

The Weather

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HUNGER is sharper than the sword. —Beaumont and Fletcher.

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HIGHWAY IN JUNCTION DISSOLVED

Low Temperatures for West Texas Are Forecast

MERCURY MAY FALL AS LOW AS 10 TO 18

Marginal Fringe May Extend to This Wide Area

A temperature ranging from 10 to 18 degrees is forecast for portions of West Texas tonight.

A cold wave is expected to strike not only West Texas, but the north, west and west coast sections of east Texas, where cloudy weather and probable showers are forecast.

The cold wave in West Texas is expected to center in the north portion, but to present itself in a flanking attack on other portions including that in which Midland is situated.

Little relief is expected Wednesday for which colder but fairer weather is forecast.

Water on the rangeland would be appreciated over a wide area, stockmen say, pointing out the winter crop would greatly benefit.

PROHIBITION FOUGHT IN U.S.A FOR MANY YEARS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—While national prohibition has been in effect less than 13 years, liquor traffic regulation has been a disputed question—national, state or municipal—since the days of George Washington.

A problem as far back as Cotton Mather's time, it promises to be in the spotlight when Franklin D. Roosevelt becomes president.

Even the first president had to suppress a whiskey rebellion of grain growers who were irate at heavy taxes.

The prohibition problem has always cut across democratic and republican lines.

Adoption of national prohibition was a strikingly non-partisan procedure in congress.

When the senate on Aug. 1, 1917 voted to submit to the states the resolution calling for the eighteenth amendment, 36 democrats and 29 republicans were recorded as favoring and 12 democrats and 8 republicans opposing.

The house voted on submission Dec. 18, 1917, with 341 democrats and 37 republicans voting for and 69 democrats and 62 republicans voting against the resolution.

The first state, Mississippi, ratified the 18th amendment in January, 1918, and in January, 1919, the 26th state, Nebraska, ratified it, making the required two-thirds.

Accordingly, Acting Secretary of State Frank L. Polk, on January 29, proclaimed adoption of the 18th amendment to become operative on January 16, 1920.

By February 25, 1919, the legislatures of 45 states had ratified it, and in January, 1920, New Jersey, ratified on March 9, 1922. It was not ratified by Connecticut or Rhode Island.

Six Bone Dry On the date the 18th amendment was declared ratified there were six states that were "bone dry" by popular vote—Washington, Oregon, Montana, Colorado, Utah and Arizona.

The Volstead act was passed by the house on July 22, 1919, by a vote of 287 to 100. Volstead, for it was called PROHIBITION.

Christmas Customs from FOREIGN LANDS



In Norway, the room containing the early decorated tree is kept carefully locked until Christmas Eve. Then Father Christmas drives up to the door in his sleigh, drawn by reindeers, and flings the portal open to the joyous youngsters who greet him with Christmas carols.

One Minute Old, Child Has Policy Whatever hesitancy George Glass had last year to claim or issuing an educational insurance policy to the youngest child in the county, he believes now his claim is secure.

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PRELIMINARY VISIT OF SANTA IS DEC. 17

Midland's Christmas party will be advertised in surrounding towns and those towns will be invited to help welcome Santa Claus when he comes to Midland Dec. 17 on a preliminary visit, directors of the chamber of commerce decided Monday night on motion of John Bonner, seconded by James S. Noland.

Santa Claus has already sent word to the chamber of commerce that he will have one small gift, besides some candy for every boy and girl in Midland, Odessa, Stanton, Andrews, Crane City, McCamey and other towns of this area and to all the farm boys and girls.

J. C. Miles and B. Frank Haag made brief reports on the pink boll worm situation pointing out that the quarantine would be entirely lifted from Midland at the close of this season, on insistence of the chamber of commerce, provided no pink boll worms are found.

Bill Collins, Roy Stockard and Clint Gann supported W. B. Simpson in a discussion of the merchandising situation in Midland and R. M. Barron, city councilman, said the council would be glad to have a committee of merchants study the situation and meet with the council.

Legion Benefit Concert Begins at 8 This Evening

A popular program of choral and solo numbers, the second in three days to be presented under direction of Theophilus Fitz, will begin this evening at 8 o'clock at the Yucca theatre.

The concert is a benefit for the American legion, and the ex-service men's committee asked this morning that the public give as much support as possible.

With the price of admission, the theatre-goer will see the regular complete picture program on the Yucca screen, a change of bill that offers a sporting youth picture that centers in a large university and in the various sports played by it.

