

Suit Seeks To Stop Amendment Vote Canvas

Britain Told US Willing To Discuss Debt

White House Does Not Deny Report Of Two-Power Parley Plans

LONDON (AP)—Stanley Baldwin told parliament Monday the United States government had agreed to undertake with England a joint examination of the whole question of war debt payments.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Inquiries at the White House and the department of state Monday brought the response that there was no information to be given out on reports of an agreement between the United States and England for joint examination of war debts.

PARIS (AP)—Attitude of the French government seemed to be moving Monday toward advocacy of a plan informally discussed at Washington of allowing a mixed or international commission of experts to examine the problem of France's war debt.

'COVERS' CONGRESS WITH A GUN



"I want the floor," cried a pale young man as he arose in the gallery of the national house of representatives brandishing a loaded gun.

East Texas 'Surprisingly' Quiet

Few Wells Of Field Flowing There Monday

More Bottom-Hold Pressure 'Bonns' Sought By Commission

LONGVIEW (AP)—Activity in the East Texas oil field was at a standstill Monday as representatives of the railroad commission sought more bottom-hold pressure.

Hasty Action Not Expected On Air Lines

Thomason Assured Hearing Before Mail Legislation Framed

No hasty action on legislation for discontinuing airmail service between Dallas and Los Angeles will be taken by the post office committee, Chairman Mead, Democrat, New York, has advised Congressman R. E. Thomason of this district.

RAIL MEN DEBATE WAGES IN JOINT CONFERENCE



Leading figures in the joint conference between representatives of railroads and union labor in Chicago are shown here.

Governor Of Rotary To Be Here Tuesday

Ranger Man To Meet Board, Chairmen, Speak At Luncheon

Andy Anderson of Ranger, governor of 41st district of Rotary International, will arrive in Big Spring Tuesday for his annual visit to the local Rotary Club.

3,500-Foot Oil Test To Be Started Two Miles Northwest Of Big Spring By February 15, By Terms Of Lease

L. T. Fletcher Death Victim

County Commissioner-Elect To Be Buried Here Tuesday

Miss Mary Bell And Walton Morrison Wed At Coahoma

Cosden And Forsan To Clash Tuesday

Seek Relatives Of Former X-ray Technician, Victim Of Own Hand At Ft Worth

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Hancock Orchestra And Floor Show, Cowboy Players Billed

There are the important facts concerning the charity benefit show to be staged Friday of this week.

Crude Reductions Met By Gulf Pipe Line Co.

HOUSTON (AP)—Gulf Pipe Line company Monday met Midcontinent price reductions in crude oil already posted by all other major purchasers.

Red Cross Cotton Gift Bill Up For House Vote

WASHINGTON (AP)—Arrangements were made Monday for the House to act on the Jones bill giving \$50,000 bales of farm loan cotton to the Red Cross to alleviate cold among the unemployed.

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'Deceiving' Is Charge Of Asherton Man

Action Aimed At Amendment Pertaining To Delinquent Tax Sales

AUSTIN (AP)—Issuance of an injunction to restrain Secretary of State Jane Y. McCallum from canvassing returns of the general election vote on a constitutional amendment concerning the manner of making sales of delinquent taxes awaited posting of a \$500 bond Monday.

The suit, brought by Joe W. Caldwell, Jr., of Asherton, attacked the proposed amendment as "deceiving and misleading."

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Surviving Mr. Reagan are his wife, Mrs. Emily Reagan, to whom he was married at Colorado City in 1883; two daughters, Mrs. T. H. Kelley and Miss Essie Talbot; two sons, Bascom A. Reagan and Cliff Talbot. A son, Mart Reagan, was killed in a locomotive accident on the Texas and Pacific railway several years ago.

Besides his immediate family Mr. Reagan, who had resided here since 1884, is survived by 31 grand children and 20 great grand children.

Active pall bearers will be N. M. LaBett, C. E. Shive, Arthur Woodall, Jack King, B. E. Howell, W. B. Purser, Mr. Josey and Gene Moon.

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Repeated negotiations have failed to extort an offer from Wright and he has taken no cognizance of the county's.

He has twice attempted to name appraisers to work in event condemnation proceedings were brought. It has been twice refused and it is thought the county will proceed immediately to procure the right of way.

Meanwhile work was going forward Monday completing the fencing of the re-routed highway to the southern county line. Practically all notes are dug and much fence already up. Erection of the balance of fence and installation of ten cattle guards will finish the work.

C. T. Watson, change of commerce manager, was forced to retreat from work Monday afternoon due to an attack of flu.

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An Example for Parents
Franklin D. Roosevelt is going to meet a lot of interesting people after he gets into the White House, but it hardly seems likely that he will meet anyone any more interesting than the family of Gus Sumnick of Waterloo, Nebraska, promises to be.

Probably you remember about the Sumnicks. The president-elect had an old-fashioned chicken dinner with them while he was campaigning, and he promised to entertain them at the White House next summer in return. But the interesting thing about them is a remark that the father of the family made after the election.

There are a good many children in the family, some of them pretty well grown by now. But some of them is married yet, and Mr. Sumnick explained to an interviewer, "they have too much fun at home to think of leaving us."

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spends a lot of its time worrying about the "decay of the home," and fretting over the younger generation's refusal to follow in its parents' footsteps, it is a singularly refreshing little statement.

It represents, of course, nothing more than the ideal which every family ought to come fairly close to realizing. But how many families do not it tragically, most often true that youngsters will snatch at almost any kind of marriage in order to escape from a home circle which seems to them to be dull, bare and unattractive.

Not least always the fault of the younger people. We parents have a way of taking the gratitude and affection of our children for granted, as something that is in the nature of things, and just do. We seldom stop to think that we have to earn it.

We make little effort to understand our children. We hand down tales of conduct to them, as from an old book, and let it go at that. It does not often occur to us that every home really ought to be a place where the children honestly have more fun, more joy in life, than they can find anywhere.

This Sumnick family, evidently, has discovered a secret that a whole lot of parents would give their eyes teeth to get in on.

Tom Mix To End 24-Year Career Christmas Day
HOLLYWOOD—A 24-year screen career in which he starred in 370 featured pictures and was a following of millions of fans will be ended Christmas Day by Tom Mix, the film cowboy hero.

Mix, whose retirement was preceded several months by that of his famous horse, Tony, said he hoped his absence from the talking screen would be only temporary. Tony, who shared with Mix some serious mishaps in filming some of the cowboy's daring exploits was placed in the clover several months ago after he stumbled and fell in an attempt to take a leap decline.

