

European Debt Postponement Pleas Declined

CO-ED WINS MILKMAID HONORS



The poster of college queens has a new member—Laura Witt, University of Illinois co-ed, who became the champion milkmaid of the campus when she milked 5.1 pounds in 2.5 minutes in competition with several other girls. (Associated Press Photo)

HER NAME IS PATRICIA, NOT GLORIA



At first glance you may think this girl is Gloria Swanson, but this is Patricia Farley, a comparative newcomer to films who looks much like the star. (Associated Press Photo)

Seeks Garner's Job



Oscar Dancy (above), judge of Cameron county, Tex., was the first to announce his candidacy for the seat in the house of representatives to be vacated by John Nance Garner when he assumes the vice presidency. (Associated Press Photo)

2-Year-Old Baby Stolen In Dallas Is Still Unfound

DALLAS (AP)—All the resources of Dallas' crime-solving machinery were turned back on effort to find the 2-year-old baby of 24 and Mrs. J. E. Tanner.

ROBEY OLDS DEAD

PARIS, Texas, (AP)—Robey O. Olds, 57, former legislator in the state of Texas, died today of pneumonia.

COLORADO - BIG SPRING HIGH TEAMS MEET IN LAST GAME OF SEASON

Doctor Gets Life Sentence

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—Dr. Richard F. ... was convicted Wednesday night of murder in the death of Ruth Hall of Bethany as the result of an alleged criminal operation. The verdict provided a life imprisonment sentence.

Doctor Thacker heard the verdict in grim-faced silence but flinched slightly as the clerk read the sentence. He bent his head to whisper a few words to his wife.

Llano Stakes Location West Of Tribal No. 2

Llano Oil company and others are moving in a spudding machine to begin drilling an oil test in the southeast corner, 330 feet from the south and east lines of section 17, block 23, township 34 north, Texas.

Senora Calles Dying Report

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Senora Calles, wife of the former President of Mexico, is reported dying here Thursday of a brain tumor.

Whirligig

Written by a group of the best informed newspapermen of Washington and New York. Opinions expressed are those of the writers and should not be interpreted as reflecting the editorial policy of this newspaper.

Sim O'Neal's Office Moved To Crawford

Offices of Sim O'Neal, assistant to the deputy oil and gas supervisor of the state railroad commission for West Texas, have been moved from the Chamber of Commerce offices in the Seibles hotel to Room 214 of the Crawford hotel.

STOCK SADDLE AT SHREVE'S DEPARTMENT

The Shreve's department has received the Herald to help them locate the owner of a saddle which they have at their office. Anyone having lost a saddle should call the Shreve's office in the courthouse.

ORGANIZED FIRST SCOUT TROOP HERE



C. S. HOLMES

Scouting In Big Spring Is 22 Years Old

For twenty-two years scouting has been a national affair, and for nearly twenty-two years Big Spring has had continuously a Boy Scout troop.

Eyes Focused On Bobcat-Ponies, Texas-A&M Tilts

As surely as the football eyes of Texas are focused on Austin where the Texas-A&M tilt will be played today, so are the eyes of District 3 glued on Sweetwater where San Angelo goes today to settle the squabble over possession of the district crown.

Thanksgiving

WHEREAS it is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey His will, to be grateful for His benefits, and humbly to implore His protection and favor; and whereas both Houses of Congress have by their joint Committee, requested me to recommend to the people of the United States a day of Public Thanksgiving and Prayer, to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many and signal favors of Almighty God, especially by affording them an opportunity graciously to establish a day of Government for their safety and happiness.

NO PROCLAMATION

AUSTIN (AP)—Gov. Ross S. Sterling issued no Thanksgiving Day proclamation as has been the custom of many governors. He said last year, in omitting such a proclamation, that the presidential proclamation covers the entire country and makes a state proclamation merely a duplication.

Floyd's Pal Is Slain In Okla. Bank Robbery

Floyd Did Not Participate In Robbery; Body Identified

BOLEY, Okla. (AP)—George Birdwell, described by officers as the "brains and killer" of Charles "Pretty Boy" Floyd's bank robbing gang, was one of three killed in a furious gun-battle during an attempt to rob the Farmers & Merchants Bank in this all-negro town Wednesday.

Midland Man Gets Big Game

MIDLAND (AP)—Introducing Midland's big game hunter—Elliott Cowden.

Debts, Tariff Walls, Exchange Restrictions Hindrance To Business

AUSTIN—Business leaders and economists are almost unanimous in the belief that the problems presented by international debts, tariff barriers, and exchange restrictions must be solved.

Thanksgiving Sunrise Service Held By Wesley Memorial Members

Members of the Wesley Memorial Methodist Church held an inspiring sunrise service Thanksgiving morning.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

Austin (El Paso) 33, El Paso High 0. Harlandale 12, Alamo Heights 0. San Antonio Tech 2, Austin 12.

IMPORTANT OIL MEETING

A meeting of oil operators in Texas will be held immediately following the protraction hearing to be held Saturday in Austin. New compensation rates will be studied.

TRIAL POSTPONED

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP)—Trial of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Davis, charged with murder of Arthur S. Dowd, was postponed until Friday when it was called today before District Judge George C. Westcott.

The Weather

East Texas—Partly cloudy, cold. Frost in northern portion tonight. Thursday fair, somewhat colder on coast.

Hoover Tells Nations To Pay U. S. Dec 15th

President-Elect Roosevelt In Touch With President's Action

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Hoover has declined the plea of European debtors for a postponement of \$125,000,000 war debt payments due December 15.

BRITISH OPINION GIVEN

PARIS (UP)—Premier Edouard Herriot and British Ambassador Lord Tyrrell discussed the war debt situation today as the French appeared anxious to prevent the British from acting independently.

Midcontinent Getting East

Mid-Continent's No. 1 Denman, south offset to Lee Harrison's No. 2 Denman in the Denman-Dodge pool southeast of Coahoma in Howard county, was reported standing 1,200 feet in oil, total depth 2,771 feet Wednesday.