The concert program follows: Prologue: "Texas Under Six Flags" from Texas Centennial State Opera—"Tejas"

Mr. Theophilus Fitz, assisted by eighteen Boy Scouts Trio "The Bells of Saint Mary" Adams Soprano, Mrs. De Lo Douglas; Mezzo-Soprano, Miss Erna Taylor; Contralto, Mrs. Foy Proctor

Violin "Romance" Wieniawski Miss Eleanor Martin Soprano: "Sing Me to Sleep" Greene

(With violin Ob., Miss Eleanor Martin) Miss Erna Taylor

Tenor: "Border Ballad"—(Poem by Sir Walter Scott) Cowen "King Charles"—(Poem by Robert Browning) White

Mr. Theophilus Fitz Soprano: "One Fine Day"—(From Mme. Butterfly) Puccini "Rain" Curran

Mrs. Roy Parks Floral Caprice: Act III, Scene 1, "Blue Bonnets Awaken" from Texas Centennial State Opera, "Tejas"

Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. Geo. Clingaman, Miss Elma Collins, Mrs. De Lo Douglas, Mrs. A. J. Florey, Mrs. Leon Goodman, Miss Elma Graves, Mrs. Jack Hawkins, Mrs. W. R. Mann, Mrs. Roy Parks, Mrs. Foy Proctor, Miss Erna Taylor.

Directors to Set CC Banquet Date

Annual banquet date of the Midland chamber of commerce will be set at the next meeting which will be held the first Monday in January. At this time committees will be appointed and plans made for the annual election of directors and officers. It is thought likely the meeting will be set for the last week in January, which has been the custom of the organization for the past eight years.

Thursday Rehearsal For Sacred Concert

Singers who will help with the sacred concert to be presented Sunday afternoon at Stanton and Big Spring are asked to meet at the Baptist church Thursday night for rehearsal. The publicity was sent out this week by the chamber of commerce inviting Stanton and Big Spring people to attend. Final plans for the two programs will be announced Thursday night when the rehearsal is held at 7:30 and Director Fitz asks all singers to attend.

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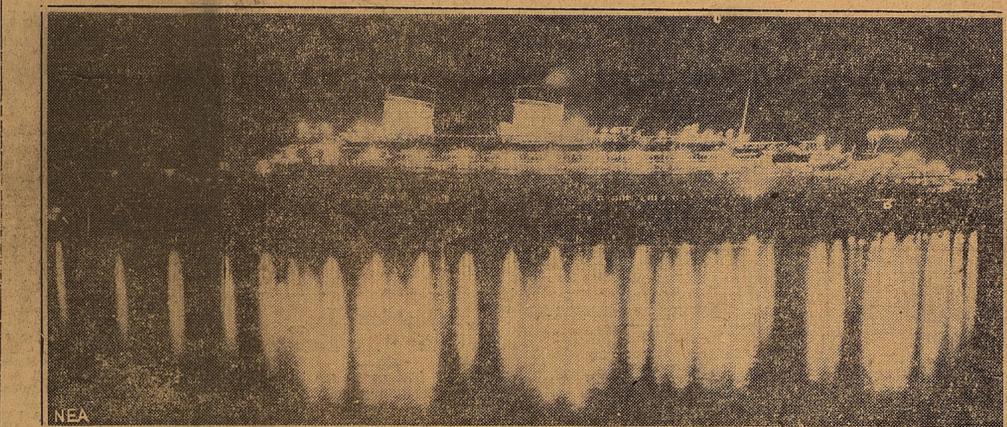
Much study has been given this problem by the chamber of commerce and merchants themselves, but it has proved difficult of solution, due partially to the local executive set-up. It was pointed out.

J. Homer Epley, chairman of the Christmas committee, reported progress on lighting and re-announced that the chamber of commerce would lend its lights and cords through the Texas Electric Service company to any of its members.

The proposal to conduct a free lighting campaign was referred to the parks committee composed of Epley and T. Paul Barron, and was held to be largely contingent on the amount of federal work aid funds the welfare board headed by Simpson receives and feels it can allocate to this work.

George D. McCormick, vice president, was chairman of the meeting Monday night. President Marvin G. Ulmer having been called from the city on business. Other directors present besides McCormick were: Epley, Noland, Simpson, Bonner, Barron, Miles, Harz, Allen, J. Watts, W. G. Riddle, Harvey Sloan and Marion F. Peters.

Another New Ship Passes in the Night



Her hundreds of lights casting their reflections on the calm waters of Genoa harbor, the Conte di Savoia, Italy's latest challenge to her rivals in the trans-Atlantic passenger trade, is a sister ship of the new Rex and will be used on the regular Genoa-to-New York route of the Italian steamship lines.

di Savoia is shown completing her trial run from Trieste to Genoa. The Conte di Savoia, Italy's latest challenge to her rivals in the trans-Atlantic passenger trade, is a sister ship of the new Rex and will be used on the regular Genoa-to-New York route of the Italian steamship lines.