After a rest at his Beverly Hills estate, Mix said he will tour the world, taking with him his trained horse and his associates. Mix started his film career 24 years ago after spending his earlier days in the hazardous occupation of a Texas ranger. Besides the injuries he has suffered in filming some of his "hard-boiled" health-fulfilling pictures, he has wounds received in gun battles with desperadoes who haunted the Texas border when he was an officer.

What he learned while riding the range and chasing bandits to real life, Mix applied to his motion pictures.

Because Mix refused to allow doctors to cut for him, he has suffered 26 broken bones and many other injuries. When Tony fell recently while filming a picture in the High Sierras, Mix was knocked unconscious and spent some time in a hospital. A year ago he was stricken with acute appendicitis. Peritonitis developed, and physicians said his physical strength pulled him through.

During his convalescence Mix received a letter from his wife, who said she was glad to hear he was getting on his feet.

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VICTORY IS ALL THEY KNOW!



Ronald "Boots" Taylor of Oak Park, Ill., captain and star player of the Carleton college basketball team of Northfield, Minn., is talking over the school's prospects for its sixth successive Midwest conference title with Marshall Diebold, coach. In winning the conference championship for five years, Carleton's team has amassed 44 consecutive victories on its own court. (Associated Press Photo)

received at the hospital thousands of letters from men, women and most of them children, expressing hopes for his recovery and quick return to the screen. Once before, Mix retired, but returned to Universal several years ago in the insistence of thousands of children who wrote him.

Last February Mix married Hazel Hipbel Ward, a circus star and partly because of her desire for a honeymoon in Europe, he is quitting now, he said. Six years ago he toured Europe with his famous horse, Tony, and several other animals he had taught spectacular tricks. Tony was purchased by the actor for a fortune and he has been trained to perform stunts for the circus.

Commenting on his possible return to the motion picture business, Mix said: "I began as a circus performer and I'd like to say that way I need a vacation and I can get at least three months in Europe now before the circus season opens here. Making pictures is an exciting and winning profession, but when a couple of years in 1925 and 1927, he was defeated in the finals of the 1931 city tournament by young Joe Davis in a hard-fought battle.

Our correspondent, to whom we express gratitude for his letter of news concerning Big Spring students in Texas, goes on to advise that Leo Brady, former Abilene ace who won the West Texas tournament here in 1930, is No. 10 on the varsity Longhorn roster, and that Ralph Anderson, diminutive star of the Wichita Falls team that was beaten by Big Spring in the 1932 club finals of the West Texas meet, is certain to hold a regular's place on the tennis squad.

Incidentally it is the first letter we have received in weeks in which we were not termed "haywire, raga, dumb" and the thousands of other adjectives that our readers delight to apply. Maybe there is a Santa Claus.

The Masonic Home Masons and the Corsicana Tigers are due to stage a Rocky battle for the state high school grid title, and the former will no doubt rank as heavy favorites over Jimmy Pierce's team. The date has been set for December 26th.

A single try-for-point carried the Amarillo Sandies, finalists in 1930, out of the picture. Both teams scored in the first half on sustained drives, and the only difference between the two eleven for the day was that Mann's (Amarillo) try for point was blocked by a burly Mason while McCall's (Masonic) went straight and true over the crossbar.

The addition of the Cunningham and Phillip Cockroaches to the city league has been announced, but is unlikely if the new acquisition will see service this evening. The Cockroaches are for your benefit, Berner Barley, Bill Gordon, Hogan, Darline Gensberg, and Morrison. At least two of them are fairly nice players and the city loop may find in them a formidable entry.

The Athens High Hornets, national champions in '30 and '31, may furnish the opposition for the Big Spring eagles here Dec. 27th. The Hornets are making a road trip through Western Texas, and if their representatives can come to terms with George Gentry, concerning gate receipts and all the minor details that have to be worked out before an athletic contest is scheduled the East Texans may find themselves arrayed against the most consistent winner in state basketball in another portion of the state.

The House of David clan, which meets the Stearshere January 7th, is paying George Brown's club a compliment by including it on their schedule. For immediately preceding their trip with the Bessing the long-haired families meet. Simpson University, Texas Conference champions last year. The evening after the Benton Harbor, Michigan team drops over to Canyon for a contest with the towering teachers, Oklawaha conference champions last season.

The Big Spring High Steers boys take part in one more 470 contest before ushering out the 1932 football season. An

Four Rural Schools Frame Round-Robin Basketball Series

Four rural basketball teams have arranged a round robin practice schedule to be played preparatory to the county meet. Forsan, Center Point, Coahoma, and Knott are the schools entering teams. Leland Martin, superintendent of Forsan schools and county interscholastic league head, has not released the schedule.

FINED FOR THEFT
Ramon Helms was fined \$25 and costs, Monday morning in Justice court on charges of misdemeanor theft. He was alleged to have taken a rain coat from a car, and pleaded guilty to the complaint.

Personally Speaking

Miss Margaret Waddell of Odessa spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Brown.

James Ripps, junior at Texas Tech, will arrive here Monday night to spend the holidays at home.

Aaron Gensberg, senior in Texas A. & M. College, is home for the holidays.

W. I. Phillips is at home with an attack of flu. Clarence Alvis, of Lubbock, is a holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Creath and family and other friends in Big Spring.

Mrs. W. D. McDonald and son, Cecil, left Saturday night for Birmingham, Ala., where they will spend the holiday season with Mrs. McDonald's sister, Miss Alice Tingle.

Invitation, challenge, or whatever one wishes to call it, has been received from the San Angelo Junior College Rams, and it is thought likely that Bristow will carry another eleven to the Concho country for the contest. Last year a group of former high school and college stars competed against the Rams and were defeated 3 to 0 when Smokey Brothers' drop-kicked a field goal in the final minute of play.

Bristow will use practically his high school lineup this year, however, if such a game is scheduled. A starting team of seniors could be thrown against the junior college team, and only a few will be recruited for the contest.

The date for the proposed game will be Christmas Day.

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Returns To Films



Ethel Clayton, star of silent motion pictures, is coming out of retirement. She has been signed for a prominent role in a forthcoming production. (Associated Press Photo)

Terrell Sends Thanks For Appreciation Made For Hearing In City
C. V. Terrell, chairman of the railroad commission, has written his regrets on being forced to postpone the prorated hearing of the Howard-Glassecock field from Dec. 10 to Dec. 29 when it will be called as a state wide meeting in Austin.

He thanked C. T. Watson, Chamber of Commerce manager, and all oil men who had a part in arranging entertainment to have been tendered commission members and R. D. Parker, oil and gas supervisor.

