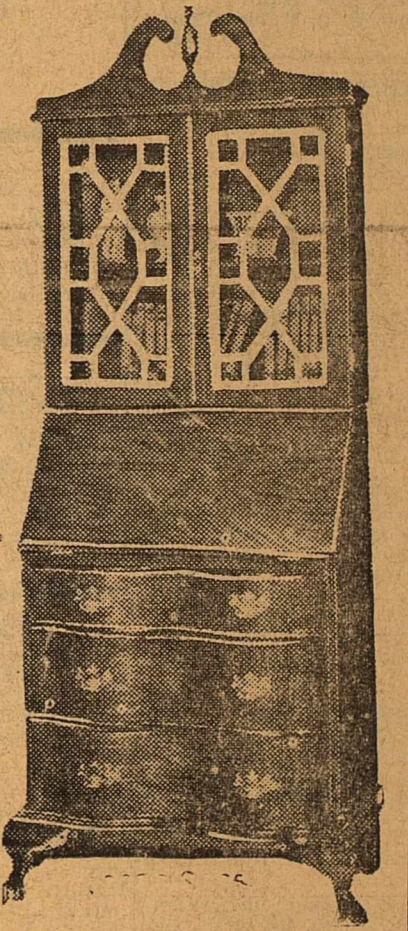


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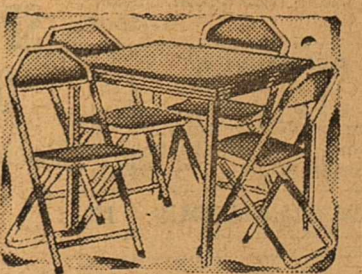
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MEETING AT BIG SPRING TUESDAY ON BOLL WORMS

Policy Under Recent Order Will Be Determined

Policy to be followed in view of modified pink bollworm restriction for Howard, Martin, Glasscock, and parts of Dawson and Midland counties will be decided by the state pink bollworm commission in a meeting at Big Spring Tuesday 8, next Tuesday, according to information given yesterday in Austin.
 The restrictions were ordered Wednesday by Henry Wallace, U. S. secretary of agriculture, who said pink bollworms had been discovered at Big Spring, and at Patricia, in Dawson county.
 W. C. Maxwell, field representative in this area for the department of agriculture, handling pink boll worm work, expressed the belief that Midland county farmers would experience no drastic changes from the regulations which have

Europe's Mighty Men of Mystery

Behind the ebb and flux of great world events, hidden far from the humdrum knowledge of common folk, flows a great power, secret, inscrutable, irresponsible. It is the power of enterprise transformed into boundless wealth by some kind of uncanny genius. It is rare. But any day, in a great metropolis, a lobbyist might pass such power personified by an anonymous figure in a motor-car, or bending over a sheaf of papers in a hotel lounge, or dancing with a beautiful woman in a discreet night club.

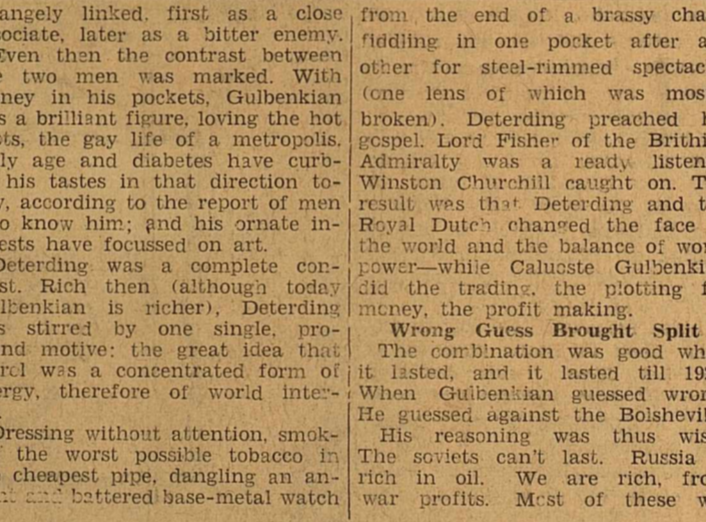
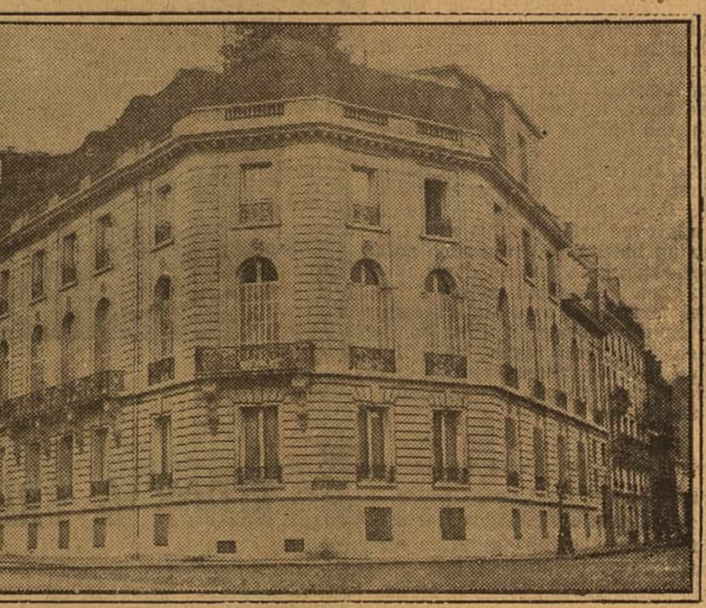
Such a man—till age tired and frightened him—was Basil Zaharoff, international war merchant and country gentleman of France. But there are other men—a handful—moving through Paris, carrying behind their glance a combination of ideas which affect the man in the street, may ruin him, or kill him on some battlefield. These men are really anonymous, in the sense that hardly any average fellow knows, or knows about them. The papers don't publish their pictures, don't blaze their names in headlines. The news reels don't flash them on the screen. Their power is unheralded, unboasted, known only to the select. But it is real and great. Consider three of these:

A certain bald headed Levantine, "the Talleyrand of Oil," Calouste Sarkis Gulbenkian.
 A certain Jew from Stuttgart now domiciled in Amsterdam (but living at Paris' Ritz), "The Prime Minister of Florin Affairs," Fritz Mannheimer.
 A certain swathy gentleman from the Andes, "the Tin King of Bolivia," Simon Patino.

By MORRIS GILBERT
 NEA Service Staff Correspondent
 PARIS, Dec. 4.—A stone's toss from Paris' Etoile, where the great Arch of Triumph commemorates the modern world's most ruthless adventurer, Napoleon, stands a great house. Atop it is a roof-garden. At its doors two plain-clothesmen endlessly pass the time of day with liveried flunkies. In the banquet hall, an ornamental fountain ripples melodiously, and rare and flamboyant fish plane in the limpid waters.
 It is a house dedicated to two things: great art and a great hatred. This is natural, for these are two motives to which its owner's life is dedicated today. Calouste Sarkis Gulbenkian's private collection of old masters is unbeaten in Paris. Calouste Sarkis Gulbenkian's malice toward one man has glowed like a quenches fire for at least a dozen years. The man Gulbenkian hates is Sir Henry Deterding, oil wizard of the Royal Dutch, the man who defied—and out smarted—Rockefeller.

"Sarkis Gulbenkian," writes a contemporary, "in Venezuela, in Mexico, in Mosul, has put his immense fortune at the service of anyone who could aid his vengeance as friend deceived and colleague fired."
 Worked 30 Years With Deterding
 Like Zaharoff, a brother Levantine, Gulbenkian traveled far as a youth and found a field for his talents in London.

It appears that he traveled even further than the Head Salesman of Sudden Death, for Gulbenkian's halls, according to the American colony in Paris, from Baku, on the Caspian Sea. What more natural, since Baku is in the heart of a great oil field that Gulbenkian should turn up in London, about the year 1900 as a petty broker in oil? It was there, about that time that he met Deterding with whom his life for thirty years was to be



Chevrolet Motor Is Called New by Group

In designing the power plant for the 1937 Chevrolet, the engineers instituted advances so extensive that the resultant engine, though adhering closely to time-proved Chevrolet principles, is new throughout, according to J. M. Crawford, chief engineer of the company.
 It is new not only in performance and capabilities as recorded on paper after exhaustive engineering tests, Mr. Crawford declared, but also in actual operation on the road. It was designed by hundreds of thousands of miles of driving prior to its introduction a few weeks ago.
 So far as its general type is concerned—valve arrangement and the number of cylinders—it is identical with the power plants whose high efficiency, smoothness and long life have earned Chevrolet world leadership seven years out of the past ten, the chief engineer said. It is a valve-in-head six. But bore, stroke, displacement and compression power all have been changed, and the aggregate of these changes, and of general refinements throughout the engine is reflected in exceptional performance under all conditions of weather, climate, and load, according to Mr. Crawford.

The bore has been increased from 3-5/16 to 3-1/2 inches, and the stroke reduced from 4 inches to 3-3/4 inches. The displacement is 216.5 cubic inches instead of 206.8 as formerly. Compression ratio has been raised from 6-10-1 to 6.25-1. The result, Mr. Crawford said, is greater power and torque at all engine speeds, and smoother operation throughout the range.
 The number of crankshaft bearings has been increased from three to four, and the main bearing area has been stepped up eight per cent, the chief engineer revealed. The steel-backed bitbit bearings, introduced as an innovation, for they graduate in diameter from the front of the engine to the rear, 132 of an inch at a time. The front bearing is 2-11/16 inches in diameter.

One-Fourth of Demo Deficit Total Made

AUSTIN, Dec. 2.—With approximately one-fourth of the Texas quota of \$50,000 already raised, State Democratic leaders here this week renewed their efforts to help remove the half-million dollar deficit in the finances of the Democratic National committee.
 Contributions totaling \$8000 were sent the past week-end by state headquarters to W. Forbes Morgan, treasurer of the national committee, State Director Roy Miller said.
 Also Harris county Democrats, who, under the direction of Walton D. Taylor, district executive committee man, and Rex Baker, campaign director, greatly exceeded their quota in the pre-election drive for party funds, already had raised the \$5000 they were requested to contribute to the "deficit fund," Mr. Miller said.
 Several small counties which failed to reach their quotas before the election already have remitted contributions to the post-election campaign in excess of those quotas. They include Lipscomb, Terry, Val Verde, Sutton, Jim Hogg and Dallam.
 Sixty-one other Texas counties exceeded their quotas in the first campaign, which resulted in a total of approximately \$275,000—the largest fund raised by any state in the nation except New York, and the largest fund ever raised in Texas in any type of political campaign in the history of the state.
 "Because of that fine response on the part of loyal Democrats of Texas, this state ranks at the top in the eyes of the nation, and the state organization was asked to raise the additional \$50,000 or 10 percent of the money needed to wipe out the national deficit," Mr. Miller said.
 "We accepted this new responsibility with a feeling of confidence that Texas Democrats would again respond liberally to their party's appeal for funds. So far we have not been disappointed, and we shall have no trouble reaching our new goal, if district and county leaders throughout the state will devote a small amount of their time and efforts to the campaign.
 Although more than 20,000 loyal Texas Democrats contributed to the first campaign, thousands of others failed to contribute and many of them because they were not personally solicited for funds. I'm certain there are many hundreds who would be glad to share in this new opportunity to aid their victorious party if the matter is called to their attention by their county Democratic leaders."

profits will go in taxes to the British government unless we spend them. What more sensible than to spend them in buying up concessions from White Russian refugees? If the Soviets fall, we come into a fabulous heritage of oil wealth. And, anyhow, we shall have beaten the British income tax.

On both counts, Gulbenkian made a mistake. The Soviets didn't fall. And the British tax authorities did not allow the claim that the expenditures thus made could be classified as legitimate exploitation.
 As time passed, this major error of Gulbenkian's got under Sir Henry Deterding's skin. The relations between them grew strained. The old comradeship and cooperation began to dwindle.

Lives Lavishly
 Menwhile, in Paris, Gulbenkian began playing both ends against the middle. And, on a Channel steamer, Sir Henry met the lovely lady who later became his wife. As it happened, she was an Armenian—like Gulbenkian—Mme. Bagratany, former wife of a Russian general.
 The psychological effect was curious. When the Deterdings came to Paris they stayed at a hotel. Gulbenkian had his magnificent palace. When the Deterdings were at home they lived quietly. Dutch style, with dignity and simplicity. When Gulbenkian was at home, it was like a Cecil B. DeMille production. The waiters at dinner wore black silk breeches and white silk stockings. The guests were moandin, brilliant, beautiful.

Presently, the rift was complete. Gulbenkian played with the Soviets for two reasons. He wanted their oil; he also wanted it at a price cheap enough to undercut Deterding. And he wanted their art. He partially gained the first battle when he got aboard Turkish Petroleum so spectacularly that the transaction still brings a chuckle of admiration. And when Russia recently sold the contents of the famous Hermitage museum in Petrograd, with its Rembrandts and other master pieces, Gulbenkian got the lion's share—at cut prices.

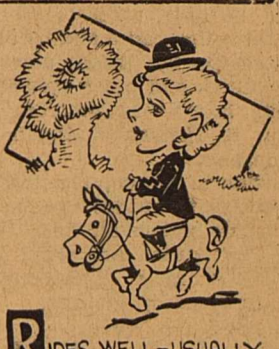
Got Split in Oil Divvy
 Because of his eastern connections (Gulbenkian is a commercial attaché of the Persian legation in Paris) and his feud with Deterding, the Armenian genius in oil did much to spike the results of the first San Remo conference, by which the British admiralty (owning the Anglo-Persian concession) handily divided the eastern oil world between themselves, the Royal Dutch, and a French consortium, inconsiderately leaving out American oil interests entirely. When American oil men, until then asleep at the switch, woke up they yelled. They yelled so loud that there was a readjustment, letting them in. And the final result was that four great international combines shared an equal 23.76 per cent of this concession area while Mr. Calouste Sarkis Gulbenkian, in his own name, title, and right, acquired the remaining 5 per cent.
 The detailed story of Gulbenkian's oil activities would fill much space. Suffice it that, approaching the age of retirement, he enjoys one of the greatest incomes left in the world and a power of prestige and influence in the far flung international game of oil that is almost unique. It has never been a productive power or influence, as was Deterding's, but rather a manipulative one. His genius is not in making, but in handling.

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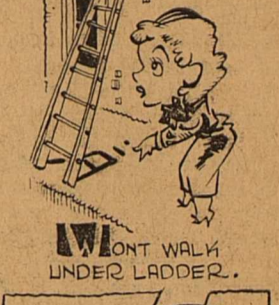
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The National Youth Administration is cooperating with other agencies in attempting to place its qualified workers in private employment.

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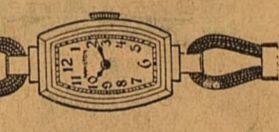
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NYA Program for All Youth Is Outlined

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 3.—The program of the National Youth Administration in Texas for equipping youths to enter private employment prepared to do a full day's work for a day's pay was outlined here Thursday to the American Vocational Association by Llewellyn B. Griffith, state supervisor of the NYA program.
 Mr. Griffith summarized the extent of construction and service work done by NYA youths since last January on soil conservation, roadside parks, in sewing rooms, canning plants, and public school cafeterias, and on playground improvement. Then he explained:
 "The average youth worker was 19 years old with no job experience and about a seventh grade education. When he arrived on the job and was unprepared as a worker. . .
 "He would begin to produce effectively as his morale improved, and after a training period all were expected to produce the results attained in normal private industry," Mr. Griffith said. "The employers' viewpoint was taught to them along with the other training necessary to equip them for private employment. The usefulness of each unit of work was explained. . .
 The foreman showed the youth the proper use of equipment and tools. Material and labor scheduling was illustrated. Coordination of working units was emphasized, and above all he was made to grasp the value of job discipline."
 Mr. Griffith stated that after six months on the NYA job the average

Thanks!

WE WISH to take this means of thanking our many friends for their expressions of confidence and their words of encouragement since we had our formal opening Wednesday evening. Especially do we wish to thank those who sent flowers to us during our opening.

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AUTHORIZATION OF 26 WPA PROJECTS MAKES JOBS AVAILABLE FOR 1,682 MEN

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 5—Authorization of 26 Works Progress Administration projects, financed by WPA grants of \$221,357 and \$33,586 in sponsors' funds, made jobs available for 1,682 workers during the past week, according to H. P. Drought, state administrator.

Road improvement and bridge construction projects in nine Texas counties received WPA allocations of \$114,994. These projects involve more than thirty miles of road and will require the services of 774 workmen.

Projects recently released, with WPA allotment, sponsors' funds, and number of jobs made available, follow:

Bell County (District 9).
Belton—City water main extensions; federal funds, \$4,727; sponsor's pledge, \$3,663; workers, 68.

Bexar County (District 10).
San Antonio—Re-paving Alamo Plaza; federal funds \$2,999; sponsor's pledge, \$3,730; workers, 59.

Carson County (District 16).
County—Farm to market road improvements; federal funds, \$15,880; sponsor's pledge \$6,582; workers, 77.

Cherokee County (District 2).
Jacksboro—City water distribution system extension; federal funds, \$81,494; sponsor's pledge, \$5,506; workers, 77.

Cottle County (District 12).
Paducah—Campus improvements at Alamo Public School; federal funds, \$4,134; sponsor's pledge, \$1,164; workers 38.

Dallam County (District 16).
Dalhart—Campus improvements at Dalhart high school, Kella high school, north ward and south ward elementary schools; federal funds, \$2,731; sponsor's pledge, \$2,641; workers, 25.

Delta County (District 4).
County—Farm to market road improvements, 3 miles of Gough-Klondike road; federal funds \$16,816; sponsor's pledge \$4,900; workers 118.