CURTIS THREATENS ALL OF LOOT FOUND IN CAR AFTER CHASE

PANHANDLE, Dec. 6.—Single-handed and after a chase of more than 30 miles, Ed Deahl Monday afternoon captured two bandits and recovered \$3,100 taken in the robbery at noon of the First State bank here, of which he is president.

James K. French, 38, and Frank Scribner, 32, who admits he is an ex-convict, are the two held. Both claim they are from Bristol, Okla. Deahl and Oma Cannedy, employ of the First National bank, and Russell Downs, bookkeeper, were in the bank when a lone, unmasked bandit entered.

Holds Cloth Sack "Come out with the money and then get in the vault," directed the bandit, producing a cloth sugar sack. While the robbery was in progress, M. G. Weeth, county commissioner, entered and was covered.

A second bandit entered but left to sit at the wheel of the car, with the motor running. "Don't look at me that way," commanded one of the bandits when he observed Deahl staring intently at him.

"I'll be seeing you again and it won't be long," replied the bank president. "You can't get away with this."

Bank employes had fixed the vault door so it would not lock and as Deahl heard the front door slam behind the bandit he dashed out an fired at the bandit car as it sped west.

Deahl and M. D. Eagle, deputy sheriff, pursued, but five miles north of Panhandle Eagle got out to go to the home of Sewell Sharp, another deputy. Deahl continuing alone. The two deputies rejoined the chase immediately.

Never Far Behind "I never was more than a mile away from them at any time and just at the edge of Berger, when they decided to give up the chase, I was not more than 20 yards behind them," said Deahl.

Both the men got out of their car and the bandit, who was "Stuck them up," he commanded. Both raised their hands and started toward Deahl.

By that time the two deputies had arrived. The officers searched the men while Deahl kept them covered with a shotgun. The bandits' guns and all of the loot was found in the car.

"I told you it wouldn't be long until I saw you again," Deahl replied. "You win mister," said the man who identified himself as Scribner, adding, "you almost won while we were at the bank. I could tell you meant business."

Daylight Robbery Staged at Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 6. (UP)—Five men daringly robbed a registered mail carrier and his guard across the street from the Main post office today, escaping with 163 highly valuable parcels for Loop banks. The robbers, waiting in an automobile at the curb, leaped out and forced the men against a wall, seized the pouch and fled.

BULLETIN ROME, Dec. 6. (UP)—The fascist grand council decided today that Italy should pay the \$1,200,000 December debt installment to the United States, then insist on a "clean slate" of reparations and war debts.

Peace Officers Deter Dunaway

Trial by jury marked an important epoch in jurisprudence, but it arose to mock G. W. Dunaway, Midland attorney, this morning.

Dunaway was representing five defendants in justice court on charges of manipulation of the spotted cubes. He asked for a jury and Fish Pollard, sheriff's deputy, obliged with the following: Raleigh D. Lee, Lee Haynes, Eugene Estes, Andy Norwood and Constable-elect Ponder, all being or having been officers, and one other.

Dunaway drew up his hands and pled two prisoners guilty, securing acquittal for the other three.

SENTENCED FOR OPERATION OF LIAISON HOUSE

HOUSTON, Dec. 6. (UP)—Kenneth Hayward, 26, charged with a parole violation, was sentenced to 120 days in jail and was fined \$200 in each of four cases charging that he operated a disorderly house for boys and girls when arraigned today for each of the cases.

He was indicted last week after the grand jury read his statement and those of attendants at his parties. The jury was in recess today.

Two Respond to Old Toy Request

H. B. Dickenson and E. B. Soper responded Tuesday to the call for toys to be worked over for underprivileged children of Midland. They brought in large parcels. One bag contained about 25 different articles.

More toys are needed. L. H. Tiffin and his boy scouts are re-doing these toys so they look like new. Any child will be happy to have them. Any Midland boy or girl who wants to help Santa Claus make some other little boy or girl happy can do so by bringing old toys or old dolls to Tiffin at the West Texas Office Supply, to the chamber of commerce, to 202 East Main, or by handing them to any laundry wagon driver or tailor's deliveryman.

BLIND TRIANGLE PITTSBURGH—Mrs. Mildred May Henderson, 33, doesn't have to see the man she marries. She just picks out a man and marries him.

Mrs. Henderson, who is blind, received a divorce from Charles A. Henderson—also blind—at 1 p. m. and at 2 p. m. she married Oliver Kaufman, 23 years of age and blind. They were married by Justice of Peace James C. McFarland, who has only one arm.

AFTERNOON SHIPMENTS Midland stockmen will be able to ship cattle in the afternoons rather than at night, beginning Wednesday afternoon, when lettuce freights from El Paso begin arriving daily in Midland.