"It may be that we shall call another prorated meeting for Big Spring," said Terrell. He said he would be glad to attend in that event.

Ohio Family Burns In Fire Razing Log Home
ATHENS, O. (AP)—Rolland Matthews, his wife and two children burned to death Monday when fire destroyed a log house at Louster, north of here. Bodies of the victims were found in huddles near the door. They were believed to have been overcome by smoke while trying to escape.

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RICHARD SIDNEY GRIMES.

Cosden Refinery. Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl five years old. I want you to please bring me a doll, wagon, doll truck, clothes for my doll and some new shoes. And don't forget all the other good boys and girls. Your little friend,
MARY HELEN GRIMES.

Big Spring, Texas. My Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll, a pair of Lents, a set of dishes, a sock of candy and a sack of fruit. With best wishes,
ABBIE DRUE HURLEY.

267 Benton Street, Big Spring, Texas. Dearest Santa: I am a little girl 6 years old and am going to school. I have been a good girl and have made good grades; so will you please bring me a pair of brown boots, also \$1.00 worth of candy, a Mickey Mouse coloring book, and a nice Bible to take to Bible school every Sunday. Please remember my mother and sister and my teacher, Mrs. Troupe. Love,
BILLIE JOYCE ROBINSON.

102 W. N. 2nd Street, Big Spring, Texas. Dear Santa: I have been a real good little girl this year and haven't got to go to school much because I have been sick a long time. I am eight years old and in the third grade. I don't want any more, but please bring me a blackboard and a doll truck and a doll bear. Your little friend,
NELLIE RUTH STEWART.

102 W. N. 2nd St., Big Spring, Texas. Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy ten years old and in the fourth grade. I have been a very good boy this year and please remember me this Christmas. I want a blue shirt and a pair of pants. I also want a little cannon gun. Your little friend,
RALPH STEWART.

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Big Spring, Texas. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a little tractor, dump truck and set of blocks. Your friend,
BILLY CHARLES COLEMAN.

Big Spring, Texas. Dear Santa: I am a little girl eight years old. I have been a good girl and studied hard and would like for you to bring me a "real" wrist watch, a pair of black kid gloves, a few toys, fruit and nuts.
Please remember the poor children. Your little friend,
MADELYN KING.

Big Spring, Texas. Dear Santa Claus: I am a girl 7 years old. I am in the second grade at school. Please bring me an electric cook stove, some aluminum pans and some tinier toys. Your little friend,
JUNE COLEMAN.

Dear Santa: We are three little girls, one 9, one 7 and one 5 years old. We want you to not forget us this Christmas. We want a small doll each, a blackboard and some small toys and some nice candy and fruit. Also dishes.
NORMA, CLAUDINE AND PATSY RUTH HURLEY.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a gun with some caps, a little train with coaches and a track and a little car with headlights.
Bobbie Hill, low third grade, West Ward school.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a gun and a pair of gloves and a leather cap and a fountain pen and an Eveready pencil.
Best Wishes,
Earl Baker.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a train, some cars and a sack of candy. Will best wishes,
Auldip Johnson.

Big Spring, Tex. My Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll and some doll clothes and please bring me some furniture and also bring a pair of gloves.
Your friends,
Norma Dyer.

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Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa: Please bring me a bicycle, a football, an ink pen, a pair of gloves and two guns, two scabbards. Bring my mother a new clock. Please bring us both a stocking.
With best wishes,
Robert Carroll Deibrige.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll, a set of dishes and bag of candy. My little sister wants a doll, a bed and also some candy. Please bring my mother a dress and a pair of trousers.
With best wishes,
Frances Sewell.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll, a pair of house shoes, a doll trunk, sack of candy, nuts and fruit. I think that would be enough for a little girl.
With love,
Caroline Smith.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a bicycle and an tractor set.
With love,
Sam Lacy Burgess.

Big Spring, Tex. My dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a knife, a sled, some skates, some fruit, a tin of nuts and a box of tinker toys.
With best wishes,
Willie Joe Allison.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a pair of shoes, fireworks and a South Shredder.
With best wishes,
C. G. Griffin.

Big Spring, Tex. Please bring me a doll, a ring, a pair of shoes, a wrist watch and a black board.
With much love,
Nestor Neil Edens.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa: Please bring me a blackboard, a wasser, also some candy.
Your friend,
Betty Fay Collins.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a rubber doll, a puzzle, a billiard table, also some candy and nuts. I have been a good little girl all the year.
Best wishes from,
Betty Farrar.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll, a stove, a string of beads, a wrist watch and a dresser.
With best wishes,
Emma Corrine Cross.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa: I want you to bring me a Lockheed monoplane and a game and those books, Tarzan of the Apes and Bomb, the Jungle Boy and some fireworks and please don't forget mother and dad and my two brothers.
Your friend,
Henry Jones.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: I've been pretty good and I want you to bring me a blackboard and a rubber doll. Don't forget my brother. Please bring all the poor little children something and don't forget to bring Nona and George something. I live at the Cosden refinery.
Tommie Jess Station.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: I am pretty good and I want a pair of spurs and some fruits and nuts. Don't forget all the other little children. I will close, hoping you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Your friend,
Sam Daniels, Jr.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: As it is almost two years since I wrote you I will tell you I need some new dresses, some underwear and shoes and stockings and a doll. I am 12 years old I have three brothers and a little sister, Fern, and Eugene he will be one year old the 29th of this month. I also have a little niece seven months old. Her name is Charley Ruth Rowden. They are living in one room here at please bring some nutting and a doll or little dog for Charley Ruth. My brothers Frank and Allen would be pleased to get 15 and Eugene 13 years old. On you, Mrs. Krunk is in Big Spring. I wish her a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Please remember I am looking for you to visit us. We live under Mrs. Tammell out near City View. With a please don't get me lost in the snow.
Billie McWhorter.

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A brother 13 years of age who would like for you to think of him in the way of shirts. Say, Dear Santa there is six of us at home. My mother is the mother of 15 children but some are married and some are dead. But Santa, please bring me the dress stockings and shoes so we can go to school.
Doby Atkinson.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: Will drop you a letter. I am a little girl 11 years old. I want some toys and some candy and fruit. I have two little brothers. They also want some Christmas presents.
Angie Lee Clay,
230 South Nolan street.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: I am seven years old. I am in the 2nd grade. Please bring me a tricycle and car, candy, nuts and peaches and all kinds of fruits.
With love,
Robert Adkins.