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Herald Newsboys Stage Contest For Football Prize

The Big Spring Herald salesboys, selling the Herald on the streets of Big Spring, have been in a contest this week. The town is divided at Main street, the east side of town under the captaincy of ...

FRANCE IS INCREASED

PARIS (UP)—American lumber exports to France were subject to increased duty Wednesday through government decree raising the tariff on common woods and lumber from 5 per cent to 7 1/2 per cent. This was the second increase within a year affecting the United States.



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**Learning The Art Of Writing**

PROBABLY there never was a  
time when so many young people  
were trying to turn themselves into writers  
as the present.

Every publishing house and every  
magazine office is deluged with  
manuscripts. Colleges and universi-  
ties, to say nothing of correspond-  
ence schools and fly-by-night out-  
fits set up by broken down hacks,  
offer a wealth of courses designed  
to show that you can be a writer,  
a poet, or a playwright, or a novel-  
list, or what-not. The click-clack  
of the typewriter is heard every-  
where, from kitchens to prisons,  
and from deepwater ships to city  
flats.

But the net result of it all, un-  
fortunately, is only a very slight  
addition to the world's supply of  
worth-while literature. Much is being  
written, these days, but little of  
it is of much value. The overwhelm-  
ing majority of completed manu-  
scripts, of course, never get print-  
ed at all; but even of those that  
do make the grade, only a few  
amount to a pint of beans.

Considering the incredible rich-  
ness and color of American life as  
a source for the creative writer,  
and the extent to which the urge  
for creative work has spread among  
people everywhere, this is a trifle  
odd; and the reason, very possibly,  
is simply the fact that we have too  
many people trying to teach others  
how to write and not enough people  
trying to teach themselves.

H. L. Mencken remarked not long  
ago that the one good way to learn  
how to write is to seek yourself  
in the works of the great writers.  
The embryonic writer who immer-  
ses himself in Hardy, Conrad,  
Thackeray, Poe and the others will  
learn, unconsciously, how great  
talent are put together and how  
great English is written, far bet-  
ter than any classroom can teach  
him.

And Charles J. Finger points out  
that "Dunyan the tinker, and Burns  
the plowman, and Whitman the of-  
fice man, and Keats the apothec-  
ary, and Dickens the factory boy  
had no schooling to train them.  
They were. They had something to  
express and they expressed them-  
selves."

The nation today is striving to  
bring forth a rich and varied lit-  
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perhaps, when ambitious young  
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### Roll Call Of Red Cross Set For Nov 29-30

Final Clean-Up For Membership To Be Pushed By Workers

Final clean-up of the Red Cross Roll Call in Big Spring is scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday, November 29 and 30.

A five man force of the three service clubs, and from the Lunch club will meet at 8:30 a. m. November 29 at the Settles and will that day complete the Roll Call in the business district.

Five women from each of the Parent-Teacher associations of the city will meet at the Settles at 8:30 a. m. November 30 and will that day complete the Roll Call in the residential district.

The representatives of the P. T. A. who will be active workers in this cause will be named by the P. T. A. presidents, who are: Mrs. Roy Pearce, East Ward; Mrs. Albert M. Fisher, high school; Mrs. Wayne Rice, South Ward; Mrs. Frank Sholtz, North Ward; Mrs. Jack Rodep, Junior high; Mrs. John Tucker, West Ward; Mrs. Charles Koberg, president of the city council.

**Odessa-Boy Victim Of Carbon Monoxide Gas**

ODESSA—Bobby Copp, ten-year-old nephew of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hinton of this city, was the victim of carbon monoxide gas in a tragedy which occurred in the Hinton home on Grant avenue last week.

The boy, who had gone to the bathroom to bathe, was overcome by carbon monoxide gas from a water heater in the room, and was found dead, shortly afterward, in the bathtub.

The boy had been living in the Hinton home for several months, and was enrolled in the Odessa public school. His mother, a trained nurse, had been working here for some time, but was on a case at Pecos at the time of the tragedy. She was called home immediately.

According to the best information the boy went to the bathroom about eight Wednesday evening to take a bath. The room is upstairs in the Hinton home and has only one door and no windows. It is said the heater, a gas appliance, was burning and throwing off gas in the room, having no vent.

Apparently the boy had been in the room only a few moments when he was overcome. He had undressed but had not turned on the water in the tub. It seemed that he had just climbed into the tub when he was overcome. After some 15 or 20 minutes, the Hinton family became alarmed by his long stay in the room, and Mr. Hinton went up to see about the lad. He found him undressed and in the tub, dead.

Doctors were called but were unable to resuscitate the boy, who had apparently been dead for some time.

### Enforcement - Not Repeal

**CAN BE SOLVED**  
To The Editor,  
No doubt many of the readers of this article have already read Bruce Barton's article on "Liquor." He says: "My own notion is that we should make much more progress in the cause of temperance if we were to give up any idea of 'getting' the liquor problem and recognize frankly that it will never be settled. It has been a problem from the foundation of the world. Then he cites the example of Noah to show how ancient the problem is. He continues: "It will be present so long as nature continues to put alcohol into almost every green thing that grows. And as long as harassed human nature, under the strains and stresses of existence, seeks for avenues of escape. If we could accept this historical point of view then we would have progress. We would recognize that the battle is eternal; that one plan of control after another must be tried, and that only by long education can the goal of real temperance be attained. We might even begin to do what men never yet have done—discuss the temperance question temperately."

I wish to call the reader's attention to a glaring contradiction in this statement. Mr. Barton takes issue with the liquor question. He says he will be settled, yet he says the battle is eternal. If the battle never can be won, why keep on fighting? People argue a little only when they believe they may win. Does a mathematician continue to try to solve a problem when he knows it can not be solved? Bruce Barton is also to the prohibition forces. "You can't win, but keep on fighting." I have read somewhat after Mr. Barton and I do not believe that this game of philosophy and bad psychology is worthy of him.