FLY TO FISH MONTREAL—Sportsmen who enter Canada for hunting and fishing are finding they can reach more remote parts of the country and better sport by flying into the interior. A flying service for hunters and fishers is being operated from this city, St. Donat, St. Agathe, and St. Michel to northern camps.

TO ADDRESS LIONS Earl Ticknor, superintendent of the Magnolia pipe line company, will be the principal speaker at the Lions luncheon Wednesday.

HUNGER MARCHERS

Hints Ejection When Committee Shows Offensive Note

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6. (UP)—Hunger marchers laid their demands at the doorstep of Congress after a peaceful two-mile march on the capital today. There were 3,000 in the line.

A delegation of 25 crowded the office of Vice President Curtis. Angry words were exchanged as William Reynolds, leader, presented the petition. Reynolds began, "We haven't much confidence that you Curtis rose, his face flushed, saying, "Look here, no reflections on me or I'll put you out in a minute," Reynolds subsided.

John Garner accepted his petition courteously. The marchers soon returned to their camp. They have agreed to disband and start home tonight.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The shouts, boos, cheers and hisses of hundreds of demonstrators echoed only through a silent woodland last night as they joined columns in the first parade of their stay here.

Refused a permit to march through the city, denied an injunction against "police interference," the demonstrators held their parade within the small area in which the authorities have confined them since they arrived.

Their audience consisted of some 45 bluecoats, rescuers having been called when the demonstrators began to mass in a group.

The parade in the pavement stretch where they are held, began to the tune of the Internationale. At the head of the column were William Reynolds, Detroit, Herbert Benjamin, Chicago, sponsors of the march, a young woman, and a negro.

As dusk fell, heavy details of police were added to the cordons that for 24 hours had surrounded the marchers. Especial attention was given to the demonstrators on one side of the demonstrators' detention camp and police were stationed there at close intervals.

A westerly wind, blowing steadily colder, brought shivers and apprehensive expression from the latter-day army and appraising glances from the ever-ready tear gas squad which would depend upon it to spread the cloudy fumes in case of trouble.

Twice during the day and again early in the evening police lines were drawn into close units. The first was when an unidentified man was brought toward the police by a shouting crowd of 500 who suspected him of being a government agent.

He offered no resistance as he was pushed along ahead of the crowd shouting "get that cop." Plainclothes police moved rapidly into the midst of the melee and rescued him.

He quickly was swallowed up among spectators. The two other incidents were almost identical. Falling into columns of three and four abreast the marchers headed toward the city, their hands in front and banners flying.

Police promptly lined up four deep across the end of the street, while the tear gas squad formed along the side.

A number of cheer broke from the police, some of whom shouted "come on." The crowd marched steadily toward a rope stretched across the street and established a deadline by the police. Just short of the line the column wheeled and with derisive shouts at the police turned in the opposite direction.

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Ferguson Not to Be Bothered With Job Seekers Now

DALLAS, Dec. 6. (UP)—Declaring that the Ferguson's have been driven "almost crazy by job seekers already" Maury Hughes, state democratic chairman, declined to make any political appointments for Jas. E. Ferguson, who with Mrs. Ferguson will be guests of honor at a chamber of commerce banquet.

Offers to Poison Coyotes in Spring

E. B. Ligon, in charge of the predatory animal control for the U. S. biological survey, was in Midland today conferring with ranchers regarding the poisoning of coyotes.

He agreed to return in January to prepare poison baits if the ranchers desire him to do so. He is at the request of the chamber of commerce.

NEW POOL IS SEEN L. C. Harrison and others' No. 1 R. V. Addis estate in Ector county definitely became West Texas' most important oil strike in two years when it flowed 72 barrels of 33 gravity oil in two hours Sunday at 3,927 feet in lime after getting more pay from 3,911-27 feet. Earlier in the day the well flowed 18 barrels in three hours. Gas was estimated at 2,500,000 cubic feet daily.

No. 1 Addis was pinched for additional storage or an outlet. It began spraying oil Nov. 21 at 2,962 feet and had its first increase between 3,885 and 3,900 feet to around 185 barrels daily. The well is 330 feet from the north line and 1,230 feet from the west line on section 35, block 43, township 2 south, T. & P. Railway company survey 14 miles south of Stanton's two producers on the Dick Cowden ranch, with which it is considered to be more comparable than with wells in the Penn pool, ten miles to the southwest.

S. W. TO AMARILLO Sweetwater high, District 3, representative in the interscholastic league football championship race will play the Amarillo Sandies in Amarillo Saturday, according to an announcement.

The quarter-final games will be played according to the following schedule: Amarillo vs. Sweetwater in Amarillo Saturday. Masonic Home vs. Sherman in Ft. Worth Saturday. Greenville vs. Corsicana in Corsicana Friday.