P. S. My brother Lawrence and Archie would like a flashlight and a pair of pants. Archie would like some boxing gloves and a target gun.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: I am eight years old. My brother is 12 and my other brother is 1. I have a little sister, one year old. Well, Santa, please think of us. I'd like some new shoes and dresses, some stockings, a nice doll. Brother would like some overalls and shirts and some candy and I'd like for you to bring some clothes for little sister and my brother. I'm little H. H. McWhorter's little daughter. We live near the Birka Dairy on Mr. Barnes place near the swimming pool and please remember my Grandmother, Miss Adkinson. She lives up in the cow track at the tank farm. My name is Alice McWhorter.

Luther, Tex. General Delivery. Dear Old Santa: I was just thinking about you, wonder if you were going to bring me anything. I've been a good boy. I'm only ten, my brother is 12. My baby sister is seven. I wonder if you will be so kind as to bring me a pair of shoes, size 1-2 and some stockings too. My brother wants a pair of pants, size 12. My sister wants a pair of stockings, a tam and a doll and we all want a suit of good warm underwear to keep us warm. We two boys need a good warm cap too. Now Santa, please bring these things because we need them so bad. We need more cover to keep the wind at night. If you have an extra blanket bring it too. Bring us some toys, all you can and a French lapp, too. We both play a harp. I sure could eat a big fat apple. We have moved out in the country now so we get our mail at Luther. Best wishes to you.
Santa from a little boy ten years old,
Clavis Morrow.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa: I like candy and nuts too. Santa, I have been living in Big Spring ever since I was three years old and had to move out to pick cotton.
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Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa: I am a little girl 4 years old and this is my very first letter to you. I am sick and I want you to bring me a nice doll and some crayolas, fruit and candy and please bring mamma something, nice and mother and Daddy would like to be remembered too.
Your little friend,
Fnestine Jackson,
Wynnewood, Okla.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa: I am a little boy six years old and I want you to please bring me some toys, fruit, candy and nuts. I have been a good boy, Grannie says. My little brother has had flu and I help mother all I can. Bring Billie a little wagon, I will give him some of my fruit and candy.
Your friend,
John Dean Witt.

Cosden Refinery. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me an accordion, toy wacer, pistol and plenty of caps and some funny games, also lots of fireworks and candy and nuts and I'll be a good boy next year.
Little Breckman Hatesham,
Case Cosden Refinery,
Big Spring, Tex.

Big Spring, Tex. Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl four years old. Will you please bring me a baby doll set, a book and two chairs, a set of dishes, a little Bible and some candy, nuts and loaves of chewing gum.
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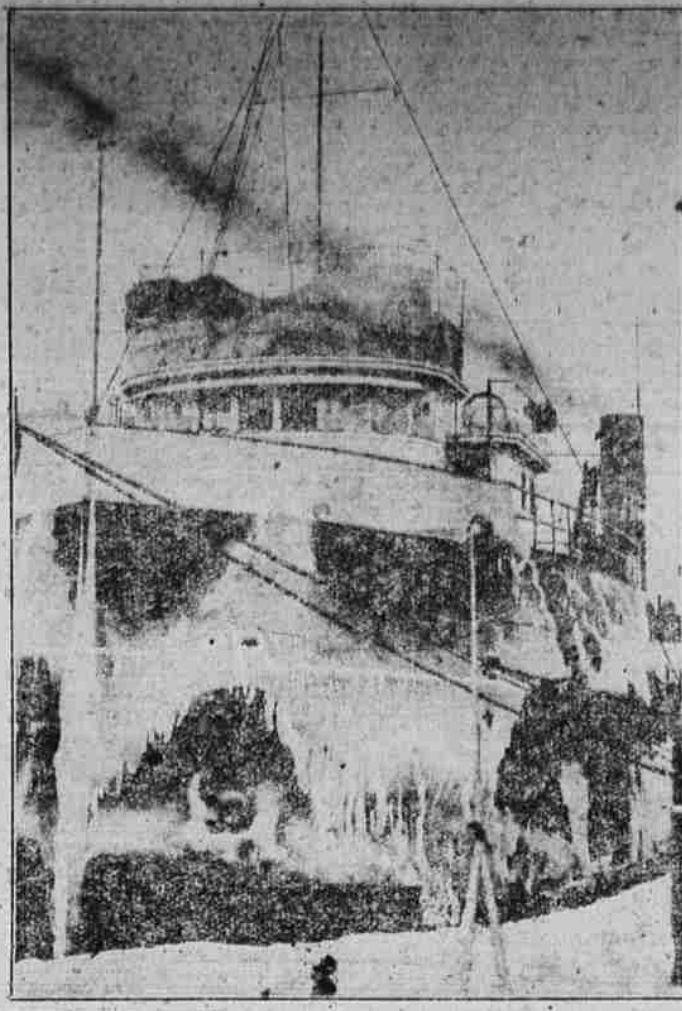
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WINTER ENDS LAKES SHIPPING



Navigation on the Great Lakes ended for the winter when the ice caught freighter Bennington tied up in Ecorse, Mich., after ploughing through ice drifts of Lake Michigan, Lake Huron and the Straits of Mackinac. (Associated Press Photo)

Flora Belle Squyres Gives Pretty Party

Flora Belle Squyres entertained a number of her friends and classmates with a jolly party Saturday afternoon celebrating her birthday. Her home was attractively decorated with Christmas colors and the afternoon was spent in contests and merry games. The pretty birthday cake was decorated with green and red candies and the favors were red and green jelly candies in bags tied with red ribbon. The cake was served with hot chocolate. The honoree received many pretty gifts. Those enjoying this happy occasion were: Emma Ruth Stripping, Mary Ellen and Bettie Ferrar, Helen Hunt, George Williams, Billie Mae Fahrrentkamp, Sam Mellinger, parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Brown, Julian Fisher, Martha and Julia Cochran, and Mrs. H. H. Squyres, mother of the hostess.

Mickey Mouse Notes

Members of the Rhythm Band are requested to meet Tuesday at 6 o'clock at Mrs. Houser's to practice Christmas carols.
North Ward mice gave a peppy program at the City Saturday morning. Addison Cotton, as the fat clown, and Howard McMahon in girl's dress were especially funny.

Those on Saturday's program were: Maxine Kicken, Maurine Schultz, Cubelle Howell, Melba Piper, Pauline Matlock, J. T. Rogers, Nettie Stanley, Dorothy Dugan, Edna McK. n, Juanita Stevenson, Lois Rogers, Louise Mackabee, Dolores Buzze, Billie DeW Phillips, Hazel Ruth Phillips.