One of his reasons for believing that the liquor problem will never be solved is that it is so old. But

### Garner Holds Belief Beer Bill To Pass

Refrains From Predicting Time: 'Guesses' At Revenue

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Speaker Garner told newspapermen Tuesday it was his opinion "the house will pass a beer bill at the short session" but refrained to forecast the probable time.

The speaker gave his "guess" that legalized beer for revenue would bring \$250,000,000 to \$300,000,000 and said that with the beer bill and reductions in government it might be possible to balance the budget without passing other forms of taxation.

He had intimated in a beautiful way that he was of the opinion that in certain circumstances he is in a position to have turned against this unholy business.

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### Former Barron Ranch Cut Into Five Parts

SWEETWATER—Five ranches where one was before, is the story of the famous Barron ranch, owned by W. W. Barron at one time, and once one of the largest properties of this section.

The property originally contained about 125,000 or 130,000 acres of grazing land. It was famous for the high quality of cattle sold off it. About a year ago a Chicago concern took over the ranch with about 10,000 head of cattle. Since then all of the property has been either leased or sold and there are more ranches operating than under the old method.

Lewis and Whaley of Lubbock and Sudan have bought the famous Paddle ranch, among the best known properties in this area. It is located in Kent county and in the purchase, a thousand head of cattle changed hands.

The Robertson river ranch, consisting of 15,000 to 18,000 acres, was sold to J. C. Stabler of Llano. The Ross Robertson ranch was sold to Pat and Winn Jackson of San Angelo. It consist of about the same

name of Eula Wootter of Jackson, Mississippi, appeared at Gore, near here, Friday night and told officers she was seized on a Jackson street late Thursday, bound and driven out of town. One of the kidnapers was a white man,

said, but expressed belief the other was a Filipino. They drove almost continuously but stopped briefly at Roanoke Friday afternoon. When they arrived near Gore the men abandoned her and returned toward the Winchester, she said.

Mississippi Woman Says She Was Kidnaped

WINCHESTER, Pa. (AP)—A young white woman giving the area as the other ran.

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### Thanksgiving Day Program Today Only ZANE GREY'S

Smashing Romance of the Open Range Where Justice Speaks Thru a Six-Gun and Love, Outrides the Charging Hoofs of the Wild Herd!

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## ALL ABOARD FOR TOYLAND

**Burr's 'Toyland' is Open Now!**

Remember how much fun you had last year when the kiddies discovered their toys and presents under the Christmas tree? Don't disappoint them this year. Now is the time to bring the children to Burr's 'Toyland' and let them have what they want. Their eyes will pop when they see our big assortment of toys. Surprisingly inexpensive.

**See Our Big Doll Family!**  
—Dolls Every Little Girl Will Love

**12-Inch Baby Dolls** 35c  
Biggest doll value of the year! Full jointed legs and arms, turning head. Dressed in shirt and diaper.

**17-Inch Baby Dolls** 98c  
Looks exactly like a real live, chubby baby! Indestructible body, turning head and jointed limbs. With diaper.

**21-Inch Baby Dolls** \$1.95  
Cuddly, baby-sized dressed doll. With "sleepy" eyes and crying voice. Rubber pants, petti-coat and full outside dress.

**"Sleepy-Eye" Dolls** \$1.98  
Very life-like and realistic! Hair, teeth, and soft stuffed body. Beautifully dressed. Size 24 inches.

**Dressed Dolls** \$2.49  
"How will you love me? I cry, I walk, I sleep!" Beautiful or gandy lace trimmed dress and bonnet. Full underdress.

**Life-Size Dolls** \$2.75  
"I walk, I cry, I sleep!" Magnificently dressed. Has real eyelashes, sleeping eyes, rubber pants. BIG VALUE!

**Toy Furniture For Little Housekeepers**

**Chairs, Tables** 98c  
All kinds of juvenile furniture for the little housekeeper. Enameled in bright colors. Strongly constructed.

**Swinging Cradles** 98c  
Duplicate models of full size, regular furniture. Sturdy, strong and well made! Brightly enameled, varnished, and striped.

**Bassinets** 98c  
With regulation drop side! Has bow ends and strong, sturdy wheels. Chip-resisting enamel in bright colors.

**Doll Carriages**

**Well-Constructed and Strong**

Choice of Colors \$1.98  
VERY REALISTIC! Made of woven flat fibre, with adjustable hood. Double spoke wire wheels, real rubber tires, and nicked hub caps.

**Toy Trains** 98c  
Complete With Track

**18-Pc. China TEA SETS** 49c  
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FORT WORTH, (UP)—Louis Melton, Fort Worth and W. F. Hunt, Fort Worth, were severely injured Wednesday on the Decatur highway eighteen miles north of Fort Worth. Their automobile was side-swiped by another and turned over, pinning the men beneath.

Rump' Group Forms Out Of AFL Session

Government Insurance Distributed By Workers' Committees Aim

CINCINNATI, (UP)—Disension threatened to obstruct labor leaders' plans for combating the depression, as the 52nd convention of the American Federation of Labor opened its second session.

A "rump" faction planned to hold a separate meeting for discussion of a broader unemployment insurance program than that proposed by the A. F. of L. executive council.

L. Weinstein, New York, a leader in the dissenting faction, said 110 delegates were expected at the separate convention. Their plan provides for insurance paid by the government to workers and distributed by workers' committees. Leaders of this faction also have attacked the salaries paid national officers of the organization, claiming they should be reduced.

Unemployment insurance appeared to be the chief issue before the convention. It was proposed by labor leaders as a means of providing relief for workmen who become unemployed because of the wide use of modern machinery. The executive council proposed that the insurance be paid by workers.

President William Green urged the 400 delegates to take the lead in solving the problems of labor. He warned that labor faced a critical period next year. It must launch a concerted movement to obtain legislation correcting economic evils if its future were to be protected.