County—Farm to market road improvements near Cooper, 4 miles; federal funds, \$13,967; sponsor's pledge \$4,225; workers 115.

Eastland County (District 13).
Eastland—City street improvements; federal funds \$22,525; sponsor's pledge, \$2,774; workers 147.

Ellis County (District 8).
Millford—School and school ground improvements; federal funds, \$3,443; sponsor's pledge \$653; workers 23.

Fannin County (District 4).
Savoy—City street improvements; federal funds, \$2,138; sponsor's pledge, \$670; workers, 43.

Fisher County (District 13).
County—Farm to market road improvements near Roby, 5 miles; federal funds, \$29,374; sponsor's pledge \$15,157; workers 153.

Gregg County (District 2).
Kilgore—City street improvements, federal funds, \$8,067; sponsor's pledge, \$10,451; workers 44.

Harris County (District 6).
Houston—Sanitary sewer extension; federal funds, \$3,400; sponsor's pledge, \$856; workers 68.

School ground improvements, McGregor school; federal funds, \$11,650; sponsor's pledge \$2,892; workers 33.

Jeff Davis County (District 20).
County—Farm to market road improvements, Fort Davis-Valentine road; federal funds \$5,064; sponsor's pledge \$1,820; workers 47.

Jefferson County (District 3).
Beaumont—City street improvements; federal funds \$10,184; sponsor's pledge, \$5,838; workers 68.

Orange County (District 3).
Orange—City street improvements; federal funds, \$7,395; sponsor's pledge, \$2,780; workers 51.

Panola County (District 2).
County—Farm to market road improvements, 7 miles of Beckville-Tatum road; federal funds, \$3,465; sponsor's pledge \$2,330; workers 42.

Shelby County (District 2).
Shelbyville—Repairs to high school; federal funds, \$335; sponsor's pledge \$101; workers 19.

Repairs to negro school; federal funds, \$881; sponsor's pledge \$152; workers 12.

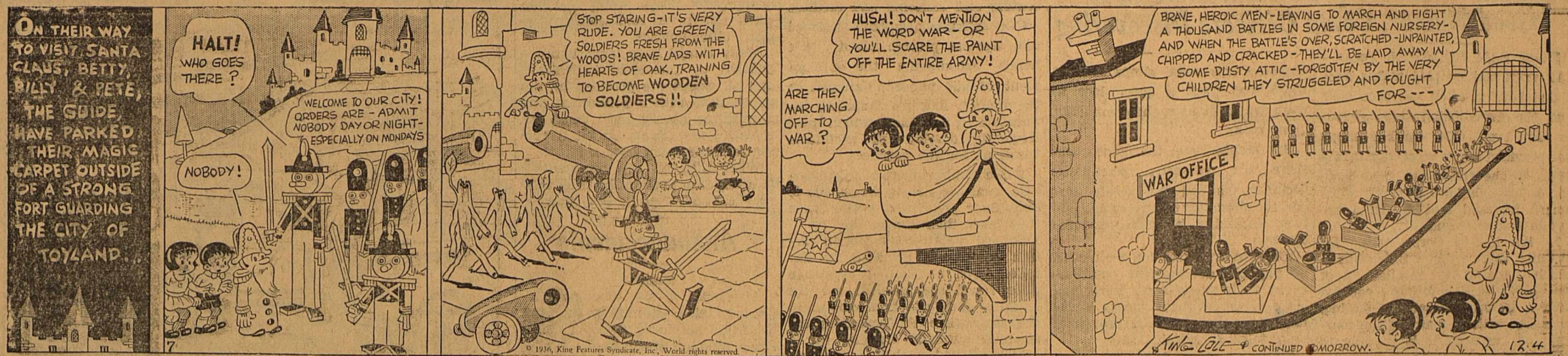
Stephens County (District 13).
Breckenridge—City street improvements; federal funds, \$4,024; sponsor's pledge \$1,866; workers 22.

Tarrant County (District 7).
County—Farm to market road improvements; federal funds; \$9,554; sponsor's pledge \$2,970; workers 70.

Trinity County (District 3).
County—Farm to market road improvements, bridge construction; federal funds, \$7,190; sponsor's pledge \$3,409; workers 44.

Van Zandt County (District 4).
County—Farm to market road improvements, 4 miles of Van-Colfax road; federal funds, \$13,684; sponsor's pledge \$3,985; workers 110.

Wichita County (District 12).
Electra—City street improvements; federal funds, \$7,938; sponsor's pledge \$2,471; workers 56.



Legion to Elect 1937 Officers at Meeting Tuesday

Woods W. Lynch Post No. 19, American Legion of Midland, will hold its regular session Tuesday, December 8, at 7:30 p. m. in the assembly room, third floor of the court house, it was announced Saturday.

All members who hold membership cards for 1936 and those who are desiring to join for 1937 are urged to attend and participate. All ex-service men are invited to attend as guests.

The program includes the election of officers for the ensuing year and a report on a membership drive for 1937. Reports of the district disaster chairman and the district legislative chairman are to be taken up for the coming year, also matters at request of the state department headquarters.

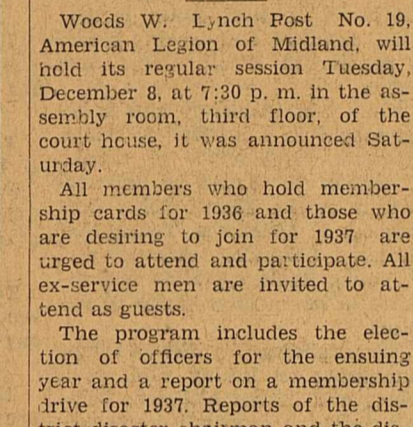
As a full program has been outlined by the national and state headquarters for each post to carry out for the coming year, every ex-service man in the county, as well as visitor, are urged to attend. Refreshments and special entertainment will be part of the program.

\$1000-a-Month Alimony No Joke!



His wife's demand for \$2500 a month temporary alimony may be blamed for that startled expression on Movie Comedian Oliver Hardy's face. He was on the witness stand, scanning her claim. Mrs. Myrtle Lee Hardy, also pictured in court, was allowed \$1000 a month pending trial of her separate maintenance suit, after her round husband denied he had used physical strength to settle their arguments, and said she is intemperate and possesses a \$100,000 fortune of her own. The Hardys were married May 26, 1934.

Queens of Bridge Once More



Contract bridge players at the tenth annual national tournament of the American Bridge League in Chicago got their second surprise when these four women successfully defended their title as the national champion women's team of four. A year ago, never having met around a bridge table before, they made up a team and won the crown! Living thousands of miles apart, they had no opportunity to meet since then. The four are, left to right: Helen White of Los Angeles, Florence Stratford of Cleveland, Mrs. L. G. Quigley of Chicago, and Mrs. Robert B. Fuller of New York.

Safest City Sought

SAN FRANCISCO, (U.P.)—California's Safety Council will endeavor to signalize the "safest city" in the state. It will award a plaque to the municipality which had the fewest automobile deaths in 1936.

guard her lumber yard after thieves robbed it several times. A few nights later, thieves stole the dogs.

Fingerprinting Improved

NEW YORK, (U.P.)—A New method for developing latent fingerprints on wood which first obtained prominence in the Hauptmann trial, is being perfected through the use of sulphuric acid.

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CHURCH GETS GIFT WALNUT

PRINCETON, ILL. (U.P.)—Pews and window and door frames in the First Presbyterian Church of Princeton, which is being rebuilt after being damaged by fire, are to be made from walnut. Eighty walnut trees were donated to the church by C. V. Field.

Neighborhood News

Traffic was opened on the new highway between Monahans and Poyte last week, according to the Monahans News, graders and tractors being put to work to obliterate the old road which has been in use for years. The new fourteen mile stretch is one of the best on the Broadway of America.

Organization of a bank for Monahans was practically assured, with announcement that 241 shares of the required 250 had been sold. A meeting of stockholders was called for Tuesday evening.

The City council of Odessa voted disapproval of plans to install parking meters on city streets, rescinding an agreement made previously with a traffic meter company. Business men had sharply criticized the original plans.

Sam Scherman of Hobbs bought the former Citizens National bank building at Odessa, in a district court hearing, paying \$15,250 for the property which is located at Second and Grant streets. It is reported he will completely remodel the building.

Pecos voters will go to the polls December 19 to say whether or not bonds of \$120,000 will be issued for a new court house.

Two Mentone youths signed a confession to robberies of Pecos stores and of an Artesia cafe when they were arrested at Artesia last week.

R. H. Henderson of Midland will drill two tests in Upton county, according to the Upton County News. Leases were secured from the Continental and Gulf companies.

Dates for the Big Spring Cowboy Reunion in 1937 have been set for July 4, 5 and 6, according to the Daily Herald. Heretofore the event has been staged at Labor day. Inclement weather almost each fall was given as reason for the change.

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Play and Work Keep CCC Enrollees In A Good Humor, Camp Officers Discovering

FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas.—“All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy,” it often has been said, and the Army being very anxious to have every CCC enrollee happy has provided ample recreational facilities to the end that CCC men, young and old, are a pretty contented lot, and dull moments are in the unknown quantity.

In the Eighth Corps Area, for instance, there are now 251 camps in which some 41,000 enrollees work and play. Each camp is equipped with a Camp Recreation building, furnished with as many of the comforts of home as it is possible to provide.

Here the enrollees go after work hours to play billiards, bridge, checkers, ping-pong, dominoes, chess and cribbage.

These buildings are furnished with comfortable chairs, are well lighted, and are cheerily places for the men to find recreation in off hours, especially on cold winter evenings.

For enrollees who find their greatest recreation in study or reading, separate reading rooms have been established in the majority of the

Eighth Corps Area camps so that those who want a quiet place to work are apart from the community game room.

But besides from the game room there are extensive recreational programs planned and executed under the direction of the camp's officer charged with welfare and recreation.

CCC men are husky lot, the models of physical development occasioned by their out-of-doors work, and quite naturally they take to athletics very much like the proverbial duck takes to water.

Schedules are arranged for inter-camp games or for games with other camps in the district or with civilian teams. The enrollees play football, basketball, baseball, volleyball, soccer, tennis, conduct field and track meets, and box and wrestle.

The more artistic find enjoyment in a program of camp dramatics, forensics and music. Several camps in the Corps Area have stages set up in the recreational halls where amateur plays are presented to the camp audience. There are debating and public speaking groups and camp debates are becoming quite popular in a number of camps.

Most camps have their own enrollee bands or orchestras, glee clubs, choral societies, choirs or quartets, and these groups quite frequently are called upon to furnish entertainment at surrounding community meetings. CCC men also are often called on to furnish speakers and music for radio programs. Camp stunt night programs are popular items in the recreational program.

Providing entertaining leisure time activity for all enrollees expands the program to interest a part of the group in fencing, dancing schools, horseshoe pitching, physical culture clubs, hiking clubs, nature study groups, boy scout leadership courses, etiquette, art and painting, hobby clubs, pool tourna-

ments, swimming, where possible boating and canoeing and angling. CCC officials also have quashed that age-old proverb about ‘idle hands encouraging the development of idle minds,’ inasmuch as the welfare schedule embraces instruction in avocations which quite frequently develop into profitable vocations for the enrollees.

While finding interest in hobbies, CCC men are fitting themselves to earn their bread and butter when they leave their camps.

Several camps have motion picture lectures operated by enrollees. For a nominal admission price funds are provided for the rental of films shown at camps. At the same time the operators are receiving valuable training in a profession which they can follow after discharge from the CCC. In the Littleton, Colorado, district, for instance, enrollees make alabaster vases, ash trays, etc., as a hobby which they often are able to sell to tourists.

In the Tucson, Arizona, district, a WPA teacher makes the rounds of the camps teaching coppercraft. Craftwork in silver, brass, leather, wood, celluloid and beadwork also is popular in Eighth Corps Area camps.

The art of taxidermy also is being taught in a number of camps. Extensive manufacture of articles of leather is almost a universal favorite among Eighth Corps Area enrollees in Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona and Wyoming. Radio operation and repair also has a large group of devotees.

The Oklahoma City district camps concentrate on leather work as a hobby, and in the Littleton, Colorado district, a cooperative arrangement has been worked out whereby the camp at Trinidad tans hides and furnishes the leather for use in other camps.

Photography is popular in Texas, and in one camp in the San Antonio district a complete dark room has been constructed where developing, enlarging and printing is done. Most camps also have bud-

ding journalists who publish a camp newspaper. Shop work, machine turning in metal and wood are among other hobbies.

Many camps have large libraries donated by interested individuals, and all camps are provided by the government with a permanent and a traveling library, each camp receiving a new library on the traveling schedule about once a month.

What with all this, in addition to a full days work in the field, CCC enrollees have a pretty busy time.

Announcements

Monday
All circles of the Woman's Missionary Union will meet at the First Baptist Church at 3:30 for Bible study Monday afternoon.

All circles of the Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the First Methodist Church for a business meeting Monday.

The Falette club will meet at the home of Mrs. D. B. Snider Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

The Presbyterian missionary circles will meet at 3:30 at the church for a business meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Joe Norman, 610 N. Colorado at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The Altar Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Wright Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Midland County Health Board will meet at 7:30 in the Commissioner's Court room in the county court house Monday evening.

Tuesday
The Delphian club will meet in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer at 9:00 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. P. Knight will be hostess to the Bridgette club Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

The Sans Souci club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Bates Hoffer at 3:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

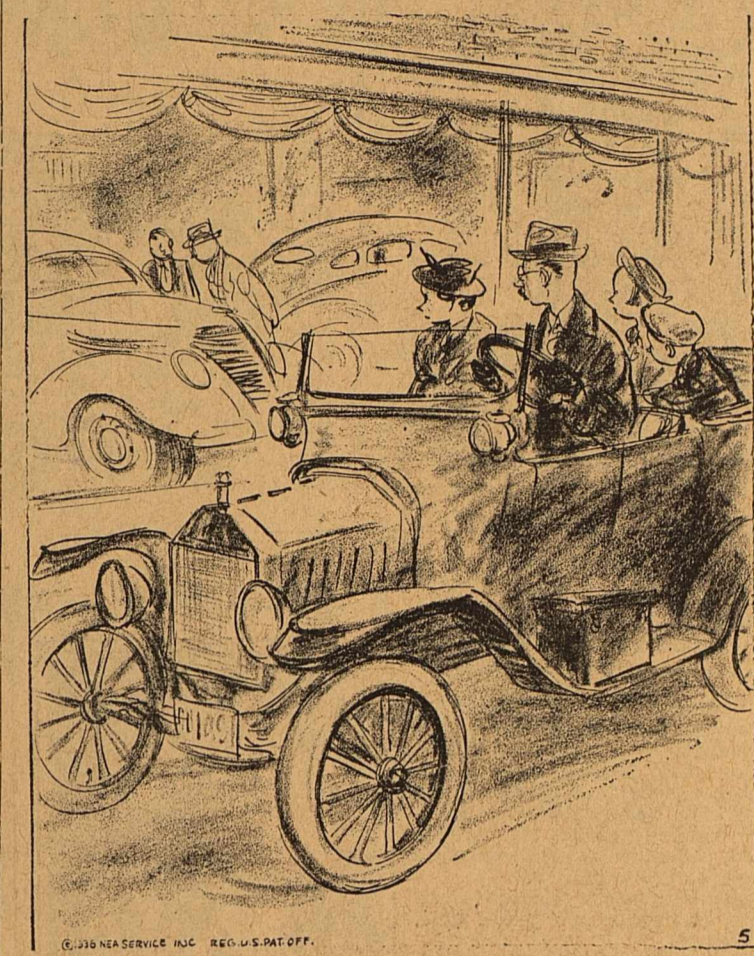
Friday
The Belmont Bible class of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. T. O. Fredrigill, 806 S. Colorado, at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Saturday
The Mesquite troop of Girl Scouts will meet at the Baptist annex at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The Story Hour for children will be held at the Junior Library at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning.

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



“Don't you think we should wait one more year and see what the 1938 models look like?”

10:00 a. m. Young people's training class.

7:30 p. m. Sermon.

Ladies' Bible class Tuesday 3:00 p. m.

Mid-Week services, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. J. Coleman, Minister
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Mrs. W. J. Coleman, Minister of Music.

9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.
7:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Winston F. Borum, Pastor
9:45. Sunday school—Fred Middleton, superintendent.
11:00. Morning worship—subject “We Went on the Air.” The text for this sermon will be a passage where the Radio is mentioned in the Bible; and the message of spiritual truths will be illustrated by a radio program in which the pastor recently participated at the Crazy Hotel of Mineral Wells.