Mice, remember the fruit basket Saturday.
The mice have started a M.M.C. Goodwill fund. All mice wishing to contribute their pennies to it may leave them at the ticket office Saturday.

"The Night Before Christmas," a play in pantomime, will be the Christmas Eve stage show. The cast will be announced later.

Four Schools Of County Will Get New Paint Coats

Trustees of four districts Saturday decided to take advantage of a plan whereby they may have school buildings repaired by furnishing only the paint. Labor paid from the federal relief work funds will be furnished schools obtaining paint. Moore trustees decided to have

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the exterior of the Albee school repainted. Center Pint head mice plans for painting the interior of their building. Bisco the interior and Vesimoor, Ikeewis. The trustees decided on painting window facing and doors. Vincent will be heard from Monday, according to County Superintendent I. C. Brigham.

Richard Hatch, senior at Texas A & M College, is home for the holidays.

Christmas Gift Sale

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Gems of Peril

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"Nice chap," Bates remarked. "What is he—Frennan?" His bland gaze rested on Louise, who pretended not to have heard.

"Must we stay longer?" she appealed to Bruce, pointing. She put the gleaming earrings up to her fingers on each temple. "My head—I must lie down."

Bruce paid the check. As Mary expected the Countess to make no further mention of her ruck, which wings. They might be the indication of the feast but they would never pay for it. She had been surprised at all this.

In the elevator Bruce made some low-voiced plea which Mary did not catch, but it was refused with further protestations of illness. Bruce urged. The Countess will advise. "But it is impossible!" I am miserable. You do not know tomorrow I will look at all the shoreline you wish to show her tonight!"

Bruce retired into a dim silence. The sign of industry accompanied that entered into his soul and to soothe the must make his (patience) demonstrate her devotion, immediately by giving in to his whim. Mary bade them all good night at the door of her room. Mr. Juniper responded with a grin. He was half asleep already, as the result of too much fresh air and too much smoke. He would not be returning about her coming and going, and she chose to steal out now and then. Bowen, the Countess, and Louise followed her pillow to the protestations of suffering, wives, and Louise would be dancing attendance upon his dear Louise. She had finally reached her room. She had raised her eyes to the ceiling.

"If I were married to you," she said, "I'd cut your hair, your eyes, and your nose. I'd give you three hours' look. I'd give you to the disorderly array of your hair, each with its wheel of your London and sudden recall, that she had had him in a semi-circle of his glass ash tray, filled and overflowing with twisted buds of cigarette. "I don't even like to see you," she complained bitterly. "But I can't get in this place. I'd like to make an attempt to get in the stuff or get them out of the place. Where in the eternal regions of accuracy have you been?"

With De Loma, she began to gasp her breath. "What are you saying?" she asked. "What are you saying?" she asked. "What are you saying?" she asked.

enough, goodness knows—" "You don't have to go any farther than Rockaway to get a swell tan." Bowen reminded her. "I'm still digging away at his past—been putting in my spare time here going through the police morgue. I haven't set eyes on anyone yet that looks like him, but I haven't given up hope. He picked up that Spanish lingo somewhere, so why not in this part of the country? He may have come up from Cuba or some of those other islands. They're full of polyglot 'Spaniards'—usually about one-third Spanish blood and two-thirds what-have-you. Not that it matters a damn if he's an Eskimo, but I've got a hunch that he left a nice little record behind in the place he started from. And I want to find it wherever it is."

"But about tomorrow night—" "Yes, that's what we've got to plan for now. Have you got a costume?"

"No, but trust me to get one. There must be shops here—customers—who furnish the society crowd with fancy dresses. I'll go as the Empress of All the Russias or Cleopatra or somebody addicted to wearing quartz or jewels, so that it will seem quite natural to trot the necklace out and show it off."

Bowen nodded. "That's the girl." "And look—what do you think of this?" I'll tell everyone it's just a hunch from the five, and ten and I'll be just a poor enough line that they'll know I'm lying. It will make people twice as sure it's the real thing, if I protest a bit, and swear it isn't."

Bowen nodded, approvingly. "Don't overact now, Juliet. He'll take it easy. Just a shade on much fuss over it, and De Loma will say 'and so' such it. He's a very adroit fellow—what a job because he's going to be doing out of your hand, don't think, she's a snipe." Just that little coincidence with your friend Louise is what's responsible for his walking right up to the gun, like that. He's being there lulled by his suspicious, or he might have high-tailed it out of sight the minute he saw you in the hotel."

"Well, that's something to thank Louise for at any rate. Mary admitted. "Otherwise, she's a blot. Bates thinks she's a crook. He's forgotten all about The Fly. Too busy trying to trip her up into making some sort of admission that she will show him what her real game is."

"Oh, well—Louise is none of our

affair. Bruce will give her the boot when he gets his land-legs and looks around this country a bit. Some of these bathing beauties ought to make his drop his ears and run . . ."

"That reminds me," Mary interrupted. "I'm supposed to wangle a picture of her somehow—for Bates to carry next his heart. I think, though he says it's to send home to the New York police department for a man who it's his own with the reincarnation of Catherine de Medici and the Borgias family, he's having a better time than any college sophomore I know."

"Maybe they'll take a picture of the notables at the party tomorrow night. She'd be one of 'em, if all you tell me about her is true."

"And if she has a bad conscience she'll hide in the backroom and be unrecognizable. No, I've got to buy or borrow a camera and walk right up to little Louise and say 'Le me snap you, darling, for my memory book! You look SO distinguished! Ugh!'"

"Bowen was struck with an idea. "I've got a friend on the paper down here—frankly, he's harrington for a man who it's his own from the payroll and came down here. He has one of those cameras you hide in your pocket, and shoot when nobody knows it. If we could smuggle it in tomorrow night—"

"Bring it yourself!" Mary cried delightedly.

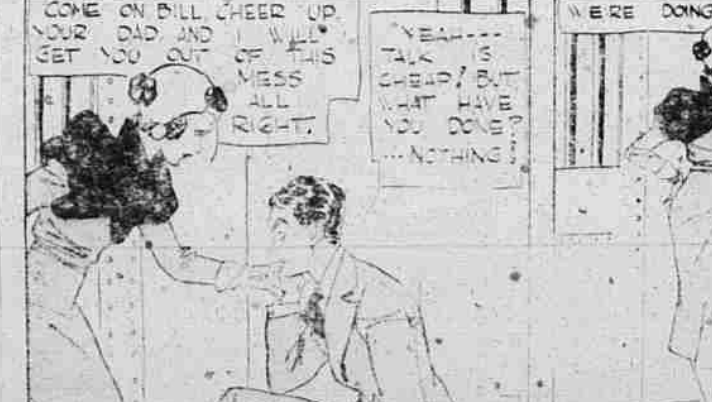
Bowen bent on her a look of unutterable reproach. "Am I one of the idle rich?" He threw out his hands. "I hitch-hiked to this village, my dear lady, and I did not have a swallow of wine in the hotel. I did not have a drink of water. Just a hobo, that me, a darling of the gods like you can't realize what it is to be broke I know."