Green pleaded for support of the movement for a five-day working week and a "six-hour" day. He declared that with the vast use of machinery for mass production, all workers could not be employed unless hours were shortened.

Triof Of Man And Wife For Death Of Hotel Man Postponed To Friday

CORPUS CHRISTI, (UP)—The trial of Isaac Davis and wife, charged by indictment for the murder of Arthur S. Dowd, manager of the Nueces hotel here, was postponed until Friday when called in the criminal district court Wednesday.

One Dies, 4 Hurt In Crash GLADEWATER, (UP)—C. J. Strickley, oil company truck driver, was killed and five occupants of an automobile were injured seriously in a highway accident Wednesday. T. N. Green, Gladewater, chief of police, after an investigation said the vehicles collided on a turn on a long, all-weather road of Gladewater.

Mothers! to reduce your family "Colds-Tax" follow Vicks Plan for better Control-of-Colds. VICKS use VICKS To PREVENT many Colds To end a Cold SOONER

Pleasant F. Thomas Goes Riding In Own Buggy With Drink; \$100 Fine

PARADENA, Cal., (UP)—His name is Pleasant F. Thomas and he had read—or maybe somebody told him that the voters repealed the state prohibition laws a couple of weeks ago.

To Pleasant F. Thomas that meant that beer and wine was back in vogue. So he pulled the turtle-back from his roadster and installed an ice box, filling it with an ample supply of beer and wine.

Through sedate Pasadena streets, the parambulating barkeeper drove his touring car, hawking his wares. He found business so good that he started doling out "drinks on the house" and sharing in his own hospitality.

Hours later police found him, fast asleep in his car. He had the alternative of paying a \$100 fine or spending the next 90 days in jail.

One Man From Losing Team May Be Selected On '32 All-American

CHICAGO, (UP)—The mythical All-American team was selected almost entirely from the "losers" on winning teams, there's a half-back on a losing team in the "Big Ten" who simply must be given serious consideration for the 1932 eleven.

He is Gil Betty, 175-pound half-back who has closed out three years of heroic play on the Illinois team. Seven out of nine Big Ten coaches (A. A. Stone doesn't pick all-star teams) selected him for the all-conference team. Five coaches rate him the greatest half-back in the conference. Bob Zuppke, his coach, believes he would have approached Red Grange's record of speed, if he had played on a strong team.

Trotsky Guarded During First Paris Visit In 16 Years; On Lecture Trip

PARIS, (UP)—Leon Trotsky, exiled Russian leader, en route to lecture at Copenhagen, was hurried into a police automobile when he arrived at the Gare de Lyon and rushed across Paris to the Gare du Nord, where he was detained for 24 hours.

Police would allow no unauthorized person to come near him or the members of his party, taking no chances on Trotsky's first appearance in Paris for 16 years.

East Texas Lumbermen Get Wine Cask Stave Orders From Europe

BELMONT, (UP)—East Texas lumbermen were checked by news that shipments of wooden staves for European wine casks will be resumed from this port early in December.

At the time the first consignment of staves to leave Belmont in more than a year will depart for Mediterranean ports, it was announced by J. B. Battersree, superintendent of the port.

Dallas Woman Loses Fight To Regain Her Pythian Membership

KANSAS CITY, Mo., (UP)—Mrs. Ada Belle Omon, Dallas, Texas, had lost her fight for reinstatement in the Order of Pythian Sisters. The Kansas City Court of Appeals dismissed her mandamus action against the Supreme Temple, seeking to force the organization to reinstate her.

Her \$1000 suit against the Supreme Temple and its officers, in which she alleges there was a conspiracy to injure her reputation and disbar her from the order, still is pending.

Sir Walter Scott's 'Descendant Suicides'

NEW YORK, (UP)—Blair T. Scott, 39, of Baltimore, direct descendant of Sir Walter Scott, and a noted religious writer, was found dead on the roof of a fourth floor extension of a local hotel.

He jumped from his room on the 17th floor clad in dress clothes last night, police said.

Scott left a note for L. D. Davis, attorney and a personal friend together with a sum of money to cover legal bills to his father.

Hard Luck Dogs Carnival Trail

SAN ANGELO, (UP)—Hard luck and the law dogged the footsteps of the "J. J. Tidwell" carnival Saturday night as it concluded a week's showing here. Cold weather hurt attendance. Four men who said they came with the carnival were held in the county jail Saturday night.

Congressman Lanham Open-Minded On Beer

FORT WORTH, (UP)—Felix Lanham, elected to congress from the 12th district, said he was

Gas Company Case In Recess For Time

FORT WORTH, (UP)—Inquiry into the fairness of the Lone Star Gas Company's rates is in recess, probably until Jan. 1.

The recess will allow the state railroad commission to examine the testimony offered to prove the Lone Star's rates are fair and necessary to insure a legitimate return on its investment.

Cross-examination of Lone Star's witnesses will be the first step taken when the hearing resumes in Austin or Fort Worth.

The utility company temporarily closed its case with the testimony of Ed C. Connor, Dallas, consulting natural gas engineer. He testified an annual net return of 10 per cent on the company's public service properties was fair in normal times.

That figure does not include an annual return of 5.5 per cent claimed necessary for depreciation reserve and allowance for federal income taxation.

Attorneys for the company urged the commission present its testimony immediately. It is generally conceded, however, the rate case will not be decided in time to affect winter gas bills in 253 Texas towns and cities served by the Lone Star.

'Give Us A Quarter' They Said But Bound Couple And Took \$1.10

...and Miss Mae Schwab, 18, were \$1.10 poorer, but were unharmed as result of being bound, gagged and left in a field by robber-abductors.

They planned evening at a theater was disrupted when two bandits approached their car parked near the theater and one of the men asked them to "give us a quarter."