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TEMPORARY LULL IN FIGHT OVER ROAD CONTRACTS

Jim Had Tied up the Further Letting of The Contracts

AUSTIN, Dec. 6. (UP)—The third court of civil appeals dissolved the temporary injunction secured by James E. Ferguson last week against expenditure of highway funds.

The motion in district court to try the permanent injunction case on its merits at once had been taken under advisement pending decision by the appellate court. The district court had recessed when the decision was announced.

AUSTIN, Dec. 6. (UP)—McClennan county will file a plea for the right to intervene in the Ferguson injunction suit, reciting that the suit may prevent completion of the highway number 44 project to be built with federal funds and which the county, by agreement with the commission, already had spent \$75,000 buying a right of way.

HOOVER MAKES SUGGESTIONS IN HIS SPEECH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6. (UP)—President Hoover, in his final annual message to congress, demanded wholesale revision of the banking laws, "vigorous cooperation" with foreign nations as a basis for restoration of confidence and return of economic stability.

He recommended a broadened uniform general sales tax, with "necessary" exemptions, as a means of balancing the budget.

The president urged an 11 per cent additional cut in government salaries exceeding \$1,000 annually and promised a thorough reorganization of more than 50 executive and administration agencies.

Touching briefly on next year's budget, which he will outline tomorrow, he declared that he will show proposed net reductions in appropriations below those enacted by the last congress of about \$580,000,000.

He said he also intends in his budget message to recommend "measures to eliminate certain payments in veterans' services." He discussed war debts briefly, promising subsequent communication as soon as present negotiations are completed.

Driver of Death Car Not Indicted

BIG SPRING.—With the November term of 32nd district court ended here and the deliberations of the grand jury completed until January, no indictment has been returned against R. L. Wright, who was held in connection with the death of two Big Spring girls, Rena Nabors and Fannie Hull, Oct. 31.

The two were killed when struck by Wright's car on the highway immediately south of the Casino dance hall as they walked to town. Wright told officers he was blinded by a passing motorist's lights.

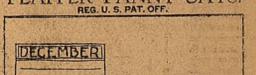
After investigation the grand jury did not indict, but did not take any actions closing the case permanently.

P-T. A. MEETING CALLED

A special meeting of the Junior High P-T. A. has been called for 9:30 Thursday morning. Time of meeting has been changed from afternoons to morning.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



Almost all relatives are lettered persons this month.

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HELEN KELLER'S GREATNESS

Miss Helen Keller's action in turning over to the American Foundation for the Blind the \$5000 award given her by The Pictorial Review is one of those unselfish gestures that help to renew our faith in human nature.

In making this donation, Miss Keller appealed for wider public support for the work which is being done to alleviate the condition of the blind and the deaf; and the closing words of her appeal are worth reprinting:

"I wonder if this is not the day for which I became deaf and blind—so that the sun may rise in the minds of others who are covered with a double darkness."
As well as anything could, those words reflect the beating of a generous and indomitable woman's heart.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Announcement that pear production on the Pacific coast has increased 50 per cent in eight years rather more than hints at an ambition on the part of the orchardists to make a pair grow where only a pear grew before.

Just before Thanksgiving the European debtor nations seem hopeful that the United States, as creditor, is ready to "talk turkey."

Premier Question

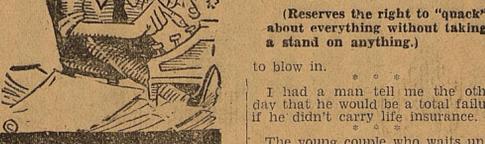
Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a list of answers to previous puzzles.

Side Glances By Clark



"We would still be engaged, if he hadn't suggested we buy each other furniture for Christmas."

The Town Quack



(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.)
I had a man tell me the other day that he would be a total failure if he didn't carry life insurance.

The young couple who waits until they can afford to marry will always be single.
A farmer told me the other day he was growing up with this country.

A man, looking guilty, turned into an alley the other day. An officer saw him, followed him and arrested him. When asked what he was doing turning into the alley, the man replied that his wife was following him.

They say Henry Ford is recapturing nicely from his operation but it may be some time before he's able to take an outing in a Model T.

We have several fellows here who claim to be "men of the world" just because they can call two or three Fort Worth waitresses by their first names.

A local sheik told me he was calling on country girls this winter because they surely do have lots to eat.

There's a big lesson we can all take from the gobbler. Just after the strut, he gets the axe.

Hankins was in Mississippi one time during a flood and was telling me the other day about a musical family he met up with. The parents floated down the flood waters on the roof of their home and the oldest son accompanied them on the piano.

They say Paul Vickers refused to pay two cents for a handkerchief because he thought it was too much.

The Rev. Chancellor And Family Honored

Honoring the new Christian minister and his family, the Women's missionary society and the Rinnhart circle entertained with a party Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Rinnhart, 401 North Marlenfeld.