Mary put out her hand in quick sympathy. "I can realize. You've done all this for me?" she said. Like a flash she opened the big spectacle and took out a roll of bills which she thrust toward him. "Hey! Hey! Put that back!" Bowen growled at her, turning scarlet. He tossed the money roughly into her lap. "I'm not whining. I'm having a swell time—honest! I'll probably get a job here on the same paper my friend's on and stay a while. One week's pay and I'll be sitting on top of the world. Swinging every morning before break-

PA'S SON-IN-LAW



DIANA DANE



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fast-swimming every night before I go to bed. Say! Why does anybody in live in New York, anyway? Big a plate is a little too steep a cover charge for little George just now, even if I had the duds to go with it. I didn't want you to think I was fudging out at the last minute, though."

Mary sighed. "You ought to let me stake you," she insisted, gently. "It's my war you're fighting. Mr. Juniper's too. He'd insist on paying your expenses, if he knew."

"Forget it," Bowen ordered curtly. "We'll get the picture. I'll wait in the stater till you and the others come out. You tip me off which one it is, and bing! We'll snap her. Highness' picture that way. And we'll do it tomorrow."

They left it at that for the present. Mary felt that she must get back before her absence was discovered. She was resolved Bowen should come to the party, anyhow. His presence would steady her. He promised to telephone her next day and their what-a-fair arrangements had been made for the Fly's reception on board the "Gypsy" if he could be lured aboard.

Back in the Ambassador lobby she turned aside for a minute at the magazine stand. If any of her party should meet her in the upper halls she had decided to say she had been unable to sleep and had gone down to buy something to read.

Town Talley lay nearest her hand, but she drew away from it as if it would have burned her. What ever shameful secrets it had to reveal, she didn't want to know them. And none of the lurid detective story magazines that hung before her seemed to offer anything so exciting as her own life was proving. As the end, she bought a newspaper only and stood a moment, holding it wide open before her at the society party.

Suddenly the smooth flow of a familiar voice made her head with a start. Cautiously she lowered the paper and looked over its edge. Not ten feet away, with their backs toward her, the Countess and De Loma sat close together on a mulberry velvet lounge, deep in low-voiced conversation.

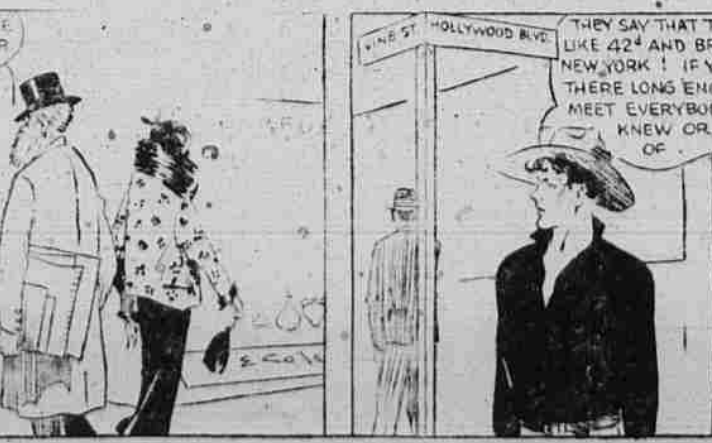
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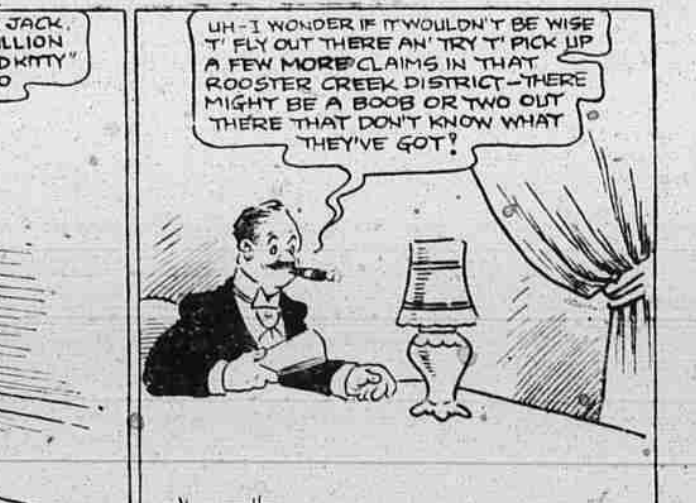
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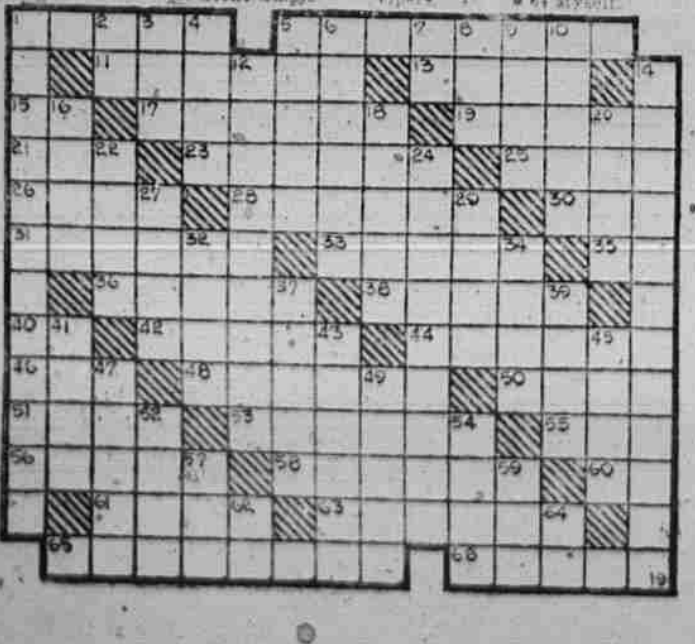


A New Angle



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 - Groups of three.
 - Senior.
 - To drudge.
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NEWS OF THE DAY IN PICTURES

CHRISTMAS RUSH AS POST OFFICE SEES IT



Here's one of the clearing houses for all of those Christmas gifts you mailed to Aunt Emma and Cousin Fred. Uncle Sam has recruited hundreds of extra postal workers to help out in the Yule rush. This picture was taken in the New York general post office. (Associated Press Photo)

POPULAR AT SOUTHERN RESORTS



A trim one-piece swimming suit that is finding favor at southern watering places this winter is worn by Jean Parker, motion picture player. The straps of royal blue finish with a bow at the waistline. Obviously the suit is cut to allow plenty of freedom for swimming. (Associated Press Photo)

HEAR WEDDING BELLS AT 4 A. M.