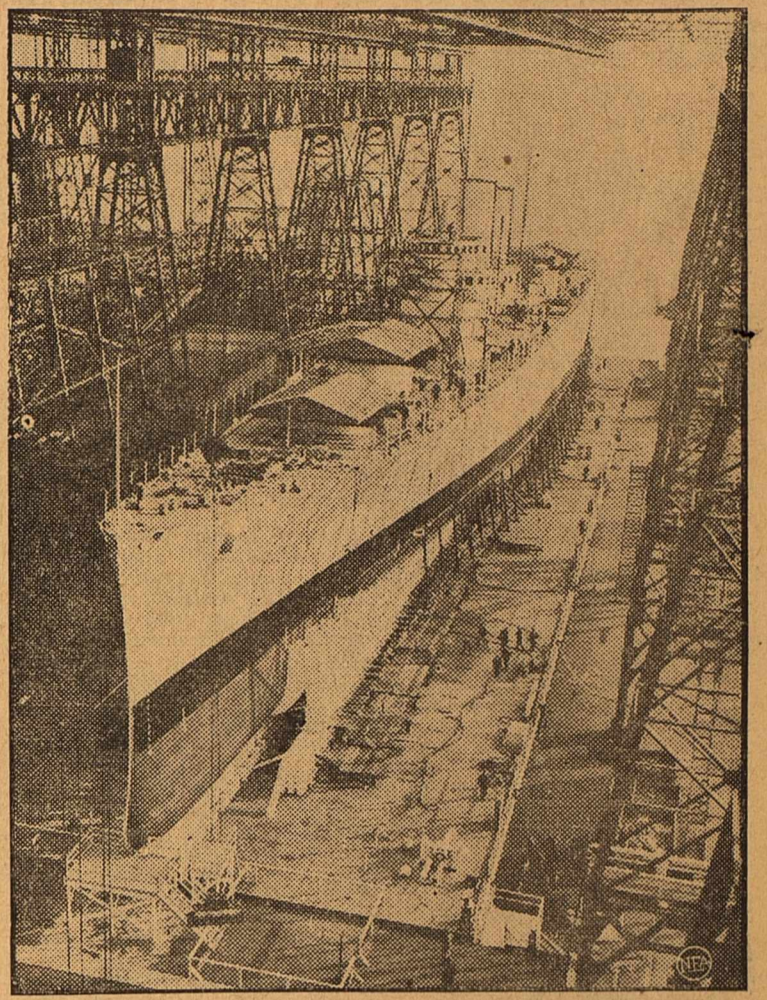
6:15 Training Union, Dick Denham, Director.

7:30. Evening worship—Congressional singing and message by the pastor on the theme, “Four Phases of Man's Religious Status.” Are babies lost or saved? How is a person saved? If saved, can he ever be lost? These and other kindred questions are vital. We all have our ideas, but what do the Scriptures say? The public is cordially invited to hear the pastor in a practical discussion of the scriptures on these points. Every parent should hear it; all who have friends and love humanity should hear. All who teach a Sunday school class should hear.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
J. E. Pickering, Pastor
H. G. Bedford, Supt. Bible School
Mrs. Lee Cornelius, Director of Music

9:45 a. m. Bible School.
10:50 a. m. Preparation for Lord's Supper.
11:00 a. m. Worship, sermon subject; “God and Man.”
4:00 p. m. Junior Endeavor.
5:00 p. m. Intermediate Endeavor.
6:00 p. m. Senior Endeavor.
7:00 p. m. Worship, Sermon subject; “Our Eternal Hope.”
3:30 p. m. Monday Rijnhart Circle.
7:00 p. m. Wednesday, Choir rehearsal.

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HINT OFFERED ON JAPANESE
BERKELEY, Cal. (U.P.)—With an ever increasing demand for a knowledge of the Japanese language the University of California has issued a note on encouragement on the subject. Two hours a week study for two years, it is said, will do the business.

HEART SUFFERERS RELIEVED
BOSTON. (U.P.)—Three hundred and twelve of 1,000 patients suffering from rheumatic heart disease at the House of Good Samaritan during the past 10 years now show no trace of the ailment, according to Dr. T. Duckett Jones, research director.

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CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
Thanksgiving services will be held at 11 o'clock Thursday morning in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer. A cordial welcome to attend is extended to all.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH
The Rev. Edw. F. Harrison, O. M. I. Sunday morning mass for English speaking people at 10 o'clock and for Mexicans at 8 o'clock. Sunday evening services at 7:30 o'clock. Daily mass will be held at 8 o'clock.

NAOMI CLASS
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer. Mrs. J. Howard Hodge is teacher.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching.
8:15 p. m. Preaching.
Rev. O. W. Roberts is conducting the revival services.

TRINITY CHAPEL
Protestant Episcopal
P. Walter Henckell Minister in Chg. Richard E. Gile, Lay Reader
Rev. P. Walter Henckell will be at Trinity Chapel, Episcopal Church for Holy Communion at 7:45 a. m. Sunday November 1.
All Communicants and visitors urged to attend.

MEN'S CLASS
Hotel Scharbauer
The Men's class will meet at 9:45 a. m. in the Crystal ballroom. Mayor M. C. Ulmer is teacher.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Big Spring
Services will be held Sunday at 1:30 p. m. at the Episcopal church. Church of the high school. Sunday school will meet immediately after the service. All are cordially invited. T. H. Gralamann, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
9:45 Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.
6:30 p. m. World Friendship club meets at the church under direction of Mrs. Frank Prothro.
Young People's Fellowship and League services.
7:30 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
800 West Tenn.
James M. Camp, Minister
9:45 a. m. Children's Bible drill.
10:00 a. m. Bible class for all ages.
11:00 a. m. Sermon.
11:45 a. m. Communion.

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Santa's Pack Holds Variety of Surprises for Youngsters

Miniatures of Envied Adult Possessions Cater to All Juvenile Interests This Holiday Season; Many Playthings Hitherto Regarded as Luxuries Now Available in Lower Price Range, Surveys Show

BY LAURA LOU BROOKMAN NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Even a cursory examination of the wonderful thing in store for young Americans on Christmas morning is enough to make the most cantankerous adult wish he were a child again.

It is a streamlined world that will greet the youngsters when they tumble out of bed before dawn on December 25 and noisily scramble around the Christmas tree to examine the delights from Santa's workshop. An adult world in miniature,

even to trailers for the pint-sized car that Junior will proudly pedal around the neighborhood—Lilliputian Hindenburg dirigibles—dolls with fingertails as gaudily lacquered as mother's—roller skates streamlined to tear-drop shape and equipped with noise mufflers.

There's some juvenile version of almost any adult activity in which your brood may be interested. Take your pick and you can be sure it will be a merry Christmas—astronomical telescopes, toy microphones for room-to-room broadcasting; chemistry and microphone sets; toy cash registers that will make change and ring up purchases; games inspired by the G-men's law enforcement activities; dolls representing comic strip characters; construction toys with which an entire city of modern skyscrapers can be built;

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING LISTS OF FAMOUS

When Santa Claus inquires of Broadway's Helen Hayes, what her daughter, Mary, age 6 1/2 years, wants for Christmas, these things will head the list; a small piano; "Bambi," story of a deer; dressing table with vanity mirror.

Billy Halop, the juvenile star of "Dead End," would like to find these things under the Christmas tree: a football outfit, some books, whippet car, western horse, makeup set (complete with whisks).

Huntz Hall, who's in the cast with Billy, wants a season pass to Giants baseball games, a bicycle, football, baseball and basketball uniforms, and skates.

midjet electric stoves on which to really cook!

Doll's Furniture Goes Modern Something that will add to the children's pleasure all year is the



With the marvels of the toymaker's art to distract the adult eye, there's danger, this year that some of the simpler things that would delight Junior will be overlooked—horns, drums and other causes for juvenile jubilation such as the young fellow in front of the tree is trying his lungs on. At his feet, awaiting the end of his burst of enthusiasm, are a most amazing train, complete with tank and box cars, and an auto with trailer, while an alert stuffed wire-hair and a collection of doll paraphernalia await sister.

newest furniture for nurseries (large enough for children themselves to use) which follows the lines of furniture in swank, modern apartments. And doll, house furniture has gone modern, too, with

tiny over-stuffed chairs, polished coffee tables, cute "breakfast sets," a doll-sized baby grand piano. And here is really cheering news—many envied toys hitherto in the high-priced group are much

cheaper. These include the latest electric trains. The six-drive locomotive, formerly a model maker's luxury, has been manufactured in quantity for the first time. The little girl who has her own

ideas about dolly's wardrobe will be pleased with a de luxe sewing kit, containing not only threads, scissors and fabrics, but instructions for pattern making. Sets of diminutive patterns for doll's dresses are new. So are art, books

that really teach a child to draw. Gifts from interior decoration departments please some children more than toys and gadgets. How about giving small Mary a little boudoir chair, new draperies, matching bedspread and fancy pillows for her room? Or a desk, completely equipped.

Blackboard certainly aren't new, but there isn't a child who won't appreciate one. Modern blackboards, however, come with a variety of colored chalk and sets of stencils, so the small recipient really can make pictures on his blackboard instead of plain pumpkin faces with dots for ears, eyes and hair.

For Little Girl's Room Dresser sets, including small combs, hand mirrors and brushes, still are favorites of little girls. The newest come in leather boxes, attractive on her dresser and handy when she packs a bag and leaves to spend a vacation with grandmother.

Speaking of toilet articles, your small daughter would be thrilled to death to get a box of bath powder for her very own. Also, a neat little manicure set in a leather case. Incidentally, one of these might encourage her to clean her fingernails and wash her hands often.

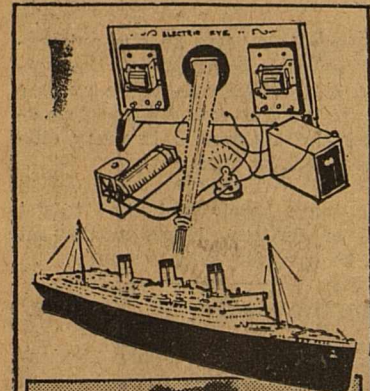
Last Christmas, a very clever woman bought a very small dressing table (poudre), had the legs sawed off and gave it to a six year old. Along with it she sent an unbreakable powder jar filled with bath powder, comb, brush and mirror set, miniature case and three little bottles of unscented cologne. It's not surprising that, during the past year, that little girl has nearly taken an interest in keeping her room tidy, brushing her hair and grooming her nails.

Quins Dolls Grow Older, Too The doll news of the season is the Hollywood influence. Those young movie stars, Miss Shirley Temple and the Dionne quintuplets, seem to be engaged in a contest in which the Misses Dionne have a five to one advantage. By the way, the new quintuplet dolls clearly look a year older than their last year's version.

And don't forget that the small fry delight to deck themselves in colorful costumes. There are nurses' and doctors' uniforms, policemen's and firemen's outfits this year, as well as the usual cowboy and Indian suits. A feature of this year's toy crop is that many have been scienti-

fically tested to determine their educational value for different age groups. Instead of being merely colorful novelties, toy manufacturers are presenting their wares as tools which play an essential part in child education.

All in all, it looks like a great Christmas for Young America—if older members of the family can stay back and let Johnny and Mary really play with their own toys!



Miniatures of the adult world are the playthings above, with which Santa might thrill your youngsters—an "electric eye" that can be used to ring bells and turn on lights; a kit for constructing a model of the Queen Mary; nursery furniture built on truly modernistic lines.

Gadgets and Sports Gifts Head List for Mere Males

By WALTER C. PARKES NEA Service Staff Correspondent NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—When in doubt, give him something to wear as you did last Christmas and the year before. But if you crave to shine for originality, hunt out some of those gadgets that are a lot of fun or aids to such virtues as business concentration or abetors of such vices as smoking and general conviviality. Men love 'em.

There are those small figures of handcarved wood that are completely barren of any practical use except to add a note of frivolity to the decoration of a man's room. They turn their heads, look at the intruder with disdain, and whistle—yes—whistle—songs appropriate to their character. There's a lone cowboy who disburdens himself of "Home on the Range," a pink coated huntsman whose piping informs the company that "A-hunting We Will Go," a gent dressed in handlebar mustache and lights who turns out to be "The Man on Flying Trapeze" and a jolly tar (colloquial for goby) who trolls the sailor's hornpipe. Unfortunately (or perhaps not) they can't harmonize in barbershop chorals.

Authentic Stein Song And while we're at this midget business of Having Fun, you might as well know about the musical bear pitchers that, when lifted play traditionally masculine airs and the must drinking glasses decorated with pictures of very conventional ladies who, from a different aspect, become unconventional.

Perchance your giftee is a serious-minded fellow, a pencil tapping executive, who counts a second wasted as a mortal sin. Don't let that blemish you for a moment. Save his precious seconds with the new desk super gadget that, although only fifteen inches long, combines a radio, clock and pen set all in one. He can get his news and stock quotations, glance at the clock to see if he still has time to swing into a bull market, and write his order with the everfilled fountain pen in the set.

Golfers go ga-ga over sets of matched clubs. If you know his favorite golf ball, why not boom him with a dozen or so? Then, speaking of balls, there are the ones that come anchored on an elastic band which permits swatting practice in a confined space. Swell to ally that links-itch when the course is snow blanketed. Or if he's an in-

defatigable who keeps on golfing during a sudden shower protect his health and his clothes with the new rainproof golf suit of lightweight rubberized silk. Consisting of trousers and jacket with draw string bottom and cuffs, this outfit weighs less than fifteen ounces and packs into a flat envelope small enough to be stuffed into golf bag or side pocket of a coat.

Fresh water anglers will like the small, compact flybook that holds eight dozen flies and has a pocket in the back for whatever miscellanies he takes along. Tackle and reels are always welcome. Or if there is an aesthetic side to his fly casting, he'll get a big kick out of the so-called angler's scarf, which is really more appropriate for a well hanging. It is a 35 inch square of white silk crepe on which is printed a design, in the technique of old sporting prints, showing Zaak Walton, author of the fishermen's bible surrounded by portraits of popular directions for catching them. Around the outside border are sketches and descriptions of every kind of bait.

But perhaps your fisherman is of the sea foam breathing, Hemingway Zane Gray school of sail-fish chasers. In which case he'll be delighted to receive the off-shore fishing chest which contains everything needful for deep-sea fishing, from gaff to rod harness.

Gunning for Presents If your sportsman is a shooter instead of a hooker, he may crave a new shooting coat. They come designed with all the specialized pockets and padding demanded by field hunters, skirt a trap shooter and other gun-toting gentlemen, and are excluded. For the skeet shooter or other range marksman, a good gift might be a belt with shell case attached. You can get these in Puritan simplicity or completely duds with embossed designs.

All sports are not conducted in the great outdoors, or else someone would never have contrived the ingenious game box that holds apparatus for a whole flock of sedentary excitements, such as chess and checker men, cribbage board, poker dice, poker chips, four packs of cards and a complete roulette layout.

Matchless Presents Maybe he's a pipe smoker who

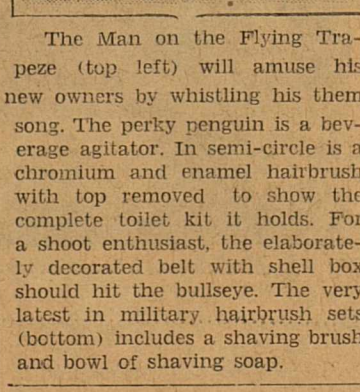
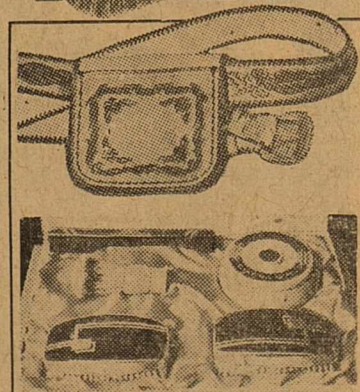
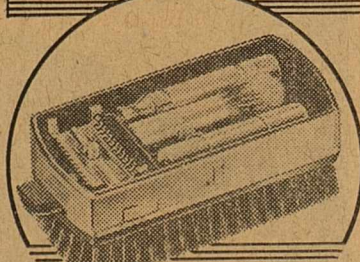
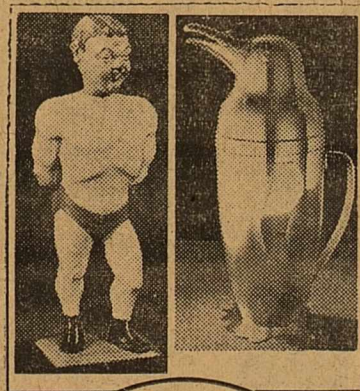
gets his mind off business and oozes into a dither if he can't find a match. For guys like that there's a new gadget containing a roll of self-lighting matches. The base is an ash tray, from whose center talk arises, bearing at its top a sort of chromium mushroom from whose underside depend the matches. A pull and the match lights.

A similar time saver is the match stant that looks for all the world like an aluminum backed clothes brush. The "bristles" are paper matches—about four hundred of them, in rainbow colors. Incidentally, the same outfit makes aluminum jacketed clothes brushes that look for all the world like a holder for matches—so there you are.

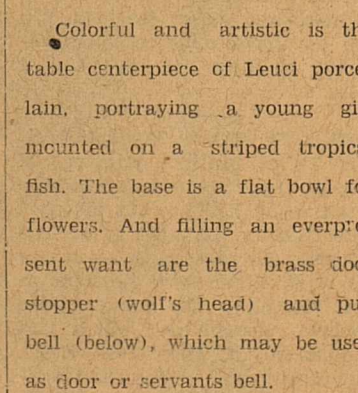
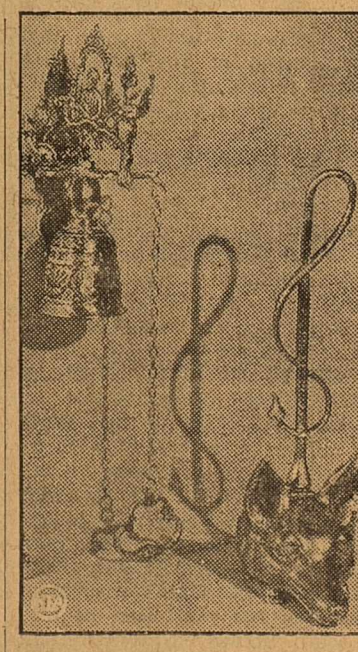
These match devices are actually shots in the war against automatic lighters, which have been doing their best to relegate the good old fashioned lucifer to the limbo of "oh how quaint!" These mechanical lighters range all the way from elaborate desk lighters that include a clock or what not in their anatomy to tiny torches esconced in the ends of practical propel repel pencils. Others come in cigarette cases and some come combined with watches, to be carried in vest or trouser watch pocket.