After a brief song service, Hillary Bedford introduced B. F. Whitefield who delivered the welcome address. The Rev. E. B. Chancellor responded.

Mrs. Van Camp sang and Mrs. Jolly Johnson read. Mrs. Guy Breneman and Mrs. J. R. Vandewater sang a duet, after which Mrs. Rawlin Clark read. A saxophone and cornet duet was played by Malcolm Breneman and Buster Howard.

Refreshments were served to approximately 70 people.

The Presbyterian auxiliary met at the church Monday afternoon at the regular business session. Eleven members attended.

Plans were made for Christmas cheer to be sent to shut-ins, the needy and to an orphan boy in Texas.

Approximately \$80 was made Saturday at the bazaar and food sale, it was reported.

Announcements were made of the meetings of the circles for Dec. 12. Circle B will meet with Mrs. R. E. Kinsey at 1 o'clock for a luncheon.

A review of the Home Mission study book will be read by Mrs. Butler Hurley. Circle A will meet at the home of Mrs. J. G. Gossett at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Paul Young and Mrs. Braden will be co-hostesses and Mrs. J. M. Caldwell leader.

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SOCIETY

Foods 11 Class Entertains With Luncheon

The Foods 11 class of the Midland high school entertained members of the school board and Supt. W. W. Lackey Monday with a luncheon in the home economics dining room.

Christmas decorations of red and green were used and the colors were carried out in the menu. Miniature Christmas trees centered the table and buffet.

The menu consisted of crab cocktail and saltine crackers, quail and gravy, cream peas in potato nest, scalloped tomatoes, hot biscuits and butter, Waldorf salad, cheese straws, pineapple Bavarian cream and sand tarts and coffee.

Miss Imogene Hale served the luncheon Russian style.

Methodist Auxiliary Elects Officers For Ensuing Year

The Methodist auxiliary met in business session Monday afternoon at the church with 17 members present.

Mrs. J. M. Prothro, president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. A. J. Norwood presented a devotional on "Stewardship," taken from the tenth chapter of Mark.

Mrs. John Haley was elected president for the ensuing year; Mrs. L. B. Hankins vice president; Mrs. Fred Wemple corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. M. Haygood treasurer; and Mrs. Otis Ligon assistant treasurer.

Mrs. J. M. Prothro was appointed superintendent of children's work; Mrs. J. D. Young of study; Mrs. M. M. Speed of literature and publicity; Mrs. J. W. Day of Christian social relations; Mrs. B. Frank Haag of local work and Mrs. Terry Elkin of supplies.

Mrs. C. C. Watson is World Outlook agent and Mrs. Bedford Taylor Skiddaway agent.

Baptist Women Observe Prayer Week

Observing the Lottie Moon week of prayer, 23 members of the Women's missionary society met at the Baptist church Monday for an all-day session.

Taking part on the program were Mrs. Clarence Ligon, W. W. Wimberly, H. N. Phillips, M. D. Cox, R. E. Witty, J. V. Hobbs and Winston F. Burum.

Lunch was served in the Sunday school annex.

Personals

Bill Doss, San Angelo oil man, has transacted business in Midland for the past few days.

Mrs. J. L. Johnson of Odessa visited friends in Midland Monday afternoon.

William H. Hudson and Paul Teagarden of Fort Worth spent Monday night in Fort Worth.

A. J. Young, Coleman oil man, and J. L. Hershback of Tyler are in Midland transacting business.

S. M. Francis left Monday night for Fort Worth, where he will transact business.

Announcements

Tuesday
Church of Christ Bible class at the church Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

Midland women will sew Tuesday afternoon at the city hall for the welfare association.

Mrs. E. M. Hays will entertain members of the Lucky Thirteen club at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at her home, 511 North San Angelo.

Mrs. F. E. Neel, 602 North Marlenfeld, will be hostess to members of the Mid-week club Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Play Readers club will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. DeLo Douglas, Mrs. Arthur Given will read "Outward Bound."

The Arts Teachers association will present a program at the high school during the chapel exercises.

Junior High P.-T. A. will meet at 9:30 Thursday morning in the assembly room.

The Arno Art club will meet on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. E. H. Ellison.

Fine Arts Teachers association will present a program Thursday morning during the Junior high school chapel exercises.

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T. D. Mize Entertains Eagle Class

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Games were played. An examination covering the quarter-years work was given. A prize will be given by Mr. Mize to the highest grade.

Refreshments were served to John Turner, Newell Ellis, Jr., Bob Crane, George Walker, Carroll Henry, E. B. Rountree and Robert Dunagan.

Catholic Women's Society Meets

St. Ann's Altar and Rosary society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Brown. Mrs. Allen Tolbert called the meeting to order.

A paper, "The Sacrifice of the Mass," was presented by Mrs. Dorsey.