Sidney Fox, motion picture actress, and Charles Behan, New York scenario writer, were married at a 4 A.M. ceremony in Harrison, N. Y. It was the bride's first venture into matrimony and the bridegroom's second. They are shown in Behan's New York apartment. (Associated Press Photo)

Death Valley Yuletide



Snow and Christmas trees are unknown in Death Valley, but Antoinette Burns has dressed up in the role of a Christmas tree for the celebration at Stovepipe Wells, Cal. (Associated Press Photo)

ANNOUNCE THEIR ENGAGEMENT



When Marilyn Miller and Don Alvarado, screen players, were carried away on an unexpected trip abroad it was rumored they might be married. But when they arrived in London it was announced that they had not wed but were engaged. This picture was taken as they reached London. The couple was carried to sea when they failed to heed the all ashore signal after they had gone aboard a liner in New York to visit friends. (Associated Press Photo)

Fugitive Arrested



Robert E. Burns was arrested in Newark, N. J., as a fugitive from a Georgia chain gang. (Associated Press Photo)

RIVALS AT BASEBALL POW WOW



Connie Mack (left), manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, and Jacob Ruppert, owner of the New York Yankees, were found by the cameraman talking together in this friendly fashion at the annual big league conclave in New York. (Associated Press Photo)

Gets Life Sentence - Minister To Canada



Mrs. May Dawson, 36, of Modoc, Ind., has entered the Indiana women's prison at Indianapolis to serve a life sentence for poisoning her 15-year-old daughter. (Associated Press Photo)



Col. Nathan William MacCrahey (above) of Chicago has been named American minister to Canada, succeeding Hanford MacNider, who resigned. (Associated Press Photo)



Don Peden, once a star backfield man at the University of Illinois and now football coach at Ohio university at Athens, O., has been mentioned as a possible successor to A. A. Stagg as head coach at the University of Chicago. (Associated Press Photo)

AT ODDS ON DEBT PAYMENT



The French chamber of deputies voted to default on the \$19,261,432 debt installment due the United States. Premier Edouard Herriot (left) appealed in vain for payment. When his plan was rejected his cabinet resigned. Deputy Louis Marin (right) was one of the leaders against the government's proposal to make the payment. (Associated Press Photo)

Arizona Beauty



Eleanor Arthur of Douglas, Ariz., was voted the most beautiful girl at the University of Arizona. (Associated Press Photo)

Woman Is Sheriff



Mrs. Bessie Kelly, a democrat, is the first woman sheriff of Texas county, Mo. She succeeds her husband, a republican, who died from auto accident injuries. (Associated Press Photo)

May 'Tell All'



Dr. William C. Judd (above), whose wife, Winnie Ruth Judd, is under sentence to hang for the slaying of Mrs. Agnes Le Roi and Miss Hedvig Samuelson, said he would tell the "true story" of the killings in an effort to save his wife's life. (Associated Press Photo)

DAD COACHES SON AT MINNESOTA



Dave MacMillan, University of Minnesota basketball coach, gives a few pointers to his son, Dave Jr., who as a sophomore is trying to break into the Gophers' regular lineup. (Associated Press Photo)



Baseball moguls are busy these days, swapping their talent at the New York "board of trade." In one of the big deals Fred Marberry, Washington, relief hurler, was sent to Detroit in a transfer involving three players. (Associated Press Photo)

Hoosier Bulwark



Woodrow Weir, guard, is one of co-ed's midwinter circus at Central, the few regular veterans around State Teachers college, Edmond, whom Coach Everett Dean must Okla. Four hundred girls are in build a basketball team at Indiana included in the "performers." (Associated Press Photo)

Rules Co-Ed Circus



Billy Dickson was chosen queen of the "big top" to rule over the few regular veterans around State Teachers college, Edmond, whom Coach Everett Dean must Okla. Four hundred girls are in build a basketball team at Indiana included in the "performers." (Associated Press Photo)

Condemns France



Resentment flared in congress against the French refusal to meet its debt payment. "France has less excuse not to pay than any other nation," said Rep. Sam D. McReynolds, chairman of the house foreign affairs committee. (Associated Press Photo)

LADY ASTOR AND NEW FIRST LADY



Lady Astor (right), American-born member of British parliament, and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt met in New York at a luncheon of the National Consumers' League which is opposing further breakdown of labor standards in this country due to the depression. They are shown with Nicholas Kelley, chairman of the board. (Associated Press Photo)

THEIR CHARM WINS STUDENT VOTE



Miss Crosby Seymour (right) of Hutchinson, Kas., was chosen by men students as the most alluring co-ed at the University of Kansas, while the co-eds picked Paul Harrington (left) of Kansas City, Kas., as the most fascinating man. (Associated Press Photos)

Adventure Ahead



Hugh S. Davis (above), 23-year-old Boy Scout from Tulsa, Okla., will accompany Martin Johnson, the explorer, on a year's trip through Africa. (Associated Press Photo)

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to the trouble brewing below the Rio Grande. They will within the next few months when it becomes first page news.

The work of Senator Morrow is being undone bit by bit. The latest incident in the protest of Mexican planes over the border Nov. 22. Flares were dropped and ignited forests. That is piled atop a series of other trivialities, the murder of two Mexican boys in the mid-west, troubles of consuls with prohibition agents. They make a formidable obstacle to friendliness, all together.

Our worries will commence if the Japs try to get another foothold down there.

Moley—
Governor Roosevelt is keeping in close contact with Democratic senators. He sent his economic advisor, Prof. Moley down to see a certain Senator last week. Moley was told the Senator was busy. His name was not recognized. Nearly two hours later the senate got a long distance telephone call from Albany explaining the Moley visit. The Senator sent out scouts to bring Prof. Moley in. They finally found him waiting patiently in the ante chamber. In his hand, Prof. Moley's spigones were delivered.

Conference—
Bernard Baruch, the New York Democratic angel, is wielding a big influence behind the scenes in Congress. He manages to keep his name out of the newspapers while doing it.

From the best sources comes news that he may be chairman of the American Delegation to the proposed World Economic Conference. If not, he will have a lot to do with naming the delegates.