Pouches for Smokers One characteristic of pipe smokers is that they are never satisfied with their current tobacco pouches and seem to be eternally chasing some wile o-the-wisdom of perfection. You might try to satisfy your pipe-smoking pal's discontent with one of those new pouches that combine a moisture proof tobacco space with a convenient pipe compartment. Or the swank looking affair in real python skin that contains tools for cleaning and reaming. And in case you'd like to spurge with a matched-up set, the same python skin is used for the covers of a cleverly contrived appointment book. Swell for professional men or Don Juans with dates every hour on the hour.

New last year, and such a hit with Christmas givers that they are here again in improved form are the miniature shaving and toilet kits that are small enough to occupy a midget's corner of a traveling bag or even be stuck into a coat pocket. Some of these have fittings concealed in the tops of hairbrushes, which may be of leather, with zipper opening, or of metal. The best of the latter is



a hairbrush whose chromium and enameled top holds a mirror, comb, safety razor, give blades, badger shaving brush and a tub of shaving cream. Another pocket kit, of leather, holds a similarly incredible amount of gear and demands no more space in a vest pocket than that occupied by a couple of pencils.



Colorful and artistic is the table centerpiece of Leuci porcelain, portraying a young girl mounted on a striped tropical fish. The base is a flat bowl for flowers. And filling an ever-present want are the brass door stopper (wolf's head) and pull bell (below), which may be used as door or servants bell.

Selecting Gifts for Women Easy From Big Array Seen

By MARION YOUNG NEA Service Staff Correspondent NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The stylist has made it easier than ever before to make this the merriest of Merry Christmases! You don't have to hunt far, or even dip deep into the budget for the kind of presents every woman hopes to get.

Take the old standbys, gloves, stockings, lingerie, perfume and bags for instance. They still are what she wants. And the 1936 versions of these are something you need not hesitate to give the most fastidious and discriminating women.

The newest in stockings are gossamer sheer affairs with colored lace toe caps. If you know her toless evening slippers are red, by all means send her golden evening stockings with red toes. More conservative, but equally new, are those with lace, open work patterns across toes and heels.

Just bedroom slippers won't do. Not when there are lovely new "high", cut along the lines of the new higher shoes for daytime. A pair of these, in velvet or corduroy (not trimmed with bunny fur, please) are sure to make her happy. Equally charming are mules with series of straps that criss-cross about ankles and instep.

Bedjackets Are Luxurious You can pay as much or as little as you like for bedjackets, always sure fire gifts. The newest one has a hood that can be pulled over the head to hide a tousled coiffure. Quilted bed jackets, in silk and satin, with colored wool under the quilted spots so as suggestion of color shows through, are almost in the luxury category.

Caps and scarf types in sheerest wool are perfect for models on the woman who hates to lift her arms until she has had coffee. Be sure to look for a bed jacket that molds the bustline and adds width to the shoulders. A gift bed acket isn't supposed to look like a wrapper for the skirt chopped off.

dripping with lace. Unless you are sure that she means what she says about preferring simple things (in which case, you can have her underwear monogrammed or finished with elaborate gogoting and embroidery) dive right off the deep end as far as lace is concerned. The perfect gift for any woman is a set which includes slip, panties, nightgown and little bed jacket to match.

From Nightshirts to Travel Kits Nightshirts of Rodier's soft, chiffon-lyn wool are new. So are printed nightgowns with matching housecoats. Incidentally, travel lingerie gets better and better. Tailored pajamas with equally sensible looking robes in dark printed satins and crapes are ideal for one who goes to far places by train, plane or ship.

The most novel jewel cases and cigarette boxes are made of cocoons. They are truly decorative, and certainly should afford the nature lover thought, possibly conversation.

Moirs travel kits for stockings, handkerchiefs and extra lipsticks, no longer are silly little things that look handsome in Christmas boxes but which no one would think of using.

New suede, kid, pig and cape-skin gloves are finished with zipper trimmings, lacings and tatted scroll patterns. Fresh from design studios are gloves of Persian lamb and other furs.

Nothing could be more welcome than a complete accessory set, including bag, gloves and one other item.

Items you simply must take along. Now there are fitted cases small enough to hold on your lap. Also, suitcases of various leathers which are as light as airplane luggage.

If she writes or does any kind of desk work at home, a leather-bound dictionary or a small set of reference books will please. Naturally, you'll have to know something of her work or hobby before you send these. It would be a little ridiculous to offer books about butterflies to a student of economics or English literature.

Stationery in New Hues Colored stationery comes in for a revival this season. Smart shops are starring chartreuse, beige, gray and horse tones like saddle leather tan and jodhpur brown. Monograms generally are done in a darker shade of the same color.

Scarfs, blouses, sweaters and sports accessories come in for their share of holiday glory. From the new, fairly inexpensive printed challis blouses to de luxe handmade French varieties, blouses are worth consideration. The sweater lover, especially if her income is limited, will dance with joy at the sight of a hand made, simple, British looking sweater.

Practically no woman ever buys perfume for herself. She hopes and expects to find some in the toe of her Christmas stocking. It's safer to send a well-known brand, in a scent that you know is popular with most women, than to pick a strange odor. She may have a penchant for perfume that smells like saddle leather or new mown hay or tulip bulbs, but, unless you know this definitely, avoid them. A safe bet is one of the new perfume wardrobe kits, containing four or five small flacons of well known scents.

Embroidery Stars on Kerchiefs Handkerchiefs are more elaborate. From petite ones to the 15 inch squares (often called kohlerchiefs), they are finished with lots of embroidery and applied motifs. Other intricate handkerchiefs are surrounded by intricate embroidered designs. If she's an outdoors girl, you might send large squares of colored linen, printed with gay balloons. Neat white ones with appliqued horses in green or brown in the corners will please your friend who loves See (Gifts) Page 8

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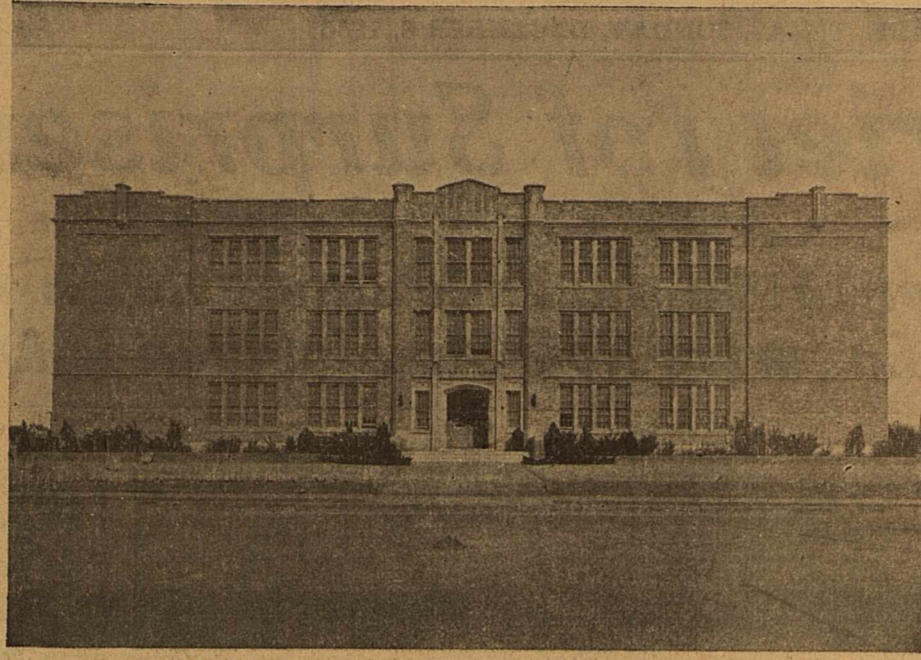
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BULLDOG BITES

'Winchel' English
In 1929, Midland won the district championship and little did they know it would be seven years until they would win another, but this is the way it happened. Led by big Dave Wafford, the team has gone through this season undefeated, although two of the games were ties. First, there was the game with the Pecos Eagles, which ended in a seven to seven deadlock. However the Midland team was later awarded the game on penetrations. Then in the game with the fast Bowie High Bears from El Paso, the score was thirteen to thirteen, but being a non-conference game was not decided. Midland's excellent team this year is due to the coaches. They put the team through a stiff schedule and came out on top, and that is going some. Let's give credit where credit is due, and that is to Coach "Dutch" Baumgarten and Coach "Bud" Taylor.

SCHOOL SPIRIT

School spirit is loyalty for the school in anything it undertakes, such as football, basketball, or the league meets. School spirit is something that cannot be had in just any school. The school that has it must be one in which the students are willing to cooperate not only with one another but also with the teachers.

Our school in my opinion has a good school spirit. The students cooperate with the teachers, in almost everything. Their reading and singing together every morning shows that they work together. We have a large pep squad that attends all the football games even those that are played on foreign fields. These boys and girls are always willing to yell and back those Bulldogs at any game, against any team. They are willing to stand out in the rain and cold to back their team. If the team is losing, they still do their part. They never give up and go home, but, instead, those boys and girls stay right there with the Bulldogs and back them to the last minute. I hope you understand that I don't mean just the pep squad attends the football games, for I'm sure you have all heard of our Midland High School Band that is always at the games in all kinds of weather, as well as many of the students who are not in the band or pep squad. The above is what I call school spirit.

SUPT. LACKEY ATTENDS TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

Supt. W. W. Lackey returned Sunday from the Texas State Teachers' Association in Fort Worth, which was held Thanksgiving Day, and the following Friday and Saturday. With many other school superintendents and teachers he went to Ft. Worth Monday to visit the Fort Worth schools. During Monday and Tuesday he visited the Geo. Clark school where his sister, Miss Nora Lackey, is one of the first primary teachers, and the Alice Carlson, the Clayton, and the North-Hi Mount schools. One of the most wonderful individual plants in the Fort Worth system is the recently completed Riverside High School, which was one of the PWA projects of the Fort Worth schools. It has a campus of 40 acres and was completed at a cost of \$315,000. The Midland superintendent served on the program at the annual luncheon of the Superintendents' section on Friday. Mr. Lackey drove to Austin before the Association opened to see the Texas-A. & M. game Thanksgiving Day. In addition to seeing the game, he witnessed the most spectacular band pageant ever staged in Texas. The A. & M. band of 175 pieces, the Texas band of 150 pieces, the Austin High School band of 80 pieces, the Orange Luther Stark band of 50 pieces, the Orange Luther Stark girls' drum corps of 40 pieces, and the American Legion band of 50 pieces. Also before the Association, Mr. Lackey, in company with his brother, C. S. Lackey of Dallas, saw the Geo. White Scandals, and after the Association he saw the TCU-SMU game in Dallas. At both college games, he was in company with Mr. C. M. Goldsmith, a member of the local school board. C. A. Goldsmith and Jack Carroll are both workers.

Harry Hopkins recently pointed out the difference in what happens in depression to industries whose prices stay up and those whose prices go down. Farm machinery prices fell but 6 per cent while production dropped 80 per cent; automobile prices were off 16 per cent and production 80; and iron and steel prices decreased 20 per cent while production declined 83 per cent. But while a majority of workers in those industries lost their jobs, here's what happened to industries with flexible price structures; Textiles down 49 per cent in price and 14 per cent in production; farm products 63 and 6; petroleum 56 and 20.

STUDENTS MAKE SPEECHES FOR TUBERCULAR CAMPAIGN

Members of Miss Cumings' public speaking classes have prepared speeches to be given in connection with the drive being made by the Midland Public Health Board to raise funds for the cure and prevention of tuberculosis. Freddye Lou Barber gave the first talk in assembly Thursday morning. She stated that 70,000 people in the United States died of tuberculosis in 1935, and urged that support be given to the local unit. The Midland County record reveals that ten persons in the county were afflicted with this malady last year, six of whom were school students. Announcement will be made at the local churches this morning as follows: La Moine Sinford, at the Catholic Church; Anna Beth Bedford at the Christian Church; Velma Johnson, at the Church of Christ; Lucille Guffey, at the Methodist Church; Pady Sue Whitcomb, at the Presbyterian Church; Vera Stephens, at the Baptist Church; and Christine Pate, at the Episcopal Church. Dorothy Lou Speed will appear before the Rotary club at their regular meeting on December 10, and Freddye Lou Barber will speak to the Lions club on December 9.

TEACHERS ATTEND AMERICAN VOCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Miss Vada Crawley, Miss Mary Kennington, and Mr. H. D. Bear-den left on the afternoon of December 1 to attend the American Vocational Association in San Antonio. The convention lasts from December 2 through December 5. This is the first time the national convention has ever been held in the south. Vocational teachers from all over the United States will be present. Teaching problems will be discussed and these teachers will have an opportunity to hear renowned speakers of the United States.

SHIFLETT GOES TO DALLAS

Mr. D. D. Shiflett, principal of Midland High School, spent the Thanksgiving holidays out of town. On Thursday he went to Abilene and spent the night with his father who is ill. From there he went to Fort Worth to the Texas State Teachers Association which had headquarters at the Texas Hotel. After meeting old friends and teachers he went to Dallas to see the "wet" TCU-SMU game. (Incidentally, he wanted SMU to win.) After drying himself off, he came home to report a "very good trip."

CHRISTMAS CANTATA

The high school students began work this week on "The Christmas Vision," which has been selected for the annual Christmas Cantata. The students are having to work much harder on "The Christmas Vision" because it is an entirely new cantata.

For the past two years the same songs were sung and last year they were easily learned; but this year, one may see the students working very earnestly and industriously in the mornings and afternoon reciting the words of the thirteen songs to their teachers.

Sectional practices were held last week for sopranos, altos, basses, and

SLICK DOINGS AND WHO DONE 'EM

Did you know that Rosie Belle Kincade has a yearning in her heart for Franklin Stickney?

Nearly every afternoon you will see, if you stay long enough, Pady Sue Whitcomb and Robert Payne in deep conversation. I wonder if solid geometry is that interesting?

We wonder what has happened to Mr. Wimberly and Miss Hefner? Or has anything?

Virginia Ann and Anna Beth haven't been getting along so well lately. I found out yesterday the reason is that Anna Beth has been smiling sweetly at Val Borum, Poor Virginia!

We Juniors can hardly have a chance when Pat O'Donnell is around. She has both eyes on Joe Norman now.

All boys who wish to have a date for the Football Banquet with any of these girls: Rebecca Epps, Mary Merle, Nell Ruth Bedford, "Pug", Virginia Ann Hilliard (Oh, no she has a date with Val) Alta Merrell, Eddie Jean Cole, Helen Droppelman, Jane Doran, Wanda George, Neva Rae Drake, or Edith King please see the author of this column. Don't crowd boys, there's plenty of time. Oh yes, there are quite a few more. (Eh, girls?)

Did you know that Barbara Jean Harper went with Bob Reeves Saturday night? Watch out, Robert Filson.

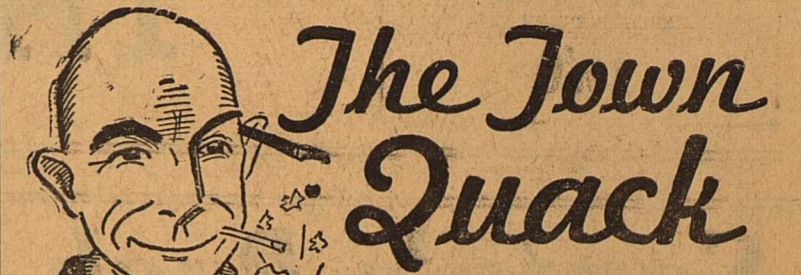
We heard that Jessa-Lynn walked home Tuesday night. I wonder where from. Could it have been the cemetery?

Robert Filson said he had a date for the banquet with Dorothy Lou, Louise, and Eddie Jean. It looks as though he's a three-timer. I wonder who the "lucky" girl will be.

If anyone has seen, heard, or even knows "Sammy Moege" please see Anna Beth, La Moine, or Velma.

I heard Mary Jane Harper had three chances for an escort to the Banquet; some of the girls have all the luck.

John Rettig, Pinkie, Frank Miles, and Russell have taken up chewing tobacco. Have they taken this up See (High School), Page 8



The Town Quack

(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything).

Statistics tell us that more people are hurt playing golf than in any other sport. This statistician probably counted the cost and the damage to the pocketbook.

I've been reading up on my science lately and I find that a lot of the fool notions we have about insects, animals etc., can be exploded easily. For instance, when a mosquito bites us in the summer we imagine him as a buzzing, fast flying insect with a sharp, piercing beak. However, science tells us that the mosquito has 22 teeth. Apparently, instead of taking a running start and jabbing us with his beak, he merely flies up at his leisure, fastens his 22 teeth on our anatomy and bites down. However, the results are about the same, as far as our personal feelings are concerned.

Statistic: "Leather fire hose was invented in 1672." All I have to add is that it must have been forgotten by 1700. I never heard of it before.

Llanfairpwllgwyngyllgogerechwyrndrobwllllanndysilioerococh, a town in Anglesea, Wales, is said to have the longest geographic name in the world. It contains 55 letters. Count them and see if our lingo operator got them all in.

In fact that town must have been started by lingo operators on their day off.

There is said to be one automobile to every six persons in the United States. The reason the average remains constant is that we lose a-bout one automobile to every citizen struck by one.