Then one of the bandits brandished a gun, forced them to drive three miles out of town on Highway 43, where they were bound and gagged and robbed. Ford freed himself and notified police. Police believed they were on the trail of the abductors when two men fled by abandoning Ford's car and fleeing on foot.

Colgate Vs. Brown Game Thursday Brings Untied, Undefeated Pair Together

NEW YORK, (UP)—Colgate's night football machine should be a 7-to-3 favorite to crush Brown at Providence Thursday in their struggle for the eastern championship if statistics have any significance.

Both teams are unbeaten and untied, but the Bruins have tottered on the brink of defeat at least twice. Moreover, Colgate boasts the best record of any college team in the country, having rolled up 243 points in eight games, without having a point tallied against it. Brown has totaled 81 points in seven games while opposing teams have scored 21.

Woman To Be Charged In Oklahoma's Death

OKLAHOMA, (UP)—County Attorney Lewis Morris Wednesday revealed the state would charge Mrs. Margaret Wilkerson struck the first blow on the head of Isaac E. Hemmingsway, who mutilated body was found buried on the Wilkerson farm Tuesday.

The prosecutor said Mrs. Wilkerson and husband Sam would be charged jointly with the murder. The Wilkersons, parents of four children, were arrested after two farmers reported seeing Hemmingsway, beaten and bleeding, pursued by Wilkerson with a gun.

Winnie Ruth Judd's Fate Rest With Highest Court

PHOENIX, Ariz., (UP)—The fate of Winnie Ruth Judd, convicted of killing her friend, Mrs. Agnes Leopol, rested with the Arizona supreme court.

The tribunal took under advisement appeal for a new trial as presented by six attorneys who attacked the trial judge's action in not including a self-defense verdict in his instructions to the jury.

A decision was not anticipated before late winter or early spring. Should the trial verdict of death be sustained, only executive clemency would spare Mrs. Judd from the gallows.

100 DIE IN FLOOD BOGOTA, Columbia

BOGOTA, Columbia, (UP)—Erief victims from Huila department in the upper Andean mountains which reached the Magdalena river valley Wednesday reported 100 deaths in disastrous floods. Many were reported homeless.

Corn and cocoa crops and many other staples common to the mountainous equatorial region were said to have been ruined by the deluge.

"open-minded" on the question of beer by Christmas.

"I'm rather like a furo: I'll wait until the experience is in, then cast my vote as I think best," he said. He is committed in vote for re-nomination of the 15th amendment to a popular referendum.

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Unusual values! That's what you'll say when you see this charming group of new frocks at this extremely low price.

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Regular \$6.95 values that are going for this low price. Look them over... you're sure to choose one or more at

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A group of better dresses including styles for every occasion. New designs, new colors, new trimmings!

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Women's Fur-Trimmed COATS

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Ladies' Stetson Gloves 98c \$2.95

Just arrived! A complete new stock of fine Stetson Kid Gloves. In all wanted costume colors and styles.

NEW PURSES 98c

Smart new styles in wanted colors. All leather.

For The Home LUNCHEON SETS—of fine quality imported linens. Clever designs and borders 69c

BEDSPREADS—Stripes, plaids, colorful patterns in new Krinkle Bedspreads. Buy enough for all your beds 89c

Ladies' Fine Shoes \$1.95

Pumps, straps, oxfords... in all smart leathers and fabrics. Charming styles in all sizes and widths.

Sheer Chiffon Hose 59c

Phoenix Brand! Assuring you of high-quality, all silk hosiery. New wanted shades.

Cold Weather Needs!

Men's Heavy Gloves 98c

Genuine Kid Gloves with heavy wool lining. In all sizes.

Work Sox 3 for 25c

Heavy, durable! Your choice of several colors. All sizes.

Men's Heavy Boots \$3.95

All leather soles, heels and uppers. High top lace boots. In all men's sizes.

Blankets - Comforts 98c

Large size, heavy quilts and comforts. Plaids, solids, and patterned.

Regular \$1.95 Sweaters \$1.00

New necklines, new knits... new colors, new trims. Don't miss this saving.

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God weight, long length stockings for school wear.

Men's TOPCOATS \$13.95

Men! Look at these values! Some belted models! Wide shawl collars in desirable woolen materials. All shades.

Men's Suits \$18.50

Regular \$25.00 suits now only \$18.50! New blues, browns, blacks, mixtures. In all styles including the new English drape.

Boys' Heavy Coats \$2.49

Full sheep felt lining with deep, warm collars. Heavy outer materials. All sizes.

Men's Heavy Coats \$5.49

Heavy corduroy coats with thick shawl collars. Leather trim and pockets. Only

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Bring your next prescription to us. We will fill it at from 25 to 50% less than we used to fill it. The lowest prices on prescriptions in Big Spring.

\$1.00 Listerine 79c Lucky Tiger Hair Tonic 79c

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Chocolate Covered Cherries 1 lb. Box 39c

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Golden Peacock Face Powder 29c 50c Golden Peacock Face Powder 29c 5c Kisschen 69c

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Special For Friday and Saturday Dresses and Suits Every dress and suit in our entire stock reduced for special selling on Friday and Saturday—at 1-3 Off Chic, new winter hats received today. Charming styles in all wanted, seasonable colors. Priced in three groups 49c - 79c - \$1.49 J. & W. Fisher, Inc. Your Department Store 807 Main