Strong inside pressure is being exerted in both parties to make Senator Smith, a Republican member of the delegation. He would represent the silver states.

Wheat—
The Kaiser Wilhelm Institute for Research has just reported to the German Federal Ministry of Agriculture the development of a new kind of wheat. It will yield 40 bushels per acre as against the 25 bushels per acre of the one now planted and is not subject to the law of the diminishing return.

It generally adopted this wheat would make Germany independent of imports after 1934. The basis for this discovery was laid in the work of the late Luther Burbank.

Notes—
The Democrats are getting ready to ditch one of their own party members, Algie Pomeroy, on the R. F. C. They plan to refuse confirmation of his nomination in the senate and that will put him out March 4.

The Texas Jesse Jones, another Democrat on the Corporation Board, is planning to retire. So is Cassius Cowley, the Des Moines publisher. That means complete reorganization of the R. F. C. by Roosevelt. A former bartender, Congressman Palmisano of Baltimore, gave the most authentic testimony in the beer hearings.

With all this argument over the question whether 3 per cent beer can make a petain drunk, some of the legislators has tried to decide from personal experience.

A simple solution would be for each member of Congress to drink all the 3 per cent beer he can hold and then determine for himself whether he is tight.

Maybe the Supreme Court will do it that way.

NEW YORK
By James McMullin

Committees—
Lawyers, high grade and other, who are closely attentive to the court decision which would permit a non-activist committee to demand a list of bondholders from S. W. Straus and company. Two counts have affirmed the decision but it is still subject to final appeal. If sustained the Bar association will have to do some snippy work to get off a horde of ex-convicts seeking in the legal profession. Informed legal opinion holds that the precedent created by the ruling may do more harm than good nationally.

It used to be that the house which had floated a defaulted bond issue would automatically assume responsibility for the conservation of the bondholders interests. The theory ran that it was in the best position to do so because it knew most about the issue. Nowadays it seems to be the other way round. Companies are being formed whose members are chosen, like juries, because they know nothing about the case.

In the foreign bond field the American Council of Foreign Bondholders, headed by Dr. Max Winkler, is endeavoring to assume the authoritative role that the British Council of Foreign Bondholders holds in England. Its efforts have been blocked by the Investment Bankers' association because some members of the Council are affiliated with financial houses. This private war is complicating the situation.

Women—
The American Woman's association has worked out a plan to aid its unemployed members which has helped them considerably in finding jobs. First ten vocational groups were formed consisting of unemployed members in the same occupation, advertising, secretarial work, nursing, etc. These groups were given the active cooperation of employed members in executive positions who advised of changing requirements in feminine personnel for different industries.

The jobless women who wished to improve their training from one profession into a more promising field were given an opportunity for expert instruction as for instance in retail management, insurance, and advertising. Quite a few members who were out of luck in their original occupations have been able to make a shift successfully.

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Mystery Death



In another trade which will alter big league lineups next spring, Ray Bengte, star right hander for the Phillies, was traded to the Brooklyn Dodgers for several Dodger players and cash. (Associated Press Photo)

JONES WILCAT FLOWS
Condor Petroleum company's No. 1 Sayles, rank wildcat in Jones county, furnished interest during the week when it was reported flowing every 15 minutes through a 1 1/2 inch hole at rate variously estimated at from 100 to 10,000 barrels daily.

No. 1 Sayles, 650 feet from the north line and 800 feet from the west line of section 3, block 20 T, and P. Ry. Co. survey, stopped pay at 1,015 feet and stopped drilling to run a 4" casing with a packer. The test is near the Jones-Taylor county line.

In Fisher county, Texas, company's No. 3-B Stephens, section 79, block 1, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, topped pay at 3,221 feet, drilled to 3,231 feet and swabbed 88 barrels in 17 hours.

SUICIDE was the first conclusion of officials when the body of Miss Eva Volpe, 21, Cleveland governess, was recovered from Lake Erie, but the girl's family maintained she had been slain. (Associated Press Photo)

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Utilities—
New York awards first prize for optimism to the receivers of Midwest Utilities who are trying to make a loan of 25 million dollars from the R. F. C. They hope to unfreeze the collateral of Eastern Insull units now held by five New York banks. The effort is being made to buy for exhibits at Chicago the 40 million dollars in the Eastern companies. Interested bankers here say that unless the R. F. C. has decided to go in for wholesale philanthropy the chances are nil.

Jobs—
Large manufacturers, especially in the hardware, food and drug trades, have several nice new problems to play with.

One is the practical refusal of jobs to buy anything before the end of the year. Most jobs only make one financial statement annually, on December 31. This year they are taking great pains to show lots of cash and very little inventory on their balance sheets. No sales argument has been able to overcome this banking for official liquidity.

Another worry is the rise of a class of job-jobs whose stunt is to grab off stocks at bankrupt sales and then undersell the manufacturers themselves. The manufacturers' lawyers are trying to find a basis for a legal program.

World's Fair
Eastern manufacturers are preparing to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars for exhibits at Chicago's 1933 World's Fair. Relief in next year's economic revival is running roughly in these quarters. The building devoted to agriculture and foods is already 90 per cent rented and most exhibitors will beat the eye by opening their shows before the official date of June 1st.

Change—
One of the bull market's pictures, Mike Meehan of R. C. A., has just retired from his commission brokerage business and gone back to the comparatively simple life of a floor trader. One of the officers of the speculative lancers are enlisting in the ranks. (Copyright McClure Newspaper Syndicate)

City Cage Games Are Called Off

City League basketball games between the Faculty and First Baptist church tonight and the Christian and First Baptists Tuesday night have been called off and an executive board meeting scheduled for Wednesday night. It was announced by Joe Pickle, secretary.

Both Faculty and First Baptists will formally withdraw in the Wednesday meeting at 8 p. m. in the Herald office. C. and P. Gockroaches, team applying for entry in the league, will likely be voted in. E. Johnson said Monday he would likely have a fourth team organized and ready to enter by Wednesday.

Forsan is to hold a meeting Monday evening to discuss the advisability of entering a team.

Reorganization or abandonment of the city league be accomplished in the Wednesday meeting, it is thought.

DALLAS MAN FALLS DEAD

DALLAS—James C. MacDonald, Dallas business man for 25 years, fell dead near his automobile after he left a group of friends and had driven to a hospital. He seemed to be in perfect health as he left his companions, after a bridge game and apparently was stricken with a heart attack.

MacDonald was general manager of the Texas Land and Mortgage company, Ltd., and came here from his native home, Aberdeen, Scotland. He was well known in social circles here.

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