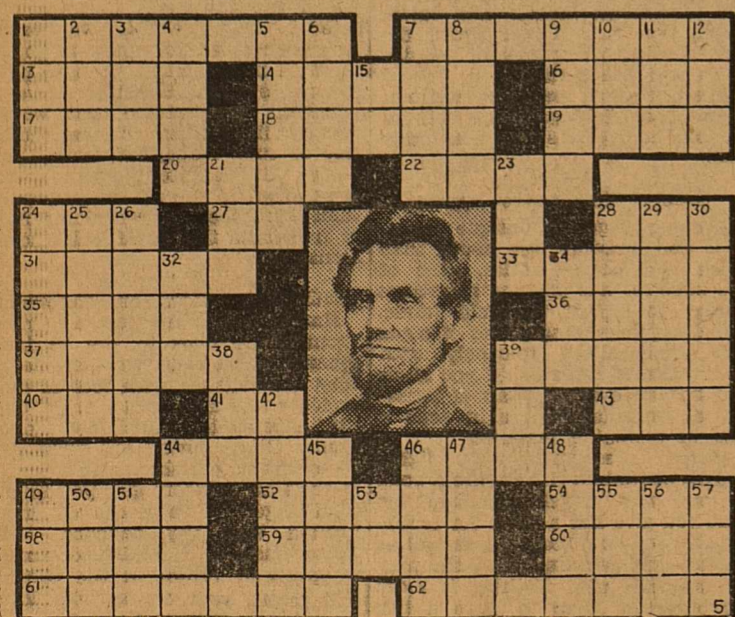
Autumn barely had time to get into the way before winter set in. Lo the poor Indian summer.

POLICEMAN LABOR ARBITER

TOLEDO (U.P.) — Police Lieutenant Harvey Klaber stepped out of routine duties when he happened upon a labor dispute at an auto wrecking yard. Klaber got the principals together and soon had the 27 employees back at work with all parties satisfied.

Great Emancipator

- HORIZONTAL
1, 7 Sixteenth president of U. S. A.
13 Breakwater.
14 Stuck in mud.
16 Wind instrument.
17 Two root.
18 Growing out.
19 Tumultuous disturbance.
20 To decrease.
22 Bag.
24 Common verb form.
27 Structural unit.
28 To soften leather butts.
31 He was presi- dent during the War.
33 Silk net.
35 Consumer.
36 To depart by boat.
37 Dogma.
39 River in France.
40 Being.
ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE
MONKEY PRIMATES
ALON ROUTH BORE
DON LEST BETTER
TEN TOPE WETTS F
RR DOOR PITT
O COMPOSURE
POUTS BITER
IDLE CARS I
COT MATE SO
AR ROVE SPRAY C
L SIDE BORAL TO
PALE AUDIT PIN
TALLESS GENTLE
11 Card game.
12 Fishing bag.
15 Sun god.
21 To be ill.
23 Folding bed.
24 Pointed.
25 Ascended.
26 Lays smooth.
28 Killed.
29 To place in line.
30 Afray.
32 Wrath.
34 To consume.
38 Three.
39 To undermine.
42 Pertaining to the cheek.
44 Refined woman.
45 Soaks flax.
46 Slipping way.
47 Too.
48 To carry.
49 Chum.
50 Striped fabric.
51 Church bench.
53 To depart.
55 Drone bee.
56 Period.
57 Sneaky.
VERTICAL
1 Monkey.
2 Offer.
3 Scarlet.
4 In order.
5 To rectify.
6 Coal pit.
7 Rents.
8 Thought.
9 Bottle stopper.
10 Sash.



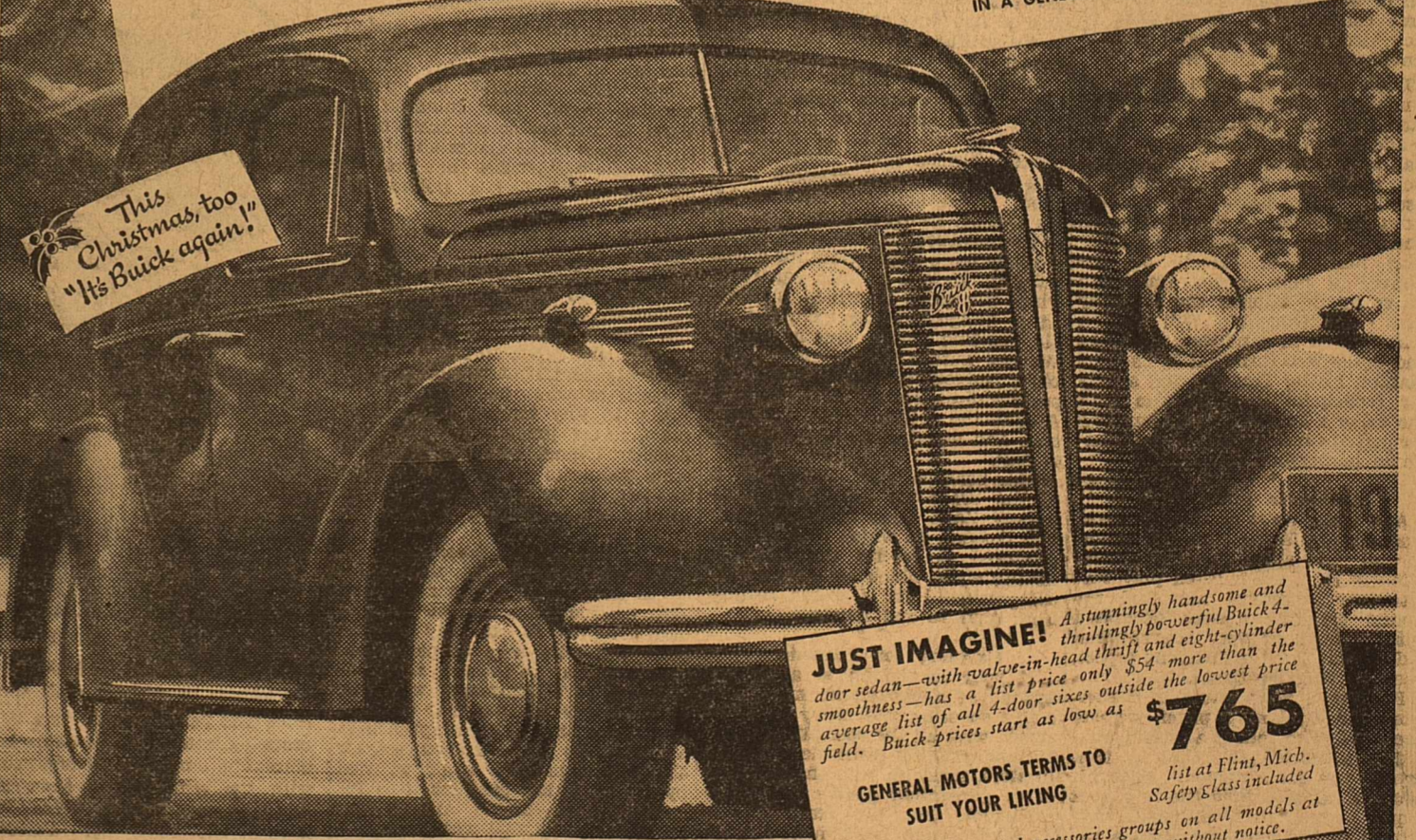
HAPPY HOLIDAY? SURE!

"It's Buick again!"

WHETHER it comes as a Christmas present or just happens to be present in time for the season, this Buick makes happy holidays wherever it goes. There's joy just in owning it — there's thrill in its every quiet, pulse-quickenng mile — there's solid contentment in the cushioned comfort of its smoothly gliding ride. Gaze upon it — the size of it, the grace of it, the smart-as-Paris look of it — and ask yourself if it isn't your dream-car come true!

Put it through its paces, make it show its power, check brakes, wheel, pick-up, ride — and try to figure why you should be satisfied with less! Watch the eyes turn to follow it as it rolls its majestic way — imagine the picture your family would make, traveling in such standout style! There's time and opportunity to get a Buick of your own before the holidays arrive. We'll help you play Santa Claus. Prices, beginning at \$765 list at Flint, Mich., are the lowest in all our history.

YOUR MONEY GOES FARTHER IN A GENERAL MOTORS CAR



This Christmas, too, it's Buick again!

JUST IMAGINE! A stunningly handsome and thrillingly powerful Buick 4-door sedan — with valve-in-head thrust and eight-cylinder smoothness — has a list price only \$54 more than the average list of all 4-door sedans outside the lowest price field. Buick prices start as low as \$765

GENERAL MOTORS TERMS TO SUIT YOUR LIKING. List at Flint, Mich. Safety glass included. Standard and special accessories groups on all models at extra cost. Prices subject to change without notice.

Model illustrated is the Buick SPECIAL four-door sedan, \$845 list at Flint, Mich.

Elder Chevrolet Company
123 East Wall, Midland, Texas

WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

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It's Christmas Time

at **Wadley's**



IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME AT THE CHRISTMAS STORE!

We are starring gifts for young and old, Gifts from wee novelties to the most lavish presents. We have literally combed the earth to bring you the largest assortment of fine gifts that this store has ever offered. Each department is really a store within a store and they are all laden with values and they are right in quality. We have gifts for every name on your gift list, so don't waste time and patience shopping all over town — just bring us your list, we will solve your problems.

WE SUGGEST

That you do your shopping early, while stocks are complete in size and color range!

Always Welcome
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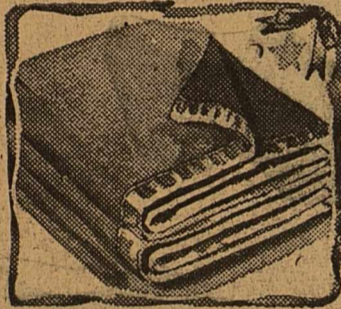
SHEER DAINY SILK STOCKINGS

Appeal to the Feminine Heart and this perhaps is the most universal gift of all. This store offers you the very best in Kayser and Mojud, sheer dainty stocking, in the correct shade and sizes from 8 to 10 in regulars, shorts and tall—

69c 88c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.95

You do not make a mistake in giving Hosiery for Christmas, and especially Mojud and Kayser dainty sheer stockings

KENWOOD BLANKETS



Make most appropriate gifts and these are available in the size 72 x 84 in Standard quality at **\$10.00** in all colors
In size 72 x 90 in Famous Quality in all colors at \$12.50 and in size 90 x 90 for the extra large double bed at **\$15.00**
Also for twin or single beds in size 60 x 90 at \$11.00 in the Famous Quality.

Marshall Field Quality Blankets

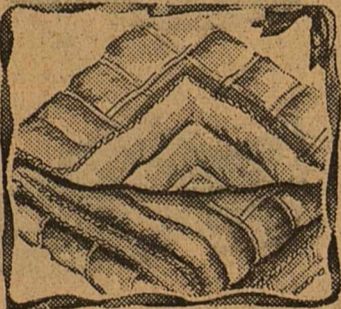
in sizes 72 x 84 in single and doubles priced at **\$3.95 TO \$10.00**

All Wool Auto Blankets or Steamer Robes

In bright Scotch plaids with the self fringes in size 54 x 72 at \$3.95 and in the extra heavy size 58 x 80 at \$6.85. Make a very splendid gift for almost any name on your list.

DOWN COMFORTERS

A Down Comfort Is Surely a Gift Worth While

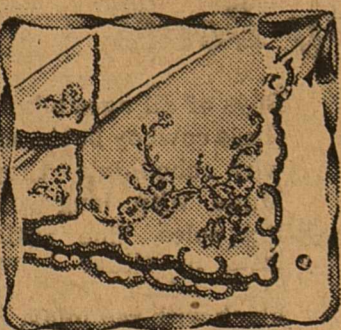


And we are confident that there isn't a store in West Texas that's able to take care your needs along this line as is this one. We have sold more than seventy-five Down Comforts this fall and in these we offer a splendid, pure, good down filled, sateen covered, size 72 x 84 comfort **\$9.85** at **\$14.95**
A beautiful, Celanese taffeta, pure goose down filled comfort in solid colors or color combinations

And to add more of a personal touch, we offer the beautiful Lambs Wool filled, Celanese covered Monogram Comfort at \$12.50.

This monogram comfort is available in any color combination with the center monogram or letter, if ordered now. Perhaps we have just the letter and color you would want in stock. Special orders require about 8 days.

SANTA SELECTS BEAUTIFUL LINENS FOR CHRISTMAS



and where is there a housewife that does not appreciate beautiful linens?

Bridge Sets
Breakfast Sets
Dinner Sets
Banquet Sets

In the finest linen damask, in imported novelty colored sets, in the finest of Maderia Sets, ranging in price from **\$1.00 TO \$39.50**

Odd pieces in Napkins, Scarfs, Vanity Sets, Chair Sets, Italian Punch Work, Maderia Pillow Cases, Appliqued Pillow Cases, etc., from **\$1.00 TO \$6.85**

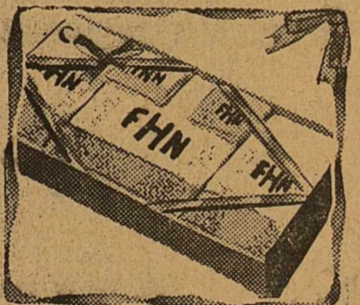
Again we say that here is the largest selection of beautiful linens in all West Texas and again, may we suggest that the early shopper has the better selection and that you use our lay-a-way plan.

GIFT WRAPPINGS **EXTRA SALESPeOPLE**
USE OUR LAY-A-WAY PLAN

Appropriate STATIONERY

Montag's Gift Stationery
25c, 35c, 50c and \$1.00

is especially packed for Christmas giving and make very attractive gifts. Leatherette cases and suede boxes, and the price ranges from 50¢ to \$1.00 the box and the selection is large.



GIFT TOWELS

We never dreamed that Towels could be so beautiful as these Cannon Gift Towels. In single towels, in matched sets of Bath Towels, Face Towels, Wash Rags and Bath Mats, all to match and if you wish these will be monogrammed at a small charge.

BATH TOWELS
35c TO \$1.00
FACE TOWELS
25c TO 48c
BATH MATS
\$1.00 TO \$2.50
BATH RUGS
10c TO 25c
And the Beautiful Cannon Gift Sets in attractive Holiday boxes at the set—
\$2.35 TO \$3.95

TWENTY PIECE BREAKFAST SETS



In one of the most attractive patterns we have ever offered, consists of four Cups and Saucers, Four Plates, Creamer and covered Sugar Bowl, a Linen Breakfast Cloth and Four Napkins to match and the linen matches the design of the dishes.

Here is a suggestion really worth while at a small price. Only thirty-six of these to offer. Lay them away for Christmas.
Twenty piece Set for only **\$2.95**



A DOROTHY GRAY COSMETOUR CASE Is the Gift of Gifts for Her

Perhaps this is one of the most desired of all Christmas Gifts and this store has the exclusive sale of all Dorothy Gray cosmetics and Cosmetour Cases in Midland. May we suggest that you make your selection early, and these will be reserved for you.

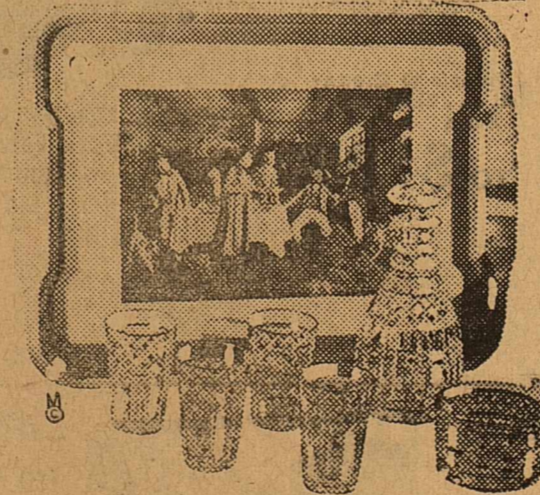
\$5.00 12.50 \$18.50
\$20.00 \$29.50

YARDLEY GIFT SETS

Appeal to the feminine heart and there is very valid reason for this appeal. The selection we offer is by far the largest in all West Texas. The price range includes

\$1.50, \$2.95, \$4.50, \$6.00 up to \$14.85
A Yardley Gift Will Surely Be Appreciated

BEAUTIFUL FOSTORIA



Perhaps you can make additions to a set already started, in this finest of all Crystal stem and dinner ware and genuine Rock Crystal. We can match any Fostoria etching if ordered now, or we have a complete selection of June and Midnite Rose etchings and Allegro designs in—

ROCK CRYSTALS, SALAD BOWLS, SANDWICH TRAYS, LEMON PLATES, BON BONS, VASES
and many other good pieces in addition to the regular sets of Tumblers, Goblets, Cups and Saucers, Plates, Cocktails, etc. Our prices of all this entire selection is very much less than you usually pay for this type of merchandise. Make your selections now and avoid last minute disappointments.

Addison Wadley Co.

A BETTER DEPARTMENT STORE

Midland, Texas

Fine gift LUGGAGE



Fitted Cases Find A Place on Most Any Christmas List

Beiber fitted cases are quality merchandise and every one perfect in the fittings. Genuine Pin Seals, Cowhides and the New Deauville Air-lite striped canvas that is so very popular.

PLAIN BAGS at \$4.85 TO \$12.50
FITTED BAGS at \$9.85 TO \$35.00



Shirley Temple Dolls Are Santa's Favorite Gift for Good Little Girls

Perhaps there has never been an item with the appeal that these genuine Shirley Temple Dolls have for the little ones.

\$5.00 to \$12.50
DIONNE QUINTS Are the most lifelike and each of the Quints are here—

MARIE YVONNE CECILE EMILE ANNETTE

They are all here and in singles or sets of five, they will be real "Santa" to some little girl

EACH \$5.00

Books for the Younger Names on Your List

For Christmas we offer some splendid items in books for Boys and Girls from 8 to 16 years and for the little tots

10c EACH TO 50c

The luxury Gift Lingerie



Vanity Fair and Kayser Pajamas, Bed Jackets, Gowns, Dance Sets, Step-Ins, Etc.

And the name stands for something in her estimation. **GOWNS and PAJAMAS at \$1.95 TO \$2.50**
Ladies' and Misses' Comfy Coats and Bed Jackets \$1.00 TO \$1.95
GOWNS and PAJAMAS at \$1.00 TO \$2.50
Step-ins, Panties, Dance Sets Etc., at **50c TO \$1.50**



A Barbizon Satin Dasche Slip

May fill in your list and you know that the gift will be appreciated because of the outstanding quality. Shortfield for the short figure Parkfield for the regular figure We-Jane for the Petite figure Truelong for the tall figure Barbizon Satin Dasche Slips are the very finest that money will buy, of pure dye satin and Crepe.