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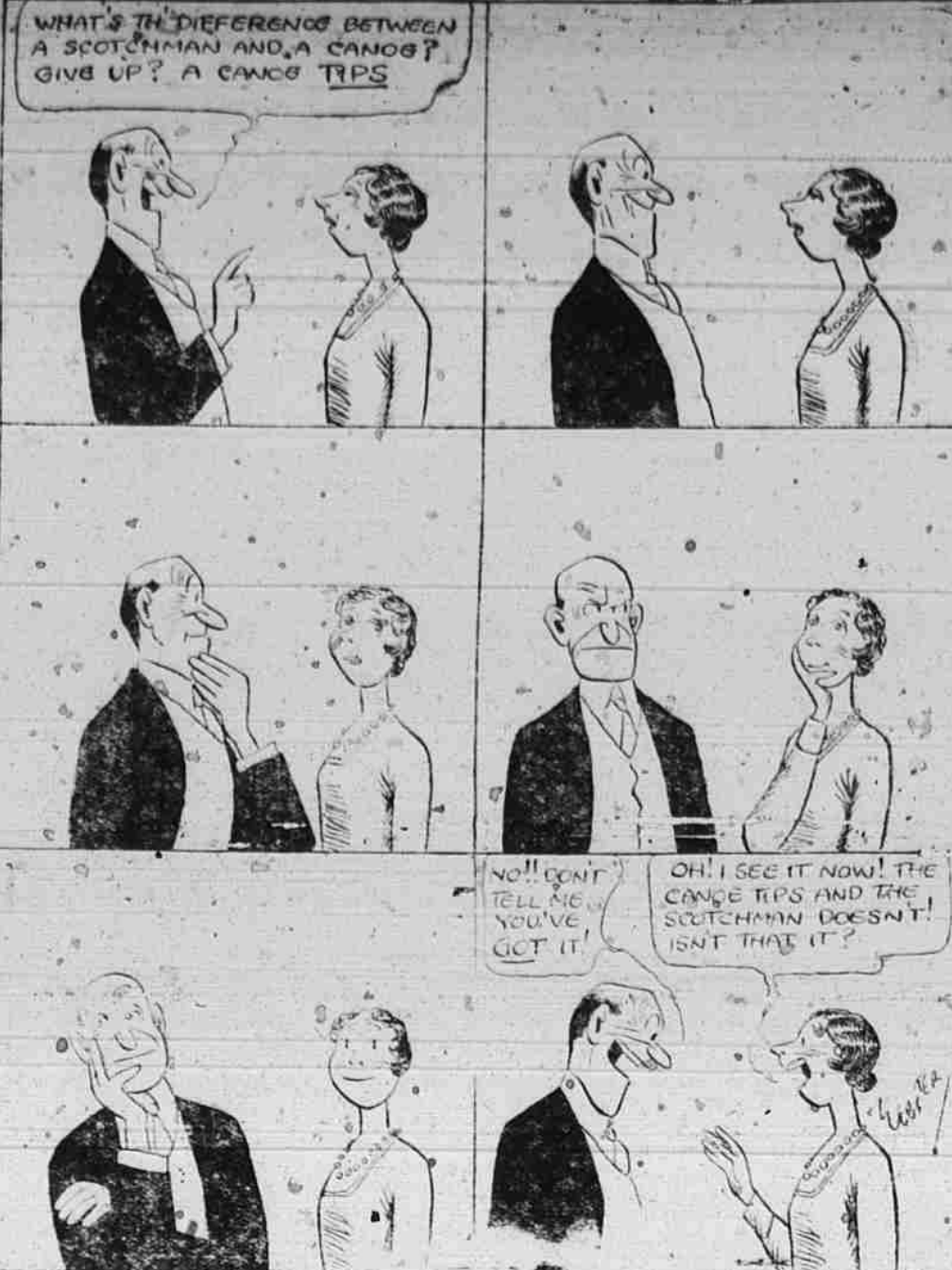


# Gems of Peril

by HAZEL ROSS HAILEY



## And Nothing Can Be Done About It



## A Real Thanks GIVING!



**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
 Rich old MRS. JUPITER is robbed and murdered during an engagement party she is giving for her secretary, MARY PARK-NESS. Mary's scapgrace brother, EDDIE, is supposed to have been in the house at the murder hour. DIRK RUTHER, blue-blooded young lawyer, Mary's fiancé, advises her to keep silent about having arranged to meet Eddie secretly, only he can locate the boy. Eddie has disappeared.

Mary prevents a maid, BESSIE, from telling HOWEN, police reporter for the Star, about Eddie's supposed visit. Dirk telephones that he has found Eddie and will take her to see him that afternoon. Dirk oversteps and Bowen drives Mary to the rendezvous. Eddie is run down by a car as he crosses the street to meet Mary. Delirious in the hospital, he numbers on a fly.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
 CHAPTER II

Eddie did not recover completely, sufficiently to tell his own story. He was a victim. These were things of which he was young and light-hearted. He came out of the hospital with a fractured skull. But he was weak and had not recovered from the shock of the accident. He was also puzzled by the dark, hair of his boss. But in the absence of any other information he decided to try to find out. Sometimes he would feel that he had been deceived. He would tell to some one. Mary suggested that he should not do so. Bowen drew Dirk aside and told him that he had been deceived. Dirk blamed him miserably for his failure to reach the rendezvous at the appointed time and what the report had to tell him did not make him any happier.

"I tell you I saw it. It was murder—pure murder. Two feet further over and I would have been too. By God, to say that I'd turn this town upside down."

"Get away."

"C'mon. I tell you it was all carefully calculated to the minute. Was ever it was took a big chance, swinging around under those pillars. Just as he turned the corner he flooded the eastward—a number-plate was chosen by snook."

"But why should anyone want to kill the boy?"

Bowen shrugged. "I've got an idea he knows something about the Jupiter killing."