Refreshments were served to Misses Harry Johnson, W. J. Moran, Dorsey, Fred Wright, Tolbert, W. T. Walsh, Sam Cummings, Gardener, J. J. Kelly, L. A. Keller, W. C. Dorsey, Kate Jels and the hostess.

The French Line is said to be constructing the world's largest ocean liner. It is the St. Nazaire, which will be over 1,025 feet long and weigh 63,000 tons.

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Doughboys Get New Uniforms

WASHINGTON (UP)—The U. S. army is buying a new set of uniforms. Gen. J. L. DeWitt, Quartermaster General, reported to Secretary of War Hurley that by next Sept. 30 the entire army would be dressed up in new uniforms.

Each enlisted man will have an olive drab serge coat and "elastic" breeches of a lighter shade. The new uniforms have roll collars and are much dressier than the old ones.

And each man will have a perfect fit, DeWitt promised. Old style uniforms came in only 18 sizes. The tall gangling man and the short pudgy man had no chance for a fit. But the new uniform will be made in 36 sizes of breeches and 34 sizes of tunics.

DeWitt, who has charge of army supplies, reported that more than 70,000 coats, 67,000 blankets, 500 mattresses and 5,500 bed sacks had been loaned out to the unemployed and needy during the last fiscal year.

DALHART (UP)—Dry forces of Dalhart will memorialize Marvin Jones, Amarillo, member of congress from the Panhandle district, and other Texas representatives, asking them to oppose any measure aiming at repeal of the 18th amendment of the Volstead act.

The Citizens Temperance union, after deciding on this step, agreed to adopt formal resolutions at a meeting Monday night. Nov. 28, a committee began preparing the documents.

More than one-third of the year is devoted to religious rituals by the Hopi Indians.

Germany is manufacturing an aluminum alloy pane that is said to be as transparent as glass.

In New Location
We have opened, at 120-A South Main, the PALACE BARBER SHOP and will be glad to see our friends and also new customers.

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SCOUTS IN COLLEGE

By MARION F. PETERS
The boy scout movement has had very satisfactory results in its work with the more responsible boys of the nation, as revealed in the very high percentage of scouts enrolled in our colleges and the percentage of scouts who receive the coveted scholarships offered by the great universities at home and abroad.

A study of the enrollments of 50 colleges during the past five year period, including the old colleges of the east and the great universities of the middle-west and the far west, reveals an average of 54 per cent of all men enrolled to be former scouts.

There are many colleges where the scout enrollments range from 60 per cent to 70 per cent of the entire male student body. The students in New York State college of Forestry at Syracuse are 91 per cent former scouts.

The Cecil Rhodes scholars for the study of the enrollments of 50 colleges during the past five year period, increased in the proportion of scouts from 34 per cent in 1924 to 71 per cent in 1931.

The Edison scholarship selection brought together boys selected out of the high schools of the 48 states and the District of Columbia. Fifty-nine boys were selected and 36 of these were former scouts. Eight of the 10 highest were scouts and the winner of the four-year college scholarship was a Life scout from Providence, Rhode Island.

In 1929, 58 per cent of the football captains of all the varsity teams were former scouts, and eight members of the All-American eleven of that year were former scouts.

SHOULD CURE HIM
COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia.—It may be a little hard on the culprits, but Justice Jack DeWitt has a sure way to break juvenile traffic offenders from breaking the law. Herbert Rentschler, 16, was brought before him for driving 45 miles an hour. He sentenced the youth to write "Deliver boys drive dangerously" 3000 times.

"Life Begins" Is At Ritx Theatre

Midland film circles are buzzing with the importance of "Life Begins," which was made at the Warner Bros. studio and which opens today at the Ritx theatre for a three day run.

The topic of "Life Begins" is one that has been tabooed—movie producers lacked the daring to produce a picture treating with motherhood.

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Advertisement for Parker Duofold Pens. Features the slogan 'Old Pens accepted as Cash' and shows various pen models with prices.

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The Parker Duofolds we offer are not discontinued models—but all brand new—latest style—smartest, most exclusive colors. All gold mounted. Pens all with Parker's extra ink capacity and quick-starting, non-clogging feed. Ransack home or office for old pens and pencils—bring them in and walk out with new Parker Duofolds. Old pens and pencils traded in do not have to be Parker's, but pen must have its gold point. Don't delay.

Something Every Car-owner Should Know.

Advertisement for Conoco Motor Oil. Features the slogan 'Your Motor Makes 3,000 to 5,000 Revolutions Before Oil Circulates to all moving parts!' and shows a Conoco logo.

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Wanted

WANTED TO BUY: Used washing machines. R. C. Oliver, Big Spring, Texas. 230-18p

Mrs. Tom C. Bobo and Mrs. B. T. Westerman are to be the guests of Manager John Bonner at the Yuca Theatre tonight to see "The Sport Parade." Bring this notice with you.