\$2.95

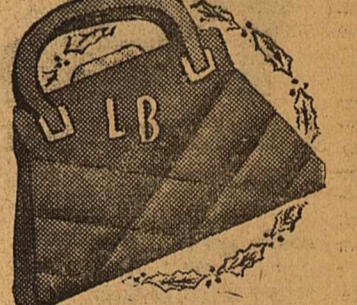
Sleepy Head GOWNS

Made of Barbizon Satin the finest that money will buy in a pure dye, tailored satin gown at **\$5.00**

Glenburn Barbizon Satin Dasche Gowns of pure dye Satin at **\$4.00**



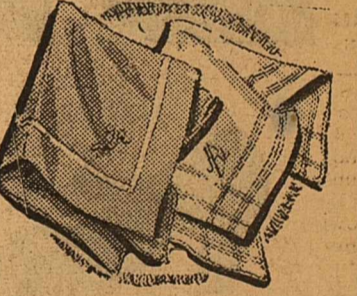
Colorful Accessories



And after all, a combination of a fine Meeker hand bag with a couple of beautiful handkerchiefs will make a most attractive Christmas Gift.

Meeker bags are of the very best and the selection includes fine Calfskins, Antelope, Suedes and Kids at **\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.50 TO \$5.85**

HANDKERCHIEFS



Handkerchiefs of almost an endless variety from a plain, hemstitched linen in white or colors, to the very finest hand made linens at each **25c, 35c, 50c, \$1.00**
Boxed Sets at 50c and \$1.00

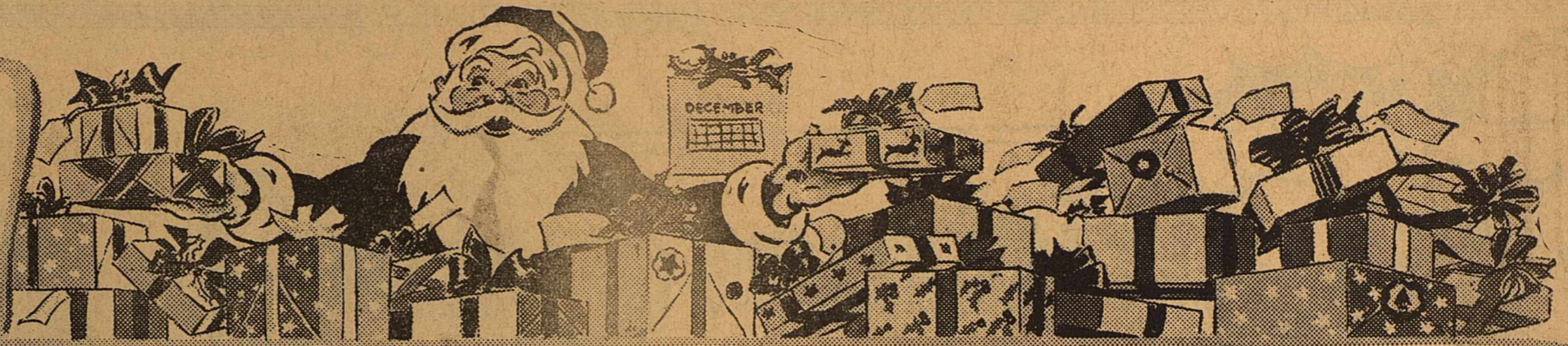
Children's handkerchiefs at 10c each, 25c and 50c the box and one special number for the stamp collector has a handkerchief and a book of information for the stamp collector and a package of stamps at **25c**



KID GLOVES
In black, brown and colors, sizes 5 3/4 to 8 in finest imported kids and suedes at **\$1.95 and \$2.95**
In pig skin and pig grain at **\$1.95 to \$3.50**

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HEADQUARTERS

The Most Practical of All Gifts Holiday Footwear

Buy Now

... we'll have them wrapped attractively and laid away until you call for them!

All Footwear bought as Gifts gladly Exchanged after Christmas

SHOP EARLY

for Her



Christmas time is dress-up time ... you simply MUST have new footwear, and it's easy to make your choice from our large and complete selection—



Kids, Suedes, Patents ... each shoe a masterpiece of charm, grace and exquisite beauty ... yet they are priced exceedingly low ...

I. MILLER — RED CROSS — CONNIE — PERSONALITY
VELVET STEP

\$2.95 TO \$11.75

EVERYBODY SHOULD HAVE

New Shoes

FOR THE
Holidays

... And this is the place to buy them!

FOR CHILDREN

They'll want toys, of course, but don't forget to include footwear for their Christmas parties. These dainty styles will make them shout with glee, and strut with pride.

Sizes to 3
\$1.69 To \$2.95



SHOP EARLY

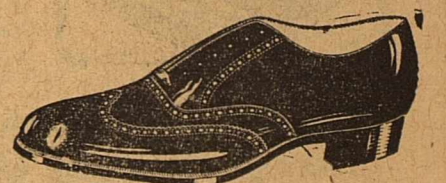
for Him

There is no need to make Christmas another of those search-all-over-town seasons, when even the most unusual gift problems can be solved by giving footwear ... and modest Christmas budgets work wonders at our store.

You'll want him to look his best ... and our new oxfords are really "beautys". Don't put it off 'til the last minute, get them now!

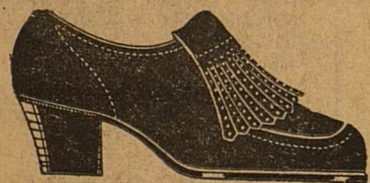


Plain tip, straight tip, wing tip ... Brogue, Bal or Blucher, your favorite style is here ... and we guarantee a perfect fit!



FLORSHEIM — FRIENDLY FIVE — CITY CLUB
FORTUNE!

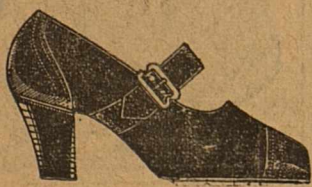
\$2.95 TO \$8.75



for Sister

These smart young moderns KNOW their style ... so if you aim to please them, be sure to make your selection from our large array of "styled right" patterns ...

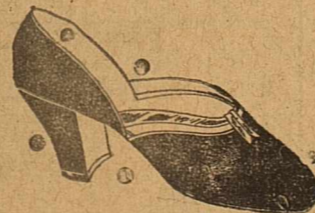
Sizes to 9
All Widths
\$2.95 TO \$4.95



"We Fit Them Perfectly"

Bestow
Comfort, Consideration,
Good Taste
Give
SLIPPERS

Here's the answer to your gift problems. Slippers are practical, luxurious gifts that are appreciated by young and old alike ...



Sizes from Infants to Grown-ups ... Felt ... Leather ... Satin
69c TO \$4.95

When the list is long and Dollars few—Give Slippers

for Brother

A new pair of shoes "just like Dad's ... Here's a GIFT that he will really appreciate. ...

Sturdy, all leather ... long wearing styles
\$2.45 TO \$4.95



A MONOGRAMMED GIFT IS A BIT MORE PERSONAL

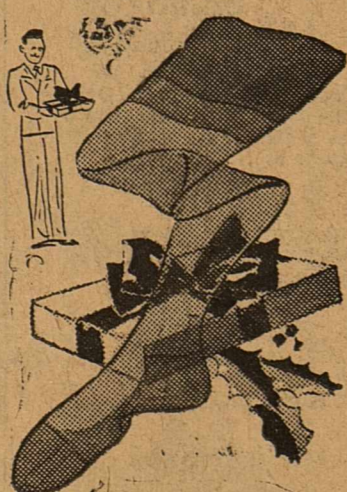
On orders for handkerchiefs, placed now, we can have his initials or his entire signature copied in a duplication of his own hand writing. \$2.50 the half dozen in beautiful linen.
A beautiful Celanese Taffeta, Wool filled comfort in any color combination with the monogram in the center. Each \$12.50
Cannon towels with the monogram, in the large size, or face towels. Towels 35c to \$1.00 each. Monogramming 25c

A SPECIAL WRAPPING SERVICE

for the holidays this store is providing a special wrapping service. All merchandise bought in this store will of course, be wrapped free of charge. Other wrappings will be charged for according to the time, and materials used.

**The Ideal Gift
Hosiery**

Give every woman you know HOSIERY ... because no woman has enough quality stockings! A length for every leg size; a color to blend with every winter ensemble.



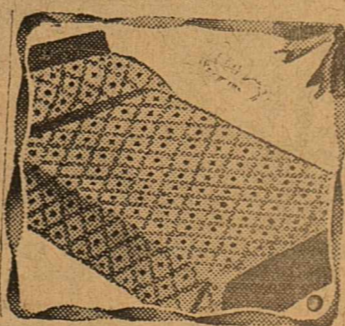
Buy by the dozen ... for yourself, too. A complete color range in Kayser, Mojud and Munsing fine hose. ...

50c TO \$1.95

RAYON AND COTTON SPREADS

She will appreciate any of these gorgeous rayon or cotton spreads from Cannon or Marshall Field. They are all grand buys for gift or personal needs. They are very colorful and of course very practical—

\$1.95 To \$5.00



CANDLEWICK SPREADS

Hand tufted by the mountain women of Georgia, one of these striking spreads would make an ideal gift for some one on your list. You'll have to see them to really appreciate their beauty. Their coloring and combinations can only be brought about in hand tufting.

\$5.95 TO \$11.00

Addison Wadley Company

"A BETTER DEPARTMENT STORE"
MIDLAND, TEXAS

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**Give The Lad a Pair of
Cowboy Boots**

Boys of all ages admire these cowboy boots, and why shouldn't they? Made with long-wearing soles, fine fitting lasts in either brown with white inlay, or black with red inlay. He will know if there is a Santa Clause if you'll give him a pair of these boots.



Sizes from Children's To Big Boys'
\$3.50 TO \$5.50

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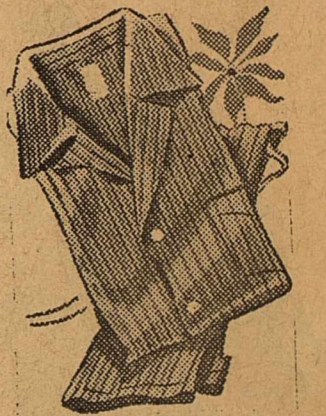
Make this His merriest.



Christmas

Give Him a Gift From His Own Store! . . .

Whatever you buy for him here, you can be sure of his everlasting gratitude. He probably does his own shopping here, if he's a man of good taste and good judgment, so it will be like getting a gift he'd pick out himself. And if he hasn't learned to shop here yet, a gift from our variety will introduce him to great shopping satisfaction many years after this Christmas is gone!



Glover Faultless Pajamas

No name stands higher in the pajama world than does both Glover and Wilson Bros. Faultless. A suit of pajamas bearing either of these names means discretion and good taste has been used in the selection as they are both sold with an unconditional guarantee of satisfaction in style, comfort and service.

\$1.50 TO \$5.95



Stetson, Dobbs Borsalino

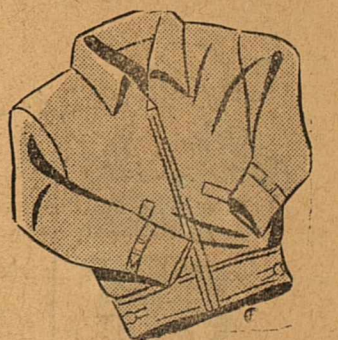
None better and nowhere else in all West Texas will you come as near finding just the hat he would want, as at this store and these names stand for the very finest—

STETSONS at \$5.00 TO \$15.00

DOBBS at \$5.00 TO \$8.50

BORSALINOS at \$10.00

We have a Gift Certificate, put in an attractive gift box, calling for one hat, to be selected and the Gift Certificates make appreciated gifts and permits the recipient to make his own selection.



Field & Stream JACKETS

Especially for the Out Door man, one of these splendid Leather or all wool Jackets or Coats, would make a most acceptable give. Either Zipper or Button styles, sizes from 34 to 48—

\$4.85 TO \$18.50

Boys Lather Jackets in sizes from 2 to 18 years are priced at—

\$3.85 TO \$6.95



SCARFS

Foulards for daytime. Knitted for day and night

\$1.00 TO \$3.00



LET'S GIVE HIM A TOP COAT

For his Christmas—is a suggestion we expect he would be glad to overhear some evening and we can help you carry out this plan, but we suggest that you make the selection now so that we can get his size in just what you would like in case we do not have the exact thing in stock.

Hart Schaffner & Marx at \$35.00 UP

STATBURY TOP COATS

made of genuine Llamacuna, at \$20.00

YARDLEY GIFT SETS For Men

Are among the most popular Christmas items and we have these ranging from the "whole year Shaving Bowl" at \$1.00 up to the nicest combination sets that Yardley produces at

\$1.50 TO \$7.50



Beautiful Robes

One of the most popular gifts for men, both young and old, are Robes and Cocktail Jackets and at no time has this store ever shown a more attractive selection than at this season—

\$3.95 TO \$12.50



ARROW UNDERWEAR

Fine lisle shirts and striped broadcloth shorts

Shirts 50¢
Shorts 65¢

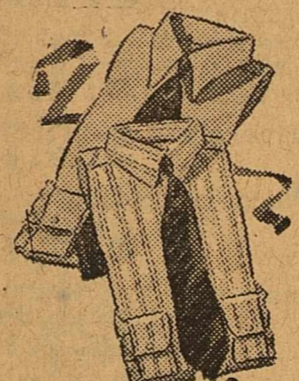


SLIPPERS

Handsome ones for lounging—

Black, Blue, Brown, Red, Daniel Green and Evans—

\$1.95 TO \$4.50

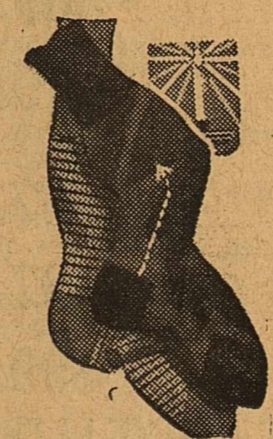


Three New ARROW SHIRTS

In his correct size and sleeve length, done up in an attractive Christmas package would make a gift almost any man would rather have.

The chances are that we have a record of his size and sleeve length and these new Esquire patterns are what he would like to have—

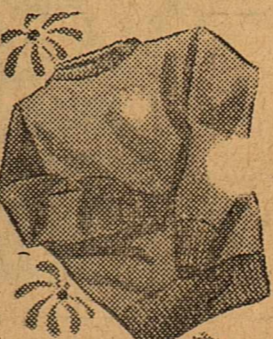
\$1.95 TO \$2.95



HOSE

Interwoven and Wilson Bros. Sox in a comprehensive showing of imported and domestic lises and silks, plain, checked or patterned.

25c TO \$1.50



SWEATERS

Pure cashmere, soft and fine. Bradley and Campus.

\$1.00 TO \$5.00

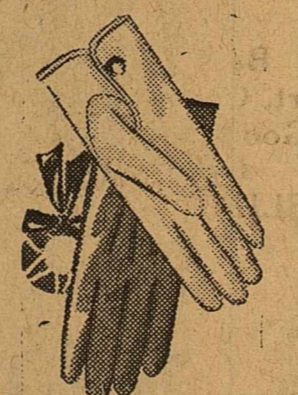


Cheney—Botany NECKWEAR

And you are assured that the average man knows and looks for one of these labels when he buys neckwear for it means quality and distinctive materials, hand craftsmanship and correct stylings.

CHENEY NECKWEAR is the outstanding line of Men's Silk Ties, at each—
\$1 \$1.50 \$2

BOTANY all wool ties are so very unusual and so very serviceable that the men folks prefer these to any other. They look like silk but are of the finest, pure wool and are the kind that wear and wear without wrinkling. More than three hundred snappy new Christmas patterns to select from at \$1



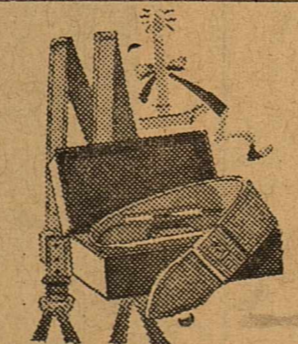
FOWNES GLOVES For Men

Made of genuine buck skin, genuine pig skin, genuine mocha and the finest of imported cape, in slip on and button styles in Black, Brown, Grey and Natural—

The better gloves come in regulars and Cadet sizes. A Cadet size is made to fit the short fingered, rather square type of hand that is hard to fit—

\$1.95 TO \$3.50 THE PAIR

Other Gloves at \$1.00 to \$1.50
Warm lined Gloves at \$1.00 and \$1.50 the pair.
Boys Gloves at \$1.00 to \$1.50 The Pair



Belts, Belt Sets, Tie Pin and Collar Sets

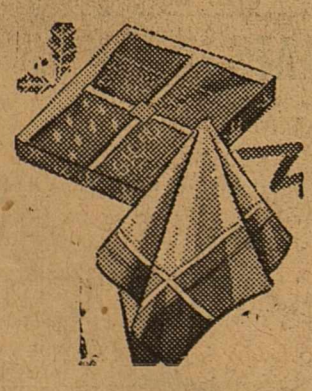
Bill Folds Dressing Cases

HICKOK is a name that means quality and most men ask for a Hickok in buying Belts, Tie Clasps, Collar Pins, etc.