Rutther looked at him sharply. "An idea? Did you say I don't mean that?" the reporter answered. "I'll bet my hat, that was a prof-

## PA'S SON-IN-LAW



## A Formal Challenge



## by Wellington

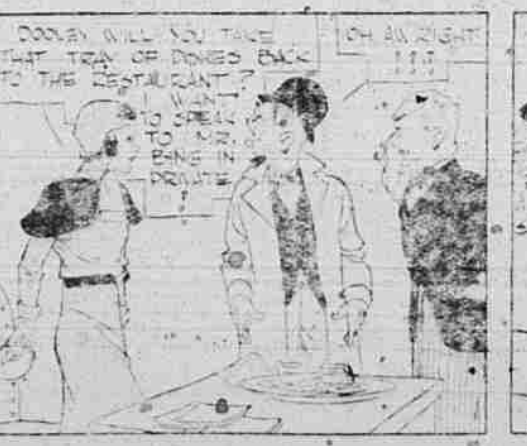
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## True To Form



## by Don Flowers

### Chinese Port

HORIZONTAL

1. Treaty port of China

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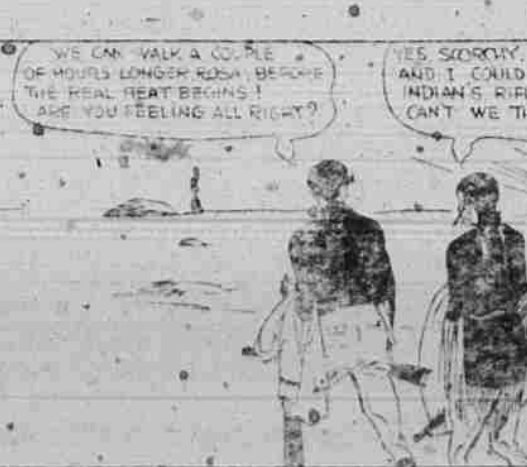
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## Fatigue

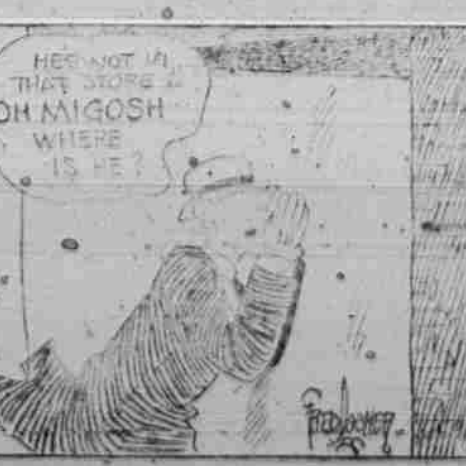


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## HOMER HOOPEE



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## by Fred Locher



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 LOANS AND INSURANCE

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Rental Agents of the City.  
 Cowden Ins. Agcy. Phone 511.  
 122 E. Second Phone 525

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#### Wanted to Buy

WILL pay cash for 2000 feet 1 1/2" or 2 in. pipe. Must be in good condition. Phone 28.

#### Rooms & Board

ROOM, board, personal laundry, \$5 and \$7 week. 906 Green; Ph. 1234

#### Houses

UNFURNISHED house, 4-rooms and bath; 207 West 13th St. Call 598.

NICE house; 4 rooms and bath; hardwood floor; one black west ward school; cheap. You will like it. Better not wait. Apply 799 Abrams.

#### Wanted to Rent

Desirable 4- or 5-room modern furnished house with garage, to responsible party. Phone 836, or address Box AH, care of Herald.

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- 1-30 Chevrolet Sedan
- 2-27 Ford Roadsters
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 HAZEL ROSS HAILEY  
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more successful including her to leave what Bowen, somewhat lurid newspaper persisted in calling the "Murder Mansion," and come to stay at his mother's house until the wedding.

"I've promised Dr. Jordan to stay until Bruce Jupiter comes home," she said.

Presently the daily "conferences" with the detectives stopped and one day there were no stories in any of the papers relating to the Jupiter murder, except one small routing item, headed "Jupiter Murder Probe Lags, No New Developments Expected," says Kane.

Mary knit her brows over this. She resolved to go to see the inspector herself and ask him what it meant.

Up to this time the newspaper stories had given the impression that the murderer was just about to be caught. "Solution of Jupiter Murder Mystery Near," said the headlines, and "Kane Promises Quick Justice for Killing of Multi-Millionaire's Wife." This sudden change of attitude amazed her.

Kane greeted her as usual. He was walking up and down, looking out the window, now and then pausing to look at her expectantly. That air of his puzzled her; it had from the beginning. "I sat down opposite with an air of 'Well, what have you to tell me?'"

She showed him the newspaper article. "Oh, sure," he said. "We never had a chance for the beginning. Nothing much we can do but wait." "But you kept telling the newspapers that you were about to find the murderer?" she reproached him.

"Why did you say that, if you didn't think so?" "Kane struck the newspaper contemptuously with the back of his hand. "Oh, you've got to give 'em something to chew on," he said. "For as I'm concerned, the case is closed. We don't know the whole story, but we know enough."

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### BOTH COACHES

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Sanders (1) ..... Right Tackle  
 Martin (14) ..... Right Guard  
 Dyer (2) ..... Center  
 Smith (22) ..... Left Guard  
 Reid (21) ..... Left Tackle  
 Coots (4) (10) ..... Left End  
 Schwarzenbach (3) ..... Quarterback  
 Morgan (18) ..... Halfback  
 Koberg (6) ..... Halfback  
 Richbourg (15) ..... Fullback

Time of game: 2:15.  
 Officials: Carson (T.C.U.); Key (Baylor); Eubanks (A.C.C.)

The speedy visitors, with Harris and Hall at constant scoring threats from scrimmage and the passing combination of Viles and Stagner as the feature of a Cantrell offense that has compiled 157 points to their opponents' 86, will show their running attack against the aerial play of the Stars and the ground-gaining tactics of Richbourg. Records indicate that the Herd is a better defensive club, with only 20 points scored against them during the season. Twenty-five were gathered by the powerful Amarillo Sandies in a non-conference game.

A victory over their traditional rival in the holiday clash this afternoon would mean the end of a successful season for either school. Neither team were considered in pre-season rankings, but despite exceptionally poor material Bristol and Cantrell have broken even in well in practice contests.

A full five hundred fans were expected here from Colorado for the game, with the Colorado High School band and pep squad to attend unanimously.

### EYES

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 chief oculist for the San Angelo club.

Swee-water staged a big town-wide bonfire east of Newman high school Wednesday night. Fire smoldered until long after midnight, so huge was the pile of boxes.