For Sale or Trade

WILL TRADE Packard sedan in good condition for cows or truck. Box 715, Midland. 231-3p

Miscellaneous

FALL OPENING SALE of West Texas Nursery Yard. Reduction in price, one day only; one plant will be given free to each family that has a representative on the yard. Date Saturday, December 10. 1201 North Main St., Phone 759-J, R. O. Walker, Prop. 232-5p

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YOUNG couple want job on ranch or farm; man outside; lady as cook. Write Box X, Reporter-Telegram. 231-8p

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We wish to thank our friends for their many acts of kindness during the illness of Mrs. Moore; the thoughtful remembrances after her death gave us courage to bear our burdens. Chilt Moore
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DISCUSSES QUAKE

AUSTIN.—Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the bureau of economic geology at the University of Texas, discussed two recent Texas earthquakes in an illustrated lecture before the Southwestern Geological Society recently. In his talk, Dr. Sellards pointed out that the first of these two earthquakes had its greatest intensity of the shock at Valentine and was recorded by seismograph determination at 5:43 o'clock in the morning of August 16, 1931. He said that the seismograph determinations as well as surface indications located the earthquake in the Davis mountains. Movements were easily felt in all parts of Texas. An earthquake is the result of the breaking of the rocks beneath the surface, Dr. Sellards explained. The earth crust sets up different stresses in the rocks and when the greatest stress that a rock can bear is reached, the rocks break in two and a fault occurs. This fault, although it displaces the rock formations for only a few feet, sends out shocks that may be recorded over the whole earth's crust. These forces are acting continually and are only evident when the rocks break, Dr. Sellards said. The earthquake at Valentine did considerable damage in that vicinity. The slipping did not occur in one specific place, but occurred in a line running northwest and southeast from Valentine. The town of Valentine is built on unconsolidated river deposits and the severe shock experienced by the inhabitants there was due to the comparatively loose underlying formations that could be easily shaken. The earthquake was at great depth and seismograph stations from Europe recorded the movements. France and Strassburg, Germany, reported the movement. The Mexico, Limestone county, earthquake was recorded in February, 1932, but it was a very weak fault. Locally, its movements were intense and the only surface indications were that it shook bricks from chimneys. It was a shallow earthquake and was not recorded by the seismograph stations of Denton and Austin, both of which are within 100 miles of Mexico.

KEEP WELL-DUSTED

ARLINGTON, Va.—Dust may be just something to wipe off to some people, but to researchers at the department of agriculture experimental farm it's quite different. They have staged 12 experimental dust explosions and have found that some dusts have highly destructive powers.

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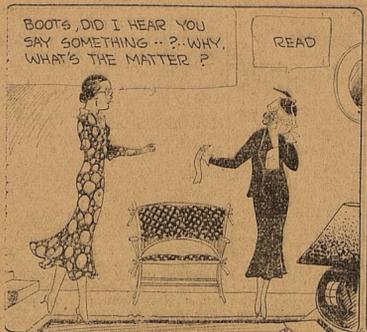
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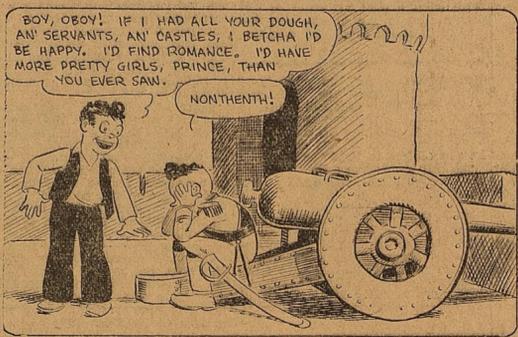


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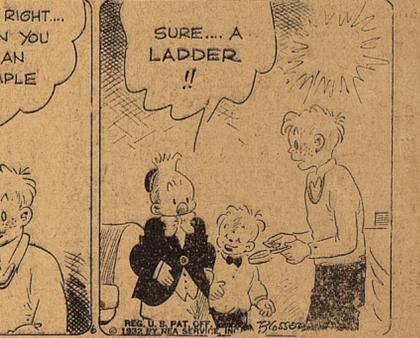
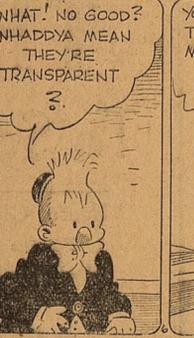
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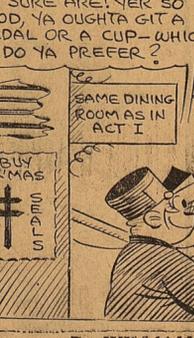
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