\$6.95 TO \$27.50



ELECTRIC SHAVER
Used by hundreds of modern men. \$15
Guaranteed



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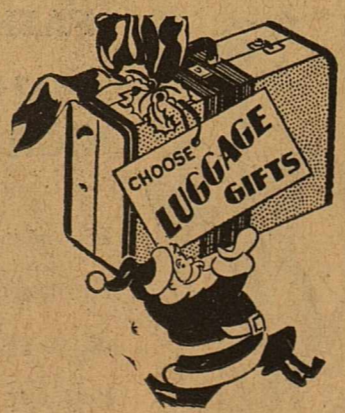
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At the time this advertisement was written, the stock consisted of the following and the prices and descriptions were in stock at that time.

These will go quickly as this special sale and we suggest that you see these early.

A small deposit will hold these for you until Christmas, but the Sale Prices are to be had only on a cash basis, (ie., that these will be paid for before the garment is taken.)

One Kaffa Brown Caracul Coat, size 14, full length, regular \$87.50 value, prices for this Santa Sale at **\$72.50**

One size 14 in an Eel Grey, Swagger length, Caricul that was \$98.00, priced for this Santa sale at **\$74.75**

A beautiful, first quality Brown blocked Lapan full length coat, size 12, that was \$98.00 offered at this Santa Sale of Fur Coats at **\$74.75**

A size 16 Black Lapan Swagger, regularly priced at \$39.00, priced for **\$29.75**

A size 16 in a Brown Lapan Swagger, regularly priced at \$39.00, for this Sale, **\$29.75**

A size 18, Brown Blocked Lapan that was \$39.00 is priced for this **\$29.75**

An Eel Grey Caricul Swagger, size 16 regularly priced at \$79.00 that we offer at this sale for **\$62.50**

A size 38, Kaffa Brown Caricul, full length coat, that was \$87.50 offered for **\$69.00**

A full length coat of Blocked Lapan in black, that was \$59.00, that we offer at **\$44.75**

A Black Lapan Jacket that was \$39.00 in a size 14 is offered at **\$29.75**

A Blocked Papan Swagger in brown, size 16 that was priced at \$98.00 is reduced for this sale to **\$74.75**

A Black, Lapan Swagger Coat, size 18, was \$39.00 is priced for **\$29.75**

An Eel Grey Caracul Swagger, size 20, regularly priced at \$87.50 **\$69.00**

A size 18 in a full length Brown Pony Coat that was \$169.00 is priced for this sale at **\$119.00**

A dark grey, blocked Lapan Swagger, size 18, was \$69.00 is offered for **\$52.50**

A Brown, Blocked Lapan Swagger, size 14 that was \$85.00, reduced to **\$67.50**

A beautiful Gray Broadtail, size 18, regularly priced at \$129.00 is reduced for this event to **\$97.50**

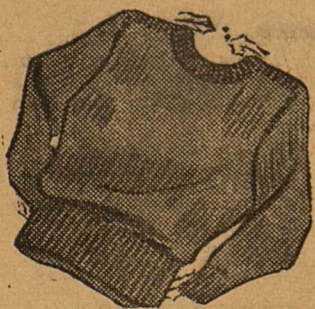
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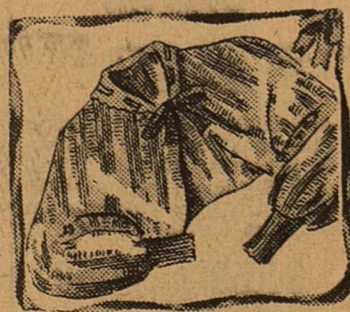
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Farm Purchases In Country Show Gain

WASHINGTON, D. C. —The steady increase in the purchase of farms during the last eighteen months may be expected to continue during the balance of this year and all of 1937, W. I. Myers, Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, stated here today.

Responsible for part of the increase in farm purchase financing, the Governor explained, is the fact that second mortgage loans by the Land Bank Commissioner are now being made in addition to the Federal land bank first mortgage loan to assist in farm purchasing, thus making it possible for a person with character and farming experience to finance up to 75 per cent of the appraised normal value of the farm.

The purposes for which farmers are placing mortgages on their farms are changing rather rapidly, Myers stated. While approximately 90 per cent of the proceeds of the Federal land bank and Commissioner loans in 1933 and 1934 were used to refinance debts, in 1935 the percentage so used dropped to 82 per cent and during the first seven months of this year to about 79 per cent. This means that a larger proportion of the loans are being used to purchase farms. In the 12 months ending October 1 this year, the Federal land banks and Commissioner ex-

Social Security Aid Transferred

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 5.—Oscar M. Powell, regional director, region X, announces the transfer of Miss Margie E. Neal, informational service representative, from the regional office at San Antonio to the office at Austin, effective December 3.

Miss Neal began service with the social security board in Washington February 1, this year, and was connected with the informational service of that organization. She effected a transfer from Washington to the regional office in San Antonio on July 6, with the title of informational service representative. Her removal to the Austin office, recently opened, will not change her official status in any way, the only difference being that she is detailed to the Austin office, according to Powell.

L. E. Harwood will continue to serve as informational service representative in the regional office at San Antonio.

RUSSELL RETURNS

W. G. Russell returned Friday from Houston where he attended a convention.

ERROR COSTS TEETH

PERTH, Australia. (U.P.) — A mistake in the identity of two patients in the Perth City Hospital cost one of them his teeth. The two men were in adjacent beds, one suffering from a stomach complaint. Hospital attendants took the wrong man to the operating room.

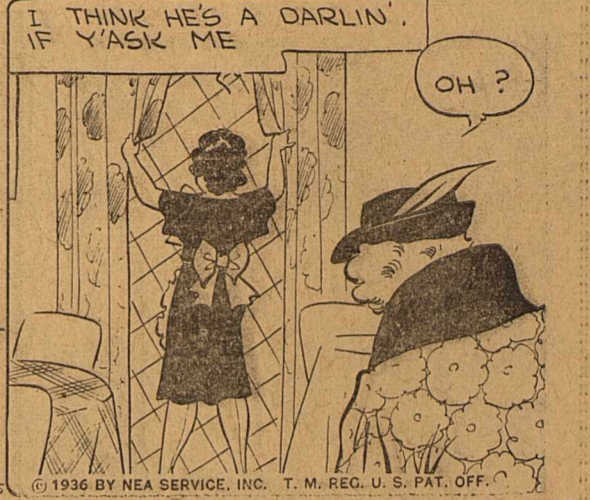
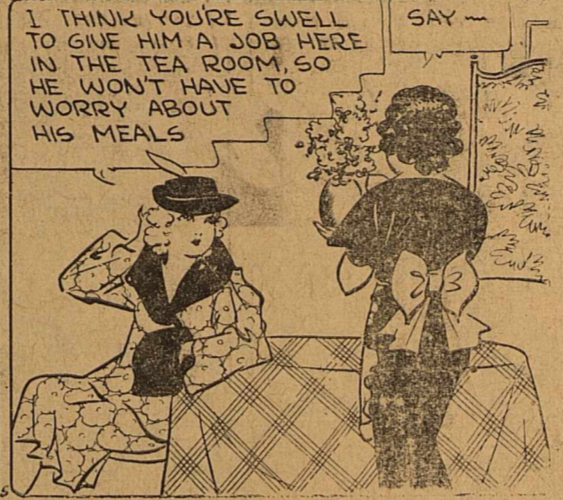
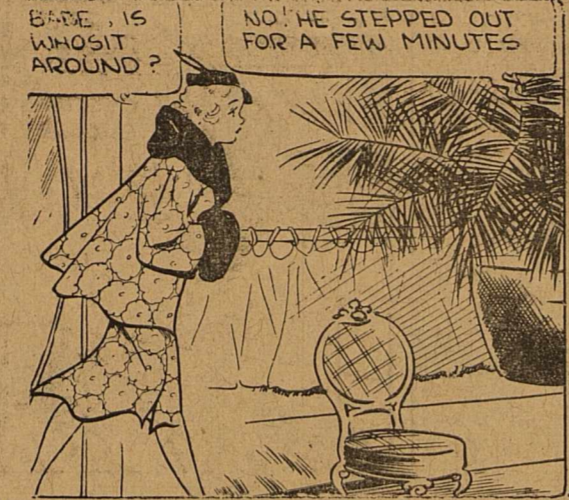
HUGE COAL CHUNK MINED

SALT LAKE CITY. (U.P.) — A 5 by 10 foot chunk of coal from the Carbon county fields exhibited at the state capitol weighs 20,900 pounds. Tremendous pressure on old vegetable matter pressed the mass to its extremely condensed state, geologists explained.

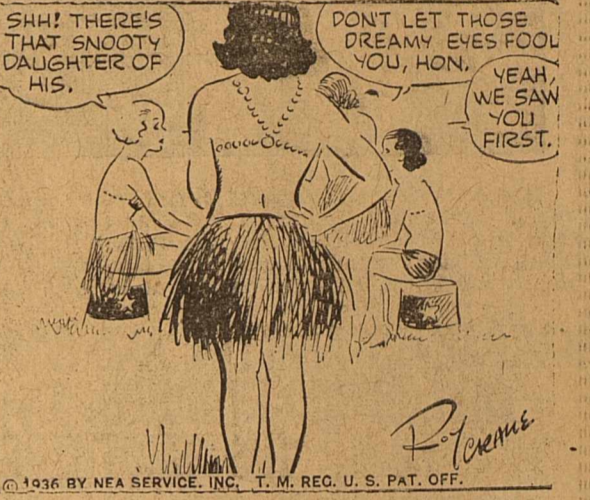
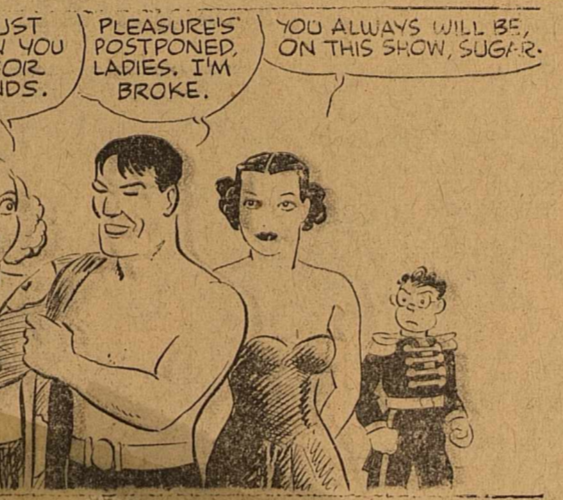
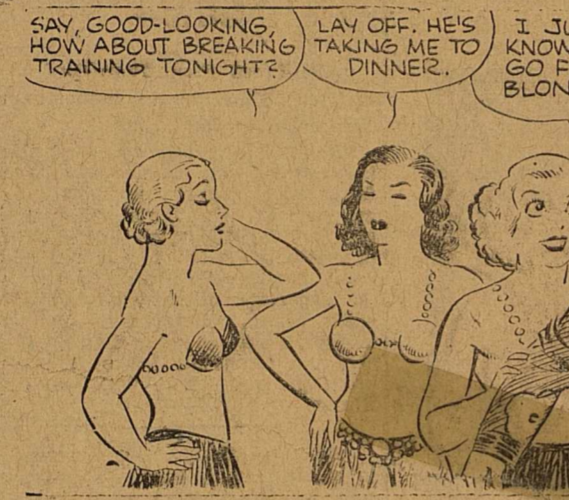
tended credit in the approximate amount of \$50,000,000 to finance the purchase of nearly 20,000 farms, including acquired farms sold by the land banks on mortgage or contract terms.

This year the percentage of land bank proceeds used to purchase farms is higher than at any time during the life of the land bank system with the exception of the period from 1917-1920 and the year 1929.

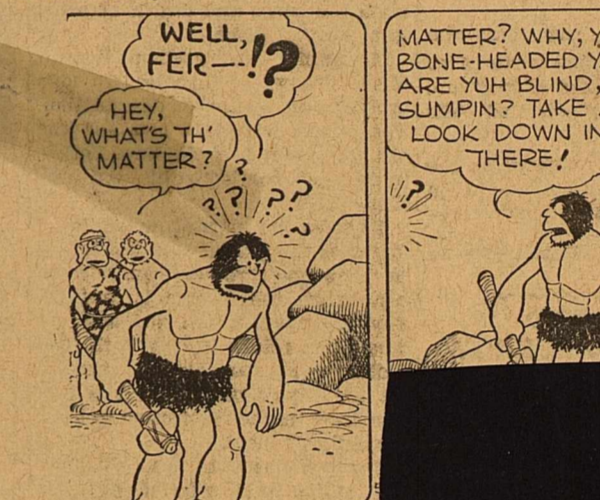
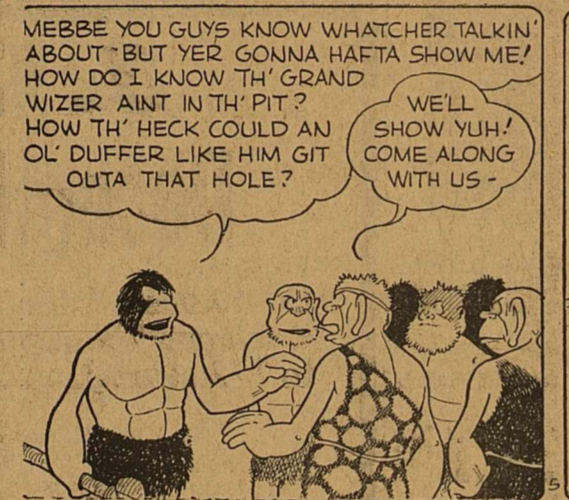
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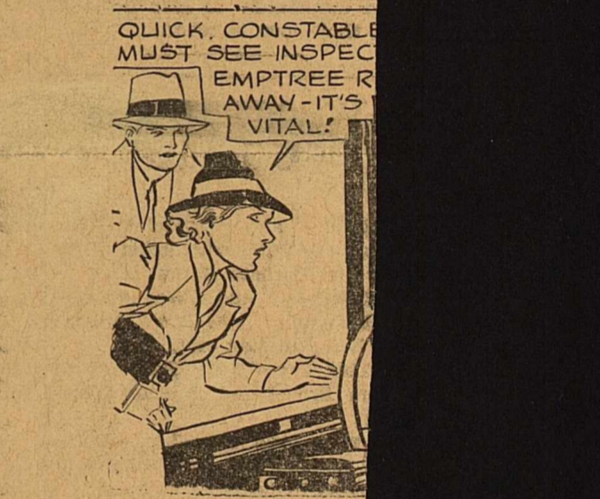
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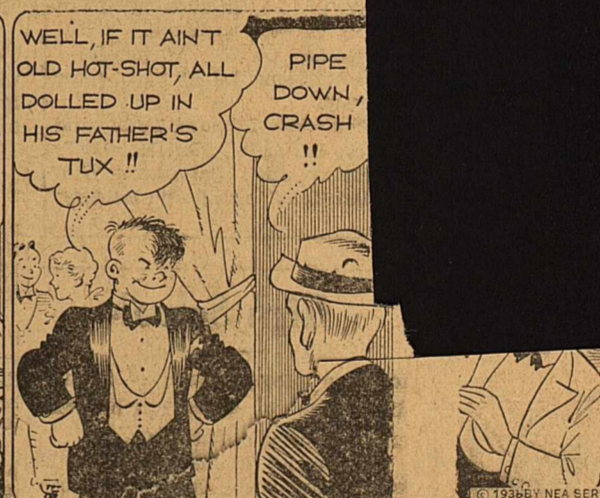
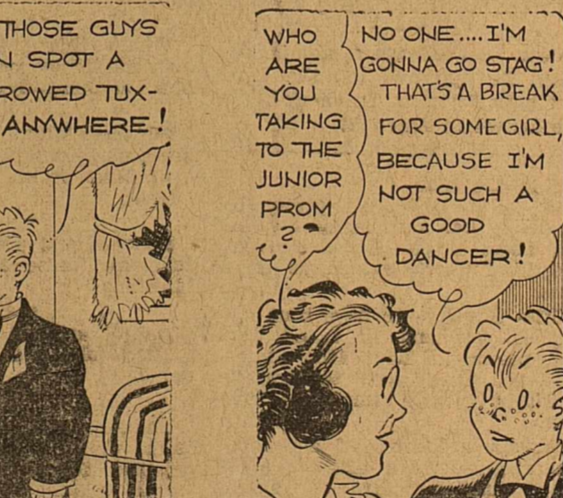
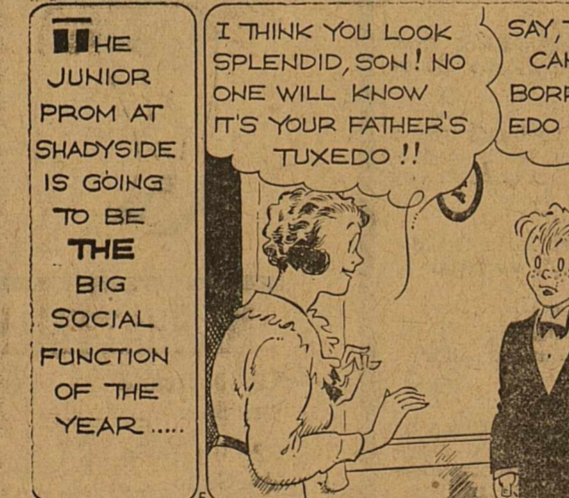
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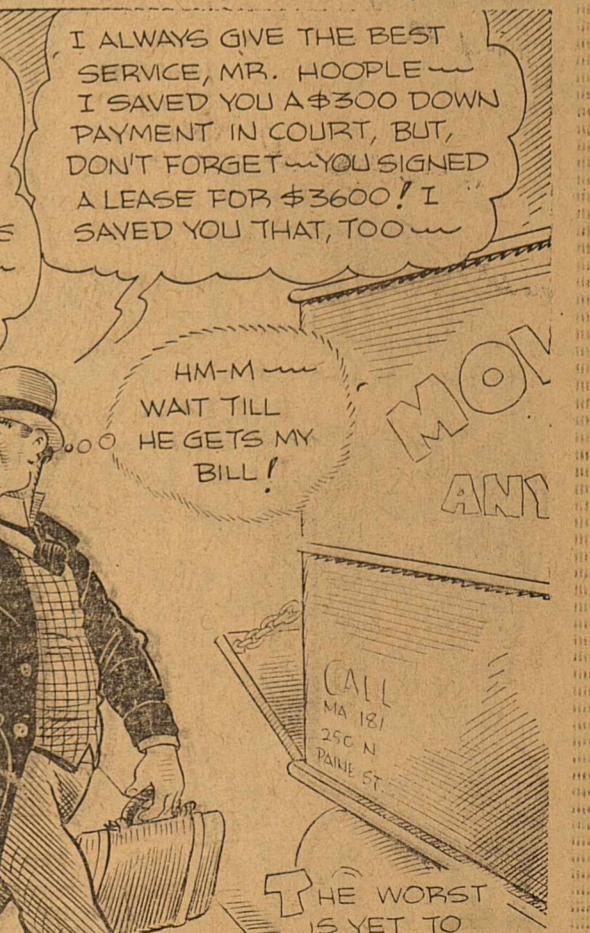
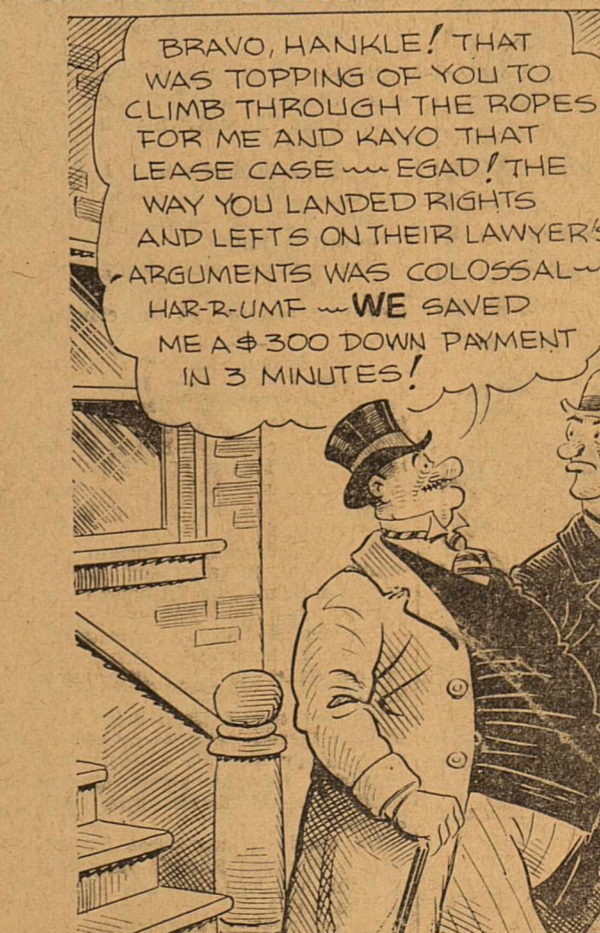
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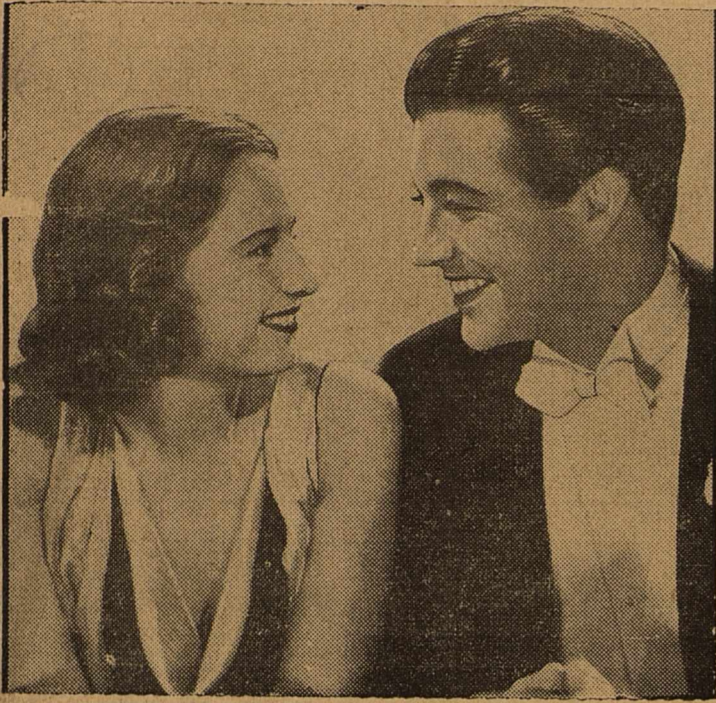
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Grand New Sweethearts