### WHIRLIGIG

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 really believe the Democrats ought to assume immediate responsibility despite the fact that the Republicans have a numerical majority of one. The Democrats think their responsibility on this subject begins March 4 in 1933 new Congress when they have an actual majority.

The truth is it does not make much difference who organizes the senate for the short session. There is every prospect that the two parties will work in intelligent harmony about the more important matters for the time being.

Cooperation  
 There is really less political bitterness under the surface in Washington than ever before. The result was so overwhelming and inevitable that it swept away partisan clamor temporarily.

Backstage Senator McNary representing the Republicans and Senator Pat Harrison representing

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SAN ANGELO (UP)—Otto Atkinson, 61-year-old San Angelo dairyman and former president of the Texas Natural Milk Producers association, is dead, a victim of his own hand.

Atkinson cut his throat at his home here, a coroner's statement set forth in returning a verdict of suicide. Atkinson's act was attributed to ill health.

## Parliament Opens With Ceremony Followed By Bitter Round Of Debate

LONDON (UP)—The House of Commons Tuesday indulged in the glamorous ceremony attendant upon opening of parliament but bitter debate between the government and laborites quickly followed.

The floor leader of labor members argued that the government had no definite program for relief of the unemployed, characterizing the government's plan as "a humbug."

NEW PRICE ON CRUDE HOUSTON, Texas (UP)—A new price on crude oil, creating two new grades, was announced Wednesday by the Humble Oil and Refining company.

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## Grand Duke Alexander Of Russia Near Death

PARIS (UP)—The Grand Duke Alexander of Russia, husband of the Grand Duchess Xenia, cousin and brother-in-law of the late Czar Nicholas II, and cousin of King George V of England, is seriously ill from spinal trouble at Nice, it was learned today.

The Grand Duchess was summoned from London. The Grand Duke is 66 years old. He returned to the Riviera recently after a visit to the United States and reopened his villa.

## R. F. C. LOANS ISSUED

WASHINGTON (UP)—Indiana, Missouri and Arkansas were granted Reconstruction Finance Corporation relief loans totaling \$380,168.

Arkansas received \$287,268, Indiana \$85,000 and Missouri \$7,900. The Arkansas loan will meet relief needs in 25 counties from Nov. 1 to Dec. 31. Arkansas already had \$1,031,900.

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J. C. PENNEY

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He had to be content. He was so



**Thanksgiving Day**

**Have You Health? Have You Friends? Have You Food? Have You Shelter?**

Having these, let us be thankful, and instead of bemoaning our unfulfilled desires, find happiness in lending a helping hand to those with whom circumstances have dealt harshly.

**Blind Wasson**  
Men's Wear of Character

**Rankin Votes Off City Incorporation**

**RANKIN**—By a vote of 63 to 46 the citizenship of Rankin, county seat of Upton County, voted off incorporation of the city. Although the vote carried by a majority, the 103 votes polled represents only about one-half the tax-paying property owners qualified to vote. Rankin has been an incorporated town since 1928.

The election was called by County Judge Maburn Harris after a petition had been signed by the required number of citizens. It is stated that the action taken by the citizenship of Rankin will not affect the town's standing as county seat of Upton County.

**Patrol Men Of Highway In Meeting**

**Phares Tells Of Rules Men On State Fore Must Follow**

**ARLHENE**—State highway patrolmen and license weights inspectors will be busy covering more than one-third of the state of Texas as they come to Abilene Saturday for an all-day conference with C. Phares, chief of the patrol and L. J. W. Longley, head of the license and weights division. There were nearly thirty men in the two branches of the state's new regulatory agency taking part in the meeting in the Taylor county courthouse.

The conference was for patrolmen and inspectors, two of the six divisions in the state being headed up in Abilene and Wichita Falls, the territory being divided that way as a line drawn from the old brandegee to the new highway. West to Redford with the Abilene Falls. Patrolmen taking part in the discussion were Martin N. Neenan, Abilene district; Fred Beckman, Wichita Falls district; O. Hamer, Dallas.

"We have these conference from time to time," Phares explained. "You might say that these patrolmen and inspectors are soldiers for the state they represent, and that their officers are the major sergeants. We think it profitable to get them together in a discussion of the policies of the state highway department and other common problems."

A reporter, stepping in on the meeting heard the chief and captains expounding the school rules. It provides that traffic shall come to a full stop as it approaches the loading or unloading children.

"This is a serious problem at all times," Phares said. "Patrolmen are urged to call on principals of rural schools located near highways and ask for the privilege of addressing the pupils on the question of safety. Students should be particularly urged to keep their feet on the ground, walking on the shoulders instead and so always face traffic rather than letting it slip up behind them. In event of repeat of the law amendment by the next session, we fear we shall encounter the same hazards as in the past. I suggest a law with penalties in proportion to a revocation of driver license in connection of reckless driving. This will be very effective as the automobile driver, to make the punishment of driving more than his own life than his own."

**Rules of Patrol**

With highway patrolmen being strictly observing traffic laws, the law enforcement body. Chief Phares said day picked. Patrolmen are to be at random, sometimes they go to the crowd the ten general orders promulgated in January 1930 over the signature of the chief of state highway division.

The orders brief are: (1) Lawfully with the business laws and regulations of the state; (2) Court service; (3) protection; (4) duties to all and to the point of duty.

man endurance when the person addressed does not exhibit courtesy. (3) No use of liquor or narcotics. (4) In any degree or at anytime or place. (5) No talking while on duty. (6) Keeping the uniform pressed. (7) Keeping the equipment in good condition, and fully accounted for. (8) To vote my convictions as a citizen on all public questions and political races, but to take no other part in any public questions or campaigns. (9) To warn but never threaten. (10) To know what orders mean and obey them. (11) To at all times conduct myself in such a gentlemanly manner that I may meet with whom I come in contact. (12) To at all times the voluntary commendation of law-abiding citizens and visitors.



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