It is no secret that Robert Taylor, popular new screen idol, and lovely Barbara Stanwyck, have been seeing a great deal of each other off the screen. Now the attractive pair are teamed in the new Metro romantic drama "His Brother's Wife," now showing at the Yucca Theatre. Watch out for their love scenes!

BARBARA STANWYCK AND ROBERT TAYLOR CO-STARRED IN 'HIT' FILM, 'HIS BROTHERS'S WIFE'

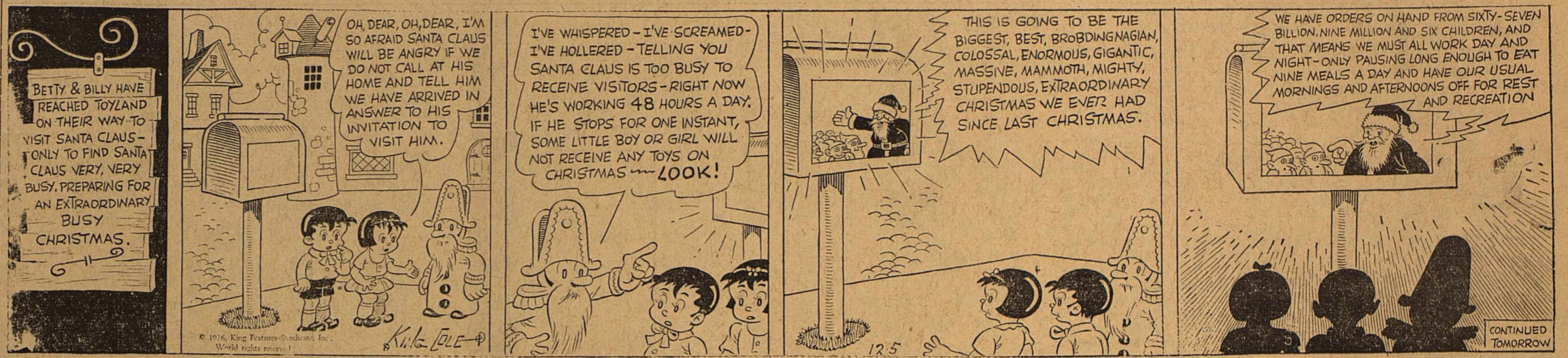
Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor form the screen's newest romantic team in "His Brother's Wife," showing today and tomorrow at the Yucca.

Taylor, regarded as the most sensational box-office draw since Clark Gable first leaped to fame, comes into his newest leading role following such hits as "Private Number."

"Small Town Girl" and "Magnificent Obsession."

W. S. Van Dyke, the man who made such outstanding pictures as "San Francisco," "Rose Marie," and "Naughty Marietta," directed "His Brother's Wife."

The new picture, adapted to the screen by Leon Gordon and John Meehan, also feature Jean Her-



shot who has become tremendously popular as the result of starring roles in "The Country Doctor" and "Sins of Man."

Also in the cast are Joseph Callela, the screen's leading "bad man," John Eldredge, Samuel S. Hines, and Phyllis Clare.

"His Brother's Wife" tells of a young scientist about to embark on his first scientific expedition. On the eve of leaving New York for the tropical jungle, Taylor, the young scientist goes on his final fling and meets Miss Stanwyck in a gay gambling casino.

For ten days their romance progresses and Taylor decides to forsake the expedition, remain in New York and marry Miss Stanwyck. He is dissuaded from doing so by his brother, and he accompanies Hersholt into the jungle to trace the cause and find a cure for fatal spotted fever.

Meanwhile, to avenge herself, Miss Stanwyck marries Taylor's brother and forthwith deserts him. The young scientist's love for the girl lures him back to New York—to find her married to his own brother.

To solve the marital puzzle, Taylor takes the girl back to the jungle so that the brother can divorce her. When the divorce is granted, Taylor renounces the girl and orders her to return to New York. The spotted fever campaign is successful and Taylor and Hersholt believe they have reached a solution to their scientific problem.

The two scientists need a volunteer willing to be infected with the disease. The girl suddenly inoculates herself and the young scientist desperately to save her life—their love is reborn.

Weekly Theatre Calendar

YUCCA Today and tomorrow—"His Brother's Wife" with Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck.

Tuesday and Wednesday—"Midsummer Night's Dream" with an all-star cast.

Thursday—"Rose Bowl" with Jim Brown and Eleanor Whit-

Friday and Saturday—"Dorothy Lamour and Ray Milland in 'Angie Princess'."

RITZ Today and tomorrow—"Gene Autry in 'Oh, Susanna'" with The Light Crust Doughboys.

Tuesday and Wednesday—"Long Came Love" with Irene Grey.

Thursday—"Edmund Lowe and Elsa Landi in 'Mad Holiday'."

Friday and Saturday—"Wild Man Kent" with Ralph Bellamy.

High School--

for their own pleasure or for the displeasure of others? Oh, well, anything to be disagreeable.

We wonder if Lois Guffey will keep going with Trueman Woods or whether she will start going with Boyd Whittaker.

It has been said that Bill Starr and Dora Beth Reeves have broken up. Frances Guffey has been casting loving eyes on Paul Klatt and Darrell Johnson. It seems that it runs in the family.

La Moine Sindorf was with Barney Graffia Jr., at the concert last Tuesday night. I wonder what has happened to Ralph.

Owen Jeffers and Mary Beth seem to be doing all right. They were also together at the concert.

Peeping Barbars (We Get in Your Hair) Can you imagine our dark skinned junior girl, Wanda Tieknor actually running after a boy? But it seems as if she can't make MUCH PROGRESS, because "Big Dave" and Louise seem to be getting along swell these days.

We wonder what a certain girl would think if she saw Harold Barnes walking hand in hand down the hall with Rose Kincaid?

It seems as though a favorite red headed girl, Marcella Strawn, seems to be doing O. K. with "Pete Sapp."

We see our football hero and Martha Flaret's seem to be getting along nicely too. We wonder what Frederick thought about Martha going to the dance with Bob Reeves?

We wonder if our great football player, Winchell English, likes Pug or if he just acts that way around all the girls?

We see Walker and Estelle are getting along. We noticed the look in their eyes when they were talk-

Now Showing At Ritz



Gene Autry and Frances Grant above, are starred in "Oh, Susanna" showing today and tomorrow at the Ritz Theatre. Featured with them are The Light-Crust Doughboys, and smiley Burnette.

Did You Know--

Jean Hersholt has played character roles in 429 American pictures since his first arrival in America as Denmark's representative to the San Francisco Exposition in 1915?

Jean Hersholt was a motion picture star at the old Triangle pictures in 1916, and has risen to stardom twice since then?

Joseph Callela started out in life as a Scotch comedian, yet became one of the famous "menaces" of the stage and screen?

Robert Taylor learned to play the piano when he was ten years old, the saxophone when he was twelve, and the cello when he was thirteen?

Robert Taylor almost drifted into a career as a radio entertainer when in his teens, he became a member of "The Harmony Boys," a musical organization that toured the Middle-West broadcasting stations?

Jean Hersholt was a star in 1914, when he appeared in the Great Northern Films in Denmark before his arrival in America?

It looks as though pretty boy Franklin has completely captured the heart of our fair haired Alta Merrill, formerly known as bright eyes.

Miss Crawley, we have been spying on you, and we found when you passed us with Mrs. Shifflet that you didn't seem to have the headache you had complained of before.

We see that one of our smart junior girls, Jinks Hilliard, seems to be quite a wizard at teaching fancy dancing steps. (Eh, Joe?)

E. B. got his damper slightly knocked down when Chic refused a date with him last Sunday night. (What say, E. B.?)

Ain't love grand? We watch Clela and Wesley writing love notes every day the third period in three hundred study hall.

"The Cat" Here goes another victim—A telegram dropped accidentally but picked up by "The Cat."

Irene Kinkin 802 North Dallas St. Midland, Texas Honey, without the cone, I love you wherever I roam.

Lots of Love. Conway. You never see me, but I see you, Beware!!!—The Cat.

Jokes Marie Craig, a new girl from Sweetwater, was rushed off her feet by Harold Barnes, Friday night. Pady Sue, you are napping.

Dorothy Cook, are you going to exchange pictures with Allen?

David (twice nicked by a razor): "Hey, barber gimme a glass of water."

Barber: "Whassa matter—hair in your mouth?" David: "No, just wanta see if my neck leaks!"

Bernard, why don't you just live at Nell Ruth's house?

Courtney, you are a lady's man!—Wanda thinks so, too.

Jane Bounds and Joe Norman have been staying in a car when

they should have been in church.

Joyce this temper of yours! You should never throw rolling pins at little boys. Some fun, eh, Bill?

Why the sudden interest in Noble, Granada? I know. You want to go to the banquet with him.

Patsy, do you still have a crush on Frank Nixon? He's a heart breaker.

Wayne Lanham is still dreaming of Dallas. Could it be Martha Jane Dial?

Could John Dublin's presence cause the happy look on Barbara Jean's face?

Bobby Martin is thinking seriously of taking Jean Lewis to the banquet.

There's a club of broken hearted and loverless Sophomore boys named "the Bachelor's Bench." Move over and give me room.

Who's next, Lynn? That Geraldine Griffith idea didn't last long, did it?

What's this I hear about Rose and Bill Thompson of the Honolulu Oil Company?

Why does Minnie Louise sit around and look gloomy and lonely at parties? Must be an out of town boy friend!

Pinky should work for a transfer company 'cause he's so good at "trucking."

Joyce Saunders has started reducing! John P. is kinda small isn't he?

The A. and L. Lumber Company seems to be a pretty good meeting place for a little seventh-grader, M. C. and her popular Sophomore Romeo, B. W.

John Turner and Russell Wright just can't get over childish pranks! Hiding the sophomore girl's books seems to be a habit or something.

November the 21st was a great anniversary—Anna Beth and B. C. have been going together for a whole year! How many knockouts, Anna Beth?

The Bull Wheel Bobby, did you know Jessa Lynn refused a date with John Rettig just to go with you?

Mr. Moore, did you comb your hair Thursday morning? I heard Trigger say you looked like "Skeezix."

Jessa Lynn, my but you're popular among the boys. I hear B. C. wants a date with you. Better watch him, Anna Beth.

Mary Beth, YOU watch Anna Beth, she appears to be making eyes at Jeffers.

"Pug" has a new boy friend, and it seems John is left out in the cold. She says she could walk four miles just to see him. Don't tell me you have won her heart, E. B. Tisk! Tisk! These love affairs.

Miss Kennington, whom did you go with while you were gone? Mr. Moore just flirled all of the time; maybe he had dates, too???

Talk about love, look at Helen and Frank. They even went to the organ concert just to be with each other. What price love!

Lillian, who was your boy friend you were in front of school with Thursday. Didn't you know Mr. Shifflet doesn't allow girls and boys to be together at noon?

Gifts--

(Continued From Page One) to ride. Ship shaped monograms are for the nautical minded.

When all else fails or, if at the last minute, you discover you have forgotten a woman you should remember, see the florist. New this year are Juliet caps of flowers with bracelets to match for formal evening parties. You can't go wrong on a corsage of gardenias or orchids either. However, if she is more of a stay at home than a gatsby, a handsome basket of tiny growing plants that will live all winter.

An act of Congress is necessary to reinstate a policeman dismissed from the Washington, D. C. Police force.

Sells Second Lot Registered Cattle To Stockton Man

Holly E. Roberts, who last year sold a string of registered Hereford cattle to Cleo McKenzie of Fort Stockton, has just completed a second deal involving 25 head from his pasture south of Warfield.

Included were eight bulls, twelve cows and some calves, all young stock but the bulls being ready to send to pastures as herd bulls. The cattle were chiefly of Domino-Blanchard cross, or Anxiety bred, and were from the foundation herd started by Roberts in 1928. They were sired by a grandson of Wild

Tom, renowned herd bull here in earlier days. The present calf crop was sired by Domino B. 2nd.

Last year, Roberts sold to the McKenzie ranch a dozen bulls and 24 cows. The bulls were placed at the herd of McKenzie's good herd of from 300 to 400 registered heifers, a fine calf crop resulting, he told Roberts.

CRUMPS LEAVE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Crump left Friday to go to Corpus Christi for a few days.

Each of the giant turbines aboard the trans-Atlantic liner Queen Mary contains 257,000 blades, each fitted by hand.

J. C. SMITH'S December Clearance Sale

Continues all this week and into the following week . . . it is your big opportunity to buy winter merchandise at 1/4 to 1/2 saving . . .

Fur Coats

All Fur Coats are to go on sale during This Clearance Sale

TWO GROUPS FORMERLY PRICED AT \$49.50 \$59.50 Reduced for Clearance To

\$37.50

Ladies' Fall Dresses

\$4.00 to \$5.00 Dresses \$2.98 Now reduced to \$6.00 to \$7.95 Dresses \$3.98 On Clearance at \$8.98 to \$10.98 Dresses \$5.98 Reduced to \$11.85 to \$12.98 Dresses \$8.98 Specially reduced to



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These are only a few of the many outstanding bargains that we are offering during this clearance . . .

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